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Suggested Solution to Assignment 4

§30) 1) b) $e^{\frac{2+\pi i}{4}} = e^{\frac{1}{2}}e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} = \sqrt{e} \left(\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \sqrt{\frac{e}{2}}(1+i).$
c) $e^{z+\pi i} = e^z e^{\pi i} = -e^z.$

§30) 2) Since addition, subtraction, multiplication and composition of entire functions is entire, the function $f(z) = 2z^2 - 3 - ze^z + e^{-z}$ is entire.

§30) 5) Note that

$$|e^{2z+i}| = |e^{2x+(2y+1)i}| = e^{2x} \text{ and } |e^{iz^2}| = |e^{i(x^2-y^2+2xyi)}| = |e^{-2xy+i(x^2-y^2)}| = e^{-2xy}.$$

Therefore, by triangle inequality,

$$|e^{2z+i} + e^{iz^2}| \leq |e^{2z+i}| + |e^{iz^2}| = e^{2x} + e^{-2xy}.$$

§38) 2) a) Since $e^{iz} = \cos z + i \sin z$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} e^{iz_1}e^{iz_2} &= (\cos z_1 + i \sin z_1)(\cos z_2 + i \sin z_2) \\ &= \cos z_1 \cos z_2 - \sin z_1 \sin z_2 + i(\sin z_1 \cos z_2 + \cos z_1 \sin z_2) \end{aligned}$$

Replace z_1 and z_2 by $-z_1$ and $-z_2$ respectively, we have

$$e^{-iz_1}e^{-iz_2} = \cos z_1 \cos z_2 - \sin z_1 \sin z_2 - i(\sin z_1 \cos z_2 + \cos z_1 \sin z_2)$$

b) Since $\sin(z_1 + z_2) = \frac{1}{2i}(e^{iz_1}e^{iz_2} - e^{-iz_1}e^{-iz_2})$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(z_1 + z_2) &= \frac{1}{2i}(e^{iz_1}e^{iz_2} - e^{-iz_1}e^{-iz_2}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2i} [(\cos z_1 \cos z_2 - \sin z_1 \sin z_2 + i(\sin z_1 \cos z_2 + \cos z_1 \sin z_2)) \\ &\quad - (\cos z_1 \cos z_2 - \sin z_1 \sin z_2 - i(\sin z_1 \cos z_2 + \cos z_1 \sin z_2))] \\ &= \sin z_1 \cos z_2 + \cos z_1 \sin z_2. \end{aligned}$$

§38) 8) Since $|\sin z|^2 = \sin^2 x + \sinh^2 y$ and $|\cos z|^2 = \cos^2 x + \sinh^2 y$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} |\sin z| &= \sqrt{|\sin z|^2} = \sqrt{\sin^2 x + \sinh^2 y} \geq \sqrt{\sin^2 x} = |\sin x| \text{ and} \\ |\cos z| &= \sqrt{|\cos z|^2} = \sqrt{\cos^2 x + \sinh^2 y} \geq \sqrt{\cos^2 x} = |\cos x|. \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \sin z &= \cosh 4 \\ \implies \sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y &= \cosh 4 \\ \implies \sin x \cosh y &= \cosh 4 \text{ and } \cos x \sinh y = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Note that if $\sinh y = 0$, we have $y = 0$ and $\cosh 4 = \sin x \cosh y = \sin x < 1$, which is impossible. Hence we must have $\cos x = 0$ and hence $x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ for some $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Since $\sin x \cosh y = \cosh 4 > 0$, we have $x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

As a result, we have $\cosh y = \cosh 4$. Since the function $\cosh y$ is strictly increasing on $(0, \infty)$ and it is an even function, we have $y = \pm 4$. Altogether, we have $z = \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi\right) \pm 4i$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

§39) 1) Note that

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dz} \sinh z &= \frac{d}{dz} \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{d}{dz} e^z - \frac{d}{dz} e^{-z} \right) = \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2} = \cosh z \\ \frac{d}{dz} \cosh z &= \frac{d}{dz} \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{d}{dz} e^z + \frac{d}{dz} e^{-z} \right) = \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2} = \sinh z.\end{aligned}$$

§39) 2) To show that $\sinh 2z = 2 \sinh z \cosh z$,

a) note that

$$\begin{aligned}\text{L.H.S.} &= \sinh 2z = \frac{e^{2z} - e^{-2z}}{2} \\ \text{R.H.S.} &= 2 \sinh z \cosh z = 2 \left(\frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2} \right) \left(\frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2} \right) = \frac{e^{2z} - e^{-2z}}{2} = \text{L.H.S.}\end{aligned}$$

b) Since $\sin 2z = 2 \sin z \cos z$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\sin 2(-iz) &= 2 \sin(-iz) \cos(-iz) \\ \implies -i \sinh 2z &= 2(-i \sinh z)(\cosh(z)) \\ \implies \sinh 2z &= 2 \sinh z \cosh z.\end{aligned}$$

§39) 8) Note that

$$\begin{aligned}\sinh z = 0 &\iff |\sinh z|^2 = 0 \\ &\iff \sinh^2 x + \sin^2 y = 0 \\ &\iff \sinh x = 0 = \sin y \\ &\iff x = 0 \text{ and } y = n\pi, n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ &\iff z = n\pi i, n \in \mathbb{Z}.\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned}\cosh z = 0 &\iff |\cosh z|^2 = 0 \\ &\iff \cosh^2 x + \cos^2 y = 0 \\ &\iff \cosh x = 0 = \cos y \\ &\iff x = 0 \text{ and } y = \frac{\pi}{2} + n\pi, n \in \mathbb{Z} \\ &\iff z = \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + n\pi\right)i, n \in \mathbb{Z}.\end{aligned}$$