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## CHAPTER

# Functions of Complex Variable, Analytic Functions

### 1.1

 INTRODUCTION

The theory of functions of a complex variable is of utmost importance in solving a large number of problems in the field of engineering and science. Many complicated integrals of real functions are solved with the help of functions of a complex variable.

### 1.2

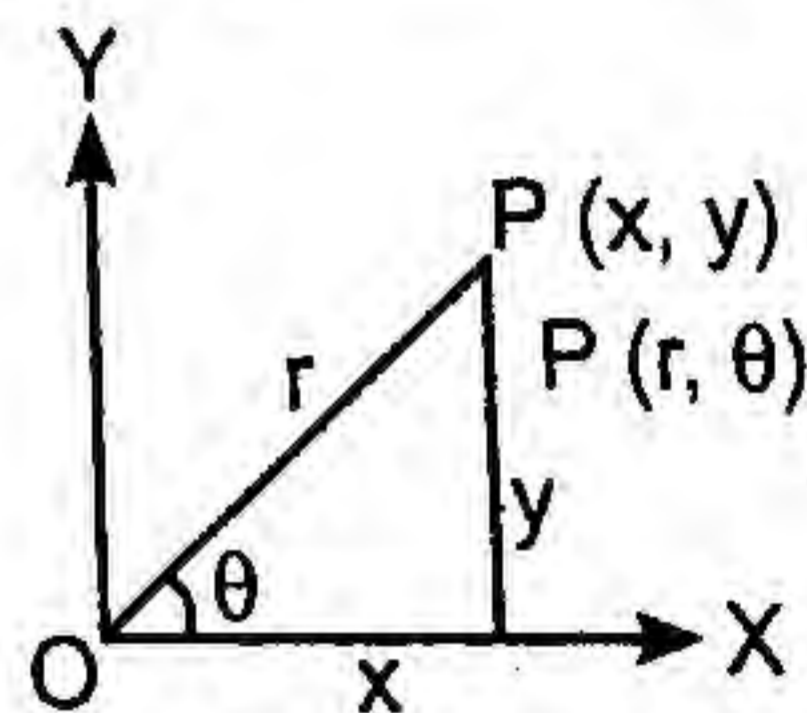
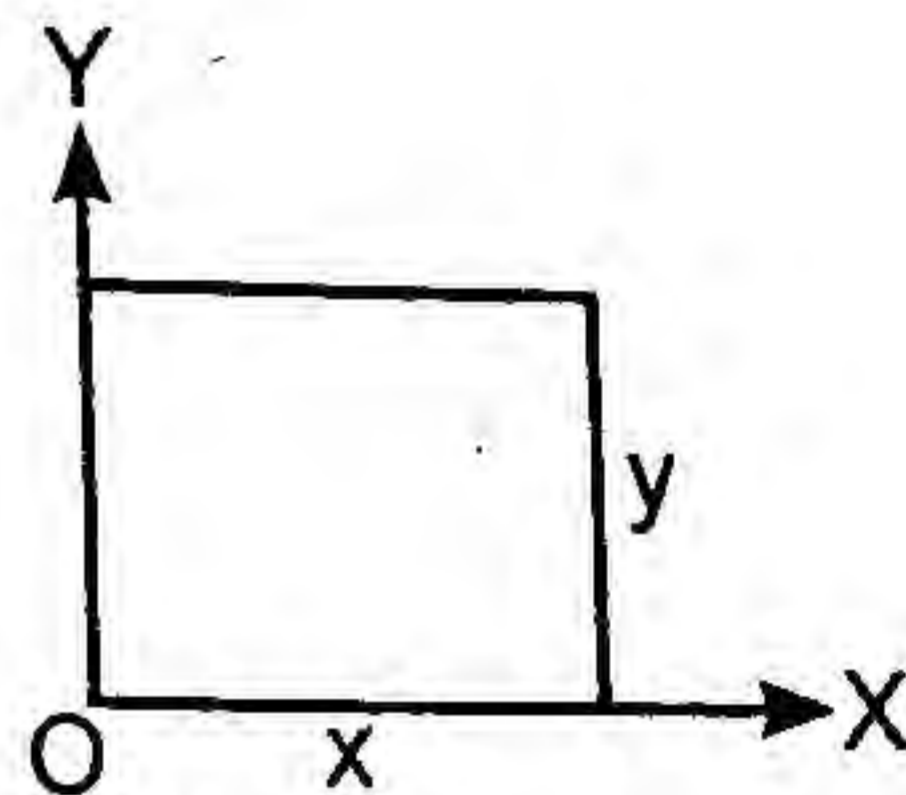
 COMPLEX VARIABLE

$x + iy$  is a complex variable and it is denoted by  $z$ .

(1)  $z = x + iy$     where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$     (Cartesian form)

(2)  $z = r (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$     (Polar form)

(3)  $z = re^{i\theta}$     (Exponential form)



### 1.3

 FUNCTIONS OF A COMPLEX VARIABLE

$f(z)$  is a function of a complex variable  $z$  and is denoted by  $w$ .

$$w = f(z)$$

$$w = u + iv$$

where  $u$  and  $v$  are the real and imaginary parts of  $f(z)$ .

### 1.4

 LIMIT OF A FUNCTION OF A COMPLEX VARIABLE

Let  $f(z)$  be a single valued function defined at all points in some neighbourhood of point  $z_0$ . Then the limit of  $f(z)$  as  $z$  approaches  $z_0$  is  $w_0$ .

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = w_0$$

### 1.5

 CONTINUITY

The function  $f(z)$  of a complex variable  $z$  is said to be continuous at the point  $z_0$  if for any given positive number  $\epsilon$ , we can find a number  $\delta$  such that  $|f(z) - f(z_0)| < \epsilon$  for all points  $z$  of the domain satisfying

$$|z - z_0| < \delta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\delta \bar{z}}{\delta z} = \cos 2\theta - i \sin 2\theta$$

Since  $\frac{\delta \bar{z}}{\delta z}$  depends on  $\theta$ . It means for different values of  $\theta$ ,  $\frac{\delta \bar{z}}{\delta z}$  has different values.

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Therefore  $\lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\delta \bar{z}}{\delta z}$  does not tend to a unique limit when  $z \neq 0$ .

Thus, from (1), it follows that  $f'(z)$  is not unique and hence  $f(z)$  is not differentiable when  $z \neq 0$ .

But when  $z = 0$  then  $f'(z) = 0$  i.e.,  $f'(0) = 0$  and is unique.

Hence, the function is differentiable at  $z = 0$ .

By a different method, the above example 1 is again solved as example 2 on page 322. Proved.

$$z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

### 11.7 ANALYTIC FUNCTION

A function  $f(z)$  is said to be **analytic** at a point  $z_0$ , if  $f$  is differentiable not only at  $z_0$  but at every point of some neighbourhood of  $z_0$ .

A function  $f(z)$  is analytic in a domain if it is **analytic** at every point of the domain.

The point at which the function is not differentiable is called a **singular point** of the function.

An analytic function is also known as "holomorphic", "regular", "monogenic".

**Entire Function.** A function which is analytic everywhere (for all  $z$  in the complex plane) is known as an entire function.

**For Example 1.** Polynomials rational functions are entire.

2.  $|\bar{z}|^2$  is differentiable only at  $z = 0$ . So it is no where analytic.

**Note:** (i) An entire is always analytic, differentiable and continuous function. But converse is not true.

(ii) Analytic function is always differentiable and continuous. But converse is not true.

(iii) A differentiable function is always continuous. But converse is not true.

### 11.8 THE NECESSARY CONDITION FOR $f(z)$ TO BE ANALYTIC

**Theorem.** The necessary conditions for a function  $f(z) = u + iv$  to be analytic at all the points in a region  $R$  are

$$(i) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad (ii) \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \text{ provided } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \text{ exist.}$$

**Proof:** Let  $f(z)$  be an analytic function in a region  $R$ ,

$$f(z) = u + iv,$$

where  $u$  and  $v$  are the functions of  $x$  and  $y$ .

Let  $\delta u$  and  $\delta v$  be the increments of  $u$  and  $v$  respectively corresponding to increments  $\delta x$  and  $\delta y$  of  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$\therefore f(z + \delta z) = (u + \delta u) + i(v + \delta v)$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{f(z + \delta z) - f(z)}{\delta z} = \frac{(u + \delta u) + i(v + \delta v) - (u + iv)}{\delta z} = \frac{\delta u + i\delta v}{\delta z} = \frac{\delta u}{\delta z} + i \frac{\delta v}{\delta z}$$

$$\lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z + \delta z) - f(z)}{\delta z} = \lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\delta u}{\delta z} + i \frac{\delta v}{\delta z} \right) \text{ or } f'(z) = \lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\delta u}{\delta z} + i \frac{\delta v}{\delta z} \right) \quad \dots (1)$$

since  $\delta z$  can approach zero along any path.

### (a) Along real axis (x-axis)

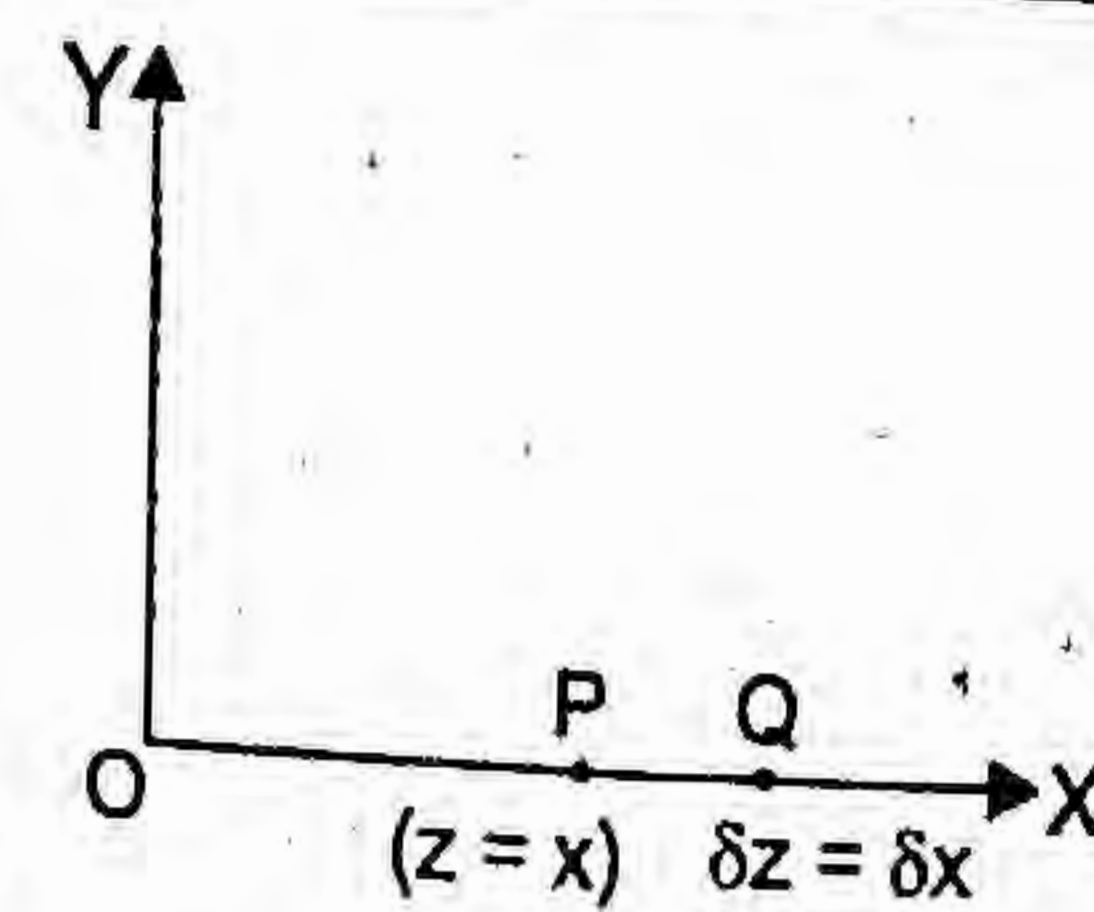
$$z = x + iy$$

$$z = x,$$

Putting these values in (1), we have

but on x-axis,  $y = 0$   
 $\delta z = \delta x, \delta y = 0$

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\delta x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\delta u}{\delta x} + i \frac{\delta v}{\delta x} \right) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \quad \dots (2)$$



### (b) Along imaginary axis (y-axis)

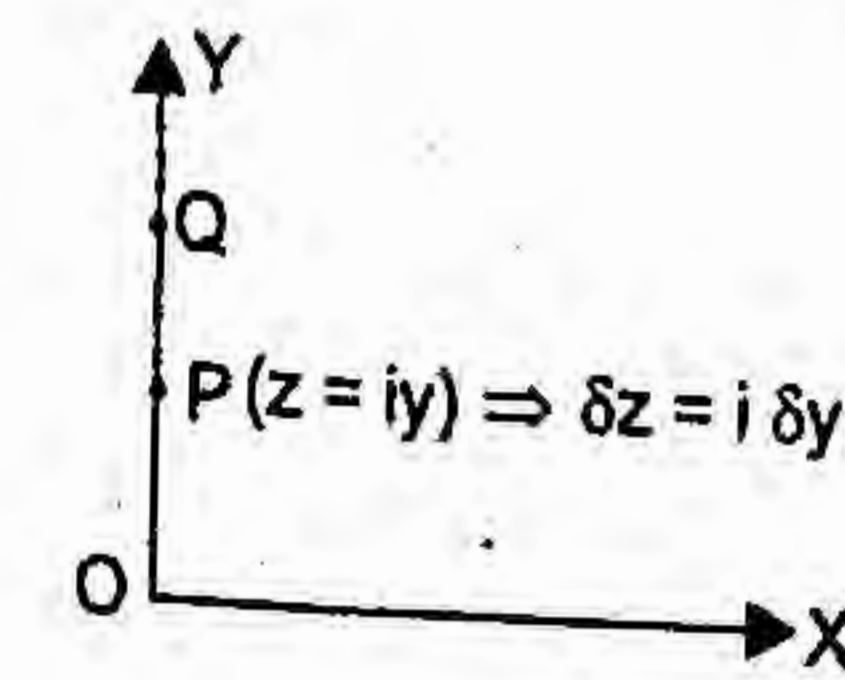
$$z = x + iy$$

$$z = 0 + iy$$

Putting these values in (1), we get

but on y-axis,  $x = 0$   
 $\delta x = 0, \delta z = i\delta y$ .

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\delta y \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\delta u}{i\delta y} + \frac{i\delta v}{i\delta y} \right) = \lim_{\delta y \rightarrow 0} \left( -i \frac{\delta u}{\delta y} + \frac{\delta v}{\delta y} \right) = -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \dots (3)$$



If  $f(z)$  is differentiable, then two values of  $f'(z)$  must be the same. Equating (2) and (3), we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we have

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y},$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

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are known as Cauchy Riemann equations.

### 11.9 SUFFICIENT CONDITION FOR $f(z)$ TO BE ANALYTIC

**Theorem.** The sufficient condition for a function  $f(z) = u + iv$  to be analytic at all the points in a region  $R$  are

$$(i) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

$$(ii) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \text{ are continuous functions of } x \text{ and } y \text{ in region } R.$$

**Proof.** (i) Let  $f(z)$  be a single-valued function having

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

at each point in the region  $R$ . Then the C-R equations are satisfied.

By Taylor's Theorem:

$$f(z + \delta z) = u(x + \delta x, y + \delta y) + iv(x + \delta x, y + \delta y)$$

$$= u(x, y) + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \delta x + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \delta y \right) + \dots + i \left[ v(x, y) + \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \delta x + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \delta y \right) + \dots \right]$$

$$= [u(x, y) + iv(x, y)] + \left[ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \delta x + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \delta x \right] + \left[ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \delta y + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \delta y \right] + \dots$$

$$= f(z) + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \delta x + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) \delta y + \dots$$

(Ignoring the terms of second power and higher powers)

$$\Rightarrow f(z + \delta z) - f(z) = \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \delta x + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) \delta y \quad \dots (1)$$

We know C - R equations i.e.,

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \text{ and } \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Replacing  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$  by  $-\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  respectively in (1), we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(z + \delta z) - f(z) &= \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \delta x + \left( -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) \delta y \\ &= \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \delta x + \left( i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) i \delta y = \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) (\delta x + i \delta y) = \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \delta z \end{aligned}$$

(taking  $i$  common)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(z + \delta z) - f(z)}{\delta z} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z + \delta z) - f(z)}{\delta z} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{f'(z) = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}}$$

Proved.

**Remember: 1.** If a function is analytic in a domain  $D$ , then  $u, v$  satisfy C - R conditions at all points in  $D$ .

**2.** C - R conditions are necessary but not sufficient for analytic function.

**3.** C - R conditions are sufficient if the partial derivatives are continuous.

**Example 3.** Show that the complex variable function  $f(z) = |z|^2$  is differentiable only at the origin.

**Solution.**  $f(z) = |z|^2$  where  $z = x + iy$  or  $f(z) = x^2 + y^2$

But  $f(z) = u + iv \quad \therefore u = x^2 + y^2, v = 0$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2y, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = 0$$

If  $f(z)$  is differentiable then

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{or} \quad 2x = 0 \text{ or } x = 0$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \quad \text{or} \quad 2y = 0 \text{ or } y = 0$$

C - R equations are satisfied only when  $x = 0, y = 0$ .

Thus the given function  $f(z)$  is differentiable only at origin.

Proved.

**Example 4.** Determine whether  $\frac{1}{z}$  is analytic or not?

**Solution.** Let  $w = f(z) = u + iv = \frac{1}{z}$

$$\Rightarrow u + iv = \frac{1}{x + iy} = \frac{x - iy}{x^2 + y^2}$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}, \quad v = \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 1 - x \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{-2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\text{Thus,} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \text{ and } \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Thus C - R equations are satisfied. Also partial derivatives are continuous except at  $(0, 0)$ . Therefore  $\frac{1}{z}$  is analytic everywhere except at  $z = 0$ .

$$\text{Also} \quad \frac{dw}{dz} = -\frac{1}{z^2}$$

This again shows that  $\frac{dw}{dz}$  exists everywhere except at  $z = 0$ . Hence  $\frac{1}{z}$  is analytic everywhere except at  $z = 0$ .

Ans.

**Example 5.** Show that the function  $e^x (\cos y + i \sin y)$  is an analytic function, find its derivative.

**Solution.** Let  $e^x (\cos y + i \sin y) = u + iv$

$$\text{So, } e^x \cos y = u \quad \text{and} \quad e^x \sin y = v \quad \text{then} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^x \cos y, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = e^x \cos y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -e^x \sin y, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = e^x \sin y$$

$$\text{Here we see that} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

These are C - R equations and are satisfied and the partial derivatives are continuous. Hence,  $e^x (\cos y + i \sin y)$  is analytic.

$$f(z) = u + iv = e^x (\cos y + i \sin y) \text{ and } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^x \cos y, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = e^x \sin y$$

$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = e^x \cos y + i e^x \sin y = e^x (\cos y + i \sin y) = e^x \cdot e^{iy} = e^{x+iy} = e^z.$$

Which is the required derivative.

Ans.

**Example 6.** Using the Cauchy-Riemann equations, show that  $f(z) = z^3$  is analytic in the entire  $z$ -plane.

$$\text{Solution. } f(z) = z^3 = (x + iy)^3 = x^3 + 3x^2(iy) + 3x(iy)^2 + (iy)^3$$

$$= x^3 - 3xy^2 + i(3x^2y - y^3)$$

Also  $f(z) = u + iv, u = x^3 - 3xy^2, v = 3x^2y - y^3$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 3y^2 \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = 6xy \dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -6xy$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 3x^2 - 3y^2 \dots (2)$$

From (1) and (4),  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$

From (2) and (3),  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

Thus C - R equations are satisfied and partial derivatives are continuous.

Hence,  $f(z)$  is an analytic function.

**Example 7.** Test the analyticity of the function  $w = \sin z$  and hence derive that: Proved.

$$\frac{d}{dz}(\sin z) = \cos z$$

**Solution.**  $w = \sin z = \sin(x + iy)$   
 $= \sin x \cos iy + \cos x \sin iy$   
 $= \sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y$

$u = \sin x \cosh y, v = \cos x \sinh y$   
 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \cos x \cosh y, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \sin x \sinh y$   $\begin{cases} \cos iy = \cosh y \\ \sin iy = i \sinh y \end{cases}$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\sin x \sinh y, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \cos x \cosh y$$

Thus  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

So C - R equations are satisfied and partial derivatives are continuous.

Hence,  $\sin z$  is an analytic function.

$$\frac{d}{dz}(\sin z) = \frac{d}{dz}[\sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y]$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y)$$

$$= \cos x \cosh y - i \sin x \sinh y = \cos x \cos iy - \sin x \sin iy$$

$$= \cos(x + iy) = \cos z$$

**Example 8.** Show that the real and imaginary parts of the function  $w = \log z$  satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations when  $z$  is not zero. Find its derivative. Ans.

**Solution.** To separate the real and imaginary parts of  $\log z$ , we put  $x = r \cos \theta; y = r \sin \theta$

$$\Rightarrow u + iv = \log_e(r \cos \theta + ir \sin \theta) = \log_e r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = \log_e r \cdot e^{i\theta}$$

$$= \log_e r + \log_e e^{i\theta} = \log_e r + i\theta = \log_e \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + i \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$$

$\begin{cases} r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \\ \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} \end{cases}$

So

On differentiating  $u, v$ , we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} \cdot (2x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2),  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$

Again differentiating  $u, v$ , we have

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} (2y) = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} \left( -\frac{y}{x^2} \right) = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \dots (4)$$

From (3) and (4), we have

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \dots (B)$$

Equations (A) and (B) are C - R equations and partial derivatives are continuous. Hence,  $w = \log z$  is an analytic function except

when  $x^2 + y^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = y = 0 \Rightarrow x + iy = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$

Now  $w = u + iv$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} - i \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{x - iy}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$= \frac{x - iy}{(x + iy)(x - iy)} = \frac{1}{x + iy} = \frac{1}{z}$$

Which is the required derivative.

**Example 9.** Find the point where the Cauchy-Riemann equations are satisfied for the function: Ans.

**Solution.** We have,  $f(z) = xy^2 + ix^2y$ . Where does  $f'(z)$  exist? Where  $f(z)$  is analytic?

$$\begin{aligned} u &= xy^2, & v &= x^2y \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} &= y^2, & \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} &= 2xy \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= 2xy, & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} &= x^2 \end{aligned}$$

If  $f(z)$  is an analytic function, then it will satisfy C - R equations.

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \text{ i.e. } y^2 = x^2 \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \text{ i.e. } 2xy = -2xy \text{ or } 4xy = 0 \quad \dots (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2), we get  $x = y = 0$   
 At origin  $C-R$  equations are satisfied,  $f'(z)$  exists at origin only and no where else. Hence  $f(z)$  is analytic at origin only.

**Example 10.** Find the values of  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  such that the function  $f(z) = x^2 + C_1 y^2 - 2xy + i(C_2 x^2 - y^2 + 2xy)$  is analytic. Also find  $f'(z)$ .  
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**Solution.** Let  $f(z) = u + iv = x^2 + C_1 y^2 - 2xy + i(C_2 x^2 - y^2 + 2xy)$   
 Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = x^2 + C_1 y^2 - 2xy \text{ and } v = C_2 x^2 - y^2 + 2xy$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x - 2y \text{ and } \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = 2C_2 x + 2y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2C_1 y - 2x \text{ and } \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -2y + 2x$$

$C-R$  equations are

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 2x - 2y &= -2y + 2x \quad \dots (1) \\ 2C_1 y - 2x &= -2C_2 x - 2y \quad \dots (2) \end{aligned}$$

From (2) equating the coefficient of  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$2C_1 = -2 \Rightarrow C_1 = -1$$

$$-2 = -2C_2 \Rightarrow C_2 = 1$$

Hence,

$$C_1 = -1 \text{ and } C_2 = 1$$

On putting the value of  $C_2$ , we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x - 2y, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = 2x + 2y$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = (2x - 2y) + i(2x + 2y) = 2[(x + iy) + (-y + iy)] \\ &= 2[(1 + i)x + i(1 + i)y] \\ &= 2(1 + i)(x + iy) = 2(1 + i)z \end{aligned}$$

This is the required derivative.

**Example 11.** Show that the function  $z|z|$  is not analytic anywhere.

**Solution.** Let

$$w = z|z|$$

$$w = u + iv \text{ and } z = x + iy \quad |z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$w = z|z| \Rightarrow u + iv = (x + iy)\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$u = x\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \text{ and } v = y\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + \frac{x \cdot 2x}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + \frac{y \cdot 2y}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{x^2 + y^2 + x^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{2x^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad \dots (1) \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{x^2 + y^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{x^2 + 2y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad \dots (2)$$

Also

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{x \cdot 2y}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

and

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{y \cdot 2x}{2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad \dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad \dots (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \neq \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

[From (1) and (2)]

Case I. When  $x \neq y$ ,  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \neq -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

Both  $C-R$  equations are not satisfied  
 Thus,  $z|z|$  is not analytic when  $x \neq y$ .

[From (3) and (4)]

Case II. When  $x = y$

$$\text{From (1), } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{2y^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{y^2 + y^2}} = \frac{3y^2}{\sqrt{2y^2}} = \frac{3y}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \left| \quad \text{From (2), } \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{y^2 + 2y^2}{\sqrt{y^2 + y^2}} = \frac{3y^2}{\sqrt{2y^2}} = \frac{3y}{\sqrt{2}} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\text{From (3), } \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{y^2}{\sqrt{y^2 + y^2}} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \left| \quad \text{From (4), } \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{y^2}{\sqrt{y^2 + y^2}} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{2}} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \neq -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Here first  $C-R$  equation is satisfied but not second.

Thus  $z|z|$  is not analytic when  $x = y$ .

From (5) and (6) we conclude that  $z|z|$  is not analytic anywhere.

... (6)  
**Proved.**

**Example 12.** Discuss the analyticity of the function  $f(z) = z\bar{z}$ .

**Solution.**  $f(z) = z\bar{z} = (x + iy)(x - iy) = x^2 - i^2 y^2 = x^2 + y^2$

$$f(z) = x^2 + y^2 = u + iv$$

$$u = x^2 + y^2, \quad v = 0$$

At origin,

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0+h, 0) - u(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2}{h} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0, 0+k) - u(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{k^2}{k} = 0$$

Also,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0+h, 0) - v(0, 0)}{h} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0, 0+k) - v(0, 0)}{k} = 0$$

Thus,

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \text{ and } \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Hence,  $C-R$  equations are satisfied at the origin.

$$f'(0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x^2 + y^2) - 0}{x + iy}$$

Let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along the line  $y = mx$ , then

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x^2 + m^2 x^2)}{(x + imx)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1 + m^2)x}{1 + im} = 0$$

Therefore,  $f'(0)$  is unique. Hence the function  $f(z)$  is analytic at  $z = 0$

**Example 14** Show that the function  $f(z) = u + iv$ , where

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3(1+i) - y^3(1-i)}{x^2 + y^2}, & z \neq 0 \\ 0, & z = 0 \end{cases}$$

satisfied the Cauchy-Riemann equations at  $z = 0$ . Is the function analytic at  $z = 0$ ? Justify your answer. (MDU Dec 2009)

**Solution.**

$$f(z) = \frac{x^3(1+i) - y^3(1-i)}{x^2 + y^2} = u + iv$$

$$u = \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^2 + y^2}, \quad v = \frac{x^3 + y^3}{x^2 + y^2}$$

[By differentiation the value of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$ ,  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$ ,  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$ ,  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$  at  $(0, 0)$  we get  $\frac{0}{0}$ , so we apply first principle method]

At the origin

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0+h, 0) - u(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^3}{h^2} = 1 \quad (\text{Along } x\text{-axis})$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0, 0+k) - u(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{-k^3}{k^2} = -1 \quad (\text{Along } y\text{-axis})$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0+h, 0) - v(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^3}{h^2} = 1 \quad (\text{Along } x\text{-axis})$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0, 0+k) - v(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{k^3}{k^2} = 1 \quad (\text{Along } y\text{-axis})$$

Thus we see that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Hence, Cauchy-Riemann equations are satisfied at  $z = 0$ .

Again

$$f'(0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{x^3 - y^3 + i(x^3 + y^3)}{x^2 + y^2} - (0) \right] \frac{1}{x + iy}$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{x^3 - y^3 + i(x^3 + y^3)}{x^2 + y^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x + iy} \right] \quad [\text{Increment} = z]$$

Now let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along  $y = x$ , then

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 - x^3 + i(x^3 + x^3)}{x^2 + x^2} \left( \frac{1}{x + ix} \right) = \frac{2i}{2(1+i)} = \frac{i}{1+i} = \frac{i(1-i)}{(1+i)(1-i)} = \frac{i+1}{1+1} = \frac{1+i}{2} \quad \dots (1)$$

Again let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along  $y = 0$ , then

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 + ix^3}{x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} = (1+i) \quad \dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2), we see that  $f'(0)$  is not unique. Hence the function  $f(z)$  is not analytic at  $z = 0$ .

**Example 15** Show that the function defined by  $f(z) = \sqrt{|xy|}$  Satisfied Cauchy-Riemann equation at the origin but is not analytic at that point.

**Solution.** Let  $f(z) = u + iv = \sqrt{|xy|}$   
Equating real and imaginary parts, we get  $u = \sqrt{|xy|}$ ,  $v = 0$   
At origin

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0+h, 0) - u(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0-0}{h} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0, 0+k) - u(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0-0}{k} = 0$$

Also

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0+h, 0) - v(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0-0}{h} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0, 0+k) - v(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0-0}{k} = 0$$

From the above results, it is clear that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Hence, C-R equations are satisfied at the origin

$$f'(0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{|xy|} - 0}{x + iy}$$

Let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along the line  $y = mx$ , then

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{|mx^2|} - 0}{x(1+im)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{|m|}}{1+im}$$

Thus, the limit on R.H.S. depends upon  $m$  and hence will have different values for different values of  $m$ .

Therefore,  $f'(0)$  is not unique.

Hence the function  $f(z)$  is not analytic at  $z = 0$ .

**Proved.**

**Example 15** Show that the function

$$f(z) = e^{-z^4}, \quad (z \neq 0) \quad \text{and} \\ f(0) = 0$$

is not analytic at  $z = 0$ , although, Cauchy-Riemann equations are satisfied at the point. How would you explain this.

Solution.

$$f(z) = u + iv = e^{-z^{-4}} = e^{-(x+iy)^{-4}} = e^{-\frac{1}{(x+iy)^4}}$$

$$u + iv = e^{-\frac{(x-iy)^4}{(x^2+y^2)^4}} = e^{-\frac{1}{(x^2+y^2)^4} [(x^4+y^4-6x^2y^2) - i4xy(x^2-y^2)]}$$

$$u + iv = e^{-\frac{x^4+y^4-6x^2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^4}} \cdot e^{-\frac{-i4xy(x^2-y^2)}{(x^2+y^2)^4}}$$

$$u + iv = e^{-\frac{x^4+y^4-6x^2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^4}} \left[ \cos \frac{4xy(x^2-y^2)}{(x^2+y^2)^4} - i \sin \frac{4xy(x^2-y^2)}{(x^2+y^2)^4} \right]$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = e^{-\frac{x^4+y^4-6x^2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^4}} \cos \frac{4xy(x^2-y^2)}{(x^2+y^2)^4}, \quad v = e^{-\frac{x^4+y^4-6x^2y^2}{(x^2+y^2)^4}} \sin \frac{4xy(x^2-y^2)}{(x^2+y^2)^4}$$

At  $z = 0$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0+h, 0) - u(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-h^{-4}} - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{he^{h^4}}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{1}{h \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{h^4} + \frac{1}{2!h^8} + \frac{1}{3!h^{12}} + \dots \right]} \right], \quad \left( e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \dots \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{1}{h + \frac{1}{h^3} + \frac{1}{2h^7} + \frac{1}{6h^{11}} + \dots} \right] = \frac{1}{0 + \infty} = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0, 0+k) - u(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-k^{-4}} - 1}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{k e^{k^4}} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0+h, 0) - v(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-h^{-4}} - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h \cdot e^{h^4}} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0, 0+k) - v(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-k^{-4}} - 1}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{k \cdot e^{k^4}} = 0$$

Hence

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \quad (C-R \text{ equations are satisfied at } z = 0)$$

But

$$f'(0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-z^{-4}} - 1}{z}$$

Along  $z = re^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$

$$f'(0) = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-r^{-4}} \cdot e^{-\left(\frac{i\pi}{4}\right)^{-4}}}{re^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-r^{-4}} \cdot e^{-\left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^{-4}}}{re^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}}$$

$$= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-r^{-4}} e^{-\cos \pi}}{re^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-r^{-4}} \cdot e}{re^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}} = \infty$$

Showing that  $f'(z)$  does not exist at  $z = 0$ . Hence  $f(z)$  is not analytic at  $z = 0$ . **Proved.**

**Example 16.**

Show that the function  $f(z)$  defined by [AKTU 2014-15]

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 y^5 (x + iy)}{x^6 + y^{10}}, & z \neq 0 \\ 0, & z = 0 \end{cases}$$

is not analytic at the origin even though it satisfies Cauchy Riemann equations at the origin. (UP. III Semester 2011)

Solution:

$$\text{Here } f(z) = u + iv = \frac{x^3 y^5 (x + iy)}{x^6 + y^{10}}, \quad z \neq 0$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = \frac{x^4 y^5}{x^6 + y^{10}}, \quad v = \frac{x^3 y^6}{x^6 + y^{10}}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0+h, 0) - u(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h^7} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0, 0+k) - u(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{k^{11}} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0+h, 0) - v(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h^7} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0, 0+k) - v(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{k^{11}} = 0$$

From the above results, it is clear that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

Hence, C-R equations are satisfied at the origin.

$$\text{But } f'(0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 0 \\ y \rightarrow 0}} \left[ \frac{x^3 y^5 (x + iy)}{x^6 + y^{10}} - 0 \right] \frac{1}{x + iy}$$

$$= \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow 0 \\ y \rightarrow 0}} \frac{x^3 y^5}{x^6 + y^{10}}$$

Let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along the radius vector  $y = mx$ , then

$$f'(y) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{m^5 x^8}{x^6 + m^{10} x^{10}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{m^5 x^2}{1 + m^{10} x^4} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$$

Again  $z \rightarrow 0$  along the curve  $y^5 = x^3$

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^6}{x^6 + x^6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

(1) and (2) show that  $f'(0)$  does not exist. Hence,  $f(z)$  is not analytic at origin although Cauchy Riemann equations are satisfied.

**Example 17.** Examine the nature of the function

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 y (y - ix)}{x^6 + y^2}, & z \neq 0 \\ 0, & z = 0 \end{cases}$$

Prove that  $\frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} \rightarrow 0$  as  $z \rightarrow 0$  along any radius vector but not as  $z \rightarrow 0$  in any manner and also that  $f(z)$  is not analytic at  $z = 0$ .

**Solution.** Here,

$$f(z) = u + iv = \frac{x^3 y (y - ix)}{x^6 + y^2}, z \neq 0$$

$$u = \frac{x^3 y^2}{x^6 + y^2}, v = -\frac{x^4 y}{x^6 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0+h, 0) - u(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{0}{h^6} - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h^7} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(0, 0+k) - u(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{0}{k^3} - 0}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{k^3} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0+h, 0) - v(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{0}{h^7} - 0}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h^7} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(0, 0+k) - v(0, 0)}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{0}{k^3} - 0}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{k^3} = 0$$

From the above results, it is clear that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Hence, C-R equations are satisfied at the origin

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} &= \left[ \frac{x^3 y (y - ix)}{x^6 + y^2} - 0 \right] \cdot \frac{1}{x + iy} \\ &= \frac{-ix^3 y (x + iy)}{(x^6 + y^2)(x + iy)} = -i \frac{x^3 y}{x^6 + y^2} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along radius vector  $y = mx$  then,

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-ix^3 (mx)}{x^6 + m^2 x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-imx^2}{x^4 + m^2} = 0$$

Hence,  $\frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} \rightarrow 0$  as  $z \rightarrow 0$  along any radius vector.

Now let  $z \rightarrow 0$  along a curve  $y = x^3$  then,

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-ix^3 x^3}{x^6 + x^6} = \frac{-i}{2}$$

Hence,  $\frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z}$  does not tend to zero as  $z \rightarrow 0$  along the curve  $y = x^3$ .

We observe that  $f'(0)$  does not exist hence  $f(z)$  is not analytic at  $z = 0$ .

Ans.

### 17.10 C-R EQUATIONS IN POLAR FORM

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}$$

(RGPV, K.U. 2009, Bhopal, III Sem. Dec. 2007)

**Proof.** We know that  $x = r \cos \theta$ , and  $u$  is a function of  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$z = x + iy = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = re^{i\theta}$$

$$u + iv = f(z) = f(re^{i\theta})$$

Differentiating (1) partially w.r.t., "r", we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = f'(re^{i\theta}) \cdot e^{i\theta}$$

Differentiating (1) w.r.t. "θ", we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = f'(re^{i\theta}) r e^{i\theta} i$$

Substituting the value of  $f'(re^{i\theta}) e^{i\theta}$  from (2) in (3), we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = r \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) i \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = ir \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} - r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = \frac{-1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta}$$

And

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$$

Proved.

**Example 18.** Find  $p$  such that the function  $f(z)$  expressed in polar coordinates as  $f(z) = r^2 \cos 2\theta + ir^2 \sin p\theta$  is analytic.

**Solution.** We know that

$$f(z) = u + iv$$

Here,  $u = r^2 \cos 2\theta$  and  $v = r^2 \sin p\theta$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = 2r \cos 2\theta \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = pr^2 \cos p\theta \quad \dots(2)$$

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$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$$

On putting the values of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial r}$  and  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$  from (1) and (2) in (3), we get

$$2r \cos 2\theta = pr \cos p\theta$$

$$2 \cos 2\theta = p \cos p\theta$$

$$p = 2$$

### DERIVATIVE OF $w$ IN POLAR FORM

We know that  $w = u + iv$ ,  $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But } \frac{dw}{dz} &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \cos \theta - \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \right) \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \cos \theta - \left( -r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} + i \cdot r \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \right) \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \cos \theta - i \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) \sin \theta \\ &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \cos \theta - i \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (u + iv) \sin \theta = \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \cos \theta - i \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \sin \theta \\ &= (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \end{aligned}$$

Second form of  $\frac{\partial w}{dz}$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dw}{dz} &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial(u+iv)}{\partial r} \cos \theta - \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) \cos \theta - \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} - i \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \right) \cos \theta - \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= -\frac{i}{r} \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \right) \cos \theta - \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \left( \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \\ &= -\frac{i}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (u + iv) \cos \theta - \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \left( \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \\ &= -\frac{i}{r} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \cos \theta - \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \\ &= -\frac{i}{r} (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$$

$$\left[ -\frac{i}{r} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \right]$$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = -\frac{i}{r} (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial \theta}$$

These are the two forms for  $\frac{dw}{dz}$ .

**Example 9.** If  $n$  is real, show that  $r^n (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta)$  is analytic except possibly when  $r = 0$  and that its derivative is  $nr^{n-1} [\cos(n-1)\theta + i \sin(n-1)\theta]$ .

**Solution.** Let

Here,

then,

Here,

and

$\Rightarrow$

$$w = f(z) = u + iv = r^n (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta)$$

$$u = r^n \cos n\theta, \quad v = r^n \sin n\theta$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = nr^{n-1} \cos n\theta, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = nr^{n-1} \sin n\theta$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -nr^n \sin n\theta, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} = nr^n \cos n\theta$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = nr^{n-1} \cos n\theta = \frac{1}{r} (nr^n \cos n\theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = nr^{n-1} \sin n\theta$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{r} (-nr^n \sin n\theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta}$$

Equations (1) and (2) satisfied C-R equations.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } \frac{dw}{dz} &= (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} = (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) \\ &= (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) (nr^{n-1} \cos n\theta + i nr^{n-1} \sin n\theta) \\ &= (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) nr^{n-1} (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta) \\ &= nr^{n-1} \{ (\cos n\theta \cos \theta + \sin n\theta \sin \theta) + i (\sin n\theta \cos \theta - \cos n\theta \sin \theta) \} \\ &= nr^{n-1} \{ \cos(n-1)\theta + i \sin(n-1)\theta \} \end{aligned}$$

This exists for all finite values of  $r$  including zero, except when  $r = 0$  and  $n \leq 1$ .  
(except at  $z = 0$ )

Proved.

### EXERCISE 11.1

Determine which of the following functions are analytic:

1.  $x^2 + iy^2$

Ans. Analytic at all points  $y = x$

2.  $2xy + i(x^2 - y^2)$

Ans. Not analytic

3.  $\frac{x-iy}{x^2+y^2}$

Ans. Not analytic

4.  $\frac{1}{(z-1)(z+1)}$

Ans. Analytic at all points, except at  $z = \pm 1$

5.  $\frac{x-iy}{x-iy+a}$

Ans. Not analytic

6.  $\sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y$

Ans. Yes, analytic

7.  $xy + iy^2$

Ans. Yes, analytic at origin

8. Discuss the analyticity of the function  $f(z) = z\bar{z} + \bar{z}^2$  in the complex plane, where  $\bar{z}$  is the complex conjugate of  $z$ . Also find the points where it is differentiable but not analytic.Ans. Differentiable only at  $z = 0$ , No where analytic.9. Show the function of  $\bar{z}$  is not analytic any where.10. For what values of  $z$  do the function  $w$  defined by the following equation, ceases to be analytic?  $w = \sin u \cosh v + i \cos u \sinh v$ .11. Show that the function  $w = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} - \frac{iy}{x^2 + y^2}$  is an analytic function find  $\frac{dw}{dz}$ . Ans.  $\frac{1}{z^2}$ 

12. Examine the nature of the function

$$f(z) = \frac{x^2 y^5 (x + iy)}{x^4 + y^{10}}; z \neq 0, f(0) = 0 \text{ in the region including the origin. Ans. Not analytic}$$

Choose the correct answer :

13. In order that the function  $f(z) = \frac{|z|^2}{z}$ ,  $z \neq 0$  be continuous at  $z = 0$ , we should define  $f(0)$  equal to

- (a) 2 (b) -1 (c) 0 (d) 1

Ans. (c)

14. If  $f(z)$  is analytic and equal to  $u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$  then  $f'(z)$  equals.

- (a)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$
- (b)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$
- (c)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} - i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$
- (d) none of these

Ans. (a)

15. The only function among the following, that is analytic, is :

- (a) If
- $f(z) = \operatorname{Re}(z)$
- (b)
- $f(z) = \operatorname{Im}(z)$
- (c)
- $f(z) = \bar{z}$
- (d)
- $f(z) = \sin z$

Ans. (d)

16. The Cauchy-Riemann equations for  $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$  to be analytic are :

- (a)
- $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0, \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = 0$
- (b)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$
- 
- (c)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$
- (d)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

Ans. (c)

(R.G.P.V., Bhopal, III Semester, Dec. 2006)

17. Polar form of C-R equations are :

- (a)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = r \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$
- (b)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$
- 
- (c)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}$
- (d)
- $\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = r \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}$

Ans. (c)

(R.G.P.V., Bhopal, III Semester, June, 2007)

18. Analytic function is

- (a) single valued function (b) bounded function
- 
- (c) differentiable function (d) All the above

Ans. (d)

19. If  $w = f(re^{i\theta})$ , then  $\frac{dw}{dz}$  is

- (a)
- $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$
- (b)
- $(\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$
- 
- (c)
- $(\sin \theta + i \cos \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$
- (d)
- $(\sin \theta - i \cos \theta) \frac{\partial w}{\partial r}$

Ans. (b)

20. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are two complex numbers then  $|z_1 + z_2|$  is

- (a)
- $|z_1| + |z_2|$
- (b)
- $\leq |z_1| + |z_2|$
- 
- (c)
- $\leq |z_1| - |z_2|$
- (d)
- $\geq |z_1| + |z_2|$

Ans. (b)

21. If  $w = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$  is an analytic function of  $z = x + iy$ , then  $\frac{dw}{dz}$  equals

- (a)
- $i \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}$
- (b)
- $-i \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}$
- 
- (c)
- $i \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$
- (d)
- $-i \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$

Ans. (d)

22. The curve  $u(x, y) = C$  and  $v(x, y) = C_1$  are orthogonal if

- (a)
- $u$
- and
- $v$
- are complex functions (b)
- $u + iv$
- is an analytic function.
- 
- (c)
- $u - v$
- is an analytic function. (d)
- $u + v$
- is an analytic function

Ans. (b)

(U.P. II Semester, June 2009)

**11.12 ORTHOGONAL CURVES**

Two curves are said to be orthogonal to each other, when they intersect at right angle at each of their points of intersection.

The analytic function  $f(z) = u + iv$  consists of two families of curves  $u(x, y) = c_1$  and  $v(x, y) = c_2$  which form an orthogonal system.

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, y) &= c_1 \quad \dots(1) \\ v(x, y) &= c_2 \quad \dots(2) \end{aligned}$$

Differentiating (1),  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dy = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}} = m_1 \text{ (say)}$$

$$\text{Similarly from (2), } \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}} = m_2 \text{ (say)}$$

The product of two slopes

$$m_1 m_2 = \left( -\frac{\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}} \right) \left( -\frac{\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}} \right) = \left( -\frac{\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}} \right) \left( -\frac{\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}} \right) \quad (C-R \text{ equations})$$
$$= -1$$

Since  $m_1 m_2 = -1$ , two curves  $u = c_1$  and  $v = c_2$  are orthogonal, and  $c_1, c_2$  are parameters,  $u = c_1$  and  $v = c_2$  form an orthogonal system.**11.13 HARMONIC FUNCTION**

(U.P., II Semester 2009-2010)

Any function which satisfies the Laplace's equation is known as a harmonic function.

**Theorem.** If  $f(z) = u + iv$  is an analytic function, then  $u$  and  $v$  are both harmonic functions.**Proof.** Let  $f(z) = u + iv$ , be an analytic function, then we have

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \quad \dots(2)$$

C-R equations.

Differentiating (1) with respect to  $x$ , we get  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x \partial y}$  ... (3)

Differentiating (2) w.r.t. 'y' we have  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y \partial x}$  ... (4)

Adding (3) and (4) we have  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y \partial x}$  ... (4)

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 \quad \left( \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y \partial x} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Similarly

Therefore both  $u$  and  $v$  are harmonic functions.Such functions  $u, v$  are called **Conjugate harmonic functions** if  $u + iv$  is also analytic function.

**Example 20.** Define a harmonic function and conjugate harmonic function. Find the harmonic conjugate function of the function  $U(x, y) = 2x(1-y)$ .  
(U.P., III Semester Dec. 2009)

**Solution.** See Art 11.13, on page 345. Here, we have  $U(x, y) = 2x(1-y)$ .

Let  $V$  be the harmonic conjugate of  $U$ .

By total differentiation

$$dV = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} dy$$

$$= -\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} dy$$

$$= -(-2x) dx + (2-2y) dy$$

$$= 2x dx + (2 dy - 2y dy)$$

$$V = x^2 + 2y - y^2 + C$$

(Total Differentiation)

$$U = 2x - 2xy$$

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = 2 - 2y$$

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = -2x$$

Ans.

**Example 21.** Show that the function  $u = \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2 + y^2)$  is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate.

**Solution.**  $u = \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2 + y^2)$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} \cdot (2x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \quad \text{Similarly} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 1 - x(2x)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 1 - y(2y)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Hence  $u$  is a harmonic function.Let  $v$  be the harmonic conjugate of  $u$ .

$$dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

(By C-R equations)

$$dv = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} dx + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} dy$$

$$dv = \frac{xdy - ydx}{x^2 + y^2} = d\left(\tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}\right)$$

Integrating, we get  $v = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} + C$ , where  $C$  is a real constant.

This is the required harmonic conjugate.

**Example 22.** Prove that  $u = x^2 - y^2$  and  $v = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$  are harmonic functions of  $(x, y)$ , but are not harmonic conjugates. Ans.

**Solution.** We have,

$$u = x^2 - y^2$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x, \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y, \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 2 - 2 = 0$$

 $u(x, y)$  satisfies Laplace equation, hence  $u(x, y)$  is harmonic

$$v = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2)^2 (-2y) - (-2xy) 2(x^2 + y^2) 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^4} \quad \dots (1)$$

$$= \frac{(x^2 + y^2)(-2y) - (-2xy) 4x}{(x^2 + y^2)^3} = \frac{6x^2 y - 2y^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^3}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 1 - y(2y)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2)^2 (-2y) - (x^2 - y^2) 2(x^2 + y^2) (2y)}{(x^2 + y^2)^4} = \frac{(x^2 + y^2)(-2y) - (x^2 - y^2)(4y)}{(x^2 + y^2)^3}$$

$$= \frac{-2x^2 y - 2y^3 - 4x^2 y + 4y^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^3} = \frac{-6x^2 y + 2y^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^3} \quad \dots (2)$$

On adding (1) and (2), we get  $\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = 0$  $v(x, y)$  also satisfies Laplace equations, hence  $v(x, y)$  is also harmonic function.

But  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \neq \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \neq -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

Therefore  $u$  and  $v$  are not harmonic conjugates.

**Example 23.** Show that the function  $x^2 - y^2 + 2y$  which is harmonic remains harmonic under the transformation  $z = w^3$ . Proved.

**Solution.**

$$u = x^2 - y^2 + 2y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x \qquad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y + 2 \qquad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2$$

$\Rightarrow$

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 2 - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Hence function is harmonic.

**Transformation:**  $z = w^3, z = re^{i\theta}$  and  $w = Re^{i\phi}$

$$\Rightarrow re^{i\theta} = (Re^{i\phi})^3 \Rightarrow re^{i\theta} = R^3 e^{3i\phi}$$

By comparing both side  $r = R^3, \theta = 3\phi$

Given function,  $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2 + 2y$  where  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$

$$f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) = (r \cos \theta)^2 - (r \sin \theta)^2 + 2 \times r \sin \theta$$

$$= r^2 \cos^2 \theta - r^2 \sin^2 \theta + 2r \sin \theta$$

$$= r^2 (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) + 2r \sin \theta = r^2 \cos 2\theta + 2r \sin \theta$$

$$f(R^3 \cos 3\phi, R^3 \sin 3\phi) = R^6 \cos 6\phi + 2R^3 \sin 3\phi$$

This is a function in cosine and sine. Hence it will be harmonic function.

**Example 24.** If  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are functions of  $x$  and  $y$  satisfying Laplace's equation, show that  $s + it$  is analytic, where Proved.

$$s = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \quad \text{and} \quad t = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y}$$

**Solution.** Since  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are functions of  $x$  and  $y$  satisfying Laplace's equations,

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} = 0 \qquad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y^2} = 0. \qquad \dots(2)$$

For the function  $s + it$  to be analytic,

$$\frac{\partial s}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial t}{\partial y} \qquad \dots(3)$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{\partial s}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial t}{\partial x} \qquad \dots(4)$$

must be satisfied.

$$\text{Now,} \quad \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} \qquad \dots(5)$$

$$\frac{\partial t}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y \partial x} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y^2} \qquad \dots(6)$$

$$\frac{\partial s}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y \partial x} \qquad \dots(7)$$

$$\frac{\partial t}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x \partial y} \qquad \dots(8)$$

and

From (3), (5) and (6), we have

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y \partial x} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y^2} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

which is true by (2).

Again from (4), (7) and (8), we have

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y \partial x} = -\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x \partial y} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

which is also true by (1).

Hence the function  $s + it$  is analytic.

**Example 25.** If  $u(x, y)$  and  $v(x, y)$  are harmonic functions in a region  $R$ , prove that the function Proved.

$$\left[ \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) + i \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) \right]$$

is an analytic function of  $z = x + iy$ .

**Solution.** Since  $u(x, y)$  and  $v(x, y)$  are harmonic functions in a region  $R$ , therefore

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 \qquad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = 0 \qquad \dots(2)$$

$$\text{Let} \quad F(z) = R + iS = \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) + i \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right)$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$R = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \quad S = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial R}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} \qquad \dots(3)$$

$$\frac{\partial R}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x \partial y} \qquad \dots(4)$$

$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x \partial y} \qquad \dots(5)$$

$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} \qquad \dots(6)$$

Putting the value of  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$  from (1) in (5), we get

The magnitude of the resultant velocity

$$= \left| \frac{df}{dz} \right| = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2}$$

$\phi(x, y) = C_1$  and  $\psi(x, y) = C_2$  are called equipotential lines and lines of force respectively. In heat flow problem the curves  $\phi(x, y) = C_1$  and  $\psi(x, y) = C_2$  are known as isotherms and heat flow lines respectively.

### METHOD TO FIND THE CONJUGATE FUNCTION

**Case I.** Given. If  $f(z) = u + iv$ , and  $u$  is known.

To find.  $v$ , conjugate function.

**Method.** We know that  $dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy$

(Total Differentiation) ... (1)

Replacing  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$  by  $-\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$  by  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  in (1), we get

[C-R equations]

$$dv = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

$$v = -\int \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \int \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

$$v = \int M dx + \int N dy$$

$\Rightarrow$

where

$$M = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \text{ and } N = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \quad \dots (2)$$

so that

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = -\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \text{ and } \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

since  $u$  is a conjugate function, so  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} \quad \dots (3)$$

Equation (3) satisfies the condition of an exact differential equation.

So equation (2) can be integrated and thus  $v$  is determined.

**Case II.** Similarly, if  $v = v(x, y)$  is given

To find out  $u$ .

We know that

$$du = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dx + i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dy \quad \dots (4)$$

On substituting the values of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$  in (4), we get

$$du = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dx - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dy$$

On integrating, we get

$$u = \int \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dx - \int \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dy \quad \dots (5)$$

(since  $v$  is already known so  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$ ,  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$  on R.H.S. are also known)

Equation (5) is an exact differential equation. On solving (5),  $u$  can be determined. Consequently  $f(z) = u + iv$  can also be determined.

**Example 26.** Let  $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$  be an analytic function. If  $u = 3x - 2xy$ , then find  $v$  and express  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .

**Solution.** Here, we have  $u = 3x - 2xy$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3 - 2y, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2x$$

We know that

$$dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy \quad \text{(Total differentiation)}$$

$$= \left( -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) dx + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) dy \quad \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$= 2x dx + (3 - 2y) dy$$

$$v = \int 2x dx + \int (3 - 2y) dy = x^2 + 3y - y^2 + c$$

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) = (3x - 2xy) + i(x^2 + 3y - y^2 + c)$$

$$= (ix^2 - iy^2 - 2xy) + (3x + 3yi) + ic = i(x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy) + 3(x + iy) + ic$$

$$= i(x + iy)^2 + 3(x + iy) + ic = iz^2 + 3z + ic$$

Ans.

Which is the required expression of  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .

**Example 27.** Show that the function  $u(x, y) = 4xy - 3x + 2$  is harmonic. Construct the corresponding analytic function

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

Express  $f(z)$  in terms of complex variable  $z$ .

**Solution.**

$$u = 4xy - 3x + 2 \quad \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 4y - 3, \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 0, \quad \dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 4x, \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$

On adding (2) and (3), we get  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$

$u(x, y)$  satisfied Laplace equation, hence  $u(x, y)$  is harmonic.

Proved.

We know that  $dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy$  (Total differentiation)

$$= -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

$$= -4x dx + (4y - 3) dy$$

$$v = \int -4x dx + \int (4y - 3) dy \quad \text{(Exact differential equation)}$$

$$= -2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3y + c$$

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

$$\left[ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right]$$

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$$= 4xy - 3x + 2 + i(-2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3y) + ic = -2ix^2 + 4xy + 2iy^2 - 3x - 3iy + 2 + ic$$

$$= -2i(x^2 + 2ixy - y^2) - 3(x + iy) + 2 + ic = -2i(x + iy)^2 - 3(x + iy) + 2 + ic$$

$$= -2iz^2 - 3z + 2 + ic$$

Which is the required expression of  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .

**Example 28.**

Prove that  $u = x^2 - y^2 - 2xy - 2x + 3y$  is harmonic. Find a function  $v$  such that  $f(z) = u + iv$  is analytic. Also express  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .  
(R.G.P.V., Bhopal, III Semester, June 2005)

**Solution.** We have,

$$u = x^2 - y^2 - 2xy - 2x + 3y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x - 2y - 2 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y - 2x + 3 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 2 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Since Laplace equation is satisfied, therefore  $u$  is harmonic.

We know that  $dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy$

$$\Rightarrow dv = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy \quad \dots(1) \quad \left[ \because \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \text{ and } \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right]$$

Putting the values of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$  and  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  in (1), we get

$$dv = -(-2y - 2x + 3) dx + (2x - 2y - 2) dy$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \int (2y + 2x - 3) dx + \int (-2y - 2) dy + C$$

Hence,  $v = 2xy + x^2 - 3x - y^2 - 2y + C$

Now,  $f(z) = u + iv$

$$= (x^2 - y^2 - 2xy - 2x + 3y) + i(2xy + x^2 - 3x - y^2 - 2y) + iC$$

$$= (x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy) + (ix^2 - iy^2 - 2xy) - (2 + 3i)x - i(2 + 3i)y + iC$$

$$= (x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy) + i(x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy) - (2 + 3i)x - i(2 + 3i)y + iC$$

$$= (x + iy)^2 + i(x + iy)^2 - (2 + 3i)(x + iy) + iC$$

$$= z^2 + iz^2 - (2 + 3i)z + iC$$

$$= (1 + i)z^2 - (2 + 3i)z + iC$$

Which is the required expression of  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .

**Example 29.**

Define a harmonic function. Show that the function  $u(x, y) = x^4 - 6x^2y^2 + y^4$  is harmonic. Also find the analytic function  $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ .

**Solution.** See Art. 11.13 on page 345 for definition of harmonic function. We have,

$$u(x, y) = x^4 - 6x^2y^2 + y^4$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 4x^3 - 12xy^2$$

Ans.

Proved.

[C-R equations]

(Ignoring 2x)

Ans.

Ans.

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -12x^2y + 4y^3$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 12x^2 - 12y^2$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -12x^2 + 12y^2 \quad \dots (1)$$

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 12x^2 - 12y^2 - 12x^2 + 12y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Hence,  $u$  is a harmonic function. Let us find out  $v$ :

Proved.

We know that  $dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy$

(Total Differentiation)

$$\Rightarrow dv = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

$$\left[ \because \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \text{ and } \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow dv = (12x^2y - 4y^3) dx + (4x^3 - 12xy^2) dy$$

$$v = \int (12x^2y - 4y^3) dx + \int (4x^3 - 12xy^2) dy$$

( $y$  is constant) (Integrate only those terms which do not contain  $x$ )

$$v = 4x^3y - 4xy^3 + C$$

$$f(z) = u + iv$$

$$= x^4 - 6x^2y^2 + y^4 + i(4x^3y - 4xy^3) + iC$$

$$f(z) = x^4 + 4x^3(iy) + 6x^2(iy)^2 + 4x(iy)^3 + (iy)^4 + iC$$

$$= (x + iy)^4 + iC$$

$$= z^4 + iC \quad [\because z = x + iy]$$

This is the required analytic function

Ans.

**Example 30.**

If  $w = \phi + i\psi$  represents the complex potential for an electric field and

$$\psi = x^2 - y^2 + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2},$$

determine the function  $\phi$ .

**Solution.**

$$w = \phi + i\psi \quad \text{and} \quad \psi = x^2 - y^2 + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = 2x + \frac{(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 1 - x \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = 2x + \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} = -2y - \frac{x(2y)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = -2y - \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

We know that,  $d\phi = \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} dy = \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial y} dx - \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial x} dy$

(C - R equation)

$$= \left( -2y - \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right) dx - \left( 2x + \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right) dy$$

$$\phi = \int \left[ -2y - \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right] dx + c$$

This is an exact differential equation.

$$\phi = -2xy + \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} + C$$

Which is the required function.

**Example 31.** Construct the analytic function  $f(z)$  of which the real part is  $e^x \cos y$ .

**Solution.**  $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ ,

$$u(x, y) = e^x \cos y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^x \cos y, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -e^x \sin y$$

We know that,  $dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy$

$$= -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

$$= e^x \sin y dx + e^x \cos y dy$$

This is an exact differential equation

$$v = \int e^x \sin y \cdot dx + \int e^x \cos y dy$$

[y as constant] [Ignoring the term containing x]

$$v = e^x \sin y$$

$$f(z) = u + iv = e^x \cos y + ie^x \sin y = e^x (\cos y + i \sin y) = e^x \cdot e^{iy} = e^{x+iy} = e^z$$

Which is the required analytic function.

**Example 32.** Find an analytic function  $w = u + iv$  given that

$$v = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} + \cosh x \cos y$$

**Solution.**

$$w = u + iv$$

Given that

$$v = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} + \cosh x \cos y$$

We know that

$$du = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dy$$

(Total differentiation)

$$= \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dx - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dy$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \end{array} \right]$$

Ans.

On substituting the values of  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$ , we have

$$du = \left( \frac{-2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} - \cosh x \sin y \right) dx - \left[ \frac{(x^2 + y^2) - x \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \sinh x \cos y \right] dy$$

$$= \left( \frac{-2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} - \cosh x \sin y \right) dx - \left[ \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \sinh x \cos y \right] dy$$

This is an exact differential equation

$$\int du = \int \left( \frac{-2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} - \cosh x \sin y \right) dx - \int \left( \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \sinh x \cos y \right) dy$$

$$u = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} - \sinh x \sin y + C$$

$$w = u + iv = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} - \sinh x \sin y + i \left[ \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} + \cosh x \cos y \right] + C$$

$$= \frac{y + ix}{x^2 + y^2} - \sinh x \sin y + i \cosh x \cos y + C$$

$$= \frac{i(x - iy)}{x^2 + y^2} + i \sin ix \sin y + i \cos ix \cos y + C$$

$$= \frac{iz}{|z|^2} + i \cos(ix - y) + C = \frac{iz}{|z|^2} + i \cos i(x + iy) + C$$

$$= \frac{iz}{|z|^2} + i \cosh z + C$$

Ans.

Which is the required analytic function.

**Example 33.** An electrostatic field in the  $xy$ -plane is given by the potential function  $\phi = 3x^2y - y^3$ , find the stream function.

**Solution.** Let  $\psi(x, y)$  be a stream function (G.B.T.U, III Semester, 2012, U.P., Jan 2011)

We know that

$$d\psi = \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial y} dy = \left( -\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} \right) dx + \left( \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} \right) dy \quad [\text{C-R equations}]$$

$$= \{-(3x^2 - 3y^2)\} dx + 6xy dy$$

$$= -3x^2 dx + (3y^2 dx + 6xy dy)$$

$$= -d(x^3) + 3d(xy^2)$$

$$\psi = \int -d(x^3) + 3d(xy^2) + c$$

$$\psi = -x^3 + 3xy^2 + c$$

$\psi$  is the required stream function.

Ans.

**Example 34.** In a two-dimensional fluid flow, the stream function is  $\psi = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$ , find the velocity potential  $\phi$ .

**Solution.**

$$\psi = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \quad \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

We know that,

$$\begin{aligned} d\phi &= \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} dy = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} dx - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} dy \\ &= \frac{(y^2 - x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} dx - \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} dy \\ &= \frac{(x^2 + y^2) dx - 2x^2 dx - 2xy dy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{(x^2 + y^2) dx - x(2x dx + 2y dy)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{(x^2 + y^2) d(x) - x d(x^2 + y^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = d\left(\frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

[C-R equations]

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \int d\left(\frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} + c$$

$\phi$  is the required velocity potential.

**Example 35** Find the imaginary part of the analytic function whose real part is  $x^3 - 3xy^2 + 3x^2 - 3y^2$ .  
(R.G.P.V., Bhopal, III Semester, June 2009, Dec. 2008, 2005)

**Solution.** Let  $u(x, y) = x^3 - 3xy^2 + 3x^2 - 3y^2$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 6x$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -6xy - 6y$$

We know that

$$dv = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} dy \Rightarrow dv = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dy$$

$$\Rightarrow dv = (6xy + 6y) dx + (3x^2 - 3y^2 + 6x) dy$$

This is an exact differential equation.

$$\begin{aligned} v &= \int (6xy + 6y) dx + \int -3y^2 dy + C \\ &= 3x^2 y + 6xy - y^3 + C \end{aligned}$$

Which is the required imaginary part.

**Example 36** If  $u - v = (x - y)(x^2 + 4xy + y^2)$  and  $f(z) = u + iv$  is an analytic function of  $z = x + iy$ , find  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .

**Solution.**  $u + iv = f(z) \Rightarrow iu - v = if(z)$

Adding these,  $(u - v) + i(u + v) = (1 + i)f(z)$

Let

$$U + iV = (1 + i)f(z) \text{ where } U = u - v \text{ and } V = u + v$$

$$F(z) = (1 + i)f(z)$$

$$\begin{aligned} U &= u - v = (x - y)(x^2 + 4xy + y^2) \\ &= x^3 + 3x^2y - 3xy^2 - y^3 \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = 3x^2 + 6xy - 3y^2$$

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = 3x^2 - 6xy - 3y^2$$

We know that

$$dV = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} dy = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} dy$$

[C-R equations]

On putting the values of  $\frac{\partial U}{\partial x}$  and  $\frac{\partial U}{\partial y}$ , we get

$$= (-3x^2 + 6xy + 3y^2) dx + (3x^2 + 6xy - 3y^2) dy$$

Integrating, we get

$$V = \int (-3x^2 + 6xy + 3y^2) dx + \int (-3y^2) dy$$

(y as constant)

(Ignoring terms of x)

$$= -x^3 + 3x^2y + 3xy^2 - y^3 + c$$

$$F(z) = U + iV$$

$$= (x^3 + 3x^2y - 3xy^2 - y^3) + i(-x^3 + 3x^2y + 3xy^2 - y^3) + ic$$

$$= (1 - i)x^3 + (1 + i)3x^2y - (1 - i)3xy^2 - (1 + i)y^3 + ic$$

$$= (1 - i)x^3 + i(1 - i)3x^2y - (1 - i)3xy^2 - i(1 - i)y^3 + ic$$

$$= (1 - i)[x^3 + 3ix^2y - 3xy^2 - iy^3] + ic$$

$$= (1 - i)(x + iy)^3 + ic = (1 - i)z^3 + ic$$

$$(1 + i)f(z) = (1 - i)z^3 + ic,$$

$$[F(z) = (1 + i)f(z)]$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1 - i}{1 + i} z^3 + \frac{ic}{1 + i} = \frac{i(1 + i)}{(1 + i)} z^3 + \frac{i(1 - i)}{(1 + i)(1 - i)} c = -iz^3 + \frac{1 + i}{2} c$$

Ans.

**Example 37** If  $f(z) = u + iv$ , is any analytic function of the complex variable  $z$  and  $u - v = e^x(\cos y - \sin y)$ , find  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$ .

**Solution.**  $u + iv = f(z) \Rightarrow iu - v = if(z)$

Adding, we have

$$u + iv + iu - v = f(z) + if(z)$$

$$(u - v) + i(u + v) = (1 + i)f(z) = F(z) \text{ say}$$

Put

$u - v = U$  and  $u + v = V$ , then  $F(z) = U + iV$  is an analytic function.

Now

$$U = e^x(\cos y - \sin y)$$

$\therefore$

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = e^x(\cos y - \sin y) \text{ and } \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = e^x(-\sin y - \cos y)$$

We know that

$$dV = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} dy = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} dy$$

$$= e^x(\sin y + \cos y) dx + e^x(\cos y - \sin y) dy$$

Integrating, we have

$$V = e^x(\sin y + \cos y) + c$$

$$F(z) = U + iV$$

$$= e^x(\cos y - \sin y) + ie^x(\sin y + \cos y) + ic$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = -2r \sin 2\theta + \sin \theta \quad \dots (4)$$

$$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = 2r \cos 2\theta - \cos \theta \quad \text{[From (3)]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -2r^2 \cos 2\theta + r \cos \theta \quad \dots (5)$$

By total differentiation formula

$$\begin{aligned} du &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} dr + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} d\theta = (-2r \sin 2\theta + \sin \theta) dr + (-2r^2 \cos 2\theta + r \cos \theta) d\theta \\ &= -[(2r dr) \sin 2\theta + r^2 (2 \cos 2\theta d\theta)] + [\sin \theta \cdot dr + r(\cos \theta d\theta)] \\ &= -(2r dr) \sin 2\theta - \sin \theta dr + [-r^2 2 \cos 2\theta d\theta + r \cos \theta d\theta] \\ &= -d(r^2 \sin 2\theta) + d(r \sin \theta) \quad \text{(Exact differential equation)} \end{aligned}$$

Integrating, we get

$$u = -r^2 \sin 2\theta + r \sin \theta + c$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) = u + iv &= (-r^2 \sin 2\theta + r \sin \theta + c) + i(r^2 \cos 2\theta - r \cos \theta + 2) \\ &= ir^2(\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta) - ir(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) + 2i + c \\ &= ir^2 e^{2i\theta} - ir e^{i\theta} + 2i + c = i(r^2 e^{2i\theta} - r e^{i\theta}) + 2i + c. \end{aligned}$$

This is the required analytic function.

**Example 41.** Deduce the following with the polar form of Cauchy-Riemann equations:

$$(a) \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \theta^2} = 0 \quad (b) f'(z) = \frac{r}{z} \left[ \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right]$$

**Solution.** We know that polar form of C-R equations is

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \quad \dots (2)$$

(a) Differentiating (1) partially w.r.t.  $r$ , we get

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial r \partial \theta} \quad \dots (3)$$

Differentiating (2) partially w.r.t.  $\theta$ , we have

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \theta^2} = -r \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \theta \partial r} \quad \dots (4)$$

Thus, using (1), (3) and (4) we get

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \theta^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial r \partial \theta} + \frac{1}{r} \left( \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \left( -r \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \theta \partial r} \right) = 0 \quad \left[ \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial \theta \partial r} = \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial r \partial \theta} \right]$$

Proved.

$$\begin{aligned} (b) \text{ Now, } r \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) &= r \left[ \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} \right) + i \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} \right) \right] \\ &= r \left[ \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \sin \theta \right) + i \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \sin \theta \right) \right] \\ &= r \cos \theta \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) + r \sin \theta \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) \quad \text{[By C - R equation]} \\ &= x \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) + iy \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) \\ &= x f'(z) + iy f'(z) = (x + iy) f'(z) = z f'(z). \\ f'(z) &= \frac{r}{z} \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Proved.

### 11.18 MILNE THOMSON METHOD (To construct an Analytic function)

By this method  $f(z)$  is directly constructed without finding  $v$  and the method is given below:  
Since  $z = x + iy$  and  $\bar{z} = x - iy$

$$x = \frac{z + \bar{z}}{2}, \quad y = \frac{z - \bar{z}}{2i}$$

$$f(z) \equiv u(x, y) + iv(x, y) \quad \dots (1)$$

$$f(z) \equiv u \left( \frac{z + \bar{z}}{2}, \frac{z - \bar{z}}{2i} \right) + iv \left( \frac{z + \bar{z}}{2}, \frac{z - \bar{z}}{2i} \right)$$

This relation can be regarded as a formal identity in two independent variables  $z$  and  $\bar{z}$ .  
Replacing  $\bar{z}$  by  $z$ , we get

$$f(z) = u(z, 0) + iv(z, 0)$$

Which can be obtained by replacing  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in (1)

**Case I. If  $u$  is given**

We have

$$f(z) = u + iv$$

$$\therefore f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \quad f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \quad \text{(C - R equations)}$$

If we write

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \phi_1(x, y), \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \phi_2(x, y)$$

$$f'(z) = \phi_1(x, y) - i\phi_2(x, y) \quad \text{or} \quad f'(z) = \phi_1(z, 0) - i\phi_2(z, 0)$$

On integrating  $f(z) = \int \phi_1(z, 0) dz - i \int \phi_2(z, 0) dz + c$

**Case II. If  $v$  is given**

$$f(z) = u + iv$$

$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \psi_1(x, y) + i \psi_2(x, y)$$

when

$$\psi_1(x, y) = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \psi_2(x, y) = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

$$f(z) = \int \psi_1(z, 0) dz + i \int \psi_2(z, 0) dz + c$$

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Case I. When  $u$  is given

- Step 1. Find  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  and equate it to  $\phi_1(x, y)$ .  
 Step 2. Find  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$  and equate it to  $\phi_2(x, y)$ .  
 Step 3. Replace  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in  $\phi_1(x, y)$  to get  $\phi_1(z, 0)$ .  
 Step 4. Replace  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in  $\phi_2(x, y)$  to get  $\phi_2(z, 0)$ .  
 Step 5. Find  $f(z)$  by the formula  $f(z) = \int \{\phi_1(z, 0) - i\phi_2(z, 0)\} dz + c$

Case II. When  $v$  is given

- Step 1. Find  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$  and equate it to  $\psi_1(x, y)$ .  
 Step 2. Find  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$  and equate it to  $\psi_2(x, y)$ .  
 Step 3. Replace  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in  $\psi_1(x, y)$  to get  $\psi_1(z, 0)$ .  
 Step 4. Replace  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in  $\psi_2(x, y)$  to get  $\psi_2(z, 0)$ .  
 Step 5. Find  $f(z)$  by the formula

$$f(z) = \int \{\psi_1(z, 0) + i\psi_2(z, 0)\} dz + c$$

Case III. When  $u - v$  is given.

We know that  $f(z) = u + iv$   
 $if(z) = iu - v$  ... (1)

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$(1 + i)f(z) = (u - v) + i(u + v)$$

$$\Rightarrow F(z) = U + iV$$

where  $F(z) = (1 + i)f(z)$  ... (3)  $\begin{cases} U = u - v \\ V = u + v \end{cases}$

Here,  $U = (u - v)$  is given

Find out  $F(z)$  by the method described in case I, then substitute the value of  $F(z)$  in (3), we get

$$f(z) = \frac{F(z)}{1+i}$$

Case IV. When  $u + v$  is given.

We know that  $f(z) = u + iv$  ... (1)  
 $if(z) = iu - v$  ... (2)

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$(1 + i)f(z) = (u - v) + i(u + v)$$

$$\Rightarrow F(z) = U + iV$$

where  $F(z) = (1 + i)f(z)$  ... (3)  $\begin{cases} U = u - v \\ V = u + v \end{cases}$

Here,  $V = (u + v)$  is given

Find out  $F(z)$  by the method described in case II, then substitute the value of  $f(z)$  in (3), we get

$$f(z) = \frac{F(z)}{1+i}$$

Example 42. If  $u = x^2 - y^2$ , find a corresponding analytic function.

Solution.

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x = \phi_1(x, y), \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y = \phi_2(x, y)$$

On replacing  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0, we have

$$f(z) = \int [\phi_1(z, 0) - i\phi_2(z, 0)] dz \\ = \int [2z - i(0)] dz = \int 2z dz = z^2 + C$$

This is the required analytic function. Ans.

Example 43. Show that the function  $u = e^{-2xy} \sin(x^2 - y^2)$  is harmonic. Find the conjugate function  $v$  and express  $u + iv$  as an analytic function of  $z$ .  
 (R.G.P.V. Bhopal, III Semester, June, 2012, 2007, Dec. 2006)

Solution. We have,

$$u = e^{-2xy} \sin(x^2 - y^2)$$

Differentiating (1), w.r.t.  $x$ , we get ... (1)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x e^{-2xy} \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 2y e^{-2xy} \sin(x^2 - y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^{-2xy} [2x \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 2y \sin(x^2 - y^2)] = \phi_1(x, y) \quad \dots (2)$$

$$\phi_1(z, 0) = 2z \cos z^2$$

Differentiating (1), w.r.t.  $y$ , we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y e^{-2xy} \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 2x e^{-2xy} \sin(x^2 - y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = e^{-2xy} [-2y \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 2x \sin(x^2 - y^2)] = \phi_2(x, y) \quad \dots (3)$$

$$\phi_2(z, 0) = -2z \sin z^2$$

Differentiating (2), w.r.t. 'x', we get

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -2y e^{-2xy} [2x \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 2y \sin(x^2 - y^2)]$$

$$+ e^{-2xy} [2 \cos(x^2 - y^2) + 2x(2x) \{-\sin(x^2 - y^2)\} - 2y(2x) \cos(x^2 - y^2)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = e^{-2xy} [-4xy \cos(x^2 - y^2) + 4y^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2) + 2 \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 4x^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2) - 4xy \cos(x^2 - y^2)]$$

$$= e^{-2xy} [-8xy \cos(x^2 - y^2) + 4y^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2) + 2 \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 4x^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2)] \quad \dots (4)$$

Differentiating (3), w.r.t. 'y', we get

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2x e^{-2xy} [-2y \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 2x \sin(x^2 - y^2)]$$

$$+ e^{-2xy} [-2 \cos(x^2 - y^2) + 2y(-2y) \sin(x^2 - y^2) - 2x(-2y) \cos(x^2 - y^2)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = e^{-2xy} [4xy \cos(x^2 - y^2) + 4x^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2) - 2 \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 4y^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2) + 4xy \cos(x^2 - y^2)]$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = e^{-2xy} [8xy \cos(x^2 - y^2) + 4x^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2) - 2 \cos(x^2 - y^2) - 4y^2 \sin(x^2 - y^2)] \quad \dots (5)$$

Adding (4) and (5), we get  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$

Which proves that  $u$  is harmonic.  
Now we have to express  $u + iv$  as a function of  $z$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \int [\phi_1(z, 0) - i\phi_2(z, 0)] dz \\ &= \int [2z \cos z^2 - i(-2z \sin z^2)] dz \\ &= \sin z^2 - i \cos z^2 + C \\ &= -i(\cos z^2 + i \sin z^2) + C \\ &= -ie^{iz^2} + C \end{aligned}$$

**Example 44.** If  $u = \frac{\sin 2x}{\cosh 2y + \cos 2x}$ , find  $f(z)$ .

**Solution.**  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{(\cosh 2y + \cos 2x)2 \cos 2x - \sin 2x(-2 \sin 2x)}{(\cosh 2y + \cos 2x)^2}$   
 $= \frac{2 \cosh 2y \cos 2x + 2(\cos^2 2x + \sin^2 2x)}{(\cosh 2y + \cos 2x)^2} = \frac{2 \cosh 2y \cos 2x + 2}{(\cosh 2y + \cos 2x)^2} = \phi_1(x, y) \dots (1)$

Now putting  $x = z, y = 0$  in (1), we get

$$\phi_1(z, 0) = \frac{2 \cos 2z + 2}{(1 + \cos 2z)^2}$$

Again  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{-\sin 2x(2 \sinh 2y)}{(\cosh 2y + \cos 2x)^2} = \frac{-2 \sin 2x \sinh 2y}{(\cosh 2y + \cos 2x)^2} = \phi_2(x, y) \dots (2)$

Now putting  $x = z, y = 0$  in (2), we get

$$\phi_2(z, 0) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \int [\phi_1(z, 0) - i\phi_2(z, 0)] dz = \int \frac{(2 \cos 2z + 2)}{(1 + \cos 2z)^2} dz = 2 \int \frac{1}{1 + \cos 2z} dz \\ &= 2 \int \frac{1}{2 \cos^2 z} dz = \int \sec^2 z dz = \tan z + C \end{aligned}$$

which is the required function.

**Example 45.** Find the analytic function  $f(z) = u + iv$ , given that

$$v = e^x(x \sin y + y \cos y).$$

**Solution.**  $\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = e^x(x \sin y + y \cos y) + e^x \sin y = \psi_2(x, y) \Rightarrow \psi_2(x, y) = \psi_2(z, 0) = 0$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = e^x(x \cos y + \cos y - y \sin y) = \psi_1(x, y) \Rightarrow \psi_1(x, y) = \psi_1(z, 0) = ze^z + e^z$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \int [\psi_1(z, 0) + i\psi_2(z, 0)] dz \\ &= \int [e^z(z+1) + i(0)] dz = (z+1)e^z - \int e^z dz \\ &= (z+1)e^z - e^z + C = ze^z + C \end{aligned}$$

Which is the required function.

**Example 46.** Show that  $e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y)$  is a harmonic function. Find the analytic function for which  $e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y)$  is imaginary part.  
(U.P., III Semester, June 2009, R.G.P.V., Bhopal, III Semester, Feb. 2010)

**Solution.** Here  $v = e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y)$   
Differentiating partially w.r.t.  $x$  and  $y$ , we have

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y) + e^x \cos y = \psi_2(x, y), \quad (\text{say}) \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = e^x(-x \sin y - y \cos y - \sin y) = \psi_1(x, y) \quad (\text{say}) \dots (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} &= e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y) + e^x \cos y + e^x \cos y \\ &= e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y + 2 \cos y) \end{aligned} \quad \dots (3)$$

and

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = e^x(-x \cos y + y \sin y - 2 \cos y) \quad \dots (4)$$

Adding equations (3) and (4), we have

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial y^2} = 0 \Rightarrow v \text{ is a harmonic function.}$$

Now putting  $x = z, y = 0$  in (1) and (2), we get

$$\psi_2(z, 0) = ze^z + e^z, \quad \psi_1(z, 0) = 0$$

Hence by Milne-Thomson method, we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \int [\psi_1(z, 0) + i\psi_2(z, 0)] dz + C \\ &= \int [0 + i(ze^z + e^z)] dz + C = i(ze^z - e^z + e^z) + C = iz e^z + C. \end{aligned}$$

This is the required analytic function.

**Example 47.** If  $u - v = (x - y)(x^2 + 4xy + y^2)$  and  $f(z) = u + iv$  is an analytic function of  $z = x + iy$ , find  $f(z)$  in terms of  $z$  by Milne Thomson method.

**Solution.** We know that

$$f(z) = u + iv \quad \dots (1)$$

$$if(z) = iu - v \quad \dots (2)$$

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$(1 + i)f(z) = (u - v) + i(u + v)$$

$$F(z) = U + iV$$

$$U = u - v = (x - y)(x^2 + 4xy + y^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} &= (x^2 + 4xy + y^2) + (x - y)(2x + 4y) \\ &= x^2 + 4xy + y^2 + 2x^2 + 4xy - 2xy - 4y^2 \\ &= 3x^2 + 6xy - 3y^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\phi_1(x, y) = 3x^2 + 6xy - 3y^2$$

$$\phi_1(z, 0) = 3z^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} &= -(x^2 + 4xy + y^2) + (x - y)(4x + 2y) \\ &= -x^2 - 4xy - y^2 + 4x^2 + 2xy - 4xy - 2y^2 \\ &= 3x^2 - 6xy - 3y^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\phi_2(x, y) = 3x^2 - 6xy - 3y^2$$

$$\phi_2(z, 0) = 3z^2$$

$$F(z) = U + iV$$

$$F'(z) = \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}$$

$$\left[ \begin{aligned} (1+i)f(z) &= F(z) \\ u-v &= U \\ u+v &= V \end{aligned} \right]$$

Multiplying by  $i$ , we get

$$if(z) = iu - v$$

Adding (1) and (2), we get

$$(1+i)f(z) = (u-v) + i(u+v)$$

$$F(z) = U + iV$$

$$F(z) = (1+i)f(z)$$

where

$$u+v = V = \frac{2 \sin 2x}{e^{2y} + e^{-2y} - 2 \cos 2x}$$

$$V = \frac{2 \sin 2x}{2 \cosh 2y - 2 \cos 2x}$$

$$V = \frac{\sin 2x}{\cosh 2y - \cos 2x}$$

Here,  $V$  is given and we have to find out  $F(z)$  by Milne Thomson method

Now, 
$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = \frac{-2 \sin 2x \sinh 2y}{(\cosh 2y - \cos 2x)^2} = \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = \psi_1(x, y)$$

and 
$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = \frac{2 \cos 2x (\cosh 2y - \cos 2x) - 2 \sin^2 2x}{(\cosh 2y - \cos 2x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos 2x \cosh 2y - 2(\cos^2 2x + \sin^2 2x)}{(\cosh 2y - \cos 2x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos 2x \cosh 2y - 2}{(\cosh 2y - \cos 2x)^2} = \psi_2(x, y)$$

On replacing  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in  $\psi_1(x, y)$ , we get

$$\psi_1(z, 0) = 0$$

On replacing  $x$  by  $z$  and  $y$  by 0 in  $\psi_2(x, y)$ , we get

$$\psi_2(z, 0) = \frac{2(\cos 2z - 1)}{(1 - \cos 2z)^2} = \frac{-2}{1 - \cos 2z} = \frac{-2}{1 - 1 + 2 \sin^2 z} = -\operatorname{cosec}^2 z$$

$$F'(z) = \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}$$

By Milne Thomson method, we have

$$F(z) = \int \{\psi_1(z, 0) + i \psi_2(z, 0)\} dz = \int -i \operatorname{cosec}^2 z dz = i \cot z + c$$

Replacing  $F(z)$  by  $(1+i)f(z)$ , from equation (5), we get

$$(1+i)f(z) = i \cot z + c$$

$$f(z) = \frac{i}{1+i} \cot z + \frac{c}{1+i}$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2}(1+i) \cot z + c_1$$

where  $c_1 = \frac{c}{1+i}$

which is the required function.

### EXERCISE 11.2

Show that the following functions are harmonic and determine the conjugate functions.

1.  $u = 2x(1-y)$

Ans.  $v = x^2 - y^2 + 2y + C$

2.  $u = 2x - x^3 + 3xy + 3xy^2$

Ans.  $v = -\frac{3}{2}(x^2 - y^2) + \frac{3}{2}y^2 + y^3 + 2y + C$

Determine the analytic function, whose real part is

3.  $2x(1-y)$

Ans.  $iz^2 + 2z + C$

4.  $\log \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

Ans.  $\log z + C$

5.  $x^2 - y^2 + 5x + y - \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$

(K.U., 2009)

Ans.  $z^2 + (5-i)z - \frac{i}{z} + C$

6.  $\cos x \cosh y$

Ans.  $\cos z + c$

7.  $3x^2y + 2x^2 - y^3 - 2y^2$

Ans.  $2z^2 - iz^3 + C$

8.  $x^3 - 3xy^2 + 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 2x + 1$

Ans.  $z^3 + 3z^2 + 2z + C$

9.  $e^{-x}(x \sin y - y \cos y)$

Ans.  $i(ze^{-z} + C)$

10.  $e^{2x}(x \cos 2y - y \sin 2y)$

Ans.  $ze^{2z} + iC$

11.  $e^{-x}(x \cos y + y \sin y)$  and  $f(0) = i$ .

Ans.  $ze^{-z} + i$

Determine the analytic function, whose imaginary part is

12.  $v = \log(x^2 + y^2) + x - 2y$  (G.B.T.U., 2012)

Ans.  $2i \log z - (2-i)z + C$

13.  $v = \sinh x \cos y$

Ans.  $\sin iz + C$

14.  $v = \frac{x-y}{x^2 + y^2}$

Ans.  $(1+i)\frac{1}{z} + C$

15.  $v = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$

Ans.  $\frac{1}{z} + C$

16.  $v = \left(r - \frac{1}{r}\right) \sin \theta$

Ans.  $z + \frac{1}{z} + C$

17. If  $f(z) = u + iv$  is an analytic function of  $z = x + iy$  and  $u - v = \frac{e^y - \cos x + \sin x}{\cosh y - \cos x}$ , find

$f(z)$  subject to the condition that  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{3-i}{2}$ .

Ans.  $f(z) = \cot \frac{z}{2} + \frac{1-i}{2}$

18. Find an analytic function  $f(z) = u(r, \theta) + iv(r, \theta)$  such that  $V(r, \theta) = r^2 \cos 2\theta - r \cos \theta + 2$ .

Ans.  $i[z^2 - z + 2]$

19. Show that the function  $u = x^2 - y^2 - 2xy - 2x - y - 1$  is harmonic. Find the conjugate harmonic function  $v$  and express  $u + iv$  as a function of  $z$  where  $z = x + iy$ .

Ans.  $v = x^2 - y^2 + 2xy + x - 2y; (1+i)z^2 + (-2+i)z - 1$

20. Construct an analytic function of the form  $f(z) = u + iv$ , where  $v$  is  $\tan^{-1}(y/x), x \neq 0, y \neq 0$ .

Ans.  $\log cz$

21. Show that the function  $u = e^{-2xy} \sin(x^2 - y^2)$  is harmonic. Find the conjugate function  $v$  and express  $u + iv$  as an analytic function of  $z$ .

Ans.  $v = e^{-2xy} \cos(x^2 - y^2) + C$

$f(z) = -ie^{iz^2} + C_1$