

Indian Statistical Institute, Bangalore

M. Math.I Year, Second Semester

Mid-Sem Examination

Complex Analysis

Time: 3 hours

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Maximum Marks 100

1. Show that for $z, w \in \mathbb{C}$, we have

$$| (w^n - z^n) - nz^{n-1}(w - z) | \leq n(n-1) |z - w|^2 \cdot (\max(|z|, |w|))^{n-2}$$

for $n \geq 2$.

Hence deduce that any power series may be differentiated term by term within its disc of convergence. [20]

2. Prove that a non-constant analytic function has no local maximum for its modulus. Deduce that all its local minima are zeros. [20]
3. Prove ab initio that there is a $\theta > 0$ such that $e^{i\theta} = 1$. [20]
4. If Ω is a convex domain then show that every holomorphic function on Ω has an anti-derivative. [20]
5. If $f : \hat{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow \hat{\mathbb{C}}$ is analytic then show that f is a rational function. [20]