

HW #2

Thm 3.2.2 Part 3 p31 given $n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, and any choice of $a_0, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ with $a_n \neq 0$, define $f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$
 $f(z) = a_n z^n + \dots + a_1 z + a_0, \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$

then

there ~~are~~ exist exactly $n+1$ complex numbers $w_0, \dots, w_n \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$f(z) = a_n (z - w_0) \dots (z - w_n), \forall z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Proof:

by induction:

• for $n=1$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= a_0 + a_1 z, \quad a_1 \neq 0 \\ &= a_1 \left(\frac{a_0}{a_1} + z \right) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$w_0 = -\frac{a_0}{a_1}, \quad w_1 = -\frac{a_0}{a_1}$$

• suppose the theorem is true for the case $n-1$,
want to show that it is true for n

i.e. want to show that every polynomials with coefficients over \mathbb{C} of degree " n " can be factored into n linear factors.

let f be a poly. of degree n , then by part ① from theorem 3.2.2, \exists a polynomial g of degree $n-1$ such that

$$f(z) = (z - w) g(z) \quad \text{--- ①}$$

then using the inductive assumption, \exists n complex numbers w_0, w_1, \dots, w_n such that

$$g(z) = w_0 (z - w_1) \dots (z - w_n) \quad \text{--- ②}$$

and by substituting ② back in ① we get

$$f(z) = w_0 (z - w) (z - w_1) \dots (z - w_n)$$

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Calculational ex p34

Q2 $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned}(z - \alpha)(z - \bar{\alpha}) &= z^2 - \bar{\alpha}z - \alpha z + \alpha\bar{\alpha} \\ &= z^2 - (\alpha + \bar{\alpha})z + |\alpha|^2 \\ &= z^2 - 2\operatorname{Re}(\alpha)z + |\alpha|^2\end{aligned}$$

it is a poly with real coefficients

Proof-Writing Ex p34

Q2 a) prove that $\overline{p(z)} = \overline{p(\bar{z})}$

$$\begin{aligned}\overline{p(z)} &= \overline{a_n z^n + \dots + a_1 z + a_0} = \overline{a_n z^n} + \dots + \overline{a_1 z} + \overline{a_0} \\ &= \overline{a_n} \overline{z^n} + \dots + \overline{a_1} \overline{z} + \overline{a_0} \\ &= \overline{p(\bar{z})}\end{aligned}$$

b) \Rightarrow suppose that $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{R}$ then $\overline{a_j} = a_j \forall j$
 $\Rightarrow \overline{p(z)} = p(z)$

\Leftarrow suppose that $\overline{p(z)} = p(z)$
 $\Rightarrow \overline{a_n} \overline{z^n} + \dots + \overline{a_1} \overline{z} + \overline{a_0} = a_n z^n + \dots + a_1 z + a_0$
 $\Rightarrow \overline{a_j} = a_j$ for all $j = 0, 1, \dots, n$
 $\Rightarrow a_j$ are real

c) given that $p(z) = q(z)r(z) \Rightarrow \overline{p(\bar{z})} = \overline{q(\bar{z})r(\bar{z})}$

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\Rightarrow (by part a) $\overline{p(\bar{z})} = \overline{q(\bar{z})} \overline{r(\bar{z})}$

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