

(d)  $\phi + i\psi : \Omega_\pi \rightarrow R_\pi$  is a conformal bijection

i.e. preserves angles  $\Leftrightarrow$  the Jacobian derivative matrix is a scalar times rotation matrix

$$C-R \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \phi_x & \phi_y \\ \psi_x & \psi_y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -b & a \end{pmatrix} = (a^2 + b^2) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \frac{a}{a^2+b^2} & \frac{b}{a^2+b^2} \\ \frac{-b}{a^2+b^2} & \frac{a}{a^2+b^2} \end{pmatrix}$$

a rotation matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$

thus,  $\eta : \Omega_\pi \rightarrow D \setminus \{(x,0) : x \leq 0\}$  is a conformal bijection.

(e) let  $Z$  be the inverse of  $\eta$ . Then

$$\underbrace{Z(\xi) - i \log \xi}_{\substack{\text{the branch s.t. } \log \xi \in \mathbb{R} \text{ for } \xi \in \mathbb{R}^+}} \text{ for } \xi \in D \setminus \{(x,0) : x \leq 0\} \xrightarrow{\text{extension}} Z(\xi) - i \log \xi, \text{ for } \xi \in D$$

and  $Z(\cdot) - i \log \cdot$  is  $\mathbb{C}$ -analytic in  $D$ .

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{let } \xi = re^{i\pi}, \text{ then } Z(\xi) = -\pi + iy, \quad i \log \xi = i \log r - \pi \\ \xi = re^{-i\pi}, \text{ then } Z(\xi) = \pi + iy, \quad i \log \xi = i \log r + \pi \end{array} \right\} Z(\cdot) - i \log \cdot \Big|_{re^{i\pi}} = Z(\cdot) - i \log \cdot \Big|_{re^{-i\pi}}$$

Thus,  $Z(\xi) = i \left( \log \xi + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k \xi^k \right) = i (\log \xi + f(\xi))$  for a  $\mathbb{C}$ -analytic function  $f$  in  $D$ .

Also,  $f(\xi) \in \mathbb{R}$  if  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}$ , thus all coefficients  $a_k \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$f(\xi) \in \mathbb{R} \Leftrightarrow Z(\xi) - i \log \xi \in i\mathbb{R}$$

$$\left[ \text{if } \xi \in \mathbb{R}^+ \text{ then } Z(\xi) \in i\mathbb{R}, \quad i \log \xi \in i\mathbb{R} \right.$$

$$\left. \Rightarrow \text{if } \xi \in \mathbb{R}^-, \text{ then } Z(\xi) - i \log(\xi) \in i\mathbb{R} \right]$$

Write  $z = re^{it} \in D$  ( $t$  no longer denotes time). Then,

$$\begin{aligned} Z(z) &= i(\log r + it + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k r^k e^{ikt}) \\ &= \underbrace{-t - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k r^k \sin(kt)}_x + i \underbrace{(\log r + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k r^k \cos(kt))}_y \in \Omega_{\pi}, \quad (P) \end{aligned}$$

— this is a parametrization of  $(x, y) \in \Omega_{\pi}$  using  $(r, t)$ .

where  $S_{\pi}$  corresponds to  $\partial D = \{z : r=1\}$ , i.e.

$$S_{\pi} = \{(x, y) \in \Omega_{\pi} : x = -t - \sum a_k \sin(kt), y = \sum a_k \cos(kt), t \in [-\pi, \pi]\} \quad (S)$$

$$\psi \rightarrow \phi + i\psi \rightarrow Z \rightarrow f$$

Now let us reformulate the above procedure by starting with  $f$  (forgetting  $\phi$  and  $\psi$ ). Suppose  $f$  to be a holomorphic function on  $\bar{D}$  (where  $f(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k z^k$  for  $a_k \in \mathbb{R}, \forall k=0, 1, \dots$  (thus  $f(z) \in \mathbb{R}$  for  $z \in \mathbb{R}$ )). Let  $Z$  be defined by

$$(Z) \quad Z(z) = i(\log z + f(z)), \quad z \in D. \quad (\text{or equivalently, } Z \text{ be defined by (P)})$$

Assume that  $Z$  is a bijection onto its range  $\Omega_{\pi}$  (then (P) gives a parametrization of  $\Omega_{\pi}$ ). Let  $S_{\pi}$  be defined by (S) (i.e.  $S_{\pi} = Z(e^{it}) = Z(r=1)$ )

Define  $\Phi + i\Psi$  on  $\Omega_{\pi}$  (using (P)) by

$$(P) \quad \underbrace{\Phi(x+iy)}_{Z(z)} + i \underbrace{\Psi(x+iy)}_{Z(z)} = i \log z \stackrel{z=re^{it}}{=} i \log r - t, \quad 0 \leq r \leq 1, -\pi \leq t \leq \pi.$$

$\uparrow$   
 $Z^{-1}(x+iy)$

? does  $\Psi = \Psi(x, y)$  define a solution of  $(*_5)$

$$(*)_5 \textcircled{1} \quad \Delta \Psi = 0 \text{ in } \Omega_\pi$$

this is due to that  $\Phi + i\Psi$  is holomorphic  $\stackrel{C-R}{\Rightarrow} \Phi, \Psi$  are both harmonic

$$(*)_5 \textcircled{2} \quad \Psi = 0 \text{ on } S_\pi \quad \text{on } S_\pi, \text{ we have } r=1, \text{ thus by definition, } \Psi = \log r = \log 1 = 0.$$

$$(*)_5 \textcircled{3} \quad \nabla \Phi(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 1) \text{ as } y \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y \rightarrow -\infty \Rightarrow r \rightarrow 0 \stackrel{(P)}{\Rightarrow} x \rightarrow -t \\ \Phi(x, y) = -t \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \Phi(x, y) \rightarrow x \Rightarrow \nabla \Phi(x, y) \rightarrow (1, 0) \\ \text{as } r \rightarrow 0 \\ \text{(as } y \rightarrow -\infty) \end{array} \quad \text{as } y \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$\stackrel{C-R}{\Rightarrow} \nabla \Psi(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 1) \text{ as } y \rightarrow -\infty.$$

$$(*)_5 \textcircled{4} \quad \Psi(-x, y) = \Psi(x, y) \quad \forall (x, y) \in \Omega_\pi$$

$$(P) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = -t - \sum a_k r^k \sin(kt) \\ y = \log r + \sum a_k r^k \cos(kt) \end{cases} \Rightarrow \text{if } (r, t) \text{ gives } (x, y) \Rightarrow (\pm x, y) \text{ corresponds} \\ \text{then } (r, -t) \text{ gives } (-x, y) \text{ to the same } r$$

$$\Psi(x, y) = \log r \xrightarrow{\quad} (\pm x, y) \text{ gives the same } \Psi, \text{ i.e. } \Psi(x, y) = \Psi(-x, y).$$

$$(*)_5 \textcircled{5} \quad \frac{1}{2} |\nabla \Psi(x, y)|^2 + \lambda y \equiv \frac{1}{2} \text{ on } S_\pi$$

We rewrite this condition using  $a_k$ 's (the coefficients of  $f$ ).

$$\begin{aligned} (\Phi + i\Psi)(Z(\xi)) = i \log \xi &\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dz} (\Phi + i\Psi)(Z(\xi)) \frac{dZ}{d\xi} = \frac{i}{\xi} \\ &= \Phi_x - i\Phi_y = \Psi_y + i\Psi_x \end{aligned}$$

$$|\nabla \Psi(Z(\xi))|^2 \stackrel{\det J_{\mathbb{R}}}{=} \Psi_x^2(Z(\xi)) + \Psi_y^2(Z(\xi)) = \left| \frac{d}{dz} (\Phi + i\Psi)(Z(\xi)) \right|^2 \stackrel{|\det J_{\mathbb{C}}|^2}{=} \frac{1}{|\xi|^2 |Z'(\xi)|^2}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{when } (x, y) \in S_\pi \Rightarrow |\xi| = r = 1 \Rightarrow |\nabla \Psi(Z(\xi))|^2 = \frac{1}{|Z'(\xi)|^2} \\ Z'(\xi) = \frac{i}{\xi} + i \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k \xi^{k-1} = \frac{i}{\xi} \left( 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k \xi^k \right) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow$$

$$\text{on } S_\pi: \quad |\nabla \Psi(Z(\xi))|^2 = \frac{1}{\left| 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k \xi^k \right|^2} = \frac{1}{\left( 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k \cos kt \right)^2 + \left( \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k \sin kt \right)^2}$$

for convenience, define an operator  $\mathcal{L}: L^2[-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow L^2[-\pi, \pi]$  by

$$\mathcal{L}(1) = 0, \quad \mathcal{L}(\sin kt) = -\cos kt, \quad \mathcal{L}(\cos kt) = \sin kt, \quad k \geq 1,$$

extended by linearity and continuity (Riesz-Fischer Thm: a measurable function on  $[-\pi, \pi]$  is square integrable  $\Leftrightarrow$  its Fourier series converges in  $L^2$ -norm),

which is a bounded linear operator.

$$\|e\| \leq 1$$

Let  $w$  be defined by  $w(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k \cos kt$  for  $t \in [-\pi, \pi]$ , where  $a_k$ 's are coefficients of  $f$ , ( $\Rightarrow w \in L^2$ ,  $w(-t) = w(t)$ )

such that  $w' \in L^2[-\pi, \pi]$ . Then,  $w(-\pi) = w(\pi)$  and

$$1 + \mathcal{L}w(t) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k \cos kt.$$

Thus,  $|\nabla \Phi(z(\xi))|^2$  can be rewritten as

$$|\nabla \Phi(z(\xi))|^2 = \frac{1}{(1 + \mathcal{L}w(t))^2 + w(t)^2}$$

and (S) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} S_{\pi} &= \{ (-t - \mathcal{L}w(t), w(t)) : t \in [-\pi, \pi] \} \\ &= \{ (t + \mathcal{L}w(t), w(t)) : t \in [-\pi, \pi] \} \quad \text{since } w(-t) = w(t). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $(*) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{z} |\nabla \Phi(x, y)|^2 + \lambda y = \frac{1}{z}$  on  $S_{\pi}$  is equivalent to

$$(CP) \quad (1 - 2\lambda w(t))(w(t)^2 + (1 + \mathcal{L}w(t))^2) = 1 \quad \text{for almost all } t \in [-\pi, \pi].$$

"constant pressure"

In summary, if  $w \in C^{2, \alpha}$  is even (thus  $w(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k \cos kt$ ) and such that  $Z$  defined by (Z) (using  $a_k$ 's) is globally injective (thus bijective on its range) and such that (CP) holds, then there exists a symmetric Stokes wave with profile:  $\{ (t + \mathcal{L}w(t), w(t)) : t \in \mathbb{R} \}$ .

• Conjugation operator  $\mathcal{L}: L^2[-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow L^2[-\pi, \pi]$ ,  $\mathcal{L}(c) = \bar{c}$ ,  $\mathcal{L}(\sin kt) = -\cos kt$   
 $\mathcal{L}(\cos kt) = \sin kt$   $\forall k \geq 1$

a. Complex analysis:

In complex notation ( $e^{int} = \cos(nt) + i \sin(nt)$ ), we have

$$\mathcal{L} e^{int} = -i \operatorname{sign}(n) e^{int}, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

With the convention  $\operatorname{sign}(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } n < 0 \end{cases}$ .

Let  $u$  be a  $2\pi$ -periodic, smooth, real-valued function with

$$u(t) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int}, \quad t \in [-\pi, \pi]$$

the Fourier coefficient =  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} u(t) e^{-int} dt$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[ u(t) \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow u(t) = \overline{u(t)} \Rightarrow \hat{u}(-n) = \overline{\hat{u}(n)} \right] \\ & = \hat{u}(0) + \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int} + \overline{\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int}} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \hat{u}(0) + 2 \operatorname{Re} \left( \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int} \right)$$

the real part of a complex number

Based on the coefficients  $\hat{u}(n)$ 's, we define a complex holomorphic function  $f: \bar{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  by  
 $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| \leq 1\}$

$$f(z) = \hat{u}(0) + 2 \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) z^n, \quad z \in \mathbb{C}, |z| \leq 1$$

$$:= U(z) + i V(z), \quad \text{i.e. } U(z) = \operatorname{Re} f(z), \quad V(z) = \operatorname{Im} f(z).$$

where  $U$  and  $V$  are real, and  $V(0) = 0$  (since  $f(0) = \hat{u}(0) \in \mathbb{R}$ ).

Note that  $u(t) = U(e^{it})$  by definition of  $U$ , and

$$V(e^{it}) = \operatorname{Im} f(e^{it}) \stackrel{\hat{u}(0) \in \mathbb{R}}{=} \operatorname{Im} \left( 2 \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int} \right) = 2\beta = -i(\alpha + i\beta - \overline{\alpha + i\beta})$$

$$= -i \left( \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int} - \overline{\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int}} \right) = -i \left( \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(n) e^{int} - \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \hat{u}(-n) e^{-int} \right)$$

$$= -i \cdot \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \operatorname{sign}(n) \hat{u}(n) e^{int} = \mathcal{L} u(t)$$



That is, a  $2\pi$ -periodic smooth real-valued function  $u$  can be viewed as the real part  $U$  of a complex holomorphic function  $f$  (defined on  $\bar{D}$ ) when restricted to  $S^1 := \partial\bar{D}$ , and the corresponding imaginary part

$V$  is precisely given by  $\mathcal{L}u$  (when restricted to  $S^1$ ).

Moreover, we have

$$(*_U) \quad \mathcal{L}u(t) = (\mathcal{L}u(z))' = \frac{\partial V}{\partial t} \Big|_{e^{it}} = \frac{\partial U}{\partial r} \Big|_{e^{it}}$$

where  $\Delta U = 0$  on  $D$ ,  $U(e^{it}) = u(t)$ .

$\uparrow$  since  $U$  is the real part of a holomorphic function

$$\begin{aligned} V &= V(x,y) = V(r\cos t, r\sin t) \\ \Rightarrow V_t &= V_x(-r\sin t) + V_y r\cos t \\ \Rightarrow V_t \Big|_{e^{it}} &= V_t \Big|_{r=1} = -V_x \sin t + V_y \cos t \\ &\stackrel{C-R}{=} U_y \sin t + U_x \cos t \\ &= U_r \end{aligned}$$

b. Functional analysis cf. Zygmund, "Trigonometric series, I"

for  $u \in L^2[-\pi, \pi]$ ,  $\mathcal{L}u$  is given pointwise almost everywhere by a singular integral:

$$\mathcal{L}u(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{u(s) ds}{\tan \frac{t-s}{2}} = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \left( \int_{-\pi}^{-\varepsilon} + \int_{\varepsilon}^{\pi} \right)$$

<sup>10.2.1</sup> Theorem (M. Riesz)  $\mathcal{L}: L^p[-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow L^p[-\pi, \pi]$  is a bounded linear operator for all  $p \in (1, \infty)$ .

<sup>10.2.2</sup> Theorem (Privalov)  $\mathcal{L}: C^\alpha \rightarrow C^\alpha$  is a bounded linear operator for all  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ .

Theorem <sup>10.2.3</sup> Let  $u \in L^2[-\pi, \pi]$ . Then there exists a holomorphic function  $f$  defined on the unit disc such that, in  $L^2[-\pi, \pi]$  and pointwise for almost all  $t \in [-\pi, \pi]$ ,

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 1} f(re^{it}) = u(t) + i \mathcal{C}u(t).$$

Let  $u, w \in L^2[-\pi, \pi]$ ,  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $f, g$  are holomorphic in the unit disc with

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 1} f(re^{it}) = u(t) + i(\alpha + \mathcal{C}u(t)), \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow 1} g(re^{it}) = w(t) + i(\beta + \mathcal{C}w(t))$$

pointwise almost everywhere for  $t \in [-\pi, \pi]$ , in  $L^2[-\pi, \pi]$ . Then, there exists  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $v \in L^1[-\pi, \pi]$  such that  $\mathcal{C}v \in L^1[-\pi, \pi]$  and in  $L^1[-\pi, \pi]$  and pointwise almost everywhere for  $t \in [-\pi, \pi]$ ,

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 1} f(re^{it}) g(re^{it}) = v(t) + i(\gamma + \mathcal{C}v(t)).$$

In particular, if  $fg|_{S^1}$  is imaginary, then  $v=0$  and  $fg=i\gamma$  on  $D$  for some real constant  $\gamma$ .

Let  $u$  be even and  $2\pi$ -periodic. Let  $\tilde{u}(t) = u(t+\pi)$ . Then,  $\tilde{u}$  is even,  $2\pi$ -periodic, and

$$\mathcal{C}\tilde{u}(t) = (\mathcal{C}u)(t+\pi) = \tilde{\mathcal{C}u}(t) \quad \text{i.e. the } \pi\text{-shift and conjugation are interchangeable.}$$

Lemma 10.2.4 Let  $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$  and  $f: \bar{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be such that

(i)  $f \in C^{2,\alpha}(\bar{D})$  is holomorphic in  $D$ ;

(ii)  $f|_{\partial D}$  is injective so that  $f(\partial D)$  is a simple closed Jordan curve  $\Gamma$ .

Let  $\Omega$  be the interior of  $\Gamma$  (i.e. the bounded component of  $\mathbb{C} \setminus \Gamma$ ).

Then (a)  $\Omega = f(D)$ ; (b)  $f: \bar{D} \rightarrow \bar{\Omega}$  is a bijection.

pf: (a)  $f$  is non-constant on  $\partial D \Rightarrow f$  is nonconstant on  $D$  }  
 $f$  is holomorphic on  $D$  }

$\Rightarrow f$  maps open sets to open sets.

$\Rightarrow \partial(f(D)) \subset f(\partial D) = \Gamma$

otherwise if  $\exists x \in \partial(f(D)) \setminus f(\partial D)$  then  $x \in \partial(f(D)) \Rightarrow x \in f(D) \Rightarrow x \in f(\bar{D})$  since  $f(\bar{D})$  is closed, and contains  $f(D)$   
 $\Rightarrow x \in f(\bar{D}) \setminus f(\partial D) \Rightarrow x \in f(D)$  open  $\Rightarrow \exists B$  st.  $x \in B \subset f(D) \Rightarrow \partial(f(D)) \subset \Gamma$

•  $f(D) \subset \Omega$

Suppose  $f(D) \not\subset \Omega \Rightarrow \exists$  a path in  $\mathbb{C} \setminus \bar{\Omega}$  joining  $x_0 \in f(D)$  to infinity

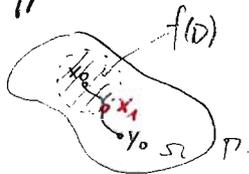


$\Rightarrow \exists x_1 \in \partial(f(D))$  s.t.  $x_1 \notin \bar{\Omega} \Rightarrow x_1 \notin \partial\Omega = \Gamma \Rightarrow \partial(f(D)) \subset \Gamma$

thus  $f(D) \subset \bar{\Omega}$ , but  $f(D)$  is open  $\Rightarrow f(D) \subset \Omega$ .

•  $f(D) = \Omega$

suppose  $f(D) \neq \Omega$  (since  $f(D) \subset \Omega$ ),  $\Rightarrow \exists$  a path in  $\Omega$  joining



$x_0 \in f(D)$  and  $y_0 \in \Omega \setminus f(D)$

$\Rightarrow \exists x_1 \in \partial(f(D))$  s.t.  $x_1 \in \Omega \Rightarrow x_1 \notin \Gamma \Rightarrow \partial(f(D)) \subset \Gamma$ .

(b) Let  $z_1 \neq z_2 \in \bar{D}$ .

•  $z_1 \in \partial D, z_2 \in D \Rightarrow f(z_1) \neq f(z_2)$

otherwise  $f(z_1) = f(z_2) \in f(\partial D) = \Gamma$ , i.e.  $\exists z_2 \in D$  s.t.  $f(z_2) \in \Gamma \Rightarrow f(D) = \Omega$  and  $\Omega \cap \Gamma = \emptyset$

•  $z_1 \in \partial D, z_2 \in \partial D \Rightarrow f(z_1) \neq f(z_2)$  (by assumption)

•  $z_1 \in D, z_2 \in D \Rightarrow f(z_1) \neq f(z_2)$ .

otherwise  $f(z_1) = f(z_2) =: w \in \Omega$ . Take  $r \in (0, 1)$  s.t.  $|z_1| < r, |z_2| < r$ .  
 Set  $D_r = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < r\}$ .

Then  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D_r} \frac{f'(z) dz}{f(z) - w} \geq 2$  [cf. "Theory of functions" by Titchmarsh  
 pg 116, 3.41,  
 $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} dz = \# \text{ of zeros of } f \text{ inside } C.$ ]

Also,  $|f(z) - w|$  is bounded away from 0 on  $\partial D$  }  
 $f \in C^{2,\alpha}(\bar{D}) \Rightarrow f' \in L^1(\partial D)$  }

cf. "Harmonic function theory" by Axler et al.  $\rightarrow$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f'(z) dz}{f(z) - w} \geq \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D_r} \frac{f'(z) dz}{f(z) - w} \geq 2$$

Cauchy's int. formula

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f'(z) dz}{f(z) - w} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{d\xi}{\xi - w} = 1$$

Since  $w \in \Omega$  inside  $\Gamma$ .

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