

Calculus – 11. Series

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1. Prove that for $a, b > 1$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

(a) $(a^x)^y = a^{xy}$

(b) $a^x b^x = (ab)^x$

(c) $\left(\frac{1}{a}\right)^x = a^{-x}$

2. Prove that for all $z, w \in \mathbb{C}$

(a) $\cosh^2 z - \sinh^2 z = 1$

(b) $\cos(z + w) = \cos z \cos w - \sin z \sin w$

(c) $\cos z = \cosh(iz)$

(d) $\tanh(z) = -i \tan(iz)$

Prove that for $y \in \mathbb{R}$

(e) $\operatorname{arcosh}(y) = \log(y + \sqrt{y^2 - 1})$, $y \geq 1$

(f) $\operatorname{arcoth}(y) = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{y+1}{y-1}$, $|y| > 1$

3. Prove that for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$

$$e^{\bar{z}} = \overline{e^z}$$

Hint. Use Proposition 2.31.

4. Compute the following limits

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \log x$

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x}$

(c) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^z - 1}{z}$

Hint. For (a) substitute $x = 1/e^z$; for (c) use Proposition 17 with $n = 2$.