2016 Mathematics (1)

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Consider the mapping $z = f(\zeta)$ such that $G(z) = G(f(\zeta)) = \psi(\zeta)$, where f, G, ψ are complex functions and z, ζ are complex variables.

- (a) What condition(s) must be satisfied for $\psi(\zeta)$ to be analytic? [3]
- (b) Suppose that $\psi(\zeta) = \ln(\zeta + 2)$ and $f(\zeta)$ is defined by

$$\frac{df}{d\zeta} = \frac{i}{\sqrt{(\zeta+1)(\zeta-1)}},\tag{*}$$

where $\zeta = 0$ maps to z = 0.

- (i) By integrating (\star) , show that the upper half of the ζ plane maps onto the region R defined by $|\operatorname{Re}(z)| \leq \frac{1}{2}\pi$, $\operatorname{Im}(z) \geq 0$. Determine the location of any points in the region R where G(z) is not analytic. How do these relate to points in the ζ plane? $[Hint: \sin(x+iy) = \sin(x) \cosh(y) + i \cos(x) \sinh(y).]$ [7]
- (ii) The vector field $\mathbf{u} = (u, v)$ in the ζ plane is given by $u iv = d\psi/d\zeta$. How does the magnitude of \mathbf{u} vary across the upper half of the ζ plane? In what direction is \mathbf{u} oriented?
- (iii) The vector field $\mathbf{U}=(U,V)$ is defined in the region R of the z plane by U-iV=dG/dz. Determine this field and use a sketch to illustrate the orientation of the vector field in this region. [7]