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Q No  $\Rightarrow$  State and prove Laurent's theorem.

Ans. Statement: Let  $f(z)$  be analytic in the ring shaped region  $D$  bounded by two concentric circles  $C_1$  &  $C_2$  with centre  $z_0$  and radii  $\rho_1$  &  $\rho_2$  ( $\rho_1 > \rho_2$ ) and let  $z$  be any point of  $D$ . Then,

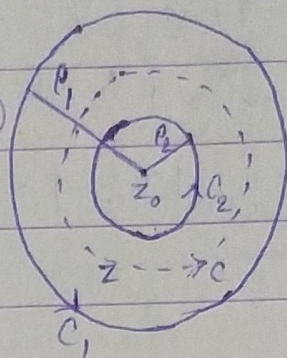
$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n (z-z_0)^{-n}$$

$$\text{Where, } a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{(\xi-z_0)^{n+1}} d\xi$$

$$\text{and } b_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} (\xi-z_0)^{n-1} f(\xi) d\xi.$$

Proof:- Let  $z$  be any point of the ring-shaped region  $D$ . Then by Cauchy's integral formula for doubly connected region,

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z} d\xi - \int_{C_2} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z} d\xi \quad \text{--- (1)}$$



We consider the integral

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z} d\xi.$$

For any point  $\xi$  on  $C_1$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{\xi - z} = \frac{1}{(\xi - z_0) - (z - z_0)} = \frac{1}{(\xi - z_0) \left\{ 1 - \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} \right\}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\xi - z_0)} \left\{ 1 - \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} \right\}^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\xi - z_0} \left\{ 1 + \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} + \left( \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} \right)^2 + \dots + \left( \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} \right)^{m-1} + \left( \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} \right)^m \right\}$$

$$\left[ \frac{1}{\xi - z_0} \left( 1 - \frac{z - z_0}{\xi - z_0} \right)^{-1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\xi - z_0} + \frac{z - z_0}{(\xi - z_0)^2} + \frac{(z - z_0)^2}{(\xi - z_0)^3} + \dots + \frac{(z - z_0)^{m-1}}{(\xi - z_0)^m} + \frac{(z - z_0)^m}{(\xi - z_0)^m (\xi - z)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z} d\xi = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z_0} d\xi + \frac{(z - z_0)}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{(\xi - z_0)^2} d\xi$$

$$+ \dots + \frac{(z - z_0)^{m-1}}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{(\xi - z_0)^m} d\xi + R_m \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

where  $R_m = \frac{(z_0 - z_0)^m}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi) d\xi}{(\xi - z_0)^m (\xi - z)}$

Let  $|z - z_0| = \delta$ , where  $\rho_2 < \delta < \rho_1$ .

Also,  $|\xi - z_0| = \rho_1$ ,

$\therefore |\xi - z| = |(\xi - z_0) - (z - z_0)| \geq |\xi - z_0| - |z - z_0| = \rho_1 - \delta$

$\therefore |R_m| = \left| \frac{(z - z_0)^m}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi) d\xi}{(\xi - z_0)^m (\xi - z)} \right| \leq \frac{|z - z_0|^m}{2\pi} \int_{C_1} \frac{|f(\xi)| |d\xi|}{|\xi - z_0|^m |\xi - z|}$

$= \frac{M \delta^m}{2\pi (\rho_1 - \delta) \rho_1^m}$

$\int_{C_1} |d\xi| = \frac{M \delta^m \cdot 2\pi \rho_1}{2\pi (\rho_1 - \delta) \rho_1^m} = \frac{M \rho_1}{\rho_1 - \delta} \left( \frac{\delta}{\rho_1} \right)^m \rightarrow 0$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$

since,  $\frac{\delta}{\rho_1} < 1$ .

where  $M$  is maximum value of  $f(\xi)$  on

$C_1$ .

$\therefore \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_1} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z} d\xi = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n$

Again,  $-\frac{1}{\xi - z} = \frac{1}{(z - z_0)(\xi - z_0)} = \frac{1}{(z - z_0) \left\{ 1 - \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0} \right\}}$

$= \frac{1}{(z - z_0)} \left( 1 - \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0} \right)^{-1}$

$= \frac{1}{(z - z_0)} \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0} \right) + \left( \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0} \right)^2 + \dots + \left( \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0} \right)^{n-1} + \left( \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0} \right)^n \frac{1}{1 - \frac{\xi - z_0}{z - z_0}} \right]$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{(z-z_0)} + \frac{(a_1-z_0)}{(z-z_0)^2} + \frac{(a_1-z_0)^2}{(z-z_0)^3} + \dots + \frac{(a_1-z_0)^{n-1}}{(z-z_0)^n} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{(a_1-z_0)^n}{(z-z_0)^n(z-a_1)} \right]$$

$$\therefore -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{f(\xi) d\xi}{\xi - z} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{f(\xi) d\xi}{z - z_0} + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{(a_1 - z_0) f(\xi) d\xi}{(z - z_0)^2}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{(a_1 - z_0)^2 f(\xi) d\xi}{(z - z_0)^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{(a_1 - z_0)^{n-1} f(\xi) d\xi}{(z - z_0)^n} + S_m$$

$$\text{where, } S_m = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{(a_1 - z_0)^n f(\xi) d\xi}{(z - z_0)^n (z - a_1)}$$

Let  $M'$  be the maximum value of  $f(\xi)$  on  $C_2$

$$\text{Now, } |S_m| = \left| \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{(a_1 - z_0)^n f(\xi) d\xi}{(z - z_0)^n (z - a_1)} \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2\pi |z - z_0|^n} \int_{C_2} \frac{|a_1 - z_0|^n |f(\xi)| |d\xi|}{|z - a_1|}$$

Since,  $|z - z_0| = r$ ,  $|a_1 - z_0| = \rho_2$ , we have

$$|z - a_1| = |(z - z_0) - (a_1 - z_0)| \geq |z - z_0| - |a_1 - z_0| = r - \rho_2$$

We have

$$|S_m| \leq \frac{M' \rho_2^n}{2\pi r^n (r - \rho_2)} \int_{C_2} |d\xi|$$

$$= \frac{M' \cdot 2\pi \cdot \rho_2}{2\pi (r - \rho_2)} \cdot \left(\frac{\rho_2}{r}\right)^m \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } m \rightarrow \infty$$

$$-\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_2} \frac{f(\xi)}{\xi - z} d\xi = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n (z - z_0)^{-n} \dots$$

Hence,  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n (z - z_0)^{-n}$ ,

Q No → State and Prove the uniqueness theorem.

Ans → Statement: - Suppose that we have obtained in any manner or as the definition of  $f(z)$  the formula,

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} P_n (z - z_0)^n \quad (r_2 < |z - z_0| < r_1)$$

then the series is necessarily identical with the Laurent series.

Proof: - Let the circle  $C$  be  $|z - z_0| = \rho$ , where  $r_2 < \rho < r_1$ . Then the coefficient  $a_m$  of  $(z - z_0)^m$  in the Laurent's expansion will be given by,

$$\begin{aligned} a_m &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(\xi) d\xi}{(\xi - z_0)^{m+1}} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} P_n (\xi - z_0)^n}{(\xi - z_0)^{m+1}} d\xi \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} P_n \int_C \frac{(\xi - z_0)^n}{(\xi - z_0)^{m+1}} d\xi \end{aligned}$$

Which is justified since the series under integration is uniformly convergent

on the every closed subset of the annulus,  
let  $z - z_0 = \rho e^{i\theta}$

$$\therefore dz = \rho i e^{i\theta} d\theta$$

$$\therefore a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} P_m \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\rho^m \cdot e^{mi\theta}}{\rho^{m+1} \cdot e^{(m+1)i\theta}} \rho i e^{i\theta} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} P_m \int_0^{2\pi} \rho^{m-n} e^{(m-n)i\theta} d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} e^{i(m-n)\theta} d\theta = \left[ \frac{e^{i(m-n)\theta}}{i(m-n)} \right]_0^{2\pi} = 0 \text{ if } m \neq n,$$

and  $m = n$

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$$\int_0^{2\pi} e^{i(m-n)\theta} d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = (\theta)_0^{2\pi} = 2\pi$$

$$\therefore a_n = P_n$$

$$\text{Hence } f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} P_n (z - z_0)^n = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n.$$

Therefore, the given series is identical  
of the Laurent's extension of  $f(z)$ .