

Characterization of Polynomials:-

Q No \rightarrow Show that a function which has no singularity in the finite part of the plane and has a pole of order n at infinity is a polynomial of degree n .

Proof:- Since $f(z)$ has no singularity in the finite part of the z -plane, it can be expanded in a Taylor's series about $z=0$ given by

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$$

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{z^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^{-n} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Again, it is given that $f(z)$ has a pole of order n at infinity.

Therefore, $f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$ has a pole of order n at zero.

\therefore Laurent's expansion of $f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$ is valid in any region, which does not contain zero.

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = F(z) + \sum_{m=1}^n b_m z^{-m} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From (1) & (2), it follows that

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^{-n} = F(z) + \sum_{n=1}^m b_n z^{-n},$$

Equating, the coefficients of like powers of both side it follows that

$$a_0 = F(z) = b_n z^n, \quad a_{m+1} = a_{m+2} = \dots = 0,$$

$$\text{Hence, } f(z) = a_0 + a_1 z + a_2 z^2 + \dots + a_m z^m.$$

i.e. $f(z)$ is a Polynomial of degree m .

Q No \rightarrow A rational number has no singularities other than Poles.

Proof: - Let $f(z)$ be a rational function.

\therefore We can express $f(z)$ as,

$$f(z) = \frac{\psi(z)}{\phi(z)}, \text{ where } \phi(z) \neq 0.$$

and $\psi(z)$ and $\phi(z)$ have no factor in common.

Clearly the singularity of $f(z)$ in the finite part of the z -Plane are given by $\phi(z) = 0$.

It is obvious that the zeros of $\phi(z)$ are the Poles of $\frac{1}{\phi(z)}$.

Hence, $f(z) = \frac{\psi(z)}{\phi(z)}$ can have no other singularity.

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