

Cauchy - Riemann equations: - A necessary

condition that  $w = f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y)$  be analytic in a domain  $D$  is that  $u$  and  $v$  satisfy Cauchy - Riemann equations

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \text{ at every point of } D$$

If these partial derivatives are also continuous, then Cauchy Riemann equations are sufficient conditions for  $f(z)$  to be analytic in  $D$ .

Theorem 1. Necessary condition for  $f(z)$  to be analytic.

$f(z) = u + iv$  is analytic in a domain  $D$ , then  $u, v$  satisfy the equations

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

provided the four partial derivatives  $u_x, u_y, v_x, v_y$  exist.

Proof: Let  $w = f(z) = u + iv$  be analytic

in a domain  $D$ , then  $\frac{dw}{dz}$  exists so that  $\frac{dw}{dz}$

has the same value along every path.

(i) Along  $x$ -axis,  $dz = dx$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = \lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta z} = \lim_{dx \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta w}{\Delta x} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}$$

⊙ (ii) Along y-axis  $\delta z = i\delta y$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = \lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\delta w}{\delta z} = \lim_{\delta y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\delta w}{i\delta y} = -i \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$$

Equating ① to ②,  $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = -i \frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

These equations are known as Cauchy-Riemann equations. Also we have seen that these partial derivatives exist.

A sufficient condition for  $f(z)$  to be analytic.

Thm:- The function  $w = f(z) = u + iv$  is analytic in a domain  $D$  if

①  $u, v$  are differentiable in  $D$  and  $u_x = v_y, u_y = -v_x$

② the partial derivatives  $u_x, v_x, u_y, v_y$  all are continuous in  $D$

Proof:- Let  $w = f(z) = u + iv = u(x, y) + i v(x, y) = f(x, y)$  be s.t.

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

$$u_x = v_y, \quad u_y = -v_x$$

Also let these derivatives be continuous.

Let the increments  $\delta z, \delta u, \delta v, \delta w$  of  $z, u, v, w$  correspond to the increments

$\delta x, \delta y$  of  $z$  and  $y$

continuity of  $u_x \Rightarrow \delta u = u_x \delta x + u_y \delta y + \alpha \delta x + \beta \delta y$

Similarly  $\delta v = v_x \delta x + v_y \delta y + \alpha_1 \delta x + \beta_1 \delta y$

where  $\alpha, \beta, \alpha_1, \beta_1$  all tend to zero as  $\delta x \rightarrow 0, \delta y \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{\delta w}{\delta z} = \frac{\delta u + i \delta v}{\delta x + i \delta y}$$

$$\delta u + i \delta v = \delta x (u_x + i v_x) + \delta y (u_y + i v_y)$$

$$+ (\alpha + i \alpha_1) \delta x + (\beta + i \beta_1) \delta y$$

$$= \delta x (u_x + i v_x) + i \delta y (-i v_y + u_y) + \alpha' \delta x + \beta' \delta y$$

where  $\alpha' = \alpha + i \alpha_1, \beta' = \beta + i \beta_1$

using (1)  $\delta u + i \delta v = (u_x + i v_x) \delta x + (u_y + i v_y) \delta y$

Dividing by  $\delta x + i \delta y$  and then using (2)

$$\frac{\delta w}{\delta z} = u_x + i v_x + \frac{\alpha' \delta x}{\delta x + i \delta y} + \frac{\beta' \delta y}{\delta x + i \delta y}$$

$$\left| \frac{\delta w}{\delta z} - (u_x + i v_x) \right| = \left| \frac{\alpha' \delta x + \beta' \delta y}{\delta x + i \delta y} \right| \leq |\alpha'| \cdot \left| \frac{\delta x}{\delta z} \right| + \frac{|\beta'| |\delta y|}{|\delta z|}$$

$$\leq |\alpha'| + |\beta'| \text{ as } |\delta u| \leq |\delta x + i \delta y|$$

$$\text{or } \left| \frac{\delta w}{\delta z} - \frac{\delta w}{\delta u} \right| \leq |\alpha| + |\alpha_1| + |\beta| + |\beta_1| \text{ as } \alpha' = \alpha + i \alpha_1$$

But when  $\delta z \rightarrow 0$ , the R.H.S  $\rightarrow 0$ . ~~there~~ <sup>from (3)</sup>

$$\lim_{\delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\delta w}{\delta z} - \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{dw}{dz} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = u_x + i v_x$$

But  $u_x, v_x$  <sup>both</sup> exist. Hence  $dw/dz$  exists

so that  $w$  is analytic in D.

polar form of Cauchy's Riemann equations.

Theorem: - If  $f(z) = u + iv$  is analytic function

and  $z = r e^{i\theta}$  where  $u, v, r, \theta$  are all real,

Show that the Cauchy's Riemann equation

$$\text{are} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}, \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta}$$

or

Derive the necessary and sufficient conditions for  $f(z)$  to be analytic in polar-coordinates.

Proof: - If  $f(z) = u + iv$  is an analytic function then

$$u_x = v_y, \quad u_y = -v_x \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

we have  $x = r \cos \theta, \quad y = r \sin \theta$

so,  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  and  $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$

Diff.  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  w.r. to  $x$  partially

$$2x + 0 = 2r \frac{\partial r}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{r} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r} = \cos \theta \quad \text{(2)}$$

Diff. w.r. to  $y$  partially

$$0 + 2y = 2r \frac{\partial r}{\partial y}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{r \sin \theta}{r} = \sin \theta \quad \text{(3)}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2} \times \frac{-y}{x^2}$$

$$= \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} = -\frac{r \sin \theta}{r^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = -\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} \times \frac{1}{x} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{r \cos \theta}{r^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} = \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$\text{Again } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \cos \theta \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \left( -\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \cos \theta \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}$$

$$= \sin \theta \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{--- (7)}$$

$$\therefore u_x = v_y \text{ or } \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

from (6) and (7)

$$\cos \theta \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = \sin \theta \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{--- (8)}$$

Further

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \sin \theta + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \quad \text{--- (8)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial v}{\partial u} &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \frac{\partial r}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial u} \\ &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \cos \theta + \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \left( -\frac{\sin \theta}{r} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \cos \theta - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{--- (9)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial u} \quad \text{so from (8) \& (9)}$$

$$\sin \theta \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = - \left\{ \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \cos \theta - \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \right\}$$

$$\text{or } \sin \theta \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \cos \theta \quad \text{--- (10)}$$

Multiplying (7A) by  $\cos \theta$

$$\cos^2 \theta \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} - \frac{\sin \theta \cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = \sin \theta \cos \theta \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{--- (11)}$$

Multiplying (10) by  $\sin \theta$

$$\sin^2 \theta \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} \frac{\sin \theta \cos \theta}{r} = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \sin \theta \cos \theta \quad \text{--- (12)}$$

Adding (11) and (12)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial r} (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} (1) = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{proved}$$

putting  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial r}$  in (10) we have

$$\sin \theta \cdot \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -\cos \theta \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} + \frac{\sin \theta}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\cos \theta}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta} = -\cos \theta \frac{\partial v}{\partial r}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial \theta} \quad \text{proved}$$