

# Mathematical Methods, 18/06/13

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Note: Part B of the exam contains only exercises 1b, 4, 5.

## Exercise 1 [8 points]

- **1a** Prove by the definition (not with the Theorem of residues) that for any loop  $\alpha : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$  then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\alpha} \frac{dz}{z} \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

- **1b** State and prove the theorem on normal convergence of Fourier series. (Give a complete proof.) Show that if  $(c_k)_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \subset l^2(\mathbb{Z})$  then the sum of the trigonometric series

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}, k \neq 0} \frac{c_k}{k} e^{2\pi k i t}$$

is a continuous function.

## Exercise 2 [5 points]

- (i) For  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ , classify the singularity at 0 of the function of complex variable

$$f(z) = \frac{\sinh\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)}{z^m}.$$

- (ii) Find the Laurent series of  $f$  at  $z = 0$ .  
(iii) Compute for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$  the value of the integral

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz,$$

where  $\gamma(t) = e^{it}$ ,  $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ .

## Exercise 3 [7 points]

- (iv) Using the Theorem of residues, compute the integral

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{dt}{1 + \sin^2(t)}.$$

## Exercise 4 [5 points]

Find solutions  $u \in C^2(\mathbb{R})$  and  $\pi$ -periodic of the differential equation

$$u''(t) + u(t) = \sin^2(t).$$

## Exercise 5 [7 points]

Consider the function  $f(t) = (t^3 - t)\chi_{(-1,1)}(t)$ .

- (i) As a consequence of the theory, determine the function spaces containing  $\Phi(f)$  and the speed of decay at infinity of the Fourier transform.  
(ii) Compute the Fourier transform of  $\chi_{(-1,1)}(t)$ .  
(iii) Based on (ii), compute the Fourier transform of  $(3t^2 - 1)\chi_{(-1,1)}(t)$ .  
(iv) Based on (iii), compute the Fourier transform of  $f$ . Does it correspond to what expected?