

Complex Analysis, Spring 2011.

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Assignment IX.

1. Problem 1.

a) Map the common part of the discs $|z| < 1$ and $|z - 1| < 1$ on the inside of the unit circle.

Hint: Use $w = (z - a)(z - b)$.

b) Map the region between $|z| = 1$ and $|z - 1/2| = 1/2$ on the inside of the unit circle.

Hint: Use $w = 1/(z - a)$.

c) Map the complement of the arc $|z| = 1, y \geq 0$ on the outside of the unit circle.

Hint: Map the region onto the complement of the segment $\Im z = 0, -1 \leq \Re z \leq 1$, (the wedge).

2. Problem 2.

a) Map the outside of the parabola $y^2 = 2px$ on the disc $|w| < 1$ so that $z = 0$ and $z = -p/2$ correspond to $w = 1$ and $w = 0$.

b) Map the inside of the right-hand branch of the hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ on the unit disc $|w| < 1$ so that the focus corresponds to $w = 0$ and the vertex to $w = -1$.

c) Map the inside of the lemniscate $|z^2 - a^2| = \rho^2, \rho > a$, on the disc $|w| < 1$.

d) Map the outside of the ellipse $(x/a)^2 + (y/b)^2 = 1$ onto $|w| < 1$.

Hint: Find s such that $r + 1/r = as, 1/r - r = bs$.

3. Problem 3.

a) Let a fractional linear transformation carrying a unit disc into itself be

$$w = e^{i\alpha} \frac{z - a}{1 - \bar{a}z}, \quad |a| < 1, \quad a = |a|e^{i\lambda}.$$

Prove that it can be hyperbolic, parabolic and elliptic, but not loxodromic.

Hint: Compute K and use $\cos \alpha = (e^{i\alpha} + e^{-i\alpha})/2, \sin \alpha = (e^{i\alpha} - e^{-i\alpha})/(2i)$.

b) Describe a for which each of these cases occurs.

c) Find fixed points and bring the transformation to the normal form.

Hint: Put $|a| = \sin(\alpha/2) \sin \beta$ for some $\beta \in (0, \pi)$ when w is elliptic. If w is hyperbolic, put $|a| \sin \beta = \sin(\alpha/2)$.

d) Find $\arg w(e^{i\phi}) = \theta(\phi)$.

e) Find $w'(0), w'(a)$.

f) What part of the unit disc is dilated, what part is shrinking?

g) Find $\max |w'(z)|, \min |w'(z)|$ for $|z| \leq 1$.