

MATH 366
Complex Analysis I
Winter 2024

- Preface:** This course will be taught in person at CL 225. Lecture notes will be posted on the course's Moodle site as well as weekly homework assignments. All assignments should be submitted, as .pdf files, ONLINE, via Moodle.
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- Class Schedule:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 11:45-1:00 PM., Jan. 17 – Apr. 15, 2024.
- Office Hours:** Fridays, 9:55-11:20 AM. (Starting Friday, Jan. 19, 2024)
- Prerequisites:** MATH 264/265 or an equivalent multivariable calculus course.
- Text:** *Complex Variables and Applications*, 9th Edition (2014) by J. W. Brown and R. V. Churchill (McGraw-Hill Education). (**Important:** only use the 9th edition.)
The textbook will be available at:
<https://www.bkstr.com/concordiastore/home>
Note: Students should order textbooks as early as possible, especially for printed versions in case books are backordered or there are any shipping delays.
- Assignments:** Assignments, consisting of 8-10 problems (drawn mainly from the textbook) will be due weekly, and submitted via Moodle. These are *very important* for the process of learning. They indicate the level of difficulty of the problems that students are expected to be able to solve. Every effort should be made to complete and submit all weekly assignments. The submitted assignments will be viewed by the grader and a representative sample will be graded. Complete solution sets will be posted weekly, on the day of submission, so late submissions cannot be accepted. These grades, based on the 10 best grades received, are worth 10% of the total grade. The main purpose of grading is to provide helpful feedback to the students (and the professor) on how well they are keeping up with the course material.
- Use of Computer Algebra System:** It is optional but recommended to install and use Maple or Mathematica. These symbolic computational tools can be used to verify and illustrate any analytical results you get while doing your assignment problems.

Calculators: Only calculators approved by the Department (with a sticker attached as proof of approval) are permitted for the class test and final examination. For a list of Approved and Not-approved calculators see www.concordia.ca/artsci/math-stats/services.html

Midterm Exam: A **midterm exam**, covering the first seven weeks of the course, and evaluated as 30% of the total grade will be given in week 8.

Final Grade: 30% midterm, 10% assignments, and 60% final exam.

The grading scheme includes weekly assignments of which a representative subset will be graded. Students will not be told in advance which subset of the assigned problems will be graded and should try to do all assigned problems. Solutions to all assigned problem will be posted at the course’s Moodle site on the same day as they are due.

Approximate schedule of topics

Week	Chapters	Topics	Assignments (Numbering: 9th edition)	Due date
1. Jan. 17 Jan. 19	Ch. 1. Secs. 1-12	Complex numbers: algebraic properties; complex plane; conjugates, polar form; roots; regions in the complex plane	Notation: Sec 3, #5 = 3.5 3.5, 5.3, 5.5(a,b,c), 6.9, 6.15, 9.5(a,c), 9.6, 9.9, 11.5, 11.7	Jan. 24 (assignment 1)
2. Jan. 24 Jan. 26	Ch. 2. Secs. 13-24	Analytic functions 1: mappings, limits, continuity, derivatives, Cauchy-Riemann equations, CR equations in polar coordinates, examples		Jan. 31 (assignment 2)
3. Jan. 31 Feb. 2	Ch. 2. Secs. 25-29	Analytic functions 2: harmonic functions, reflection principle, analytic continuation		Feb. 7 (assignment 3)
4. Feb. 7 Feb. 9	Ch. 3. Secs. 30-40	Elementary functions: exponential, complex exponents, trigonometric functions, hyperbolic functions, inverses		Feb. 14 (assignment 4)
5. Feb. 14 Feb. 16	Ch. 4. Secs. 41-53	Integrals 1: Contours, contour integrals, branch cuts, Cauchy-Goursat theorem, antiderivatives, multiply connected domains		Feb. 21 (assignment 5)
6. Feb. 21 Feb. 23	Ch. 4. Secs. 54-59	Integrals 2: Cauchy integral formula, extensions for derivatives, Cauchy inequality, Liouville’s theorem, maximal modulus principle, fundamental theorem of algebra.		March 6 (assignment 6)

Feb. 26 - March 3	Midterm break			
7. March 6 March 8	Ch. 5. Secs. 60- 68	Series: convergence, Taylor series, negative powers, Laurent series		March 13 (assignment 7)
8. March 13 March 15	Midterm Exam: Ch. 5. Secs. 69- 73	March 13: Midterm exam Open book. Chapters 1-4: all sections; Chapt. 5, Secs. 60-68. Absolute and uniform convergence. Continuity of power series. Integration and differentiation of power series; uniqueness; multiplication and division		March 20 (assignment 8)
9. March 20 March 22	Ch. 6. Sec. 74 -76 Ch. 6. Sec. 77 -84	Types of singular points, isolated singular points, poles, residues at poles, Cauchy residue theorem. Residues at infinity, zeros of analytic functions, behaviour near isolated singular points, examples.		March 27 (assignment 9)
10. March 27, March 29	Ch. 7. Sec. 85-93	Applications of residues, improper integrals, Jordan's lemma, indented paths, integration along a branch cut; definite integrals involving sines and cosines, argument principle. (Omit: Secs. 94, 95)		April 3 (assignment 10)
11. April 3 April 5	Ch. 8. Secs. 96- 103, 107, 108, 110,111 (Omit all other sections.)	Mapping by elementary functions: linear transformations, inverse map, mappings of the upper half-plane, linear fractional transformations, $w=e^z$, z^2 , $z^{1/2}$. Riemann surfaces		Apr. 10 (assignment 11)

<p>12. April 10 April 12</p>	<p>Ch. 8. 108, 110,111</p> <p>Ch. 9. Secs. 112, 113,114</p>	<p>Maps by branched functions. Riemann surfaces.</p> <p>Conformal maps: preservation of angles, examples.</p>		<p>Apr. 15 (assignment 12)</p>
<p>April 18 - May 1</p>		<p>Final exam</p>		<p>Final exam covers all listed course topics: Chapters 1-9.</p>

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