PHYS 3090: Homework 5 (due Friday Oct. 23)

Problem 1: Compute the following contour integrals $\oint_C dz f(z)$, where

- $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2+1}$, where C is the circle |z| = 2 (5 points)
- $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^4+1}$, where C is the rectangle with corners at $z = \pm 2i$ and $z = 2 \pm 2i$ (5 points)
- $f(z) = \tan(z)$, where C is the circle |z| = 5 (5 points)
- $f(z) = \frac{e^z}{z^2 2iz}$, where C is the circle |z 2i| = 1 (5 points)

Problem 2: Evaluate the c_{-1} term in the Laurent expansion for the following functions

- $f(z) = \frac{\cot z}{z^2}$ about z = 0 (5 points)
- $f(z) = \frac{e^z}{z^2+1}$ about z = i (5 points)
- $f(z) = \cos(z + \frac{1}{z})$ about z = 0 (5 points)

Problem 3: Compute $\oint_C dz e^{a/z}$ where C is the unit circle |z| = 1 and a is a complex number. (5 points)

Problem 4: Compute $\oint_C dz \frac{e^{1/z}}{1-z}$ where *C* is the circle |z| = 0.1. (10 points) *Hint:* Recall the infinite geometric series formula $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x^n = \frac{1}{1-x}$ for |x| < 1.