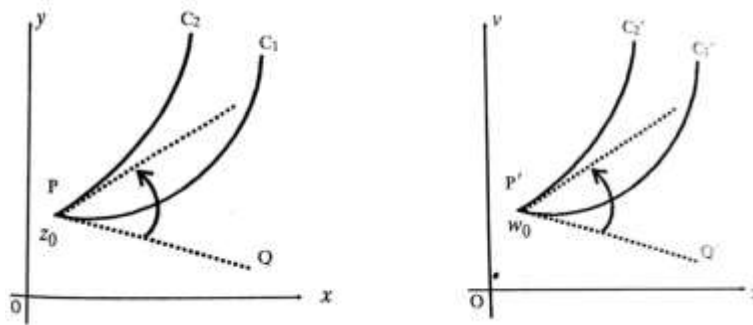


CONFORMAL MAPPING

Definition: Conformal Mapping

A transformation that preserves angles between every pair of curves through a point, both in magnitude and sense, is said to be conformal at that point.



Definition: Isogonal

A transformation under which angles between every pair of curves through a point are preserved in magnitude, but altered in sense is said to be an isogonal at that point.

Note: (i) A mapping $w = f(z)$ is said to be conformal at $z = z_0$, if $f'(z_0) \neq 0$.

Note: (ii) The point, at which the mapping $w = f(z)$ is not conformal,

(i. e.) $f'(z) = 0$ is called a **critical point** of the mapping.

If the transformation $w = f(z)$ is conformal at a point, the inverse transformation $z = f^{-1}(w)$ is also conformal at the corresponding point.

The critical points of $z = f^{-1}(w)$ are given by $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$. hence the critical point of the transformation $w = f(z)$ are given by $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$ and $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$,

Note: (iii) Fixed points of mapping.

Fixed or invariant point of a mapping $w = f(z)$ are points that are mapped onto themselves, are “Kept fixed” under the mapping. Thus they are obtained from $w = f(z) = z$.

The identity mapping $w = z$ has every point as a fixed point. The mapping $w = \bar{z}$ has infinitely many fixed points.

$w = \frac{1}{z}$ has two fixed points, a rotation has one and a translation has none in the complex plane.

Some standard transformations

Translation:

The transformation $w = C + z$, where C is a complex constant, represents a translation.

Let $z = x + iy$

$w = u + iv$ and $C = a + ib$

Given $w = z + C$,

(i. e.) $u + iv = x + iy + a + ib$

$\Rightarrow u + iv = (x + a) + i(y + b)$

Equating the real and imaginary parts, we get $u = x + a, v = y + b$

Hence the image of any point $p(x, y)$ in the z -plane is mapped onto the point $p'(x + a, y + b)$ in the w -plane. Similarly every point in the z -plane is mapped onto the w plane.

If we assume that the w -plane is super imposed on the z -plane, we observe that the point (x, y) and hence any figure is shifted by a distance $|C| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ in the direction of C i.e., translated by the vector representing C .

Hence this transformation transforms a circle into an equal circle. Also the corresponding regions in the z and w planes will have the same shape, size and orientation.

Problems based on $w = z + k$

Example: 1 What is the region of the w plane into which the rectangular region in the Z plane bounded by the lines $x = 0, y = 0, x = 1$ and $y = 2$ is mapped under the transformation $w = z + (2 - i)$

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = z + (2 - i)$$

$$(i.e.) u + iv = x + iy + (2 - i) = (x + 2) + i(y - 1)$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts

$$u = x + 2, v = y - 1$$

Given boundary lines are

$$x = 0$$

transformed boundary lines are

$$u = 0 + 2 = 2$$

$$y = 0$$

$$v = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$x = 1$$

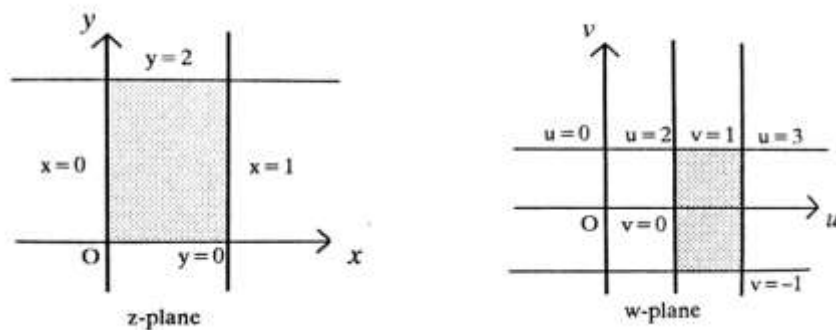
$$u = 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$y = 2$$

$$v = 2 - 1 = 1$$

Hence, the lines $x = 0, y = 0, x = 1,$ and $y = 2$ are mapped into the lines $u = 2, v = -1,$

$u = 3,$ and $v = 1$ respectively which form a rectangle in the w plane.



Example: 2 Find the image of the circle $|z| = 1$ by the transformation $w = z + 2 + 4i$

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = z + 2 + 4i$$

$$(i.e.) u + iv = x + iy + 2 + 4i$$

$$= (x + 2) + i(y + 4)$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = x + 2, v = y + 4,$$

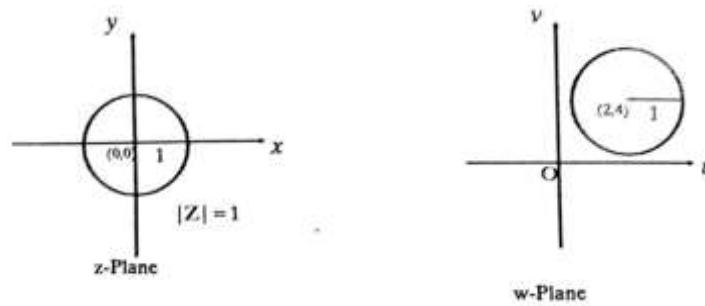
$$x = u - 2, y = v - 4,$$

Given $|z| = 1$

$$(i.e.) x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

$$(u - 2)^2 + (v - 4)^2 = 1$$

Hence, the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ is mapped into $(u - 2)^2 + (v - 4)^2 = 1$ in w plane which is also a circle with centre $(2, 4)$ and radius 1.



2. Magnification and Rotation

The transformation $w = cz$, where c is a complex constant, represents both magnification and rotation.

This means that the magnitude of the vector representing z is magnified by $a = |c|$ and its direction is rotated through angle $\alpha = \text{amp}(c)$. Hence the transformation consists of a magnification and a rotation.

Problems based on $w = cz$

Example: 3 Determine the region 'D' of the w -plane into which the triangular region D enclosed by the lines $x = 0, y = 0, x + y = 1$ is transformed under the transformation $w = 2z$.

Solution:

$$\text{Let } w = u + iv$$

$$z = x + iy$$

Given $w = 2z$

$$u + iv = 2(x + iy)$$

$$u + iv = 2x + i2y$$

$$u = 2x \Rightarrow x = \frac{u}{2}, v = 2y \Rightarrow y = \frac{v}{2}$$

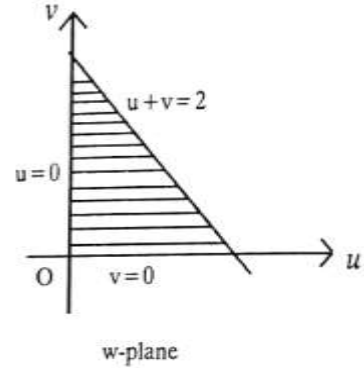
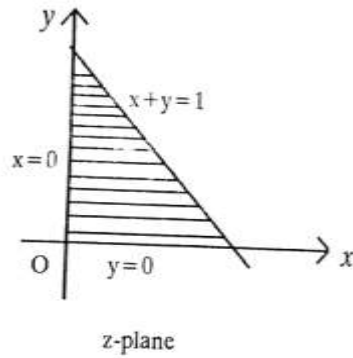
Given region (D) whose boundary lines are		Transformed region D' whose boundary lines are
$x = 0$	\Rightarrow	$u = 0$
$y = 0$	\Rightarrow	$v = 0$
$x + y = 1$	\Rightarrow	$\frac{u}{2} + \frac{v}{2} = 1 [\because x = \frac{u}{2}, y = \frac{v}{2}]$ (i.e.) $u + v = 2$

In the z plane the line $x = 0$ is transformed into $u = 0$ in the w plane.

In the z plane the line $y = 0$ is transformed into $v = 0$ in the w plane.

In the z plane the line $x + y = 1$ is transformed into $u + v = 2$

in the w plane.



Example: 4 Find the image of the circle $|z| = \lambda$ under the transformation $w = 5z$.

Solution:

Given $w = 5z$

$$|w| = 5|z|$$

i.e., $|w| = 5\lambda$ [$\because |z| = \lambda$]

Hence, the image of $|z| = \lambda$ in the z plane is transformed into $|w| = 5\lambda$ in the w plane under the transformation $w = 5z$.

Example: 5 Find the image of the circle $|z| = 3$ under the transformation $w = 2z$ [A.U N/D 2012] [A.U N/D 2016 R-13]

Solution:

Given $w = 2z$, $|z| = 3$

$$|w| = (2)|z|$$

$$= (2)(3), \quad \text{Since } |z| = 3$$

$$= 6$$

Hence, the image of $|z| = 3$ in the z plane is transformed into $|w| = 6$ w plane under the transformation $w = 2z$.

Example: 6 Find the image of the region $y > 1$ under the transformation

$$w = (1 - i)z.$$

[Anna, May – 1999]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = (1 - i)z.$$

$$\begin{aligned} u + v &= (1 - i)(x + iy) \\ &= x + iy - ix + y \\ &= (x + y) + i(y - x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{i.e., } u = x + y, \quad v = y - x$$

$$u + v = 2y \quad u - v = 2x$$

$$y = \frac{u+v}{2} \quad x = \frac{u-v}{2}$$

Hence, image region $y > 1$ is $\frac{u+v}{2} > 1$ i.e., $u + v > 2$ in the w plane.

3. Inversion and Reflection

The transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$ represents inversion w.r.to the unit circle $|z| = 1$,

followed by reflection in the real axis.

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{w}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + iy = \frac{1}{u+iv}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + iy = \frac{1}{u^2 + v^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{u^2 + v^2} \quad \dots (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{-v}{u^2 + v^2} \quad \dots (2)$$

We know that, the general equation of circle in z plane is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$

Substitute, (1) and (2) in (3) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{u^2}{(u^2 + v^2)^2} + \frac{v^2}{(u^2 + v^2)^2} + 2g\left(\frac{u}{u^2 + v^2}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{-v}{u^2 + v^2}\right) + c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow c(u^2 + v^2) + 2gu - 2fv + 1 &= 0 \quad \dots (4) \end{aligned}$$

which is the equation of the circle in w plane

Hence, under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$ a circle in z plane transforms to another circle in the w plane. When the circle passes through the origin we have $c = 0$ in (3). When $c = 0$, equation (4) gives a straight line.

Problems based on

$$w = \frac{1}{z}$$

Example: 7 Find the image of $|z - 2i| = 2$ under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$

[Anna – May 1999, May 2001] [A.U N/D 2016 R-18]

Solution:

Given $|z - 2i| = 2$ (1) is a circle.

$$\text{Centre} = (0,2)$$

$$\text{radius} = 2$$

$$\text{Given } w = \frac{1}{z} \Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{w}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow \left| \frac{1}{w} - 2i \right| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow |1 - 2wi| = 2|w|$$

$$\Rightarrow |1 - 2(u + iv)i| = 2|u + iv|$$

$$\Rightarrow |1 - 2ui + 2v| = 2|u + iv|$$

$$\Rightarrow |1 + 2v - 2ui| = 2|u + iv|$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(1 + 2v)^2 + (-2u)^2} = 2\sqrt{u^2 + v^2}$$

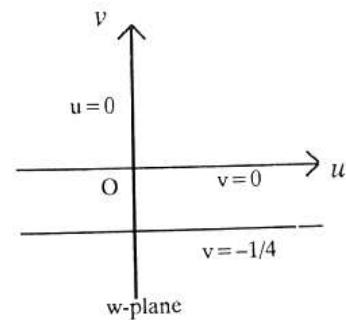
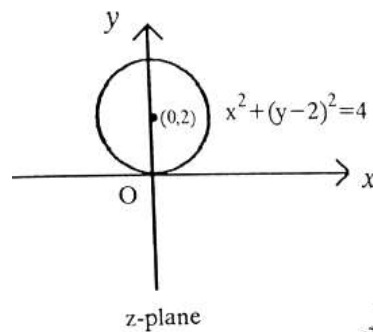
$$\Rightarrow (1 + 2v)^2 + 4u^2 = 4(u^2 + v^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 4v^2 + 4v + 4u^2 = 4(u^2 + v^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 4v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v = -\frac{1}{4}$$

Which is a straight line in w plane.



Example: 8 Find the image of the circle $|z - 1| = 1$ in the complex plane under the mapping $w = \frac{1}{z}$ [A.U N/D 2009] [A.U M/J 2016 R-8]

Solution:

Given $|z - 1| = 1$ (1) is a circle.

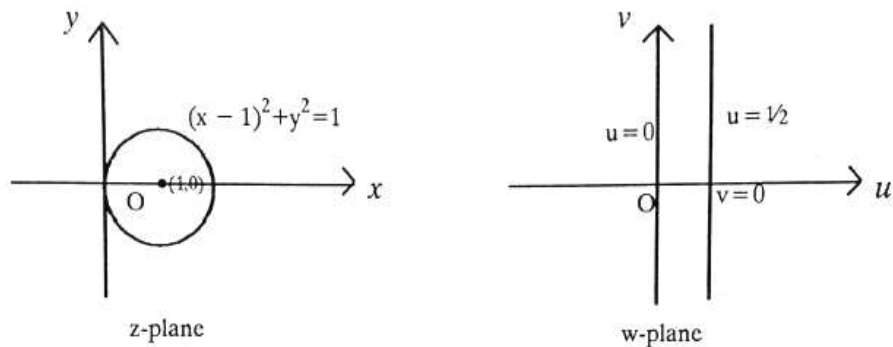
Centre =(1,0)

radius = 1

Given $w = \frac{1}{z} \Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{w}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1) \quad &\Rightarrow \left| \frac{1}{w} - 1 \right| = 1 \\
 &\Rightarrow |1 - w| = |w| \\
 &\Rightarrow |1 - (u + iv)| = |u + iv| \\
 &\Rightarrow |1 - u + iv| = |u + iv| \\
 &\Rightarrow \sqrt{(1 - u)^2 + (-v)^2} = \sqrt{u^2 + v^2} \\
 &\Rightarrow (1 - u)^2 + v^2 = u^2 + v^2 \\
 &\Rightarrow 1 + u^2 - 2u + v^2 = u^2 + v^2 \\
 &\Rightarrow 2u = 1 \\
 &\Rightarrow u = \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

which is a straight line in the w- plane



Example: 9 Find the image of the infinite strips

(i) $\frac{1}{4} < y < \frac{1}{2}$ (ii) $0 < y < \frac{1}{2}$ under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$

Solution:

Given $w = \frac{1}{z}$ (given)

i.e., $z = \frac{1}{w}$

$$z = \frac{1}{u+iv} = \frac{u-iv}{(u+iv)(u-iv)} = \frac{u-iv}{u^2+v^2}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{u-iv}{u^2+v^2} = \left[\frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \right] + i \left[\frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \right]$$

$$x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \dots (1), y = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \dots (2)$$

(i) Given strip is $\frac{1}{4} < y < \frac{1}{2}$

when $y = \frac{1}{4}$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \quad \text{by (2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 = -4v$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 + 4v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + (v + 2)^2 = 4$$

which is a circle whose centre is at $(0, -2)$ in the w plane and radius is $2k$.

when $y = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \quad \text{by (2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 = -2v$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 + 2v = 0$$

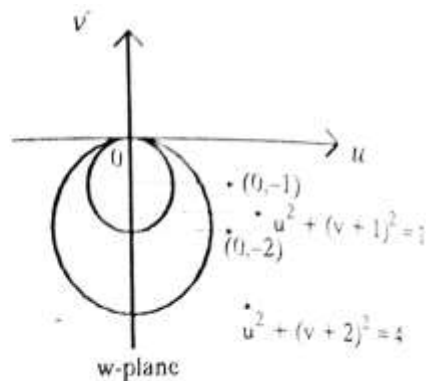
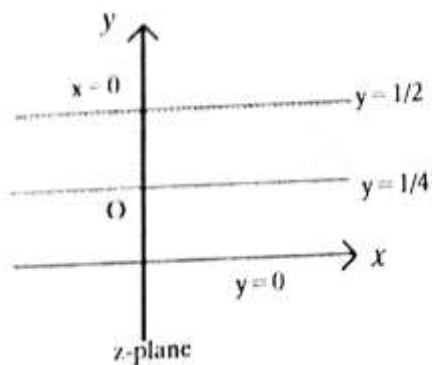
$$\Rightarrow u^2 + (v + 1)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + (v + 1)^2 = 1 \quad \dots\dots(3)$$

which is a circle whose centre is at $(0, -1)$ in the w plane and unit radius

Hence the infinite strip $\frac{1}{4} < y < \frac{1}{2}$ is transformed into the region in between circles

$u^2 + (v + 1)^2 = 1$ and $u^2 + (v + 2)^2 = 4$ in the w plane.



ii) Given strip is $0 < y < \frac{1}{2}$

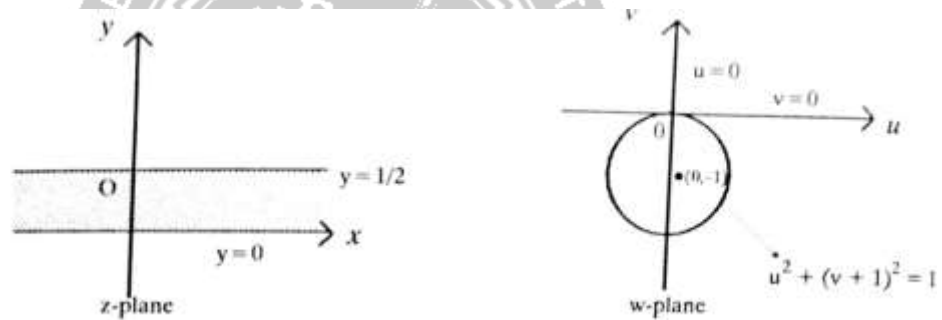
when $y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow v = 0 \quad \text{by} \quad (2)$$

when $y = \frac{1}{2}$ we get $u^2 + (v + 1)^2 = 1$ by (3)

Hence, the infinite strip $0 < y < \frac{1}{2}$ is mapped into the region outside the circle

$u^2 + (v + 1)^2 = 1$ in the lower half of the w plane.



Example: 10 Find the image of $x = 2$ under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$. [Anna – May 1998]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\text{i.e., } z = \frac{1}{w}$$

$$z = \frac{1}{u+iv} = \frac{u-iv}{(u+iv)(u-iv)} = \frac{u-iv}{u^2+v^2}$$

$$x + iy = \left[\frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \right] + i \left[\frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \right]$$

$$\text{i. e., } x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \dots (1), y = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \dots (2)$$

Given $x = 2$ in the z plane.

$$\therefore 2 = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \quad \text{by (1)}$$

$$2(u^2 + v^2) = u$$

$$u^2 + v^2 - \frac{1}{2}u = 0$$

which is a circle whose centre is $\left(\frac{1}{4}, 0\right)$ and radius $\frac{1}{4}$

$\therefore x = 2$ in the z plane is transformed into a circle in the w plane.

Example: 11 What will be the image of a circle containing the origin(i.e., circle passing through the origin) in the XY plane under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$?

[Anna – May 2002]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\text{i.e., } z = \frac{1}{w}$$

$$z = \frac{1}{u+iv} = \frac{u-iv}{(u+iv)(u-iv)} = \frac{u-iv}{u^2+v^2}$$

$$x + iy = \left[\frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \right] + i \left[\frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \right]$$

$$\text{i. e., } x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \quad \dots (1),$$

$$y = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \quad \dots (2)$$

Given region is circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ in z plane.

Substitute, (1) and (2), we get

$$\left[\frac{u^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} + \frac{v^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} \right] = a^2$$

$$\left[\frac{u^2+v^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} \right] = a^2$$

$$\frac{1}{(u^2+v^2)} = a^2$$

$$u^2 + v^2 = \frac{1}{a^2}$$

Therefore the image of circle passing through the origin in the XY –plane is a circle passing through the origin in the w – plane.

Example: 12 Determine the image of $1 < x < 2$ under the mapping $w = \frac{1}{z}$

Solution:

Given $w = \frac{1}{z}$

i.e., $z = \frac{1}{w}$

$$z = \frac{1}{u+iv} = \frac{u-iv}{(u+iv)(u-iv)} = \frac{u-iv}{u^2+v^2}$$

$$x + iy = \left[\frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \right] + i \left[\frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \right]$$

i.e., $x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \dots (1),$

$y = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \dots (2)$

Given $1 < x < 2$

When $x = 1$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \quad \text{by ... (1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 = u$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 - u = 0$$

which is a circle whose centre is $(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$ and is $\frac{1}{2}$

When $x = 2$

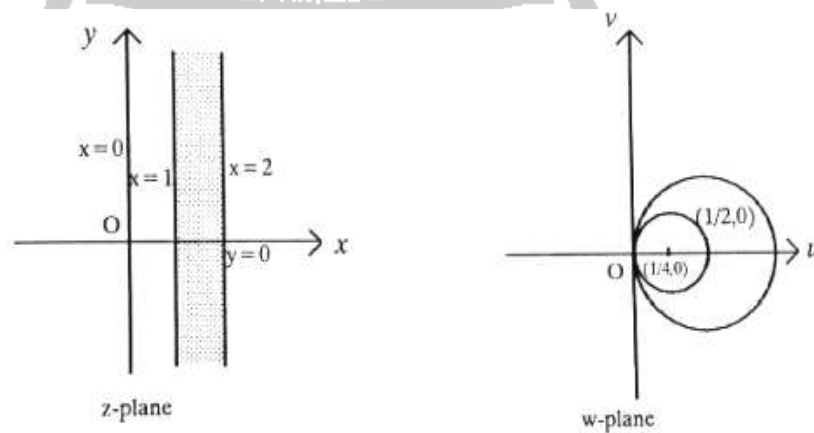
$$\Rightarrow 2 = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \quad \text{by ... (1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 = \frac{u}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 - \frac{u}{2} = 0$$

which is a circle whose centre is $(\frac{1}{4}, 0)$ and is $\frac{1}{4}$

Hence, the infinite strip $1 < x < 2$ is transformed into the region in between the circles in the w - plane.



Example: 13 Show the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$ transforms all circles and straight lines in the z – plane into circles or straight lines in the w – plane.

[A.U N/D 2007, J/J 2008, N/D 200] [A.U N/D 2016 R-13]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\text{i.e., } z = \frac{1}{w}$$

$$\text{Now, } w = u + iv$$

$$z = \frac{1}{w} = \frac{1}{u+iv} = \frac{u-iv}{u+iv+u-iv} = \frac{u-iv}{u^2+v^2}$$

$$\text{i.e., } x + iy = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} + i \frac{v}{u^2+v^2}$$

$$x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \quad \dots (1), \quad y = \frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \quad \dots (2)$$

The general equation of circle is

$$a(x^2 + y^2) + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$

$$a \left[\frac{u^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} + \frac{v^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} \right] + 2g \left[\frac{u}{u^2+v^2} \right] + 2f \left[\frac{-v}{u^2+v^2} \right] + c = 0$$

$$a \frac{(u^2+v^2)}{(u^2+v^2)^2} + 2g \frac{u}{u^2+v^2} - 2f \frac{v}{u^2+v^2} + c = 0$$

The transformed equation is

$$c(u^2 + v^2) + 2gu - 2fv + a = 0 \quad \dots (4)$$

- (i) $a \neq 0, c \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ circles not passing through the origin in z – plane map into circles not passing through the origin in the w – plane.

(ii) $a \neq 0, c = 0 \Rightarrow$ circles through the origin in z – plane map into straight lines not through the origin in the w – plane.

(iii) $a = 0, c \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ the straight lines not through the origin in z – plane map onto circles through the origin in the w – plane.

(iv) $a = 0, c = 0 \Rightarrow$ straight lines through the origin in z – plane map onto straight lines through the origin in the w – plane.

Example: 14 Find the image of the hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = 1$ under the transformation $w = \frac{1}{z}$. [A.U M/J 2010, M/J 2012]

Solution:

Given $w = \frac{1}{z}$

$$x + iy = \frac{1}{Re^{i\phi}}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{1}{R} e^{-i\phi} = \frac{1}{R} [\cos \phi - i \sin \phi]$$

$$x = \frac{1}{R} \cos \phi, \quad y = -\frac{1}{R} \sin \phi$$

Given $x^2 - y^2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{1}{R} \cos \phi \right]^2 - \left[-\frac{1}{R} \sin \phi \right]^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{\cos^2 \phi - \sin^2 \phi}{R^2} = 1$$

$$\cos 2\phi = R^2 \quad \text{i.e., } R^2 = \cos 2\phi$$

which is lemniscate

4. Transformation $w = z^2$

Problems based on $w = z^2$

Example: 15 Discuss the transformation $w = z^2$. [Anna – May 2001]

Solution:

Given $w = z^2$

$$u + iv = (x + iy)^2 = x^2 + (iy)^2 + i2xy = x^2 - y^2 + i2xy$$

$$i.e., u = x^2 - y^2 \quad \dots (1), \quad v = 2xy \quad \dots (2)$$

Elimination:

$$(2) \Rightarrow x = \frac{v}{2y}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow u = \left(\frac{v}{2y}\right)^2 - y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{v^2}{4y^2} - y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4uy^2 = v^2 - 4y^4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4uy^2 + 4y^4 = v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2[4u + 4y^2] = v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y^2[u + y^2] = v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 = 4y^2(y^2 + u)$$

when $y = c (\neq 0)$, we get

$$v^2 = 4c^2(u + c^2)$$

which is a parabola whose vertex at $(-c^2, 0)$ and focus at $(0,0)$

Hence, the lines parallel to X-axis in the z plane is mapped into family of confocal parabolas in the w plane.

$$\text{when } y = 0, \text{ we get } v^2 = 0 \text{ i.e., } v = 0, u = x^2 \text{ i.e., } u > 0$$

Hence, the line $y = 0$, in the z plane are mapped into $v = 0$, in the w plane.

Elimination:

$$(2) \Rightarrow y = \frac{v}{2x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (1) \Rightarrow u &= x^2 - \left(\frac{v}{2x}\right)^2 \\ \Rightarrow u &= x^2 - \frac{v^2}{4x^2} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{v^2}{4x^2} &= x^2 - u \\ \Rightarrow v^2 &= (4x^2)(x^2 - u) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{when } x = c (\neq 0), \text{ we get } v^2 = 4c^2(c^2 - u) = -4c^2(u - c^2)$$

which is a parabola whose vertex at $(c^2, 0)$ and focus at $(0,0)$ and axis lies along the u -axis and which is open to the left. Hence, the lines parallel to y axis in the z plane are mapped into confocal parabolas in the w plane when $x = 0$, we get

$$v^2 = 0. \text{ i.e., } v = 0, u = -y^2 \text{ i.e., } u < 0$$

i.e., the map of the entire y axis in the negative part or the left half of the u -axis.

Example: 16 Find the image of the hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = 10$ under the transformation $w = z^2$ if

$$w = u + iv$$

[Anna – May 1997]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = z^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} u + iv &= (x + iy)^2 \\ &= x^2 - y^2 + i2xy \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{i.e., } u = x^2 - y^2 \dots\dots (1)$$

$$v = 2xy \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\text{Given } x^2 - y^2 = 10$$

$$\text{i.e., } u = 10$$

Hence, the image of the hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = 10$ in the z plane is mapped into $u = 10$ in the w plane which is a straight line.

Example: 17 Determine the region of the w plane into which the circle $|z - 1| = 1$ is mapped by the transformation $w = z^2$.

Solution:

$$\text{In polar form } z = re^{i\theta}, w = Re^{i\phi}$$

$$\text{Given } |z - 1| = 1$$

$$\text{i.e., } |re^{i\theta} - 1| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |r \cos \theta + i r \sin \theta - 1| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |(r \cos \theta - 1) + i r \sin \theta| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (r \cos \theta - 1)^2 + (r \sin \theta)^2 = 1^2$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 \cos^2 \theta + 1 - 2r \cos \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 [\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta] = 2r \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 2r \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 2 \cos \theta \quad \dots (1)$$

Given $w = z^2$

$$Re^{i\phi} = (re^{i\theta})^2$$

$$Re^{i\phi} = r^2 e^{i2\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow R = r^2, \quad \phi = 2\theta$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow r^2 = (2 \cos \theta)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 4 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= 4 \left[\frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} \right]$$

$$r^2 = 2[1 + \cos 2\theta]$$

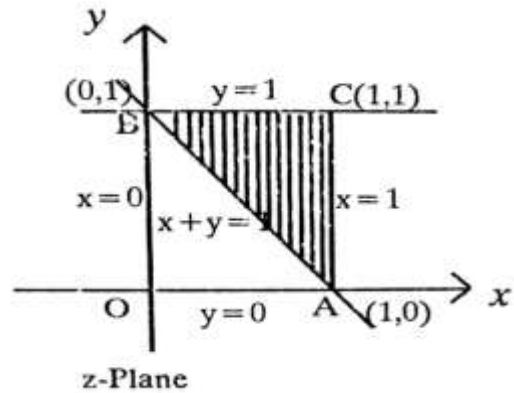
$$R = 2[1 + \cos \phi] \quad \text{by (2),}$$

which is a Cardioid

Example: 18 Find the image under the mapping $w = z^2$ of the triangular region bounded by $y = 1$, $x = 1$, and $x + y = 1$ and plot the same. [Anna, Oct., - 1997]

Solution:

In Z-plane given lines are $y = 1$, $x = 1$, $x + y = 1$



Given $w = z^2$

$$u + iv = (x + iy)^2$$

$$u + iv = x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = x^2 - y^2 \dots (1)$$

$$v = 2xy \dots (2)$$

When $x = 1$	When $y = 1$
$(1) \Rightarrow u$ $= 1 - y^2 \dots (3)$	$(1) \Rightarrow u = x^2$ $= -1 \dots (5)$
$(2) \Rightarrow v$ $= 2y \dots (4)$	$(2) \Rightarrow v = 2x \dots (6)$
$(4) \Rightarrow v^2 = 4y^2$ $v^2 = 4(1 - u) \text{ by (3)}$	$(6) \Rightarrow v^2 = 4x^2$ $= 4(u + 1) \text{ by (5)}$

i.e., $v^2 = -4(u - 1)$	
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when $x + y = 1$

$$(1) \Rightarrow u = (x + y)(x - y)$$

$$u = x - y \quad [\because x + y = 1]$$

$$u = \sqrt{(x + y)^2 - 4xy}$$

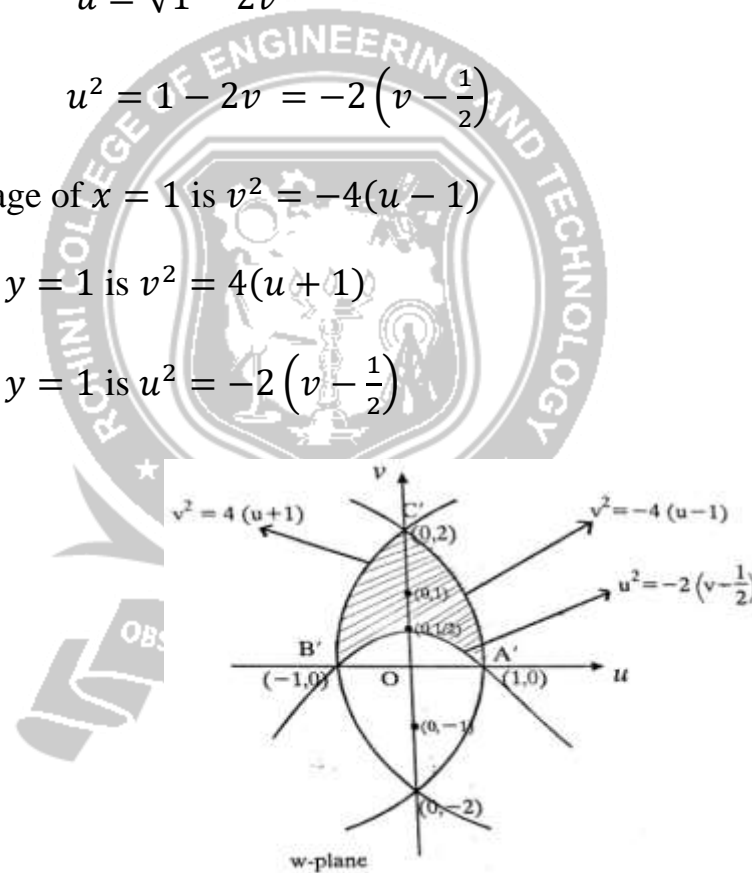
$$u = \sqrt{1 - 2v}$$

$$u^2 = 1 - 2v = -2\left(v - \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

\therefore The image of $x = 1$ is $v^2 = -4(u - 1)$

The image of $y = 1$ is $v^2 = 4(u + 1)$

The image of $x + y = 1$ is $u^2 = -2\left(v - \frac{1}{2}\right)$



$v^2 = -4(u - 1)$		
u	0	1
v	± 2	0

$v^2 = 4(u + 1)$		
u	0	-1
v	± 2	0

$u^2 = -2\left(v - \frac{1}{2}\right)$			
u	0	1	-1
v	1/2	0	0

Problems based on critical points of the transformation

Example: 19 Find the critical points of the transformation $w^2 = (z - \alpha)(z - \beta)$. [A.U Oct., 1997] [A.U N/D 2014] [A.U M/J 2016 R-13]

Solution:

Given $w^2 = (z - \alpha)(z - \beta) \dots(1)$

Critical points occur at $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$ and $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

Differentiation of (1) w. r. to z, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 2w \frac{dw}{dz} &= (z - \alpha) + (z - \beta) \\ &= 2z - (\alpha + \beta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dw}{dz} = \frac{2z - (\alpha + \beta)}{2w} \dots (2)$$

Case (i) $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2z - (\alpha + \beta)}{2w} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2z - (\alpha + \beta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2z = \alpha + \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}$$

Case (ii) $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2w}{2z - (\alpha + \beta)} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w}{z - \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow w = 0 \Rightarrow (z - \alpha)(z - \beta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \alpha, \beta$$

\therefore The critical points are $\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}$, α and β .

Example: 20 Find the critical points of the transformation $w = z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}$. [A.U

A/M 2017 R-13]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2} \quad \dots (1)$$

Critical points occur at $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$ and $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

Differentiation of (1) w. r. to z, we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dw}{dz} = 2z - \frac{2}{z^3} = \frac{2z^4 - 2}{z^3}$$

Case (i) $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2z^4 - 2}{z^3} = 0 \Rightarrow 2z^4 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z^4 - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \pm 1, \pm i$$

Case (ii) $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z^3}{2z^4 - 2} = 0 \Rightarrow z^3 = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$$

\therefore The critical points are $\pm 1, \pm i, 0$

Example: 21 Find the critical points of the transformation $w = z + \frac{1}{z}$

Solution:

Given $w = z + \frac{1}{z}$... (1)

Critical points occur at $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$ and $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

Differentiation of (1) w. r. to z, we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dw}{dz} = 1 - \frac{1}{z^2} = \frac{z^2 - 1}{z^2}$$

Case (i) $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z^2 - 1}{z^2} = 0 \Rightarrow z^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z = \pm 1$$

Case (ii) $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z^3}{z^2-1} = 0 \Rightarrow z^2 = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$$

\therefore The critical points are $0, \pm 1$.

Example: 22 Find the critical points of the transformation $w = 1 + \frac{2}{z}$. [A.U N/D

2013 R-08]

Solution:

Given $w = 1 + \frac{2}{z}$... (1)

Critical points occur at $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$ and $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

Differentiation of (1) w. r. to z , we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dw}{dz} = \frac{-2}{z^2}$$

Case (i) $\frac{dw}{dz} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-2}{z^2} = 0$$

Case (ii) $\frac{dz}{dw} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z^2}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$$

\therefore The critical points is $z = 0$

Example: 23 Prove that the transformation $w = \frac{z}{1-z}$ maps the upper half of the

z plane into the upper half of the w plane. What is the image of the circle $|z| =$

1 under this transformation.

[Anna, May – 2001]

Solution:

Given $|z| = 1$ is a circle

$$\text{Centre} = (0,0)$$

$$\text{Radius} = 1$$

$$\text{Given } w = \frac{z}{1-z}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{w}{w+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| = \left| \frac{w}{w+1} \right| = \frac{|w|}{|w+1|}$$

$$\text{Given } |z| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|w|}{|w+1|} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |w| = |w+1|$$

$$\Rightarrow |u+iv| = |u+iv+1|$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{u^2+v^2} = \sqrt{(u+1)^2+v^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2+v^2 = (u+1)^2+v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2+v^2 = u^2+2u+1+v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = 2u+1$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{-1}{2}$$

Further the region $|z| < 1$ transforms into $u > \frac{-1}{2}$

BILINEAR TRANSFORMATION

Introduction

The transformation $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$, $ad - bc \neq 0$ where a, b, c, d are complex numbers, is called a bilinear transformation.

This transformation was first introduced by A.F. Mobius, So it is also called Mobius transformation.

A bilinear transformation is also called a linear fractional transformation because $\frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ is a fraction formed by the linear functions $az + b$ and $cz + d$.

Theorem: 1 Under a bilinear transformation no two points in z plane go to the same point in w plane.

Proof:

Suppose z_1 and z_2 go to the same point in the w plane under the transformation $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$.

$$\text{Then } \frac{az_1+b}{cz_1+d} = \frac{az_2+b}{cz_2+d}$$

$$\Rightarrow (az_1 + b)(cz_2 + d) = (az_2 + b)(cz_1 + d)$$

$$i. e., (az_1 + b)(cz_2 + d) - (az_2 + b)(cz_1 + d) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow acz_1 z_2 + adz_1 + bcz_2 + bd - acz_1 z_2 - adz_2 - bcz_1 - bd = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (ad - bc)(z_1 - z_2) = 0$$

$$\text{or } z_1 = z_2 \quad [\because ad - bc \neq 0]$$

This implies that no two distinct points in the z plane go to the same point in w plane. So, each point in the z plane go to a unique point in the w plane.

Theorem: 2 The bilinear transformation which transforms z_1, z_2, z_3 into

$$w_1, w_2, w_3 \text{ is } \frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

Proof:

If the required transformation $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$.

$$\Rightarrow w - w_1 = \frac{az+b}{cz+d} - \frac{az_1+b}{cz_1+d} = \frac{(ad-bc)(z-z_1)}{(cz+d)(cz_1+d)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (cz+d)(cz_1+d)(w-w_1) = (ad-bc)(z-z_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (cz_2+d)(cz_3+d)(w_2-w_3) = (ad-bc)(z_2-z_3)$$

$$\Rightarrow (cz+d)(cz_3+d)(w-w_3) = (ad-bc)(z-z_3)$$

$$\Rightarrow (cz_2+d)(cz_1+d)(w_2-w_1) = (ad-bc)(z_2-z_1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} &= \frac{\left[\frac{(ad-bc)(z-z_1)}{(cz+d)(cz_1+d)}\right] \left[\frac{(ad-bc)(z_2-z_3)}{(cz_2+d)(cz_3+d)}\right]}{\left[\frac{(ad-bc)(z-z_3)}{(cz+d)(cz_3+d)}\right] \left[\frac{(ad-bc)(z_2-z_1)}{(cz_2+d)(cz_1+d)}\right]} \\ &= \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)} \quad \dots (1)$$

$$\text{Let : } A = \frac{w_2-w_3}{w_2-w_1}, B = \frac{z_2-z_3}{z_2-z_1}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow \frac{w-w_1}{w-w_3} A = \frac{z-z_1}{z-z_3} B$$

$$\frac{wA-w_1A}{w-w_3} = \frac{zB-z_1B}{z-z_3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow wAz - wAz_3 - w_1Az + w_1Az_3 &= wBz - wz_1B - w_3zB + w_3z_1B \\ \Rightarrow w[(A - B)z + (Bz_1 - Az_3)] &= (Aw_1 - Bw_3)z + (Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3) \\ \Rightarrow w &= \frac{(Aw_1 - Bw_3)z + (Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3)}{(A - B)z + (Bz_1 - Az_3)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{az+b}{cz+d}, \text{ Hence } a = Aw_1 - Bw_3, b = Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3, c = A -$$

$$B, d = Bz_1 - Az_3$$

Cross ratio

Definition:

Given four point z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4 in this order, the ratio $\frac{(z-z_1)(z_3-z_4)}{(z_2-z_3)(z_4-z_1)}$ is called

the cross ratio of the points.

Note: (1) $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ can be expressed as $cwz + dw - (az + b) = 0$

It is linear both in w and z that is why, it is called bilinear.

Note: (2) This transformation is conformal only when $\frac{dw}{dz} \neq 0$

$$i.e., \frac{ad - bc}{(cz + d)^2} \neq 0$$

$$i.e., ad - bc \neq 0$$

If $ad - bc \neq 0$, every point in the z plane is a critical point.

Note: (3) Now, the inverse of the transformation $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ is $z = \frac{-dw+b}{cw-a}$ which is

also a bilinear transformation except $w = \frac{a}{c}$.

Note: (4) Each point in the plane except $z = \frac{-d}{c}$ corresponds to a unique point in the w plane.

The point $z = \frac{-d}{c}$ corresponds to the point at infinity in the w plane.

Note: (5) The cross ratio of four points

$$\frac{(w_1 - w_2)(w_3 - w_4)}{(w_2 - w_3)(w_4 - w_1)} = \frac{(z_1 - z_2)(z_3 - z_4)}{(z_2 - z_3)(z_4 - z_1)}$$
 is invariant under bilinear

transformation.

Note: (6) If one of the points is the point at infinity the quotient of those difference which involve this points is replaced by 1.

Suppose $z_1 = \infty$, then we replace $\frac{z-z_1}{z_2-z_1}$ by 1 (or) Omit the factors involving ∞

Example: 1 Find the fixed points of $w = \frac{2zi+5}{z-4i}$.

Solution:

The fixed points are given by replacing w by z

$$z = \frac{2zi+5}{z-4i}$$

$$z^2 - 4iz = 2zi + 5 ; z^2 - 6iz - 5 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{6i \pm \sqrt{-36+20}}{2} \quad \therefore z = 5i, i$$

Example: 2 Find the invariant points of $w = \frac{1+z}{1-z}$

Solution:

The invariant points are given by replacing w by z

$$z = \frac{1+z}{1-z}$$

$$\Rightarrow z - z^2 = 1 + z$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \pm i$$

Example: Obtain the invariant points of the transformation $w = 2 - \frac{2}{z}$. [Anna, May 1996]

Solution:

The invariant points are given by

$$z = 2 - \frac{2}{z};$$

$$z = \frac{2z-2}{z}$$

$$z^2 = 2z - 2; \quad z^2 - 2z + 2 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-8}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm 2i}{2} = 1 \pm i$$

Example: 4 Find the fixed point of the transformation $w = \frac{6z-9}{z}$. [A.U N/D 2005]

Solution:

The fixed points are given by replacing $w = z$

$$\text{i.e., } w = \frac{6z-9}{z} \Rightarrow z = \frac{6z-9}{z}$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 = 6z - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 - 6z + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z - 3)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = 3,3$$

The fixed points are 3, 3.

Example: 5 Find the invariant points of the transformation $w = \frac{2z+6}{z+7}$. [A.U M/J 2009]

Solution:

The invariant (fixed) points are given by

$$w = \frac{2z+6}{z+7}$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 + 7z = 2z + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 + 5z - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z + 6)(z - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = -6, z = 1$$

Example: 6 Find the invariant points of $f(z) = z^2$. [A.U M/J 2014 R-13]

Solution:

The invariant points are given by $z = w = f(z)$

$$\Rightarrow z = z^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 - z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z(z - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = 0, \quad z = 1$$

Example 7 Find the invariant points of a function $f(z) = \frac{z^3+7z}{7-6zi}$. [A.U D15/J16

R-13]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } w = f(z) = \frac{z^3+7z}{7-6zi}$$

The invariant points are given by

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{z^3+7z}{7-6zi}$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 - 6zi = z^2 + 7$$

$$\Rightarrow -6zi = z^2 \Rightarrow z^2 + 6zi = 0 \Rightarrow z(z + 6i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = 0, z = -6i$$

PROBLEMS BASED ON BILINEAR TRANSFORMATION

Example: 8 Find the bilinear transformation that maps the points $z = 0, -1, i$ into the points $w = i, 0, \infty$ respectively. [A.U. A/M 2015 R-13, A.U N/D 2013, N/D 2014]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } z_1 = 0, z_2 = -1, z_3 = i,$$

$$w_1 = i, w_2 = 0, w_3 = \infty,$$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

[omit the factors involving w_3 , since $w_3 = \infty$]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-w_1}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-i}{0-i} = \frac{(z-0)(-1-i)}{(z-i)(-1-0)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-i}{-i} = \frac{z}{(z-i)} (1+i)$$

$$\Rightarrow w-i = \frac{z}{(z-i)} (-i+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{z}{(z-i)} (-i+1) + i = \frac{-iz+z+iz+1}{(z-i)} = \frac{z+1}{z-i}$$

Aliter: Given $z_1 = 0, z_2 = -1, z_3 = i,$

$$w_1 = i, w_2 = 0, w_3 = \infty,$$

Let the required transformation be

$$w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d} \dots (1), ad - bc \neq 0$$

$$i = \frac{b}{d}$$

$$w_1 = \frac{az_1+b}{cz_1+d}$$

$$i = \frac{b}{d}$$

$$b = di$$

$$w_2 = \frac{az_2+b}{cz_2+d}$$

$$0 = \frac{-a+b}{-c+d}$$

$$\Rightarrow -a + b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b$$

$$w_3 = \frac{az_3+b}{cz_3+d}$$

$$\frac{1}{0} = \frac{ai+b}{ci+d}$$

$$\Rightarrow ci + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow d = -ci$$

$$\therefore a = b = di = c$$

$$\therefore (1) \Rightarrow w = \frac{az+a}{az+\frac{a}{i}} = \frac{z+1}{z+\frac{1}{i}} = \frac{z+1}{z-i}$$

Example: 9 Find the bilinear transformation that maps the points $\infty, i, 0$ onto $0, i, \infty$ respectively [Anna, May 1997] [A.U N/D 2012] [A.U A/M 2017 R-08]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } z_1 = \infty, z_2 = i, z_3 = 0, w_1 = 0, w_2 = i, w_3 = \infty,$$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

[omit the factors involving z_1 , and w_3 , since $z_1 = \infty, w_3 = \infty$]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-w_1}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{(z_2-z_3)}{z-z_3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-0}{i-0} = \frac{i-0}{z-0}$$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{-1}{z}$$

Example: 10 Find the bilinear transformation which maps the points $1, i, -1$ onto the points $0, 1, \infty$, show that the transformation maps the interior of the unit circle of the z - plane onto the upper half of the w - plane. [A.U. May 2001] [A.U M/J 2014] [A.U D15/J16 R-13]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } z_1 = 1, z_2 = i, z_3 = -1$$

$$w_1 = 0, w_2 = 1, w_3 = \infty,$$

Let the transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

[Omit the factors involving w_3 , since $w_3 = \infty$]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-w_1}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{w-0}{1-0} = \frac{(z-1)(i+1)}{(z+1)(i-1)} \quad \because \left[\frac{(i+1)}{(i-1)} \frac{(i+1)}{(i+1)} \right] = \left[\frac{i^2+i+i+1}{i^2-i^2} \right] = \left[\frac{2i}{-2} \right] = -i$$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{(z-1)(i+1)}{(z+1)(i-1)}$$

$$= \frac{z-1}{z+1} [-i]$$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{(-i)z+i}{(1)z+1} \left[\because w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}, ad - bc \neq 0 \text{ Form} \right]$$

To find z:

$$\Rightarrow wz + w = -iz + i$$

$$\Rightarrow wz + iz = -w + i$$

$$\Rightarrow z[w + i] = -w + i$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{(w-i)}{w+i}$$

To prove: $|z| < 1$ maps $v > 0$

$$\Rightarrow |z| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{-(w-i)}{w+i} \right| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{w-i}{w+i} \right| < 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow |w - i| &< |w + i| \\ \Rightarrow |u + iv - i| &< |u + iv + i| \\ \Rightarrow |u + i(v - 1)| &< |u + i(v + 1)| \\ \Rightarrow u^2 + (v - 1)^2 &< u^2 + (v + 1)^2 \\ \Rightarrow (v - 1)^2 &< (v + 1)^2 \\ \Rightarrow v^2 - 2v + 1 &< v^2 + 2v + 1 \\ \Rightarrow -4v &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow v &> 0 \end{aligned}$$

Example: 11 Determine the bilinear transformation that maps the points $-1, 0, 1$, in the z plane onto the points $0, i, 3i$ in the w plane. [Anna, May 1999]

Solution:

Given $z_1 = -1, z_2 = 0, z_3 = 1,$

$w_1 = 0, w_2 = i, w_3 = 3i,$

Let the required transformation be

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} &= \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{(w-0)(i-3i)}{(w-3i)(i-0)} &= \frac{[z-(-1)][0-1]}{(z-1)[0-(-1)]} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{w(-2i)}{(w-3i)(i)} &= \frac{(z+1)(-1)}{(z-1)(1)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{-2w}{w-3i} &= \frac{z+1}{z-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2w}{w-3i} = \frac{z+1}{z-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2wz - 2w = wz + w - 3zi - 3i$$

$$\Rightarrow 2wz - 2w - wz - w = -3i(z + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow w[2z - 2 - z - 1] = -3i(z + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow w[z - 3] = -3i(z + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow w = -3i \frac{(z+1)}{(z-3)}$$

Note: Either image or object or both are infinity should not apply the following Aliter method.

Aliter:

Given $z_1 = -1, z_2 = 0, z_3 = 1,$

$w_1 = 0, w_2 = i, w_3 = 3i,$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

Let $A = \frac{w_2-w_3}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{i-3i}{i-0} = \frac{-2i}{i} = -2$

$$B = \frac{z_2-z_3}{z_2-z_1} = \frac{0-1}{0+1} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = Aw_1 - Bw_3 = 0 + 3i = 3i$$

$$\Rightarrow b = Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3 = (-1)(3i)(-1) - 0 = 3i$$

$$\Rightarrow c = A - B = (-2) - (-1) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow d = Bz_1 - Az_3 = (-1)(-1) - (-2)(1) = 3$$

We know that, $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$, $ad - bc \neq 0$

$$\therefore w = \frac{(3i)+z(3i)}{(-1)z+3}$$

Example: 12 Find the bilinear transformation which maps the points $-2, 0, 2$ into the points $w = 0, 1, -i$ respectively. [Anna, May 2002]

Solution:

Given $z_1 = -1, z_2 = 0, z_3 = 2,$

$w_1 = 0, w_2 = i, w_3 = -i,$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

Let $A = \frac{w_2-w_3}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{i+i}{i-0} = \frac{2i}{i} = 2$

$B = \frac{z_2-z_3}{z_2-z_1} = \frac{0-2}{0+2} = -1$

$\Rightarrow a = Aw_1 - Bw_3 = (2)(0) - (-1)(-1) = -1$

$\Rightarrow b = Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3 = (-1)(-i)(-2) - (2)(0)(2) = -2i$

$\Rightarrow c = A - B = 2 - (-1) = 3$

$\Rightarrow d = Bz_1 - Az_3 = (-1)(-1) - (2)(2) = -3$

We know that, $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$, $ad - bc \neq 0$

$$\therefore w = \frac{(-1)z+(-2i)}{3z+(-3)}$$

Example: 13 Find the bilinear transformation which maps $z = 1, i, -1$ respectively onto $w = i, 0, -i$. Hence find the fixed points. [A.U, May 2001]

[A.U April 2016 R-15 U.D]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } z_1 = 1, z_2 = i, z_3 = -1,$$

$$w_1 = i, w_2 = 0, w_3 = -i,$$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

$$\text{Let } A = \frac{w_2-w_3}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{0+i}{0-i} = -1$$

$$B = \frac{z_2-z_3}{z_2-z_1} = \frac{i+1}{i-1} = -i$$

$$\Rightarrow a = Aw_1 - Bw_3 = (-1)(i) - (-i)(-i) = -i + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b = Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3 = (-i)(-i)(1) - (-1)(i)(-1) = -1 - i$$

$$\Rightarrow c = A - B = (-1) - (-i) = -1 + i$$

$$\Rightarrow d = Bz_1 - Az_3 = (-i)(1) - (-1)(-1) = -i - 1$$

We know that, $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}, ad - bc \neq 0$

$$\therefore w = \frac{(-i+1)z+(-1-i)}{(-1+i)z+(-i-1)} = \frac{iz+1}{(-i)z+1}$$

Example: 14 Find the bilinear transformation which maps $z = 0$ onto $w = -i$ and has -1 and 1 as the invariant points. Also show that under this

transformation the upper half of the z plane maps onto the interior of the unit circle in the w plane. [A.U A/M 2017 R-13]

Solution:

$$\text{Given } z_1 = 0, \quad z_2 = -1, \quad z_3 = 1,$$

$$w_1 = -i, \quad w_2 = -1, \quad w_3 = 1,$$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

$$\text{Let } A = \frac{w_2-w_3}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{-1-1}{-1-i} = \frac{-2}{-1-i} = 1+i$$

$$B = \frac{z_2-z_3}{z_2-z_1} = \frac{-1-1}{-1-0} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = Aw_1 - Bw_3 = (1+i)(-i) - 2(1) = -i + 1 - 2 = -i - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b = Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3 = (2)(1)(0) - (1+i)(-i)(1) = i - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c = A - B = (1+i) - 2 = i - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow d = Bz_1 - Az_3 = (2)(0) - (1+i)(1) = -(1+i)$$

We know that, $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}, ad - bc \neq 0$

$$\therefore w = \frac{(-i+1)z+(i-1)}{(i-1)z+(-1-i)} = \frac{z+(-i)}{(-i)z+1}$$

$$\text{We know that, } z = \frac{-dw+b}{cw-a} = \frac{-w-i}{-iw-1} = \frac{w+i}{1+wi}$$

$$z = \frac{u+iv+i}{1+(u+iv)i}$$

$$= \frac{u+iv+i}{1+iu-v} = \frac{u+iv+i}{(1-v)+iu}$$

$$= \left[\frac{u+iv+i}{(1-v)+iu} \right] \left[\frac{1-v-iu}{(1-v)-iu} \right]$$

$$= \frac{u-uv-iu^2+iv-iv^2+uv+i-iv+u}{(1-v)^2+u^2}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{2u+i[-u^2-v^2+1]}{(1-v)^2+u^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1-u^2-v^2}{(1-v)^2+u^2}$$

Upper half of the z -plane

$$\Rightarrow y \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1-u^2-v^2}{(1-v)^2+u^2} \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-u^2-v^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \geq u^2+v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2+v^2 \leq 1$$

Therefore the upper half of the z -plane maps onto the interior of the unit circles in the w -plane.

Example: 15 Find the Bilinear transformation that maps the points $1+i$, $-i$, $2-i$ of the z -plane into the points 0 , 1 , i of the w -plane.

[A.U M/J 2007, N/D 2007]

Solution:

$$\begin{array}{l|l} \text{Given } z_1 = 1+i & w_1 = 0 \\ z_2 = -i & w_2 = 1 \end{array}$$

$$z_3 = 2 - i \quad w_3 = i$$

Let the required transformation be

$$\frac{(w-w_1)(w_2-w_3)}{(w-w_3)(w_2-w_1)} = \frac{(z-z_1)(z_2-z_3)}{(z-z_3)(z_2-z_1)}$$

$$\text{Let } A = \frac{w_2-w_3}{w_2-w_1} = \frac{1-i}{1-0} = 1-i = \frac{1-i}{1+2i} (1+2i) = \frac{3+i}{1+2i}$$

$$B = \frac{z_2-z_3}{z_2-z_1} = \frac{-i-2+i}{-i-1-i} = \frac{-2}{-1-2i} = \frac{2}{1+2i}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = Aw_1 - Bw_3 = \left(\frac{3+i}{1+2i}\right)(0) - \left(\frac{2}{1+2i}\right)(i) = \frac{-2i}{1+2i}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = Bw_3z_1 - Aw_1z_3 = \left(\frac{2}{1+2i}\right)(i)(1+i) - 0 = \frac{-2+2i}{1+2i}$$

$$\Rightarrow c = A - B = \frac{3+i}{1+2i} - \frac{2}{1+2i} = \frac{1+i}{1+2i}$$

$$\Rightarrow d = Bz_1 - Az_3 = \left(\frac{2}{1+2i}\right)(1+i) - \left(\frac{3+i}{1+2i}\right)(2-i) = \frac{-5+3i}{1+2i}$$

We know that, $w = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$, $ad - bc \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{\left(\frac{-2i}{1+2i}\right)z + \left(\frac{2i-2}{1+2i}\right)}{\left(\frac{1+i}{1+2i}\right)z + \left(\frac{3i-5}{1+2i}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{(-2i)z + (2i-2)}{(1+i)z + (3i-5)}$$

Verification:

(i) If $z = 1 + i$, then

$$\begin{aligned} w &= \frac{(-2i)(1+i) + (2i-2)}{(1+i)(1+i) + (3i-5)} \\ &= \frac{-2i+2+2i-2}{(1+i)(1+i) + (3i-5)} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) If $z = -i$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 w &= \frac{(-2i)(-i) + (2i-2)}{(1+i)(-i) + (3i-5)} \\
 &= \frac{-2+2i-2}{-i+1+3i-5} = \frac{2i-4}{2i-4} = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) If $z = -i$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 w &= \frac{(-2i)(2-i) + (2i-2)}{(1+i)(2-i) + (3i-5)} = \frac{-4i-2+2i-2}{2-i+2i+1+3i-5} \\
 &= \frac{-2i-4}{4i-2} = \frac{-i-2}{2i-1} \times \frac{2i+1}{2i+1} \\
 &= \frac{2-i-4i-2}{-4-1} = \frac{-5i}{-5} = i
 \end{aligned}$$

