

**Math 514 (092)**  
**Midterm Take Home Exam**  
**Due: Monday May 10.**

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1. Choose the negative real axis to be the branch cut for  $\log z$  and  $\sqrt{z}$ . Determine the branch cuts for  $\ln(2 + \sqrt{z+1})$  that correspond to the two branches of  $\sqrt{z}$ .

2. Evaluate:  $PV \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos x}{1-x^3} dx$ .

3. Use the definition to evaluate the Fourier transform and to verify the inverse formula for

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{t+1}.$$

4. Find a solution that satisfies:

$$u_{xx} + y^2 u_{yy} + y u_y = 0, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad 0 < y < \infty,$$

$$u_x(0, y) = 0, \quad u(1, y) = H(1-y), \quad 0 < y < \infty.$$

Comment on the behavior of the solution as  $y \rightarrow 0$  and  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .

5. Solve

$$u_t = 4u_{xx}, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0,$$

$$u(0, t) = 10, \quad u(1, t) = 0, \quad t > 0,$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0, \quad 0 < x < 1.$$

6. Given that  $\mathcal{L}\{J_0(ar)\} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{s^2 + a^2}}$ , show that  $\mathcal{L}_1\{e^{-ar}\} = \frac{k}{(a^2 + k^2)^{3/2}}$ .

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