

**Homework Set 8**

DUE: Tues, March 31, 2009.

The *Problem Collection* is at<http://www.math.upenn.edu/kazdan/609S09/hw/hw-collection.html>

1. Problem Collection p. 12 #6
2. Problem Collection p. 22 #5
3. Problem Collection p. 51 #3, 4 [deleted: does not exist]
4. Problem Collection p. 54 #12, 15
5. Problem Collection p. 55 #18
6. Problem Collection p. 56 #26
7. Problem Collection p. 57 #31
8. Some results on Infinite Products.
  - a) Let  $0 \leq b_k$  and  $b_k \neq 1$ . If  $\sum b_k$  converges, show that  $\prod(1 - b_k)$  converges. [HINT: First do the special case where  $b_1 + b_2 + \cdots < \frac{1}{2}$ . The general case reduces to this by simply discarding a finite number of terms.]
  - b) If  $0 \leq b_k < 1$  but  $\sum b_k$  diverges, show that  $\prod(1 - b_k)$  diverges to 0.
  - c) Let  $a_k \in \mathbb{C}$ . Show that  $\prod(1 + a_k)$  converges absolutely if and only if  $\sum |a_k|$  converges.
  - d) If  $\prod(1 + a_k)$  converges absolutely, prove that  $\prod(1 + a_k)$  converges.
9. Let  $f$  be an entire function that is never zero. Show there is an entire function  $g$  so that  $f(z) = e^{g(z)}$ . [HINT: Use the entire function  $h(z) := f'(z)/f(z)$  to obtain  $g$ ].

**Bonus Problem** Let  $f$  be an entire function with the two properties:

$$a). f(x + 2\pi) = f(x) \text{ for all } x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad b). |f(z)| \leq e^{c|z|} \text{ for some } c > 0.$$

Show that  $f$  has the form  $f(z) = \sum_{k=-n}^n a_k e^{ikz}$  where  $n \leq c$ .