



## Analytic Bounded Point Evaluation Over Crescent Regions

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**Abstract:** In this study, I will prove that if  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$ , then under certain conditions over the region  $G$ , we conclude that  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^i(\mu|_{G \setminus \Delta(\alpha; \delta)}))$  for some  $\delta > 0$ .

## INTRODUCTION

Recall that  $G$  is a crescent region if  $G = W \setminus \bar{V}$  where,  $V$  and  $W$  are Jordan regions such that  $V \subseteq W$  and  $\bar{V} \cap \partial W$  is a single point (the multiple boundary point of  $G$ ). Now let,  $\partial_o G$  be the inner boundary of the region  $G$  (that is  $\partial V$ ) and let  $\partial_\infty G$  be the outer boundary of  $G$  (that is  $\partial W$ ). For any crescent  $G$ , we let  $V_G$  denote the boundary component of  $\bar{C}/\bar{G}$  and we let  $\text{mbp}(G)$  denote the multiple boundary point of  $G$ . Throughout the work that follows we let  $G$  be a crescent region such that  $\partial_\infty G = \partial D$  and  $\text{mbp}(G) = 1$ . This assumption on  $\partial_\infty G$  simplifies our main result, even though our main result carry through for general crescents. By a Mobius transformations of the disk, we may assume that  $0 \in V_G$ .

A complex number  $z$  is called a bounded point evaluation for  $P^i(\mu)$  if there is a constant  $M$  such that  $|p(z)| \leq M \cdot \|p\|_{L^1(\mu)}$  for all polynomials  $p$ ; the collection of all such points is denoted  $\text{bpe}(P^i(\mu))$ . If  $z \in \mathbb{C}$  and there are positive constants  $M$  and  $r$  such that  $|p(w)| \leq M \cdot \|p\|_{L^1(\mu)}$  whenever  $p$  is a polynomial and  $|w - z| < r$ , then, we call  $z$  an analytic bounded point evaluation for  $P^i(\mu)$ ; the set of all points  $z$  of this type is denoted by  $\text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$ . Notice that

$\text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$  is an open subset of  $\text{bpe}(P^i(\mu))$  and by the maximum modulus theorem, each component of  $\text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$  is simply connected. If  $z \in \text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$ , then by the Hahn-Banach and Riesz representation theorems, there exists  $K_z$  in  $L^s(\mu)$  such that  $(1/s + 1/t = 1)$  such that  $p(z) = \int p(\zeta) K_z(\zeta) d(\zeta)$  for each poly-nomial  $p$ . For  $f$  in  $P^i(\mu)$ , define  $\hat{f}$  on  $\text{bpe}(P^i(\mu))$  by  $\hat{f}(z) = \int f(\zeta) K_z(\zeta) d(\zeta)$ . Observe that  $\hat{f} = f$  a.e.  $\mu$  on  $\text{bpe}(P^i(\mu))$  and in fact  $z \rightarrow \hat{f}(z)$  is analytic on  $\text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$ . The set  $\text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$  support  $(\mu)$  can be thought of as a set of over-convergence for  $P^i(\mu)$ . I will start first by stating two important results that appears by Al-Hami (2015) and Akeroyd and Alhami (2002), (respectively) and needed for the proof of Theorem 3.

**Theorem 1:** Let  $\mu$  be a finite, positive Borel measure with compact support in  $\mathbb{C}$  such that  $D \subseteq \text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$ . If  $K$  is a compact subset of  $D$ , then  $D \subseteq \text{abpe}(P^i(\mu|_{(\mathbb{C} \setminus K)}))$ .

**Theorem 2:** Let  $\mu$  be any finite, positive Borel measure with compact support in  $\mathbb{C}$  and choose  $\lambda$  in  $\mathbb{C}/\text{support}(\mu)$ . Then  $\lambda \in \text{abpe}(P^i(\mu))$  if and only if  $1/\lambda \notin P^i(\mu)$ .

## MAIN RESULTS

**Theorem 3:** Let  $\mu$  be a finite, positive Borel measure with support in  $\bar{D}$  such that  $\partial\mu = \omega dA$  ( $dA$  denotes area measure on  $C$ ) where  $\omega \in L^\infty(dA)$ . If  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\mu))$  and  $1 \leq t < \infty$ , then for any point  $\alpha$  in  $\partial D$  and  $0 < r < 1$ ,  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t \mu|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)} + |s|_{\gamma_r})$  where  $\Delta(\alpha; r) = \{z: |z-\alpha| < r\}$ ,  $\Gamma_r := \partial\Delta(\alpha; r)$ ,  $\gamma_r := \Gamma_r \cap \bar{D}$  and  $s$  denotes normalized arclength measure on  $\Gamma_r$ .

**Proof:** Choose  $\alpha$  in  $\partial D$  and  $0 < r < 1$ . Let  $\Delta(\alpha; r) = \{z: |z-\alpha| < r\}$ , let  $\Gamma_r := \partial\Delta(\alpha; r)$  and let  $K_r = (\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)) \cup \Gamma_r$ . Let  $\eta$  denote the sweep of  $\mu|_{D \cap \Delta(\alpha; r)} + \delta_\alpha$  to  $\Gamma_r$  and let  $\nu = \mu|_{(\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r))} + \eta$ ; observe that  $\|P\|_{L^t(\mu)} \leq \|P\|_{L^t(\nu)} \|p\|$  for any  $p$  in  $P$  and so  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\nu))$ . Let  $R^t(K_r, \nu)$  denote the closure of  $\text{Rat}(K_r)$  in  $L^t(\nu)$ .

**Claim:**  $0 \in \text{abpe}(R^t(K_r, \nu))$ . Let  $P$  denote the collection of poly-nomials and let  $R = \{p(1/z-\alpha): p \in P \text{ and } p(0) = 0\}$ . Now,  $\nu|_{\Gamma_r} \geq \omega(\cdot, \Delta(\alpha; r), \alpha)$  harmonic measure on  $\partial\Delta(\alpha; r)$  evaluated at  $\alpha$  which is normalized arclength measure  $s$  on  $\Gamma_r$ . Indeed,  $\nu|_{\Gamma_r}$  is boundedly equivalent to  $s$ , since,  $d\mu = \omega dA$  ( $\omega \in L^\infty(dA)$ ) and so, we assume, for our purposes, that  $\nu|_{\Gamma_r} \equiv s$ . Suppose  $\{p_n\} \subseteq P$ ,  $\{q_n\} \subseteq R$  and  $\|p_n + q_n\|_{L^t(\nu)} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then  $\|p_n + q_n\|_{L^t(\nu)|_{\Gamma_r}} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

**Case 1:** The  $1 < t < \infty$ ; from a theorem of M. Riesz it follows that  $\|p_n\|_{L^t(\nu)|_{\Gamma_r}} \rightarrow 0$  and  $\|q_n\|_{L^t(\nu)|_{\Gamma_r}} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Via the Mobius transformation  $S(z) = r/z-\alpha$  and the fact that  $\nu|_{\Gamma_r} \equiv \omega(\cdot, \Delta; r, \alpha)$  and  $dv|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)} = \omega dA|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)}$  where  $\omega \in L^\infty(dA)$ , one can conclude that:  $\|q_n\|_{L^t(\nu)} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and there is a neighborhood  $W_1$  of 0 such that  $\|q_n\|_{W_1} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . It follows that  $\|q_n\|_{L^t(\nu)} = \|(p_n + q_n) - p_n\|_{L^t(\nu)} + \|p_n\|_{L^t(\nu)} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Therefore, since,  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\nu))$ , there exists a neighborhood  $W_2$  of 0 such that  $\|p_n\|_{W_2} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ; let  $W = W_1 \cap W_2$ . We now have that  $\|p_n + q_n\|_W \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and so, our claim holds for  $1 < t < \infty$ .

**Case 2;  $t = 1$ :** As before, we have that  $\|p_n + q_n\|_{L^1(\nu)|_{\Gamma_r}} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Applying the Cauchy integral to  $p_n + q_n$  over  $\Gamma_r$  with evaluation at  $\zeta$  in  $C \setminus \Delta(\alpha; r)$ , we get that:  $q_n \rightarrow 0$  uniformly on compact subsets of  $C \setminus \Delta(\alpha; r)$  and indeed  $\|q_n\|_{L^1(\mu|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)})} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , since,  $d\mu = \omega dA$  and  $\omega \in L^\infty(dA)$ . It follows from our assumption about the convergence of  $\|p_n + q_n\|_{L^1(\nu)}$  to zero that  $\|p_n\|_{L^1(\mu|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)})} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Again applying the Cauchy integral to  $p_n + q_n$  over  $\Gamma_r$  but this time with evaluation at  $\zeta$  in  $\Delta(\alpha; r)$ , we get that  $p_n \rightarrow 0$  uniformly on compact subsets of  $\Delta(\alpha; r)$  and indeed  $\|p_n\|_{L^1(\mu|_{\Delta(\alpha; r)})} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , since,  $d\mu = \omega dA$  and  $\omega \in L^\infty(dA)$ . An earlier observation we now conclude that

$\|p_n\|_{L^1(\mu)} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Since,  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\mu))$ , it follows that  $p_n \rightarrow 0$  uniformly in some neighborhood of 0. This along gives us that  $0 \in \text{abpe}(R^t(K_r, \nu))$ . Evidently, our claim holds for  $1 = t < \infty$ . Now by Theorem 1, we may assume that  $0 \notin \text{support}(\nu)$ . So, by our claim,  $1/z \notin R^t(K_r, \nu)$  and hence, there exists  $g$  in  $L^s(\nu)$  ( $1/s + 1/t = 1$ ) such that  $g \perp R^t(K_r, \nu)$  and yet  $\int g(z)/z dv(z) \neq 0$ .

Let,  $T$  be the Mobius transformation  $T(z) = 1/(z-\alpha)$  (Observe that  $T(\Delta(\alpha; r)) = D$ ) and define  $\tau$  and  $h$  by  $\tau := \nu \circ T^{-1}$  and  $h := g \circ T^{-1}$ . Now  $h \in L^s(\tau)$  and  $g \perp R^t(K_r, \nu)$ , yet  $\int h(z)/z + \alpha/r d\tau \neq 0$ . So, the Cauchy transform

$$\hat{h}(\zeta) := \int \frac{h(z)}{z-\zeta} d\tau(z)$$

(which is defined and analytic off the support of  $\tau$ ) is identically zero in  $D$  and in the unbounded component of  $C/T(K_r)$  and yet is nonzero in a neighborhood of  $-\alpha/r$ . Let  $\gamma = T(\Gamma_r/\gamma_r)$  and notice that if  $e^{i\varphi} \in \gamma$  and  $R > 1$ , then  $\text{Re}^{i\varphi}$  is in the unbounded component of  $C/T(K_r)$ . Therefore, if  $e^{i\varphi} \in \gamma$ ,  $0 < \rho < 1$  and  $\rho$  is sufficiently near 1, then (for  $\zeta = \rho e^{i\varphi}$ ):

$$0 = \int \left( \frac{1}{z-\zeta} - \frac{1}{z-1/\bar{\zeta}} \right) h(z) d\tau(z) = \int_{T(\bar{D} \setminus \Delta(\alpha, r))} \left( \frac{1}{z-\zeta} - \frac{1}{z-1/\bar{\zeta}} \right) h(z) d\tau(z) + \int P_\zeta(z) \bar{h}(z) d\tau(z)$$

Now:

$$\int_{T(\bar{D} \setminus \Delta(\alpha, r))} \left( \frac{1}{z-\zeta} - \frac{1}{z-1/\bar{\zeta}} \right) h(z) d\tau(z) \rightarrow 0$$

as  $\rho \rightarrow 1$ . Since,  $\tau|_{\partial D = m}$  by (H, first corollary, page 38), we therefore have that  $0 = \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 1} \int P_\zeta(z) \bar{h}(z) dm(z) = e^{-i\varphi} \cdot h(e^{i\varphi})$  a.e.m on  $\gamma$ . So,  $h = 0$  a.e.  $\tau$  on  $\gamma$  and hence,  $g = 0$  a.e.  $\nu$  on  $\Gamma_r/\gamma_r$ . It follows that  $1/z \notin P^t(\mu|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)} + |s|_{\gamma_r})$  and so by Theorem 2,  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\mu|_{\bar{D}/\Delta(\alpha; r)} + |s|_{\gamma_r}))$ . The proof is now complete. This coming result is not totally new but the approach is quite different.

**Corollary 4:** Let  $G$  be a crescent such that  $\partial_\infty G = \partial D$ ,  $1 = \text{mbp}(G)$  and  $0 \notin \bar{G}$ . Define  $\mu$  on  $G$  by  $d\mu = |f|^t dA|_G$  and  $f$  is never zero in  $G$ , if  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\mu))$ ,  $1 \leq t < \infty$ , then for each  $\alpha$  in  $\partial D$  with  $\alpha \neq 1$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\mu|_{G \setminus \Delta(\alpha, \delta)}))$

**Proof:** Choose  $\alpha$  in  $\partial D$  where  $\alpha \neq 1$ . Choose  $r > 0$  such that  $r < \text{dist}(\alpha, \partial_\infty G)$ , let  $\Delta(\alpha; r) = \{z: |z-\alpha| < r\}$  let  $\Gamma_r = \partial\Delta(\alpha; r)$  and let  $\gamma_r = \Gamma_r \cap D$ . Now,  $\Gamma_r$  meets  $\partial D$  at two distinct points-call these points  $a$  and  $b$ . Since,  $f \in H^\infty(G)$ ,  $f$  has nontangential limits a.e.m on  $\partial D$  and so, we may assume (with a slight alteration in  $r$  if needed) that  $f$  has nonzero nontangential limits at both  $a$  and  $b$ . Choose  $\epsilon > 0$ , so that,

$\in < r/30$  and  $r + \epsilon < \text{dist}(\alpha, \partial_o G)$ . Let  $\{z \in D: r - \epsilon < |z - \alpha| < r + \epsilon\}$  and let  $F = \{z \in E: \text{dist}(z; \{a, b\}) < 4 \cdot \text{dist}(z; \partial D)\}$ . Now by our construction of  $F$  and the fact that  $f$  has nonzero nontangential limits at both  $a$  and  $b$ , there is a positive constant  $c_1$  such that  $|f(z)|^t \geq c_1$  whenever  $z \in F$ . Furthermore, there is another constant  $c_2$  such that  $\Delta 2 = \{\xi: |\xi - z| < c_2 |(z-a)(z-b)|\} \subseteq F$  whenever  $z \in \gamma_r \cap D$ . So, for any polynomial  $p$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} |p(z)|^t |(z-a)(z-b)|^2 ds(z) &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{\pi |c_2(z-a)(z-b)|^2} \\ \int_{\Delta} p(\xi) dA(\xi) |^t |(z-a)(z-b)|^2 ds(z) &\leq \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{\pi (c_2)^2} \int_{\Delta} |p(\xi)|^t \\ dA(\xi) ds(z) &\leq \frac{s(\gamma_r)}{\pi (c_2)^2} \int_F |p|^t dA \leq c \int_F |p|^t du \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

Since,  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\mu))$ , we have by Theorem 3 that  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(\nu))$  where  $\nu = \mu|_{(\overline{G \setminus \Delta(\alpha; r)})} + s|\gamma_r$ . Hence, there exist positive constants  $\rho$ ,  $M$  and  $N$  such that:

$$|(z-a)|(z-b)| \geq c_3 > 0 \quad (2)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |p(z)|(z-a)(z-b)|^{\frac{2}{t}} &\leq M \cdot \|p \cdot ((z-a)(z-b))^{\frac{2}{t}}\|_{L^t(\nu)} \leq N \\ \left\{ \int_{\overline{G \setminus \Delta(\alpha; r)}} |p|^t d\mu + \int_{\gamma} |p|^t |(z-a)(z-b)|^2 ds \right\} \end{aligned}$$

whenever  $p \in P$  and  $z \in \Delta(0; \rho)$ . Therefore, by Eq. 1 and 2, we conclude that  $|p(z)| \text{Const.} \left\{ \int_{\overline{G \setminus \Delta(\alpha; r)}} |p|^t d\mu + \int_F |p|^t d\mu \right\}$  for every  $p$  in  $P$  and hence there exists  $\delta > 0$  (we may choose  $\delta = r - \epsilon$ ) such that  $0 \in \text{abpe}(P^t(d\mu|_{\overline{G \setminus \Delta(\alpha; \delta)}}))$ .

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