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AN APPLICATION OF THE EXTENDED IVERSEN-TSUJI THEOREM

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ABSTRACT. An Application of the Extended Iversen-Tsuji Theorem As an immediate consequence of the extended Iversen-Tsuji Theorem. We have presented a result on the boundary behavior of analytic functions on a simply connected domain. It is shown that F. Bagemihl's result for the case of capacity 0 can be obtained as a special case of $\frac{1}{2}$ -dimensional Hausdorff measure zero.

In [1] we have shown a curvilinear extension of the Iversen-Tsuji theorem for an arbitrary simply connected domain.

A subset of the boundary of a simply connected domain D with at least two boundary points will be called a D-conformal null set if it corresponds to a set of linear measure zero under a one-to-one conformal mapping onto the unit disc. The set of all prime ends of D will be denoted by \widetilde{D} . If @ is an accessible boundary point of D, then @ determines a unique prime end P(@). The complex coordinate of an accessible boundary point @ will be denoted by z(@).

Now we are ready to state the curvilinear extension of the Iversen-Tsuji theorem given in [1].

Theorem 1. Let D be a simply connected domain in the complex plane, which is not the whole plane, t_0 a boundary point of D, \widetilde{E} a conformal null set of prime ends of D. If f(z) is meromorphic in D and bounded in the intersection of D with some neighborhood of t_0 , then

$$\lim_{z \to t_0} \sup_{z \in D} |f(z)| = \lim_{z(@) \to t_0} \sup_{P(@) \in \tilde{D} - \tilde{E}} (\inf_A (\lim_{z \to z(@)} \sup_{z \in A} |f(z)|)),$$

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where A is an arc at an accessible boundary point @ with $P(@) \in \widetilde{D} - \widetilde{E}$ and the convergence is in the sense of the ordinary euclidean metric.

As immediate consequences of the above thoerem we have stated the following corollaries.

Corollary 1. Let D be a simply connected domain in the z-plane, which is not the whole plane, and t_0 a boundary point of D, \widetilde{E} a conformal null set of prime ends of D. If f(z) is meromorphic in D and bounded in the intersection of D with some neighborhood $N(t_0)$ of t_0 , and at each accessible boundary point @ with $P(@) \in \widetilde{D} - \widetilde{E}$, $z(@) \in \partial D \cap N(t_0)$, there exists an arc $A_{@}$ at z(@) on which $\lim_{z \to z(@), z \in A_{@}} |f(z)| \leq m$, then

$$\lim_{z \to t_0} \sup_{z \in D} |f(z)| \le m.$$

Corollary 2. Let D be a simply connected domain in the z-plane, which is not the whole plane, and let t_0 be a boundary point of D, E a subset of ∂D such that the set $\{P(@): z(@) \in E, @$ is an accessible boundary point of $D\}$ is a D-conformal null set. If u(z) is harmonic in D and bounded above in the intersection of D with some neighborhood of t_0 , then

$$\lim_{z \to t_0} \sup_{z \in D} u(z) = \lim_{z(\mathbf{Q}) \to t_0} \sup_{P(\mathbf{Q}) \in \partial D - E} \left(\inf_{A_\mathbf{Q}} \left(\lim_{z \to z(\mathbf{Q})} \sup_{z \in A_\mathbf{Q}} u(z) \right) \right).$$

where $A_{@}$ is an arc at an accessible boundary point @ with $z(@) \in \partial D - E$ and the convergence is in the sense of the ordinary euclidean metric.

In this note we state several corollaries as immediate consequences of the above theorem.

Corollary 3. In the statement of Corollary 1 (respectively Corollary 2) let ∂D be a rectifiable Jordan curve. If the set E of exceptional points is of linear measure zero, then the same conclusion holds as in Corollary 1 (respectively Corollary 2).

Proof. $E(=\widetilde{E})$ is a conformal null set (see [2]).

Corollary 4. Under the same hypothesis as in Corollary 1 (respectively Corollary 2) if the set E of exceptional points is of capacity zero, the same conclusion holds as in Corollary 1 (respectively Corollary 2).

Proof. It is well-known that E is a conformal null set.

Corollary 5. Let D be a simply connected domain whose boundary is a Jordan curve J. Let E be a set of points on J, of linear measure zero if J is rectifiable, of 1/2-dimensional Hausdroff measure zero otherwise, and suppose that the function f(z) is analytic in D.

Assume that at every point $t \in J - E$ there is an arc A_t in D at t such that $\lim_{z \to t} \sup_{z \in A_t} |f(z)| \le m$, such that f(z) does not have the asymptotic value ∞ at any point of J. Then

$$\lim_{z \in D} |f(z)| \le m.$$

Proof. The set E is a conformal null set in both cases. Thus these are special cases of Corollary 3.

Corollary 6 (Begemihl [3]). In place of the assumption in Corollary 5 that E is of 1/2-dimensional Hausdorff measure zero, let E be of logarithmic capacity zero. Then we have the same conclusion.

Proof. The Set E is a conformal null set.

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