

68. On Meromorphic and Univalent Functions

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1. **Introduction.** In the previous paper [1] We derived the area-principle on meromorphic and univalent functions in an annulus and then showed some properties of such functions. In the present paper we shall give the above-mentioned area-principle in the precise form where the omitted area (hereafter defined in Theorem 1) is considered and then improve some results in [1]. Moreover we shall deal with the case of meromorphic and univalent functions in the unit circle $|z| < 1$, by means of the results in the case of an annulus.

2. We consider the following annulus

$$D : r < |z| < 1 \quad (r > 0).$$

Let $w = \varphi_\theta(z, \zeta)$ be regular in D , except for a simple pole of residue 1 at $\zeta \in D$ and univalently map D onto the whole w -plane with two parallel rectilinear slits of the inclination θ . Then $\varphi_\theta(z, \zeta)$ is given as follows ([6], p. 375)

$$\varphi_\theta(z, \zeta) = N(z, \zeta) + e^{i2\theta} M(z, \zeta)$$

where

$$N(z, \zeta) = \frac{1}{z - \zeta} + \frac{1}{\zeta} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{r^{2n}((z/\zeta)^{-n} - (z/\zeta)^n)}{1 - r^{2n}} = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_0 + \varphi_{\pi/2}).$$

$$M(z, \zeta) = \frac{1}{\zeta} \sum_{\substack{n=-\infty \\ (n \neq 0)}}^{\infty} \frac{(z\bar{\zeta})^n}{1 - r^{2n}} = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_0 - \varphi_{\pi/2}).$$

We shall give the improved area-principle in the case of an annulus.

Theorem 1. *Let $f(z)$ be regular, except for a simple pole of residue 1 at $\zeta \in D$ and univalent in the annulus D . Let δ denote the area of the complementary set of the image domain under $w = f(z)$. (We call δ the omitted area (cf. [4], [7]).) Moreover let $f(z) - N(z, \zeta) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ in the annulus D . Then we have the following equality.*

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} n(1 - r^{2n}) |a_n|^2 = \pi K(\zeta, \zeta) - \frac{\delta}{\pi},$$

where

$$K(z, \zeta) = \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{n(z\bar{\zeta})^{n-1}}{1 - r^{2n}}.$$

denotes the Bergman's kernel function of D .

Proof. We may consider the results in [1] or [5].

Corollary 1. *Let $w = f(z)$ satisfy the same conditions in Theorem 1 and δ denote the omitted area of $w = f(z)$. Then we have the following inequality.*