

systems, each of which violates the like-numbered postulate and satisfies all the other postulates of the set. These examples are all *arithmetic* systems, the elements being the numbers 0 and 1. The symbol  $f(a, b) \pmod{2}$  in an arithmetic system denotes the *least positive residue modulo 2* obtained from  $f(a, b)$  by rejecting multiples of 2. The operations  $+$  and  $\times$  are to be interpreted as the operations of ordinary arithmetic when they occur in the modular expression, otherwise they are to be interpreted as logical addition and logical multiplication.

| EXAMPLE | $K$  | $a+b$                 | $ab$                  |
|---------|------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1       | 0, 1 | $a+b+0/ab+1 \pmod{2}$ | $ab \pmod{2}$         |
| 2       | 0, 1 | $ab \pmod{2}$         | $a+b+0/ab+1 \pmod{2}$ |
| 3       | 0, 1 | $a+b \pmod{2}$        | $ab \pmod{2}$         |
| 4       | 0, 1 | $ab \pmod{2}$         | $a+b \pmod{2}$        |
| 5       | 0, 1 | $ab \pmod{2}$         | $ab \pmod{2}$         |
| 6       | Null |                       |                       |

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## ON ANALYTIC FUNCTIONS WITH POSITIVE IMAGINARY PARTS

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The purpose of this paper is to give an integral representation of a function analytic in a half-plane, and with positive imaginary part there. This can be used to obtain in a simple way the well known analytic representation of the resolvent of a self-adjoint transformation in abstract Hilbert space.

**THEOREM.** *Let  $\phi(l)$  be a function analytic for  $\Im(l) > 0$ . † If*

$$(1) \quad \Re[\phi(l)] \geq 0, \quad \limsup_{t \rightarrow \infty} |t\Im[\phi(it)]| < \infty,$$

*for  $t$  real,  $t > 0$ , then there is a uniquely determined monotone non-decreasing function  $\alpha(\lambda)$ , defined for  $-\infty < \lambda < \infty$ , satisfying*

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† If  $\xi$  is any complex number,  $\Re(\xi)$  and  $\Im(\xi)$  will be used to denote its real and imaginary parts, and  $\bar{\xi}$  its conjugate.