

1. Let $G \subset \mathbb{C}$ be an open bounded set whose boundary consists of finitely many piecewise C^1 components. Suppose $f, g : \overline{G} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ are continuous in \overline{G} and holomorphic in G , with no zeros on ∂G . Further suppose that

$$|f(z) + g(z)| < |f(z)| + |g(z)| \quad \text{if } z \in \partial G.$$

Show that f and g have the same number of zeros in G counting multiplicity.

2. Let $G \subset \mathbb{C}$ be open, $a \in G$, and $r > 0$ such that $\overline{B(a, r)} \subset G$. Let $f : [0, 1] \times G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be continuous, holomorphic in the z -variable, and such that $f(t, z) \neq 0$ when $t \in [0, 1]$ and $|z - a| = r$. Show that the functions $z \mapsto f(0, z)$ and $z \mapsto f(1, z)$ have the same number of zeros in $B(a, r)$ counting multiplicity.