

Cultivating Complex Analysis:  
Definition (of analytic functions) (2.4.1)  
Analytic functions are holomorphic (2.4.2)

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**Remark:** A subtle point is that it is not immediate that a convergent power series is analytic.

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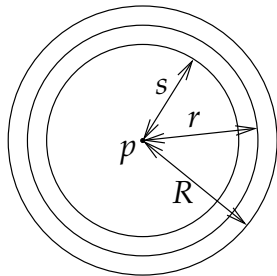
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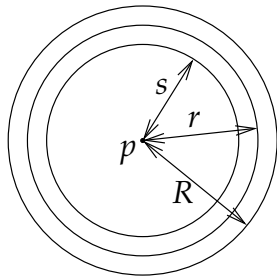
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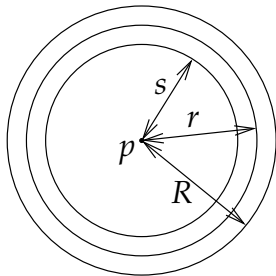
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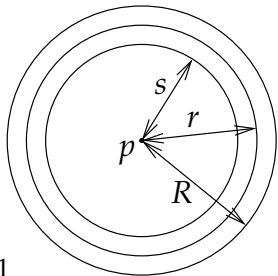
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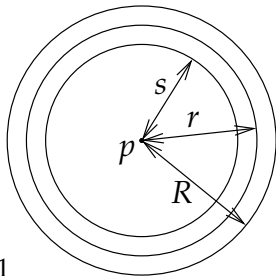
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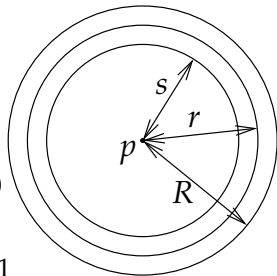
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