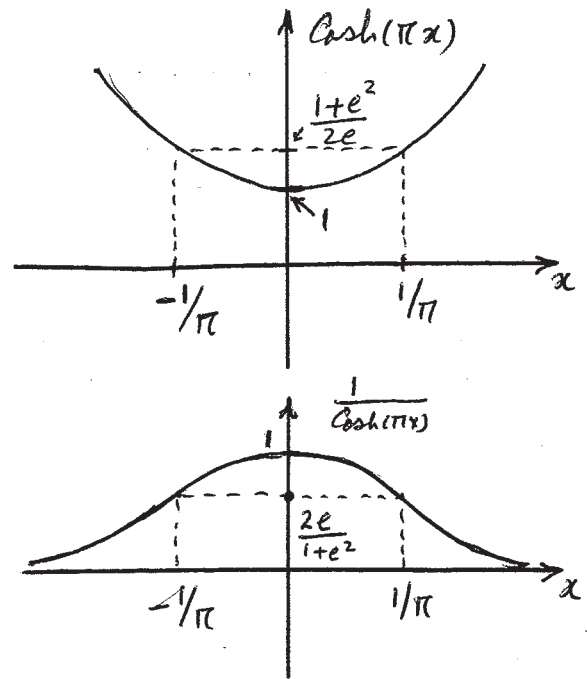
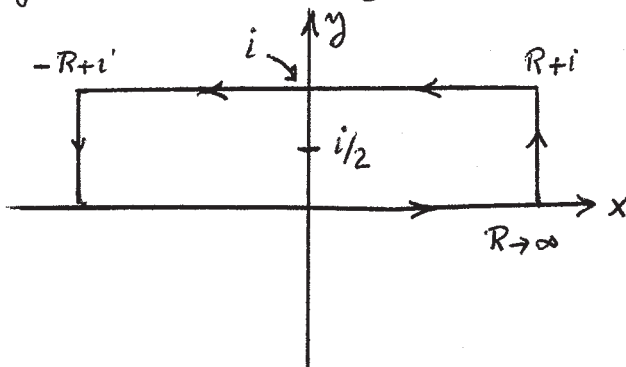


## Problem 9)

$$\mathcal{F}\left\{\frac{1}{\cosh(\pi x)}\right\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-i2\pi s x}}{\cosh(\pi x)} dx$$

The contour chosen for this integral in the complex-plane is shown below. As  $R \rightarrow \infty$  the contributions of the vertical lines go to zero.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{On the horizontal line } z = x+i, \text{ we have } \cosh(\pi z) &= \frac{e^{\pi(x+i)} + e^{-\pi(x+i)}}{2} \\ &= \frac{e^{i\pi} e^{\pi x} + e^{-i\pi} e^{-\pi x}}{2} = -\frac{e^{\pi x} + e^{-\pi x}}{2} = -\cosh(\pi x). \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Also, on this horizontal line, } e^{-i2\pi s z} = e^{-i2\pi s(x+i)} = e^{-i2\pi s x} e^{2\pi s}.$$

The poles of the integrand are the zeros of  $\cosh(\pi z)$ , namely,  $z_n = (n + \frac{1}{2})i$ . The only pole inside the above contour is  $z_0 = \frac{i}{2}$ . To find the residue of the integrand at this pole we write:

$$\cosh(\pi z) = \cosh(\pi i/2) + \pi \sinh(\pi i/2)(z - z_0) + \dots = \pi i(z - z_0) + \dots$$

The integral over the closed contour must be  $2\pi i$  times the residue at  $z = z_0$ . We'll have

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-i2\pi s x}}{\cosh(\pi x)} dx - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{2\pi s} e^{-i2\pi s x}}{-\cosh(\pi x)} dx = 2\pi i \frac{e^{-i2\pi s(i/2)}}{i\pi} = 2e^{\pi s} \Rightarrow$$

$$\mathcal{F}\left\{\frac{1}{\cosh(\pi x)}\right\} = \frac{2e^{\pi s}}{1 + e^{2\pi s}} = \frac{2}{e^{-\pi s} + e^{\pi s}} = \frac{1}{\cosh(\pi s)} \quad \checkmark$$