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#### Abstract

Let  $\mathbb{K}$  be a complete ultrametric algebraically closed field and let  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $\mathcal{A}(D)$ ) be the  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra of analytic functions in  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. inside an open disk D). Following results in a paper by M. Lazard, we show that these algebras are Bezout rings, a property that is not showed in that paper. Moreover, the main results leading to the Bezout property is based upon a Mittag-Leffler theorem for meromorphic functions which is not proven in Lazard's paper. Furthermore, that Mittag-Leffler theorem (which is different from Krasner's Mittag-Leffler theorem for analytic elements) lets us find a shorter proof to show that the meromorphic functions admitting primitives are those whose residues are null.

### **1** Introduction and main results

Let us recall that the ring of analytic functions on a region of the complex number field is well known to be a Bezout ring. The two fondamental theorems necessary for a proof are the Weierstrass factorization theorem and the Mittag-Leffler theorem, (see for instance [6]- Exercice 4 -Chapter 8).

According to results of the paper Les zéros des fonctions analytiques sur un corps valué complet by Michel Lazard [7], it appears that in several hypotheses, rings of analytic functions on complete ultrametric algebraically closed fields are Bezout rings. However, that interesting property is not stated. Moreover, it derives from a Mittag-Leffler Theorem refered in general topology whose justification is not relevant. Here we plan to give proofs of all these properties, using results on quasi-invertible analytic elements [3], [4], [5] and on a Mittag-Leffler theorem for meromorphic functions similar to this of complex analysis, but is quite different from Krasner's Mittag-Leffler theorem for analytic elements on an infraconnected subset of  $\mathbb{K}$ .

**Definitions and notation:** Throughout the paper, we denote by  $\mathbb{K}$  a complete alebraically closed field of characteristic 0. Given  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and R > 0, we denote by d(a, R) the disk  $\{x \in \mathbb{K} \mid |x - a| \leq R\}$  and by  $d(a, R^{-})$  the disk  $\{x \in \mathbb{K} \mid |x - a| < R\}$ .

We denote by  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  the  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra of entire functions in  $\mathbb{K}$  and given  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and R > 0, we denote by  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  the  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra of power series converging in the disk  $d(a, R^{-})$ . The  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$ is provided with the topology of unifom convergence in all bounded subsets of  $\mathbb{K}$  i.e. the topology of unifom convergence in all disks d(0, R). The neighborhoods of a function  $f \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  are the sets  $\mathcal{W}(f, r, \epsilon) = \{h \in \{\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K}) \mid |f - h|(r) \leq \epsilon\}$ , with r > 0,  $\epsilon > 0$ . Similarly, given  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and R > 0, the  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  is provided with the following topology of  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra: given  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ , the neighborhoods of f are the sets  $\mathcal{W}(f, r, \epsilon) = \{h \in \{\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-})) \mid |f - h|(r) \leq \epsilon\}$ , with  $0 < r < R, \epsilon > 0$ .

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We denote by  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  the field of fractions of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$ . The elements of  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  are called *mero-morphic functions in*  $\mathbb{K}$ .

In the same way, given  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and r > 0, we denote by  $\mathcal{M}(d(a, r^{-}))$  the field of fractions of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, r^{-}))$ . The elements of  $\mathcal{M}(d(a, r^{-}))$  are called *meromorphic functions in*  $d(a, r^{-})$ . Given a pole b of order q of a meromorphic function  $f \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $f \in \mathcal{M}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ), there exists a unique rational function g of the form  $\frac{Q(x)}{(x-b)^{q}}$  with  $Q \in \mathbb{K}[x]$ ,  $\deg(Q) \leq q - 1$ , called *the singular part of f at the pole b*.

The topology defined on  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  has expansion to  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$ . The neighborhoods of a function  $f \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  are the sets  $\mathcal{W}(f, r, \epsilon) = \{h \in \{\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K}) \mid |f - h|(r) \leq \epsilon\}$ , with r > 0,  $\epsilon > 0$ , which implies that f and h have the same singular part at each pole in d(0, r). Similarly, given  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and R > 0, the topology defined on  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  has expansion to  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$ : given  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ , the neighborhoods of f are the sets  $\mathcal{W}(f, r, \epsilon) = \{h \in \{\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-})) \mid |f - h|(r) \leq \epsilon\}$ , with  $0 < r < R, \epsilon > 0$ , which implies that f and h have the same singular part at each pole in d(0, r).

We shall define divisors of  $\mathbb{K}$  or in a disk  $d(a, R^-)$ . We then shall define the divisor of an analytic function and of an ideal of an algebra  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  or  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, r^-))$ . Given a divisor T on  $\mathbb{K}$ , there is no problem to construct an entire function whose divisor is T. But given a divisor T on a disk  $d(a, r^-)$ , it is not always possible to find an analytic function (in that disk) whose divisor is T. This is Lazard's problem that we will recall.

**Definition:** We call a divisor of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. a divisor of a disk  $d(a, R^-)$ ) a mapping T from  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. from  $d(a, R^-)$ ) to  $\mathbb{N}$  whose support is countable and has a finite intersection with each disk d(a, r),  $\forall r > 0$  (resp.  $\forall r \in ]0, R[$ ). Thus, a divisor of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^-)$ ) is characterized by a sequence  $(a_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  with  $a_n \in \mathbb{K}$ ,  $\lim_{n \to \infty} |a_n| = \infty$ , (resp.  $a_n \in d(a, R^-)$ ,  $\lim_{n \to \infty} |a_n - a| = R$ ),  $|a_n| \leq |a_{n+1}|$  and  $q_n \in \mathbb{N}^* \ \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ . So, we will frequently denote a divisor by the sequence  $(a_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  which characterizes it.

The set of divisors of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^-)$ ) is provided with a natural multiplicative law that makes it a semi-group. It is also provided with a natural order relation: given two divisors T and T', we can set  $T \leq T'$  when  $T(\alpha) \leq T'(\alpha) \ \forall \alpha \in d(a, R^-)$ . Moreover, if T, T' are two divisors such that  $T(\alpha) \geq T'(\alpha) \ \forall \alpha \in d(0, R^-)$ , we can define the divisor  $\frac{T}{T'}$ .

Given  $f \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-})))$ , we can define the divisor of f, denoted by  $\mathcal{D}(f)$  on  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^{-})$ ) as  $\mathcal{D}(f)(\alpha) = 0$  whenever  $f(\alpha) \neq 0$  and  $\mathcal{D}(f)(\alpha) = s$  when f has a zero of order s at  $\alpha$ .

Similarly, given an ideal I of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, \mathbb{R}^{-}))$ ) we will denote by  $\mathcal{D}(I)$  the lower bound of the the  $\mathcal{D}(f)$   $f \in I$  and  $\mathcal{D}(I)$  will be called the divisor of I.

**Remark:** Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  and let  $(a_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} = \mathcal{D}(f)$ . Then  $\omega_{a_n}(f) = q_n \ \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\omega_{\alpha}(f) = 0 \ \forall \alpha \in d(a, R^{-}) \setminus \{a_n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}.$ 

**Theorem 1** Let  $a \in \mathbb{K}$ , R > 0. Let  $f, g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $f, g \in calA((a, R^{-})))$  be such that  $\mathcal{D}(f) \geq \mathcal{D}(g)$ . Then there exists  $h \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $h \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ) such that f = gh.

**Corollary 1.1** Let  $a \in \mathbb{K}$ , R > 0. Let I be an ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. an ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ) and suppose that there exists  $g \in I$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(g) = \mathcal{D}(I)$ . Then  $I = g\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $I = g\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ).

**Theorem 2:** Let  $T = (\alpha_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a divisor of  $\mathbb{K}$ . The infinite product  $\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - \frac{x}{\alpha_n})^{q_n}$  is

uniformly convergent in all bounded subsets of  $\mathbb{K}$  and defines an entire function  $f \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(f) = T$ . Moreover, given  $g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(g) = T$ , then g is of the form  $\lambda f$ .

Recall the following theorem [5]:

**Theorem 3:** Suppose that  $\mathbb{K}$  is spherically complete, let  $a \in \mathbb{K}$ , let R > 0 and let T be a divisor of  $d(a, R^{-})$ . There exists  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(f) = T$ .

**Notation:** Given a divisor E of  $\mathbb{K}$ , we will denote by  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  the ideal of the  $f \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(f) \geq E$ . Similarly, given  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and R > 0 and a divisor E of  $d(a, R^-)$ , we will denote by  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$  the ideal of the  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(f) \geq E$ .

**Theorem 4:** For every divisor E of  $\mathbb{K}$ ,  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  is a closed ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$ . Moreover,  $\mathcal{T}$  is a bijection from the set of divisors of  $\mathbb{K}$  onto the set of closed ideals of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$ . Further, given a closed ideal I of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$ , then  $I = \mathcal{T}(\mathcal{D}(I))$ .

**Corollary 4.1:** Every closed ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  is principal.

*Proof.* Indeed, consider a closed ideal I and let  $E = \mathcal{D}(I)$ . By Theorem 4 I is of the form  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  with  $E = \mathcal{D}(I)$ . By Theorem 2 there exists  $g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(g) = E$  and of course, g belongs to I. Hence  $g\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K}) \subset I$ . Now, let  $f \in I$ . Then  $\mathcal{D}(f) \geq E$ , hence by Theorem 1, f factorizes in the form gh with  $h \in \mathcal{A}(K)$ , hence  $I = g\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$ .

Similarly, we have Theorem 5:

**Theorem 5:** Let  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and take R > 0. For every divisor E of  $d(a, R^-)$ ,  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$  is a closed ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ . Moreover  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}$  is a bijection from the set of divisors of  $d(a, R^-)$  onto the set of closed ideals of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ . Further, given a closed ideal I of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ , then  $I = \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(\mathcal{D}(I))$ .

**Corollary 5.1:** Suppose  $\mathbb{K}$  is spherically complete. Then all closed ideals of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, \mathbb{R}^{-}))$  are principal.

Proof. Let I be a closed ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  and let  $E = \mathcal{D}(I)$ . By Theorem 5 we have  $I = \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ . Now, by Theorem 3 there exists  $g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  such that  $\mathcal{D}(g) = E$  and of course g belongs to  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$  hence to I. Consequently,  $g\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-})) \subset I$ . Conversely, by Corollary 1.1, we have  $I = g\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ .

The following Mittag-Leffler for meromorphic functions is similar to the classical Mittag-Leffler theorem for complex meromorphic functions [2] and is quite different from the Mittag-Leffler theorem for analytic elements due to Mark Krasner [5], [3], [4]. The justification given in [6] does not seem relevant.

**Theorem 6 (Mittag-Leffler theorem for meromorphic functions):** Let  $(a_m, q_m)_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a divisor of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^-)$ ),  $a \in \mathbb{K}$ , R > 0) and for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $Q_m \in \mathbb{K}[x]$  be of degree  $< q_m$ . There exists  $f \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $f \in \mathcal{M}(d(a, R^-))$ ) admitting for poles each  $a_m$  of order  $q_m$ and no other pole and such that its singular part at  $a_m$  is  $\frac{Q_m}{(x-a_m)^{q_m}}$ .

Thanks to Theorem 6, we can derive an easy proof of the characterization of meromorphic functions admitting primitives, a property proven in [1] with a longer proof.

**Theorem 7:**  $\mathbb{K}$  is supposed to have characteristic 0. A function  $f \in \mathcal{M}((\mathbb{K}) \text{ (resp. } f \in \mathcal{M}((d(a, R^{-})), a \in \mathbb{K}, R > 0) \text{ admits primitives in } \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K}) \text{ (resp. in } \mathcal{M}((d(a, R^{-}))) \text{ if and only if all residues of } f \text{ are null.}$ 

**Theorem 8:** Every ideal of finite type of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ),  $a \in \mathbb{K}$ , R > 0) is closed and is of the form  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp.  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ) with E a divisor of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^{-})$ ).

**Corollary 8.1:**  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  is a Bezout ring.

*Proof.* Indeed, consider an ideal of finite type I. By Theorem 8, it is closed and hence, by Corollary 4.1 it is principal.

And by Corollary 5.1, we have Corollary 8.2

**Corollary 8.2:** Let  $a \in \mathbb{K}$  and let R > 0. If  $\mathbb{K}$  is spherically complete,  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$  is a Bezout ring.

*Proof.* Indeed, consider an ideal of finite type *I*. By Theorem 8, it is of the form  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$  with E a divisor of  $d(a, R^-)$  and hence, by Theorem 5, it is closed. But then, by Corollary 5.1, it is principal.

### 2 The proofs

Recall that given a closed bounded subset D of  $\mathbb{K}$ , we denote by R(D) the  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra of rational function  $h \in \mathbb{K}(x)$  with no pole in D. That algebra is provided with the norm of uniform convergence  $\| \cdot \|_D$  on D that makes it a normed  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebra. We then denote by H(D) the Banach K-algebra completion of R(D) with respect to that norm, whose elements are called *analytic* elements on D.

By Theorem 24.3 in [3], we can derive the following (well known) lemma:

**Lemma 1:** Let  $\alpha \in \overset{\circ}{D}$ . Let  $q \in \mathbb{N}^*$  and let  $(g_n)$  be a sequence of H(D) such that the sequence  $(x - \alpha)^q g_n$  converges in H(D). Then the sequence  $(g_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  also converges in H(D).

Now, the proof of Theorem 1 is immediate:

Proof. Let  $T = \mathcal{D}(g) = (a_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ . Let us fix r > 0 (resp.  $r \in ]0, R[$ ), let  $s \in \mathbb{N}$  be such that  $|a_n| \leq r \ \forall n \leq s$  and  $|a_n| > r \ \forall n > s$ . Let  $P_r(x) = \prod_{n=0}^s (1 - \frac{x}{a_n}^{q_n})$ . We can factorise f in the form  $P_r \hat{f}$  and similarly, we can factorize g in the form  $P_r \hat{g}$ , hence  $\frac{f}{g} = \frac{\hat{f}}{\hat{g}}$ . Since  $\hat{g}$  has no zero in d(0, r) it is invertible in H(d(0, r)), hence  $\frac{f}{g}$  belongs to H(d(0, r)). This is true for all r > 0 (resp. for all  $r \in ]0, R[$ ) and hence  $\frac{f}{g}$  belongs to  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. to  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-)))$ .

We can now prove Theorem 4 and 5:

Proof. (Theorems 4 and 5) Let E be a divisor of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^-)$ ). First, let us check that  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp.  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ) is a closed ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ ). Let  $E = (a_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  and let  $(f_m)_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a sequence of elements of  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp. of  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ) converging to a limit f in  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. in  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ ). For every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , each  $f_m$  admits  $a_n$  as a zero of order at least  $q_n$ , hence by Lemma 1, so does f. Consequently, f belongs to  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp. f belongs to  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ).

Now, let us show that  $\mathcal{T}$  (resp.  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}$ ) is injective Let E, F be two distinct divisors of  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. of  $d(a, R^-)$ ). Without loss of generality, we can suppose that E admits a pair (b, s) with s > 0 and that F either does not admit any pair (b, m) or admits a pair (b, m) with m < s. Let  $f \in \mathcal{T}(F)$  (resp. let  $f \in \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(F)$  and suppose that  $\omega_b(f) \geq s$ . Then by Lemma 1 f factorizes in the form  $(x - b)^{s-m}g$  with  $g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $g \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ ) and of course g belongs to  $\mathcal{T}(F)(resp.to\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(F))$ . But by construction, g does not belong to  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp. to  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ) because  $\omega_b(g) < s$ . Therefore  $\mathcal{T}(E) \neq \mathcal{T}(F)$  (resp.  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E) \neq \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E) \neq \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(F)$ ). So,  $\mathcal{T}$  (resp.  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R})$  is injective.

Let us show that it is also surjective. Let I be a closed ideal of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-})))$ and let  $E = \mathcal{D}(I)$ . Then E is of the form  $(a_n, q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  with  $|a_n| \leq |a_{n+1}|$  and  $\lim_{n \to +\infty} |a_n| = +\infty$ (resp.  $\lim_{n \to +\infty} |a_n| = R$ ), hence there is a unique  $s \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $a_n \in d(0, r) \ \forall n \leq s$  and  $a_n \notin d(0, r) \ \forall n > s$ .

Let  $J = \mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp.  $J = \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ). Then of course,  $I \subset J$ . Let us show that  $J \subset I$ . Let  $f \in J$  and take r > 0. Denoting by  $P_r$  the polynomial  $\prod_{i=0}^{s} (X - a_i)^{q_i}$  by Theorem 27.2,  $I \cap H(d(0,r)) = P_r(x)H(d(0,r))$ . But now all functions  $g \in J \cap H(d(0,r))$  also are of the form  $P_r(x)h(x)$  with  $h \in H(d(0,r))$ . Consequently, in H(d(0,r)) we can write f in the form  $f = \sum_{j=1}^{m} g_j h_j$ with  $g_j \in I$  and  $h_j \in H(d(0,r))$ . Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be fixed.

For each j = 1, ..., m, narrowing each  $h_j$  by a polynomial  $\ell_j$  in H(d(0, r)), we can find  $\ell_j \in \mathbb{K}[x]$ such that  $|g_j(h_j - \ell_j)|(r) \leq \epsilon$ . Now, let  $\phi_r = \sum_{j=1}^m g_j \ell_j$ . Then  $\phi_r$  belongs to I and satisfies  $|\phi_r - f|(r) \leq \epsilon$ . This is true for each r > 0 and for every  $\epsilon > 0$ . Consequently, since I is closed, fbelongs to I. This finishes proving that  $\mathcal{T}$  (rep.  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}$ ) is surjective. Further, we have proven that  $I = \mathcal{T}(\mathcal{D}(I))$  (resp.  $I = \mathcal{T}_{a,R}(\mathcal{D}(I))$ ).

We will now prove Theorem 6:

*Proof.* The proof is similar to that in the complex case [2]. Without loss of generality, we can suppose that  $|a_m| \leq |a_{m+1}|$ . Let  $(t(n))_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  be the strictly increasing sequence such that  $a_{t(n)}| < |a_{t(n+1)}|$  and let  $r_n = |a_{t(n)}|$   $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

For each  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , set  $S_m(x) = \frac{Q_m(x)}{(x - a_m)^{q_m}}$ . Now, for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we can set  $f_n = \sum_{m \in L_n} S_m(x)$ . So, by construction,  $f_n$  belongs to  $H(d(0, r_{n-1}))$  hence there exists  $P_n \in \mathbb{K}[x]$  such that

$$||f_n - P_n||_{d(0;r_{n-1})} \le \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n.$$

Consequently, the sequence  $(f_n - P_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  converges to 0 with respect to the topology of  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$ (resp. of  $\mathcal{M}(d(a, R^-))$ ). Set  $f(x) = f_1(x) + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (f_n(x) - P_n(x))$ . By construction, f belongs to  $\mathcal{M}(d(0, r^-)) \forall r > 0$ , hence f belongs to  $\mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. to  $\mathcal{M}(d(a, R^-))$ ). Moreover, the poles of f are the points  $a_m, m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let us take  $q \ge 1$  and  $\rho > 0$  such that  $|a_m - a_q| \ge \rho \forall m \ne q$ . Then  $f - S_q$  belongs to  $\mathcal{H}(d(a, \rho))$ , so  $S_q$  is the singular part of f at  $S_q$ .

Proof of Theorem 7:

Proof. Let *a* be a pole of *f*. According to the Laurent series of *f* at *a*, if *f* admits primitives then *f* has no residue different from zero at *a* because the function  $\frac{1}{x-a}$  has no primitive in  $\mathcal{M}(d(a, r))$  (whenever r > 0). Now let  $(a_m)_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$  be the sequence of poles of *f*, each of respective degree  $q_m$  and suppose that suppose that  $\operatorname{res}(f, a_m) = 0$ . Since  $\operatorname{res}_{a_m}(f) = 0$ , the singular part of *f* at  $a_m$  is of the form  $\frac{Q_m(x-a_m)}{(x-a_m)^{q_m}}$  with  $q_m \geq 2$  and  $Q_m(X)$  is a polynomial of degree  $\leq q_m - 2$ . Consequently, the singular part of *f* at  $a_m$  admits a primitive of the form  $\frac{P_m(x-a_m)}{(x-a_m)^{q_m-1}}$  with  $\operatorname{deg}(P_m(X)) \leq q_m - 2$ . Then by Theorem 6, there exists  $G \in \mathcal{M}(K)$  (resp.  $G \in \mathcal{M}(d(a, R^-))$ ) admitting the  $a_m$  for poles with respective singular part of *G'* at  $a_m$  is  $\frac{Q_m(x-a_m)}{(x-a_m)^{q_m-1}}$  and no other pole. By construction, for each  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , the singular part of *G'* at  $a_m$  is  $\frac{Q_m(x-a_m)}{(x-a_m)^{q_m}}$  hence G'-f has no pole at  $a_m$  and hence has no pole in  $\mathbb{K}$  (resp. in  $d(a, R^-)$ ). Consequently, G' - f belongs to  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. to  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-))$ ). But then G' - f admits a primitive  $L \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. to  $L \in \mathcal{M}(d(a, R^-))$ ) and hence the function F = G - L is a primitive of *f* that belongs to  $L \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. to  $L \in \mathcal{M}(d(a, R^-))$ ).

In the proof of Theorem 8 we will need the following lemma

**Lemma 2:** Let E be a divisor of K (resp. a divisor of  $d(a, R^-)$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{K}$ , R > 0) and for each r > 0 (resp.  $r \in ]9, R[$ ), let  $g_r \in H(C(0, r))$ . There exists  $g \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $g \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^-)))$ ), not depending on r, such that  $\mathcal{D}(g - g_r) \geq E_r$ .

Proof. Let  $f \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $f \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ) be such that  $\mathcal{D}(f) \geq E$ . By Theorem 6, there exists  $F \in \mathcal{M}(\mathbb{K})$  whose principal parts at the poles located in C(0, r) are respectively the same as those of  $g_r f^{-1}$  for each r > 0. Then fF belongs to  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. to  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ). Putting g = fF, we can see that  $\mathcal{D}(g - g_r) \geq E_r$ , which ends the proof.

We can now prove Theorem 8:

Proof. Let I be an ideal of finite type of  $\mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp. of  $\mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ) generated by  $f_1, ..., f_q$  and let  $E = \mathcal{D}(I)$ . By Theorem 4 the closure J of I is  $\mathcal{T}(E)$  (resp. by Theorem 5 the closure J of I is  $\mathcal{T}_{a,R}(E)$ ). Consequently, we can see that  $E = \min(\mathcal{D}(f_1), ..., \mathcal{D}(f_q))$ . Let us fix r > 0. In H(C(0,r)), there exist  $g_{1,r}, ..., g_{q,r} \in H(C(0,r))$  such that  $g = \sum_{j=1}^{q} g_{j,r}f_j$ . For each j = 2, ..., q, let  $f_{j,r}$  be the polynomial of the zeros of  $f_j$  in C(0,r). By Lemma 2 there exists  $g_j \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $g_j \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, R^{-}))$ ), not depending on r, such that  $g_{j,r} - g_j$  be divisible in H(C(0,r)) by  $\mathcal{D}(f_{1,r})$ .

Now, set  $h = g - \sum_{j=2}^{q} g_j f_j$ . We have  $\mathcal{D}(h) \geq \mathcal{D}(f_1)$  hence h factorizes in the form  $g_1 f_1$  with  $g_1 \in \mathcal{A}(\mathbb{K})$  (resp.  $g_1 \in \mathcal{A}(d(a, \mathbb{R}^-))$ ) and then

$$g = h + \sum_{j=2}^{q} g_j f_j = \sum_{j=1}^{q} g_j f_j.$$

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