

Complex

the set of complex numbers

see math notation

complex numbers are often intimately related to discrete mathematics — 3B1B

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definition:

$\mathbb{C}x \equiv x = a : bi \wedge \mathbb{R}a \wedge \mathbb{R}b$, where

- $i = \lfloor \cdot 1 \rfloor$, see imaginary numbers
- \mathbb{C} is the set of complex numbers

notation: *Cartesian Form*

$z = a : bi$

note: complex numbers can be represented in the *complex plane*,
 $(z^{re}, z^{im}) \mapsto \mathbb{C}z$

notation: *Polar Form*

AKA: Euler's formula notation

$z = |z| \cos \theta : |z| i \sin \theta = |z| e[i\theta]$, see eulers constant

$\mathbb{C} \vdash \mathbb{U}$, see universal

property: *equality* $a : bi = c : di \equiv a = c \wedge b = d$

property: *addition* $(a : bi) : (c : di) = (a : c) : (b : d)i$

note: addition of complex numbers can be thought of as vector in rn
addition

property: *subtraction* $(a : bi) \cdot (c : di) = (a \cdot c) : (b \cdot d)i$

property: *multiplication*

in cartesian form, $a : bi \mid c : di = ac : adi : bic : bdi2 = (ac \cdot bd) : (ad : bc)i$

in polar form, $z \cdot w = |z| e[i\theta] \cdot |w| e[i\phi] = |zw| e[i(\theta + \phi)]$

property: *square root of i .*

$$\sqrt{i} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + i)$$

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property: *product of two conjugates are product of magnitudes*

$a + bi \cdot a - bi = a^2 + b^2 = |a + bi| \cdot |a - bi|$ — product of conjugates are product of their magnitudes

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Re, Im

let $z = a + bi$

definition: *real part of a complex number*

$$\operatorname{Re} z = z^{\operatorname{re}} = a$$

definition: *imaginary part of a complex number*

$$\operatorname{Im} z = z^{\operatorname{im}} = b$$

therefore, $z = z^{\operatorname{re}} + iz^{\operatorname{im}}$

Complex Conjugate

definition:

$$\text{let } z = a + bi$$

then, $\operatorname{conj} z = a - bi = z^{\operatorname{re}} - iz^{\operatorname{im}}$ is the *complex conjugate* of z

application: multiplying by the conjugate can be used to reduce an expression such as $\frac{1}{-4 + 3i}$

let $\mathbb{C}z \wedge \mathbb{C}w \wedge \mathbb{R}c$

property: $\operatorname{conj}(z \cdot w) = \operatorname{conj} z \cdot \operatorname{conj} w$

property: $\text{conj } cz = c \text{ conj } z$

property: $\text{conj } z|w = \text{conj } z | \text{conj } w$

property: $\text{conj } z-w = \text{conj } z - \text{conj } w$

property: $\text{conj } \text{conj } z = z$

property: $\mathbb{R}z \equiv \text{conj } z = z$

theorem: $z \text{ conj } z = |z|^2 \dashv \mathbb{C}z$

theorem: $-z = \text{conj } z - |z|^2 \dashv \mathbb{C}z$

Absolute Value

AKA: magnitude

definition:

let $z = a + bi$

then, $|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = \sqrt{z^{re}^2 + z^{im}^2}$ is the *absolute value* of z .

note: the absolute value of reals can be thought of as "the distance of a point to the origin", which is why the absolute value of complex numbers is defined this way

let $\mathbb{C}z \wedge \mathbb{C}w \wedge \mathbb{R}c$

property: $\mathbb{R}|z| \wedge |z| \geq 0$

property: $|z| = |\bar{z}|$

property: $|zw| = |z| |w|$

property: $|z - w| = |z| - |w|$

property: *triangle inequality* $|z + w| \leq |z| + |w|$