

Applied Signal Processing and Computer Science

WS 11/12

Tutorial 1: Complex Numbers

1. *Arithmetics of Complex Numbers:*

1.1. Evaluate the following complex numbers:

- j^n for $n = 2, 3, 4, \dots, 9$
- $j^{4n}, j^{4n+1}, j^{4n+2}, j^{4n+3}$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$

1.2. Convert the following numbers into a $a + jb$ representation:

- $j - \frac{1}{j}$
- $(-j)^3 + 3j^3$
- $(j^9 - j^{14})^2$

1.3. Evaluate:

- $6j \cdot 2j$
- $(3 + 4j)(2 - j)$
- $(2 - 3j)(4j + 2)(3 - 4j)$

2. *The Complex Plane*

2.1. Represent the following numbers in the complex plane by using vector sums, and write the respective result as a complex number:

- $(2 + 3j) + (1 + 2j)$
- $(2 - 3j) + (3 + 5j)$
- $(1 + 2j) + (2 + j) + (1 - j)$

2.2. Calculate the magnitude of $z_1 + z_2$ and $z_1 \cdot z_2$, with $z_1 = 0.6 + 0.8j$ and $z_2 = 1.2 + 1.6j$

2.3. Convert the following numbers into a Euler representation (magnitude and phase):

- $1 + j$
- $3 + \sqrt{3}j$
- $z_1 \cdot z_2$ and $\frac{z_1}{z_2}$, with $z_1 = \sqrt{3} - j$ and $z_2 = 1 + \sqrt{3}j$
- $z_1 \cdot z_2$ and $z_1 \cdot z_2^*$, with $z_1 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(1 + j)$ and $z_2 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(1 - j)$

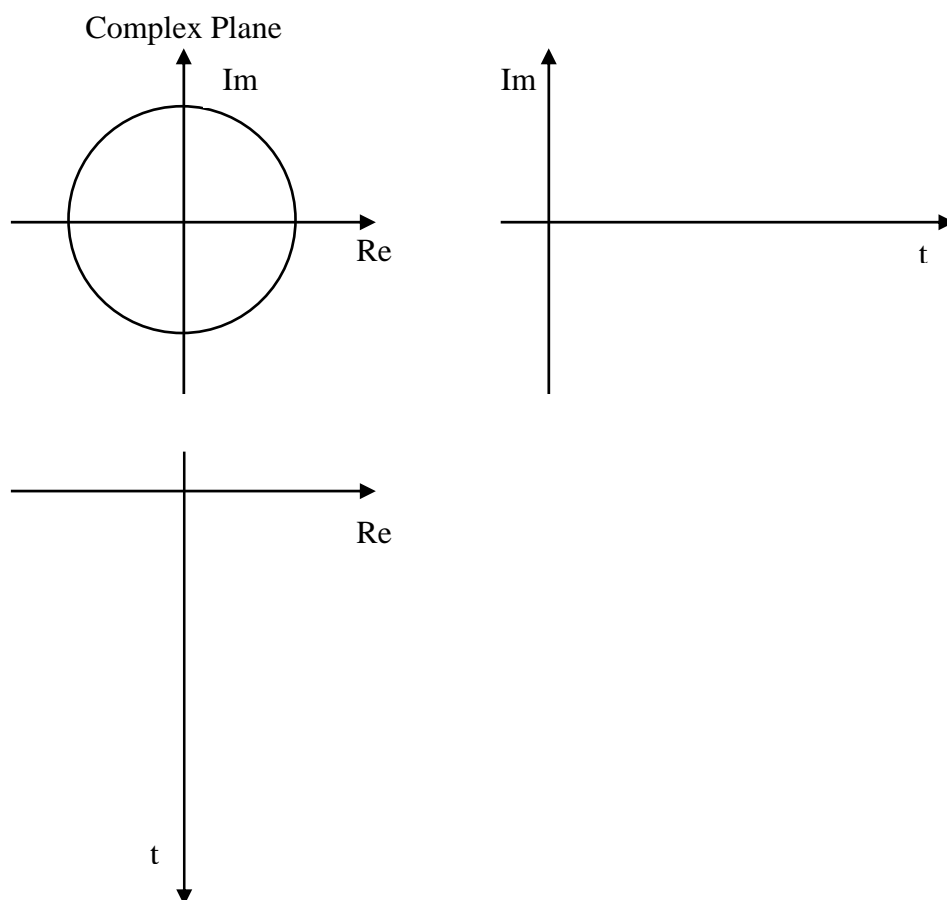
2.4. Demonstrate the validity of the following Euler laws for all $\varphi \in \mathbb{R}$:

- $(e^{j\varphi})^* = e^{-j\varphi}$
- $\frac{1}{2}(e^{j\varphi} + e^{-j\varphi}) = \cos(\varphi)$
- $\frac{1}{2j}(e^{j\varphi} - e^{-j\varphi}) = \sin(\varphi)$

2.5. Raise the complex number $z_k = (1+j)^k$ to the power of k for all $k = 0, \dots, 4$ and plot the results in the complex plane. Plot the function $z_\alpha = (1+j)^\alpha$, with $\alpha = 0 \dots 4$ ($\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$) in the complex plane.

3. Complex Harmonic Oscillations

3.1. Specify the complex harmonic oscillation $u(t)$ in a way, that its real part corresponds to $\text{Re}\{u(t)\} = A \sin(2\pi ft + \pi/3)$. Plot, both, the real $\text{Re}\{u(t)\}$, and imaginary part $\text{Im}\{u(t)\}$ of $u(t)$ and $u(t=0)$ in the chart below.



- 3.2. Draw the superimposed oscillation $u(t) = \sin(2\pi ft) + 2 \cos(2\pi ft) = A \cos(2\pi ft + \varphi)$ after a previous complex expansion. Determine the magnitude A and phase φ of the superimposed oscillation by complex and/or real valued calculations.