

## Step-1

Given that  $x = 2 + i$  and  $y = 1 + 3i$

We have to find  $\overline{x}$ ,  $x\overline{x}$ ,  $xy$ ,  $\frac{1}{x}$  and  $\frac{x}{y}$ .

## Step-2

Now

$$\begin{aligned}\overline{x} &= \overline{2+i} \\ &= 2-i\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\boxed{\overline{x} = 2-i}$

## Step-3

Now

$$\begin{aligned}x.\overline{x} &= (2+i)(2-i) \\ &= 4-(i)^2 \quad \left(\text{Since } (a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2\right) \\ &= 4-(-1)^2 \quad \left(\text{Since } i^2 = -2\right) \\ &= 5\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\boxed{x\overline{x} = 5}$

## Step-4

Now

$$\begin{aligned}xy &= (2+i)(1+3i) \\ &= 2+6i+i+3i^2 \\ &= 2+7i-3 \quad \left(\text{Since } i^2 = -1\right) \\ &= -1+7i\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\boxed{xy = -1+7i}$

## Step-5

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{x} &= \frac{1}{2+i} \\
&= \frac{1}{2+i} \times \frac{2-i}{2-i} \quad (\text{Rationalising the denominator}) \\
&= \frac{2-i}{2^2-i^2} \quad (\text{Since } (a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2) \\
&= \frac{2-i}{4+1} \quad (\text{Since } i^2 = -1)
\end{aligned}$$

## Step-6

Continuation to the above

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{2-i}{5} \\
&= \frac{1}{5}(2-i) \\
&= \frac{2}{5} - \frac{1}{5}i
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\boxed{\frac{1}{x} = \frac{2}{5} - \frac{1}{5}i}$

## Step-7

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{x}{y} &= \frac{2+i}{1+3i} \\
&= \frac{2+i}{1+3i} \times \frac{1-3i}{1-3i} \\
&= \frac{(2+i)(1-3i)}{(1+3i)(1-3i)} \\
&= \frac{2-6i+i-3i^2}{(1)^2 - (3i)^2}
\end{aligned}$$

## Step-8

Continuation to the above

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{(2+3)-5i}{1+9} \\
&= \frac{5-5i}{10} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\boxed{\frac{x}{y} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i}$

## Step-9

We have to verify that  $|xy| = |x||y|$ .

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
|xy| &= |(x+i)(1+3i)| \\
&= |-1+7i| \\
&= \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 7^2} \\
&= \sqrt{1+49} \\
&= \sqrt{50}
\end{aligned}$$

## Step-10

And

$$\begin{aligned}
|x| &= |2+i| \\
&= \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2} \\
&= \sqrt{4+1} \\
&= \sqrt{5}
\end{aligned}$$

## Step-11

And

$$\begin{aligned}
|y| &= |1+3i| \\
&= \sqrt{1^2 + 3^2} \\
&= \sqrt{1+9} \\
&= \sqrt{10}
\end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}|x||y| &= \sqrt{5} \cdot \sqrt{10} \\ &= \sqrt{50}\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\boxed{|xy| = |x| \cdot |y|}$

## Step-12

We have to verify that  $\left| \frac{1}{x} \right| = \frac{1}{|x|}$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}\left| \frac{1}{x} \right| &= \left| \frac{1}{2+i} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{2}{5} - \frac{1}{5}i \right| \\ &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{4}{25} + \frac{1}{25}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\end{aligned}$$

## Step-13

And

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{|x|} &= \frac{1}{|2+i|} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+1}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\boxed{\left| \frac{1}{x} \right| = \frac{1}{|x|}}$