

COMPLEX NUMBERS.

$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ a+ib \\ \nearrow \quad \nearrow \\ \in \text{Real Numbers.} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} i = \sqrt{-1} \quad \text{or} \quad i^2 = -1 \\ \nearrow \\ \text{iota.} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{9} &= 3 \\ \sqrt{ab} &= \sqrt{a}\sqrt{b} \\ \sqrt{-9} &= \sqrt{-1}\sqrt{9} \\ &= \sqrt{-1}(3) \\ &= 3i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 &= 9 \\ x &= \pm 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$2 + 3i \quad 2 + \sqrt{-9}$$

$$x^2 + x + 2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-8}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-7}}{2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{-7}}{2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}i$$

$$\begin{array}{c} z = a + ib \\ \nearrow \quad \nearrow \\ \text{Re}(z) \quad \text{Im}(z) \\ \uparrow \quad \uparrow \\ \text{real part of} \quad \text{Imaginary} \\ \text{complex numbers} \quad \text{part of} \\ z \quad \quad \quad \text{complex numbers} \\ \quad \quad \quad z \end{array}$$

$$z = \text{Re}(z) + i \text{Im}(z)$$

Any number can be represented as a complex number.

$$2 + 3i$$

$$3 + 0i \quad \} \text{ purely real}$$

$$R \subset \mathbb{C}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 0 + 2i \Rightarrow 2i \\ 0 - 3i \Rightarrow -3i \end{matrix} \quad \} \text{ purely imaginary } \checkmark$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} i^1 &= \sqrt{-1} \\ i^2 &= -1 \\ i^3 &= -i \\ i^4 &= 1 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} i^5 &= i \\ i^6 &= -1 \\ i^7 &= -i \\ i^8 &= 1 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} i^{4n} &= 1 \\ i^{4n+1} &= i^{4n} \cdot i = 1 \cdot i = i \end{aligned}$$

$$i^{4n+2} = i^{4n} \cdot i^2 = 1 \cdot i^2 = -1$$

$$i^{4n+3} = i^{4n} \cdot i^3 = 1 \cdot i^3 = -i$$

power
Divide by 4

$$\text{remainder } (0) = 1$$

$$\text{remainder } (1) = i$$

$$\text{remainder } (2) = -1$$

$$\text{remainder } (3) = -i$$

Sum of any four consecutive powers of i is 0
i.e. $i^n + i^{n+1} + i^{n+2} + i^{n+3} = 0 \quad n \geq 0$

Find a) $i^{25} \rightarrow i$ b) $i^{127} \rightarrow -i$ c) $i^{2009} \rightarrow -i$ d) $i^{-2521} \rightarrow \frac{1}{i^{2521}} = \frac{1}{i} = -i$

e) $i^4 + i^5 + i^6 + i^7 \rightarrow 0$

f)
$$\frac{i^{85} + i^{157} + i^{271} + i^{370}}{i^{75} + i^{147} + i^{261} + i^{360}} = i^{10} \left(\frac{i^{75} + i^{147} + i^{261} + i^{360}}{i^{75} + i^{147} + i^{261} + i^{360}} \right) = i^{10} = -1$$

If $z_1 = a_1 + ib_1$ & $z_2 = a_2 + ib_2$

$$z_1 = z_2 \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re}(z_1) &= \operatorname{Re}(z_2) \\ \operatorname{Im}(z_1) &= \operatorname{Im}(z_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 + ib_1 = a_2 + ib_2$$

$$\underline{(2+3i)^2 = a-2+bi}$$

a & $b = ?$
if $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$

$$4 + 9i^2 + 2(2)(3i) = a-2+bi$$

$$4 - 9 + 12i = a-2+bi$$

$$\textcircled{-5} + 12i = \textcircled{a-2} + bi$$

$$a-2 = -5 \Rightarrow a = -3$$

$$12 = b$$

Conjugate of a complex number.

If $z = a + ib$ is a complex number

conjugate of z is denoted by $\bar{z} = a - ib$

eg. $z = 2 + 3i$
 $\bar{z} = 2 - 3i$

$$z = 2$$

 $\bar{z} = 2$

$$z = 3i$$

 $\bar{z} = -3i$

$$\begin{aligned} z\bar{z} &= (a+ib)(a-ib) \\ &= a^2 - (ib)^2 = a^2 - i^2b^2 = \underline{\underline{a^2 + b^2}} \text{ real.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{z\bar{z} = a^2 + b^2}$$

properties of conjugate. ($z = a + ib$) ($\bar{z} = a - ib$)

- i) If $z = \bar{z}$ z is purely real.
ii) If $z = -\bar{z}$ z is purely imaginary
iii) $\operatorname{Re}(z) = \operatorname{Re}(\bar{z}) = \frac{z + \bar{z}}{2}$
iv) $\operatorname{Im}(z) = \frac{z - \bar{z}}{2i}$

v) $\overline{(\bar{z})} = z$

vi) $\overline{z_1 \pm z_2} = \bar{z}_1 \pm \bar{z}_2$

$$z_1 + z_2 = (a_1 + ib_1) + (a_2 + ib_2)$$

$$z_1 + z_2 = a_1 + a_2 + i(b_1 + b_2)$$

$$\overline{z_1 + z_2} = a_1 + a_2 - i(b_1 + b_2)$$

vii) $\overline{z_1 z_2} = \bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2$

viii) $\overline{\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)} = \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2}$

$$\bar{z}_1 = a_1 - ib_1$$

$$\bar{z}_2 = a_2 - ib_2$$

$$\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 = a_1 + a_2 - i(b_1 + b_2)$$

Algebraic Operations with Complex Numbers.

$$z_1 = a + ib \quad z_2 = c + id.$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 + z_2 &= a + ib + c + id \\ &= (a+c) + i(b+d) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 - z_2 &= (a + ib) - (c + id) \\ &= a - c + i(b - d) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 z_2 &= (a + ib)(c + id) = ac + iad + ibc + i^2 bd \\ &= (ac - bd) + i(ad + bc) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z_1}{z_2} &= \frac{a + ib}{c + id} = \frac{(a + ib)(c - id)}{(c + id)(c - id)} = \frac{(ac + bd) + i(bc - ad)}{c^2 + d^2} \\ &= \frac{ac + bd}{c^2 + d^2} + i \frac{(bc - ad)}{c^2 + d^2} \end{aligned}$$

Find a & b if $a + ib \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i)} \quad & \cancel{2 + 3i} - \cancel{bi} = a \\ & 2 + 3i - bi = a - 2 - 2i + bi \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ii)} \quad (a + 2i)(2 + 2i) = b + 6i$$

$$\text{iii)} \quad \frac{a + i}{2 - i} = 1 + bi$$

$$i) \quad 2+2+3i+2i = a + bi + bi$$

$$\underline{4+5i} = \underline{a+2bi}$$

$$a = 4$$

$$2b = 5$$

$$b = 5/2$$

$$ii) \quad (a+2i)(2+2i) = b+6i$$

$$2a-4 + 4i + 2ai = b+6i$$

$$-4-2i = b-2a-2ai$$

$$b-2a = -4$$

$$-2a = -2$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \leftarrow b = -2 \\ \Rightarrow a = 1 \end{array}$$

$$iii) \quad \frac{a+i}{2-i} = 1+bi$$

$$a+i = (1+bi)(2-i)$$

$$a+i = 2+b-i+2bi$$

$$-2+2i = b-a+2bi$$

$$b-a = -2$$

$$2b = 2 \rightarrow b = 1$$

$$a = 3$$

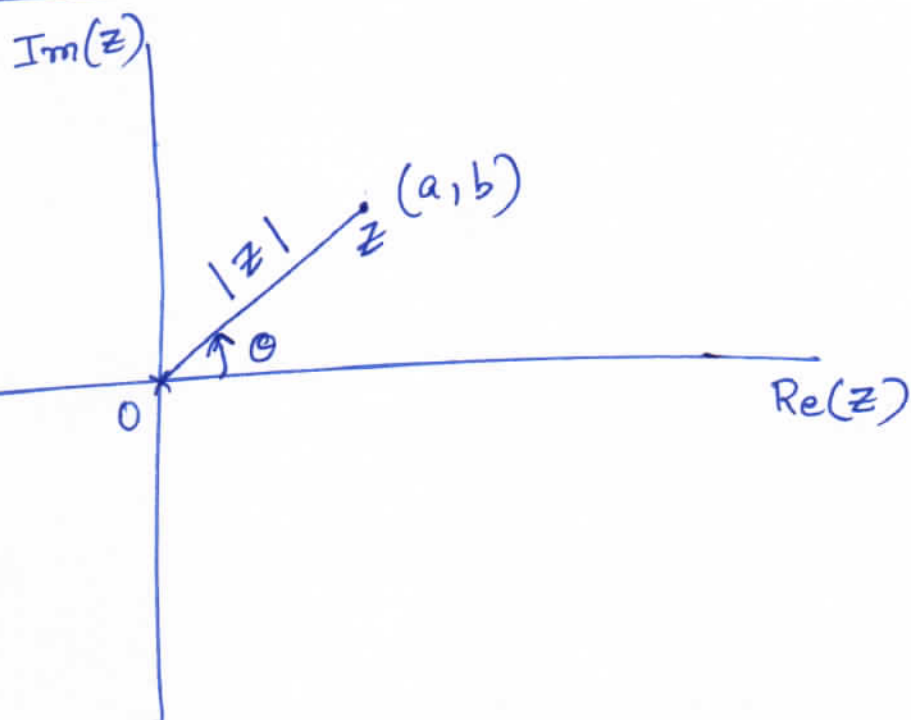
Graphical representation of a complex number:

$$z = a + ib.$$

$$a, b \in \mathbb{R}$$

Can be uniquely located as a point:

on a 2-D plane known as the argand plane.



$$\text{modulus of } z = |z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = \sqrt{\{\text{Re}(z)\}^2 + \{\text{Im}(z)\}^2}$$

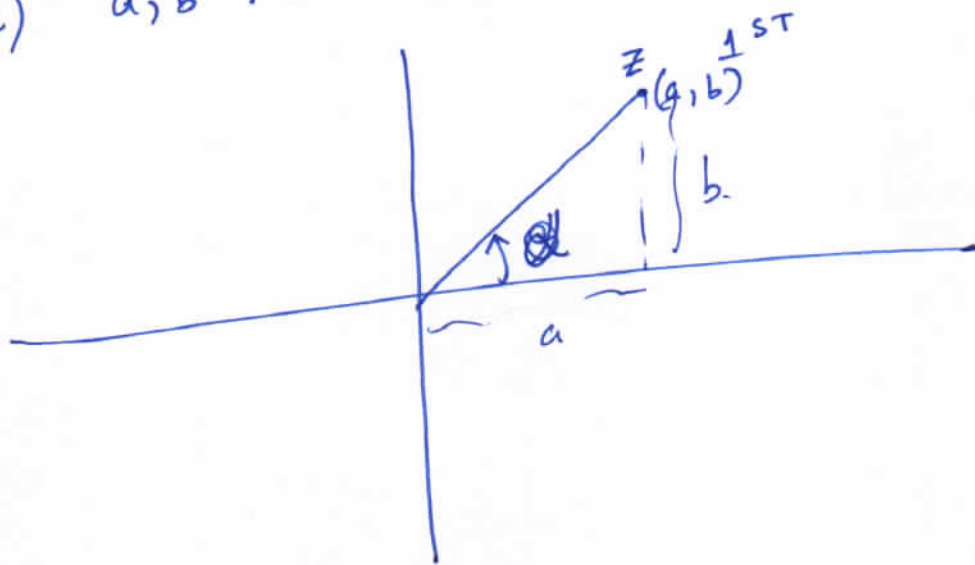
$$z \bar{z} = |z|^2$$

$$\theta = \text{argument of } z = \arg(z) = 2n\pi + \theta$$

If $-\pi < \theta \leq \pi$ then θ is the principal argument of z (amplitude)

Calculation of principal argument / Amplitude
of complex numbers $Z = a + ib$

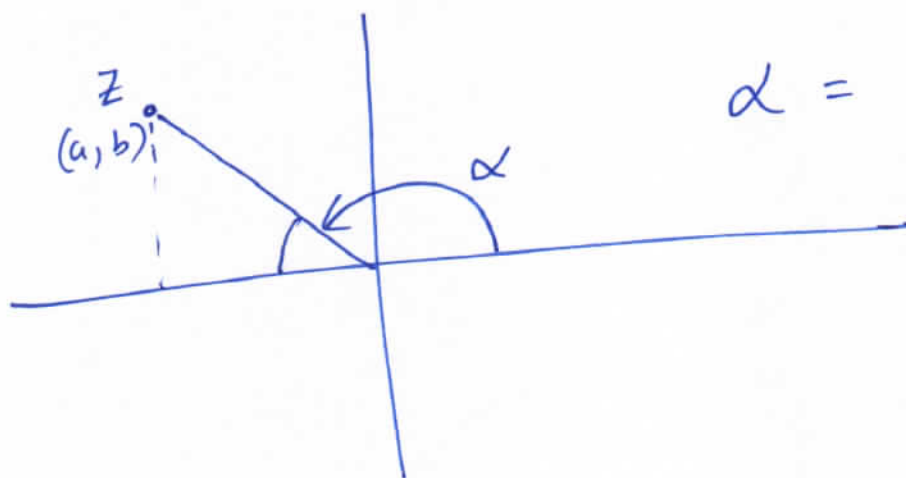
i) $a, b > 0$ $a + ve$ $b + ve$



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{b}{a}$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$$

ii) $a - ve$ $b + ve$



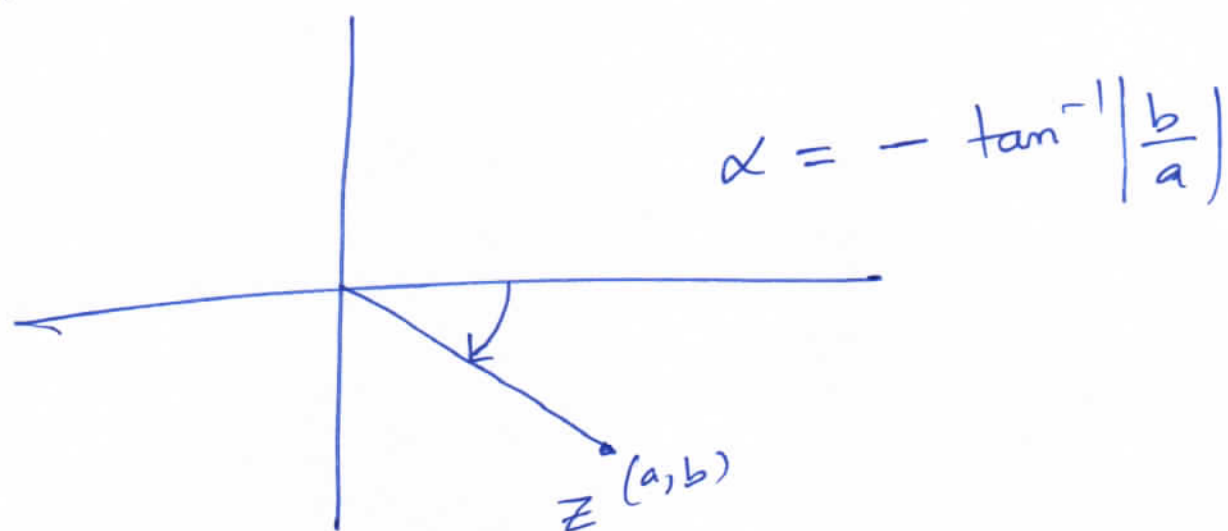
$$\alpha = \pi - \tan^{-1}\left|\frac{b}{a}\right|$$

iii) $a - ve$ $b - ve$



$$\alpha = -\pi + \tan^{-1}\left|\frac{b}{a}\right|$$

iv) a +ve b -ve



Q) Find argument, amplitude & modulus of

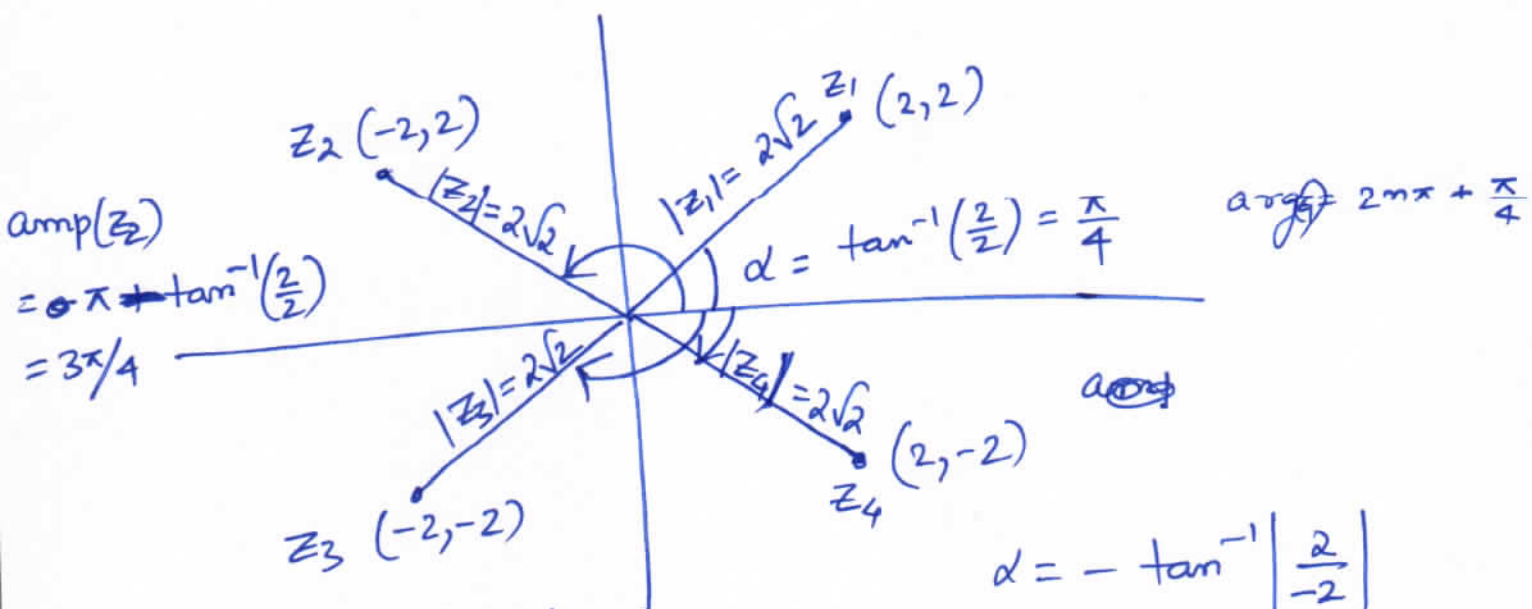
i) $z_1 = 2 + 2i$

$z_2 = -2 + 2i$

$z_3 = -2 - 2i$

$z_4 = 2 - 2i$

$\arg(z) = 2n\pi + \text{amp}(z)$



$\alpha = -\pi + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{-2}\right)$

$= -\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} = -\frac{3\pi}{4}$

$\arg(z_3) = 2n\pi + (-\frac{3\pi}{4})$

$\alpha = -\tan^{-1}\left|\frac{2}{-2}\right|$

$= -\tan^{-1}|1| = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

$\arg(z_4) = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$

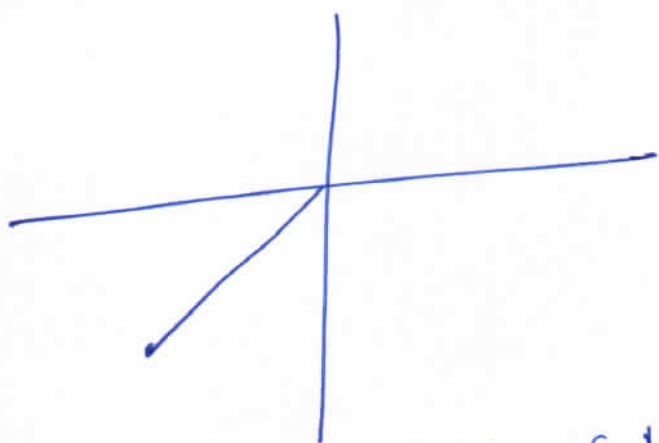
Properties of argument & modulus of a complex numbers.

- i) If $z_1 = z_2 \Rightarrow |z_1| = |z_2|$ $\arg(z_1) = \arg(z_2)$
- ii) If $\arg(z)$ is $(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow z$ is purely Imaginary
- iii) If $\arg(z)$ is $n\pi \Rightarrow z$ is purely real
- iv) $|z| \geq 0$
If $|z| = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$
- v) $z\bar{z} = |z|^2 = |\bar{z}|^2$
- vi) $|z| = |\bar{z}|$
- vii) $|z_1 z_2| = |z_1| |z_2|$
- viii) $|z|$ is a real number
- ix) $\left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right| = \frac{|z_1|}{|z_2|}$
- x) $|z^n| = |z|^n$
- xi) $|z_1 \pm z_2| \leq |z_1| + |z_2|$
- xii) $\arg(\bar{z}) = -\arg(z)$
- xiii) $\arg(z) = 0 \Rightarrow z$ is ^{positive} real.
- xiv) $\arg(z_1 z_2) = \arg(z_1) + \arg(z_2)$
 $\arg(z_1 z_2) = \arg(z_1) + \arg(z_2) + 2k\pi$ $\begin{matrix} k \in \\ (0, 1, -1) \end{matrix}$
- xv) $\arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right) = \arg(z_1) - \arg(z_2) + 2k\pi$ $\begin{matrix} k \in \\ (0, 1, -1) \end{matrix}$

eg. $z_1 = 1 + \sqrt{3}i$
 $z_2 = -2 + 2i$

$\text{amp}(z_1) = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{\sqrt{3}}{1} \right| = 60^\circ$
 $\text{amp}(z_2) = \pi - \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{1}{1} \right| = 135^\circ$
 find $\text{amp}(z_1 z_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 z_2 &= (1 + \sqrt{3}i)(-2 + 2i) \\ &= -2 + 2i - 2\sqrt{3}i + 2\sqrt{3}i^2 \\ &= (-2 - 2\sqrt{3}) + (2 - 2\sqrt{3})i \end{aligned}$$



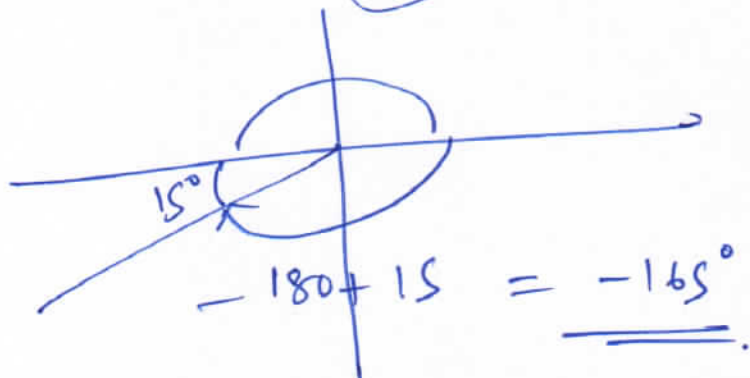
$$\alpha = -\pi + \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{2-2\sqrt{3}}{-2-2\sqrt{3}} \right|$$

$$= -180^\circ + \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{-1.464}{-5.464} \right|$$

$$= -180^\circ + 15^\circ = \underline{\underline{-165^\circ}}$$

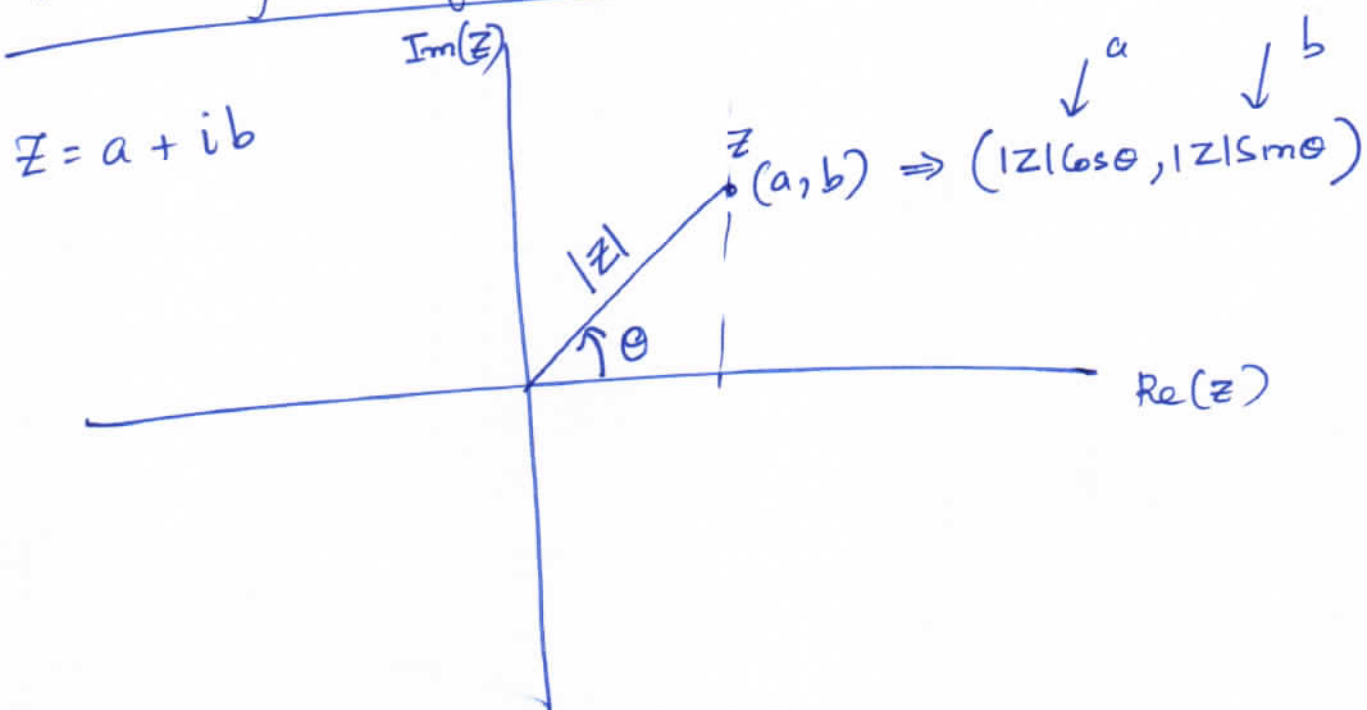
$$\text{amp}(z_1 z_2) = \text{amp}(z_1) + \text{amp}(z_2) + 2k\pi$$

$$= 195^\circ + 2k\pi$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{amp} \left(\frac{z}{\bar{z}} \right) &= \text{amp}(z) - \text{amp}(\bar{z}) + 2k\pi \\ &= \text{amp}(z) + \text{amp}(z) + 2k\pi \\ &= 2 \text{amp}(z) + 2k\pi \end{aligned}$$

Polar form of Complex Numbers



$$\begin{aligned} z &= a + ib \\ &= |z|\cos\theta + i|z|\sin\theta \\ &= |z|(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) \\ &= |z| \left\{ \cos(\arg(z)) + i\sin(\arg(z)) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Euler's formula $\Rightarrow e^{i\theta} = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$

$$z = |z| e^{i\theta}$$

$$z = |z| e^{i\arg(z)}$$

$$z = r e^{i\theta}$$

$|z| = r$
modulus of z .

$$\arg(z) = \theta$$

argument of z .

$$Z = re^{i\theta}$$

$$Z^{-1} = (re^{i\theta})^{-1} = r^{-1}e^{-i\theta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{r}e^{-i\theta}$$

$$Z^{-1} = \frac{1}{|Z|}e^{-i\theta}$$

$$Z^{-1} = \frac{1}{|Z|} \{ \cos(-\theta) + i \sin(-\theta) \}$$

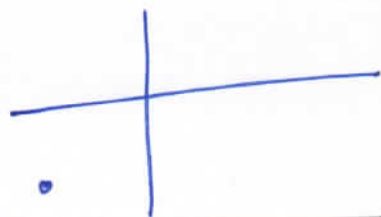
$$= \frac{1}{|Z|} \{ \cos \theta - i \sin \theta \}$$

$$Z^{-1} = \frac{\cos \theta}{|Z|} - i \frac{\sin \theta}{|Z|}$$

Q) Write polar form of $Z = -\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$.

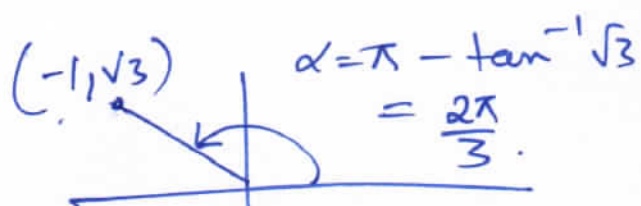
Q) Find $\frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}$

$$|Z| = \sqrt{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4}} = 1$$



$$\alpha = -\pi + \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{-\frac{1}{2}} \right| = -\pi + \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$$

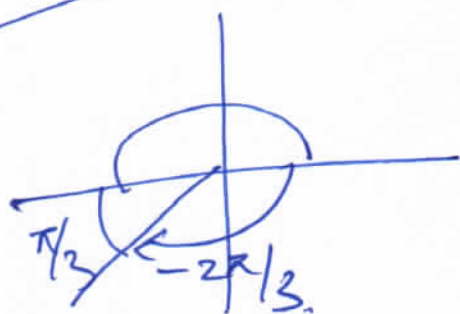
$$\begin{aligned}
 z &= |z|e^{i\theta} \\
 &= 1e^{i(-\frac{2\pi}{3})} \\
 &= e^{i(-\frac{2\pi}{3})}
 \end{aligned}$$



Q2.

$$\frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{-1 + i\sqrt{3}} = \frac{e^{-i\frac{2\pi}{3}}}{e^{i\frac{2\pi}{3}}} = e^{-i\frac{4\pi}{3}} = e^{-i(-\frac{2\pi}{3})} = e^{i\frac{2\pi}{3}}$$

$$\frac{a^x}{a^y} = a^{x-y}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 re^{i\theta} &= r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) \\
 1e^{i\frac{2\pi}{3}} &= 1\left(\cos\frac{2\pi}{3} + i\sin\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) \\
 &= 1\left(-\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \\
 &= \frac{-1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

De Moivre's Thm.

$$\begin{aligned} a \rightarrow \{ \cos \theta + i \sin \theta \}^n &= \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta \\ (e^{i\theta})^n &= e^{i(n\theta)} = \cos(n\theta) + i \sin(n\theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b \rightarrow (\cos \theta_1 + i \sin \theta_1) (\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2) \cdots (\cos \theta_n + i \sin \theta_n) \\ = \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3 + \cdots + \theta_n) + i \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3 + \cdots + \theta_n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} e^{i\theta_1} \cdot e^{i\theta_2} \cdot e^{i\theta_3} \cdots e^{i\theta_n} &= e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \cdots + \theta_n)} \\ &\downarrow \\ &\cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \cdots + \theta_n) \\ &\quad + i \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \cdots + \theta_n) \end{aligned}$$

Suppose x I have to find n^{th} root of a complex number.

$$Z = r e^{i\theta} = r e^{i(\theta + 2\pi)} = r e^{i(\theta + 4\pi)} = \dots$$

$$Z = r e^{i(\theta + 2k\pi)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Z^{1/n} &= \left\{ r e^{i(\theta + 2k\pi)} \right\}^{1/n} \\ &= r^{1/n} e^{i \frac{(\theta + 2k\pi)}{n}} \end{aligned}$$

$$k \in 0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1$$

$$= r^{1/n} \left\{ \cos\left(\frac{\theta+2k\pi}{n}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\theta+2k\pi}{n}\right) \right\}.$$

find square root of $z = 2 + 2\sqrt{3}i$

$$|z| = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (2\sqrt{3})^2} = \sqrt{4+12} = 4$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$z = 4e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$$= 4e^{i(2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{3})}$$

$$z^{1/2} = 4^{1/2} e^{i \frac{(2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{3})}{2}}$$

$$= 2e^{i(k\pi + \frac{\pi}{6})}$$

$$= 2 \left\{ \cos\left(k\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + i \sin\left(k\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \right\}$$

$$k=0$$

$$z_1 = 2 \left\{ \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right\} = 2 \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + i \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \right\} \\ = \sqrt{3} + i$$

$$k=1$$

$$z_2 = 2 \left\{ \cos\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + i \sin\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \right\} = 2 \left\{ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + i \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \right\} \\ = -\sqrt{3} - i$$

For Square root Calculation.

Easy formula. ($z = a + ib$)

$$z^{1/2} = \pm \left[\sqrt{\frac{|z|+a}{2}} + i \sqrt{\frac{|z|-a}{2}} \right] \underline{b > 0}$$

$$\pm \left[\sqrt{\frac{|z|+a}{2}} - i \sqrt{\frac{|z|-a}{2}} \right] \quad b < 0$$

If $z = 2 + 2\sqrt{3}i$

$$|z| = 4$$

$$a = 2$$

$$\therefore b > 0$$

$$z^{1/2} = \pm \left[\sqrt{\frac{4+2}{2}} + i \sqrt{\frac{4-2}{2}} \right]$$

$$= \pm \left[\sqrt{3} + i \right]$$

$$= \sqrt{3} + i, -\sqrt{3} - i$$

$z = -i$ for square root.

$$|z| = 1 \quad a = 0 \quad b < 0$$
$$z^{1/2} = \pm \left[\sqrt{\frac{1+0}{2}} - i \sqrt{\frac{1-0}{2}} \right] = \pm \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

If $Z_8 = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3^8}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3^8}\right)$

find $Z_1 Z_2 Z_3 \dots Z_{\infty}$

$$Z_8 = e^{i\frac{\pi}{3^8}}$$

$$Z_1 Z_2 \dots \dots \infty$$

$$e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}} \cdot e^{i\frac{\pi}{3^2}} \cdot e^{i\frac{\pi}{3^3}} \dots \dots \infty$$

$$e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{3^2} + \frac{\pi}{3^3} \dots \dots \infty\right)}$$

$$e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{1-\frac{1}{3}}\right)} = e^{i\pi/2} = 1 \left\{ \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$$

$$= 1 \{ 0 + i \} = i$$

find cube roots of unity.

$$Z = 1$$

$$Z = 1 e^{i0} = 1 e^{i(0+2k\pi)}$$

$$= 1 e^{i2k\pi}$$

$$Z^{1/3} = 1^{1/3} e^{i\frac{2k\pi}{3}} = 1 e^{i\frac{2k\pi}{3}}$$

$$k=0$$

$$z_1 = \cos 0 + i \sin 0$$

$$= 1$$

$$1$$

$$k=1$$

$$z_2 = \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\omega = -\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$k=2$$

$$z_3 = \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} - i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\omega^2$$

$$\left(-\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{4} - 2i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} - i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$1 \quad \omega \quad \omega^2$$

$$1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$$

$$\omega^3 = 1$$

$$a^{x+y} = a^x a^y$$

$$\omega^{3n+2} = \omega^{3n} \omega^2$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$1$$

$$\omega^{3n} = 1$$

$$\omega^{3n+1} = \omega$$

$$\omega^{3n+2} = \omega^2$$

Any three consecutive powers of ω sum to 0

$$\omega^n + \omega^{n+1} + \omega^{n+2} = 0$$

Find $\sum_{r=1}^{3n+7} \omega^r$

$3n+7$
 $3n+6$ is div 3.

$$\omega + \underbrace{\omega^2 + \omega^3 + \omega^4 + \omega^5 + \dots + \omega^{3n+7}}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ 0}}$$

ω

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If α, β, γ are roots of
 $x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$

Find $\frac{\alpha-1}{\beta-1} + \frac{\beta-1}{\gamma-1} + \frac{\gamma-1}{\alpha-1}$

$\rightarrow x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 1 = -8$

$(x-1)^3 = (-2)^3$

$\left(\frac{x-1}{-2}\right)^3 = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{-2} = 1^{1/3}$

$$\frac{x-1}{-2} = 1, \omega, \omega^2$$

$$x = -1 \quad \alpha = -1$$

$$\frac{x-1}{-2} = \omega \Rightarrow 1-2\omega \quad \beta$$

$$\frac{x-1}{-2} = \omega^2 \Rightarrow 1-2\omega^2 \quad \gamma$$

$$\frac{-1-1}{-2\omega} + \frac{-2\omega}{-2\omega^2} + \frac{-2\omega^2}{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-2}{2\omega} + \frac{1}{\omega} + \omega^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\omega^2 + \omega^2}{\omega \cdot \omega^2}$$

$$= 3\omega^2$$

$$= 3 \left(-\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{3}{2} - i\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$