

# Mathematics Homework Sheet 3

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## Problem 1

(a)

$$3z^2 + z = 1$$

solve the quadratic equations and we get

$$z = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 - 4 \cdot 3 \cdot (-1)}}{(3 \cdot 2)}$$

$$z = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 12}}{6}$$

$$z = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{13}}{6}$$

$$z_0 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{13}}{6} + 0i, \quad z_1 = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{13}}{6} + 0i$$

(b)

$$3z^2 + z = 0$$

$$z(3z + 1) = 0$$

$$z = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 3z + 1 = 0$$

$$z = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad z = -\frac{1}{3}$$

(c)

$$z^2 - (3 + i)z + 4 + 3i = 0$$

$$z = \frac{(3 + i) \pm \sqrt{(3 + i)^2 - 4(4 + 3i)}}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{(3 + i) \pm \sqrt{(9 + 6i - 1 - 16 - 12i)}}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{(3 + i) \pm \sqrt{-8 - 6i}}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{(3 + i) \pm (1 - 3i)}{2}$$

$$z_0 = \frac{4 - 2i}{2} = 2 - i, \quad z_1 = \frac{2 + 4i}{2} = 1 + 2i$$

$$\sqrt{-8 - 6i} = \pm(1 - 3i) \text{ because } \sqrt{-8 - 6i} = \pm\left(\sqrt{\frac{r+(-8)}{2}} + \text{sign}(-6)\sqrt{\frac{r-(-8)}{2}}i\right) \text{ where } r = |-8 - 6i|$$

(d)

$$\sinh z = i$$

By definition of  $\sinh$

$$\frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2} = i$$

Multiplying both sides by  $2e^z$ , we get:

$$e^{2z} - 1 = 2ie^z$$

$$e^{2z} - 2ie^z - 1 = 0$$

Solving for  $e^z$  with  $a = 1, b = -2i, c = -1$ :

$$e^z = \frac{2i}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{-4 + 4}{4}} = i = 1 \cdot e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$z = i\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi\right), n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

(e)

$$\tan(z) = 1$$

$$\frac{\sin(z)}{\cos(z)} = 1$$

$$\sin(z) = \cos(z)$$

By definition of  $\sin(z)$  and  $\cos(z)$

$$\frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i} = \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2}$$

$$e^{iz} - e^{-iz} = i(e^{iz} + e^{-iz})$$

$$e^{2iz} - 1 = i(e^{2iz} + 1)$$

$$e^{2iz}(1 - i) = 1 + i$$

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

$$2z = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$z = \frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

(f)

$$\cos(z) = -\frac{5}{4}$$

By definition of  $\cos(z)$

$$\frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2} = -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$e^{iz} + e^{-iz} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

Let  $q = e^{iz}$

$$q + \frac{1}{q} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
q^2 + \frac{5}{2}q + 1 &= 0 \\
q &= \frac{-\frac{5}{2} \pm \sqrt{(\frac{5}{2})^2 - 4}}{2} \\
q &= \frac{-\frac{5}{2} \pm \frac{3}{2}}{2} \\
q_0 &= \frac{-1}{2}, \quad q_1 = -2 \\
e^{iz_0} &= -\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}e^{i\pi} \\
e^{iz_0 - i\pi} &= \frac{1}{2} \\
iz_0 - i\pi &= \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \\
z_0 &= \frac{\ln(\frac{1}{2}) + i\pi}{i} \\
e^{iz_1} &= -2 = 2e^{i\pi} \\
e^{iz_1 - i\pi} &= 2 \\
iz_1 - i\pi &= \ln(2) \\
z_1 &= \frac{\ln(2) + i\pi}{i}
\end{aligned}$$

**(g)**

$$z + \bar{z} = 1$$

Let  $z = x + iy$

$$\begin{aligned}
x + iy + x - iy &= 1 \\
2x &= 1 \\
x &= \frac{1}{2} \\
z &= \frac{1}{2} + iy, \quad y \in \mathbb{R}
\end{aligned}$$

**(h)**

$$z^2 + 2\bar{z}^2 + z - \bar{z} + 9 = 0$$

Let  $z = x + iy$

$$\begin{aligned}
(x + iy)^2 + 2(x - iy)^2 + (x + iy) - (x - iy) + 9 &= 0 \\
9 - 2iy + x^2 + 2xyi - y^2 + 2x^2 - 4xyi - 2y^2 &= 0 \\
9 - 2iy + 3x^2 - 2xyi - 3y^2 &= 0 \\
9 + 3x^2 - 3y^2 = 0, \quad -2y - 2xy &= 0 \\
x &= 1
\end{aligned}$$

Insert this in the first equation

$$\begin{aligned}
9 + 3 - 3y^2 &= 0 \\
y^2 &= 4 \\
y &= \pm 2 \\
z &= 1 \pm 2i
\end{aligned}$$

(i)

$$\begin{aligned}(1-i)z^2 &= 1+7i \\ z^2 &= \frac{1+7i}{1-i} = \frac{(1+7i)(1+i)}{2} = \frac{1+i+7i-7}{2} = -3+4i \\ z &= \pm\sqrt{-3+4i}\end{aligned}$$

(j)

$$\begin{aligned}(1-i)z^2 &= (1+i)z \\ (1-i)z^2 - (1+i)z &= 0 \\ z[(1-i)z - (1+i)] &= 0 \\ z = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad (1-i)z &= 1+i \\ z &= \frac{1+i}{1-i} = \frac{(1+i)(1+i)}{(1-i)(1+i)} = \frac{(1+2i+i^2)}{1+1} = \frac{1+2i-1}{2} = \frac{2i}{2} = i \\ \Rightarrow z &= 0 \quad \text{or} \quad z = i\end{aligned}$$

(k)

$$z^4 - 4z^2 + 16 = 0$$

Solving for  $z^2$  using  $a = 1$ ,  $b = -4$  and  $c = 16$ , we get:

$$\begin{aligned}z^2 &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4 \cdot 16}}{2} = 2 \pm \frac{\sqrt{-48}}{2} = 2 \pm 2\sqrt{3}i = 4e^{\pm i\frac{\pi}{3}} \\ z &= \pm 2e^{\pm i\frac{\pi}{6}}\end{aligned}$$

(l)

$$z^3 = 1$$

We know that  $z = 1$  is one of the solutions. We divide  $z^3 - 1$  by  $z - 1$  using polynomial long division:

$$\underline{z^3 - 1 \div z - 1}$$

$$\text{Step 1: } z^3 \div z = z^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2(z - 1) = z^3 - z^2$$

$$\text{Subtract: } (z^3 - 1) - (z^3 - z^2) = z^2 - 1$$

$$\text{Step 2: } z^2 \div z = z$$

$$\Rightarrow z(z - 1) = z^2 - z$$

$$\text{Subtract: } (z^2 - 1) - (z^2 - z) = z - 1$$

$$\text{Step 3: } z \div z = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1(z - 1) = z - 1$$

$$\text{Subtract: } (z - 1) - (z - 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{z^3 - 1}{z - 1} = z^2 + z + 1$$

$$z^3 - 1 = (z - 1)(z^2 + z + 1) = 0$$

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

$$z = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad z = -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i$$

**(m)**

$$(z^2 - 1)^3 = (2z)^3 \implies z^2 - 1 = 2z, \quad z^2 - 1 = 2z\left(-\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), \quad z^2 - 1 = 2z\left(-\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right).$$

**Case 1:**  $z^2 - 1 = 2z$

$$z^2 - 2z - 1 = 0 \implies z = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2} = 1 \pm \sqrt{2}.$$

**Case 2:**  $z^2 - 1 = 2z\left(-\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

$$z^2 + (1 - i\sqrt{3})z - 1 = 0 \implies z = \frac{-(1 - i\sqrt{3}) \pm \sqrt{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^2 + 4}}{2} = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2}.$$

**Case 3:**  $z^2 - 1 = 2z\left(-\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

$$z^2 + (1 + i\sqrt{3})z - 1 = 0 \implies z = \frac{-(1 + i\sqrt{3}) \pm \sqrt{(1 + i\sqrt{3})^2 + 4}}{2} = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2}.$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} z &= 1 \pm \sqrt{2}, \\ z &= \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2}, \\ z &= \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2}. \end{aligned}}$$

**(n)**

$$z^4 + 1 = 0 \implies z^4 = -1 = e^{i(\pi + 2\pi k)}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$z = e^{i\left(\frac{\pi + 2\pi k}{4}\right)} = e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi k}{2}\right)}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Taking  $k$  s that will get us an angle in  $(-\pi, \pi]$ ,

$$z = e^{i\pi/4}, e^{i3\pi/4}, e^{i5\pi/4}, e^{i7\pi/4},$$

**(o)**

$$z^6 - 3iz^3 - 2 = 0.$$

Set  $w = z^3$ . Then

$$w^2 - 3iw - 2 = 0 \implies w = \frac{3i \pm \sqrt{(-3i)^2 + 8}}{2} = \frac{3i \pm i}{2} = \begin{cases} 2i, \\ i. \end{cases}$$

Hence we must solve

$$z^3 = 2i \quad \text{and} \quad z^3 = i.$$

By taking cube-roots (as in your solution of  $z^3 = 1$ ), we get

1. For  $z^3 = 2i = 2e^{i\pi/2}$ :

$$z = (2)^{1/3} \exp\left(i \frac{\pi/2 + 2\pi k}{3}\right) = 2^{1/3} e^{i(\pi/6 + 2\pi k/3)}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2.$$

2. For  $z^3 = i = e^{i\pi/2}$ :

$$z = \exp\left(i \frac{\pi/2 + 2\pi k}{3}\right) = e^{i(\pi/6 + 2\pi k/3)}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2.$$

Thus the six solutions are

$$\boxed{z = 2^{1/3} e^{i(\pi/6 + 2\pi k/3)}, \quad z = e^{i(\pi/6 + 2\pi k/3)}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2.}$$

**(p)**

We factor first:

$$z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z = z(z^2 + 2z + 2) = 0.$$

One solution is:

$$z = 0.$$

For the quadratic  $z^2 + 2z + 2 = 0$ , use the quadratic formula with  $a = 1, b = 2, c = 2$ :

$$z = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot 2}}{2 \cdot 1} = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 2i}{2} = -1 \pm i.$$

$$\boxed{z = 0, \quad z = -1 + i, \quad z = -1 - i}$$

**(q)**

We write  $1 = e^{2\pi i k}$ , so:

$$e^z = e^{2\pi i k} \Rightarrow z = 2\pi i k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$\boxed{z = 2\pi i k}$$

**(r)**

We solve:

$$e^z = e^{iz}.$$

Equating exponents up to a multiple of  $2\pi i$ , we write:

$$z = iz + 2\pi i k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

Solving:

$$z - iz = 2\pi i k \Rightarrow z(1 - i) = 2\pi i k \Rightarrow z = \frac{2\pi i k}{1 - i}.$$

Multiply numerator and denominator by  $1 + i$ :

$$z = \frac{2\pi i k(1 + i)}{2} = \pi i k(1 + i).$$

Now write:

$$z = \pi k i(1 + i) = \pi k(-1 + i), \quad \text{since } i^2 = -1.$$

So:

$$\boxed{z = \pi k(-1 + i), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}}$$

**Restricting to angles in**  $(-\pi, \pi]$ , we consider only values of  $k$  such that:

$$\arg(e^z) = \arg(e^{iz}) \in (-\pi, \pi] \Rightarrow \text{we need } \text{Im}(z) = \pi k \in (-\pi, \pi].$$

Thus  $k = -1, 0, 1$ . Therefore:

$$\begin{array}{l} k = -1 \Rightarrow z = \pi(1 - i) \\ k = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0 \\ k = 1 \Rightarrow z = \pi(-1 + i) \end{array}$$

Final boxed form:

$$z \in \{\pi(1 - i), 0, \pi(-1 + i)\}$$

**(s)**

Given:

$$e^{iz} + 4e^{-iz} = 4$$

Multiply both sides by  $e^{iz}$ :

$$e^{2iz} + 4 = 4e^{iz} \Rightarrow e^{2iz} - 4e^{iz} + 4 = 0$$

Let  $w = e^{iz}$ , then:

$$w^2 - 4w + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow (w - 2)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow w = 2$$

Now solve:

$$e^{iz} = 2 \Rightarrow iz = \ln 2 + 2\pi ik \Rightarrow z = -i \ln 2 + 2\pi k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$z = 2\pi k - i \ln 2$$

**(t)**

Given:

$$e^{2z} + ie^z + 1 = 0$$

Let  $w = e^z$ , then:

$$w^2 + iw + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow w = \frac{-i \pm \sqrt{i^2 - 4}}{2} = \frac{-i \pm \sqrt{-1 - 4}}{2} = \frac{-i \pm \sqrt{-5}}{2}$$

$$w = \frac{-i \pm i\sqrt{5}}{2} = i \cdot \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

Now solve  $e^z = w$ :

$$z = \ln \left( i \cdot \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} \right) + 2\pi ik$$

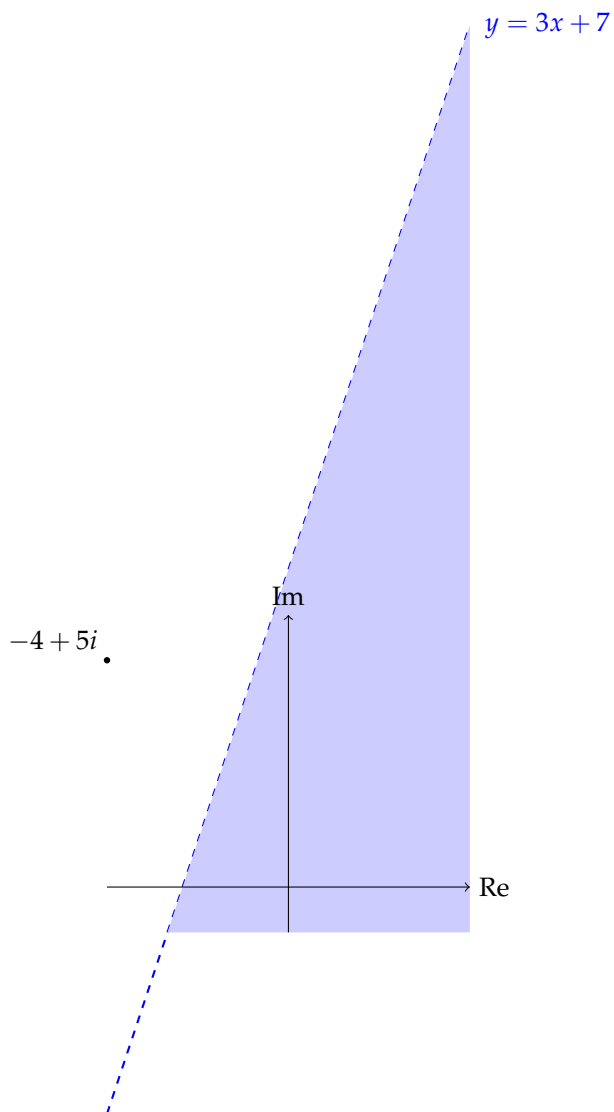
$$z = \ln \left( i \cdot \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} \right) + 2\pi ik$$

## Problem 2

### Set A

$$A = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - (2 + 3i)| < |z - (-4 + 5i)|\},$$

i.e. the half-plane on the side of the perpendicular bisector of  $(2, 3) - (-4, 5)$  containing  $(2, 3)$ .

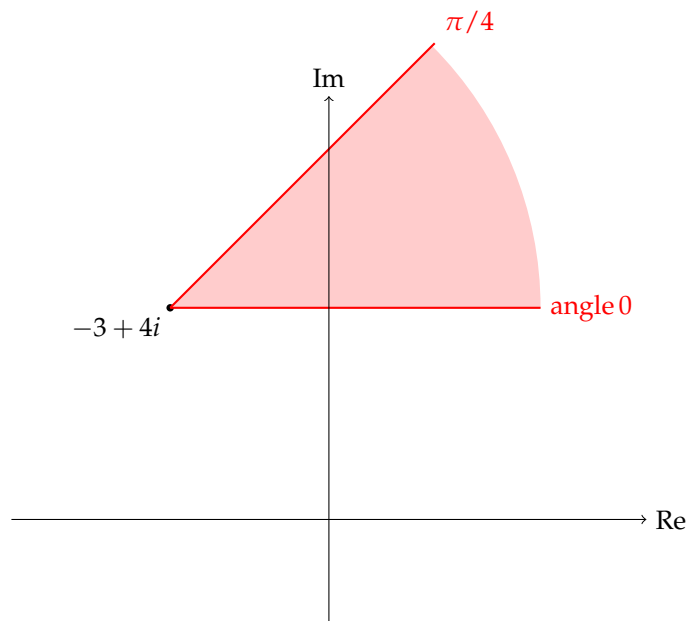


### Set B

$$B = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 0 \leq \arg(z + 3 - 4i) < \frac{\pi}{4}\},$$

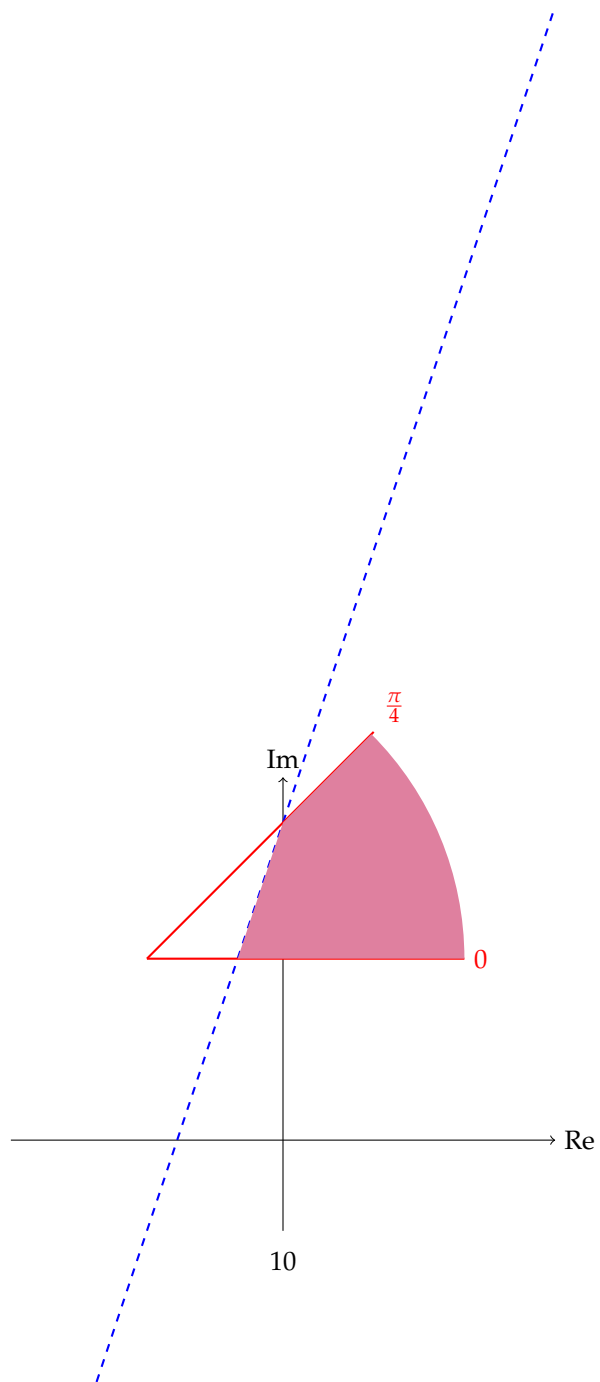
i.e. the sector with vertex  $-3 + 4i$ , between ray at angle 0 and  $\pi/4$ .





### Intersection $A \cap B$

Shade only the points satisfying both conditions.



### Problem 3

(a)

$$(4\sqrt{3} - 4i)^{88}$$

Let's convert this to polar form

$$r = \sqrt{(4\sqrt{3})^2 + (-4)^2} = \sqrt{48 + 16} = \sqrt{64} = 8$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-4}{4\sqrt{3}}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$

So we want to compute

$$(8e^{-\frac{\pi}{6}i})^{88}$$

$$(8e^{-\frac{\pi}{6}i})^{88} = 8^{88}e^{-\frac{88\pi}{6}i} = 8^{88}e^{-\frac{44\pi}{3}i}$$

(b)

$$z = \left(1 + i \tan\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)\right)^n$$

$$z = \left(1 + i \frac{\sin\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)}\right)^n$$

$$z = \left(\frac{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)}\right)^n$$

$$z = \left(\frac{1}{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)}\right)^n \left(\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)\right)^n$$

Using de Moivre's theorem

$$z = \frac{1}{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)^n} \left(\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)\right)^n$$

$$Re(z) = \frac{1}{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)^n} \cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)$$

$$Im(z) = \frac{1}{\cos\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)^n} \sin\left(\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{4n}\right)$$

### Problem 4

In an ordered field the following must hold  $0 < 1$

Assume  $i > 0$

$$\begin{array}{ll}
0 < i & \text{(multiply by } i\text{)} \\
0 < i^2 & \\
0 < -1 & \text{(add 1)} \\
1 < 0 & \text{this is a contradiction}
\end{array}$$

Assume  $i < 0$

$$\begin{array}{ll}
0 < -i & \text{(multiply by } -i\text{)} \\
0 < i^2 & \\
0 < -1 & \text{(add 1)} \\
1 < 0 & \text{this is a contradiction}
\end{array}$$

Thus, we have shown that both assumptions lead to a contradiction. Therefore,  $(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$  is not an ordered field.