

MA1114 2/2/22

Complex Numbers, Matrices, Vectors and Vectorspaces

$$\mathbb{N} \subset \mathbb{Z} \subset \mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R} \subset \mathbb{C} \subset \mathbb{H} \subset \mathbb{O}$$

hamiltonian octonians

Complex Numbers \mathbb{C} , \mathbb{C} is a field

- there is commutative addition and multiplication
- every non-zero element has an inverse.

$$\mathbb{C} = \{ x + yi \mid x, y \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

↑ ↖
real part imaginary part

$$i = \sqrt{-1}, \text{ satisfying } p(i) = 0, p(x) = x^2 + 1$$

$$(3 + 2i) + (2 + 3i) = 5 + 5i$$

$$\text{in general } z_1 = x_1 + y_1 i, z_2 = x_2 + y_2 i$$

$$z_1 + z_2 = (x_1 + y_1 i) + (x_2 + y_2 i) = (x_1 + x_2) + (y_1 + y_2) i$$

(commutative)

$$(3 + i)(2 - 3i) = 3 \cdot 2 - 3 \cdot 3i + i \cdot 2 - i \cdot 3i$$
$$= 6 - 9i + 2i - 3i^2 = 9 - 7i$$

z_1, z_2 as above.

$$z_1 z_2 = (x_1 + y_1 i)(x_2 + y_2 i)$$

$$= x_1 x_2 + y_2 i x_1 + x_2 y_1 i - (y_1 y_2)$$

$$= (x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2) + i (y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1) = z_1 z_2$$

so commutative.

Why does every $0 \neq z \in \mathbb{C}$ has an inverse? i.e. an element $y \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $yz = 1$

$$z_j = (x_j + y_j i) \quad j = 1, 2$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 1 \Rightarrow x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2 = 1$$

$$y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = \frac{-y_1 x_2}{x_2} \quad x_2 = \frac{1 + y_1 y_2}{x_1}$$

$$z_2 = \frac{x_1 - y_1 i}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2}}$$

check - $z_1 \cdot z_2 = 1$

$$\frac{(x_1 + y_1 i)(x_1 - y_1 i)}{x_1^2 + y_1^2} = 1$$

Definitions

Suppose $z = x + yi \in \mathbb{C}$

- $\operatorname{Re}(z) = x$

- $\operatorname{Im}(z) = y$

are the real and imaginary parts of z

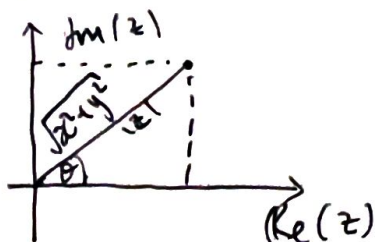
$|z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ is the modulus of z

$\bar{z} = x - yi$ is conjugate of z

It commutatively breaks down

observe $z\bar{z} = x^2 + y^2 = |z|^2$

& argument of z .



argand diagram we see that

$$x = |z| \cos(\theta)$$

$$y = |z| \sin(\theta)$$

we see that

$$\begin{aligned} z &= |z| \cos \theta + i |z| \sin \theta \\ &= |z| (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\ &= e^{i\theta} |z| \quad (\text{Euler's formula}) \quad e^{i\pi} = -1 \end{aligned}$$

Complex vector space

Slogan - "replace \mathbb{R} by \mathbb{C} "

$$\mathbb{C}^n = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \mid x_i \in \mathbb{C} \right\}$$

$$M_{m,n}(\mathbb{C}) = \{ m \times n \text{ matrices with entries in } \mathbb{C} \}$$

$$P_n(\mathbb{C}) = \{ \text{polynomials of degree at most } n \text{ with coeff. in } \mathbb{C} \}$$

Note \mathbb{C} is a vector space

complex v.s. $\neq \mathbb{R}$ v.s.

- a \mathbb{C} vector space of dim 1
- a \mathbb{R} vector space of dim 2

$A \in M_{m,n}(\mathbb{C})$, define

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re}(A)_{ij} &= \operatorname{Re}(A_{ij}) \quad \text{for } 1 \leq i, j \leq m, n \\ \operatorname{Im}(A)_{ij} &= \operatorname{Im}(A_{ij}) \quad \text{for } 1 \leq i, j \leq m, n \end{aligned}$$

Example $\operatorname{Re} \begin{pmatrix} 1+i & 3 \\ -i & \pi - 64i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & \pi \end{pmatrix}$

Also define (for A as above)

$$(\bar{A})_{ij} = (\bar{A}_{ij}) \quad \text{for } 1 \leq i, j \leq m, n$$

Proposition $u, v \in \mathbb{C}^n$

$$A \in M_{m,n}(\mathbb{C}), B \in M_{m,n}(\mathbb{C})$$

$$(a) \overline{\overline{u}} = u$$

$$(b) \overline{\lambda u} = \overline{\lambda} \overline{u}$$

$$(c) \overline{u+v} = \overline{u} + \overline{v}$$

$$(d) \overline{A^T} = \overline{A}^T$$

$$(e) \overline{AB} = \overline{A} \cdot \overline{B}$$

Example

$$\begin{pmatrix} i & 0 \\ 1 & 2+i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7-3i & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7i+3 & 0 \\ 7-3i & 8+4i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overline{\begin{pmatrix} i & 0 \\ 1 & 2+i \end{pmatrix}} = \begin{pmatrix} -i & 0 \\ 1 & 2-i \end{pmatrix}, \quad \overline{\begin{pmatrix} 7-3i & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}} = \begin{pmatrix} 7+3i & 0 \\ 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overline{\begin{pmatrix} 7i+3 & 0 \\ 7-3i & 8+4i \end{pmatrix}} = \begin{pmatrix} 7i-3 & 0 \\ 7+3i & 8-4i \end{pmatrix}$$

Lemma $\forall z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\textcircled{1} \overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}, \quad \textcircled{2} \overline{z_1 z_2} = \overline{z_1} \cdot \overline{z_2} \text{ (special case of (b) above).}$$

Proof of ①

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{x_1 + y_1 i + x_2 + y_2 i} &= \overline{x_1 + x_2 - (y_1 + y_2) i} \\ &= \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2} \end{aligned}$$

Proof of ②

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{z_1 z_2} &= \overline{(x_1 + y_1 i)(x_2 + y_2 i)} = \overline{x_1 x_2 + x_1 y_2 i + x_2 y_1 i + y_1 y_2 i^2} \\ &= \overline{(x_1 - y_1 i)(x_2 - y_2 i)} \\ &= \overline{z_1} \cdot \overline{z_2} \end{aligned}$$

Proof of Proposition

(c) harder one

$$\begin{aligned}\overline{(AB)}_{ij} &= \overline{\sum_{r=1}^k A_{ir} B_{rj}} = \sum_{r=1}^k \overline{A_{ir} B_{rj}} \text{ by lemma} \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^k \bar{A}_{ir} \cdot \bar{B}_{rj} = (\bar{A} \cdot \bar{B})_{ij}\end{aligned}$$

Theorem (Fundamental theory of algebra)

any complex polynomial can be factored uniquely as a product of linear polynomials. The roots come in complex conjugate pairs.

Example

$$p(x) = x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$$

$$p(x) = (x - w)(x - w^2)(x - w^3)(x - w^4)$$

w is the 5th root of unity

$$w = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{5}}$$

