



# Exercise 1.2



1. Find the values of  $x$  and  $y$  in each of the following.

i)  $x + iy + 2 - 3i = i(5 - i)(3 + 4i)$

Sol:  $x + 2 + iy - 3i = i(15 + 20i - 3i - 4i^2)$

$$(x + 2) + i(y - 3) = i(15 + 17i - 4(-1))$$

$$(x + 2) + i(y - 3) = i(15 + 17i + 4)$$

$$(x + 2) + i(y - 3) = i(19 + 17i)$$

$$(x + 2) + i(y - 3) = 19i + 17i^2$$

$$(x + 2) + i(y - 3) = 19i + 17(-1)$$

$$(x + 2) + i(y - 3) = -17 + 19i$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts

$$x + 2 = -17, \quad y - 3 = 19$$

$$x = -17 - 2, \quad y = 19 + 3$$

$$x = -19, \quad y = 22$$

ii)  $(x + iy)(1 - i) = (2 - 3i)(-5 + 5i) \left( -\frac{3i}{5} \right)$

Sol:  $(x + iy)(\cancel{1} - i) = (2 - 3i)(\cancel{-5} + 5i) \frac{-3i}{5}$

$$x + iy = 3i(2 - 3i)$$

$$x + iy = 6i - 9i^2$$

$$x + iy = 6i - 9(-1)$$

$$x + iy = 9 + 6i$$

$$x = 9, \quad y = 6$$

iii)  $\frac{x}{2+i} + \frac{y}{3-i} = 4 + 5i$

Sol:  $\frac{x}{2+i} \cdot \frac{2-i}{2-i} + \frac{y}{3-i} \cdot \frac{3+i}{3+i} = 4 + 5i$

$$\frac{(2-i)x}{(2)^2 - (i)^2} + \frac{(3+i)y}{(3)^2 - (i)^2} = 4 + 5i$$

$$\frac{2x - ix}{4 - (-1)} + \frac{3y + iy}{9 - (-1)} = 4 + 5i$$

$$\frac{2x - ix}{5} + \frac{3y + iy}{10} = 4 + 5i$$

$$\frac{10(2x - ix) + 5(3y + iy)}{50} = 4 + 5i$$

$$20x - 10ix + 15y + 5iy = 50(4 + 5i)$$

$$20x + 15y - 10ix + 5iy = 200 + 250i$$

$$20x + 15y + i(-10x + 5y) = 200 + 250i$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts

$$20x + 15y = 200 \quad (i),$$

$$-10x + 5y = 250 \quad (ii)$$

Multiply (ii) by 2 and add to (i)

$$20x + 15y = 200$$

$$-20x + 10y = 500$$

$$25y = 700 \quad \Rightarrow y = 28$$

$$(ii) \Rightarrow -10x + 5(28) = 250$$

$$-10x + 140 = 250$$

$$-10x = 250 - 140$$

$$\Rightarrow -10x = 110$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -11$$

2. If  $z_1 = -13 + 24i$ ,  $z_2 = x + yi$  find the real values of  $x$  and  $y$  such that  $z_1 - z_2 = -27 + 15i$

Sol:  $z_1 - z_2 = -27 + 15i$

$$(-13 + 24i) - (x + yi) = -27 + 15i$$

$$-13 + 24i - x - yi = -27 + 15i$$

$$-13 - x + 24i - yi = -27 + 15i$$

$$(-13 - x) + i(24 - y) = -27 + 15i$$

$$-13 - x = -27, \quad 24 - y = 15$$

$$-13 + 27 = x, \quad 24 - 15 = y$$

$$x = 14, \quad y = 9$$

3. Find the real values of  $x$  and  $y$  if:

i)  $(x + iy)^2 = 25 + 60i$

Sol:  $x^2 + (iy)^2 + 2ixy = 25 + 60i$

$$x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy = 25 + 60i$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 25, \quad 2xy = 60$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 25 \quad (i), \quad xy = 30$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{30}{x} \quad (ii)$$

Put (ii) in (i)

$$x^2 - \left(\frac{30}{x}\right)^2 = 25 \Rightarrow x^2 - \frac{900}{x^2} = 25$$

$$x^2 \cdot x^2 - \frac{900}{x^2} \cdot x^2 = 25x^2 \quad (\text{Multiply by } x^2)$$

$$x^4 - 900 = 25x^2$$

$$x^4 - 25x^2 - 900 = 0$$



$$x^4 - 45x^2 + 20x^2 - 900 = 0$$

$$x^2(x^2 - 45) + 20(x^2 - 45) = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 45)(x^2 + 20) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 45 = 0, \quad x^2 + 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 45, \quad x^2 = -20$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{45}, \quad x = \pm\sqrt{-20}$$

$$x = \pm 3\sqrt{5}, \quad x = \pm 2i\sqrt{5} \text{ (ignore complex number)}$$

Put  $x = \pm 3\sqrt{5}$  in (ii)

$$y = \frac{30}{\pm 3\sqrt{5}} = \pm \frac{10}{\sqrt{5}} = \pm 2\sqrt{5}$$

ii)  $(x + iy)^2 = 64 + 48i$

Sol:  $x^2 + (iy)^2 + 2ixy = 64 + 48i$

$$x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy = 64 + 48i$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 64, \quad 2xy = 48$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 64 \quad (i), \quad xy = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{24}{x} \quad (ii)$$

Put in (i)

$$x^2 - \left(\frac{24}{x}\right)^2 = 64$$

$$x^2 - \frac{576}{x^2} = 64$$

$$x^2 \cdot x^2 - \frac{576}{x^2} \cdot x^2 = 64x^2 \quad (\text{Multiply by } x^2)$$

$$x^4 - 576 = 64x^2$$

$$x^4 - 64x^2 - 576 = 0$$

$$x^4 - 72x^2 + 8x^2 - 576 = 0$$

$$x^2(x^2 - 72) + 8(x^2 - 72) = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 72)(x^2 + 8) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 72 = 0, \quad x^2 + 8 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 72, \quad x^2 = -8$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{72}, \quad x = \pm\sqrt{-8}$$

$$x = \pm 6\sqrt{2}, \quad x = \pm 2i\sqrt{2} \text{ (ignore complex number)}$$

Put  $x = \pm 6\sqrt{2}$  in (ii)

(Taking only real values as  $x, y \in R$ )

$$y = \frac{24}{\pm 6\sqrt{2}} = \pm \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} = \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

iii)  $(x + iy)^2 = \frac{2i - 3}{3 + i}$

Sol:  $(x + iy)^2 = \frac{2i - 3}{3 + i}$

$$= \frac{2i - 3}{3 + i} \times \frac{3 - i}{3 - i} = \frac{6i - 2i^2 - 9 + 3i}{(3)^2 - (i)^2}$$

$$= \frac{6i + 2 - 9 + 3i}{9 - (-1)}$$

$$(x + iy)^2 = \frac{-7 + 9i}{10}$$

$$x + iy = \pm \sqrt{\frac{-7}{10} + \frac{9}{10}i} \text{-----(1)}$$

Let  $z = \frac{-7}{10} + \frac{9}{10}i = -0.7 + 0.9i$

$$|z| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{-7}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{49}{100} + \frac{81}{100}} = \sqrt{\frac{130}{100}} = \sqrt{\frac{13}{10}} \approx 1.14$$

Now using formula

$$\sqrt{z} = \left( \pm \sqrt{\frac{|z| + x}{2}} + i \frac{y}{|y|} \sqrt{\frac{|z| - x}{2}} \right)$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-7}{10} + \frac{9}{10}i} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{1.14 - 0.7}{2}} + i \frac{0.9}{|0.9|} \sqrt{\frac{1.14 - (-0.7)}{2}} \right)$$

$$= \pm(0.46 + 0.95i)$$

Hence  $x = \pm 0.46$ ,  $y = \pm 0.95$

4: If  $z_1 = 2 + 3i$  and  $z_2 = 1 - \alpha i$ ,

Find real values of  $\alpha$  such that  $\text{Im}(z_1 z_2) = 7$

Sol:  $z_1 \cdot z_2 = (2 + 3i)(1 - \alpha i)$

$$z_1 z_2 = 2 - 2\alpha i + 3i - 3\alpha i^2$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 2 + i(-2\alpha + 3) - 3\alpha(-1)$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 2 + i(-2\alpha + 3) + 3\alpha$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 2 + 3\alpha + i(-2\alpha + 3)$$

$$\text{Im}(z_1 z_2) = -2\alpha + 3$$

Given  $\text{Im}(z_1 z_2) = 7$

$$-2\alpha + 3 = 7$$

$$3 - 7 = 2\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\alpha = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -2$$

5. If  $z_1 = x + yi$ ,  $z_2 = a + bi$ , find  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $a$  and  $b$   
Such that  $z_1 + z_2 = 10 + 4i$  and  $z_1 - z_2 = 6 + 2i$

Sol:  $z_1 + z_2 = 10 + 4i$  (i)

$z_1 - z_2 = 6 + 2i$  (ii)

$z_1 + z_2 = 10 + 4i$

$z_1 - z_2 = 6 + 2i$

$2z_1 = 16 + 6i$

$z_1 = 8 + 3i$

$x + yi = 8 + 3i$

$x = 8, y = 3$

$z_1 + z_2 = 10 + 4i$

$z_1 - z_2 = 6 + 2i$

$2z_2 = 4 + 2i$

$z_2 = 2 + i$

$a + bi = 2 + i$

Comparing real and imaginary parts

$a = 2, b = 1$

6. Show that for  $\forall z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\overline{z_1 z_2} = \overline{z_1} \overline{z_2}$

Sol:  $z_1 = a + bi$   $\overline{z_1} = a - bi$

$z_2 = c + di$   $\overline{z_2} = c - di$

$z_1 z_2 = (a + ib)(c + id)$

$= ac + iad + ibc + bdi^2$

$= ac + i(ad + bc) + bd(-1)$

$= ac + i(ad + bc) - bd$

$z_1 z_2 = ac - bd + i(ad + bc)$

L.H.S. =  $\overline{z_1 z_2} = ac - bd - i(ad + bc)$  (i)

R.H.S. =  $\overline{z_1} \overline{z_2}$

$= (a - ib)(c - id)$

$= ac - iad - ibc + bdi^2$

$= ac - i(ad + bc) + bd(-1)$

$= ac - i(ad + bc) - bd$

$= ac - bd + i(ad + bc)$  (ii)

From (i) & (ii)

L.H.S. = R.H.S.

7. Find the square root of the following complex numbers.

i.  $-7 - 24i$

Sol: Let  $z = -7 - 24i$  here  $x = -7, y = -24$

$|z| = \sqrt{(-7)^2 + (-24)^2} = \sqrt{49 + 576} = \sqrt{625} = 25$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{|z|+x}{2}} + \frac{iy}{|y|} \sqrt{\frac{|z|-x}{2}} \right)$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{25+(-7)}{2}} + \frac{i(-24)}{24} \sqrt{\frac{25-(-7)}{2}} \right)$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{25-7}{2}} - i \sqrt{\frac{25+7}{2}} \right) = \pm (\sqrt{9} - i\sqrt{16})$

$= \pm(3 - i4)$

Hence  $\sqrt{z} = 3 - 4i$  or  $-3 + 4i$

ii.  $8 - 6i$

Sol: Let  $z = 8 - 6i$  here  $x = 8, y = -6$

$|z| = \sqrt{(8)^2 + (-6)^2} = \sqrt{64 + 36} = \sqrt{100} = 10$

Now,  $\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{|z|+x}{2}} + \frac{iy}{|y|} \sqrt{\frac{|z|-x}{2}} \right)$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{10+8}{2}} + \frac{i(-6)}{6} \sqrt{\frac{10-8}{2}} \right)$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm (\sqrt{9} - i\sqrt{1}) = \pm(3 - i)$

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

iii.  $-15 - 36i$

Sol: Let  $z = -15 - 36i$  here  $x = -15, y = -36$

$|z| = \sqrt{(-15)^2 + (-36)^2} = \sqrt{225 + 1296} = \sqrt{1521} = 39$

Now,  $\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{|z|+x}{2}} + \frac{iy}{|y|} \sqrt{\frac{|z|-x}{2}} \right)$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{39+(-15)}{2}} + \frac{i(-36)}{36} \sqrt{\frac{39-(-15)}{2}} \right)$

$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{39-15}{2}} - i \sqrt{\frac{39+15}{2}} \right) = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{24}{2}} - i \sqrt{\frac{54}{2}} \right)$

$= \pm \sqrt{12} - i \sqrt{27} = \pm(2\sqrt{3} - i3\sqrt{3})$

Hence  $\sqrt{z} = 2\sqrt{3} - i3\sqrt{3}$  or  $-2\sqrt{3} + i3\sqrt{3}$

iv.  $119 + 120i$

Sol Let  $z = 119 + 120i$  here  $x = 119, y = 120$

$$|z| = \sqrt{(119)^2 + (120)^2} = \sqrt{1416 + 14400} = \sqrt{25561} = 169$$

$$\text{Now, } \sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{|z|+x}{2}} + \frac{iy}{|y|} \sqrt{\frac{|z|-x}{2}} \right)$$

$$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{169+119}{2}} + \frac{i(-120)}{120} \sqrt{\frac{169-119}{2}} \right)$$

$$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{288}{2}} + i\sqrt{\frac{50}{2}} \right) = \left( \sqrt{\frac{114}{2}} + i\sqrt{25} \right) = \pm(12 + 5i)$$

Hence  $\sqrt{z} = 12 + 5i$  or  $-12 + 5i$

8. Find the square root of  $13 - 20\sqrt{3}i$  and represent it on an Argand Diagram.

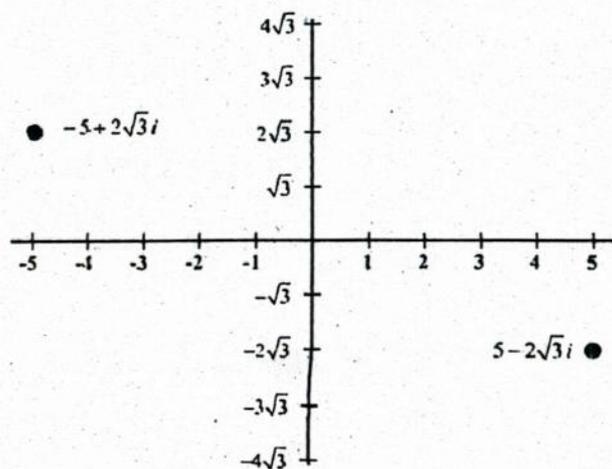
Sol Let  $z = 13 - 20\sqrt{3}i$  here  $x = 13, y = -20\sqrt{3}$

$$|z| = \sqrt{(13)^2 + (-20\sqrt{3})^2} = \sqrt{169 + 1200} = \sqrt{1369} = 37$$

$$\text{Now, } \sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{|z|+x}{2}} + \frac{iy}{|y|} \sqrt{\frac{|z|-x}{2}} \right)$$

$$\sqrt{z} = \pm \left( \sqrt{\frac{37+13}{2}} + \frac{i(-20\sqrt{3})}{20\sqrt{3}} \sqrt{\frac{37-13}{2}} \right) = \pm(\sqrt{25} - i\sqrt{12}) = \pm(5 - 2\sqrt{3}i)$$

Hence  $\sqrt{z} = 5 - 2\sqrt{3}i$  or  $\sqrt{z} = -5 + 2\sqrt{3}i$



9. Find the real values of  $x$  and  $y$

if  $(-7 + i)(x + iy) + (-1 - 5i) = i(11 - i)$ :

Sol:  $(-7 + i)(x + iy) + (-1 - 5i) = i(11 - i)$

$$(-7 + i)(x + iy) = (11i - i^2) - (-1 - 5i)$$

$$(-7 + i)(x + iy) = (11i - (-1)) + 1 + 5i$$

$$(-7 + i)(x + iy) = 11i + 1 + 1 + 5i$$

$$(-7 + i)(x + iy) = 2 + 16i$$

$$x + iy = \frac{2 + 16i}{-7 + i}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{2 + 16i}{-7 + i} \cdot \frac{-7 - i}{-7 - i}$$

$$= \frac{(2 + 16i)(-7 - i)}{(-7)^2 - i^2} = \frac{-14 - 2i - 112i - 16i^2}{49 - (-1)}$$

$$= \frac{-14 - 114i - 16(-1)}{50} = \frac{-14 - 114i + 16}{50}$$

$$= \frac{2 - 114i}{50} = \frac{2}{50} - \frac{114i}{50}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{1}{25} - \frac{57}{25}i$$

$$x = \frac{1}{25}, y = -\frac{57}{25}$$

10. Find the real value of  $x$  and  $y$  if

$(5 - 2i)(x + iy) + 3 = i(11 - i) - 4i$ :

Sol  $(5 - 2i)(x + iy) + 3 = i(11 - i) - 4i$

$$(5 - 2i)(x + iy) = (11i - i^2) - 4i - 3$$

$$(5 - 2i)(x + iy) = (11i - (-1)) - 4i - 3$$

$$(5 - 2i)(x + iy) = 11i + 1 - 4i - 3$$

$$(5 - 2i)(x + iy) = -2 + 7i$$

$$x + iy = \frac{-2 + 7i}{5 - 2i}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{-2 + 7i}{5 - 2i} \cdot \frac{5 + 2i}{5 + 2i}$$

$$= \frac{(-2 + 7i)(5 + 2i)}{(5)^2 - (2i)^2} = \frac{-10 - 4i + 35i + 14i^2}{25 - (-4)}$$

$$= \frac{-10 + 31i - 14}{29} = \frac{-24 + 31i}{29}$$

$$= \frac{-24}{29} + \frac{31i}{29}$$

$$x + iy = \frac{-24}{29} + \frac{31}{29}i$$

$$x = \frac{-24}{29}, y = \frac{31}{29}$$

11. Find the real value of  $u$  and  $v$ . If  $\frac{u-2}{2+i} + \frac{v-3}{2-i} = 4i$

Sol:  $\frac{u-2}{2+i} + \frac{v-3}{2-i} = 4i$

$$\frac{(2-i)(u-2) + (2+i)(v-3)}{(2)^2 - (i)^2} = 4i$$

$$\frac{2(u-2) - i(u-2) + 2(v-3) + i(v-3)}{4 - (-1)^2} = 4i$$

$$\frac{2(u-2) + 2(v-3) + i(v-3) - i(u-2)}{5} = 4i$$

$$2u - 4 + 2v - 6 + i(v-3 - (u-2)) = 5(4i)$$

$$2u + 2v - 10 + i(v-3-u+2) = 20i$$

$$2u + 2v - 10 + i(-u+v-1) = 0 + 20i$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts

$$2u + 2v - 10 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad -u + v - 1 = 20$$

$$u + v - 5 = 0 \quad (i)$$

$$-u + v - 21 = 0 \quad (ii)$$

Adding (i) and (ii)

$$u + v - 5 = 0$$

$$-u + v - 21 = 0$$

$$2v - 26 = 0$$

$$v = \frac{26}{2} = 13$$

$$u + 13 - 5 = 0$$

$$u + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = -8$$

12. If  $z_1 = 4 + 5i$ ,  $z_2 = \alpha - 2i$ , find the real value of  $\alpha$  such that  $\text{Re}(z_1 z_2) = 20$

Sol:  $z_1 z_2 = (4 + 5i)(\alpha - 2i)$

$$z_1 z_2 = 4\alpha - 8i + 5\alpha i - 10i^2$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 4\alpha + i(-8 + 5\alpha) - 10(-1)$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 4\alpha + i(-8 + 5\alpha) + 10$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 4\alpha + 10 + i(-8 + 5\alpha)$$

$$\text{Re}(z_1 z_2) = 4\alpha + 10$$

Given  $\text{Re}(z_1 z_2) = 20$

$$4\alpha + 10 = 20$$

$$4\alpha = 20 - 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\alpha = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{10}{4} = \frac{5}{2}$$