

Navigating the Complex: A Guide to Mastering Complex Number

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PREFACE

Navigating the Complex: A Guide to Mastering Complex Numbers is written based on the polytechnic Engineering Mathematics 1 syllabus. The main objectives of this eBook is to help students understanding the topic Complex Number and enhance their skills and techniques to master on solving the complex number calculation. Hence, this eBook will help student to achieve excellent results in their examination.

This eBook consists of four chapters which are Concept of Complex Number, Operation of Complex Number, Argand Digram and Complex Number Form. Each chapter contains ample work examples and video explanation that are geared to help students give the solution in the correct way.

This interactive eBook are flexible to be used by students for self-study in anytime and anywhere without any cost. Since the content of this eBook is simple and compact, students will find this eBook is useful for them to master the Complex Number's topic.

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ABSTRACT

This eBook provides a comprehensive introduction to the concept of complex numbers, a fundamental component in engineering mathematics. It covers the basic definitions, Cartesian and polar representations, and fundamental operations such as addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of complex numbers. Furthermore, the eBook explores advanced topics including the square roots of complex numbers, De Moivre's Theorem, and represented graphically using an Argand diagram. Each concept is accompanied by clear examples and practice questions to reinforce the student's understanding. With an interactive approach that includes videos and quizzes, this eBook is designed to help students master complex number concepts more deeply and effectively. This eBook is suitable for university students in engineering, mathematics, and physical sciences who wish to strengthen their understanding of complex numbers and their applications in engineering and science.

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01

Concept of a Complex Number



Imaginary Number

Imaginary numbers produce negative real numbers when squared.

$$\sqrt{-1} = ?$$

$$\sqrt{-16} = ?$$

$$\sqrt{-\frac{1}{7}} = ?$$

$$\sqrt{-\frac{5}{81}} = ?$$

$$x^2 = -36$$

$$x = \sqrt{-36}$$

$$= ???$$

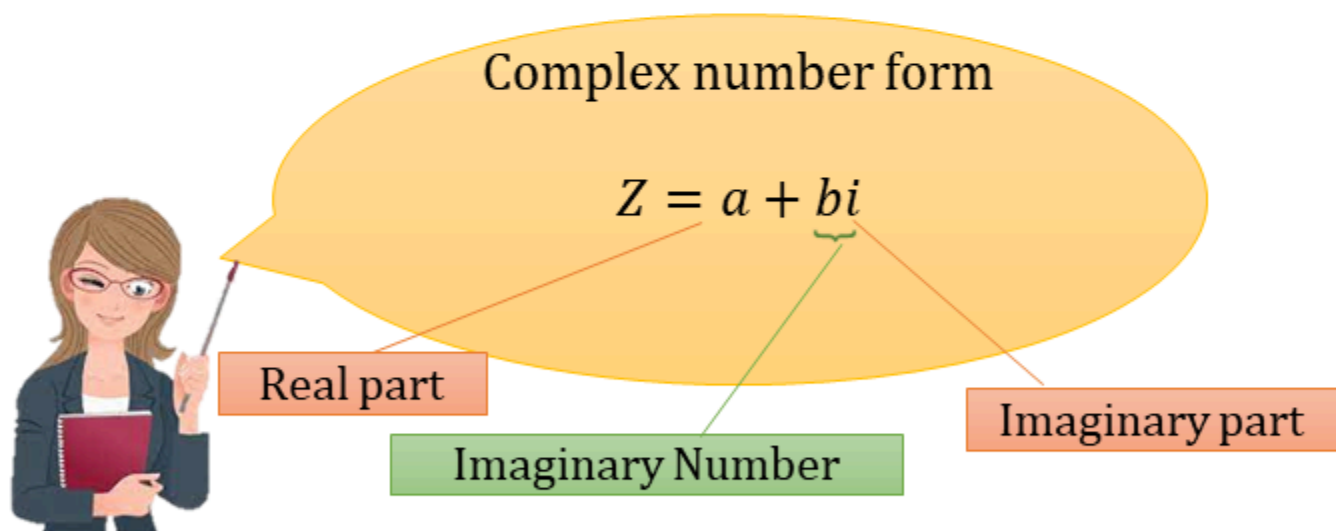
So... how to do it!!!





What is Complex Number?

- ❑ A Complex number are helpful in finding the square root of negative numbers.
- ❑ A Complex numbers have applications in many scientific research, signal processing, electromagnetism, fluid dynamics, quantum mechanics and vibration analysis.
- ❑ A complex number is the sum of a real number and an imaginary number.





Imaginary Number

The Imaginary unit named i is the square root of -1.

$$i^2 = -1 \quad i = \sqrt{-1}$$

So, we can solve things that need the square root of a negative number by simply using the i .

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{-r} &= \sqrt{r} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= \sqrt{r} \times i \\ &= \sqrt{r}i\end{aligned}$$



Imaginary Number

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \sqrt{-4} &= \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= 2 \times i \\ &= 2i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \sqrt{-9} &= \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= 3 \times i \\ &= 3i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \sqrt{-36} &= \sqrt{36} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= 6 \times i \\ &= 6i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4. \sqrt{-64} &= \sqrt{64} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= 8 \times i \\ &= 8i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5. \sqrt{-121} &= \sqrt{121} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= 11 \times i \\ &= 11i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6. \sqrt{-9}\sqrt{-36} &= \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{-1} \times \sqrt{36} \times \sqrt{-1} \\ &= 3 \times i \times 6 \times i \\ &= 18i^2 \\ &= 18(-1) \\ &= -18 \end{aligned}$$



Imaginary Number

The first four powers of i establish an important pattern and should be memorized.

$$i^1 = i \quad i^2 = -1 \quad i^3 = -i \quad i^4 = 1$$

Tips:

$$(-1)^{\text{odd number}} = -1$$

$$(-1)^{\text{even number}} = 1$$

* If power is **even number**, divide with 2

* If power is **odd number**:

a. Subtract power of i with 1

b. Then divide with 2



Imaginary Number

$$\begin{aligned} 1. i^3 \\ &= (i^2) \cdot i \\ &= -1 \times i \\ &= -i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. i^4 \\ &= (i^2)^2 \\ &= (-1)^2 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. i^6 \\ &= (i^2)^3 \\ &= (-1)^3 \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4. i^8 \\ &= (i^2)^4 \\ &= (-1)^4 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5. i^{15} \\ &= (i^{14}) \cdot i^1 \\ &= (i^2)^7 \cdot i \\ &= (-1)^7 \cdot i \\ &= -i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6. i^{90} \\ &= (i^2)^{45} \\ &= (-1)^{45} \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 7. i^{91} \\ &= (i)^{90} i^1 \\ &= (i^2)^{45} i \\ &= (-1)^{45} i \\ &= -i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 8. i^4 - i^{10} \\ &= (i^2)^2 - (i^2)^5 \\ &= (-1)^2 - (-1)^5 \\ &= 1 + 1 \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 9. i^6 - i^{13} \\ &= (i^2)^3 \\ &\quad - (i^{12}) i^1 \\ &= (-1)^3 - (i^2)^6 i \\ &= -1 - (-1)^6 i \\ &= -1 - i \end{aligned}$$



Imaginary Number

Simplify each of the following.

$$1. \sqrt{-49} + 5$$

$$= 7i + 5$$

$$2. 9 - \sqrt{-5}$$

$$= 9 - \sqrt{5}i$$

$$3. \sqrt{36} + \sqrt{-25}$$

$$= 6 + 5i$$

$$4. i^8 - 2i^3$$

$$= (i^2)^4 - 2i(i^2)$$

$$= 1 - 2i(-1)$$

$$= 1 + 2i$$

$$5. -6i^3 - 2i^4$$

$$= -6i(i^2) - 2(1)$$

$$= -6i(-1) - 2$$

$$= 6i - 2$$

$$6. i + 5i^7$$

$$= i + 5i(i^6)$$

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

$$= i + 5i(-1)$$

$$= i - 5i$$

$$= -4i$$

$$7. \sqrt{-9} \times \sqrt{-36}$$

$$= 3i \times 6i$$

$$= 18i^2$$

$$= 18(-1)$$

$$= -18$$

$$8. \sqrt{(-9)(-25)}$$

$$= (\sqrt{-9})(\sqrt{-25})$$

$$= (3i)(5i)$$

$$= 15i^2$$

$$= -15$$

$$9. \sqrt{-25} \times 2i^3$$

$$= 5i \times 2(-i)$$

$$= 5i \times -2i$$

$$= -10i^2$$

$$= (-10)(-1)$$

$$= 10$$



Complex Number



The form of Complex Number

$$Z = a + bi$$

Complex Number	Real Part	Imaginary Part
$1 + i$	1	1
$2 + 3i$	2	3
$-2 + 7i$	-2	7
$5 - 7i$	5	-7
$3i - 9$	-9	3

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Concept of a Complex Number

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The set of _____ is the set of all numbers written in the form $a + bi$, 25 points
where a and b are real numbers.

- ☐ complex numbers
- ☐ real part of a complex number
- ☐ imaginary part of a complex number
- ☐ imaginary numbers

The term a is called the real part of a complex number, and the 25 points
term bi is called the _____.

- ☐ imaginary part of a complex number
- ☐ imaginary numbers
- ☐ pure imaginary number
- ☐ complex numbers

The set of _____ is the set of all numbers written in the form $a + bi$, 25 points
where a and b are real numbers and b is not equal to 0.

- ☐ imaginary numbers
- ☐ complex numbers
- ☐ real part of a complex number
- ☐ imaginary part of a complex number



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Operation of Complex Number



Addition and Subtraction

$$1). \mathbf{1 + 2i + 3 + 5i}$$

$$= 1 + 3 + (2 + 5)i$$

$$= \mathbf{4 + 7i}$$

$$2). \mathbf{3 + 8i - 3i}$$

$$= 3 + (8 - 3)i$$

$$= \mathbf{3 + 5i}$$

$$3). \mathbf{6i + 5 - i + 8i}$$

$$= 5 + (6 - 1 + 8)i$$

$$= \mathbf{5 + 13i}$$

$$4). \mathbf{-4i - 5 - i + 8i}$$

$$= -5 + (-4 - 1 + 8)i$$

$$= \mathbf{-5 + 3i}$$

$$5). \mathbf{10 - 5i - 12 + 3i - i}$$

$$= 10 - 12 + (-5 + 3 - 1)i$$

$$= \mathbf{-2 - 3i}$$

$$6). \mathbf{20 - 5i - (4i + 3)}$$

$$= 20 - 5i - 4i - 3$$

$$= 20 - 3 + (-5 - 4)i$$

$$= \mathbf{17 - 9i}$$



Multiplication

$$\begin{aligned}(a + bi)(c + di) &= ac + adi + bci + bdi^2 \\ &= ac + adi + bci + bd(-1) \\ &= (ac - bd) + (ad + bc)i\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}1). (2 + 3i)(4 + 5i) \\ &= (2)(4) + (2)(5i) + (3i)(4) + (3i)(5i) \\ &= 8 + 10i + 12i + 15i^2 \\ &= 8 + 22i + 15(-1) \\ &= 8 - 15 + 22i \\ &= -7 + 22i\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}2). (6 + 7i)(3 - 2i) \\ &= (6)(3) + (6)(-2i) + (7i)(3) + (7i)(-2i) \\ &= 18 - 12i + 21i - 14i^2 \\ &= 18 + 9i - 14(-1) \\ &= 18 + 14 + 9i \\ &= 32 + 9i\end{aligned}$$



Multiplication

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \mathbf{3). (-4 + 2i)(5 - 8i)} \\
 &= (-4)(5) + (-4)(-8i) + (2i)(5) + (2i)(-8i) \\
 &= -20 + 32i + 10i - 16i^2 \\
 &= -20 + 42i - 16(-1) \\
 &= -20 + 16 + 42i \\
 &= \mathbf{-4 + 42i}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \mathbf{4). (2 + 3i)(2 + 7i)} \\
 &= (2)(2) + (2)(7i) + (3i)(2) + (3i)(7i) \\
 &= 4 + 14i + 6i + 21i^2 \\
 &= 4 + 20i + 21(-1) \\
 &= 4 - 21 + 20i \\
 &= \mathbf{-17 + 20i}
 \end{aligned}$$



Division

To divide complex numbers, we write the division as a fraction, then multiply the top and the bottom of the fraction by the conjugate of the denominator.

The conjugate of $z = c + di$ is $\bar{z} = c - di$

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$$\frac{a + bi}{c + di} = \frac{a + bi}{c + di} \times \frac{c - di}{c - di}$$

$$\frac{(2 + 3i)}{(4 + 5i)}$$

$$= \frac{2 + 3i}{4 + 5i} \times \frac{4 - 5i}{4 - 5i}$$

$$= \frac{8 - 10i + 12i - 15i^2}{16 - 20i + 20i - 25i^2}$$

$$= \frac{8 + 2i - 15i^2}{16 - 25i^2}$$

$$= \frac{8 + 2i - 15(-1)}{16 - 25(-1)}$$

$$= \frac{8 + 2i + 15}{16 + 25}$$

$$= \frac{23 + 2i}{41} = \frac{23}{41} + \frac{2}{41}i$$

**Complex
number
form : $a + bi$**



Division

$$\frac{a + bi}{c + di} = \frac{a + bi}{c + di} \times \frac{c - di}{c - di}$$

$$1). \frac{(5 + 2i)}{(2 - 3i)}$$

$$= \frac{5 + 2i}{2 - 3i} \times \frac{2 + 3i}{2 + 3i}$$

$$= \frac{10 + 15i + 4i + 6i^2}{4 + 6i - 6i - 9i^2}$$

$$= \frac{10 + 19i + 6i^2}{4 - 9i^2}$$

$$= \frac{10 + 19i + 6(-1)}{4 - 9(-1)}$$

$$= \frac{10 - 6 + 19i}{4 + 9}$$

$$= \frac{4 + 19i}{13}$$

$$= \frac{4}{13} + \frac{19}{13}i$$



Division

$$\frac{a + bi}{c + di} = \frac{a + bi}{c + di} \times \frac{c - di}{c - di}$$

$$2). \frac{(2 - 3i)}{(4 - 5i)}$$

$$= \frac{2 - 3i}{4 - 5i} \times \frac{4 + 5i}{4 + 5i}$$

$$= \frac{8 + 10i - 12i - 15i^2}{16 + 20i - 20i - 25i^2}$$

$$= \frac{8 - 2i - 15i^2}{16 - 25i^2}$$

$$= \frac{8 - 2i - 15(-1)}{16 - 25(-1)}$$

$$= \frac{8 + 15 - 2i}{16 + 25}$$

$$= \frac{23 - 2i}{41}$$

$$= \frac{23}{41} - \frac{2}{41}i$$



Division

$$\frac{a + bi}{c + di} = \frac{a + bi}{c + di} \times \frac{c - di}{c - di}$$

$$3). \frac{(5 + 4i)}{(6 - 2i)}$$

$$= \frac{5 + 4i}{6 - 2i} \times \frac{6 + 2i}{6 + 2i}$$

$$= \frac{30 + 10i + 24i + 8i^2}{36 + 12i - 12i - 4i^2}$$

$$= \frac{30 + 34i + 8i^2}{36 - 4i^2}$$

$$= \frac{30 + 34i + 8(-1)}{36 - 4(-1)}$$

$$= \frac{30 - 8 + 34i}{36 + 4}$$

$$= \frac{22 + 34i}{40}$$

$$= \frac{22}{40} + \frac{34}{40}i$$

$$= \frac{11}{20} + \frac{17}{20}i$$



Division

$$\frac{a + bi}{c + di} = \frac{a + bi}{c + di} \times \frac{c - di}{c - di}$$

$$4). \frac{(10 + 3i)}{(4 - 3i)}$$

$$= \frac{10 + 3i}{4 - 3i} \times \frac{4 + 3i}{4 + 3i}$$

$$= \frac{40 + 30i + 12i + 9i^2}{16 + 12i - 12i - 9i^2}$$

$$= \frac{40 + 42i + 9i^2}{16 - 9i^2}$$

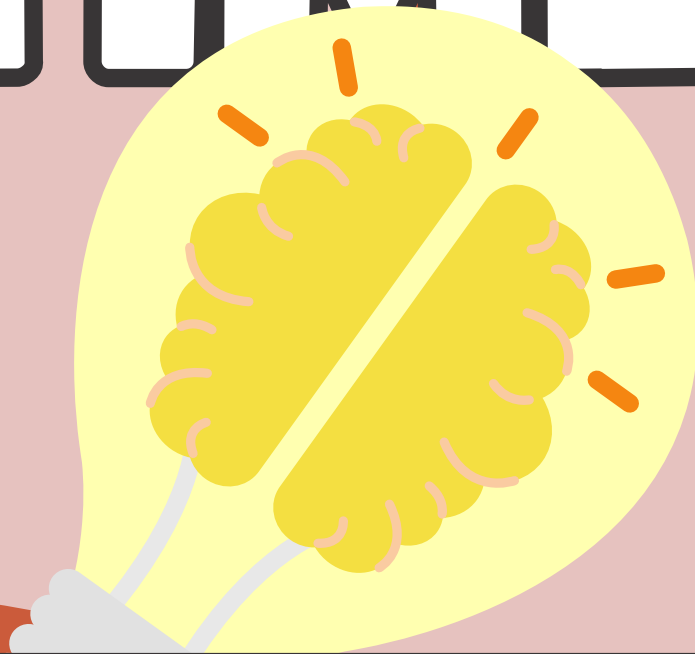
$$= \frac{40 + 42i + 9(-1)}{16 - 9(-1)}$$

$$= \frac{40 - 9 + 42i}{16 + 9}$$

$$= \frac{31 + 42i}{25}$$

$$= \frac{31}{25} + \frac{42}{25}i$$

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Complex Number

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What is $(3 - 5i) + (-4 + 7i)$

20 points

- ☐ $-1 + 2i$
- ☐ $7 - 12i$
- ☐ $1 + 2i$
- ☐ $-2 + 3i$

What is $(4 - 5i)(-2 + 7i)$?

20 points

- ☐ $27 + 18i$
- ☐ $-43 + 38i$
- ☐ $-43 + 18i$
- ☐ $27 + 38i$

What is $(-5 + 3i) - (4 + 7i)$?

20 points

- ☐ $-1 - 4i$
- ☐ $-9 - 4i$
- ☐ $-1 + 4i$
- ☐ $-9 + 4i$



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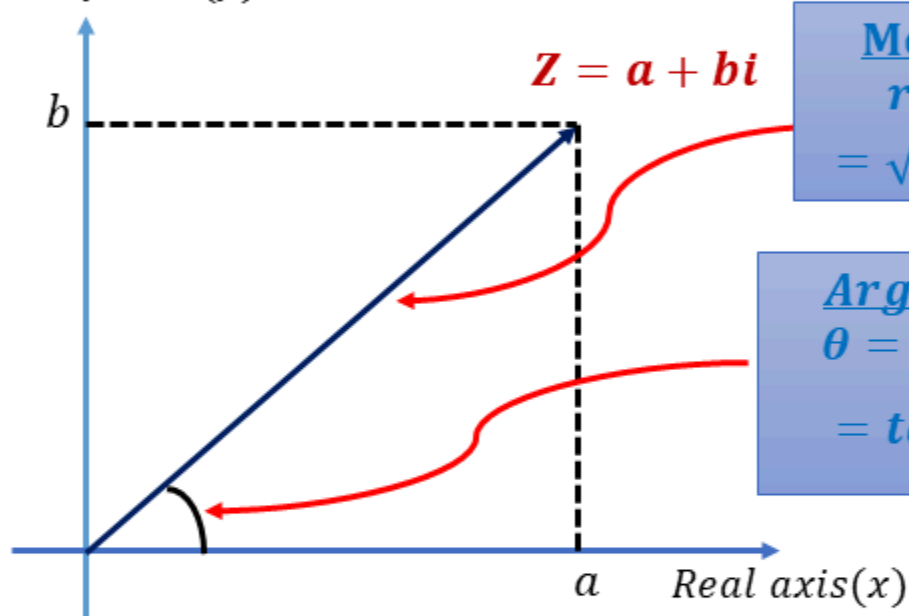
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Argand Diagram



Graphical Representation

Imaginary axis(y)



Modulus

$$r = |z|$$

$$= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

Argument

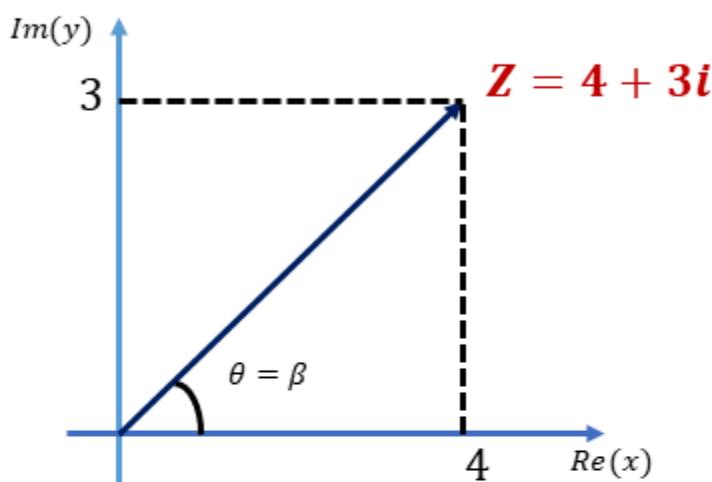
$$\theta = \arg(z)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$$



Graphical Representation

Represent $z = 4 + 3i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.



Modulus:

$$\begin{aligned} r = |Z| &= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4^2 + 3^2} \\ &= \sqrt{16 + 9} \\ &= \sqrt{25} \\ &= \mathbf{5} \end{aligned}$$

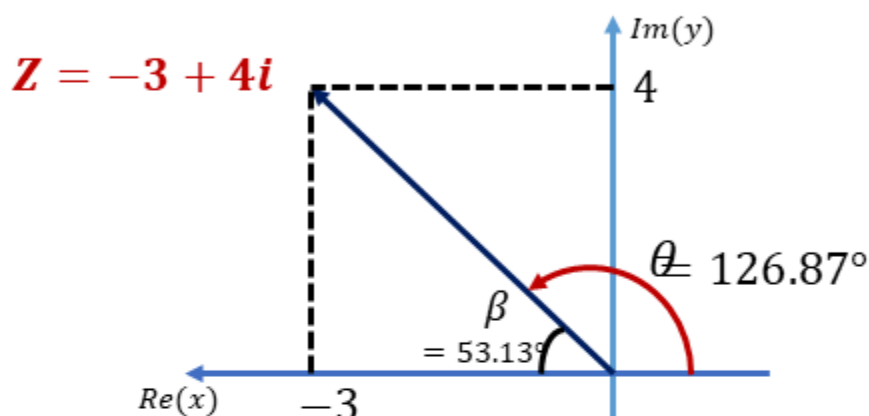
Argument:

$$\begin{aligned} \arg(z) &= \theta \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{4} \\ &= \mathbf{36.87^\circ} \end{aligned}$$



Graphical Representation

Represent $z = -3 + 4i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.



Modulus:

$$\begin{aligned} r = |Z| &= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 4^2} \\ &= \sqrt{9 + 16} \\ &= \sqrt{25} \\ &= \mathbf{5} \end{aligned}$$

Argument:

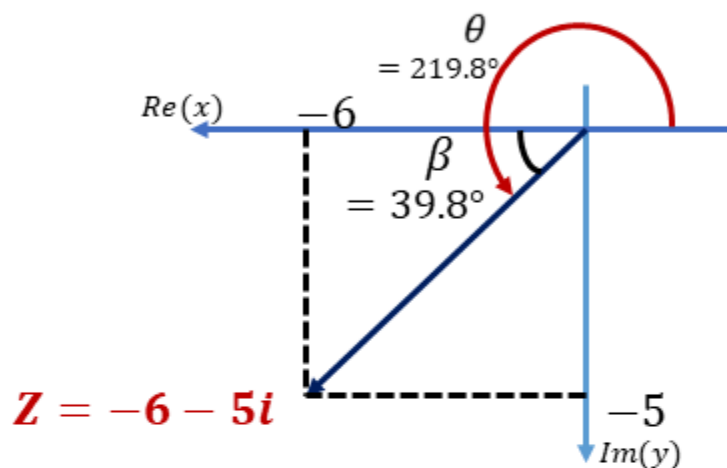
$$\begin{aligned} \arg(z) &= \beta \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{-3} \\ &= \mathbf{53.13^\circ} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= (180^\circ - 53.13^\circ) \\ &= \mathbf{126.87^\circ} \end{aligned}$$



Graphical Representation

Represent $z = -6 - 5i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.



Modulus:

$$\begin{aligned} r = |z| &= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(-6)^2 + (-5)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{36 + 25} \\ &= \sqrt{61} \end{aligned}$$

Argument:

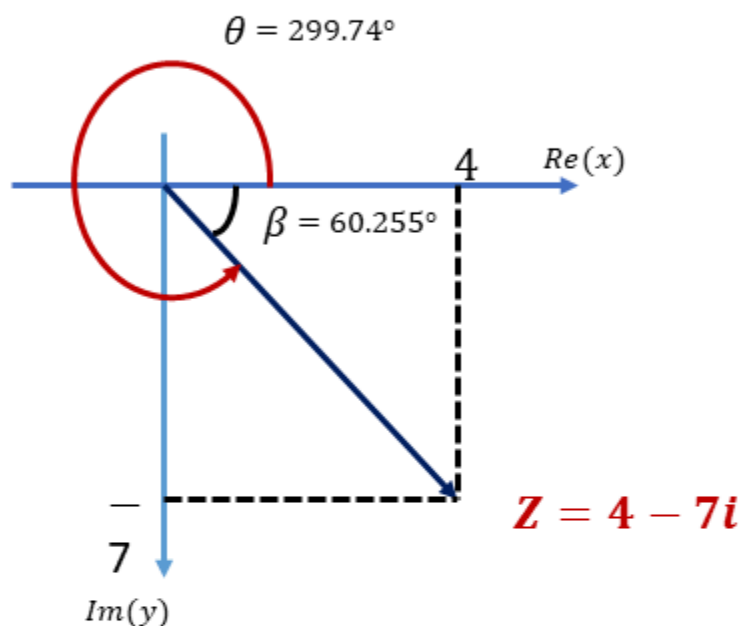
$$\begin{aligned} \arg(z) &= \beta \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{6} \\ &= 39.8^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= (180^\circ + 39.8^\circ) \\ &= 219.8^\circ \end{aligned}$$



Graphical Representation

Represent $z = 4 - 7i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.



Modulus:

$$\begin{aligned} r = |Z| &= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(-7)^2 + (4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{49 + 16} \\ &= \sqrt{65} \end{aligned}$$

Argument:

$$\begin{aligned} \arg(z) &= \beta \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{7}{4} \\ &= 60.255^\circ \\ \theta &= (360^\circ - 60.26^\circ) \\ &= 299.74^\circ \end{aligned}$$



Graphical Representation

Example:

Given $Z_1 = 5 + 3i$ and $Z_2 = 4 - 6i$, represent each of the following in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.

$$Z_1 + Z_2$$

$$= 5 + 3i + 4 - 6i$$

$$= 9 - 3i$$

Modulus:

$$r = |Z_1 + Z_2|$$

$$= \sqrt{9^2 + (-3)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{81 + 9}$$

$$= \sqrt{90}$$

Argument:

$$\arg(z) = \beta$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{9}$$

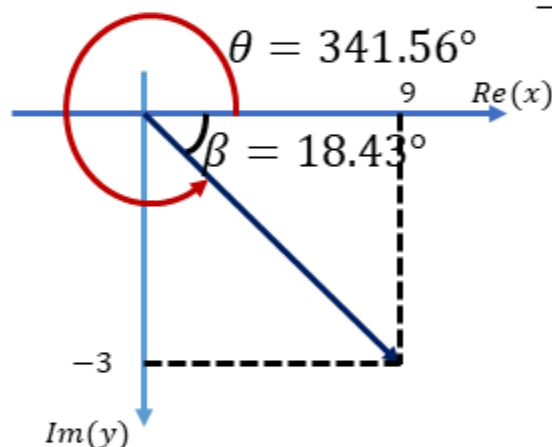
$$= 18.43^\circ$$

$$\theta$$

$$= (360^\circ$$

$$- 18.43^\circ)$$

$$= 341.56^\circ$$



$$Z_1 - Z_2$$

$$= 5 + 3i - (4 - 6i)$$

$$= 1 + 9i$$

Modulus:

$$r = |Z|$$

$$= \sqrt{1^2 + (9)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 + 81}$$

$$= \sqrt{82}$$

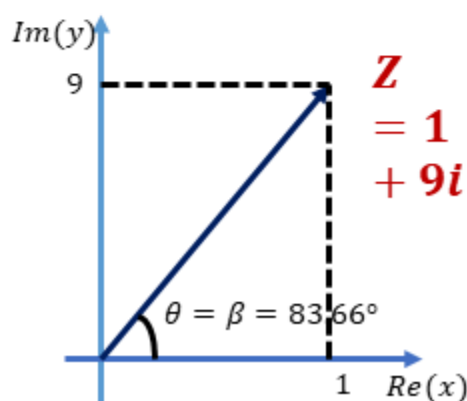
Argument:

$$\arg(z) = \beta$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{9}{1}$$

$$= 83.66^\circ$$





Graphical Representation

Example:

Represent $Z_1 = 5 + 3i$ and $Z_2 = 4 - 6i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.

a. $Z_1 Z_2$

$$= (5 + 3i)(4 - 6i)$$

$$= 20 - 30i + 12i - 18i^2$$

$$= 20 - 18i - 18(-1)$$

$$= 20 + 18 - 18i$$

$$= 38 - 18i$$

Modulus:

$$r = |Z|$$

$$= \sqrt{38^2 + (-18)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1444 + 324}$$

$$= \sqrt{1768}$$

$$= 42.05$$

Argument:

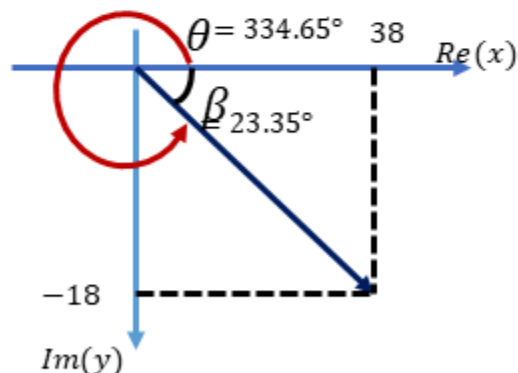
$$\arg(z) = \beta = \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{18}{38}$$

$$= 25.35^\circ$$

$$\theta = (360^\circ - 25.35^\circ)$$

$$= 334.65^\circ$$





Graphical Representation

Example:

Represent $Z_1 = 5 + 3i$ and $Z_2 = 4 - 6i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.

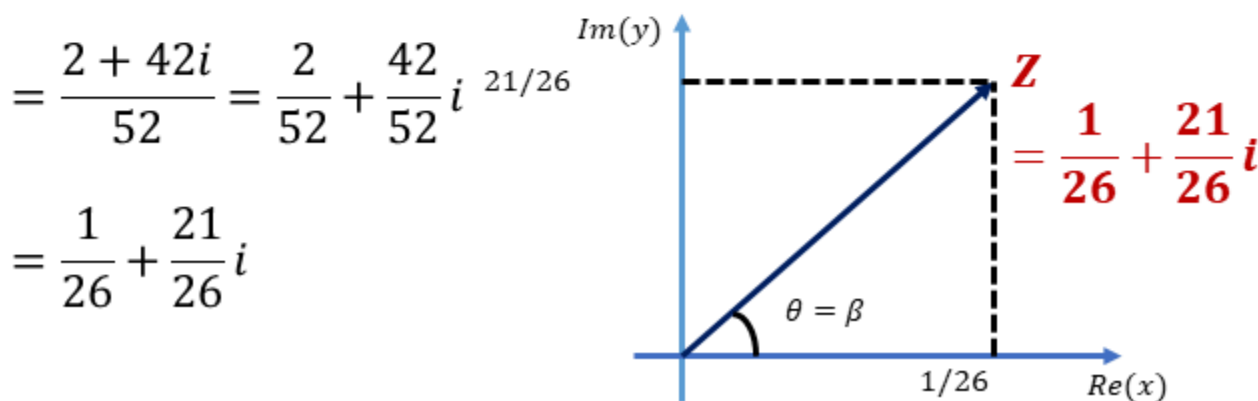
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{b. } \frac{Z_1}{Z_2} \\
 &= \frac{(5 + 3i)}{(4 - 6i)} \\
 &= \frac{(5 + 3i)}{(4 - 6i)} \times \frac{(4 + 6i)}{(4 + 6i)} \\
 &= \frac{20 + 30i + 12i + 18i^2}{16 - 36i^2} \\
 &= \frac{20 + 42i + 18i^2}{16 - 36i^2} \\
 &= \frac{20 + 42i + 18(-1)}{16 - 36(-1)} \\
 &= \frac{2 + 42i}{52} = \frac{2}{52} + \frac{42}{52}i \quad 21/26 \\
 &= \frac{1}{26} + \frac{21}{26}i
 \end{aligned}$$

Modulus:

$$\begin{aligned}
 r &= |Z| \\
 &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{26}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{21}{26}\right)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{\frac{442}{676}} \\
 &= \mathbf{0.8086}
 \end{aligned}$$

Argument:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \arg(z) &= \beta = \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{21}{26} \div \frac{1}{26} \right) \\
 &= \mathbf{87.27^\circ}
 \end{aligned}$$





Video Explanation

Graphical Representation

Represent $z = 4 - 7i$ in an Argand Diagram and find its modulus and argument.

$$z = 4 - 7i$$



you have to draw an Argand diagram and find its modulus



<https://youtu.be/guxr4PtU0ic>

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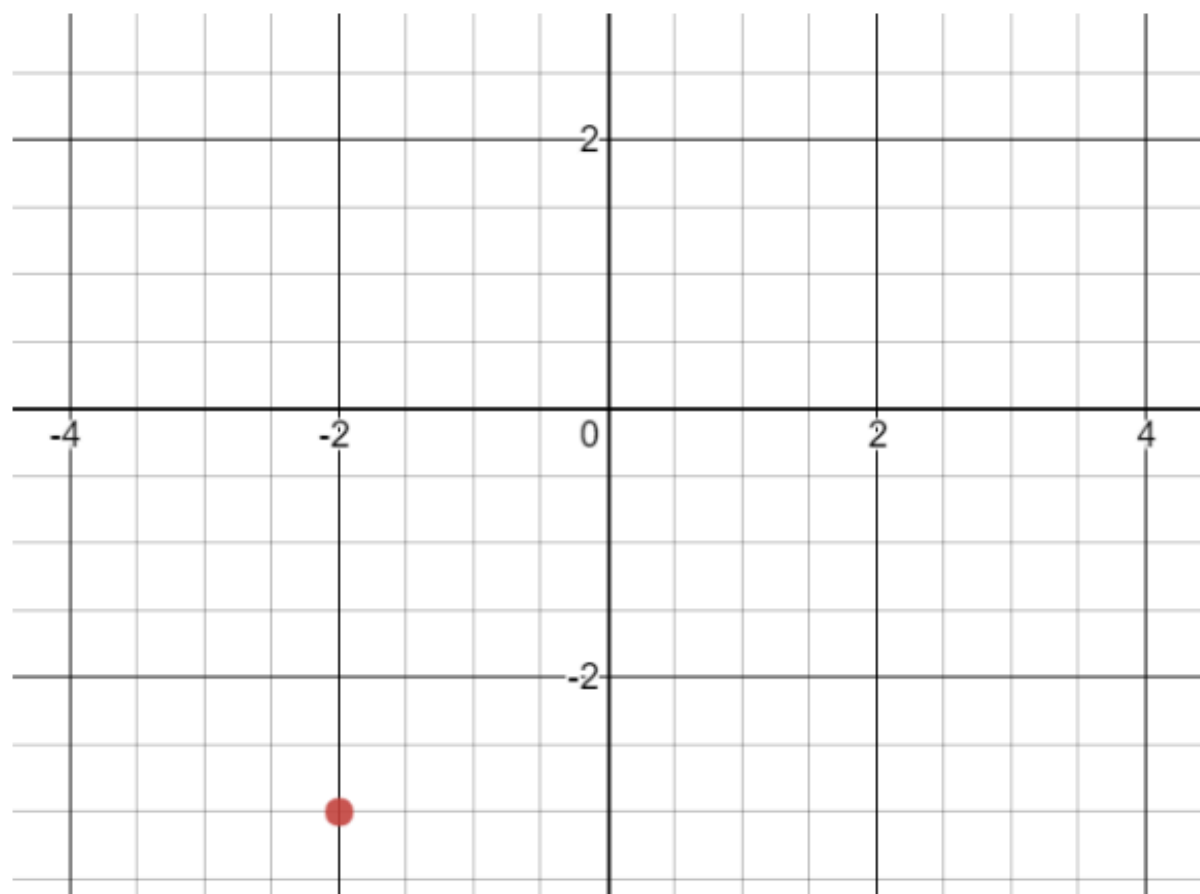
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The Argand Diagram

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What complex number is shown on the graph?

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- ☐ (-2, -3)
- ☐ $-2 - 3i$
- ☐ $2 - 3i$
- ☐ $3i - 2$

Find the Argument for $z = -6 + 9i$.

25 points

- ☐ 13.94°
- ☐ 166.06°



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Complex Number Form



Form of Complex Number

Cartesian Form/Rectangular Form

$$Z = a + bi$$

Polar Form

$$Z = |z| \angle \theta$$

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$$Z = r \angle \theta$$

Trigonometric Form

$$Z = |z|(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

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$$Z = r(\sin \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

Exponential Form

$$Z = |z|e^{\theta i} (\theta \text{ in radius})$$

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



Convert Form

Example:

Convert $z = 3 + 5i$ into trigonometric form, polar form and exponential form.

Step 1: Find the values of modulus and argument.

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \sqrt{3^2 + 5^2} & \theta &= \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{3} \\ &= \sqrt{9 + 25} & &= 59.0362^\circ \\ &= \sqrt{34} \end{aligned}$$

Step 2: Substitute the values of r and θ into the formula.

Trigonometric Form

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\ &= \sqrt{34}(\cos 59.0362^\circ + i \sin 59.0362^\circ) \end{aligned}$$

Polar Form

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r \angle \theta \\ &= \sqrt{34} \angle 59.0362^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Exponential Form

$$\theta_0 = 59.0362 \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = 1.0304 \text{ rad}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r e^{\theta i} \\ &= \sqrt{34} e^{1.0304i} \end{aligned}$$

Must
change to
radian



Convert Form

Example:

Convert $z = 4 + 6i$ into trigonometric form, polar form and exponential form

Step 1: Find the values of modulus and argument.

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \sqrt{4^2 + 6^2} & \theta &= \tan^{-1} \frac{6}{4} \\ &= \sqrt{16 + 36} & &= 56.3099^\circ \\ &= \sqrt{52} \end{aligned}$$

Step 2: Substitute the values of r and θ into the formula.

Trigonometric Form

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\ &= \sqrt{52}(\cos 56.3099^\circ + i \sin 56.3099^\circ) \end{aligned}$$

Polar Form

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r \angle \theta \\ &= \sqrt{52} \angle 56.3099^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Exponential Form

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_0 &= 56.3099 \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = 0.9828 \text{ rad} \\ z &= r e^{\theta i} \\ &= \sqrt{52} e^{0.9828i} \end{aligned}$$



Convert Form

Example:

Convert $z = 5\angle 48^\circ$ into trigonometric form, cartesian form and exponential form.

Trigonometric Form

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\ &= \mathbf{5(\cos 48^\circ + i \sin 48^\circ)} \end{aligned}$$

Cartesian Form

$$\begin{aligned} z &= r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\ &= 5(\cos 48^\circ + i \sin 48^\circ) \\ &= \mathbf{3.346 + 3.716i} \end{aligned}$$

Exponential Form

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_0 &= 48 \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = 0.83778 \text{ rad} \\ z &= re^{\theta i} \\ &= \mathbf{5e^{0.8378i}} \end{aligned}$$



Convert Form

Exercise:

1. Given that $R = 5 - 10i$ and $S = -8 + 2i$. Calculate the modulus and the argument for $R+S$. Then sketch the Argand diagram for $R+S$.
2. Solve the following expression in an exponential form. (6 marks)

$$\frac{10(\cos 200^\circ + i \sin 200^\circ) \times 6(\cos 10^\circ + i \sin 10^\circ)}{20(\cos 70^\circ + i \sin 70^\circ)}$$

3. Given that

$$Z_1 = 10(\cos 12^\circ + i \sin 12^\circ) \text{ and } Z_2 = 20 \angle 125^\circ.$$

Solve $\frac{Z_2}{Z_1}$ in trigonometric form.



Convert Form

Answer:

1. Given that $R = 5 - 10i$ and $S = -8 + 2i$. Calculate the modulus and the argument for $R+S$. Then sketch the Argand diagram for $R+S$.

$$R + S$$

$$= (5 - 10i) + (-8 + 2i)$$

$$= 5 - 10i - 8 + 2i$$

$$= -3 - 8i$$

Argument:

$$\arg(z) = \beta = \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{8}{3}$$

$$= 69.44^\circ$$

Modulus:

$$r = |Z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

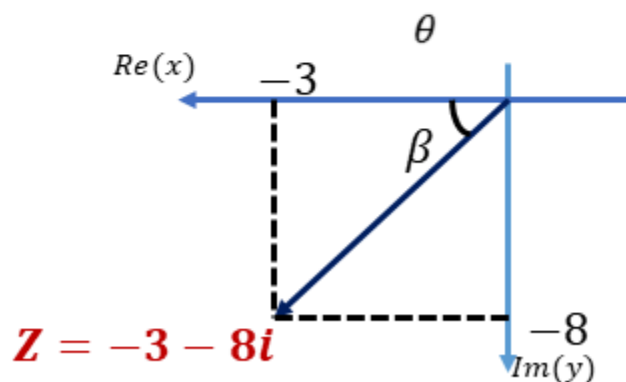
$$= \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-8)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{9 + 64}$$

$$= \sqrt{73}$$

$$\theta = (180^\circ + 69.44^\circ)$$

$$= 249.44^\circ$$





Convert Form

Answer:

Solve the following expression in an exponential form.

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{10(\cos 200^\circ + i \sin 200^\circ) \times 6(\cos 10^\circ + i \sin 10^\circ)}{20(\cos 70^\circ + i \sin 70^\circ)} \\ &= \frac{60(\cos 210^\circ + i \sin 210^\circ)}{20(\cos 70^\circ + i \sin 70^\circ)} \\ &= 3(\cos 140^\circ + i \sin 140^\circ) \end{aligned}$$

Convert 140° to radian

$$140^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180} = 2.443$$

$$\text{Exponential form} = 3e^{2.443i}$$

Tips:

Multiply:

Multiply the modulus
and add the argument.

Division:

Divide the modulus
and subtract the
argument.



Convert Form

Answer:

Given that

$$Z_1 = 10(\cos 12^\circ + i \sin 12^\circ) \text{ and } Z_2 = 20\angle 125^\circ.$$

Solve $\frac{Z_2}{Z_1}$ in trigonometric form.

Trigonometric form : $Z_2 = 20(\cos 125^\circ + i \sin 125^\circ)$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{Z_2}{Z_1} &= \frac{20(\cos 125^\circ + i \sin 125^\circ)}{10(\cos 12^\circ + i \sin 12^\circ)} \\ &= \mathbf{2(\cos 113^\circ + i \sin 113^\circ)} \end{aligned}$$

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Video Explanation

Polar Form, Exponential Form and Trigonometric Form

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question regarding to the complex number form



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Express $z = 6 - 9i$ in polar form.

25 points

- ☐ $z = 166.06 \angle 10.81^\circ$
- ☐ $z = 13.95 \angle 10.81^\circ$
- ☐ $z = 10.81 \angle 303.69^\circ$
- ☐ $z = 10.81 \angle 13.95^\circ$

The product of the following complex number in polar form $\sqrt{5}(\cos 130^\circ + i \sin 130^\circ) \cdot \sqrt{45}(\cos 15^\circ + i \sin 15^\circ)$ is... 25 points

- ☐ $50(\cos 145^\circ + i \sin 145^\circ)$
- ☐ $15(\cos 145^\circ + i \sin 145^\circ)$
- ☐ $81(\cos 100^\circ + i \sin 100^\circ)$
- ☐ All Options are Correct

$z = 3e^{5.2134i}$ Express z in polar form

25 points

- ☐ $z = 3 \angle 5.213^\circ$
- ☐ $z = 3 \angle 298.71^\circ$
- ☐ $z = 5 \angle 298.71^\circ$
- ☐ $3 \angle 298.75^\circ$
- ☐ Option 5

$z_1 = 2(\cos 60^\circ + i \sin 60^\circ)$, $z_2 = 3 \angle 75^\circ$ find $z_1 z_2$ in trigonometric form

25 points

- ☐ $6(\cos 125^\circ + i \sin 125^\circ)$
- ☐ $6(\cos 135^\circ + i \sin 135^\circ)$
- ☐ $5(\cos 135^\circ + i \sin 135^\circ)$



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Conclusion

In conclusion, this eBook has provided a thorough exploration of complex numbers, an essential topic in engineering mathematics. By delving into the fundamental concepts, such as the definition and representation of complex numbers, as well as performing basic operations like addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division, we have laid a strong foundation for understanding this critical area of mathematics. The interactive elements incorporated throughout this eBook, such as videos explanation and online quiz, have been designed to enhance engagement and facilitate a better grasp of complex concepts. By actively participating in the learning process, students are better equipped to apply their knowledge in practical engineering contexts. As you advance in your studies and professional career, the understanding of complex numbers gained from this eBook will serve as a vital tool in tackling a wide range of engineering problems. We hope this resource has been both informative and inspiring, and that it will contribute significantly to your success in the field of engineering mathematics.



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