

Revision of Complex Numbers

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"Associated to any isolated physical system is a complex vector space with inner product (i.e. a Hilbert space) known as the state space of the system. The system is completely described by its state vector, which is a unit vector in the system's state space." (Nielsen and Chuang).

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

$\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$

System of numbers.

- ① Natural $\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$
- ② Whole $\{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$
- ③ Integer $\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$
- ④ Rational number $\mathbb{Q} = \{\frac{a}{b} : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}, b \neq 0\}$
- ⑤ Irrational number $\mathbb{Q}' = \{\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{2}, \pi\}$
- ⑥ Real numbers - $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Q} \cup \mathbb{Q}'$
- ⑦ $x^2 + 1 = 0$
 $x^2 = -1 \Rightarrow x = \pm\sqrt{-1}$

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

Complex numbers $\mathbb{C} = \{a + bi, a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$

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real part Imaginary part

e.g. $z_1 = 2 + 3i, z_2 = -\frac{2}{3} + 3i\pi$

① Addition/Subtraction

$$z_1 = a_1 + b_1 i \quad \text{and} \quad z_2 = a_2 + b_2 i$$

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

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

$i^3 \quad i^2 \quad i \quad i$

$$\boxed{1} \quad i = i \cdot i = i^2 = -1$$

$$i^3 = i^2 \cdot i = -i$$

$$i^4 = 1$$

3 Multiplication

$$\begin{aligned} Z_1 * Z_2 &= (a_1 + b_1 i) * (a_2 + b_2 i) \\ &= a_1 a_2 + a_1 b_2 i + b_1 a_2 i - b_1 b_2 \\ &= (a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) + (a_1 b_2 + b_1 a_2) i \end{aligned}$$

Ex ①: perform for $Z_1 = \frac{1}{2} + 3i$ $Z_2 = -1 - \frac{4}{3}i$

① $Z_1 + Z_2$ ② $Z_1 - Z_2$ ③ $Z_1 * Z_2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{5}{3}i = 3\frac{1}{2} + \frac{13}{3}i = \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{12}{3}\right) + \left(-\frac{4}{6} - 3\right)i \\ &= \frac{21}{6} - \frac{22}{6}i \end{aligned}$$

Division:

Conjugate: $Z = a + bi \xrightarrow{\text{Conjugate}} \bar{Z} = a - bi$

$Z = a + bi$ e.g: $Z = -3i + 2$
 $\Rightarrow \bar{Z} = 3i + 2$

$$Z * \bar{Z} = (a + bi)(a - bi) = a^2 + b^2$$

Norm of complex number Z denoted.

$$|Z| = \sqrt{Z * \bar{Z}}$$

Ex ②: for $Z = 3 + 4i$

Find $Z * \bar{Z}$ and $|Z|$

$$Z * \bar{Z} = 3^2 + 4^2 = 25$$

$$\therefore |Z| = \sqrt{Z * \bar{Z}} = 5$$

Ex ③: Simplify $\frac{2-3i}{-4+i}$

Soln $\frac{2-3i}{-4+i} \times \frac{-4-i}{-4-i} = \frac{(-8-3)+(-2+12)i}{17}$

$$\frac{(4)^2+(1)^2}{17} = \frac{-11+10i}{17}$$

Exn: Simplify $\frac{(2+i)(3-i)}{3i^2+2i-1}$

Proposition (**Fundamental Theorem of Algebra**). Every polynomial equation of one variable with complex coefficients has a complex solution.

$$\begin{array}{l|l} a^2+2ab+b^2 \\ = (a+b)^2 \end{array} \left| \begin{array}{l} x^2+2x+5=0 \\ x^2+2x+1^2 = -5+1^2 \quad \left| \frac{2}{2}=1 \right. \\ (x+1)^2 = -4 \\ x+1 = \pm \sqrt{-4} = \pm 2i \\ x = -1 \pm 2i \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{array}{l} \sqrt{-4} = \sqrt{-1} \sqrt{4} \\ = 2i \end{array}$$

Notation $z = a + bi$
 $\Rightarrow z = (a, b)$

$$\begin{array}{l} a+0=a \\ a \times 1=a \end{array}$$

Definition: The set of complex numbers associated with addition and multiplication is defined as a **field** $(\mathbb{C}, +, \times)$

- Addition is commutative and associative.
- Multiplication is commutative and associative.
- Addition has an identity: $(0, 0)$.
- Multiplication has an identity: $(1, 0)$.
- Multiplication distributes with respect to addition.
- Subtraction (i.e., the inverse of addition) is defined everywhere.
- Division (i.e., the inverse of multiplication) is defined everywhere except when the divisor is zero.

$$\begin{array}{l} z_1 + z_2 = z_2 + z_1 \quad | \quad z_1 + (z_2 + z_3) \\ z_1 * z_2 = z_2 * z_1 \quad = (z_1 + z_2) + z_3 \\ z_1 + (0, 0) = z_1 \end{array}$$

(a, bi)

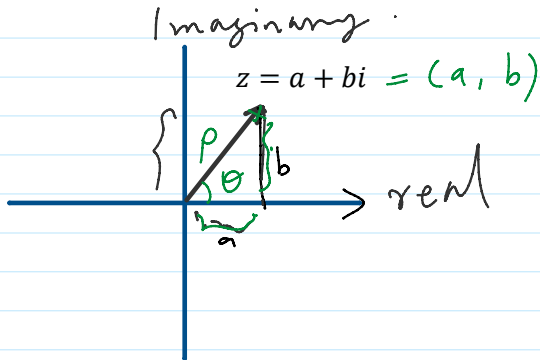
vii. Division (i.e., the inverse of multiplication) is defined everywhere except when the divisor is zero.

$$(iv) (1, 0) = 1 + 0i \quad (a+bi) \quad Z * (1+0i) = Z$$

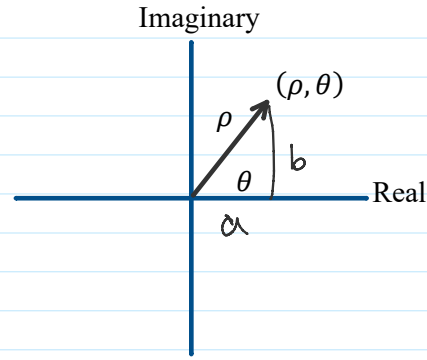
$$(V) Z_1 * (Z_2 + Z_3) = Z_1 * Z_2 + Z_1 * Z_3$$

$$(VI) \text{Inverse of addition} \quad Z + (-Z) = 0 + 0i$$

The Geometric of Complex Numbers



Complex Plane (Cartesian representation)



Complex Plane (Polar representation)

$$\frac{b}{a} = \frac{\rho \sin \theta}{\rho \cos \theta} = \tan \theta \quad \leftarrow \quad \begin{aligned} a &= \rho \cos \theta \\ b &= \rho \sin \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = \rho^2 \cos^2 \theta + \rho^2 \sin^2 \theta = \rho^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = \rho^2$$

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

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \quad 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$$

Example : Let $Z = 1 + i$. What is its polar representation?

$$a=1, b=1$$

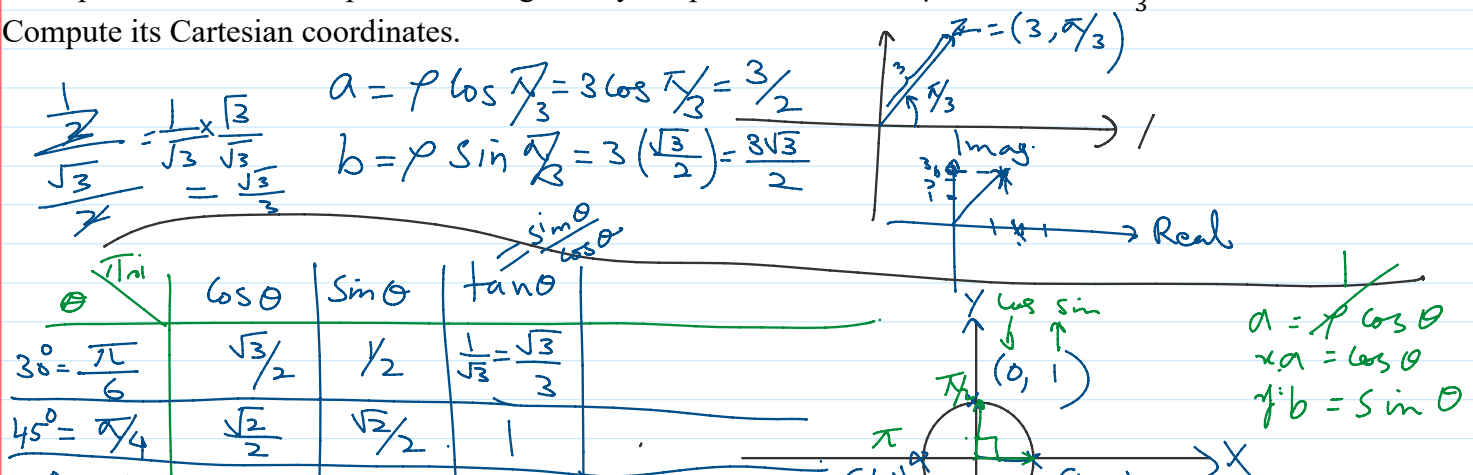
$$\rho = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

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

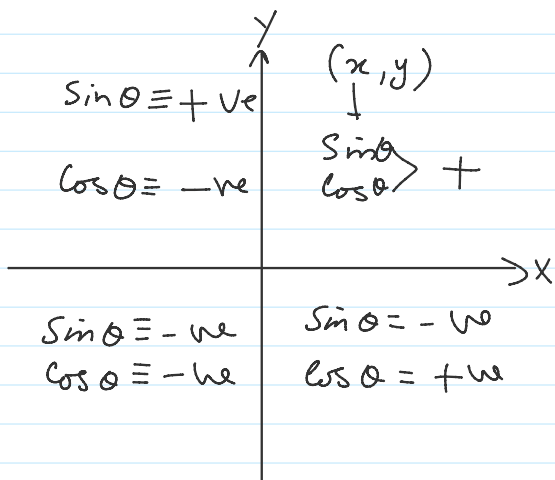
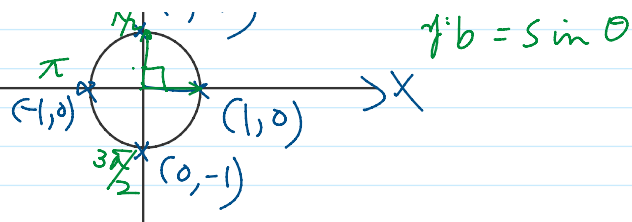
$$Z = (\sqrt{2}, \pi/4)$$

Example : Draw the complex number given by the polar coordinates $\rho = 3$ and $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

Compute its Cartesian coordinates.

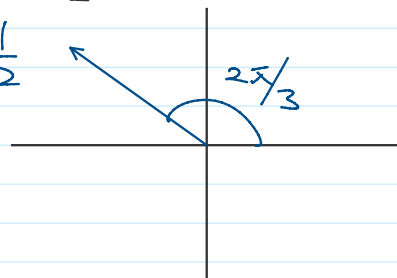


$45^\circ = \frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$	1
$60^\circ = \frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$	$\sqrt{3}$



$$\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$



Definition : A complex number has a magnitude ρ and a phase θ .

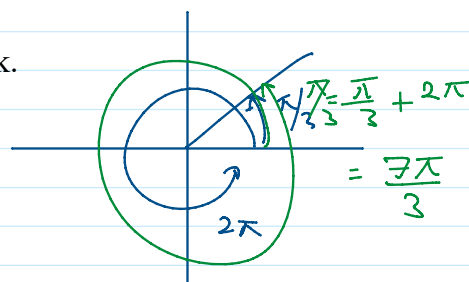
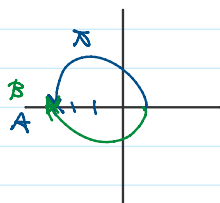
Observe that a complex number has a unique polar representation only if we define the phase between 0 and 2π : ($0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ and $\rho \geq 0$)

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

If θ is any thing

$\theta_1 = \theta_2$ if and only if $\theta_2 = \theta_1 + 2\pi k$, for some integer k .

Example : Are the numbers $(3, -\pi)$ and $(3, \pi)$ the same?



$$Z = a + bi = \rho \cos \theta + i \rho \sin \theta = \rho (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = \rho e^{i\theta}$$

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

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

Prove that $e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)} = e^{i\theta_1} \times e^{i\theta_2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)} &= \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + i \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \\
 &= \cos \theta_1 \cos \theta_2 - \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 + i (\sin \theta_1 \cos \theta_2 + \sin \theta_2 \cos \theta_1) \\
 &= \cos \theta_1 (\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2) + \sin \theta_1 (-\sin \theta_2 + i \cos \theta_2)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a^n)^m &= a^{n \cdot m} \\
 &= \cos \theta_1 (\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2) + i \sin \theta_1 (-\sin \theta_2 + i \cos \theta_2) \\
 &= \cos \theta_1 e^{i\theta_2} + i \sin \theta_1 (i \sin \theta_2 + \cos \theta_2) \\
 &= \cos \theta_1 e^{i\theta_2} + i \sin \theta_1 e^{i\theta_2} = e^{i\theta_2} \times e^{i\theta_1} \\
 (e^{i\theta})^n &= \cos(n\theta) + i \sin(n\theta). \\
 \downarrow \\
 e^{in\theta}
 \end{aligned}$$

Finally complex number can be written as $c = \rho e^{i\theta}$

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

Given two complex numbers in polar coordinates, $z_1 = (\rho_1, \theta_1)$ and $z_2 = (\rho_2, \theta_2)$,

their product can be obtained by simply multiplying their magnitude and adding their phase:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \rho_1 e^{i\theta_1} \rho_2 e^{i\theta_2} &= \rho_1 \rho_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)} \\
 z_1 \times z_2 &= (\rho_1 \times \rho_2, \theta_1 + \theta_2)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$a^n \cdot a^m = a^{n+m}$$

Example: Let $z_1 = 1 + i$ and $z_2 = -1 + i$. Find their product according to the algebraic rule.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \rho_1 &= \sqrt{2}, \quad \theta_1 = \tan^{-1}(1) = \pi/4 \\
 \rho_2 &= \sqrt{2}, \quad \theta_2 = \tan^{-1}(-1) = 3\pi/4 \\
 z_1 \times z_2 &= (\rho_1 \rho_2, \theta_1 + \theta_2) = (2, \pi)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 z &= a + bi \\
 \rho &= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\
 \theta &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

If $z_1 = (\rho_1, \theta_1)$ and $z_2 = (\rho_2, \theta_2)$, what is $\frac{z_1}{z_2}$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{\rho_1 e^{i\theta_1}}{\rho_2 e^{i\theta_2}} = \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} e^{i(\theta_1 - \theta_2)} = \left(\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}, \theta_1 - \theta_2 \right)$$

Generalized nth Power: If $z = (\rho, \theta)$ is a complex number in polar form and n a positive integer, its n th power is just $z^n = (\rho^n, n\theta)$.

$$z^n = (\rho e^{i\theta})^n = \rho^n e^{in\theta} = (\rho^n, n\theta)$$

Example: Let $z = 1 - i$. Calculate its fifth power, and revert the answers to Cartesian coordinates.

$$\rho = \sqrt{2}, \quad \theta = \tan^{-1}(-1) = -\pi/4, \quad \therefore z^5 = \left(\sqrt{2}^5, 5 \cdot \frac{-\pi}{4} \right) = \left(4\sqrt{2}, \frac{-35\pi}{4} \right)$$

Generalized nth root: If $z = (\rho, \theta)$ is a complex number in polar form and n a positive integer, its n th root is just $z^{1/n} = (\rho^{1/n}, \frac{1}{n}\theta)$

Example: Find all the cube roots of $z = 1 + i$.