

## 11. Complex Numbers

### Topics Covered

1. Complex numbers as an ordered pair of real numbers fundamental operations
2. Representation of complex numbers on the form  $a+ib$
3. Conjugate of a complex number, Modulus and amplitude of a complex numbers
4. Geometrical representation of a complex numbers Argand plane
5. Demovier's theorem
6. Trigonometric expansions

### I. FUNDAMENTAL OPERATIONS

#### Very Short Answer Questions

1. If  $z_1 = (2, -1)$   $z_2 = (6, 3)$  then  $z_1 - z_2$

$$\text{Given } z_1 = 2 - i \quad z_2 = 6 + 3i$$

$$z_1 - z_2 = -4 - 4i = (-4, -4)$$

2. If  $z_1 = (3, 5)$  and  $z_2 = (2, 6)$  find  $z_1 \cdot z_2$

**Solution :** -

$$\text{Given } z_1 = 3 + 5i \quad z_2 = 2 + 6i$$

$$z_1 \cdot z_2 = (3 + 5i)(2 + 6i) = 6 + 28i + 30i^2 = 6 - 30 + 28i$$

$$z_1 \cdot z_2 = -24 + 28i = (-24, 28)$$

3. Write the additive inverse of the following

(i) Additive inverse of  $(\sqrt{3}, 5)$  is  $(-\sqrt{3}, -5)$

(ii) Additive Inverse of  $(-6, 5) + (10, -4)$  is  $(-4, -1)$

(iii) Additive inverse of  $(2, 1)$  is  $(-2, -1)$

$$\text{Let } z_1 = 2 + i \quad z_2 = -4 + 6i$$

$$z_1 z_2 = (2 + i)(-4 + 6i) = -8 + 8i - 6i^2$$

$$= -2 + 8i$$

Additive inverse is (2, -8)

4. If  $z_1 = (6, -3)$  and  $z_2 = (2, -1)$  then find  $z_1 / z_2$

**Solution : -**

Given  $z_1 = 6 + 3i$   $z_2 = 2 - i$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{6 + 3i}{2 - i} = \frac{(6 + 3i)(2 + i)}{4 - i^2} = \frac{8 + 12i + 3i^2}{5}$$

$$1 + \frac{12}{5}i = \left(1, \frac{12}{5}\right)$$

5. If  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$  then find  $z - \frac{1}{z}$

**Solution : -**  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$   $\frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta} \times \frac{\cos \theta - i \sin \theta}{\cos \theta - i \sin \theta}$

$$z - \frac{1}{z} = 2i \sin \theta$$

6. Write the multiplicative inverse of the following complex numbers

- (i) (3, 4) (ii)  $(\sin \theta, \cos \theta)$  (iii) (7, 24) (iv) (-2, 1)

**Solution : -**

- (i) Let  $z = 3 + 4i$

Multiplicative inverse of  $z$  is  $\frac{1}{3 + 4i} = \frac{3 - 4i}{(3 + 4i)(3 - 4i)}$

$$= \frac{3 - 4i}{25} = \left(\frac{3}{25}, \frac{-4}{25}\right)$$

- (ii) Let  $z = \sin \theta + i \cos \theta$

Multiplicative inverse of  $z = \frac{1}{\sin \theta + i \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta - i \cos \theta}{(\sin \theta - i \cos \theta)}$

$$= \frac{\sin \theta - i \cos \theta}{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta} = \sin \theta - i \cos \theta$$

(iii) Let  $z = 7 + 24i$

$$\text{Multiplicative inverse of } z = \frac{1}{7+24i} = \frac{7-24i}{(7+24i)(7-24i)}$$

$$= \frac{7-24i}{625}$$

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