

(iii) Mod-amplitude form of complex number

Operations on Complex Numbers

VERY SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. Express the following complex numbers in Modulus amplitude form

(I) $1 - i$ (ii) $1 + i\sqrt{3}$ (iii) $-\sqrt{3} + i$ (iv) $-1 - i\sqrt{3}$

Solution : -

$$\text{Let } 1 - i = r\{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta\}$$

$$r \cos \theta = 1 \quad r \sin \theta = -1$$

$$(r \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \theta)^2 = 2 \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{Principal value of } \theta = -\pi/4 \quad \{\because -\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi\}$$

$$\therefore 1 - i = \sqrt{2} \left\{ \cos \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right\}$$

(ii) $1 + i\sqrt{3} = r\{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta\}$

$$\therefore r \cos \theta = 1 \quad r \sin \theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$(r \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \theta)^2 = 1 + (\sqrt{3})^2$$

$$r^2 = 4 \Rightarrow r = 2$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Principal value of } \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore 1 + i\sqrt{3} = 2 \left\{ \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right\}$$

(iii) $-\sqrt{3} + i = r\{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta\}$

$$r \cos \theta = -\sqrt{3} \quad r \sin \theta = 1$$

$$(r \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \theta)^2 = 3 + 1 \Rightarrow r = 2$$

$$\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

\therefore Principal value of $\theta = \frac{5\pi}{6}$

$$\therefore -\sqrt{3} + i = 2 \left\{ \cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} \right\}$$

(iv) $-1 - i\sqrt{3} = r\{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta\}$

$$r \cos \theta = -1 \quad r \sin \theta = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$(r \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \theta)^2 = (-1)^2 + (-\sqrt{3})^2 \Rightarrow r^2 = 4 \Rightarrow r = 2$$

$$\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}; \sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Prove of $\theta = -2\pi/3$

$$\therefore -1 - i\sqrt{3} = 2 \left\{ \cos \left(-\frac{2\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(-\frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \right\}$$

2. Simplify $-2i(3+i)(2+4i)(1+i)$ and obtain the modulus of that complex number

Solution :-

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

$$= -2i(3+i)(-2+6i) = -2i\{-6+18i-2i-6\}$$

$$= -2i\{-12+16i\} = 24i - 32i^2 = 32 + 24i$$

$$|32 + 24i| = \sqrt{(32)^2 + (24)^2} = \sqrt{1024 + 576} = 40$$

3. If $z \neq 0$ find $Arg z + Arg \bar{z}$

If $Arg z = \theta$ then $Arg \bar{z} = -\theta$

$$\therefore Arg z + Arg \bar{z} = \theta - \theta = 0$$

4. If $z_1 = -1$ and $z_2 = -i$ then find $Arg(z_1 z_2)$

Solution: -

$$z_1 = -1 \Rightarrow Arg z_1 = \pi \quad \{\because -1 = \cos \pi + i \sin \pi\}$$

$$z_2 = -i \Rightarrow Arg z_2 = -\pi/2 \quad \{\because -i = \cos -\pi/2 + i \sin(-\pi/2)\}$$

$$Arg(z_1 z_2) = Arg z_1 + Arg z_2 = \pi - \pi/2 = \pi/2$$

5. If $z_1 = -1$; $z_2 = i$ then find $Arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)$

Solution: -

$$Arg z_1 = \pi \quad \{\because -1 = \cos \pi + i \sin \pi\}$$

$$Arg z_2 = \pi/2 \quad \{\because i = \cos \pi/2 + i \sin \pi/2\}$$

$$Arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right) = Arg z_1 - Arg z_2 = \pi - \pi/2 = \pi/2$$

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. Simplify and find the Modulus of the following complex no's

$$(i) \frac{(2+4i)(-1+2i)}{(-1-i)(3-i)} \quad (ii) \frac{(1+i)^3}{(2+i)(1+2i)}$$

$$\text{Solution: } \frac{(2+4i)(-1+2i)}{(-1-i)(3-i)} = \frac{-2+4i-4i-8}{-3+i-3i+i^2}$$

$$= \frac{-10}{-4-2i} = \frac{5}{2+i} = \frac{5(2-i)}{(2+i)(2-i)} = \frac{5(2-i)}{5}$$

$$\left| \frac{(2+4i)(-1+2i)}{(-1-i)(3-i)} \right| = |2-i| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad \frac{(1+i)^3}{(2+i)(1+2i)} &= \frac{1+i^3+3i(1+i)}{2+5i+2i^2} = \frac{1-i+3i-3}{5i} \\
 &= \frac{-2+2i}{5i} \times \frac{5i}{5i} = \frac{-10i+10i^2}{25i^2} \\
 &= \frac{-10-10i}{-25} = \frac{2+2i}{5} \\
 \left| \frac{(1+i)^3}{(2+i)(1+2i)} \right| &= \sqrt{\frac{4}{25} + \frac{4}{25}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

2. If $(1-i)(2-i)(3-i)\dots(1-ni) = x + iy$ then prove that $2.5.10\dots(1+n^2) = x^2 + y^2$

Solution: -

$$(1-i)(2-i)(3-i)\dots(1-ni) = x + iy$$

Consider Modulus on both sides

$$|(1-i)(2-i)(3-i)\dots(1-ni)| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\sqrt{2} \sqrt{5} \sqrt{10} \dots \sqrt{1+n^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

Squaring on both sides

$$2.5.10\dots(1+n^2) = x^2 + y^2$$

3. If the real part of $\frac{z+1}{z+i}$ is 1 find the locus of z

Solution: -

$$\text{Let } z = x + iy$$

$$\text{Re} \left\{ \frac{x+iy+1}{x+iy+1} \right\} = 1 \Rightarrow \text{Re} \frac{\{(x+1)+iy\} \{x-i(y+1)\}}{x^2+(y+1)^2} = 1$$

Since real part of complex no is 1

$$\frac{x(x+1)-i^2y(y+1)}{x^2+(y+1)^2} = 1$$

$$x^2 + x + y^2 + y = x^2 + y^2 + 2y + 1 \Rightarrow x - y = 1$$

4. If $z = x + iy$ and $|z| = 1$ find the locus of z

Solution : -

$$|z| = 1 \Rightarrow |x + iy| = 1 \Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 1$$

Squaring on both sides

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

5. If the amplitude of $(z - 1)$ is $\frac{\pi}{2}$ then find the locus of z

Solution : -

$$\text{Let } z = x + iy \quad \text{Amp}(z - 1) = \pi/2$$

$$\text{Amp}\{x + iy - 1\} = \pi/2 \Rightarrow \text{Amp}\{(x - 1) + iy\} = \pi/2$$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x-1}\right) = \pi/2 \Rightarrow \frac{y}{x-1} = \frac{\sin \pi/2}{\cos \pi/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 1 = 0$$

6. If the $\text{Arg } \bar{z}_1$ and $\text{Arg } z_2$ are $\frac{\pi}{5}$ and $\frac{\pi}{3}$ respectively find $(\text{Arg } z_1 + \text{Arg } z_2)$

Solution : -

$$\text{Arg}(\bar{z}_1) = \frac{\pi}{5} \Rightarrow \text{Arg } z_1 = -\pi/5$$

$$\text{Arg } z_2 = \pi/3 \quad \text{Arg } z_2 = \pi/3$$

$$\therefore \text{Arg } z_1 + \text{Arg } z_2 = -\pi/5 + \pi/3 = \frac{-3\pi + 5\pi}{15} = \frac{2\pi}{15}$$