

Chapter 14

Complex Numbers-II

Solutions (Set-1)

Short Answer Type Questions :

1. Find the square root of the complex number $7 + 24i$.

Sol. Let $\sqrt{7+24i} = x + iy$, then

$$7 + 24i = x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 = 7 \text{ and } 2xy = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 16 \text{ and } y^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{7+24i} = \pm(4+3i) \quad (\because \operatorname{Im}(z) > 0)$$

2. Find the square root of the complex number $12 - 5i$.

Sol. Let $\sqrt{12-5i} = x + iy$

$$\Rightarrow 12 - 5i = x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 = 12 \text{ and } 2xy = -5$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 13$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{25}{2} \text{ and } y^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{12-5i} = \pm\left(\frac{5-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right), \quad (\because \operatorname{Im}(z) < 0)$$

3. Find the value of $1 + \omega^{2019} + \omega^{2022}$, where ω is an imaginary cube root of unity.

Sol. $1 + \omega^{2019} + \omega^{2022} = 1 + (\omega^3)^{673} + (\omega^3)^{674}; (\because \omega^3 = 1)$

$$= 1 + 1 + 1 = 3$$

4. Find the value of $(-1-\sqrt{3}i)^8 + (-1+\sqrt{3}i)^8$.

Sol. Let $-1+\sqrt{3}i = 2\omega$ and $-1-\sqrt{3}i = 2\omega^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (-1-\sqrt{3}i)^8 + (-1+\sqrt{3}i)^8 &= (2\omega^2)^8 + (2\omega)^8 \\ &= 2^8 (\omega^{16} + \omega^8) = 2^8 (\omega^{15} \cdot \omega + \omega^6 \cdot \omega^2) \\ &= 2^8 (\omega + \omega^2) \\ &= -2^8 \end{aligned}$$

5. Let z be a complex number which satisfy $|z-1-i| = \sqrt{2}$. Then find the locus of z .

Sol. Put $z = x + iy$ in $|z-1-i| = \sqrt{2}$

$$\Rightarrow |(x-1)+i(y-1)| = \sqrt{2}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$$

which is the equation of circle.

6. Let z be a non-zero complex number, if $\operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$ is zero, then find the locus of z .

Sol. $\operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{1}{x+iy}\right) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{x-iy}{x^2+y^2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow y = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$ x-axis (except origin)

Long Answer Type Questions :

7. Solve the equation $x^7 + x^4 + x^3 + 1 = 0$.

Sol. $x^7 + x^4 + x^3 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow (x^4 + 1)(x^3 + 1) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 = -1, \quad x^3 = -1$$

$$x = -1, -\omega, -\omega^2 \quad (\text{where } \omega \text{ is non-real cube root of unity})$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 = \cos(2r+1)\pi + i \sin(2r+1)\pi$$

$$x = \cos(2r+1)\frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin(2r+1)\frac{\pi}{4}; (r = 0, 1, 2, 3)$$

$$x = \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1-i}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Values of } x \text{ are } -1, -\omega, -\omega^2, \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ and } \frac{-1-i}{\sqrt{2}}$$

8. Solve the equation $x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 = 0$.

Sol. $x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow -x^7 + x^3 + x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -x^7 + x(x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^7 = 1$$

Now, $x^7 = \cos 2r\pi + i \sin 2r\pi$

$$x = \cos \frac{2r\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{2r\pi}{7}$$

$$r = 0, x = 1$$

$$r = 1, \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{7}, r = 2, \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{4\pi}{7}$$

$$r = 3, \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{6\pi}{7}, r = 4, \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} - i \sin \frac{6\pi}{7}$$

$$r = 5, \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} - i \sin \frac{4\pi}{7}, r = 6, \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} - i \sin \frac{2\pi}{7}$$

But $x = 1$ is not satisfied original equation.

9. If the real part of $\frac{2z+1}{iz+1}$ is zero, then show that the locus of the point representing z in the argand plane is a straight line.

Sol. Let $z = x + iy$

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

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{2z+1}{iz+1}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow 2x+1-y=0$$

$$2x-y=1$$

10. Let z be a complex number, then what is the locus of z if amplitude of $(z - 3 - 4i)$ is $\frac{\pi}{4}$.

Sol. $\text{amp}(z - 3 - 4i) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y-4}{x-3}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y-4}{x-3} = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 4 = x - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = x + 1$$

The locus of z is a straight line.



Chapter 14

Complex Numbers-II

Solutions (Set-2)

[De Moivre's Theorem, Square Root, Cube Root of Unity, n th roots of Unity and its Properties]

1. The square root of $-8i$ is

(1) $\pm 2(1 - i)$

(2) $2(1 + i)$

(3) $\pm (1 - i)$

(4) $\pm (1 + i)$

Sol. Answer (1)

$$\sqrt{0 - 8i} = x + iy$$

$$-8i = x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 0 \quad xy = -4$$

$$x = \pm y \quad x(\pm x) = -4 \quad x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

$$y = \pm 2$$

2. If $a = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$, $b = \cos\phi + i\sin\phi$, $c = \cos\Psi + i\sin\Psi$ and $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} = 2$, then

$\sin(\theta - \phi) + \sin(\phi - \psi) + \sin(\psi - \theta)$ equals

(1) 3

(2) $-\frac{3}{2}$

(3) 0

(4) $\frac{3}{2}$

Sol. Answer (3)

From question

$$\cos(\theta - \phi) + i\sin(\theta - \phi) + \cos(\phi - \psi) + i\sin(\phi - \psi) + \cos(\psi - \theta) + i\sin(\psi - \theta) = 2 + 0i$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(\theta - \phi) + \sin(\phi - \psi) + \sin(\psi - \theta) = 0$$

3. The value of $(i + \sqrt{3})^{100} + (i - \sqrt{3})^{100} + 2^{100} =$

(1) 1

(2) -1

(3) 0

(4) 2

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (i + \sqrt{3})^{100} + (i - \sqrt{3})^{100} + 2^{100} \\
 &= (-i)^{100} \left(\frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^{100} \times 2^{100} + (-i)^{100} \left(\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^{100} \cdot 2^{100} + 2^{100} \\
 &= 2^{100} ((\omega^2)^{100} + (\omega)^{100} + 1) \\
 &= 2^{100} (\omega^2 + \omega + 1) \text{ \{where } \omega \text{ is complex cube root of unity\}} \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

4. Let $a = i^i$ and consider the following statements

$$S_1: a = e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$S_2: \text{The value of } \sin(\ln a) = -1$$

$$S_3: \operatorname{Im}(a) + \arg(a) = 0$$

Now identify the correct combination of the true statements.

(1) S_1, S_2 only

(2) S_1, S_3 only

(3) S_1, S_2, S_3

(4) S_1 only

Sol. Answer (3)

$$a = (i)^i$$

$$\log_e a = i \log_e i$$

$$\log_e a = i \log_e \left(e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}} \right)$$

$$\log_e a = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$a = e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \sin(\ln a) = \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -1$$

$$\operatorname{Im}(a) + \arg(a) = 0 + 0 = 0$$

Therefore S_1, S_2, S_3 are correct.5. If $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$ then the value of $\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right)^2 + \left(z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(z^{21} + \frac{1}{z^{21}}\right)^2$ is equal to

(1) 21

(2) 42

(3) 0

(4) 11

Sol. Answer (2)

$$\text{if } z^2 + z + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z - \omega)(z - \omega^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \omega, \omega^2$$

$$\text{if } z = \omega, \text{ then } \frac{1}{z} = \omega^2$$

To find the value of $\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right)^2 + \left(z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(z^{21} + \frac{1}{z^{21}}\right)^2$

Now, $z + \frac{1}{z} = \omega + \frac{1}{\omega} = -1$, $z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2} = \omega^2 + \frac{1}{\omega^2} = -1$, $z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3} = 2$

$z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4} = \omega^4 + \frac{1}{\omega^4} = \omega + \frac{1}{\omega} = -1$, $z^5 + \frac{1}{z^5} = \omega^2 + \frac{1}{\omega^2} = -1$ and

$z^6 + \frac{1}{z^6} = 2$ and so on

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right)^2 + \left(z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(z^{21} + \frac{1}{z^{21}}\right)^2 \\ &= \{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (2)^2\} + \{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (2)^2\} \times \dots 7 \text{ times} \\ &= (1 + 1 + 4) + (1 + 1 + 4) \times \dots 7 \text{ times} \\ &= 6 + 6 \times \dots 7 \text{ times} \\ &= 6 \times 7 = 42 \end{aligned}$$

6. If $1, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{3n}$ be the roots of equation $x^{3n+1} - 1 = 0$, and ω be an imaginary cube root of unity,

then $\frac{(\omega^2 - \alpha_1)(\omega^2 - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega^2 - \alpha_{3n})}{(\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega - \alpha_{3n})}$

(1) ω

(2) $-\omega$

(3) 1

(4) ω^2

Sol. Answer (3)

We have

$$x^{3n+1} - 1 = (x - 1)(x - \alpha_1)(x - \alpha_2) \dots (x - \alpha_{3n})$$

Thus, $\frac{(\omega^2 - \alpha_1)(\omega^2 - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega^2 - \alpha_{3n})}{(\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega - \alpha_{3n})}$

$$= \frac{1}{(\omega + 1)} \cdot \frac{(\omega^2 - 1)(\omega^2 - \alpha_1)(\omega^2 - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega^2 - \alpha_{3n})}{(\omega - 1)(\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega - \alpha_{3n})}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\omega + 1} \cdot \frac{(\omega^2)^{3n+1} - 1}{\omega^{3n+1} - 1} = \frac{1}{\omega + 1} \cdot \frac{(\omega^2)^{3n} \cdot \omega^2 - 1}{\omega^{3n} \cdot \omega - 1}$$

$$\frac{1}{\omega + 1} \cdot \frac{\omega^2 - 1}{\omega - 1} \quad [\because \omega^{3n} = \omega^{6n} = 1]$$

$$= \frac{\omega^2 - 1}{\omega^2 - 1} = 1$$

7. The value of

$(x + \omega + \omega^2)(x + \omega^2 + \omega^4)(x + \omega^4 + \omega^8) \dots$ till $2n$ factors

(1) $(x - 1)^{2n}$

(2) $(x - 1)^{2n+1}$

(3) $(x - 1)^{2n-1}$

(4) $(x - 1)^{2n+2}$

Sol. Answer (1)

The given expression is $(x - 1)(x - 1) \dots (x - 1) \dots$ till $2n$ factors.

$$= (x - 1)^{2n}$$

8. If α , β and γ be the roots of the equation $x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$ and ω be non-real cube root of unity, then

the modulus of the expression $\left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\beta-1} + \frac{\beta-1}{\gamma-1} + \frac{\gamma-1}{\alpha-1} \right)$ is equal to

(1) 1

(2) 2

(3) 3

(4) 4

Sol. Answer (3)

$$x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$$

$$(x - 1)^3 + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1) = -2, -2\omega, -2\omega^2$$

$$x = -1, 1 - 2\omega, 1 - 2\omega^2$$

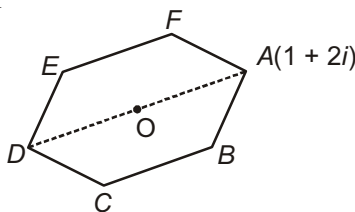
$$\text{Now, } \left| \frac{\alpha-1}{\beta-1} + \frac{\beta-1}{\gamma-1} + \frac{\gamma-1}{\alpha-1} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{-2}{-2\omega} + \frac{-2\omega}{-2\omega^2} + \frac{-2\omega^2}{-2} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{1}{\omega} + \frac{1}{\omega} + \omega^2 \right| = |3\omega^2| = 3$$

[Rotation of a Complex Number and Locus Problems]

9. If centre of a regular hexagon is at origin and one of the vertex on Argand diagram is $1 + 2i$, then its perimeter is

(1) $6\sqrt{5}$ (2) $4\sqrt{5}$ (3) $6\sqrt{2}$ (4) $2\sqrt{5}$ **Sol.** Answer (1)

In regular hexagon $OA = AB = BC = CD = ED = EF = FA$

Length of perimeter $= 6 \times |OA|$

$$= 6 \times \sqrt{1+4}$$

$$= 6\sqrt{5}$$

10. If $\log_{\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{|z|^2 - |z| + 1}{2 + |z|} \right) < 2$, then the locus of z is

(1) $|z| = 5$ (2) $|z| < 5$ (3) $|z| > 5$ (4) $|z| = 0$

Sol. Answer (2)

$$\log_{\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{|z|^2 - |z| + 1}{2 + |z|} \right) < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z^2 - |z| + 1}{2 + |z|} < (\sqrt{3})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - |z| + 1 < 6 + 3|z|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 4|z| - 5 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (|z| + 1)(|z| - 5) < 0$$

$$\text{but } |z| + 1 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| - 5 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| < 5$$

11. If $\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{z+4}{2z-1}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$, then z is represented by a point lying on

(1) A circle

(2) An ellipse

(3) A straight line

(4) No real locus

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{z+4}{2z-1}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{z+4}{2z-1}\right) + \overline{\left(\frac{z+4}{2z-1}\right)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z+4}{2z-1} + \frac{\bar{z}+4}{2\bar{z}-1} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2z\bar{z} - z + 8\bar{z} - 4 + 2z\bar{z} + 8z - \bar{z} - 4}{(2z-1)(2\bar{z}-1)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4z\bar{z} + 7z + 7\bar{z} - 8 = 4z\bar{z} - 2z - 2\bar{z} + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 9z + 9\bar{z} - 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{z + \bar{z} = 1}$$

Hence point z lies on a straight line.

12. If z is a complex number satisfying $|2008z - 1| = 2008|z - 2|$, then locus z is

(1) y - axis(2) x - axis

(3) Circle

(4) A line parallel to y -axis**Sol.** Answer (4)

$$z = x + iy$$

$$|2008z - 1| = 2008|z - 2|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| z - \frac{1}{2008} \right| = |z - 2|$$

Put $z = x + iy$

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{2008}\right)^2 + (y)^2 = (x-2)^2 + y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{2008}\right)^2 - 2 \times x \times \frac{1}{2008} = 4 - 4x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x - \frac{x}{1004} = 4 - \left(\frac{1}{2008}\right)^2$$

$$x = \frac{4 - \left(\frac{1}{2008}\right)^2}{4 - \frac{1}{1004}}$$

a line parallel to y -axis.

13. The locus of the point z satisfying the condition $\arg \frac{z-1}{z+1} = \frac{\pi}{3}$ is

(1) A straight line

(2) Circle

(3) A parabola

(4) Ellipse

Sol. Answer (2)

$$\arg \left(\frac{z-1}{z+1} \right) = \angle APB = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$\Rightarrow z$ lies on a circle

Alternatively

put $z = x + iy$

$$\arg \left(\frac{z-1}{z+1} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

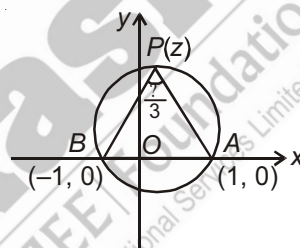
$$\Rightarrow \arg \left[\frac{(x-1)+iy}{(x+1)+iy} \right] = \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \arg \left[\frac{(x-1)+iy}{(x+1)+iy} \times \frac{(x+1)-iy}{(x+1)-iy} \right] = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \arg \left[\frac{(x^2+y^2-1)+i(2y)}{(x+1)^2+y^2} \right] = \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{2y}{x^2+y^2-1} \right] = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2y}{x^2+y^2-1} = \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow \sqrt{3}(x^2+y^2) - \sqrt{3} - 2y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}y - 1 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$ Which represents a circle having centre at $\left(0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$ and radius $\sqrt{\frac{1}{3} + 1} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$



14. If $|z - 2 - 3i| + |z + 2 - 6i| = 4$, $i = \sqrt{-1}$, then locus of z is

- (1) An ellipse (2) A point
(3) Segment joining the points $(2+3i)$ and $(-2+6i)$ (4) Empty

Sol. Answer (4)

$$|z - (2 + 3i)| + |z - (-2 + 6i)| = 4$$

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

$$|z_1 - z_2| = |4 - 3i| = 5 > k$$

$$\Rightarrow |z - z_1| + |z - z_2| = 2a, \text{ where } k < |z_1 - z_2|$$

$\Rightarrow$ This does not represent any curve

$\Rightarrow$ Locus of z is an empty set.

Alternatively : If we put $z = x + iy$, then we got an equation in x and y which does not have any solution.

[Miscellaneous Questions]

15. If z is a complex number satisfying the equation $z^3 - (2 + 4i)z^2 - 3(1 - 3i)z + 14 - 2i = 0$, where $i = \sqrt{-1}$, then which of the following is not a value of $|z|$?

- (1) 2 (2) $\sqrt{5}$ (3) $\sqrt{10}$ (4) 3

Sol. Answer (4)

$$z_1 z_2 z_3 = 2i - 14$$

$$|z_1| |z_2| |z_3| = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| \neq 3$$

16. The complex number z_1, z_2 satisfies the equation $z + 1 + 8i = |z|(1 + i)$, where $i = \sqrt{-1}$, then the equation whose roots are $|z_1|$ and $|z_2|$ is

$$(1) |z|^2 - 18|z| + 65 = 0$$

$$(2) |z|^2 - 7|z| + 12 = 0$$

$$(3) |z|^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$(4) |z|^2 - 17|z| + 60 = 0$$

Sol. Answer (1)

$$x + iy + 1 + 8i = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}(1 + i)$$

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow y + 8 = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$y^2 + 64 + 16y = x^2 + y^2$$

$$y^2 = 16(y + 4) \quad \dots(2)$$

From (1) and (2) $x = 4, y = -3$ or $x = 12, y = 5$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 = 4 - 3i, z_2 = 12 + 5i$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1| = 5, |z_2| = 13$$

17. The complex number z and ω are such that $|z| = |\omega| = 1$. Then the locus of $\frac{z+\omega}{1+z\omega}$ is

- (1) A Circle (2) A Parabola (3) The x-axis (4) The y-axis

Sol. Answer (3)

$$z = e^{i\theta_1}, \omega = e^{i\theta_2}$$

$$\frac{z+\omega}{1+z\omega} = \frac{e^{i\theta_1} + e^{i\theta_2}}{1 + e^{i(\theta_1+\theta_2)}} = e^{i\theta_1} \left(\frac{1 + e^{i(\theta_2-\theta_1)}}{1 + e^{i(\theta_2+\theta_1)}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{e^{i\theta_1} \cdot 2 \cos\left(\frac{\theta_2-\theta_1}{2}\right) e^{i\left(\frac{\theta_2-\theta_1}{2}\right)}}{2 \cos\left(\frac{\theta_2+\theta_1}{2}\right) e^{i\left(\frac{\theta_2+\theta_1}{2}\right)}}$$

$$= \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\theta_2-\theta_1}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta_2+\theta_1}{2}\right)} e^{i\left(\theta_1 + \frac{\theta_2-\theta_1}{2} - \frac{\theta_2+\theta_1}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\theta_2-\theta_1}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta_2+\theta_1}{2}\right)}$$

18. If $f(n, \theta) = \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{\cos(r\theta)}{2^r}$, then the value of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f\left(n, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ is equal to

- (1) 2 (2) $\frac{3}{2}$ (3) 1 (4) Zero

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{e^{i\theta}}{2}\right)^r &= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{e^{i\theta}}{2}} = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)} \\ &= \frac{4 - 2\cos\theta + 2i\sin\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\cos r\theta}{2^r}\right) = \frac{4 - 2\cos\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f\left(n, \frac{\pi}{3}\right) &= \left(\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\cos r\theta}{2^r}\right)\right)_{\theta=\frac{\pi}{3}} \\ &= \left(\frac{4 - 2\cos\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta}\right)_{\theta=\frac{\pi}{3}} = \frac{3}{3} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

19. The number of common solutions of the equations $z^n = 1 + i$ and $z^m = 2 - i$, $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$, $z \in \mathbb{C}$ is

- (1) Zero (2) One
(3) Depends on n and m both (4) n , if $m > n$

Sol. Answer (1)

$$\therefore z^n = 1 + i$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^n = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore z^m = 2 - i$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^m = \sqrt{5}$$

$\Rightarrow$ No common solutions

20. Let $\omega = \cos 3^\circ + i \sin 3^\circ$ then $\sum_{r=1}^{10} \operatorname{Re}(\omega^{2r-1})$ equals

- (1) $\frac{1}{\sin 3^\circ}$ (2) $\frac{2}{\cos 3^\circ}$ (3) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4 \sin 3^\circ}$ (4) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2 \cos 3^\circ}$

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\begin{aligned} \omega^{2r-1} &= (\cos 3^\circ + i \sin 3^\circ)^{2r-1} \\ &= \cos(6r-3)^\circ + i \sin(6r-3)^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\operatorname{Re}(\omega^{2r-1}) = \cos(6r-3)^\circ$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{10} \operatorname{Re}(\omega^{2r-1}) = \cos 3^\circ + \cos 9^\circ + \cos 15^\circ + \dots + \cos 57^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{\sin 3^\circ} \cos 30^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4 \sin 3^\circ}$$

21. If $1, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_{3n}$ are the roots of equation $z^{3n+1} = 1$ ($n \in \mathbb{N}$) and ω is an imaginary cube root of unity. Then the value of $|(\alpha_1 - \omega)(\alpha_2 - \omega)(\alpha_3 - \omega) \dots (\alpha_{3n} - \omega)|$ is

- (1) 1 (2) n (3) $3n + 1$ (4) $3n$

Sol. Answer (1)

$$\therefore z^{3n+1} - 1 = (z-1)(z-\alpha_1)(z-\alpha_2) \dots (z-\alpha_{3n})$$

Put $z = \omega$

$$\frac{\omega^{3n+1} - 1}{\omega - 1} = (\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega - \alpha_{3n})$$

$$\Rightarrow (\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2) \dots (\omega - \alpha_{3n}) = 1$$

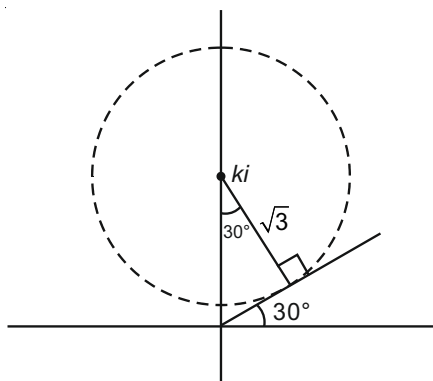
$$\Rightarrow |(\alpha_1 - \omega)(\alpha_2 - \omega) \dots (\alpha_{3n} - \omega)| = 1$$

22. If there exist exactly one complex number z satisfying the conditions $|z - ki| \leq \sqrt{3}$ and $\arg(z) \leq \frac{\pi}{6}$

(where $k \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and $i = \sqrt{-1}$), then the value of k is

- (1) 1 (2) 2 (3) $\sqrt{3}$ (4) $\sqrt{2}$

Sol. Answer (2)



$\therefore |z - ki| \leq \sqrt{3}$ represents the interior of a circle with radius $\sqrt{3}$.

$\arg(z) = \frac{\pi}{6}$ represents a line in 1st quadrant shown. There will be exactly one solution if

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{3}{k} \Rightarrow k = 2$$

23. If $|z - 1| = 1$ and $z \neq 0, 2$ then the possible value of $\frac{z-2}{z}$ is

- (1) 1 (2) $\sqrt{3}$ (3) 2 (4) $3i$

Sol. Answer (4)

$\therefore z$ lies on a circle whose ends of diameter are 0 and 2. So $(z - 2)$ and $(z - 0)$ represents two perpendicular lines then $\frac{z-2}{z}$ is purely imaginary.

24. The number of values of z satisfying the equations $1 + z + z^2 + z^3 + \dots + z^{17} = 0$ and $1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{11} = 0$ simultaneously is

- (1) Zero (2) 1 (3) 5 (4) 6

Sol. Answer (3)

$$1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{17}$$

$$\Rightarrow z^{18} = 1 \cap z \neq 1$$

$$\text{So } z = e^{\frac{n\pi}{9}} \text{ where } n = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 17$$

$$\text{Similarly } 1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{11} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z^{12} = 1 \cap z \neq 1$$

$$\text{So } z = e^{\frac{m\pi}{6}} \text{ where } m = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 11$$

Therefore the common roots are

$$e^{\frac{\pi}{3}}, e^{\frac{2\pi}{3}}, e^{\pi}, e^{\frac{4\pi}{3}} \text{ and } e^{\frac{5\pi}{3}}$$

25. If $\left[\frac{1 + \cos \theta + i \sin \theta}{\sin \theta + i(1 + \cos \theta)} \right]^4 = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$ then value of n is

(1) 2

(2) 8

(3) 4

(4) 6

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\frac{(1 + \cos \theta) + i \sin \theta}{i(1 + \cos \theta) - i \sin \theta} \right]^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{e^4} \left(\frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + i 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - i 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}} \right) = \left(\frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} + i \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \right)^4 \\ &= (e^{i\theta})^4 = e^{i4\theta} \\ &n = 4 \end{aligned}$$

26. The value of $\sum_{n=1}^7 \left(x^n + \frac{1}{x^n} \right)^2$ is (where x is a root of $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$)

(1) 17

(2) Zero

(3) 13

(4) 3

Sol. Answer (3)

$$x^2 - x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = -\omega, -\omega^2$$

$$\text{Now } \left(x^n + \frac{1}{x^n} \right)^2 = (\omega^n + \omega^{2n})^2$$

$$\therefore \omega^n + \omega^{2n} = -1 \quad \text{when } n \neq 3m, m \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\omega^n + \omega^m = 2 \quad \text{when } n = 3m, m \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^7 \left(x^n + \frac{1}{x^n} \right)^2 &= (-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (2)^2 + (-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (-2)^2 + (-1)^2 = 1 + 1 + 4 + 1 + 1 + 4 + 1 \\ &= 13 \end{aligned}$$

27. If the locus of a point z lying on $|z - 3| + |z - i| = k$ represent on ellipse, then k can be

(1) 2

(2) $\sqrt{5}$

(3) 3

(4) $\sqrt{15}$

Sol. Answer (4)

$$|z - 3| + |z - i| = k \text{ represent on ellipse if } k > |z_1 - z_2|$$

$$\Rightarrow k > |3 - i|$$

$$\Rightarrow k > \sqrt{10}$$

28. If one vertex of the triangle having maximum area that can be inscribed in the circle $|z| = 2$ is $1 + i\sqrt{3}$, then the other vertex of the triangle can be

(1) $(\sqrt{3}, 1)$ (2) $(3, -1)$ (3) $(-2, 0)$ (4) $(0, 2)$

Sol. Answer (3)

It is cleared that triangle is an equilateral triangle so

$$\frac{z-0}{(\sqrt{3}i+1)} = e^{\pm i\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)}$$

'+' ,

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

$$z = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

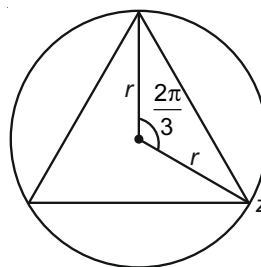
$$z = -2$$

'-' ,

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

$$z = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}i - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2} - \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$z = 1 - \sqrt{3}i$$



29. If $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{100}$ are root of equation $1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{100} = 0$, then the value of $\sum_{r=1}^{100} \frac{1}{z_r - 1}$ is equal to
- (1) 100 (2) -50 (3) -25 (4) 150

Sol. Answer (2)

$$\frac{1}{z_1-1} + \frac{1}{z_2-1} + \frac{1}{z_3-1} + \dots + \frac{1}{z_{100}-1} = k$$

$$\text{Given } 1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{100} = (z - z_1)(z - z_2) \dots (z - z_{100})$$

Apply logasition on both side

$$\log(1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{100}) = \log(z - z_1) + \log(z - z_2) + \log(z - z_3) + \dots + \log(z - z_{100})$$

Now diff

$$\frac{1}{1+z+z^2+\dots+z^{100}} (1+2z+3z^2+\dots+100z^{99})$$

$$= \frac{1}{z-z_1} + \frac{1}{z-z_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{z-z_{100}}$$

$$\frac{1+2z+3z^2+\dots+100z^{99}}{1+z+z^2+\dots+z^{100}}$$

$$= -\left[\frac{1}{z_1-z} + \frac{1}{z_2-z} + \dots + \frac{1}{z_{100}-z} \right]$$

Put $z = 1$

$$\frac{1+2+3+\dots+100}{101} = -k$$

$$k = -\left(\frac{100 \times 101}{2 \times 101}\right) = -50$$

30. If p, q, r are the roots of $x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$, then value of $(p-1)(q-1)(r-1)$ equals
 (1) 5 (2) -1 (3) 8 (4) -8

Sol. Answer (4)

$$x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^3 + 8 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^3 = (-2)^3$$

$$x-1 = -2, -200, -200^2$$

$$(p-1)(q-1)(r-1) = (-2)(-200)(-200^2) = -8$$

31. Value of $\left(\frac{3}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{30}$ equals

(1) 3^{15}

(2) -3^{15}

(3) $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}i}{2}$

(4) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}i}{2}$

Sol. Answer (2)

$$\frac{3}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}i}{2} = -i\sqrt{3}\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow (-i\sqrt{3}\omega) = -3^{15}$$

32. Let $z_1 = 5 + i$ and $z_2 = 2 - 4i$ (where $i = \sqrt{-1}$). Let z be a complex number such that $\arg\left(\frac{z-z_1}{z_2-z}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then z satisfies

(1) $\left|z - \left(\frac{7-3i}{2}\right)\right| = \sqrt{34}$

(2) $\left|z - \left(\frac{7-3i}{2}\right)\right| = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{2}$

(3) $\left|z - \left(\frac{7+3i}{2}\right)\right| = \sqrt{34}$

(4) $\left|z - \left(\frac{7+3i}{2}\right)\right| = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{2}$

Sol. Answer (2)

z_1, z_2, z_3 lie on a circle

z_1, z_2 are end points of diameter

$$\text{Centre } (z_0) = \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2} = \frac{7-3i}{2}$$

and radius $= |z_1 - z_0|$

$$= \left|\frac{3}{2} + \frac{5}{2}i\right| = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{2}$$

Equation of circle is $|z - z_0| = r$

$$\Rightarrow \left| z - \left(\frac{7-3i}{2} \right) \right| = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{2}$$

33. If z and $\bar{z}$ represent adjacent vertices of a regular polygon of λ sides whose centre is at origin and if

$$\frac{\operatorname{Im}(z)}{\operatorname{Re}(z)} = \sqrt{2} - 1, \text{ then } \lambda \text{ equals}$$

(1) 4

(2) 6

(3) 8

(4) 12

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\frac{z-0}{\bar{z}-0} = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{\lambda}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z}{\bar{z}} = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{\lambda}}$$

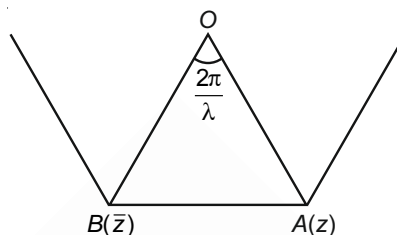
$$\text{Let } z = re^{i\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{2i\theta} = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{\lambda}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{\operatorname{Im}(z)}{\operatorname{Re}(z)} = \frac{\tan \theta}{1} = \sqrt{2} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 8$$



34. If $1, \omega, \omega^2 \dots \omega^{n-1}$ are n , n^{th} roots of unity, the value of $(7 - \omega)(7 - \omega^2) \dots (7 - \omega^{n-1})$ equals

(1) 7^n

(2) $7^n - 1$

(3) $\frac{7^n - 1}{6}$

(4) $\frac{7^n}{6}$

Sol. Answer (3)

$$x^n - 1 = 0$$

$$x^n - 1 = (x - 1)(x - \omega)(x - \omega^2) \dots (x - \omega^{n-1})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7^n - 1}{6} = (7 - \omega)(7 - \omega^2) \dots (7 - \omega^{n-1})$$

35. Let u and v are two complex such that $|u| \neq |v|$ and $|u| = 1$ and $z = \frac{au + b}{u - v}$, where $z = x + iy$ and a, b are complex numbers then the locus of z is

(1) A line segment

(2) The perpendicular bisector of $-\frac{b}{v}$ and a

(3) A circle

(4) Can not be a circle unless $|v| = 1$

Sol. Answer (3)

$$\therefore z = \frac{au + b}{u - v}$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{b + vz}{z - a}$$

$$\therefore |u| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{b+uz}{z-a} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{z + \frac{b}{u}}{z-a} \right| = \frac{1}{|u|}$$

$$\therefore |u| \neq 1$$

$\therefore z$ is always on circle

36. If ' α ' denotes 2020th root of unity then $1 + 2\alpha + 3\alpha^2 + \dots$ upto 2020 terms is equal to

(1) $\frac{2020}{1-\alpha}$

(2) $\frac{2021}{1-\alpha}$

(3) $\frac{2020}{\alpha-1}$

(4) $\frac{2021}{\alpha-1}$

Sol. Answer (3)

$\therefore$ By sum of A.G.P series we get sum ' S ' upto ' n ' terms as

$$S = \frac{1}{1-\alpha} + \frac{\alpha - \alpha^n}{(1-\alpha)^2} - \frac{n\alpha^n}{1-\alpha}$$

$$\therefore n = 2020 \text{ and } \alpha^{2020} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{1}{1-\alpha} + \frac{\alpha-1}{(1-\alpha)^2} - \frac{2020}{1-\alpha} = \frac{2020}{\alpha-1}$$

37. A complex number ' z ' is rotated in anticlockwise direction by an angle ' α ' we get z_1 and if same complex number z is rotated by an angle α in clockwise direction we get z_2 then

(1) z_1, z, z_2 are in G.P.

(2) z_1, z, z_2 are in H.P.

(3) $z(\cos\alpha - 1) \geq 0$

(4) $z^2(\cos 2\alpha - 1) \leq 0$

Sol. Answer (1)

$$z_1 = ze^{i\alpha}, z_2 = ze^{-i\alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1, z_2 = z^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1, z, z_2 \text{ are in G.P.}$$

38. If $1, z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{n-1}$ be the n^{th} roots of unity and ' ω ' be a non-real complex cube root of unity, then

sum of all possible values of $\prod_{r=1}^{n-1} (\omega - z_r)$ will be equal to

(1) Zero

(2) $2 + \omega^2$

(3) $\omega^2 + 1$

(4) $1 - \omega^2$

Sol. Answer (4)

$$\therefore \frac{x^n - 1}{x - 1} = (x - z_1)(x - z_2) \dots (x - z_{n-1})$$

Put $x = \omega$

$$\Rightarrow \prod_{r=1}^{n-1} (\omega - z_r) = \frac{\omega^n - 1}{\omega - 1} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 3k & k \in \mathbb{Z} \\ 1 & \text{if } n = 3k + 1 & k \in \mathbb{Z} \\ 1 + \omega & \text{if } n = 3k + 2 & k \in \mathbb{Z} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of all possible values} = 2 + \omega = 1 - \omega^2.$$

