

Note 1

§ Complex Numbers

Motivation: Solve eq. $x^2 = -1$. No **real** solutions, "square root of -1 "

Solution: Symbol i **pure imaginary number** satisfies $i^2 = -1$.

- Solve general quadratic equation: e.g. $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow z = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-4}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}i}{2}$

~~*~~ Fundamental Theorem of Algebra: Every degree n polynomial
has exactly n **Complex** roots.

Def: **Complex Number** \mathbb{C} $z = x + yi$, $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

$\text{Re } z$ $\text{Im } z$

Real & imaginary part

- Addition: $z_1 = x_1 + y_1 i$, $z_2 = x_2 + y_2 i$

& Subtraction $z_1 \pm z_2 = (x_1 \pm x_2) + (y_1 \pm y_2) i$

- Multiplication: $(x_1 + y_1 i) \cdot (x_2 + y_2 i)$
 $= x_1 x_2 + x_1 y_2 i + x_2 y_1 i + y_1 y_2 i^2$
 $= (x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2) + (x_1 y_2 + x_2 y_1) i$

No need to remember formula,
Just apply distributive law.

e.g. $z = x+yi$ $\bar{z} = x-yi$ **Complex Conjugate**
 $z \cdot \bar{z} = x^2+y^2$

$$\Rightarrow (x+yi) \cdot \left(\frac{x}{x^2+y^2} - \frac{y}{x^2+y^2}i \right) = 1$$

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 z

inverse

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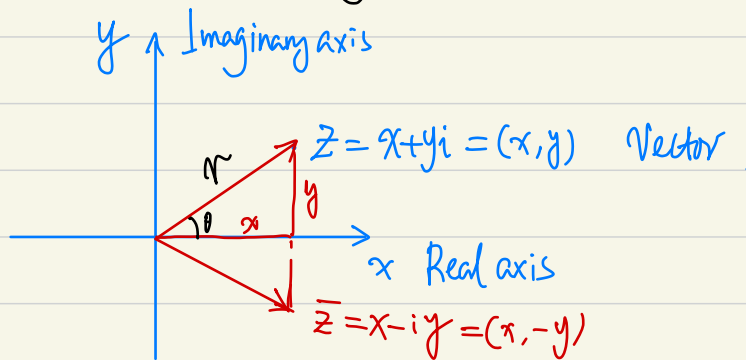
$$z^{-1} = \frac{\bar{z}}{x^2+y^2}$$

- Division: $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = z_1 \cdot z_2^{-1}$

e.g. $\frac{4+i}{2-3i} = (4+i) \cdot (2-3i)^{-1} = (4+i) \cdot \frac{2+3i}{2^2+(-3)^2} = \frac{5+14i}{13}$

equivalently, $= \frac{4+i}{2-3i} \cdot \frac{2+3i}{2+3i} = \frac{(4+i)(2+3i)}{13}$

§ Complex plane - geometry of \mathbb{C} .

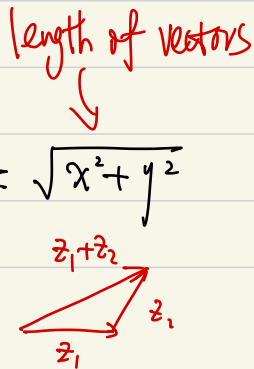


• Complex addition/subtraction \Leftrightarrow Vector addition/subtraction

• Complex conjugate \Leftrightarrow reflection along x-axis

• **Modulus** / **absolute value** / **norm** / **magnitude** of z : $|z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

\Rightarrow Satisfying triangle inequality: $|z_1 + z_2| \leq |z_1| + |z_2|$



• Polar Coordinates (r, θ) : r : $|z| = \text{modulus} = \text{length} \dots$

Polar form

θ : $\arg(z) = \text{Argument of } z$



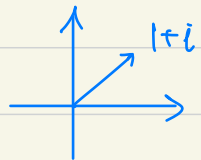
Rectangle v.s Polar : $x = r \cdot \cos\theta$
 $y = r \cdot \sin\theta$

$$\Rightarrow z = x + yi = r(\cos\theta + i \cdot \sin\theta)$$

Rmk: θ not uniquely defined : Can add a multiple of 2π

Unique value if fixing $-\pi < \theta \leq \pi$, denoted $\text{Arg}(z) = \text{Arg}(z) + 2k\pi$
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Sometimes $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

e.g. $z = 1 + i$. $r = \sqrt{2}$ $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4} \pm 2\pi, \frac{\pi}{4} \pm 4\pi, \dots$
 $\text{Arg}(z) = \frac{\pi}{4}$



• Euler's formula :

$$e^{i\theta} = \cos\theta + i \cdot \sin\theta$$

← take as definition / notation temporarily.

$$z = x + yi$$

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

$$= r \cdot e^{i\theta}$$

← Exponential form

e.g. $z = 1 + i$
 $= \sqrt{2} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$

What's it good for?

Multiplication!

Recall: $e^a \cdot e^b = e^{a+b}$ for $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$e^{i\theta_1} \cdot e^{i\theta_2} = (\cos\theta_1 + i \sin\theta_1)(\cos\theta_2 + i \sin\theta_2)$$

$$= (\underbrace{\cos\theta_1 \cos\theta_2 - \sin\theta_1 \sin\theta_2}_{\cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}) + i (\underbrace{\cos\theta_1 \sin\theta_2 + \cos\theta_2 \sin\theta_1}_{\sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)})$$

$\cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$

$\sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$

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

In general. $z_1 = r_1 e^{i\theta_1}$ $z_2 = r_2 e^{i\theta_2}$

then $z_1 z_2 = r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}$

\Rightarrow · Power:

$$z^n = r^n \cdot e^{in \cdot \theta}$$

ex: $(Hi)^6 = (\sqrt{2} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}})^6 = 8 \cdot e^{i\frac{6\pi}{4}} = -8i$

· Inverse

$$\frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{r} \cdot e^{-i\theta}$$

· Quotient:

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{r_1}{r_2} \cdot e^{i(\theta_1 - \theta_2)}$$

Application: Roots of Complex number

$$\text{Solve eq. } z^n = c \quad c \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Write $c = R e^{i\phi}$, $z = r e^{i\theta}$ exponential form

$$z^n = r^n e^{in\theta} = R e^{i\phi}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = R^{1/n}; \quad n\theta = \phi + 2\pi k \quad \text{where } k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\phi}{n} + \frac{2\pi k}{n} \quad \leftarrow k \text{ and } k+n \text{ rep same angle.}$$

choose representative $0 \leq k \leq n-1$

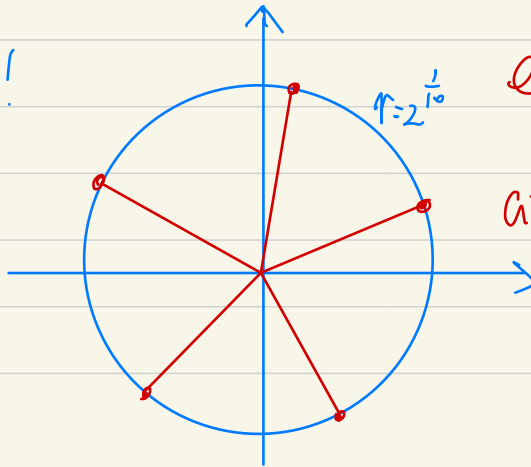
Ex. 5th root of $1+i$. $z^5 = 1+i = \sqrt{2} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} \Rightarrow z = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} \cdot e^{i\theta}$

k	$\dots -2$	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	\dots
$\theta = \frac{\pi}{20} + \frac{2\pi \cdot k}{5}$	$-\frac{15\pi}{20}$	$-\frac{7\pi}{20}$	$\frac{\pi}{20}$	$\frac{9\pi}{20}$	$\frac{17\pi}{20}$	$\frac{25\pi}{20}$	$\frac{33\pi}{20}$	$\frac{41\pi}{20}$	\dots

2π

5 different roots !

Geometrically :



evenly spaced (increment $\frac{2\pi}{5}$)

around circle (radius $2^{\frac{1}{10}}$)

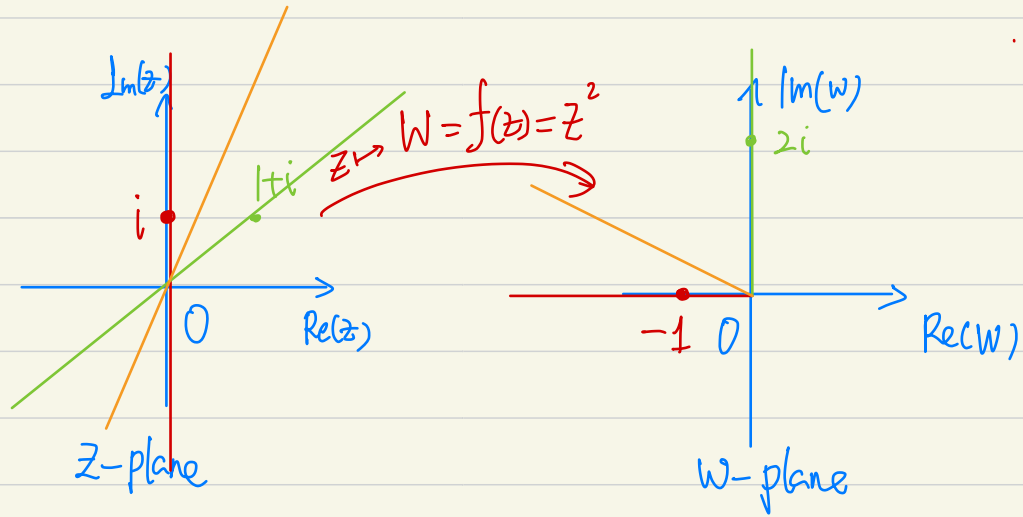
§ Complex Functions / Mappings

$$f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$z \mapsto w = f(z)$$

• Geometrically, visualize

using 2 complex planes.



Sometimes, can represent map in 1 complex plane as Motions.

- $f(z) = z + z_0$ $z_0 \in \mathbb{C}$ translation

- $f(z) = e^{i\theta_0} \cdot z$ $\theta_0 \in \mathbb{R}$ rotation

- $f(z) = \bar{z}$

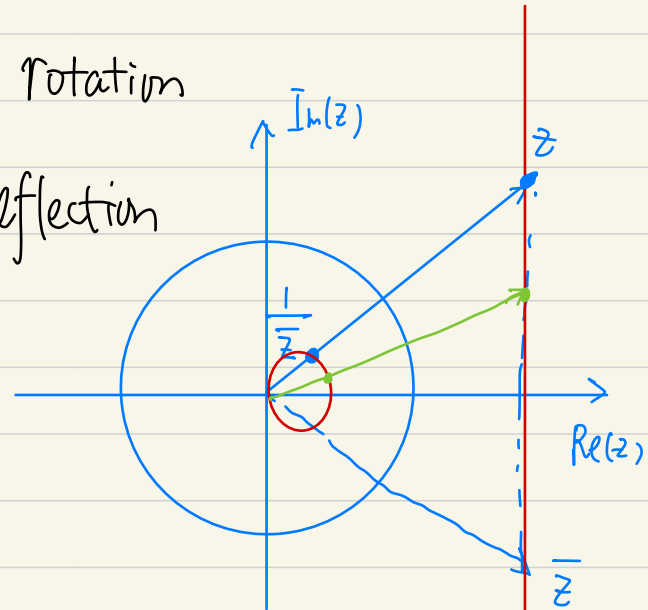
reflection

- $f(z) = \frac{1}{z} = \overline{\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)}$ inversion

$r e^{i\theta} \rightsquigarrow r' e^{i\theta}$

Domain of definition: $\mathbb{C} - \{0\}$

Range: $\mathbb{C} - \{0\}$



- Algebraically, can rep a Complex f^n by a pair of real 2-variable functions

$$f: \begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{C} \\ \parallel & & \parallel \\ \mathbb{R}^2 & & \mathbb{R}^2 \end{array}$$

Suppose $W = f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y)$

$$\begin{array}{l} \parallel \\ \underline{u+iv} = f(\underline{x+iy}) \end{array}$$

ex: $f(z) = z^2$, $f(x+iy) = \underbrace{x^2 - y^2}_{u(x,y)} + \underbrace{2xy \cdot i}_{v(x,y)}$

§ Elementary Functions.

(1) Exponential Function: $e^z := e^{x+iy} = e^x \cdot e^{iy}$

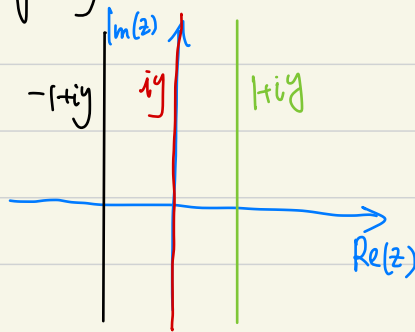
Note: $e^{z_1} \cdot e^{z_2} = e^{x_1} \cdot e^{iy_1} \cdot e^{x_2} \cdot e^{iy_2} = e^x \cdot (\cos y + i \sin y)$

$$= e^{\underline{x_1+x_2}} \cdot e^{\underline{i(y_1+y_2)}}$$

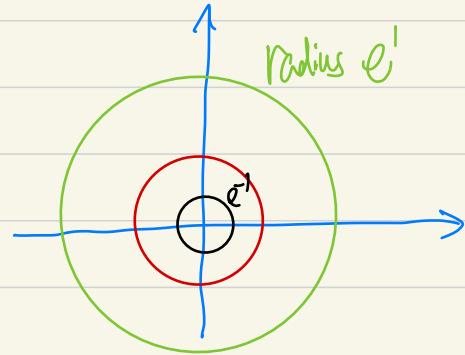
$$= e^{\underline{z_1+z_2}}$$

"additive property" still holds!

Geometrically,



$$z \mapsto w = e^z$$



(2) Trigonometric Function $\sin z, \cos z$.

Note: $\sin x, \cos x, x \in \mathbb{R}$ originates from geometry.

Algebraically, $e^{ix} = \cos x + i \sin x$, $e^{-ix} = \cos x - i \sin x$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2i}, \quad \cos x = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2}$$

Def: $\forall z \in \mathbb{C}$, $\sin z := \frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i}$, $\cos z := \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2}$

Prop:

- $\sin(-z) = -\sin z$, $\cos(-z) = \cos z$
- $\sin^2 z + \cos^2 z = 1$, $\sin(z_1 + z_2) = \sin z_1 \cos z_2 + \sin z_2 \cos z_1, \dots$

(Ex.)

(3) Hyperbolic Functions.

- Originated from "hyperbolic geometry"; very different from trig. function with real variables.

$$\sinh z := \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2} \qquad \cosh z := \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2}$$

- $\sinh z = -i \sin(iz)$ $\cosh z = \cos(iz)$

- $\cosh^2 z - \sinh^2 z = 1$

(4) Logarithmic Function: $\log(z)$ "inverse of e^z ".

(Recall: $e^{\ln x} = x \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$)

Want: $e^w = z$. $w := \log(z)$

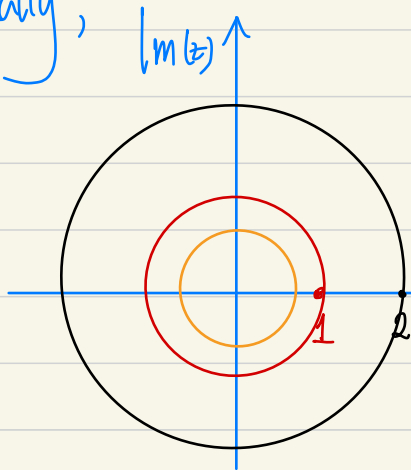
$$w = u + iv \Rightarrow e^w = e^u \cdot e^{iv} = z = r \cdot e^{i\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^u = r, \quad \underline{v = \theta + 2k\pi}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$\Leftrightarrow u = \ln r = \ln |z|$ $v = \arg(z)$

$$\Leftrightarrow \boxed{\log z = \ln |z| + i \cdot \arg(z)} \quad z \in \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$$

Geometrically,

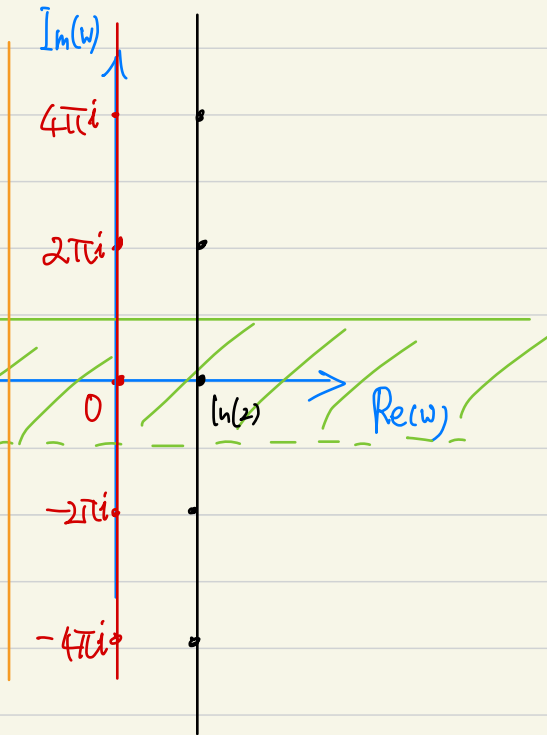


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$\text{Re}(z)$

$$z = e^w \leftarrow w$$



Note: $\log z$ is "multi-valued"!

e.g.

$$\log(1) = 0 + 2k\pi \cdot i$$

$$\log(2) = \ln 2 + 2k\pi \cdot i \quad \dots$$

• One solution: Define **principal value** of $\log z$

$$\text{Log } z := \ln |z| + i \cdot \text{Arg}(z), \text{ where } -\pi < \text{Arg}(z) \leq \pi$$

Recall that $\ln(xy) = \ln x + \ln y \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$.

However, this is not always true for $\text{Log}(z)$

e.g. $z_0 = e^{i\frac{2\pi}{3}} \Rightarrow \text{Log } z_0 = \frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot i$

$z_0^2 = e^{i\frac{4\pi}{3}} \Rightarrow \text{Log}(z_0^2) = \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} - 2\pi\right) \cdot i = -\frac{2\pi}{3} \cdot i$

$\text{Log}(z_0^2) \neq 2 \text{Log } z_0 !$

• Alternative Solutions:

- Branches of functions
- Riemann surfaces

(e.g. for the branch $0 \leq \arg(z) < 2\pi$, $\log(z_0^2) = 2 \log z_0$)

(5) Power Function. z^c . $c \in \mathbb{C}$.

define $z^c := e^{c \cdot \log(z)}$ $z \in \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$
" $e^{\log z}$

Again, multi-valued! Principal-valued: P.V. $z^c := e^{c \cdot \text{Log}(z)}$
(unless $c \in \mathbb{Z}$)

eg $z=c=i$: $i^i = e^{i \cdot \log i}$

$$\log(i) = \ln(1) + \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi\right)i \quad \text{Log}(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{i \cdot \log(i)} = e^{-(2k+\frac{1}{2})\pi} \quad \text{real numbers!} \quad \text{P.V. } i^i = e^{-\frac{1}{2}\pi}$$

(b) Inverse Trigonometric $\sin^{-1}z$, $\cos^{-1}z$

Remember $\sin^{-1}x$ has domain of definition $[-1, 1]$.

For complex function $w = \sin^{-1}z$

$$\Rightarrow z = \sin w = \frac{e^{iw} - e^{-iw}}{2i}$$

$$\Rightarrow (e^{iw})^2 - 2iz \cdot (e^{iw}) - 1 = 0$$

(Solving quadratic eq.) $\Rightarrow e^{iw} = iz + (1 - z^2)^{1/2}$

$$\Rightarrow iw = \log(iz + (1 - z^2)^{1/2})$$

Hence,

$$\sin^{-1}z = -i \log(iz + (1 - z^2)^{1/2})$$

Note: $iz + (1 - z^2)^{1/2} \neq 0$. So domain of def of $\sin^{-1} = \text{range of } \sin = \mathbb{C}$