

Chapter 8: 8-5 Trigonometric Form for Complex Numbers

Find the absolute value.

1. $|3 - 4i|$

$$\sqrt{9 + 16}$$

$$= \sqrt{25} = \boxed{5}$$

2. $|-6 - 7i|$

$$\sqrt{36 + 49}$$

$$= \sqrt{85}$$

3. $|8i|$

$$\sqrt{0 + 64}$$

$$= \sqrt{64} = \boxed{8}$$

4. $|i^{500}|$

$$= (i^4)^{125}$$

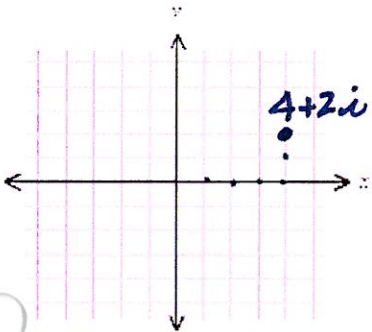
$$= (1)^{125}$$

$$= |1 + 0i|$$

$$= \sqrt{1^2 + 0^2} = \sqrt{1} = \boxed{1}$$

Represent the complex number geometrically.

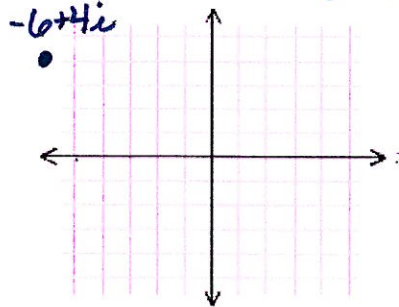
5. $4 + 2i$



6. $2i(2 + 3i)$

$$4i + 6i^2 = 4i - 6$$

$$= -6 + 4i$$



7. $(1 + i)^2 = 1 + 2i + i^2$

$$= 1 + 2i - 1$$

$$= 0 + 2i$$

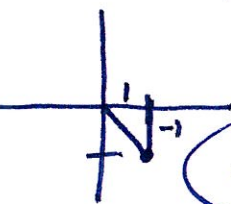


Express the complex number in trigonometric form with $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$.

8. $1 - i$ $r = \sqrt{1 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{2}$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{-1}{1} = -1$$

$$\theta = -\frac{\pi}{4} \text{ or } \frac{7\pi}{4}$$



$$z = \sqrt{2} \text{ cis } \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

9. $-4\sqrt{3} + 4i$

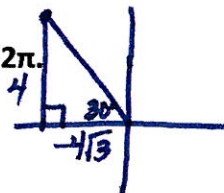
$$r = \sqrt{16 \cdot 3 + 16}$$

$$= \sqrt{64} = 8$$

$$z = 8 \text{ cis } \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{4}{-4\sqrt{3}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\theta = \frac{5\pi}{6}$$



10. $2\sqrt{3} + 2i$

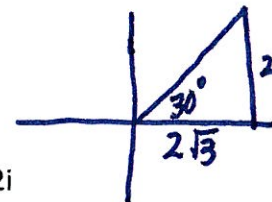
$$r = \sqrt{4 \cdot 3 + 4}$$

$$= \sqrt{16} = 4$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{2}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$z = 4 \text{ cis } \frac{\pi}{6}$$



11. $-4 - 4i$

$$r = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (-4)^2}$$

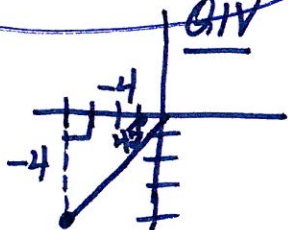
$$r = \sqrt{32}$$

$$r = 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{-4}{-4} = 1$$

$$\theta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

$$z = 4\sqrt{2} \text{ cis } \frac{5\pi}{4}$$



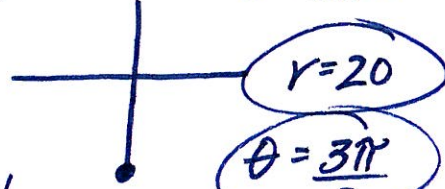
12. $-20i$

$$0 + -20i$$

$$r = 20$$

$$\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$z = 20 \text{ cis } \frac{3\pi}{2}$$



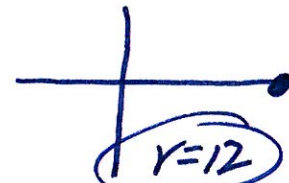
13. 12

$$12 + 0i$$

$$r = 12$$

$$\theta = 0$$

$$z = 12 \text{ cis } 0$$



Express in the form $a + bi$, where a and b are real numbers.

14. $4(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4})$

$$= 4\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i\right)$$

$$= 2\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{2}i$$

15. $6(\cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3})$

$$6\left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right)$$

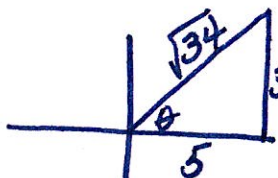
$$= -3 + 3\sqrt{3}i$$

16. $5(\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)$

$$5(-1 + 0i)$$

$$= -5$$

17. $\sqrt{34} \operatorname{cis}(\tan^{-1} \frac{3}{5})$

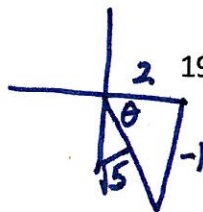


$$= \sqrt{34} \left[\cos(\tan^{-1} \frac{3}{5}) + i \sin(\tan^{-1} \frac{3}{5}) \right]$$

$$= \sqrt{34} \left(\frac{5}{\sqrt{34}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{34}}i \right)$$

$$= 5 + 3i$$

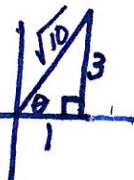
18. $\sqrt{5} \operatorname{cis}[\tan^{-1}(-\frac{1}{2})]$



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

$$= 2 - i$$

19. $\sqrt{10} \operatorname{cis}(\tan^{-1} 3)$

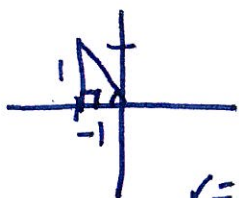


$$= \sqrt{10} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}i \right)$$

$$= 1 + 3i$$

Use trigonometric forms to find $z_1 z_2$ and z_1 / z_2 .

20. $z_1 = -1 + i$, $z_2 = 1 + i$



$$z_1 = -1 + i = \sqrt{2} \left(\cos \frac{3\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)$$

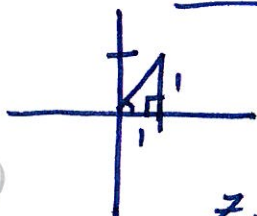
$$z_2 = 1 + i = \sqrt{2} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$r = \sqrt{2}$$

$$z_1 z_2 = (\sqrt{2})(\sqrt{2}) \left(\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right)$$

$$= 2 \left(\cos \pi + i \sin \pi \right)$$

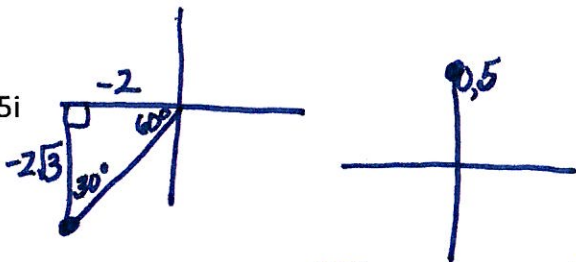
$$= 2(-1 + 0i) = -2 + 0i$$



$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right)$$

$$= 1 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{2} = 0 + i$$

21. $z_1 = -2 - 2\sqrt{3}i$, $z_2 = 5i$



$$r = \sqrt{4 + 4 \cdot 3}$$

$$r = \sqrt{16} = 4$$

$$z_1 = 4 \left(\cos \frac{4\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{4\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$z_2 = 5 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{4}{5} \left(\cos \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{4}{5} \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-2\sqrt{3}}{5} + \frac{2}{5}i$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 4 \cdot 5 \left(\cos \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right)$$

$$= 20 \left(\cos \frac{11\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{11\pi}{6} \right)$$

$$= 10\sqrt{3} - 10i$$

The trigonometric form of complex numbers is often used by electrical engineers to describe the current I , voltage V , and impedance Z in electrical circuits with alternating current. Impedance is the opposition to the flow of current in a circuit. The relationship among these three quantities is $I = V/Z$. Approximate the unknown quantity, and express the answer in rectangular form to two decimal places.

22. (Finding voltage) $I = 10 \text{ cis } 35^\circ$, $Z = 3 \text{ cis } 20^\circ$

unknown $I = \frac{V}{Z}$

$$V = IZ$$

$$= (10 \text{ cis } 35^\circ) \cdot (3 \text{ cis } 20^\circ)$$

$$= (10 \cdot 3) \text{ cis } (35^\circ + 20^\circ)$$

$$= 30 \text{ cis } 55^\circ = 17.21 + 24.57i$$

23. (Finding impedance) $I = 8 \text{ cis } 5^\circ$, $V = 115 \text{ cis } 45^\circ$

unknown $I = \frac{V}{Z}$

$$Z = \frac{V}{I} = \frac{115 \text{ cis } 45^\circ}{8 \text{ cis } 5^\circ} = (115 \div 8) \text{ cis } (45^\circ - 5^\circ)$$

$$= 14.375 \text{ cis } 40^\circ$$

$$= 11.01 + 9.24i$$