

Complex  $\neq$  complicated

Squaring any 'normal' number = +ve

Central Idea:

New special number defined such that  $j^2 = -1$   
 $\therefore j = \sqrt{-1}$

Some use 'i' rather than 'j'

The existence of complex numbers is irrelevant: they're useful  
 $\hookrightarrow$  negative values also don't 'exist'

$$x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\text{roots} = \pm 1$$

$$x^2 + 1 = 0$$

no 'real' solutions

but  $\pm j$  are solutions

All numbers needed take form  $z = x + jy$

where

$x, y$  are 'normal' real numbers

$$j = \sqrt{-1}$$

$x = \operatorname{Re}(z)$  :  $x$  is real part of complex number

$y = \operatorname{Im}(z)$  :  $y$  is imaginary part of complex number

$$(x_1 + jy_1) + (x_2 + jy_2) = (x_1 + x_2) + j(y_1 + y_2)$$

(add real numbers and add complex)

Opposite for subtraction

Complex Conjugate (or c.c) is defined by

$$\bar{z} = x - jy$$

Note:

$$\operatorname{Re}(\bar{z}) = \operatorname{Re}(z)$$

$$\operatorname{Im}(\bar{z}) = -\operatorname{Im}(z)$$

$z + \bar{z}$  is real,  $z - \bar{z}$  is imaginary

↳  $jy$  and  $\bar{jy}$  cancel (imaginary parts)

Note the imaginary part of  $z$  doesn't include the  $j$ :

e.g if  $z = 3 - j2$

$$\operatorname{Re}(z) = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad \operatorname{Im}(z) = -2$$

If  $x = 0 \rightarrow$  purely imaginary

If  $y = 0 \rightarrow$  purely real

## Multiplying Complex Numbers :

$$(2+j)(3-2j)$$
$$= 6 + 3j - 2j^2 - 4j$$

$$j^2 = -1$$

collect 'j'  
terms but  
 $j^2 = -1$  so  
can be real value

$$\therefore = 6 + 3j + 2 - 4j$$
$$= 8 - j$$

## Dividing Complex Numbers : $\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)$

Multiply by  $\bar{z}_2$  :

$$\frac{z_1 \bar{z}_2}{z_2 \bar{z}_2}$$

e.g  $\frac{2+j}{3-2j}$

$$\frac{(2+j)(3+2j)}{(3-2j)(3+2j)} = \frac{6 + 7j + 2j^2}{9 - 4j^2}$$
$$= \frac{4 + 7j}{13}$$

$$\sqrt{-x} = \sqrt{-1} \sqrt{x}$$

Where  $x$  is a positive number, the square roots of negative numbers can be represented as a number multiplied by  $\sqrt{-1}$ .

$$\text{Thus } \sqrt{-121} = 11\sqrt{-1}$$

$$\text{and } \sqrt{-64} = 8\sqrt{-1}$$

Complex numbers simplified the process of obtaining roots,  
e.g. quadratic equation:

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

always has 2 roots

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

These roots are real numbers when  $b^2 \geq 4ac$  and  
complex numbers when  $b^2 < 4ac$ .

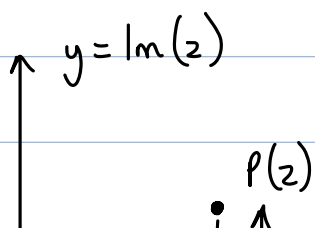
The Argand Diagram:

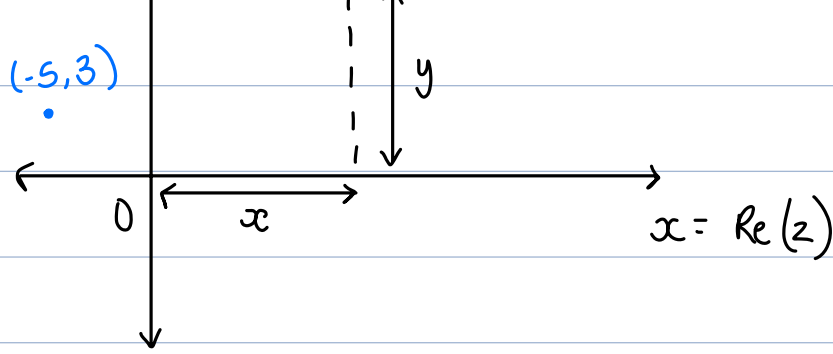
Geometrically, complex numbers can be represented as  
points on a plane.

The number  $z = x + jy$  represented by point P  
with coords  $(x, y)$ , such diagram is Argand:

x-axis is called real axis

y-axis is called imaginary axis.





eg.  $z = -5 + j3$

## The Arithmetic of Complex Numbers:

### Equality:

If two complex numbers are equal: ( $z_1 = x_1 + jy_1$ , is equal to  $z_2 = x_2 + jy_2$ ) they are represented by the same points on the Argand diagram and

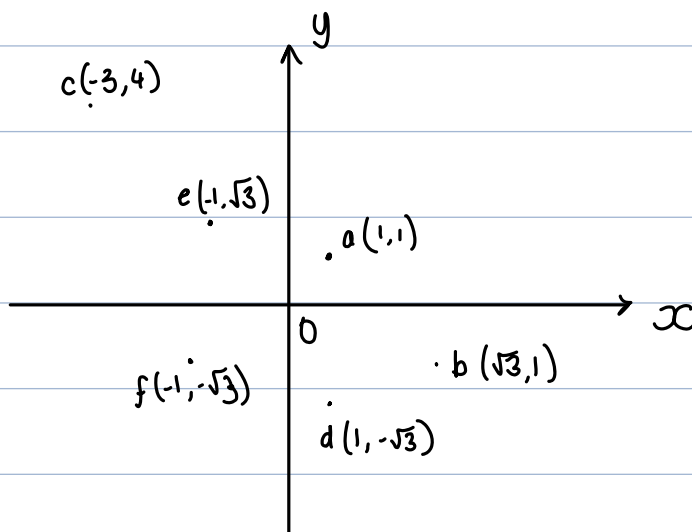
$$x_1 = x_2, \quad y_1 = y_2$$

Therefore, when two complex numbers are equal, we can equate their respective real and imaginary parts.

### Examples:

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1.



$$2. \quad z_1 = 1 + j2, \quad z_2 = 3 - j$$

$$z_1 + z_2 = 4 + j$$

$$z_1 - z_2 = j3 - 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2z_1 - 3z_2 &= 2 + j4 - 9 + 3j \\ &= j7 - 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5z_1 - 2z_2 &= 5 + j10 - 6 + j2 \\ &= j12 - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$2z_1 + z_2 = 5 + j3$$

4.

$$\begin{aligned} (6 - j3)(2 + j4) &= 12 - j6 + j24 - 12j^2 \\ &= 24 + j18 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (7 + j)(2 - j3) &= 14 + j2 - j21 - 3j^2 \\ &= 17 - j19 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (-1 + j)(-2 + j3) &= 2 - j3 - j2 + 3j^2 \\ &= -1 - j5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (-3 + j2)(4 + j7) &= -12 + j8 - j21 + j^2 14 \\ &= -26 - j13 \end{aligned}$$

5.

$$\frac{4 - j6}{1 + j} = \frac{(4 - j6)(1 - j)}{(1 + j)(1 - j)} = \frac{4 - j6 - j4 + 6j^2}{1 - j^2}$$

$$= \frac{-2 - j10}{2}$$

$$= -1 - j5 \quad \checkmark$$

$$b) \frac{(5+j3)}{(3-j2)} = \frac{(5+j3)(3+j2)}{(3-j2)(3+j2)} = \frac{15 + j10 + j9 + 6j^2}{9 + \cancel{6j} - \cancel{6j} - 4j^2}$$

$$= \frac{15 + j19 - 6}{9 + 4}$$

$$= \frac{9 + j19}{13}$$

$$= 9/13 + j19/13 \quad \checkmark$$

$$c) \frac{1-j}{4+j3} = \frac{(1-j)(4-j3)}{(4+j3)(4-j3)} = \frac{4 - j7 - 3}{16 + 9}$$

$$= \frac{1-j7}{25} \quad \checkmark$$

$$d) \frac{-4-j3}{2-j} = \frac{(-4-j3)(2+j)}{(2-j)(2+j)} = \frac{-8 - j10 + 3}{4 + 1}$$

$$= \frac{-5 - j10}{5}$$

$$= -1 - j2 \quad \checkmark$$

6.

$$a) (5+j3)(2-j) - (3+j)$$

$$= 10 - j5 + j6 - 3j^2 - 3 - j$$
$$= 10$$

$$b) (1 - j2)^2$$

$$= 1 - j4 - 4 = -3 - j4$$

$$c) \frac{5 - j8}{3 - j4} = \frac{(5 - j8)(3 + j4)}{(3 - j4)(3 + j4)}$$

$$= 15 - j4 + 32$$

$$= \frac{47 - j4}{25}$$

$$25$$

$$d) \frac{1 - j}{1 + j} = \frac{(1 - j)(1 - j)}{(1 + j)(1 - j)} = -j$$

$$e) \frac{1}{2} (1 + j)^2 = \frac{1}{2} (2j) = j$$

$$f) (3 - j2)^2 = 9 - j12 - 4$$
$$= 5 - j12$$

$$g) \frac{1}{5 - j3} - \frac{1}{5 + j3} = \frac{5 + j3}{(5 - j3)(5 + j3)} - \frac{5 - j3}{(5 + j3)(5 - j3)}$$

$$= \frac{j6}{(5 - j3)(5 + j3)}$$

$$= \frac{j6}{25 + 9} = j \frac{3}{17}$$

$$h) \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3 - j4}{5 - j8}$$



$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(3-j4)(5+j8)}{(5-j8)(5+j8)} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{15 + j4 + 32}{25 + 64} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{47 + j4}{89} \end{aligned}$$

3.2.5 :

$$\begin{aligned} 3.7) \quad f(x) &= x^2 - 6x + 13 \\ x &= \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 52}}{2} = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{-16}}{2} \\ &= 3 + 2j \end{aligned}$$