

Exercise 1.2

Q1. Verify the addition properties of complex numbers.

Solution:

Let

z_1, z_2 and z_3 be three complex number.

$$z_1 = a_1 + b_1i$$

$$z_2 = a_2 + b_2i$$

$$z_3 = a_3 + b_3i$$

Property 1: closure property w.r.t addition

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 + z_2 &= (a_1 + b_1i) + (a_2 + b_2i) \\ &= (a_1 + a_2) + (b_1 + b_2)i \in Z \end{aligned}$$

So, complex numbers has closure property w.r.t addition.

Property 2: Associative properties w.r.t. addition.

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 + (z_2 + z_3) &= a_1 + b_1i + \{(a_2 + b_2i) + (a_3 + b_3i)\} \\ &= a_1 + b_1i + \{(a_2 + a_3) + (b_2 + b_3)i\} \\ &= [(a_1 + a_2 + a_3) + (b_1 + b_2 + b_3)i] \quad (i) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (z_1 + z_2) + z_3 &= [(a_1 + b_1i) + (a_2 + b_2i)] + (a_3 + b_3i) \\ &= [(a_1 + a_2) + (b_1 + b_2)i] + (a_3 + b_3i) \\ &= [(a_1 + a_2 + a_3) + (b_1 + b_2 + b_3)i] \quad (ii) \end{aligned}$$

By eq (i) & (ii)

$$\text{Proved } z_1 + (z_2 + z_3) = (z_1 + z_2) + z_3$$

So, complex number has associative properties w.r.t addition

Property 3 Identity law of addition

$$z_1 + 0 = 0 + z_1 = z_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S } z_1 + 0 &= (a_1 + b_1i) + (0 + 0i) \\ &= (a_1 + 0) + (b_1 + 0)i \\ &= a_1 + b_1i = z_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S } 0 + z_1 &= (0 + 0i) + (a_1 + b_1i) \\ &= (0 + a_1) + (0 + b_1)i \\ &= a_1 + b_1i = z_1 \end{aligned}$$

So, complex numbers has identity law w.r.t addition

$$z_1 + (-z_1) = (-z_1) + z_1 = 0$$

Property 4: Inverse law of addition

$$\text{Let } z_1 = a + bi \quad \& \quad -z_1 = -a - bi$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 + (-z_1) &= (a + bi) + (-a - bi) \\ &= (a - a) + (b - b)i \\ &= 0 + 0i = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (-z_1) + z_1 &= (-a - bi) + (a + bi) \\ &= (-a + a) + (-b + b)i \end{aligned}$$

$$=0+0i = 0$$

So, inverse law of addition holds on complex numbers.

Property 5: Commutative law of addition.

$$z_1 + z_2 = z_2 + z_1$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = z_1 + z_2 = (a_1 + b_1i) + (a_2 + b_2i)$$

$$= (a_1 + a_2) + (b_1 + b_2)i$$

$$\text{R.H.S} = z_2 + z_1 = (a_2 + b_2i) + (a_1 + b_1i)$$

$$= (a_2 + a_1) + (b_2 + b_1)i$$

$$\text{Thus } z_1 + z_2 = z_2 + z_1$$

So, commutative law of addition holds on complex numbers.

Q2. Verify the multiplication properties of complex numbers.

Solution:

Properties 1 Closure properties w.r.t multiplication

$$z_1 z_2 = (a_1 + b_1i) (a_2 + b_2i) = a_1 a_2 + a_1 b_2i + b_1 a_2i + b_1 b_2 i^2$$

$$= (a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) + (a_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1)i \in \mathbb{C}$$

So, closure property w.r.t multiplication holds on complex numbers.

Property 2 Associative law w.r.t multiplication.

$$(z_1 z_2) z_3 = z_1 (z_2 z_3)$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = (z_1 z_2) z_3$$

$$= [(a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) + (a_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1)i] (a_3 + b_3i)$$

$$= [(a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) a_3 + a_3 (a_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1)i] + [(a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) b_3i - (a_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1) b_3]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= [a_1 a_2 a_3 - b_1 b_2 b_3 - a_1 b_2 b_3 - a_2 b_1 b_3 + (a_1 a_3 b_2 + a_2 a_3 b_1)i + (a_1 a_2 b_3 - b_1 b_2 b_3)i] \\
&= [a_1 a_2 a_3 - b_1 b_2 b_3 - a_1 b_2 b_3 - a_2 b_1 b_3 + (a_1 a_3 b_2 + a_2 a_3 b_1 + a_1 a_2 b_3 - b_1 b_2 b_3)i] \\
&= [(a_1 a_2 a_3 - a_1 a_2 b_3) - (a_3 b_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1 b_3)] + [(a_2 a_3 b_1 - b_1 b_2 b_3) + (a_1 a_3 b_2 + a_1 a_2 b_3)]i
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{R.H.S} &= (z_1 z_2) z_3 = (a_1 + b_1 i) [(a_2 + b_2 i) (a_3 + b_3 i)] \\
&= (a_1 + b_1 i) [(a_2 a_3 - b_2 b_3) + (a_3 b_2 + a_2 b_3)i] \\
&= [a_1 (a_2 a_3 - b_2 b_3) - b_1 (a_3 b_2 + a_2 b_3)] + [b_1 (a_2 a_3 - b_2 b_3) + a_1 (a_3 b_2 + a_2 b_3)]i \\
&= [(a_1 a_2 a_3 - a_1 a_2 b_3) - (a_3 b_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1 b_3)] + [(a_2 a_3 b_1 - b_1 b_2 b_3) + (a_1 a_3 b_2 + a_1 a_2 b_3)]i
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } (z_1 z_2) z_3 = z_1 (z_2 z_3)$$

So, Associative properties w.r.t multiplication holds on complex numbers.

Property 3 identity law of multiplication

$$z \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot z = z$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = z \cdot 1 = (a+bi) (1+0i) = (a+bi) = z$$

$$\text{R.H.S} = 1 \cdot z = (1+0i) (a+bi) = (a+bi) = z$$

So, identities law of multiplication holds on complex numbers.

Property 4 Inverse law of multiplication $z \cdot z^{-1} = 1$

$$\text{L.H.S} = z \cdot z^{-1} = a+bi \times \frac{1}{a+bi} = \frac{a+bi}{a+bi} = 1$$

$$\text{R.H.S} = z^{-1}.z = \frac{1}{a+bi} \times a+bi = \frac{a+bi}{a+bi} = 1$$

So, Inverse law of multiplication holds on complex numbers.

Property 5 commutative law of multiplication.

$$z_1 z_2 = z_2 z_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S} &= z_1 z_2 = (a_1+bi) (a_2+b_2i) \\ &= (a_2 a_1 - b_1 b_2) + (b_1 b_2 + a_1 b_2)i \\ &= (a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) + (a_2 b_1 + a_1 b_2)i \\ &= z_1 z_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } z_1 z_2 = z_2 z_1$$

So, commutative law multiplication holds on complex numbers.

Q3. Verify the distributive law of complex numbers.

$$(a,b)[(c,d) + (e,f)] = (a,b) (c,d) + (a,b) (e,f)$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} (a,b)[(c,d) + (e,f)] &= (a,b) (c,d) + (a,b) (e,f) \\ \text{L.H.S} &= (a,b)[(c,d) + (e,f)] \\ &= (a,b)(c+d)(e+f) \\ &= [a(c+e) - b(d+f), a(d+f) + (c+e)] \\ &= [ac+ ae - bd - bf, ad + af + bc + be] \\ &= [ac - bd, ad + bc] + [ae - bf, af + be] \\ &= (a,b) (c,d) + (a,b)(e,f) \\ &= \text{R.H.S} \end{aligned}$$

Hence proved

$$(a,b) [(c,d) + (e,f)] = (a,b) (c,d) + (a,b) (e,f)$$

Q4. Simply the following.

i. i^9 ii. i^{14} iii) $(-i)^{19}$ iv. $(-1)^{-21/2}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i. } i^9 &= i^{8+1} \\ &= i^8 \cdot i \\ &= (i^2)^4 i \\ &= (-1)^4 i && [\because i^2 = -1] \\ &= 1 \cdot i \\ &= i \end{aligned}$$

Hence $i^9 = i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii. } i^{14} &= (i^2)^7 \\ &= (-1)^7 && [\because i^2 = -1] \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $i^{14} = -1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii. } (-i)^{19} &= -(i)^{19} \\ &= -(i)^{18} \cdot i \\ &= -(i^2)^9 i \\ &= -(-1)^9 i \\ &= -(-1) \cdot i = i \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(-i)^{19} = i$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iv. } (-1)^{-21/2} &= [(-1)^{1/2}]^{-21} \\
 &= (i)^{-21} \quad [\because (-1)^{1/2} = i] \\
 &= \frac{1}{i^{21}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{i^{20} \cdot i} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(i^2)^{10} \cdot i} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(-1)^{10} \cdot i} \\
 &= \frac{1}{i} \\
 &= \frac{1}{i} \cdot \frac{i}{i} \\
 &= \frac{i}{i^2} \\
 &= \frac{i}{-1} \\
 &= -i
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(-1)^{-21/2} = -i$

Q5. Write in terms of i.

$$\text{i) } \sqrt{-1}b \quad \text{ii) } \sqrt{-5} \quad \text{iii) } \sqrt{\frac{-16}{25}} \quad \text{iv) } \sqrt{\frac{1}{-4}}$$

Solution:

$$\text{i) } \sqrt{-1}b = bi \quad [\because i = \sqrt{-1}]$$

$$\text{Hence } \sqrt{-1}b = ib$$

$$\text{ii) } \sqrt{-5} = \sqrt{-1 \times 5}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{5} \\
 &= i \cdot \sqrt{5} \quad [\because i = \sqrt{-1}]
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\sqrt{-5} = \sqrt{5}i$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii) } \sqrt{\frac{-16}{25}} &= \sqrt{-1 \cdot \frac{16}{25}} \\
 &= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}} \\
 &= i \cdot \frac{4}{5} \\
 &= \frac{4}{5}i
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\sqrt{\frac{-16}{25}} = \frac{4}{5}i$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iv) } \sqrt{\frac{1}{-4}} &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{(-1)4}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{-1} \times \sqrt{4}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{i \cdot 2} = \frac{1}{2i} \\
 &= \frac{i}{2ii} \\
 &= \frac{i}{2(-1)} \\
 &= \frac{-i}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\sqrt{\frac{1}{-4}} = \frac{-i}{2}$

Q6. Simplify the following

6. $(7,9) + (3,-5)$ 7. $(8,-5) - (-7,4)$ 8. $(2,6)(3,7)$ 9. $(5,-4)(-3,-2)$

$$10. (0,3) (0,5) \quad 11. (2,6) \div (3,7) \quad 12. (5,-4) \div (-3,-8)$$

Solution:

$$6. (7,9) + (3,-5)$$

$$= (7+3, (9+(-5)))$$

$$= (10,9-5)$$

$$= (10,4)$$

$$\text{Hence } (7,9) + (3,-5) = (10,4)$$

$$7. (8,-5) - (-7,4)$$

$$= [8-(-7), -5-4]$$

$$= (8+7, -5-4)$$

$$= (15,-9)$$

$$\text{Hence } (8,-5) - (-7,4) = (15,-9)$$

$$8. (2,6) \cdot (3,7)$$

$$= (2 \cdot 3 - 6 \cdot 7, 2 \cdot 7 + 6 \cdot 3)$$

$$= (6-42, 14+18)$$

$$= (-36, 32)$$

$$\text{Hence } (2,6) \cdot (3,7) = (-36,32)$$

$$9. (5,-4) (-3,-2)$$

$$= [(5)(-3) - (-4)(-2), (5)(-2) + (-4)(-3)]$$

$$= [-155-8, -10+12]$$

$$= [-23,2]$$

Hence $(5,-4) (-3,-2) = (-23,2)$

10. $(0,3).(0,5)$

$$= [0.0 - 3.5, 0.5 + 3.0]$$

$$= (0-15, 0+0)$$

$$= (-15,0)$$

Hence $(0,3) (0,5) = (-15,0)$

11. $(2,6) \div (3,7)$

$$= (2,6) \div (3,7) = (2,6) \cdot \frac{1}{3,7}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2,6}{3,7}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{3,-7}{3,-7}\right)$$

$$= \frac{(2) \cdot (3) - (6) \cdot (-7), (2) \cdot (-7) + (6) \cdot (3)}{|3 \times 3 - 7 \cdot (-7), (3) \cdot (-7) + (7) \cdot (3)|}$$

$$= \frac{6 - (-42), -14 + 18}{9 - (-49), -21 + 21}$$

$$= \frac{(6+42, -14+18)}{(9+49, 0)}$$

$$= \frac{(48,4)}{(58,0)}$$

$$= \left(\frac{48}{58}\right) \left(\frac{4}{58}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{24}{29}\right) \left(\frac{2}{29}\right)$$

Hence $(2,6) \div (3,7) = \left(\frac{24}{29}\right) \left(\frac{2}{29}\right)$

$$12. \quad (5, -4) \div (-3, -8)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (5, -4) \div (-3, -8) = (5, -4) \cdot \frac{1}{-3, -8} \\ &= \left(\frac{5, -4}{-3, -8} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{-3, 8}{-3, 8} \right) \\ &= \frac{(5) \cdot (-3) - (-4)(8), (5)(8) + (-4)(-3)}{[-3 \times (-3) - (-8)(8), (-3)(8) + (-8)(-3)]} \\ &= \frac{(-15 + 32, 40 + 12)}{(9 + 64, -24 + 24)} \\ &= \frac{(17, 52)}{(73, 0)} \\ &= \left(\frac{17}{73} \right) \left(\frac{52}{73} \right) \qquad [\because (73, 0) = 73] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } (5, 4) \div (-3, -8) = \left(\frac{17}{73} \right) \left(\frac{52}{73} \right)$$

Q13. Prove that the sum as well as the product of any two conjugate complex numbers is real number.

Solution:

Let,

$$z = a + bi \qquad (\text{complex number})$$

$$\overline{z} = a - bi \qquad (\text{conjugate of complex number})$$

a) Sum of complex number & conjugate of complex number.

$$\begin{aligned} z + \overline{z} &= a + bi + a - bi \\ &= 2a \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

So, sum of complex number & conjugate of complex number is real number.

b) Product of complex number & conjugate of complex number.

$$\begin{aligned}
 z \cdot \bar{z} &= (a + bi)(a - bi) \\
 &= a(a - bi) + bi(a - bi) \\
 &= a^2 - abi + abi - bi^2 \\
 &= a^2 - b^2 \in \mathbb{R}
 \end{aligned}$$

So, Product of complex and conjugate of complex number is a real number.

Q14. Find the multiplicative inverse of each of the following numbers:

i. $(-4, 7)$ ii. $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{-5})$ iii. $(1, 0)$

Solution:

i. $(-4, 7)$

The multiplicative inverse of $(-4, 7)$ is

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{(-4, 7)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(-4, 7)} \times \frac{(-4, -7)}{(-4, -7)} \\
 &= \frac{(-4, 7)}{[(-4)(-4) - (7)(-7), (-4)(-7) + (-4)(7)]} \\
 &= \frac{(-4, 7)}{(16 + 49, 28 - 28)} \\
 &= \frac{(-4, 7)}{(65, 0)} = \left(\frac{-4}{65}, \frac{7}{65}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

The multiplicative inverse of $(-4, 7)$ is $\left(\frac{-4}{65}, \frac{7}{65}\right)$

ii. $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{-5})$

The multiplicative inverse of $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{-5})$ is

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{-5})} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{-5})} \times \frac{(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{-5})}{(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{-5})}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{-5})}{[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{5} - (-\sqrt{5})\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{5} + (\sqrt{-5})(\sqrt{2})]} \\
 &= \frac{(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{-5})}{(2+5, \sqrt{10} - \sqrt{10})} \\
 &= \frac{(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{5})}{(7, 0)} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{7}, \frac{\sqrt{5}}{7}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

The multiplicative inverse of $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{-5})$ is $\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{7}, \frac{\sqrt{5}}{7}\right)$

iii. **(1,0)**

The multiplicative inverse of (1,0) is

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{(1,0)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(1,0)} \times \frac{(1,0)}{(1,0)} \\
 &= \frac{(1,0)}{(1+0,0-0)} \\
 &= \frac{(1,0)}{(1,0)} \\
 &= (1,0)
 \end{aligned}$$

The multiplicative inverse of (1,0) is (1,0)

Q15. Factorize the following.

i. $a^2 + 4b^2$

ii. $9a^2 + 16b^2$

iii. $3x^2 + 3y^2$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i. } a^2 + 4b^2 &= a^2 - (-1)4b^2 \\
 &= a^2 - 4b^2i^2 \\
 &= (a)^2 - (2bi)^2 \\
 &= (a + 2bi)(a - 2bi)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $a^2 + 4b^2 = (a + 2bi)(a - 2bi)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{ii. } 9a^2 + 16b^2 &= 9a^2 - (-1)16b^2 \\
 &= 9a^2 - 16i^2 \\
 &= (3a)^2 - (4bi)^2 \\
 &= (3a + 4bi)(3a - 4bi)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $9a^2 + 16b^2 = (3a + 4bi)(3a - 4bi)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii. } 3x^2 + 3y^2 &= 3(x^2 + y^2) \\
 &= 3[x^2 - (-1)y^2] \\
 &= 3[x^2 - y^2i^2] \\
 &= 3[(x)^2 - (yi)^2] \\
 &= 3(x + yi)(x - yi)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $3x^2 + 3y^2 = 3(x + yi)(x - yi)$

Q16. Separate into real and imaginary parts (write as a simple complex number.)

i. $\frac{2-7i}{4+5i}$ ii. $\frac{(-2+3i)^2}{(1+i)}$ iii. $\frac{i}{1+i}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i. } \frac{2-7i}{4+5i} &= \frac{2-7i}{4+5i} \times \frac{4-5i}{4-5i} \\
 &= \frac{(2-7i)(4-5i)}{(4+5i)(4-5i)} \\
 &= \frac{2(4-5i) - 7i(4-5i)}{4^2 - (5i)^2} \\
 &= \frac{8 - 10i - 28i + 25i^2}{16 - 25i^2} \\
 &= \frac{8 - 38i - 25}{16 + 25}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{8-35-38i}{41} \\
 &= \frac{-27-38i}{41} \\
 &= \frac{-27}{41} - \frac{38}{41}i
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus real part = $\frac{-27}{41}$

Thus imaginary part = $\frac{-38}{41}$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{(-2+3i)^2}{(1+i)} \\
 &= \frac{4+9i^2+2(2)(3i)}{(1+i)} \\
 &= \frac{4-9+12i}{(1+i)} \\
 &= \frac{-5+12i}{(1+i)} \times \frac{1-i}{1-i} \\
 &= \frac{1(-5+12i)-i(-5+12i)}{1+i^2} \\
 &= \frac{-5+12+12i+5i}{1-(-1)} \\
 &= \frac{7+17i}{1+1} \\
 &= \frac{7+17i}{2} \\
 &= \frac{7}{2} + \frac{17i}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus real part = $\frac{7}{2}$

Imaginary part = $\frac{17}{2}$

iii. $\frac{i}{1+i}$

$$= \frac{i}{1+i} \times \frac{1-i}{1-i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{i(1-i)}{1^2-(i)^2} \\ &= \frac{i-i^2}{1-i^2} \\ &= \frac{i-(-1)}{1-(-1)} \\ &= \frac{i+1}{1+1} \\ &= \frac{1+i}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i \end{aligned}$$

Thus real part = $\frac{1}{2}$

