



2003 Assessment Task 2

MATHEMATICS

Extension 2

Year 12

Time allowed - 90 minutes

Topics; Complex Numbers and Polynomials

Instructions

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- Attempt all questions.
- Questions are NOT of equal value.
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work.
- Write on one side of the paper only.
- Questions do not necessarily appear in order of difficulty.

Question One (27 marks)

1. Given $z = 1 - 3i$ find in the form $a + ib$ (where applicable) [7]
 - a) \bar{z}
 - b) z^2
 - c) $z\bar{z}$
 - d) $\frac{1}{z}$
 - e) $z + iz$
 - f) $\arg(z)$
 - g) $\operatorname{Re}(z)$

2. Given $z_1 = a + ib$ and $z_2 = c + id$ prove $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}$ [2]

3. Find the square roots of $5 - 12i$ [3]

4. Sketch the locus of the following: [6]
 - a) $\operatorname{Im}(z) < 2 \cap \operatorname{Re}(z) < -1$
 - b) $|z| < 4 \cap \arg(z) \geq \frac{\pi}{4}$
 - c) $\operatorname{Arg}\left(\frac{z - 2i}{z + 2i}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$

5. a) Find the three cube roots of unity and plot them on an Argand diagram. [3]
 - b) If w is the root with the smallest positive argument show the other is w^2 [1]
 - c) Show $1 + w + w^2 = 0$ [1]
 - d) Evaluate $(4 + w + w^2)(2 + 3w + 3w^2)$ [1]
 - e) Show $\frac{a + bw + cw^2}{b + cw + aw^2} = w$ [1]
 - f) Form the quadratic equation with roots $aw + bw^2$ and $aw^2 + bw$ [2]

Sketch.

Question Two (26 marks)

1. a) Write $(-\sqrt{3} + i)$ in modulus argument form [2]
 b) Hence or otherwise evaluate $(-\sqrt{3} + i)^6$ [1]
2. If $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$: [7]
 - a) Show that $z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = 2 \cos n\theta$
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 - b) Express in $\cos^4 \theta$ terms of $\cos n\theta$
 - c) Find $\int \cos^4 \theta d\theta$
3. a) Sketch the locus of $\arg(z-2) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ [2]
 b) Hence find z so that $|z|$ is a minimum [2]
4. Find the Cartesian equation of $|z-8| = 3|z-2i|$ [3]
5. a) Solve $z^5 + 1 = 0$ [4]
 b) Hence factorise $z^5 + 1$ over the real field. [3]
 c) Prove that $\cos \frac{\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$. [2]

Question Three (27 marks)

1. Fully factorise $x^4 - 36$ over the complex field [3]
2. Solve the equation $x^4 - 5x^3 - 9x^2 + 81x - 108 = 0$ given that it has a root of multiplicity three. [4]
3. The polynomial equation $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 4 = 0$ has roots α, β and γ . [4]
 Find the polynomial equation with roots:
 - a) $2\alpha, 2\beta$ and 2γ
 - b) α^2, β^2 and γ^2
4. Find the equation of a cubic polynomial that is monic, odd and gives a remainder of 4 when divided by $x+1$ [3]
5. Given the polynomial equation $3x^3 + 5x^2 + 10x - 4 = 0$ [4]
 - a) Show that $(-1 + \sqrt{3}i)$ is a root.
 - b) Hence or otherwise find the other roots.
6. Given that $px^4 + 4qx + r = 0$ has a double root α : [5]
 - a) Show that $p\alpha^3 + q = 0$
 - b) Hence prove $27q^4 = pr^3$
7. Given the polynomial $P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + k$ find the values of k for which $P(x) = 0$ has exactly one root. [4]
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Q1 Soln's.

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1. $z = 1 - 3i$

a) $\bar{z} = 1 + 3i$ #

b) $z^2 = (1 - 3i)^2$

$= -8 - 6i$ #

c) $z\bar{z} = (1 - 3i)(1 + 3i)$
 $= 10$ #

d) $\frac{1}{1 - 3i} \times \frac{1 + 3i}{1 + 3i} = \frac{1 + 3i}{10}$ #

e) $z + iz = 1 - 3i + i(1 - 3i)$
 $= 1 - 3i + i - 3$
 $= -2 - 2i$ #

f) $\arg z = \tan^{-1} \frac{-3}{1}$
 $= -71.3^\circ$ #
 $(-1.249 \dots)$ ⑦

g) $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 1$ #

2. LHS = $\overline{a + ib + c + id}$
 $= \overline{a - ib + c - id}$
 $= (a + c) - i(b + d)$

RHS = $\overline{a + ib + c + id}$
 $= \overline{(a + c) + i(b + d)}$
 $= (a + c) - i(b + d)$
 $= \text{LHS}$ # ②

3. Let $a + ib = \sqrt{5 - 12i}$

then $a^2 - b^2 + 2abi = 5 - 12i$

equating Re, Im

$a^2 - b^2 = 5$ ①

$2ab = -12$ ②

$(a^2 + b^2)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2 + 4a^2b^2$
 $= 25 + 144$

$a^2 + b^2 = 13$ ③ $a^2 + b^2 > 0$

① + ③ $2a^2 = 18$

$a = 3$

or $a = -3$

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$b = -2$

or $b = 2$

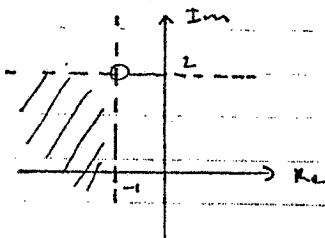
ie $3 - 2i$ #

or $-3 + 2i$ #

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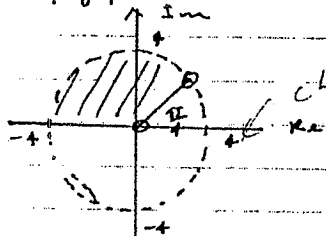
4. a) $\operatorname{Im}(z) < 2 \wedge \operatorname{Re}(z) < -1$

ie $y < 2 \wedge x < -1$



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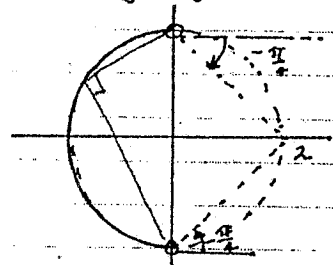
b) $|z| < 4 \wedge \operatorname{Arg}(z) \geq \frac{\pi}{4}$



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c) $\operatorname{Arg}\left(\frac{3 - 2i}{8 + 2i}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$

ie $\operatorname{Arg}(3 - 2i) - \operatorname{Arg}(8 + 2i) = \frac{\pi}{2}$



Check

$-\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4} = -\frac{\pi}{2}$

∴ LHS

Q5. part f) Cont

$a^2b = (a^2w + bw^2)(aw + b)$
 $= a^2w^3 + abw^2 + abw + b^2w$
 $= a^2 + abw + abw + b^2$
 $= a^2 + b^2 + (ab + abw + abw^2 - ab)$
 $= a^2 + b^2 - ab$

ie $z^3 + (a+b)z + a^2b - ab = 0$

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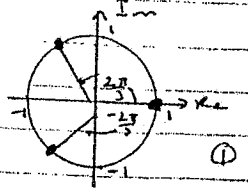
5. a) $z^3 = 1$
 $z^3 = \text{cis } 0$

make general

$z^3 = \text{cis } 2\pi k$, $k=0, 1, 2$

take cube root apply De Moivre's Th

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



when $k=0$

$z_0 = \text{cis } 0$

$= 1$

$k=1$

$z_1 = \text{cis } \frac{2\pi}{3}$

$k=2$

$z_2 = \text{cis } \frac{4\pi}{3}$

$= \text{cis } -\frac{2\pi}{3}$

b) $w = \text{cis } \frac{2\pi}{3}$

$\Rightarrow w^2 = \text{cis } \frac{4\pi}{3}$

$= \text{cis } -\frac{2\pi}{3}$

$= z_2$

c) $1+w+w^2$ are roots of $z^3-1=0$

Sum of roots = $1+w+w^2$

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

$= 0$

d) $(4+w+w^2)(2+3w+3w^2)$

$= (3+1+w+w^2)(3+3w+3w^2-1)$

$= -3$

e) $\frac{a+bw+cw^2}{b+cw+aw^2} \times \frac{w}{w}$

$= \frac{a+bw+cw^2}{bw+cw^2+a} \times w$

$= w$

f) eqn of form

$z^2 - (\alpha + \beta)z + \alpha\beta = 0$

$\alpha + \beta = aw + bw^2 + aw^2 + bw$

$= (a+aw+aw^2+a) + (b+bw+bw^2-b)$

$= -a - b$

Remainder see end of Q1 part f)

1/2 $(-\sqrt{3}+i) = 2(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2})$
 $= 2 \text{cis } \frac{5\pi}{6}$

①. $(-\sqrt{3}+i)^6 = (2 \text{cis } \frac{5\pi}{6})^6$

$= 2^6 \text{cis } \frac{5\pi}{6} \times 6$ By De Moivre's Thm.

$= 64 \text{cis } 5\pi$

$= 64 \text{cis } \pi$

$= 64 \times -1 = -64$

2/ ① $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$

$z^n = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n$

$= \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$ (By De Moivre's Thm)

$z^{-n} = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{-n}$

$z^{-n} = (\cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta))$ (By De Moivre's Thm.)

$\therefore \frac{1}{z^n} = \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta$ (cos is even, sin is odd)

Now $z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta + \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta$

$= 2 \cos n\theta$

2/ 1b) Now $2 \cos \theta = z + \frac{1}{z}$

$\therefore (2 \cos \theta)^4 = (z + \frac{1}{z})^4$

$16 \cos^4 \theta = z^4 + 4z^3 \cdot \frac{1}{z} + 6z^2 \cdot \frac{1}{z^2} + 4z \cdot \frac{1}{z^3} + \frac{1}{z^4}$

$16 \cos^4 \theta = z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4} + 4(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}) + 6$

$16 \cos^4 \theta = 2 \cos 4\theta + 4(2 \cos 2\theta) + 6$

$\therefore \cos^4 \theta = \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}$

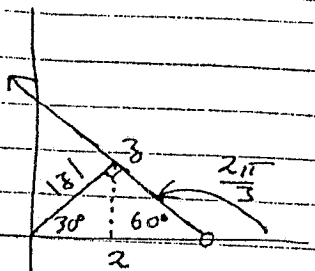
c) $I = \int \cos^4 \theta d\theta$

$= \int (\frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}) d\theta$

$= \frac{1}{32} \sin 4\theta + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta + \frac{3}{8} \theta + C$

3/1) a)

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b)

$$\sin 60 = \frac{|Im z|}{2}$$

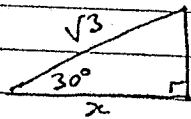
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{|Im z|}{2}$$

$|z|$ is a minimum when z is perpendicular

OR arg $z = \frac{\pi}{6}$

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$$\therefore |z| = \sqrt{3}$$



$$\therefore z = \sqrt{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sqrt{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$x = \sqrt{3} \cos 30 = \sqrt{3} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$y = \sqrt{3} \sin 30 = \sqrt{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

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

4/1) $|z-8| = 3|z-2i|$

$$\sqrt{(x-8)^2 + y^2} = 3\sqrt{x^2 + (y-2)^2}$$

$$x^2 - 16x + 64 + y^2 = 9(x^2 + y^2 - 4y + 4)$$

$$x^2 - 16x + 64 + y^2 = 9x^2 + 9y^2 - 36y + 36$$

$$64 = 8x^2 + 16x + 8y^2 - 36y + 36$$

$$8 = x^2 + 2x + y^2 - \frac{9}{2}y + \frac{9}{2}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 8 = \left(x^2 + 2x + 1\right) + y^2 - \frac{9}{2}y + \left(\frac{9}{4}\right)^2 + \frac{9}{2}$$

$$8 + \frac{81}{16} + 1 - \frac{9}{2} = \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{9}{4}\right)^2$$

$$\frac{9}{2} + \frac{81}{16} = \frac{72+81}{16} = \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{9}{4}\right)^2$$

$$\frac{153}{16} = \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{9}{4}\right)^2$$

Circle: Centre $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{9}{4}\right)$

Radius $\frac{\sqrt{153}}{4}$

3/2) a) No. $z^5 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z^5 = -1$ $(\cos \pi = -1)$

Let $z = \cos \theta$

$$z^5 = (\cos \theta)^5 = \cos 5\theta \text{ (By De Moivre's Thm)}$$

Hence $z^5 = \cos(\pi + 2k\pi)$

$$\therefore \cos 5\theta = \cos(\pi + 2k\pi)$$

$$\therefore \theta = \pi + 2k\pi \text{ for } k=0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

4 $\therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{3\pi}{5}, \frac{5\pi}{5} = \pi, \frac{7\pi}{5} = \frac{-3\pi}{5}, \frac{9\pi}{5} = \frac{-\pi}{5}$

\therefore Roots of $z^5 + 1 = 0$ are $z = \cos \frac{\pi}{5}, \cos \frac{-\pi}{5}, \cos \frac{3\pi}{5}, \cos \frac{-3\pi}{5}$ and $\cos \pi = -1$

Now $z^5 + 1 = (z+1)(z^4 - z^3 + z^2 - z + 1)$

$$\therefore z^4 - z^3 + z^2 - z + 1 = 0$$

Has roots $z = \cos \pm \frac{\pi}{5}, \cos \pm \frac{3\pi}{5}, z = -1$

6 $z^5 + 1 = (z+1)(z^2 - 2\cos \frac{\pi}{5}z + 1)(z^2 - 2\cos \frac{3\pi}{5}z + 1)$

as $z = \cos \frac{\pi}{5}$ and $z = \cos \frac{-\pi}{5}$ are conjugate pairs

$$\therefore (\cos \frac{\pi}{5})(\cos \frac{-\pi}{5}) = 1$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{5}z + \cos \frac{-\pi}{5}z = (\cos \frac{\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{-\pi}{5})z$$

$$= (\cos \frac{\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{\pi}{5})z$$

$$= 2\cos \frac{\pi}{5}z$$

Same for $\cos \frac{3\pi}{5}, \cos \frac{-3\pi}{5}$

7 Now $z^5 + 1 = (z+1)(z^4 - z^3 + z^2 - z + 1)$

$$\therefore (z^2 - 2\cos \frac{\pi}{5}z + 1)(z^2 - 2\cos \frac{3\pi}{5}z + 1) = z^4 - z^3 + z^2 - z + 1$$

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Equating coefficients of z

$$-2\cos \frac{\pi}{5} - 2\cos \frac{3\pi}{5} = -1$$

$$\therefore \cos \frac{\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Q3 1 $x^4 - 36 = (x^2 - 6)(x^2 + 6)$ 2003

$= (x - \sqrt{6})(x + \sqrt{6})(x - i\sqrt{6})(x + i\sqrt{6})$

2. $f(x) = x^4 - 5x^3 - 9x^2 + 8x - 10$

$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 15x^2 - 18x + 8$

$f''(x) = 12x^2 - 30x - 18$

$= 6(2x^2 - 5x - 3)$

$= 6(2x + 3)(x - 3)$

$f(-1) \neq 0, f(3) = 0 \therefore f(x) = (x-3)^3(x+4)$

3. $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 4 = 0$ has roots α, β, γ

$\therefore (\frac{x}{\alpha} - 1)(\frac{x}{\beta} - 1)(\frac{x}{\gamma} - 1) = 0$ has roots $2\alpha, 2\beta, 2\gamma$

$\Rightarrow 2(\frac{x}{\alpha})^3 + 3(\frac{x}{\alpha})^2 - 4(\frac{x}{\alpha}) - 4 = 0$

$\therefore \frac{x^2}{\alpha} + \frac{3x^2}{\alpha^2} - 2x - 4 = 0$

OR $x^3 + 3x^2 - 8x - 16 = 0$

$(\sqrt{x} - \alpha)(\sqrt{x} - \beta)(\sqrt{x} - \gamma) = 0$ has roots $\alpha^2, \beta^2, \gamma^2$

$\therefore 2x\sqrt{x} + 3x - 4\sqrt{x} - 4 = 0$

$\therefore 2\sqrt{x}(x-2) = 4-3x$

$\therefore 4x(x^2 - 4)(x+4) = 16 - 24x + 9x^2$

$\therefore 4x^3 - 16x^2 + 16x = 9x^2 - 24x + 16$

$\therefore 4x^3 - 25x^2 + 40x - 16 = 0$

4. $f(x) = x^3 + kx, f(-1) = 4$

$\therefore 4 = -1 - k \Rightarrow k = -5, \therefore f(x) = x^3 - 5x$

5. a) $3x^3 + 5x^2 + 10x - 4 = 0$

$\frac{1}{3}(-1 + i\sqrt{3})$ is a root, so is $-1 - i\sqrt{3}$

Let $S(x) = (x + 1 + i\sqrt{3})(x + 1 - i\sqrt{3}) = x^2 + 2x + 4$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 1 \\ 3x^3 + 5x^2 + 10x - 4 \\ \underline{3x^3 + 6x^2 + 12x} \\ -x^2 - 2x - 4 \\ \underline{-x^2 - 2x - 4} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$\therefore f(x) = (3x - 1)(x^2 + 2x + 4)$

has zeros at $\frac{1}{3}, -1 \pm i\sqrt{3}$

6a) $px^4 + 4qx + r = 0$ has a double root α

Let $f(x) = px^4 + 4qx + r$

$f'(x) = 4px^3 + 4q$

$f'(\alpha) = 0 \therefore 4p\alpha^3 + 4q = 0$

$\therefore p\alpha^3 + q = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha^3 = -\frac{q}{p}$

$f(\alpha) = 0, \therefore p\alpha^4 + 4q\alpha + r = 0$

$\therefore \alpha(p\alpha^3 + 4q) = -r$

b)

$\therefore \left(-\frac{q}{p}\right)^3 \{-q + 4q\} = -r$

$-\frac{q}{p}(27q^3) = -r^3$

$\therefore 27q^4 = pr^3$

7. $P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + k$

$P'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$

$= 3(x^2 - 4x + 3)$

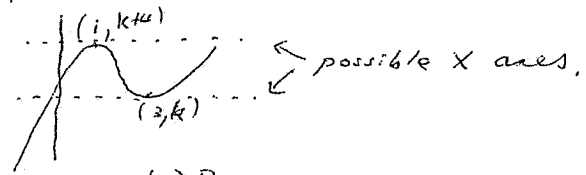
$= 3(x-1)(x-3)$

$P(1) = 1 - 6 + 9 + k$

$= k + 4$

$P(3) = 27 - 54 + 27 + k$

$= 4$



Now $k+4 < 0$ or $k > 0$

$\therefore k < -4$ or $k > 0$ gives one real root.