

SYDNEY GIRLS H.S. - EXT. 2 - TASK 2 - MAR 09

Question 1: (25 marks)

- a) Solve the quadratic equation  $x^2 + 4x + 5 = 0$ , giving your answers in the form  $a + ib$ . 2
- b) Form the quadratic equation with roots  $1 + 3i$  and  $1 - 3i$ . 2
- c) If  $z = 3 - 2i$  and  $w = 2 + i$ , find, expressing in the form  $a + ib$ :
- $3z - 2w$  2
  - $iw$  2
  - $\frac{w}{z}$  2
  - $w^2 - z^2$  2
- d)
- Express  $\sqrt{8 + 6i}$  in the form  $a + ib$ . 4
  - Hence solve the equation:  $z^2 + 2(1 + 2i)z - (11 + 2i) = 0$  3
- e)
- Express  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  in mod-arg form. 2
  - Use De Moivre's theorem to simplify  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^{60}$ , expressing your answer in the form  $a + ib$  2
- f) Evaluate  $i^{2009}$ . 2

Question 2: (25 marks)

- a)
- Simplify  $\left(\text{cis}\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\left(\text{cis}\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ . Express your answer in the form  $a + ib$ . 3
  - Hence evaluate  $\cos\frac{7\pi}{12}$  in surd form. 2
- b)
- Use De Moivre's theorem to express  $\cos 4\theta$  in terms of  $\sin\theta$  and  $\cos\theta$ . 3
  - Express  $\sin 4\theta$  in terms of  $\sin\theta$  and  $\cos\theta$ . 1
  - Hence show that  $\tan 4\theta = \frac{4t - 4t^3}{1 - 6t^2 + t^4}$  where  $t = \tan\theta$ . 3
  - Using this result or otherwise, solve the equation  $x^4 + 4x^3 - 6x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$ . 3
- c)
- If  $z = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$ , use de Moivre's Theorem to show that  $z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = 2\cos n\theta$  1
  - Find an expression for  $\cos^4\theta$  in terms of multiples of  $\cos\theta$ . 3
- d)
- Solve the equation  $z^6 + 1 = 0$ , giving the roots in the form  $a + ib$ . 3
  - Hence factorise  $z^6 + 1$  into real quadratic factors. 3

**Question 3:** (25 marks)

- a) One vertex of an equilateral triangle  $OAB$  is  $A(1+i)$ . If  $O$  is the origin, find the coordinates of  $B$  if it lies in the second quadrant. 3
- b) Given  $O$  is the origin and  $A$  is represented by the complex number  $\sqrt{3}+i$ :
- i) find  $C$  if  $OA$  is rotated through  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  and doubled in length to form  $C$ ; 2
- ii) find the point  $B$  which forms the parallelogram  $OABC$  2
- c) Prove that  $|z_1 - z_2|^2 + |z_1 + z_2|^2 = 2|z_1|^2 + 2|z_2|^2$  4
- d) If  $w$  is the complex cube root of unity with the smallest positive argument:
- i) show that the other complex cube root is  $w^2$  2
- ii) prove that  $1+w+w^2=0$  2
- iii) evaluate  $(1+3w+w^2)(1+w+3w^2)$  1
- iv) find the quadratic equation which has the roots  $(1+3w+w^2)$  and  $(1+w+3w^2)$  2
- e) If  $z = \frac{1+i}{1-i}$  and  $w = \frac{2}{1-\sqrt{3}i}$ :
- i) express  $z$  and  $w$  in modulus argument form; 4
- ii) plot  $z, w, z+w$  on an Argand diagram; 1
- iii) show that  $\tan \frac{5\pi}{12} = \sqrt{3}+2$  2

**END OF TEST**

**EXTENSION 2 MATHEMATICS TASK 2 SOLUTIONS**

**Question 1:**

- a)  $x^2 + 4x + 5 = 0$
- $$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 20}}{2}$$
- $$= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2}$$
- $$= \frac{-4 \pm 2i}{2}$$
- $$= -2 \pm i$$
- b)  $\alpha + \beta = (1+3i) + (1-3i)$
- $$= 2$$
- $$\alpha\beta = (1+3i)(1-3i)$$
- $$= 1 - 9i^2$$
- $$= 10$$
- $$x^2 - 2x + 10 = 0$$
- c) i)  $3z - 2w = 3(3-2i) - 2(2+i)$
- $$= 9 - 6i - 4 - 2i$$
- $$= 5 - 8i$$
- ii)  $iw = i(2+i)$
- $$= 2i + i^2$$
- $$= -1 + 2i$$
- iii)  $\frac{w}{z} = \frac{2+i}{3-2i} \times \frac{3+2i}{3+2i}$
- $$= \frac{(2+i)(3+2i)}{(3-2i)(3+2i)}$$
- $$= \frac{6+7i+2i^2}{9-4i^2}$$
- $$= \frac{4}{13} + i\frac{7}{13}$$
- iv)  $w^2 - z^2 = (2+i)^2 - (3-2i)^2$
- $$= (4+4i+i^2) - (9-12i+4i^2)$$
- $$= (3+4i) - (5-12i)$$
- $$= -2+16i$$

d) i)  $\sqrt{8+6i} = a+ib$

$$8+6i = (a+ib)^2$$

$$= a^2 - b^2 + i2ab$$

$$a^2 - b^2 = 8 \quad (1)$$

$$2ab = 6 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Using } (a^2 + b^2)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2 + (2ab)^2$$

$$= 8^2 + 6^2$$

$$= 100$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 10 \quad (\text{as } a^2 + b^2 > 0) \quad (3)$$

$$(1) + (3)$$

$$2a^2 = 18$$

$$a^2 = 9$$

$$a = \pm 3$$

$$\text{When } a = 3, b = 1$$

$$\text{When } a = -3, b = -1$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{8+6i} = \pm(3+i)$$

ii)  $z^2 + 2(1+2i)z - (11+2i) = 0$

$$z^2 + 2(1+2i)z = 11+2i$$

$$z^2 + 2(1+2i)z + (1+2i)^2 = 11+2i + (1+2i)^2$$

$$(z + [1+2i])^2 = 11+2i + 1 + 4i + 4i^2$$

$$= 12 + 6i - 4$$

$$= 8 + 6i$$

$$z + 1 + 2i = \pm\sqrt{8+6i}$$

$$= \pm(3+i)$$

$$z + 1 + 2i = 3 + i$$

$$z = 2 - i$$

$$z + 1 + 2i = -3 - i$$

$$z = -4 - 3i$$

e) i)  $r = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2}$

$$= 1$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(1) \text{ in } 4^{\text{th}} \text{ quadrant}$$

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

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

ii)  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^{60} = \left(\text{cis}\left[-\frac{\pi}{4}\right]\right)^{60}$

$$= \left(\cos\left[-\frac{\pi}{4}\right] + i\sin\left[-\frac{\pi}{4}\right]\right)^{60}$$

$$= \cos(-15\pi) + i\sin(-15\pi)$$

$$= \cos 15\pi - i\sin 15\pi$$

$$= -1$$

f)  $i^{2009} = (i^4)^{502} \times i$

$$= 1 \times i$$

$$= i$$

Question 2:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a) i) } \left(\operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \times \left(\operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\
 &= \left(\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + i \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2}(1+i\sqrt{3}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1+i) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}(1+i+i\sqrt{3}+i^2\sqrt{3}) \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}(1-\sqrt{3}) + i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}(1+\sqrt{3})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{ii) } \left(\operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \left(\operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\
 &= \operatorname{cis} \frac{7\pi}{12}
 \end{aligned}$$

Equating real parts:

$$\cos \frac{7\pi}{12} = \frac{\sqrt{2}(1-\sqrt{3})}{4}$$

$$\text{b) i) } (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^4 = \cos 4\theta + i \sin 4\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^4 &= \cos^4 \theta + 4 \cos^3 \theta (i \sin \theta) + 6 \cos^2 \theta (i \sin \theta)^2 + 4 \cos \theta (i \sin \theta)^3 + (i \sin \theta)^4 \\
 &= \cos^4 \theta + i 4 \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta + i^2 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + i^3 4 \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta + i^4 \sin^4 \theta \\
 &= (\cos^4 \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^4 \theta) + i(4 \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta - 4 \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta) \\
 \cos 4\theta &= \cos^4 \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^4 \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ii) } \sin 4\theta = 4 \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta - 4 \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii) } \tan 4\theta &= \frac{\sin 4\theta}{\cos 4\theta} \\
 &= \frac{4 \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta - 4 \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta}{\cos^4 \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^4 \theta} \\
 &= \frac{4 \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta}{\cos^4 \theta} - \frac{4 \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta}{\cos^4 \theta} \\
 &= \frac{\cos^4 \theta}{\cos^4 \theta} - \frac{6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\cos^4 \theta} + \frac{\sin^4 \theta}{\cos^4 \theta} \\
 &= \frac{4t - 4t^3}{1 - 6t^2 + t^4} \quad \text{where } t = \tan \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iv) } x^4 + 4x^3 - 6x^2 - 4x + 1 &= 0 \\
 4x - 4x^3 &= 1 - 6x^2 + x^4 \\
 \frac{4x - 4x^3}{1 - 6x^2 + x^4} &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $x = \tan \theta = t$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{4t - 4t^3}{1 - 6t^2 + t^4} &= 1 \\
 \tan 4\theta &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$4\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{9\pi}{4}, \frac{13\pi}{4}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{16}, \frac{5\pi}{16}, \frac{9\pi}{16}, \frac{13\pi}{16}$$

$$x = \tan \frac{\pi}{16}, \tan \frac{5\pi}{16}, \tan \frac{9\pi}{16}, \tan \frac{13\pi}{16}$$

$$\text{c) i) } z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = z^n + z^{-n}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n + (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{-n} \\
 &= \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta + \cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta) \\
 &= \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta + \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta \\
 &= 2 \cos n\theta
 \end{aligned}$$

ii) Let  $n=1$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 z + \frac{1}{z} &= 2 \cos \theta \\
 \left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^4 &= 16 \cos^4 \theta \\
 16 \cos^4 \theta &= z^4 + 4z^2 + 6 + \frac{4}{z^2} + \frac{1}{z^4} \\
 &= \left(z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4}\right) + 4\left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 6 \\
 &= 2 \cos 4\theta + 8 \cos 2\theta + 6 \\
 \cos^4 \theta &= \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}
 \end{aligned}$$

d) i)  $z^6 = -1$   
 $= cis\pi$   
 $z = (cis\pi)^{\frac{1}{6}}$   
 $= cis\left(\frac{\pi + 2k\pi}{6}\right)$  where  $k = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$

$$\begin{array}{lll} z_0 = cis\frac{\pi}{6} & z_1 = cis\frac{\pi}{2} & z_2 = cis\frac{5\pi}{6} \\ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + i\frac{1}{2} & = i & = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + i\frac{1}{2} \\ z_3 = cis\frac{7\pi}{6} & z_4 = cis\frac{3\pi}{2} & z_5 = cis\frac{11\pi}{6} \\ = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - i\frac{1}{2} & = -i & = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - i\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$

ii) Note:

$$\begin{aligned} z_3 &= cis\frac{7\pi}{6} \\ &= cis\left(-\frac{5\pi}{6}\right) \\ &= \overline{z_2} \\ z_5 &= cis\frac{11\pi}{6} \\ &= cis\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \\ &= \overline{z_0} \end{aligned}$$

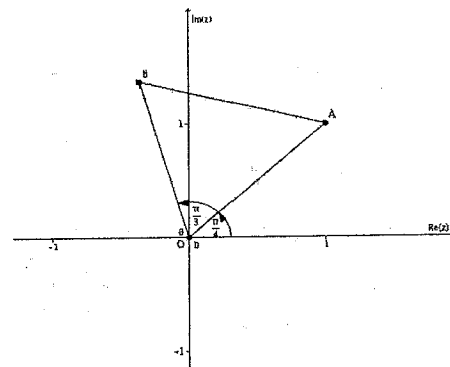
$$\begin{aligned} z + \overline{z} &= \cos\theta + i\sin\theta + \cos\theta - i\sin\theta \\ &= 2\cos\theta \\ &= 2\operatorname{Re}(z) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z\overline{z} &= (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)(\cos\theta - i\sin\theta) \\ &= \cos^2\theta - i^2\sin^2\theta \\ &= \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z^6 + 1 &= (z-i)(z+i)(z-z_0)(z-\overline{z_0})(z-z_2)(z-\overline{z_2}) \\ &= (z^2 - i^2)(z^2 - [z_0 + \overline{z_0}]z + z_0\overline{z_0})(z^2 - [z_2 + \overline{z_2}]z + z_2\overline{z_2}) \\ &= (z^2 + 1)(z^2 - \sqrt{3}z + 1)(z^2 + \sqrt{3}z + 1) \end{aligned}$$

Question 3:

a)



$$\begin{aligned} \left(cis\frac{\pi}{3}\right)(1+i) &= \left(\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)(1+i) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + i^2\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) + i\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Coordinates of B:  $\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

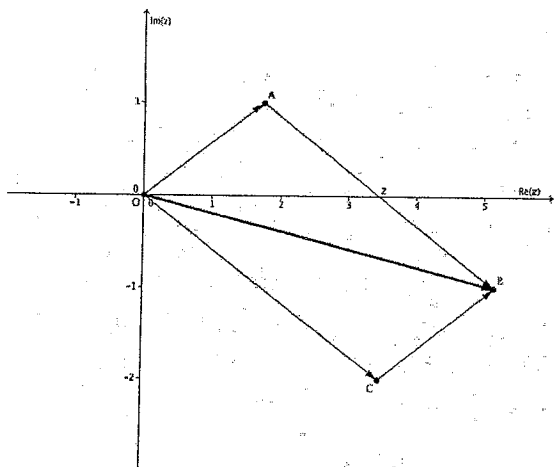
b)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i) } |OA| &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{3})^2 + 1^2} \\ &= 2 \\ |OC| &= 2 \times |OA| \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2cis\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)(\sqrt{3}+i) &= 2\left(\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)(\sqrt{3}+i) \\ &= (1 - i\sqrt{3})(\sqrt{3}+i) \\ &= \sqrt{3} + i - 3i - i^2\sqrt{3} \\ &= 2\sqrt{3} - 2i \end{aligned}$$

Coordinates of C:  $(2\sqrt{3}, -2)$

ii)



$$\begin{aligned}\overline{OC} &= \overline{OA} + \overline{OB} \\ &= (\sqrt{3} + i) + (2\sqrt{3} - 2i) \\ &= 3\sqrt{3} - i\end{aligned}$$

Coordinates of C:  $(3\sqrt{3}, -1)$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{c) } |z_1 - z_2|^2 + |z_1 + z_2|^2 &= (z_1 - z_2)(\overline{z_1 - z_2}) + (z_1 + z_2)(\overline{z_1 + z_2}) \\ &= (z_1 - z_2)(\overline{z_1} - \overline{z_2}) + (z_1 + z_2)(\overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}) \\ &= z_1\overline{z_1} - z_1\overline{z_2} - z_2\overline{z_1} + z_2\overline{z_2} + z_1\overline{z_1} + z_1\overline{z_2} + z_2\overline{z_1} + z_2\overline{z_2} \\ &= 2z_1\overline{z_1} + 2z_2\overline{z_2} \\ &= 2|z_1|^2 + 2|z_2|^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{d) i) } z^3 &= 1 \\ &= \text{cis } 0 \\ z &= (\text{cis } 0)^{\frac{1}{3}} \\ &= \text{cis} \left( \frac{0 + 2k\pi}{3} \right) \text{ where } k = 0, 1, 2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}z_0 &= \text{cis } 0 \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}z_1 &= \text{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}z_2 &= \text{cis} \frac{4\pi}{3} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } w = \text{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3} :$$

$$\begin{aligned}w^2 &= \left( \text{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)^2 \\ &= \text{cis} \frac{4\pi}{3} \\ &= z_2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{ii) } 1 + w + w^2 &= \frac{1(w^3 - 1)}{w - 1} \\ &= \frac{1 - 1}{w - 1} \quad (\text{as } w^3 = 1) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{iii) } (1 + 3w + w^2)(1 + w + 3w^2) &= ([1 + w^2] + 3w)([1 + w] + 3w^2) \\ &= (-w + 3w)(-w^2 + 3w^2) \\ &= 2w \times 2w^2 \\ &= 4w^3 \\ &= 4\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{iii) } (1 + 3w + w^2) + (1 + w + 3w^2) &= 2w + 2w^2 \\ &= 2w(1 + w) \\ &= 2w(-w^2) \\ &= -2w^3 \\ &= -2\end{aligned}$$

$$(1 + 3w + w^2)(1 + w + 3w^2) = 4$$

$$x^2 + 2x + 4 = 0$$

e)

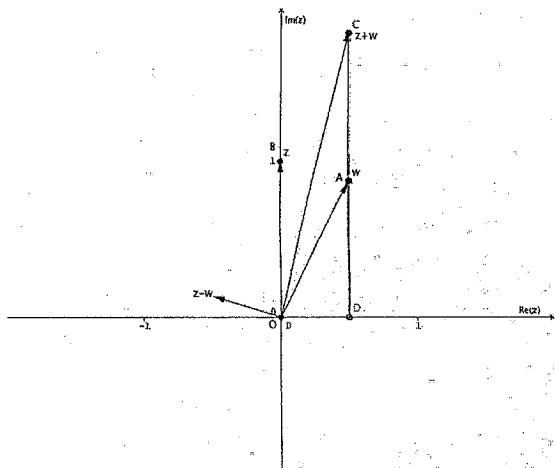
$$i) z = \frac{\sqrt{2}cis\frac{\pi}{4}}{\sqrt{2}cis\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)}$$

$$= cis\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$w = \frac{2cis0}{2cis\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)}$$

$$= cis\frac{\pi}{3}$$

ii)



$$\angle AOD = \arg(w)$$

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

$$\angle BOA = \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ (adjacent complementary } \angle s)$$

As  $|z| = |w|$ ,  $OBCA$  is a rhombus.

So diagonals bisect the angles through which they pass.

$$\angle COA = \frac{\pi}{6} + 2$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{12}$$

$$\angle COD = \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{12}$$

$$= \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

In  $\triangle AOD$ :

$$\sin \angle AOD = \frac{DA}{1}$$

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{3} = DA$$

$$DA = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos \angle AOD = \frac{DO}{1}$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{3} = DO$$

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

In  $\triangle COD$ :

$$\tan \frac{5\pi}{12} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 1}{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3} + 2}{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{3} + 2$$