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COMPLEX NUMBERS - POLAR

**Question 1** [2 + 2 + 1 = 5 marks]

Convert the following complex numbers to polar form.

(a)  $-1 - \sqrt{3}i$

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(b)  $-i\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2}$

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(c)  $\sqrt{5}e^{-\left(\frac{i\pi}{8}\right)}$

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**Question 2** [2 + 2 + 2 = 6 marks]

Convert each of the following to Cartesian form.

(a)  $2\text{cis}\left(-\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$

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(b)  $e^{i\pi-1}$

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(c)  $2icis\frac{\pi}{4}$

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**Question 3** [1 + 3 = 4 marks]

Simplify each of the following, giving the answer in polar form.

(a)  $(\sqrt{3}cis\frac{\pi}{2})^4$

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(b)  $(1 - i)^6$

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**Question 4** [2 + 4 + 2 = 8 marks]Find  $z$  in polar form given,

(a)  $z^4 = -81$

(b)  $z^3 + 8i = 0$

On the Argand Plane

(c) plot the solutions to 4(a).

**Question 5** [1 + 3 + 3 = 7 marks]Given that  $z^k + \frac{1}{z^k} = 2\cos(kx)$ ,

(a) find  $z + \frac{1}{z}$

(b) prove that  $\cos^4 x = \frac{1}{16}\cos^4 x + \frac{1}{4}\cos(2x) + \frac{3}{8}$

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Hence, find:

(c)  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 8\cos^4 x dx$

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( 5 + 6 + 4 + 8 + 7 = 30 marks )

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**COMPLEX NUMBERS - POLAR****Question 1**

$$(a) \quad r = \sqrt{1+3} = 2 \quad [1]$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{3} = \frac{\pi}{3} \quad [1]$$

$$-1 - \sqrt{3}i = 2\text{cis}\left(\frac{-2\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$(b) \quad r = \sqrt{2+2} = 2 \quad [1]$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(-1) = -\frac{\pi}{4} \quad [1]$$

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

$$(c) \quad \sqrt{5}e^{-\left(\frac{i\pi}{8}\right)} = \sqrt{5}\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{8}\right) \quad [1]$$

**Question 2**

$$(a) \quad z = 2\cos\left(-\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) + 2i\sin\left(-\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = -2i \quad [1,1]$$

$$(b) \quad z = \frac{1}{e}\text{cis}(-\pi) = -\frac{1}{e} \quad [1,1]$$

$$(c) \quad z = 2i\cos\frac{\pi}{4} + 2i^2\sin\frac{\pi}{4} = \sqrt{2}i - \sqrt{2} \quad [1,1]$$

**Question 3**

$$(a) \quad (\sqrt{3}\text{cis}\frac{\pi}{2})^4 = 9\text{cis}2\pi \quad [1]$$

$$(b) \quad 1 - i = \sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \quad [1]$$

$$(1 - i)^6 = (\sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right))^6 \quad [1]$$

$$= 8\text{cis}\left(-\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$= 8\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \quad [1]$$

**Question 4**

$$(a) \quad z^4 = (-81) \quad [1]$$

$$= \{81\text{cis}(-\pi)\}$$

$$z = \{81\text{cis}(-\pi), 81\text{cis}\pi, 81\text{cis}3\pi, 81\text{cis}5\pi\}^{1/4}$$

$$z = 3\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right), 3\text{cis}\frac{\pi}{4}, 3\text{cis}\frac{3\pi}{4}, 3\text{cis}\left(-\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) \quad [1]$$

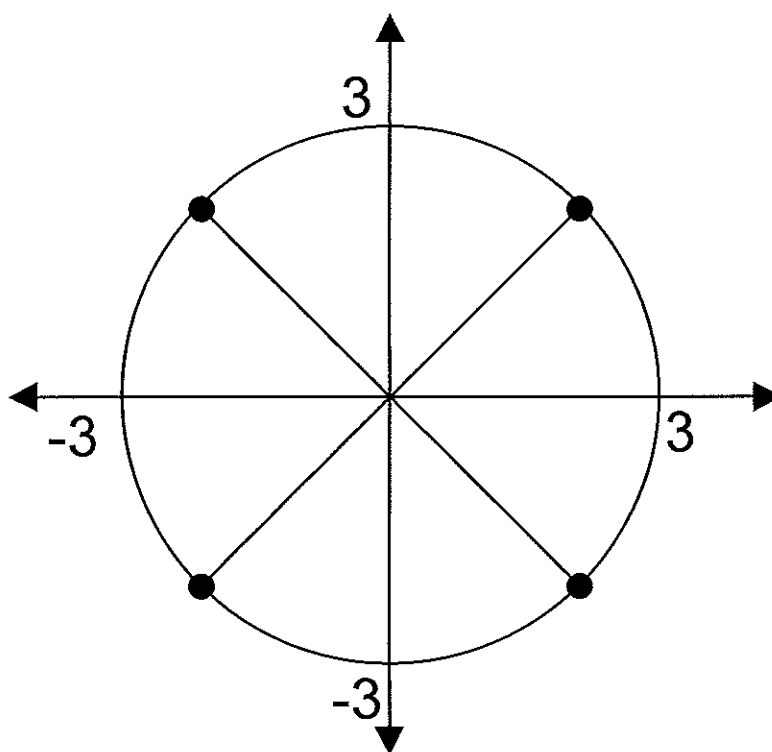
$$(b) \quad z^3 = -8i \quad [1]$$

$$= 8\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \quad [1]$$

$$z = \{8\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right), 8\text{cis}\frac{3\pi}{2}, 8\text{cis}\frac{7\pi}{2}\}^{1/3} \quad [1]$$

$$= 2\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right), 2\text{cis}\frac{\pi}{2}, 2\text{cis}\frac{7\pi}{6} \quad [1]$$

(c)



[3]

## Question 5

$$(a) \quad 2\cos x \quad [1]$$

$$(b) \quad \left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^4 = \left(z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4}\right) + 4\left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 6 \quad [1]$$

$$(2\cos x)^4 = \cos 4x + 4\cos 2x + 6$$

$$16\cos^4 x = \cos 4x + 4\cos 2x + 6 \quad [1]$$

$$\cos^4 x = \frac{1}{16}\cos 4x + \frac{1}{4}\cos 2x + \frac{3}{8} \quad [1]$$

$$(c) \quad \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 8 \cos^4 x \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos 4x + 4 \cos 2x + 3) \, dx \quad [1]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sin 4x + 2 \sin 2x + 3x \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \quad [1]$$

$$= \frac{3}{2}\pi \quad [1]$$

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