## 1 MT1 Homework Problem Solutions: 6

- 1) Simplify the following, expressing the complex numbers in the form a+bi:
  - i) (5+22i)-(-3-1i)=8+23i,

ii) 
$$(5+22i) \times (-3-1i) = 7-71i$$
,

**iii**) 
$$\frac{5+22i}{-3-1i} = -3.7 - 6.1i$$
,

**iv**) 
$$e^{i\pi/2} = i$$
.

2) Simplify the following, expressing the complex numbers in the form  $re^{i\theta}$ :

i) 
$$(1+2i)-(-2+1i)=\sqrt{10}e^{i\theta}$$
, where  $\theta=\arctan(1/3)=18.4^{\circ}$ .

$$[1 \text{ mark}(s)]$$

ii) 
$$(1+2i) \times (-2+1i) = 5e^{i\theta}$$
, where  $\theta = \arctan(3/4) = 216.86^{\circ}$ .

$$[1 \text{ mark}(s)]$$

iii) 
$$\frac{1+2i}{-2+1i} = -i = e^{2\pi i/3}$$
,

iv) 
$$5\cos(2\pi) + 5i\sin(2\pi) = 5e^{2\pi i}$$
.

**3**)

$$z = \frac{1}{11i} + \frac{1}{2 - 1i},$$

$$= \frac{-i}{11} + \frac{2 + 1i}{5},$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} + \frac{6i}{55}.$$

ii) For 
$$z = 1 + 1i$$
, determine  $z^3$ ,  $\sqrt{z}$ , and  $zz^*$ 

$$z^3 = (1+1i)(1+1i)(1+1i) = \left[\sqrt{2}e^{i\pi/4}\right]^3 = \sqrt{8}e^{3i\pi/4} = 2i - 2.$$

$$\sqrt{z} = \sqrt[4]{2}e^{i\pi/8}, \sqrt[4]{2}e^{9i\pi/8},$$

$$zz^* = (1+1i)(1-1i) = 2.$$

[3 mark(s)]

iii) Find expressions for  $\cos \theta$  and  $\sin \theta$  in terms of  $e^{i\theta}$ .

$$\cos \theta = \frac{e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}}{2},$$
$$\sin \theta = \frac{e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta}}{2i},$$

[2 mark(s)]

4) Write the following complex number in the form a + bi:

$$z = \frac{(M_{11} - M_{22}) - (i/2)(\Gamma_{11} - \Gamma_{22})}{\Delta m - (i/2)\Delta\Gamma},$$

$$= \frac{(M_{11} - M_{22}) - (i/2)(\Gamma_{11} - \Gamma_{22})}{\Delta m - (i/2)\Delta\Gamma} \times \frac{\Delta m + (i/2)\Delta\Gamma}{\Delta m + (i/2)\Delta\Gamma},$$

$$= \frac{4}{4\Delta m^2 + \Delta\Gamma^2} \left[ (M_{11} - M_{22})\Delta m + \frac{\Delta\Gamma}{4}(\Gamma_{11} - \Gamma_{22}) + i\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma}{2}(M_{11} - M_{22}) - \frac{\Delta m}{2}(\Gamma_{11} - \Gamma_{22})\right) \right].$$

where  $M_{ij}$ ,  $\Gamma_{ij}$ ,  $\Delta m$ , and  $\Delta \Gamma$  are constants, and i, j = 1, 2.

[3 mark(s)]

5) Find the square roots of z=3 and draw these on an Argand diagram (Argand diagram shown in Fig. ??)

$$z_1 = \sqrt{3}$$

$$z_2 = \sqrt{3}e^{i\pi}$$

[3 mark(s)]

1 mark for each of the roots, and the argand diagram

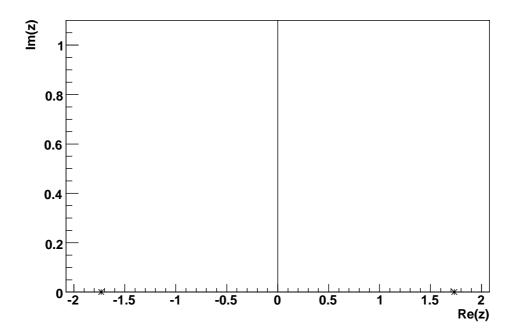


Figure 1: Square roots of z = 3.

**6**) Find the fourth roots of z=1 and draw these on an Argand diagram (Argand diagram shown in Fig. ??).

$$z_{1} = 1$$
 $z_{2} = e^{i\pi/2}$ 
 $z_{3} = e^{i\pi}$ 
 $z_{4} = e^{3i\pi/4}$ 
(1)

[5 mark(s)]

1 mark for each of the roots, and the argand diagram

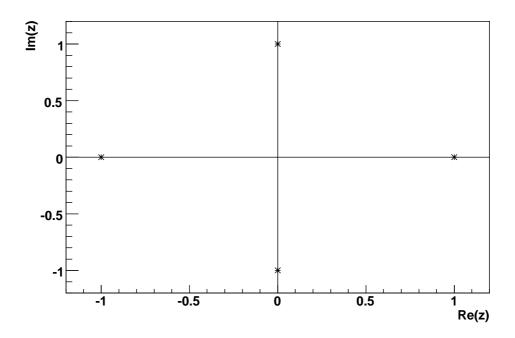


Figure 2: Fourth roots of z = 1.

**6**) Determine the Maclaurin series expansion for  $f(x) = \cosh(x)$ .

$$f_0 = 1 
 f'_0 = 0 
 f''_0 = 1 
 f''''_0 = 0 
 f''''_0 = 0$$

So the Maclaurin series expansion for f(x) is

$$f(x) = 1 + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots$$

[3 mark(s)]