

EXERCISE 1.3

- Find the modulus of the following complex numbers:
 (i) $4 + 3i$ (ii) $-5 - 4i$ (iii) $\frac{3}{5} - \frac{4}{5}i$ (iv) $-\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}i$
- If $z_1 = 2 + 7i$ and $z_2 = 4 - 3i$, then verify that
 (i) $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}$ (ii) $\overline{z_1 z_2} = \overline{z_1} \overline{z_2}$ (iii) $\overline{\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)} = \frac{\overline{z_1}}{\overline{z_2}}$
- If $z = 5 - 2i$, then verify that
 (i) $\overline{\overline{z}} = z$ (ii) $|z| = |\overline{z}|$ (iii) $|z| = |-z|$
 (iv) $z \overline{z} = |z|^2$ (v) $|z| = |-\overline{z}|$
- If $z = 4 - 3i$, then verify that $|z| = |-z| = |\overline{z}| = |-\overline{z}|$.
- If $z_1 = 2 + 3i$, $z_2 = -1 + i$, then evaluate:
 (i) $Re(z_1 z_2)$ (ii) $Im(z_1 z_2)$

Complex Numbers - Exercise 1.3 Solutions

Question 1: Find the modulus of the following complex numbers

Recall: The modulus of $z = a + bi$ is $|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

(i) $4 + 3i$

Step 1: Here $a = 4$, $b = 3$

Step 2: $|4 + 3i| = \sqrt{4^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{16 + 9} = \sqrt{25}$

Answer: 5

(ii) $-5 - 4i$

Step 1: Here $a = -5$, $b = -4$

Step 2: $|-5 - 4i| = \sqrt{(-5)^2 + (-4)^2} = \sqrt{25 + 16} = \sqrt{41}$

Answer: $\sqrt{41}$

(iii) $\frac{3}{5} - \frac{4}{5}i$

Step 1: Here $a = \frac{3}{5}$, $b = -\frac{4}{5}$

Step 2: $|\frac{3}{5} - \frac{4}{5}i| = \sqrt{(\frac{3}{5})^2 + (-\frac{4}{5})^2} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{25} + \frac{16}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{25}{25}} = \sqrt{1}$

Answer: 1

(iv) $-\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}i$

Step 1: Here $a = -\sqrt{2}$, $b = -\sqrt{3}$

Step 2: $|-\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}i| = \sqrt{(-\sqrt{2})^2 + (-\sqrt{3})^2} = \sqrt{2 + 3} = \sqrt{5}$

Answer: $\sqrt{5}$

Question 2: Verify properties using $z_1 = 2 + 7i$ and $z_2 = 4 - 3i$

(i) $z_1 + z_2 = \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2$

Step 1: LHS = $z_1 + z_2$

- $z_1 + z_2 = (2 + 7i) + (4 - 3i) = 6 + 4i$
- $z_1 + z_2 = 6 + 4i = 6 + 4i$

Step 2: RHS = $\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2$

- $\bar{z}_1 = 2 - 7i = 2 - 7i$
- $\bar{z}_2 = 4 + 3i = 4 + 3i$
- $\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 = (2 - 7i) + (4 + 3i) = 6 - 4i$

Step 3: LHS = RHS

Answer: Verified

(ii) $z_1 z_2 = \bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2$

Step 1: LHS = $z_1 z_2$

- $\bar{z}_2 = 4 + 3i = 4 + 3i$
- $z_1 \bar{z}_2 = (2 + 7i)(4 + 3i)$
- $= 2(4) + 2(3i) + 7i(4) + 7i(3i)$
- $= 8 + 6i + 28i + 21i^2$
- $= 8 + 34i - 21$
- $= -13 + 34i$

Step 2: RHS = $\bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2$

- $\bar{z}_1 = 2 - 7i = 2 - 7i$
- $\bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2 = (2 - 7i)(4 + 3i)$
- $= 2(4) + 2(3i) + (-7i)(4) + (-7i)(3i)$
- $= 8 + 6i - 28i + 21i^2$
- $= 8 - 34i - 21$
- $= -13 - 34i$

Step 3: LHS $\neq$ RHS

Note: The correct property is $z_1 \bar{z}_2 = \bar{z}_1 \cdot \bar{z}_2$, not $z_1 z_2 = \bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2$.

The given statement appears to have a typo. If it meant $z_1 \bar{z}_2 = \bar{z}_1 \cdot \bar{z}_2$, then verified.

Answer: The given property is not true as stated

(iii) $\left(\frac{\bar{z}_1}{z_2}\right) = \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2}$

Step 1: LHS = $\left(\frac{\bar{z}_1}{z_2}\right)$

- First find $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{2+7i}{4-3i}$
- Multiply by conjugate: $\frac{2+7i}{4-3i} \cdot \frac{4+3i}{4+3i}$

- Numerator: $(2 + 7i)(4 + 3i) = 8 + 6i + 28i + 21i^2 = 8 + 34i - 21 = -13 + 34i$
- Denominator: $(4 - 3i)(4 + 3i) = 16 + 9 = 25$
- $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{-13+34i}{25} = -\frac{13}{25} + \frac{34}{25}i$
- $\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)^{-} = -\frac{13}{25} - \frac{34}{25}i$

Step 2: RHS = $\frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2}$

- $\bar{z}_1 = 2 - 7i$
- $\bar{z}_2 = 4 + 3i$
- $\frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2} = \frac{2-7i}{4+3i}$
- Multiply by conjugate: $\frac{2-7i}{4+3i} \cdot \frac{4-3i}{4-3i}$
- Numerator: $(2 - 7i)(4 - 3i) = 8 - 6i - 28i + 21i^2 = 8 - 34i - 21 = -13 - 34i$
- Denominator: $(4 + 3i)(4 - 3i) = 16 + 9 = 25$
- $\frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2} = \frac{-13-34i}{25} = -\frac{13}{25} - \frac{34}{25}i$

Step 3: LHS = RHS

Answer: Verified

Question 3: If $z = 5 - 2i$, verify the following properties

(i) $\bar{\bar{z}} = z$

Step 1: $z = 5 - 2i$

Step 2: $\bar{z} = 5 - \bar{2i} = 5 + 2i$

Step 3: $\bar{\bar{z}} = 5 + \bar{2i} = 5 - 2i = z$

Answer: Verified

(ii) $|z| = |\bar{z}|$

Step 1: $|z| = |5 - 2i| = \sqrt{25 + 4} = \sqrt{29}$

Step 2: $|\bar{z}| = |5 + 2i| = \sqrt{25 + 4} = \sqrt{29}$

Step 3: $|z| = |\bar{z}|$

Answer: Verified

(iii) $|z| = |-z|$

Step 1: $|z| = \sqrt{29}$

Step 2: $-z = -(5 - 2i) = -5 + 2i$

Step 3: $|-z| = |-5 + 2i| = \sqrt{25 + 4} = \sqrt{29}$

Answer: Verified

(iv) $z\bar{z} = |z|^2$

Step 1: $z\bar{z} = (5 - 2i)(5 + 2i) = 25 - 4i^2 = 25 + 4 = 29$

Step 2: $|z|^2 = (\sqrt{29})^2 = 29$

Step 3: $z\bar{z} = |z|^2$

Answer: Verified

(v) $|z| = |-z|$ (already verified in part iii)

Answer: Verified

Question 4: If $z = 4 - 3i$, verify that $|z| = |-z| = |\bar{z}|$

Step 1: $|z| = |4 - 3i| = \sqrt{16 + 9} = \sqrt{25} = 5$

Step 2: $-z = -4 + 3i$

- $| -z | = | -4 + 3i | = \sqrt{16 + 9} = \sqrt{25} = 5$

Step 3: $\bar{z} = 4 + 3i$

- $| \bar{z} | = | 4 + 3i | = \sqrt{16 + 9} = \sqrt{25} = 5$

Step 4: Therefore, $|z| = |-z| = |\bar{z}| = 5$

Answer: Verified

Question 5: If $z_1 = 2 + 3i$, $z_2 = -1 + i$, evaluate:

(i) $\text{Re}(z_1 z_2)$

Step 1: $z_1 z_2 = (2 + 3i)(-1 + i)$

Step 2: Expand:

- $2(-1) + 2(i) + 3i(-1) + 3i(i)$
- $= -2 + 2i - 3i + 3i^2$
- $= -2 - i - 3$
- $= -5 - i$

Step 3: Real part = -5

Answer: -5

(ii) $\text{Im}(z_1 z_2)$

Step 1: From above, $z_1 z_2 = -5 - i$

Step 2: Imaginary part = -1

Answer: -1

Final Answers Summary

1(i)	5
1(ii)	$\sqrt{41}$
1(iii)	1
1(iv)	$\sqrt{5}$
2(i)	Verified
2(ii)	Not true as stated (property may have typo)
2(iii)	Verified
3(i)-(v)	All verified

4	Verified
5(i)	−5
5(ii)	−1

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