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COMPLEX NUMBERS

Solved Examples

1. If $a + ib = \sum_{k=1}^{101} i^k$, then (a, b) equals

A. (0, 1)

B. (0, 0)

C. (0, -1)

D. (1, 1)

Answer: A

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2. If $\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^n = -1, n \in N$, then least value of n is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: B

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3. The conjugate of a complex number z is $\frac{2}{1-i}$. Then $\text{Re}(z)$ equals

A. -1

B. 0

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: C



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4. The number of complex numbers z such that

$$|z - i| = |z + i| = |z + 1| \text{ is}$$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. infinite

Answer: B



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5. If $z + 2|z| = \pi + 4i$, then $\text{Im}(z)$ equals

A. π

B. 4

C. $\sqrt{\pi^2 + 16}$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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6. If $|z| = z + 3 - 2i$, then z equals

A. $7/6 + i$

B. $-7/6 + 2i$

C. $-5/6 + 2i$

D. $5/6 + i$

Answer: C



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7. If $\omega (\neq 1)$ is a cube root of unity and $(1 + \omega^2)^{11} = a + b\omega + c\omega^2$, then (a, b, c) equals

A. $(1, 1, 0)$

B. $(0, 1, 1)$

C. $(1, 0, 1)$

D. $(1, 1, 1)$

Answer: A



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8. If $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ and $x \neq -1$ then $\frac{1 + y + ix}{1 + y - ix}$ equals

A. 1

B. $x + iy$

C. 2

D. $y + ix$

Answer: D



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9. Write the value of $\arg(z) + \arg(z)$.

A. 0

B. π

C. 2π

D. None of these

Answer: A



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10. If $z \in \mathbb{C}$ and $2z = |z| + i$, then z equals

A. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} + \frac{1}{2}i$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} + \frac{1}{3}i$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} + \frac{1}{4}i$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} + \frac{1}{6}i$

Answer: A



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11. If $z = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{2}i \right)^7 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{2}i \right)^7$, then

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 0$

B. $\operatorname{Im}(z) = 0$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0, \operatorname{Im}(z) < 0$

D. $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 0, \operatorname{Im}(z) > 0$

Answer: B



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12. If $\omega (\neq 1)$ is a complex cube root of unity and $(1 + \omega^4)^n = (1 + \omega^8)^n$, then the least positive integral value of n is

A. 2

B. 3

C. 6

D. 12

Answer: B



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13. If $z = \frac{1 + \cos \theta + i \sin \theta}{\sin \theta + i(1 + \cos \theta)}$ ($0 < \theta < \pi/2$) then $|z|$ equals

A. $2|\sin \theta|$

B. $2|\cos \theta|$

C. 1

D. $|\cot(\theta/2)|$

Answer: C



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14. All the roots of $(z + 1)^4 = z^4$ lie on

A. a straight line parallel to x-axis

B. a straight line parallel to y-axis

C. a circle with centre at $-1 + 0i$

D. a circle with centre at $1 + i$

Answer: B



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15. Given α, β , respectively, the fifth and the fourth non-real roots of units, then find the value of

$$(1 + \alpha)(1 + \beta)(1 + \alpha^2)(1 + \beta^2)(1 + \alpha^4)(1 + \beta^4)$$

A. α

B. β

C. $\alpha\beta$

D. 0

Answer: D



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16. Suppose z_1, z_2, z_3 are vertices of an equilateral triangle whose circumcentre $-3 + 4i$, then $|z_1 + z_2 + z_3|$ is equal to

A. 5

B. $10\sqrt{3}$

C. 15

D. $15\sqrt{3}$

Answer: C



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17. If $z \neq 0$ lies on the circle $|z - 1| = 1$ and $\omega = 5/z$, then ω lies on

A. a circle

B. an ellipse

C. a straight line

D. a parabola

Answer: C



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18. If $\bar{z} = 3i + \frac{25}{z + 3i}$, then $|z|$ cannot exceed

A. 3

B. 8

C. 16

D. 18

Answer: B



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19. If $|z - 1| = |z + 1| = |z - 2i|$, then value of $|z|$ is

A. 1

B. 2

C. $5/4$

D. $3/4$

Answer: D



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20. Find number of all complex numbers z satisfying $\bar{z} = iz^2$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: D



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1. If $z \in C$, $z \notin R$, and $a = z^2 + 3z + 5$, then a cannot take value

A. $-2/5$

B. $5/2$

C. $\frac{11}{4}$

D. $-\frac{11}{5}$

Answer: C



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2. Suppose $a, b, c \in C$, and $|a| = |b| = |c| = 1$ and $abc = a + b + c$, then $|bc + ca + ab|$ is equal to

A. 0

B. -1

C. 1

D. None of these

Answer: C



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3. The number of complex numbers z which satisfy $z^2 + 2|z|^2 = 2$ is

A. 0

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: D



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4. Suppose $a \in \mathbb{R}$ and the equation $z + a|z| + 2i = 0$ has no solution in \mathbb{C} , then a satisfies the relation.

A. $|a| > 1$

B. $|a| \geq 1$

C. $|a| > \sqrt{2}$

D. $|a| \geq \sqrt{2}$

Answer: B



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5. Suppose A is a complex number and $n \in \mathbb{N}$, such that $A^n = (A + 1)^n = 1$, then the least value of n is 3 b. 6 c. 9 d. 12

A. 3

B. 6

C. 9

D. 18

Answer: B



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6. Let $z \neq i$ be any complex number such that $\frac{z-i}{z+i}$ is a purely imaginary number. Then $z + \frac{1}{z}$ is

A. a non-zero real number other than 1

B. a purely imaginary number

C. a non-zero real number

D. 0

Answer: C



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7. The point z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4 in the complex plane are the vertices of a parallelogram taken in order, if and only if.

(1) $z_1 + z_4 = z_2 + z_3$ (2) $z_1 + z_3 = z_2 + z_4$

(3) $z_1 + z_2 = z_3 + z_4$ (4) $z_1 + z_3 \neq z_2 + z_4$

A. $z_1 + z_4 = z_2 + z_3$

B. $z_1 + z_3 = z_2 + z_4$

C. $z_1 + z_2 = z_3 + z_4$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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8. if the complex no z_1, z_2 and z_3 represents the vertices of an equilateral triangle such that $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3|$ then relation among z_1, z_2 and z_3

A. $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$

B. $z_1 + z_2 - z_3 = 0$

C. $z_1 - z_2 + z_3 = 0$

D. $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 \neq 0$

Answer: A



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9. $\sum_{k=1}^6 \left(\sin, \frac{2\pi k}{7} - i \cos, \frac{2\pi k}{7} \right) = ?$

A. -1

B. 0

C. $-i$

D. i

Answer: D



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10. The complex number $\sin(x) + i \cos(2x)$ and $\cos(x) - i \sin(2x)$ are conjugate to each other for

A. $x = n\pi, n \in I$

B. $x = \left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)\pi, n \in I$

C. $x = 0$

D. no value of x

Answer: D



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11. If z_1 and z_2 are two complex number and a, b , are two real number then $|az_1 - bz_2|^2 + |bz_1 + az_2|^2$ equals

A. $(a^2 + b^2)|z_1 z_2|$

B. $(a^2 + b^2)(z_1^2 + z_2^2)$

C. $(a^2 + b^2)|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2$

D. $2ab|z_1 z_2|$

Answer: C



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12. a and b are real numbers between 0 and 1 such that the points $z_1 = a + i$, $z_2 = 1 + bi$, $z_3 = 0$ form an equilateral triangle, then a and b are equal to

A. $a = b = 2 - \sqrt{3}$

B. $a = 2 - \sqrt{3}$, $b = \sqrt{3} - 1$

C. $a = \sqrt{3} - 1$, $b = 2 - \sqrt{3}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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13. If $z \neq 0$ be a complex number and $\arg(z) = -\pi/4$, then

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z^2) = 0$

B. $\operatorname{Im}(z^2) = 0$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z^2) = \operatorname{Im}(z^2)$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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14. Let z and w be two non-zero complex number such that $|z| = |w|$ and

$\arg(z) + \arg(w) = \pi$, then z equals. (a) w (b) $-w$ (c) w (d) $-w$

A. w

B. $-w$

C. \bar{w}

D. $-\bar{w}$

Answer: D



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15. If $|z| = 1$ and $\omega = \frac{z-1}{z+1}$ (where $z \neq -1$), then $\operatorname{Re}(\omega)$ is

A. 0

B. $-\frac{1}{|z+1|^2}$

C. $\left| \frac{z}{z+1} \right| \frac{1}{|z+1|^2}$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{|z+1|^2}$

Answer: A



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16. Let z and w be two complex numbers such that $|z| \leq 1$, $|w| \leq 1$ and $|z - iw| = |z - i\bar{w}| = 2$ and z equals

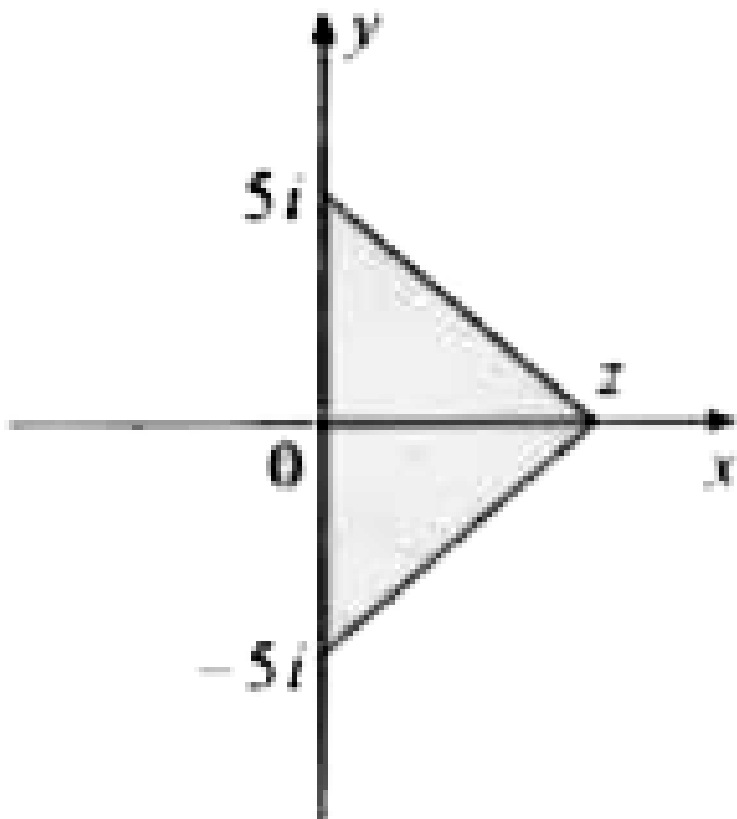
- A. 1 or i
- B. i or $-i$
- C. 1 or -1
- D. i or -1

Answer: C



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17. The complex numbers $z = x + iy$ which satisfy the equation $\left| \frac{z - 5i}{z + 5i} \right| = 1$, lie on



- A. the x - axis
- B. the straight line $y = 5$
- C. a circle passing through origin
- D. None of these

Answer: A



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18. The inequality $|z - 4| < |z - 2|$ represents

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) \geq 0$

B. $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 3$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z) \leq 0$

D. $\operatorname{Re} z > 3$

Answer: D



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19. If z_1 and z_2 are two complex numbers such that $\left| \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} \right| = 1$, then

A. $z_2 = kz_1, k \in \mathbb{R}$

B. $z_2 = ikz_1, k \in \mathbb{R}$

C. $z_1 = z_2$

D. None of these

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20. For any complex number z , find the minimum value of $|z| + |z - 2i|$.

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. None of these

Answer: C



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21. If $x = 2 + 5i$ then the value of $x^3 - 5x^2 + 33x - 19$ is

A. -5

B. -7

C. 7

D. 10

Answer: D



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22. If $z = x + iy$ and $w = \frac{1 - iz}{z - i}$, then $|w| = 1$ implies that in the complex plane (A) z lies on imaginary axis (B) z lies on real axis (C) z lies on unit circle (D) None of these

A. z lies on the imaginary axis

B. z lies on the real axis

C. z lies on the unit circle

D. None of these

Answer: B



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23. The real part of $z = \frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta + i \sin \theta}$ is

A. $\frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta}$

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. $\frac{1}{2} \tan \theta$

D. 2

Answer: B



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24. If the imaginary part of $\frac{2z + 1}{iz + 1}$ is -4, then the locus of the point representing z in the complex plane is

A. a straight line

B. a parabola

C. a circle

D. an ellipse

Answer: C



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25. Show that the area of the triangle on the argand plane formed by the complex numbers Z , iz and $z + iz$ is $\frac{1}{2}|z|^2$, where $i = \sqrt{-1}$.

A. $\frac{1}{4}|z|^2$

B. $\frac{1}{8}|z|^2$

C. $\frac{1}{2}|z|^2$

D. $\frac{1}{2}|z|$

Answer: C

26. If ω is a complex cube root of unity, then a root of the equation

$$\begin{vmatrix} x+1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & x+\omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & x+\omega \end{vmatrix} = 0, \text{ is}$$

A. $x = 1$

B. $x = \omega$

C. $x = \omega^2$

D. $x = 0$

Answer: D

27. Let z_1 and z_2 be two non - zero complex numbers such that

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1 \text{ then the origin and points represented by } z_1 \text{ and } z_2$$

- A. lie on a straight line
- B. form a right triangle
- C. form an equilateral triangle
- D. None of these

Answer: C



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28. If $(1 + x + x^2)^n = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_{2n}$, find the value of $a_0 + a_6 + \dots, n \in N$.

- A. 1
- B. 2^n
- C. 2^{n-1}
- D. 3^{n-1}

Answer: D

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29. Let $z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 - 2i & 3 + 5i \\ 1 + 2i & -5 & 10i \\ 3 - 5i & -10i & 11 \end{vmatrix}$, then

A. z is purely imaginary

B. z is purely real

C. $z = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B

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30. if $(x + iy)^{\frac{1}{3}} = a + ib$ then $\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + \left(\frac{y}{b}\right)$ equals to

A. $4(a^2 - b^2)$

B. $2(a^2 - b^2)$

C. $2(a^2 + b^2)$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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31. If $z \in \mathbb{C}$, the minimum value of $|z| + |z - i|$ is attained at

A. exactly one point

B. exactly two points

C. infinite number of points

D. None of these

Answer: C



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32. For all complex numbers z_1, z_2 satisfying

$|z_1| = 12$ and $|z_2 - 3 - 4i| = 5$, the minimum value of $|z_1 - z_2|$ is

- A. 0
- B. 2
- C. 7
- D. 17

Answer: B



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33. If z lies on the circle $|z - 1| = 1$, then $\frac{z - 2}{z}$ is

- A. 0
- B. 2
- C. -1
- D. None of these

Answer: D



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34. If $1, \omega, \dots, \omega^{n-1}$ are the n^{th} roots of unity, then value of

$$\frac{1}{2 - \omega} + \frac{1}{2 - \omega^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2 - \omega^{n-1}} \text{ equals}$$

A. $\frac{1}{2^n - 1}$

B. $\frac{n(2^n - 1)}{2^n + 1}$

C. $\frac{(n - 2)2^{n-1}}{2^n - 1}$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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35. If $\omega = \cos \frac{\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{n}$, then value of $1 + \omega + \omega^2 + \dots + \omega^{n-1}$ is

A. $1 + i \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{2\pi}\right)$

B. $1 + i \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right)$

C. $1 + i$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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36. If $|z| = 1$ and $z \neq \pm 1$, then all the values of $\frac{z}{1 - z^2}$ lie on a line not passing through the origin $|z| = \sqrt{2}$ the x-axis (d) the y-axis

A. a line not passing through the origin.

B. $|z| = 2$

C. the x-axis

D. the y-axis

Answer: D

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37. The locus of the center of a circle which touches the circles

$|z - z_1| = a, |z - z_2| = b$ externally will be

- A. an ellipse
- B. a hyperbola
- C. a circle
- D. a pair of straight lines.

Answer: B

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38. If $|z^2 - 1| = |z|^2 + 1$, then z lies on

- (a) a circle
- (b) the imaginary axis

(c) the real axis

(d) an ellipse

A. a circle

B. the imaginary axis

C. the real axis

D. an ellipse

Answer: B



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39. If $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$ where z is a complex number, then the value of

$$\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(z^6 + \frac{1}{z^6}\right)^2 \text{ is}$$

A. 12

B. 18

C. 54

D. 6

Answer: A



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40. If $|z + 4| \leq 3$, then the maximum value of $|z + 1|$ is (1) 4 (B) 10 (3) 6
(4) 0

A. 4

B. 10

C. 6

D. 0

Answer: C



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41. Let z, w be complex numbers such that $\bar{z} + i\bar{w} = 0$ and $\arg zw = \pi$

Then $\arg z$ equals

A. $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

D. $\frac{5\pi}{4}$

Answer: A



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42. If $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$ and $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$, then value of $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2$ equals

A. -1

B. 0

C. 1

D. 3

Answer: B



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43. If z satisfies the relation $|z - i|z| = |z + i|z|$ then

A. $\text{Im}(z) = 0$

B. $|z| = 1$

C. $\text{Re}(z) = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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44. If α and β are different complex numbers with $|\beta| = 1$, then find

$$\left| \frac{\beta - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right|.$$

A. 1

B. $|\alpha|$

C. 2

D. None of these

Answer: A



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45. Let z be not a real number such that

$$(1 + z + z^2) / (1 - z + z^2) \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ then prove that } |z| = 1.$$

A. 1

B. 2

C. $\sqrt{3}$

D. $2\sqrt{3}$

Answer: A



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46. If $\left| z - \frac{4}{z} \right| = 2$, then the maximum value of $|z|$

A. 1

B. $2 + \sqrt{2}$

C. $\sqrt{3} + 1$

D. $\sqrt{5} + 1$

Answer: D



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47. If $|\omega| = 2$, then the set of points $z = \omega - \frac{1}{\omega}$ is contained in or equal to the set of points z satisfying

- A. circle
- B. ellipse
- C. parabola
- D. hyperbola

Answer: B



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48. If $|z| = 1$, $z \neq 1$, then value of $\arg \left(\frac{1}{1-z} \right)$ cannot exceed

- A. $\pi/2$
- B. π
- C. $3\pi/2$

D. 2π

Answer: A



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49. If $z \neq 1$ and $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$ is real, the point represented by the complex numbers z lies

- A. on circle with centre at the origin.
- B. either on the real axis or on a circle not passing through the origin.
- C. on the imaginary axis.
- D. either on the real axis or on a circle passing through the origin

Answer: B



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50. If $3^{49}(x + iy) = \left(\frac{3}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}I\right)^{100}$ and $x = ky$ then k is: $-1/3$ b. $\sqrt{3}$
c. $-\sqrt{3}$ d. $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

A. $\pm 1/3$

B. $\pm 2\sqrt{2}$

C. $\pm 1/\sqrt{3}$

D. $\pm 1/\sqrt{3}$

Answer: B



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51. If $(4 + i)(z + \bar{z}) - (3 + i)(z - \bar{z}) + 26i = 0$, then the value of $|z|^2$ is

A. 13

B. 17

C. 19

D. 11

Answer: B



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52. Let $z = a\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{5} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{5}\right)$, $a \in R$, $|a| < 1$, then
 $S = z^{2015} + z^{2016} + z^{2017} + \dots$ equals

A. $\frac{a^{2015}}{z - 1}$

B. $\frac{a^{2015}}{1 - z}$

C. $\frac{a^{2015}}{1 - a}$

D. $\frac{a^{2015}}{a - 1}$

Answer: A



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53. If $z = \sqrt{20i - 21} + \sqrt{20i + 21}$, then one of the possible value of $|\arg(z)|$ equals

A. $\pi/4$

B. $\pi/2$

C. $3\pi/8$

D. π

Answer: A



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54. If $(a + bi)^{11} = x + iy$, where $a, b, x, y \in \mathbb{R}$, then $(b + ai)^{11}$ equals

A. $y + ix$

B. $-y - ix$

C. $-x - iy$

D. $x + iy$

Answer: B



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55. If $a, b, x, y \in R, \omega \neq 1$, is a cube root of unity and $(a + b\omega)^7 = x + y\omega$, then $(b + a\omega)^7$ equals

A. $y + x\omega$

B. $-y - x\omega$

C. $x + y\omega$

D. $-x - y\omega$

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 2

1. Let $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$. Then the value of $\sum_{m \rightarrow 1-15} \text{Img}(z^{2m-1})$ at $\theta = 2^\circ$ is:

- A. $\frac{1}{\sin 2^\circ}$
- B. $\frac{1}{3\sin 2^\circ}$
- C. $\frac{1}{\sin 2^\circ}$
- D. $\frac{1}{4\sin 2^\circ}$

Answer: D



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Solved Examples Level 3

1. Let $z = x + iy$ be a complex number where x and y are integers. Then, the area of the rectangle whose vertices are the roots of the equation $zz^3 + zz^3 = 350$ is 48 (b) 32 (c) 40 (d) 80

A. 48

B. 32

C. 40

D. 80

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 4

1. Let z_1 and z_2 be two distinct complex numbers and $z = (1 - t)z_1 + iz_2$, for some real number t with $0 < t < 1$ and $i = \sqrt{-1}$. If $\arg(w)$ denotes the principal argument of a non-zero complex number w , then

A. $|z - z_1| + |z - z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$

B. $\text{Arg}(z - z_1) = \text{Arg}(z - z_2)$

C. $\begin{vmatrix} z - z_1 & \bar{z} - \bar{z}_1 \\ z_2 - z_1 & \bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

D. $\text{Arg}(z - z_1) = \text{Arg}(z_2 - z_1)$

Answer: B



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Solved Examples Level 5

1. For complex numbers $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$ and $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$, (where $i = \sqrt{-1}$) we write $z_1 \cap z_2$ if $x_1 \leq x_2$ and $y_1 \leq y_2$, then for all complex number z with $1 \cap z$, we have $\frac{1-z}{1+z} \cap \dots$ is

A. $\frac{1-z}{1+z} \cap -i$

B. $1 \cap \frac{1-z}{1+z}$

C. $\frac{1-z}{1+z} \cap 0$

D. $\frac{1+z}{1-z} \cap 0$

Answer: C



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Solved Examples Level 6

1. Let the complex numbers z_1, z_2 and z_3 be the vertices of an equilateral triangle. If z_0 is the circumcentre of the triangle, then prove that $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 3z_0^2$.

A. z_0^2

B. $3z_0^2$

C. z_0^3

D. $3z_0^3$

Answer: B



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1. If ω is a complex cube root of unity, then the value of the expression

$$1(2 - \omega)(2 - \omega^2) + 2(3 - \omega)(3 - \omega^2) + \dots + (n - 1)(n - \omega)(n - \omega^2)(n - \omega^3) \dots$$

is equal to (A) $\frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4} - n$ (B) $\frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4} + n$ (C) $\frac{n^2(n+1)}{4} - n$
(D) $\frac{n(n+1)^2}{4} - n$

A. $\frac{1}{4}n^2(n+1)^2 - n$

B. $\frac{1}{4}n^2(n+1)^2 + n$

C. $\frac{1}{4}n^2(n+1) - n$

D. $\frac{1}{4}n(n+1)^2 - n$

Answer: A



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1. Prove that there exists no complex number z such that

$$|z| < \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } \sum_{n=1}^n a_r z^r = 1, \text{ where } |a_r| < 2.$$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 4

D. infinite

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 9

1. a, b, c are integers, not all simultaneously equal, and ω is cube root of unity ($\omega \neq 1$), then minimum value of $|a + b\omega + c\omega^2|$ is 0 b. 1 c. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ d. $\frac{1}{2}$

A. $\sqrt{3}$

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: B



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Solved Examples Level 10

1. The region of Argand diagram defined by $|z-1| + |z+1| \leq 4$ is

A. interior of an ellipse

B. exterior of a circle

C. interior and boundary of an ellipse

D. None of these

Answer: C



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Solved Examples Level 11

1. If z_1 and z_2 , are two non-zero complex numbers such that $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$ then $\arg(z_1) - \arg(z_2)$ is equal to (1) 0 (2) $-\frac{\pi}{2}$ (3) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (4) $-\pi$

A. $-\pi$

B. $-\pi/2$

C. $\pi/2$

D. 0

Answer: D



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Solved Examples Level 12

1. If $|z - 25i| \leq 15$. then $|\text{maximum } \arg(z) - \text{minimum } \arg(z)|$ equals

A. $2 \cos^{-1}(3/5)$

B. $2 \cos^{-1}(4/5)$

C. $\pi/2 + \cos^{-1}(3/5)$

D. $\sin^{-1}(3/5) - \cos^{-1}(3/5)$

Answer: B



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Solved Examples Level 13

1. If $|z| = 3$, the area of the triangle whose sides are $z, \omega z$ and $z + \omega z$ (where ω is a complex cube root of unity) is

A. $9\sqrt{3}/4$

B. $3\sqrt{3}/2$

C. $5/2$

D. $8\sqrt{3}/3$

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 14

1. Find the greatest and the least value of $|z_1 + z_2|$ if

$z_1 = 24 + 7i$ and $|z_2| = 6$.

A. 31, 19

B. 25, 19

C. 31, 25

D. None of these

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 15

1. If α, β are the roots of $x^2 + px + q = 0$, and ω is a cube root of unity, then value of $(\omega\alpha + \omega^2\beta)(\omega^2\alpha + \omega\beta)$ is

A. p^2

B. $3q$

C. $p^2 - 2q$

D. $p^2 - 3q$

Answer: D



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Solved Examples Level 16

1. Maximum distance from the origin of the points z satisfying the relation $|z + 1/z| = 1$ is

A. $(\sqrt{5} + 1)/2$

B. $(\sqrt{5} - 1)/2$

C. $3 - \sqrt{5}$

D. $(3 + \sqrt{5})/2$

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 17

1. If $|z_1| + |z_2| = 1$ and $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$ then the area of the triangle whose vertices are z_1, z_2, z_3 is $3\sqrt{3}/4$ b. $\sqrt{3}/4$ c. 1 d. 2

A. $3\sqrt{3}/4$

B. $\sqrt{3}/4$

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 18

1. An equation of straight line joining the complex numbers a and ib (where $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ and $a, b \neq 0$) is

A. $z\left(\frac{1}{a} - \frac{i}{b}\right) + \bar{z}\left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{i}{b}\right) = 2$

B. $z\left(\frac{1}{a} - \frac{i}{b}\right) + \bar{z}\left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{i}{b}\right) = 2$

C. $z(a + ib) + \bar{z}(a - ib) = 2ab$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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Solved Examples Level 19

1. Two different non-parallel lines cut the circle $|z| = r$ at points a, b, c and d , respectively. Prove that these lines meet at the point given

by $\frac{a^{-1} + b^{-1} - c^{-1} - d^{-1}}{a^{-1}b^{-1} - c^{-1}d^{-1}}$

A. $\frac{a^{-1} + b^{-1} + c^{-1} + d^{-1}}{a^{-1}b^{-1} + c^{-1}d^{-1}}$

B. $\frac{ab + cd}{a + b + c + d}$

C. $\frac{a^{-1} + b^{-1} - c^{-1} - d^{-1}}{a^{-1}b^{-1} - c^{-1}d^{-1}}$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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1. If $1, x_1, x_2, x_3$ are the roots of $x^4 - 1 = 0$ and ω is a complex cube root of unity, find the value of $\frac{(\omega^2 - x_1)(\omega^2 - x_2)(\omega^2 - x_3)}{(\omega - x_1)(\omega - x_2)(\omega - x_3)}$

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2. Radius of the circle $z\bar{z} + (2 + 5.5i)z + (2 - 5.5i)\bar{z} + 4 = 0$ is

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3. Radius of the circle $\left| \frac{z - 1}{z - 3i} \right| = \sqrt{2}$

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4. Suppose z_1, z_2, z_3 are vertices of an equilateral triangle with incentre at $1.1 + 0i$, then $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2$ is equal to _____



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5. Let $m = \text{Slope of the line } |z + 3|^2 - |z - 3i|^2 = 24$, then $m + 1.73$ is equal to



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6. If $\omega \neq 1$ is a cube root of unity, then $\frac{1}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \left[(\omega^{73} + \omega^{83}) + \tan \frac{5\pi}{4} \right]$ is equal to _____



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7. $\left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{3}i}{1 - \sqrt{3}i} \right)^{181} + \left(\frac{1 - \sqrt{3}i}{1 + \sqrt{3}i} \right)^{181}$ is equal to _____



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8. Let z_1, z_2 be two complex numbers satisfying the equations

$$\left| \frac{z-4}{z-8} \right| = 1 \text{ and } \left| \frac{z-8i}{z-12} \right| = \frac{3}{5}, \text{ then } \sqrt{|z_1 - z_2|} \text{ is equal to } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$



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9. If z is a complex number, then the minimum value of

$$|z - 2.8| + |z - 1.42i| \text{ is } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$



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10. If $\frac{3z_1}{5z_2}$ is purely imaginary, then $\left| \frac{2z_1 - z_2}{2z_1 + z_2} \right|$ is equal to _____



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11. If $\omega \neq 1$ is a complex cube root of unity, then

$$5.23 + \omega + \omega \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{8} + \frac{9}{32} + \frac{27}{128} + \dots \right) \text{ is equal to } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

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12. If conjugate of a complex number z is $\frac{2 + 5i}{4 - 3i}$, then $|\operatorname{Re}(z) + \operatorname{Im}(z)|$ is equal to _____

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13. Let z be a complex number such that $\operatorname{Im}(z) \neq 0$. If $a = z^2 + 5z + 7$, then a cannot take value _____

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14. Let $z_k = \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{7}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{7}\right)$, for $k = 1, 2, \dots, 6$, then $\log_7|1 - z_1| + \log_7|1 - z_2| + \dots + \log_7|1 - z_6|$ is equal to _____

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15. Let $S = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 2| = |z + 2i| = |z - 2i|\}$ then $\sum_{z \in S} |z + 1.5|$ is equal to _____



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16. Suppose z satisfies the equation $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$. Let $\omega = \left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right)^2 + \left(z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3}\right) + \dots +$ then $|\omega + \sqrt{301}i|$ is equal to _____



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17. Suppose $\omega \neq 1$ is cube root of unity. If $1(2 - \omega)(2 - \omega^2) + 2(3 - \omega)(3 - \omega^2) + \dots + (n - 1)(n - \omega)(n - \omega^2) =$, then n is equal to _____



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18. If z_1 and z_2 are two nonzero complex numbers and θ is a real number, then $\frac{1}{|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2} \left[|(\cos \theta)z_1 - (\sin \theta)z_2|^2 + |(\sin \theta)z_1 + (\cos \theta)z_2|^2 \right]$ is equal to _____



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19. Eccentricity of the ellipse $|z - 4| + |z - 4i| = 10\sqrt{2}$ is _____



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20. Suppose a and b are two different complete numbers such that

$$\left| a + \sqrt{a^2 - b^2} \right| + \left| a - \sqrt{a^2 - b^2} \right| = |a + b| + 4 \text{ then } |a-b| \text{ is equal to}$$



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21. Suppose z_1, z_2 and z_3 are three distinct complex numbers such that $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = \sqrt{3}$. If $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$, and Δ = area of triangle with vertices $A(z_1), B(z_2)$ and $C(z_3)$, then $\frac{32}{9} \Delta^2$ is equal to _____.



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22. Let P be a point on the circle $|z + 2 - 5i| = 6$ and A be the point $(4 - 3i)$. Let $D = \max(AP)$, then $\frac{1}{32} D$ is equal to _____.



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Exercise

1. The number of complex numbers satisfying $(1 + i)z = i|z|$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. infinite

Answer: B



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2. Suppose $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ and $C < 0$. Let $z = a + (b + ic)^{2015} + (b - ic)^{2015}$, then

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 0$

B. $\operatorname{Im}(z) = 0$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0, \operatorname{Im}(z) < 0$

D. $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 0, \operatorname{Im}(z) > 0$

Answer: B



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3. The number of solutions of $z^2 + |z| = 0$ is

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. infinite

Answer: C



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4. The equation $\left| \frac{(1+i)z - 2}{(1+i)z + 4} \right| = k$ does not represent a circle when k is

- A. 2
- B. π
- C. e
- D. 1

Answer: D



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5. If $|z| \geq 5$, then least value of $\left|z - \frac{1}{z}\right|$ is

A. 5

B. $24/5$

C. 8

D. $8/3$

Answer: B



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6. Principal argument of $z = \frac{i - 1}{i\left(1 - \cos\frac{2\pi}{7}\right) + \sin\frac{2\pi}{7}}$ is

A. $\frac{\pi}{28}$

B. $\frac{3\pi}{28}$

C. $\frac{17\pi}{28}$

D. $\frac{19\pi}{28}$

Answer: C



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7. If $(x + iy) = \sqrt{\frac{a + ib}{c + id}}$ then prove that $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{c^2 + d^2}$

A. $a^2 + b^2$

B. $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

C. $\frac{a^2 + b^2}{c^2 + d^2}$

D. $\sqrt{\frac{a^2 + b^2}{c^2 + d^2}}$

Answer: A



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8. For any three complex numbers z_1, z_2, z_3 , if $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & z_1 & \overline{z_1} \\ 1 & z_2 & \overline{z_2} \\ 1 & z_3 & \overline{z_3} \end{vmatrix}$, then

A. $Re(\Delta) = 0$

B. $Im(\Delta) = 0$

C. $Re(\Delta) \geq 0$

D. $Im(\Delta) \leq 0$

Answer: B



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9. If $x, y, a, b \in R, a \neq 0$ and $(a + ib)(x + iy) = (a^2 + b^2)i$, then (x, y) equals

A. (a, b)

B. $(a, 0)$

C. $(0, b)$

D. (b, a)

Answer: D



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10. If $\omega (\neq 1)$ is a cube root of unity, then the value of $\tan [(\omega^{2017} + \omega^{2225})\pi - \pi/3]$

A. $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

B. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

C. $-\sqrt{3}$

D. $\sqrt{3}$

Answer: C



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11. If z is purely imaginary and $\operatorname{Im}(z) < 0$, then $\arg(i\bar{z}) + \arg(z)$ is equal to

A. π

B. 0

C. $\pi/2$

D. $-\pi/2$

Answer: C



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12. The inequality $a + ib > c + id$ is true when

A. $a > c, b > d > 0$

B. $a > c, b = d = 0$

C. $a > c, b = d > 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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13. Let $z \in \mathbb{C}$ be such that $\operatorname{Re}(z^2) = 0$, then

A. $|\operatorname{Re}(z)| + \operatorname{Im}(z) = 0$

B. $|\operatorname{Re}(z)| = |\operatorname{Im}(z)|$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z) + |\operatorname{Im}(z)| = 0$

D. $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 0$ or $\operatorname{Im}(z) = 0$

Answer: B



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14. If z_1, z_2 and z_3, z_4 are two pairs of conjugate complex numbers then

$\arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_4}\right) + \arg\left(\frac{z_2}{z_3}\right)$ equals

A. $0, \pi$

B. $\pi, -\pi$

C. $\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$

D. $0, 2\pi$

Answer: D



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15. If $z = x + iy$ and $0 \leq \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{z-4}{2i}\right) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ then

A. $x = 4, 0 \leq y \leq 2$

B. $0 \leq x \leq 4, 0 \leq y \leq 2$

C. $x = 0, 0 \leq y \leq 2$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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16. If $a > 0$ and $z|z| + az + 3i = 0$, then z is

- A. 0
- B. purely imaginary
- C. a positive real number
- D. a negative real number

Answer: B



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17. If z is a complex numbers such that $z \neq 0$ and $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 0$, then

- A. $\operatorname{Re}(z^2) = 0$
- B. $\operatorname{Im}(z^2) = 0$
- C. $\operatorname{Re}(z^2) = \operatorname{Im}(z^2)$

D. $\text{Im}(z^2) < 0$

Answer: B



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18. If $z_k = \cos\left(\frac{k\pi}{10}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{k\pi}{10}\right)$, then $z_1 z_2 z_3 z_4$ is equal to

A. -1

B. 2

C. -2

D. 1

Answer: A



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19. If $|z_1| = |z_2| = 1$, $z_1 z_2 \neq -1$ and $z = \frac{z_1 + z_2}{1 + z_1 z_2}$ then

A. z is a purely real number

B. z is a purely imaginary number

C. $|z| = 1$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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20. If $z \in C$, then $Re(\bar{z}^2) = k^2, k > 0$, represents

A. an ellipse

B. a parabola

C. a circle

D. a hyperbola

Answer: D



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Exercise Level 1

1. If $\omega \neq 1$ is a cube root of unity, then $1, \omega, \omega^2$

A. are vertices of an equilateral triangle

B. lie on a straight line

C. lie on a circle of radius $\sqrt{3/2}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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2. If α, β, γ are the cube roots of p then for any x, y and z

$\frac{x\alpha + y\beta + z\gamma}{x\beta + y\gamma + z\alpha}$ is

A. $\omega, 1$

B. ω, ω^2

C. $\omega^2, 1$

D. $1, \omega, \omega^2$

Answer: B



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3. ABCD is a rhombus. Its diagonals AC and BD intersect at the point M and satisfy $BD = 2AC$. If the point D and M represent the complex numbers $1 + i$ and $2 - i$ respectively, then A represents the complex number.....or.....

A. $3 - \frac{1}{2}i, 1 + \frac{3}{2}i$

B. $3 + \frac{1}{2}i, 1 + \frac{3}{2}i$

C. $3 - \frac{1}{2}i, 1 - \frac{3}{2}i$

D. $3 + \frac{1}{2}i, 1 - \frac{3}{2}i$

Answer: C



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4. Let α, β be the roots of the equation $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$. The equation whose roots are α^{19} and β^7 are:

A. $x^2 - x - 1 = 0$

B. $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$

C. $x^2 + x - 1 = 0$

D. $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$

Answer: D



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5. If ω is a cube root of unity then find the value of $\sin\left((\omega^{10} + \omega^{23}) - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

A. $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

B. $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Answer: C



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6. If $\omega (\neq 1)$ is a cube root of unity and $(1 + \omega)^{2017} = A + B\omega$. Then A and B are respectively the numbers

A. 0, 1

B. 1, 1

C. 1, 0

D. $-1, 1$

Answer: B

7. If ω is the complex cube root of unity then

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1+i+\omega^2 & \omega^2 \\ 1-i & -1 & \omega^2-1 \\ -i & -i+\omega-1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} =$$

A. 0

B. 1

C. i

D. ω

Answer: A

8. If ω is an imaginary cube root of unity, then $(1 - \omega - \omega^2)^7$ equals

A. 128ω

B. -128ω

C. $128\omega^2$

D. $-128\omega^2$

Answer: D



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9. If $\begin{vmatrix} 6i & -3i & 1 \\ 4 & 3i & 1 \\ 20 & 3 & i \end{vmatrix} = x + iy, i = \sqrt{-1}$ then

A. $x = 3, y = 1$

B. $x = 1, y = 3$

C. $x = 0, y = 3$

D. $x = 0, y = 0$

Answer: D



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10. If $\arg(z) < 0$, then find $\arg(-z) - \arg(z)$.

A. π

B. $-\pi$

C. $-\frac{\pi}{2}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Answer: A



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11. If z_1, z_2, z_3 are complex numbers such that $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = \left| \frac{1}{z_1} + \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{1}{z_3} \right| = 1$ then $|z_1 + z_2 + z_3|$ is equal to

A. equal to 1

B. less than 1

C. greater than 3

D. equal to 3

Answer: A



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12. Let z_1 and z_2 be n th roots of unity which subtend a right angle at the origin. Then n must be of the form (1) $4k + 1$ (2) $4k + 2$ (3) $4k + 3$ (4) $4k$

A. $4k + 1$

B. $4k + 2$

C. $4k + 3$

D. $4k$

Answer: D



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13. The complex number z_1, z_2 and z_3 satisfying $\frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} = \frac{1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$ are the vertices of a triangle which is :

- A. of area zero
- B. right-angled isosceles
- C. equilateral
- D. obtuse-angle isosceles

Answer: C



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14. Let $\omega = -\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, then the value of the determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 - \omega^2 & \omega^2 \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 \end{vmatrix}, \text{ is}$$

- A. 3ω
- B. $3\omega(\omega - 1)$

C. $3\omega^2$

D. $3\omega(1 - \omega)$

Answer: B



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15. The inequality $|z - i| < |z + i|$ represents the region

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0$

B. $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 0$

C. $\operatorname{Im}(z) > 0$

D. $\operatorname{Im}(z) < 0$

Answer: C



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16. Show that if $iz^3 + z^2 - z + i = 0$, then $|z| = 1$

A. $\text{Re } z = 0$

B. $\text{Im } z = 0$

C. $|z| = 1$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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17. If $x + iy = \frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta + 2i \sin \theta}$, $\theta \neq 2n\pi, n \in I$, then maximum value of x is

A. 1

B. 2

C. $\frac{1}{2}$

D. $\frac{1}{3}$

Answer: C



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18. The equation $z^3 = \bar{z}$ has

- A. no solution
- B. two solutions
- C. five solutions
- D. infinite number of solutions

Answer: C



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19. If $z = 5 + t + i\sqrt{25 - t^2}$, $(-5 \leq t \leq 5)$, then locus of z is a curve which passes through

A. $5 + 0i$

B. $-2 + 3i$

C. $2 + 4i$

D. $-2 - 3i$

Answer: C



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20. If ω is complex cube root of that $\frac{1}{a + \omega} + \frac{1}{b + \omega} + \frac{1}{c + \omega} = 2\omega^2$ and $\frac{1}{a + \omega^2} + \frac{1}{b + \omega^2} + \frac{1}{c + \omega^2} = 2\omega$ then the value of $\frac{1}{a + 1} + \frac{1}{b + 1} + \frac{1}{c + 1} =$

A. 2

B. -2

C. $-1 + \omega^2$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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21. if $|z - i\operatorname{Re}(z)| = |z - \operatorname{Im}(z)|$ where $i = \sqrt{-1}$ then z lies on

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 2$

B. $\operatorname{Im}(z) = 2$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z) + \operatorname{Im}(z) = 2$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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22. If ω is a complex cube root of unity, then value of expression

$$\cos \left[\left\{ (1 - \omega)(1 - \omega^2) + \dots + (12 - \omega)(12 - \omega^2) \right\} \frac{\pi}{370} \right]$$

A. -1

B. 0

C. 1

D. $\sqrt{3}/2$

Answer: C



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23. If roots of the equation $z^2 + az + b = 0$ are purely imaginary then

A. $(b - \bar{b})^2 + (a + \bar{a})(\bar{a}b + a\bar{b}) = 0$

B. $(b - \bar{b})^2 + (a - \bar{a})^2 = 0$

C. $(b + \bar{b})^2 - (a - \bar{a})^2 = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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24. The system of equations $|z + 1 - i| = \sqrt{2}$ and $|z| = 3$ has

- A. no solution
- B. one solution
- C. two solutions
- D. infinite number of solutions

Answer: A



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25. If $8\iota z^3 + 12z^2 - 18z + 27\iota = 0$ then: a. $|z| = \frac{3}{2}$ b. $|z| = \frac{2}{3}$ c. $|z| = 1$

A. $|z| = \frac{3}{2}$

B. $|z| = \frac{2}{3}$

C. $|z| = 1$

D. $|z| = \frac{3}{4}$

Answer: A



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26. If a complex number z lies in the interior or on the boundary of a circle of radius 3 and center at $(-4, 0)$, then the greatest and least values of $|z + 1|$ are

A. 4

B. 5

C. 10

D. 9

Answer: C



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27. If $x + iy = \frac{3}{2 + \cos \theta + i \sin \theta}$, then show that $x^2 + y^2 = 4x - 3$

A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. 5

Answer: B



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28. Suppose z_1, z_2, z_3 represent the vertices A, B and C respectively of a $\triangle ABC$ with centroid at G. If the mid point of AG is the origin, then

A. $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$

B. $2z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$

C. $z_1 + z_2 + 4z_3 = 0$

D. $4z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$

Answer: D



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29. Suppose that three points z_1, z_2, z_3 are connected by the relation

$az_1 + bz_2 + cz_3 = 0$, where $a + b + c = 0$, then the points are

- A. vertices of a right triangle
- B. vertices of an isosceles triangle
- C. vertices of an equilateral triangle
- D. collinear

Answer: D



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30. If the number $\frac{z-1}{z+1}$ is purely imaginary, then

A. $|z| = 1$

B. $|z| < 1$

C. $|z| > 1$

D. $|z| \geq 2$

Answer: A



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31. If z is a complex number such that $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \arg z \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$, then which of the following inequality is true

A. $|z - \bar{z}| \leq |z| |\arg(z) - \arg(\bar{z})|$

B. $|z - \bar{z}| \leq |\arg(z) - \arg(\bar{z})|$

C. $|z - \bar{z}| > |z| |\arg(z) - \arg(\bar{z})|$

D. None of these

Answer: A

32. If $|\omega| = 1$, then the set of points $z = \omega + \frac{1}{\omega}$ is contained in or equal to the set of points z satisfying.

A. $|Re(z)| \leq 2$

B. $|z| \leq 1$

C. $|z| = 1$

D. $|Im(z)| \geq 2$

Answer: A

33. The number of complex numbers z such that $|z| = 1$ and $|z/z + z/z| = 1$ is $(arg(z) \in [0, 2\pi))$ 4 b. 6 c. 8 d. m or $ethan8$

A. 0

B. 2

C. 4

D. 8

Answer: D



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34. If $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ are two complex numbers such that

$|z_1| = |z_2| = \sqrt{2}$ and $|z_1 + z_2| = \sqrt{3}$, then $|z_1 - z_2|$ equation

A. $2\sqrt{2}$

B. $\sqrt{5}$

C. 3

D. $2 - \sqrt{2}$

Answer: B

35. Let z_1, z_2, z_3 be three non-zero complex numbers such that

$z_1\bar{z}_2 = z_2\bar{z}_3 = z_3\bar{z}_1$, then z_1, z_2, z_3

A. are vertices of an equilateral triangle

B. are vertices of an isosceles triangle

C. lie on a straight line

D. None of these

Answer: A

36. If $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ then value of

$|z_1 - z_3|^2 + |z_3 - z_1|^2 + |z_1 - z_2|^2$ cannot exceed

A. 3

B. 6

C. 9

D. 12

Answer: C



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37. Let z_1, z_2, z_3 , be three complex number such that $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$ and $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ then Let $|z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2|$ equals

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: A



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38. Let z_1, z_2, z_3 be three complex numbers such that $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ and $z = (z_1 + z_2 + z_3) \left(\frac{1}{z_1} + \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{1}{z_3} \right)$, then $|z|$ cannot exceed

A. 1

B. 3

C. 6

D. 9

Answer: D



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39. Suppose z is a complex number such that $z \neq -1$, $|z| = 1$, and $\arg(z) = \theta$. Let $\omega = \frac{z(1 - \bar{z})}{\bar{z}(1 + z)}$, then $\operatorname{Re}(\omega)$ is equal to

A. $1 + \cos(\theta/2)$

B. $1 - \sin(\theta/2)$

C. $-2 \sin^2(\theta/2)$

D. $2 \cos^2(\theta/2)$

Answer: C



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40. Let $a = \operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{1+z^2}{2iz}\right)$, where z is any non-zero complex number.

Then the set $A = \{a : |z| = 1 \text{ and } z \neq \pm 1\}$ is equal to

A. $(-1, 1)$

B. $[-1, 1]$

C. $[0, 1)$

D. $(-1, 0]$

Answer: A

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41. Number of complex numbers such that $|z| = 1$ and $z = 1 - 2\bar{z}$ is

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. infinite

Answer: A

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42. Let z_1, z_2 be two complex numbers such that $z_1 \neq 0$ and z_2/z_1 is purely real, then $\left| \frac{2iz_1 + 5z_2}{2iz_1 - 5z_2} \right|$ is equal to

- A. 3
- B. 2

C. 1

D. 0

Answer: C



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43. If $z = i(1 + \sqrt{3})$, then $z^4 + 2z^3 + 4z^2 + 5$ is equal to

A. 5

B. -5

C. $2\sqrt{3}i$

D. $-2\sqrt{3}i$

Answer: A



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44. If the fourth roots of unity are z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4 and $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 + z_4^2$ is equal to :

A. $-a^2$

B. $|a| - a$

C. $a + |a|$

D. a^2

Answer: C



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45. Suppose $\arg(z) = -5\pi/13$, then $\arg\left(\frac{z + \bar{z}}{1 + z\bar{z}}\right)$ is

A. $-5\pi/13$

B. $5\pi/13$

C. π

D. 0

Answer: C



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46. The number of values of $\theta \in (0, \pi]$, such that $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)(\cos 3\theta + i \sin 3\theta)(\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta)(\cos 7\theta + i \sin 7\theta)(\cos 9\theta + i \sin 9\theta)$ is

A. 11

B. 13

C. 14

D. 16

Answer: B



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47. If $z \in C - \{0, -2\}$ is such that $\log_{(1/7)} |z - 2| > \log_{(1/7)} |z|$ then

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 1$

B. $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 1$

C. $\operatorname{Im}(z) > 1$

D. $\operatorname{Im}(z) < 1$

Answer: A



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48. $\operatorname{Im} \left(\frac{2z + 1}{iz + 1} \right) = 5$ represents

A. a circle

B. a straight line

C. a parabola

D. an ellipse

Answer: A



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49. If z_1, z_2 are two complex numbers such that

$Im(z_1 + z_2) = 0, Im(z_1 z_2) = 0$, then:

A. $z_1 = -\bar{z}_2$

B. $z_1 = z_2$

C. $z_1 = \bar{z}_2$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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50. The number $\frac{(1+i)^n}{(1-i)^{n-2}}$ is equal to

A. i^{n+1}

B. $-2i^{n+1}$

C. i^{n+2}

D. $-2i^{n+2}$

Answer: B



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51. Let $\omega \neq 1$, be a cube root of unity, and $f: I \rightarrow C$ be defined by

$f(n) = 1 + \omega^n + \omega^{2n}$, then range of f is

A. $\{0\}$

B. $\{0, 3\}$

C. $\{0, 1, 3\}$

D. $\{0, 1\}$

Answer: B

52. If $z + \frac{1}{z} = 2 \cos \theta$, $z \in \mathbb{C}$ then $z^{2n} - 2z^n \cos(n\theta)$ is equal to

- A. 1
- B. 0
- C. -1
- D. $-n$

Answer: C

53. If $\omega \neq 1$ is a cube root of unity, then $z = \sum_{k=1}^{60} \omega^k - \prod_{k=1}^{30} \omega^k$ is equal to

- A. 0
- B. ω

C. ω^2

D. -1

Answer: D



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54. Let $g(x)$ and $h(x)$ be two polynomials with real coefficients. If $p(x) = g(x^3) + xh(x^3)$ is divisible by $x^2 + x + 1$, then

A. $g(1) = 0, h(1) = 1$

B. $g(1) = 1, h(1) = 0$

C. $g(1) = 0, h(1) = 0$

D. $g(1) = 1, h(1) = 0$

Answer: C



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55. If $x^2 - x + 1$ divides the polynomial $x^{n+1} - x^n + 1$, then n must be of the form

A. $3k + 1$

B. $6k + 1$

C. $6k - 1$

D. $3k - 1$

Answer: B



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1. The complex number z_1, z_2, z_3 are the vertices A, B, C of a parallelogram ABCD, then the fourth vertex D is:

A. $\frac{1}{2}(z_1 + z_2)$

B. $\frac{1}{4}(z_1 + z_2 - z_3 - z_4)$

C. $\frac{1}{3}(z_1 + z_2 + z_3)$

D. $z_1 + z_3 - z_2$

Answer: D



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Exercise Level 3

1. If a , b and c are three integers such that at least two of them are unequal and $\omega (\neq 1)$ is a cube root of unit, then the least value of the expression $|a + b\omega + c\omega^2|$ is

A. 0

B. 1

C. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

D. $\frac{1}{2}$

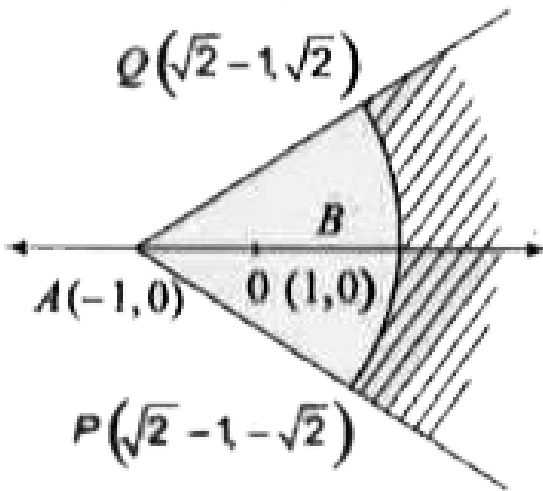
Answer: B



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Exercise Level 4

1. The shaded region in Figure is given by



A. $\left\{ z: |z - 1| < 2, |\arg(z + 1)| < \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$

B. $\left\{ z: |z + 1| < 2, |\arg(z + 1)| < \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$

C. $\left\{ z: |z - 1| > 2, |\arg(z - 1)| < \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$

D. $\left\{ z : |z + 1| > 2, |arg(z + 1)| < \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$

Answer: D



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Exercise Level 5

1. If $w = \alpha + i\beta$ where $\beta \neq 0$ and $z \neq 1$ satisfies the condition that $\left(\frac{w - \bar{w}z}{1 - z} \right)$ is purely real then the set of values of z is

A. $\{z : |z| = 1\}$

B. $\{z : \bar{z} = z\}$

C. $\{z : |z| \neq 1\}$

D. $\{z : |z| = 1, z \neq 1\}$

Answer: D



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Exercise Level 6

1. Let z and w be non - zero complex numbers such that $zw = |z|^2$ and $|z - \bar{z}| + |w + \bar{w}| = 4$. If w varies, then the perimeter of the locus of z is

- A. rectangle
- B. square
- C. rhombus
- D. trapezium

Answer: B



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Exercise Level 7

1. Let $z = 1 - t + i\sqrt{t^2 + t + 2}$, where t is a real parameter. the locus of the z in argand plane is

- A. a parabola
- B. an ellipse
- C. a hyperbola
- D. a pair of straight lines.

Answer: C



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Exercise Level 8

1. $Z_1 \neq Z_2$ are two points in an Argand plane. If $a|Z_1| = b|Z_2|$, then prove that $\frac{aZ_1 - bZ_2}{aZ_1 + bZ_2}$ is purely imaginary.

- A. in the 1st quadrant

- B. in the 3rd quadrant
- C. on the real axis
- D. on the imaginary axis

Answer: D



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Exercise Level 9

1. If $z \in C$, then least value of the expression $|z| + |1 - z| + |z - 2|$ is
- A. 4
 - B. $3/2$
 - C. 2
 - D. cannot be determined

Answer: C

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Exercise Level 10

1. If $k > 0$, $k \neq 1$, and $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$, then $\left| \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right| = k$ represents

- A. a circle
- B. an ellipse
- C. a parabola
- D. a hyperbola

Answer: A

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Exercise Level 11

1. If $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3|$ and $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$, then z_1, z_2, z_3 are vertices of

- A. are vertices of a right triangle
- B. an equilateral triangle
- C. an obtuse angled triangle
- D. None of these

Answer: B



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Exercise Level 12

1. If $w = \cos \frac{\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{n}$ then value of $1 + w + w^2 + \dots + w^{n-1}$ is :

- A. $1 + i$
- B. $1 + i \tan(\pi / 2n)$

C. $1 + i \cot(\pi/2n)$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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Exercise Level 13

1. Let z_1, z_2 be two non-zero complex numbers such that

$|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$, then $\frac{z_1}{\bar{z}_1} + \frac{z_2}{\bar{z}_2}$ equals

A. 0

B. 1

C. -1

D. None of these

Answer: A

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Exercise Level 14

1. If $|z_1| = 2$ and $(1 - i)z_2 + (1 + i)\bar{z}_2 = 8\sqrt{2}$, then

- A. minimum value of $|z_1 - z_2|$ is 1
- B. minimum value of $|z_1 - z_2|$ is 2
- C. maximum value of $|z_1 - z_2|$ is 8
- D. maximum value of $|z_1 - z_2|$ is 4

Answer: B

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Exercise Level 15

1. If z_1 lies on $|z| = r$, then equation of tangent at z_1 is

A. $\frac{z}{\bar{z}_1} + \frac{\bar{z}}{\bar{z}_1} = 2$

B. $\frac{z}{\bar{z}_1} + \frac{\bar{z}}{\bar{z}_1} = r$

C. $\frac{z}{\bar{z}_1} + \frac{\bar{z}}{z_1} = 2$

D. $\frac{z}{\bar{z}_1} + \frac{\bar{z}}{z_1} = r$

Answer: A



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Exercise Level 16

1. If $z \in C$, then minimum value of $|z - 2 + 3i| + |z - 1 + i|$ is

A. $\sqrt{5}$

B. $2\sqrt{5}$

C. $\sqrt{13} - \sqrt{2}$

D. 0

Answer: A



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Exercise Level 17

1. If $a > 0$ and the equation $|z - a^2| + |z - 2a| = 3$, represents an ellipse, then 'a' belongs to the interval

A. $(0, 3)$

B. $(0, \infty)$

C. $(1, 3)$

D. $(3, \infty)$

Answer: A



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Exercise Level 18

1. If the points $A(z)$, $B(-z)$ and $C(1-z)$ are the vertices of an equilateral triangle, then value of z is

A. $1 \pm \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{2}(1 \pm i)$

C. $\frac{1}{4}(1 \pm \sqrt{3}i)$

D. $\frac{1}{3}(1 \pm \sqrt{3}i)$

Answer: C



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Exercise Level 19

1. If $|z + 1| + |z - 3| \leq 10$, then the range of values of $|z - 7|$ is

A. $[0, 10]$

B. $[3, 13]$

C. $[2, 12]$

D. $[7, 9]$

Answer: B



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Exercise Level 20

1. If $\omega \neq 1$ is a cube root of unity and $|z - 1|^2 + 2|z - \omega|^2 = 3|z - \omega^2|^2$

then z lies on

A. a straight line

B. a parabola

C. an ellipse

D. a rectangular hyperbola

Answer: A



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Exercise Level 21

1. The least positive integer n for which $\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^n = \frac{2}{\pi} \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1+x^2}{2x}\right)$, where $x > 0$ and $i = \sqrt{-1}$ is

A. 2

B. 4

C. 8

D. 32

Answer: B



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Exercise Numerical Answer Type Questions

1. Suppose $a \in R$ and $z \in C$. If $|z| = 2$ and $\frac{z - \alpha}{z + \alpha}$ is purely imaginary, then $1.25 |\alpha|$ is equal to _____.



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2. If α and β are roots of the equation $x^2 - 2x + 2 = 0$, then the least value of n for which $\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right)^n = 1$ is



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3. Let $S = \left\{ \frac{2\alpha + 3i}{2\alpha - 3i} : \alpha \in R \right\}$. All the points of S lie on a circle of radius _____.



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4. Let $\omega \neq 1$ be cube root of unity. Suppose $(1 + \omega)^{2023} = A + B\omega$ where $A, B \in \mathbb{R}$, then $|A + Bi|^2$ is equal to _____.



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5. If $(7 + i)(z + \bar{z}) - (4 + i)(z - \bar{z}) + 116i = 0$ then $z\bar{z}$ is equal to _____.



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6. Let C_1 be the curve represented by $\frac{2z + i}{z - 2}$ is purely imaginary, and C_2 be the curve represented by $\arg\left(\frac{z + i}{z + 1}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$. Let m = slope of the common chord of C_1 and C_2 , then $|m|$ is equal to _____.



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7. Let $a = 3 + 4i$, z_1 and z_2 be two complex numbers such that $|z_1| = 3$ and $|z_2 - a| = 2$, then maximum possible value of $|z_1 - z_2|$ is _____.



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8. Let α be the real and β, γ be the complex roots of $x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 28 = 0$, then $|\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma| =$ _____.



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9. Let $z = \left(\frac{2}{i + \sqrt{3}} \right)^{200} + \left(\frac{2}{i - \sqrt{3}} \right)^{200}$, then $|z + (1.7)^2| =$ _____.



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10. Let z be a non-zero complex number such that area of the triangle with vertices $P(z)$, $Q\left(ze^{\pi i/6}\right)$ and $R\left(z\left(1 + e^{\pi i/6}\right)\right)$ is 0.64, then z lies on a circle of diameter _____.



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11. Suppose $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$. If $x^2 + y + 4i$ is conjugate of $-3 + x^2yi$, then maximum possible value of $(|x| + |y|)^2$ is equal to _____.



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12. All the roots of the equation $x^{11} - x^6 - x^5 + 1 = 0$ lie on a circle of radius _____.



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13. If $13e^{i \tan^{-1}(5/12)} = a + ib$, then $|a| + |b|$ is equal to _____.

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14. Suppose, $a, b, c \geq 0$, $c \neq 1$, $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = c$. If $\left| \frac{a + ib}{2 - c} \right| = \frac{1}{2}$, then c is equal to _____.

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15. Let z_1, z_2, z_3 be the roots of $iz^3 + 5z^2 - z + 5i = 0$, then $|z_1| + |z_2| + |z_3| =$ _____.

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16. Let $S = \{z \in C : z^2 = 4(i\bar{z})^2\}$, then $\sum_{z \in S} \left| z + \frac{1}{2}i \right| =$ _____.

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17. Let $z = \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3} + i)$, then $\left| (z^{101} + i^{103})^{105} \right| =$ _____.

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18. If $\alpha = \cos\left(\frac{8\pi}{11}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{8\pi}{11}\right)$ then $Re(\alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4 + \alpha^5)$ is

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19. Eccentricity of conic $|z - 5i| + |z + 5i| = 25$ is _____.

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20. If α is a non-real root of $x^6 = 1$ then $\frac{\alpha^5 + \alpha^3 + \alpha + 1}{\alpha^2 + 1} =$

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1. Let z and w be two non-zero complex number such that $|z| = |w|$ and $\arg(z) + \arg(w) = \pi$, then z equals.

A. \bar{w}

B. $-\bar{w}$

C. w

D. $-w$

Answer: B



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2. If $|z - 4| < |z - 2|$, then

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0$

B. $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 0$

C. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 3$

D. $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 2$

Answer: C



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3. The locus of the center of a circle which touches the circles

$$|z - z_1| = a, |z - z_2| = b \text{ externally will be}$$

A. an ellipse

B. a hyperbola

C. a circle

D. a pair of straight lines.

Answer: B



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4. If $\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^x = 1$, then

$$n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

A. $x = 2n$, where n is any positive integer

B. $x = 4n + 1$, where n is any positive integer

C. $x = 2n + 1$, where n is any positive integer

D. $x = 4n$, where n is any positive integer

Answer: D



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5. If z and w are two complex number such that

$|zw| = 1$ and $\arg(z) - \arg(w) = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then show that $\bar{z}w = -i$.

A. -1

B. i

C. $-i$

D. 1

Answer: C

6. Let z_1 and z_2 be the roots of $z^2 + az + b = 0$. If the origin, z_1 and z_2 form an equilateral triangle, then

A. $a^2 = 2b$

B. $a^2 = 3b$

C. $a^2 = 4b$

D. $a^2 = b$

Answer: B

7. Let z, w be complex numbers such that $\bar{z} + i\bar{w} = 0$ and $\arg zw = \pi$

Then $\arg z$ equals

A. $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

D. $\frac{5\pi}{4}$

Answer: A



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8. If $z = x - iy$ and $z^{\frac{1}{3}} = p + iq$, then $\frac{1}{p^2 + q^2} \left(\frac{x}{p} + \frac{y}{q} \right)$ is equal to

A. 2

B. -1

C. 1

D. -2

Answer: D



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9. If $|z^2 - 1| = |z|^2 + 1$, then z lies on (a) a circle (b) the imaginary axis (c) the real axis (d) an ellipse

- A. a circle
- B. the imaginary axis
- C. the real axis
- D. an ellipse

Answer: B



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10. If the cube roots of unity are $1, \omega, \omega^2$, then the roots of the equation $(x - 1)^3 + 8 = 0$, are

- A. $-1, 1 - 2\omega, 1 - 2\omega^2$
- B. $-1, 1 + 2\omega, 1 + 2\omega^2$
- C. $-1, -1 + 2\omega, -1 - 2\omega^2$

D. $-1, -1, -1$

Answer: A



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11. If $w = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{3}i}$ and $|w| = 1$, then z lies on

A. straight line

B. a parabola

C. an ellipse

D. a circle

Answer: A



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12. If z_1 and z_2 , are two non-zero complex numbers such that $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$ then $\arg(z_1) - \arg(z_2)$ is equal to (1) 0 (2) $-\frac{\pi}{2}$ (3) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (4) $-\pi$

A. 0

B. $-\frac{\pi}{2}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

D. π

Answer: A



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13.
$$\sum_{k=1}^{10} \left(\frac{\sin(2k\pi)}{11} + i \frac{\cos(2k\pi)}{11} \right)$$

A. $-i$

B. i

C. 1

D. -1

Answer: A



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14. If $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$ where z is a complex number, then the value of $\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(z^6 + \frac{1}{z^6}\right)^2$ is

A. 12

B. 18

C. 54

D. 6

Answer: A



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15. If $|z + 4| \leq 3$, then the maximum value of $|z + 1|$ is (1) 4 (B) 10 (3) 6
(4) 0

A. 4

B. 10

C. 6

D. 0

Answer: C



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16. The conjugate of a complex number is $\frac{1}{i-1}$. Then the complex number is (1) $\frac{-1}{i-1}$ (2) $\frac{1}{i+1}$ (3) $\frac{-1}{i+1}$ (4) $\frac{1}{i-1}$

A. $\frac{-1}{i-1}$

B. $\frac{1}{i+1}$

C. $\frac{-1}{i+1}$

D. $\frac{1}{i-1}$

Answer: C



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17. If $\left| z - \frac{4}{z} \right| = 2$, then the maximum value of $|z|$

A. 1

B. $2 + \sqrt{2}$

C. $\sqrt{3} + 1$

D. $\sqrt{5} + 1$

Answer: D



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18. The number of complex numbers z such that $|z - 1| = |z + 1| = |z - i|$ is

A. 2

B. ∞

C. 0

D. 1

Answer: D



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19. If $\omega (\neq 1)$ be a cube root of unity and $(1 + \omega)^7 = A + B\omega$, then A and B are respectively the numbers.

A. (-1, 1)

B. (0, 1)

C. (1, 1)

D. (1, 0)

Answer: C



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20. Let α, β be real and z be a complex number. If $z^2 + \alpha z + \beta = 0$ has two distinct roots on the line $\operatorname{Re} z = 1$, then it is necessary that : (1) $b \in (0, 1)$ (2) $b \in (-1, 0)$ (3) $|\beta| = 1$ (4) $b \in (1, \infty)$

A. $\beta \in (1, \infty)$

B. $\beta \in (0, 1)$

C. $\beta \in (-1, 0)$

D. $|\beta| = 1$

Answer: A



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21. If $z \neq 1$ and $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$ is real, the point represented by the complex numbers z lies

- A. on a circle with centre at the origin.
- B. either on the real axis or on a circle not passing through the origin.
- C. on the imaginary axis.
- D. either on the real axis or on a circle passing through the origin

Answer: D



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22. The area of the triangle on the Argand plane formed by the complex numbers z , iz and $z+iz$ is?

A. $2|z|^2$

B. $\frac{1}{2}|z|^2$

C. $4|z|^2$

D. $|z|^2$

Answer: B



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23. If z is a complex number of unit modulus and argument θ , then $\arg\left(\frac{1+z}{1+\bar{z}}\right)$ equals to

A. $\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$

B. θ

C. $\pi - \theta$

D. $-\theta$

Answer: B



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24. if $\frac{5z_2}{7z_1}$ is purely imaginary number then $\left| \frac{2z_1 + 3z_2}{2z_1 - 3z_2} \right|$ is equal to

A. 2

B. 5

C. 3

D. 1

Answer: D



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25. Let $a = \operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{1 + z^2}{2iz}\right)$, where z is any non-zero complex number.

Then the set $A = \{a : |z| = 1 \text{ and } z \neq \pm 1\}$ is equal to

A. $(-1, 1)$

B. $[-1, 1]$

C. $[0, 1)$

D. $(-1, 0]$

Answer: A



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26. If a complex number z satisfies $z + \sqrt{2}|z + 1| + i = 0$, then $|z|$ is equal to :

A. 2

B. $\sqrt{3}$

C. $\sqrt{5}$

D. 1

Answer: C



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27. If z is a complex number such that $|z| \geq 2$ then the minimum value of $\left|z + \frac{1}{2}\right|$ is

- A. is strictly greater than $5/2$
- B. is strictly greater than $3/2$ but less than $5/2$
- C. is equal to $5/2$
- D. lies in the interval $(1, 2)$

Answer: D



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28. Let w ($\text{Im} w \neq 0$) be a complex number. Then the set of all complex numbers z satisfying the equation $w - \bar{w}z = k(1 - z)$, for some real number k , is :

- A. $\{z : |z| = 1\}$
- B. $\{z : z = \bar{z}\}$

C. $\{z: z \neq 1\}$

D. $\{z: |z| = 1, z \neq 1\}$

Answer: D



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29. If z_1, z_2 and z_3, z_4 are two pairs of conjugate complex numbers then

$\arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_4}\right) + \arg\left(\frac{z_2}{z_3}\right)$ equals

A. 0

B. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

C. $\frac{3\pi}{2}$

D. π

Answer: A



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30. Let $z \neq i$ be any complex number such that $\frac{z-i}{z+i}$ is a purely imaginary number. Then $z + \frac{1}{z}$ is

- A. 0
- B. any non-zero real number other than 1
- C. any non-zero real number
- D. a purely imaginary number

Answer:



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31. For all complex numbers z of the form $1 + i\alpha$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ if $z^2 = x + iy$, then

- A. $y^2 - 4x + 2 = 0$
- B. $y^2 + 4x - 4 = 0$
- C. $y^2 - 4x + 4 = 0$

D. $y^2 + 4x + 2 = 0$

Answer: B



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32. A complex number z is said to be uni-modular if $|z| = 1$. Suppose z_1 and z_2 are complex numbers such that $\frac{z_1 - 2z_2}{2 - z_1z_2}$ is uni-modular and z_2 is not uni-modular. Then the point z_1 lies on a:

A. straight line parallel to the x-axis.

B. straight line parallel to the y-axis.

C. circle of radius 2.

D. circle of radius $\sqrt{2}$

Answer: C



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33. The largest value of r for which the region represented by the set $\{\omega \in \mathbb{C} / |\omega - 4 - i| \leq r\}$ is contained in the region represented by the set $\{z \in \mathbb{C} / |z - 1| \leq |z + i|\}$, is equal to

A. $\sqrt{17}$

B. $\sqrt{2}$

C. $\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$

D. $\frac{5}{2}\sqrt{2}$

Answer: D



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34. If Z is a non-real complex number, then find the minimum value of

$$\frac{\operatorname{Im} z^5}{\operatorname{Im}^5 z}$$

A. -1

B. -2

C. -4

D. -5

Answer: C



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35. A value of θ for which $\frac{2 + 3i \sin \theta}{1 - 2i \sin \theta}$ purely imaginary, is : (1) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (2) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (3)

$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\right)$ (4) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

A. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

C. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\right)$

D. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

Answer: D



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36. The point represented by $2 + i$ in the Argand plane moves 1 unit eastwards, then 2-units northwards and finally from there $2\sqrt{2}$ units in the south-westwards direction. Then its new position in the Argand plane is at the point represented by

A. $1 + i$

B. $2 + 2i$

C. $-2 - 2i$

D. $-1 - i$

Answer: A



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37. Let $z = 1 + ai$ be a complex number, $a > 0$, such that z^3 is a real number. Then the sum $1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{11}$ is equal to:

A. $1365\sqrt{3}i$

B. $-1365\sqrt{3}i$

C. $-1250\sqrt{3}i$

D. $1250\sqrt{3}i$

Answer: B



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38. Let $z \in C$, the set of complex numbers. Then the equation, $2|z + 3i| - |z - i| = 0$ represents :

A. a circle with radius $8/3$

B. a circle with diameter $10/3$

C. an ellipse with length of major axis $16/3$

D. an ellipse with length of minor axis $16/9$

Answer: A



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39. The equation $\operatorname{Im}\left(\frac{iz - 2}{z - i}\right) + 1 = 0, z \in C, z \neq i$ represents a part of a circle having radius equal to 4

A. 2

B. 1

C. $3/4$

D. $1/2$

Answer: C



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40. If $\alpha, \beta \in C$ are the distinct roots of the equation $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$, then $\alpha^{101} + \beta^{107}$ is equal to

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. -1

Answer: B



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41. The set of all $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ for which $w = \frac{1 + (1 - 8\alpha)z}{1 - z}$ is a purely imaginary number, for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$, satisfying $|z| = 1$ and $\operatorname{Re}(z) \neq 1$, is

A. an empty set

B. $\{0\}$

C. $\left\{0, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4}\right\}$

D. equal to \mathbb{R}

Answer: B



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42. If $|z - 3 + 2i| \leq 4$, (where $i = \sqrt{-1}$) then the difference of greatest and least values of $|z|$ is

A. $2\sqrt{13}$

B. 8

C. $4 + \sqrt{13}$

D. $\sqrt{13}$

Answer: C



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43. The least positive integer n for which $\left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{3}i}{1 - \sqrt{3}i}\right)^n = 1$, is

A. 2

B. 3

C. 5

D. 6

Answer: B



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44. Let $A = \left\{ \theta \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \right) : \frac{3 + 2i \sin \theta}{1 - 2 \sin \theta} \text{ is purely imaginary} \right\}$

Then the sum of the elements in A is

A. $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

B. π

C. $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

D. $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

Answer: A



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45. Let Z_0 is the root of equation $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$ and $Z = 3 + 6i(Z_0)^{81} - 3i(Z_0)^{93}$ Then $\arg(Z)$ is equal to (a) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (c) π (d) $\frac{\pi}{6}$

A. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D. 0

Answer: A



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46. Let z_1 and z_2 be any two non-zero complex numbers such that $3|z_1| = 2|z_2|$. If $z = \frac{3z_1}{2z_2} + \frac{2z_2}{3z_1}$, then

A. $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 0$

B. $|z| = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$

C. $|z| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{17}{2}}$

D. $\text{Im}(z) = 0$

Answer:



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47. If $z = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2} \right)^5 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{i}{2} \right)^5$, then

A. $\text{Im}(z) = 0$

B. $\text{Re}(z) > 0$ and $\text{Im}(z) > 0$

C. $\text{Re}(z) < 0$ and $\text{Im}(z) > 0$

D. $\text{Re}(z) = -3$

Answer: A



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48. If x, y are real and $\left(-2 - \frac{i}{3}\right)^3 = \frac{x + iy}{27}$ then value of $y - x$ is equal to (A) 91 (B) -91 (C) 85 (D) -85

A. -85

B. 85

C. -91

D. 91

Answer: D



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49. Let $\frac{z - \alpha}{z + \alpha}$ is purely imaginary and $|z| = 2, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ then α is equal to (A) 2 (B) 1 (C) $\sqrt{2}$ (D) $\sqrt{3}$

A. 1

B. 2

C. $\sqrt{2}$

D. $\frac{1}{2}$

Answer: B



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50. Let Z_1 and Z_2 be two complex numbers satisfying $|Z_1| = 9$ and $|Z_2 - 3 - 4i| = 4$. Then the minimum value of $|Z_1 - Z_2|$ is

A. 0

B. 1

C. $\sqrt{2}$

D. 2

Answer: A



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51. If α and β be the roots of the equation $x^2 - 2x + 2 = 0$, then the least value of n for which $\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right)^n = 1$ is:

A. 2

B. 5

C. 4

D. 3

Answer: C



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52. if $z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2}(i = \sqrt{-1})$, then $(1 + iz + z^5 + iz^8)^9$ is equal to:

A. 0

B. 1

C. $(-1 + 2i)^9$

D. -1

Answer: D



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53. All the points in the set $S = \left\{ \frac{\alpha + i}{\alpha - i} : \alpha \in R \right\}$ ($i = \sqrt{-1}$) lie on a

A. straight line whose slope is 1

B. circle whose radius is 1

C. circle whose radius is $\sqrt{2}$

D. straight line whose slope is -1

Answer: B



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54. Let $z \in C$ be such that $|z| < 1$. If $\omega = \frac{5 + 3z}{5(1 - z)}$ then

A. $5 \operatorname{Re}(w) > 4$

B. $4 \operatorname{Im}(w) > 5$

C. $5 \operatorname{Re}(w) > 1$

D. $5 \operatorname{Im}(w) < 1$

Answer: C



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55. If $a > 0$ and $z = \frac{(1+i)^2}{a-1}$ has magnitude $\sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}$ then \bar{z} is equal to

A. $-\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}i$

B. $\frac{1}{5} - \frac{3}{5}i$

C. $-\frac{1}{5} - \frac{3}{5}i$

D. $-\frac{1}{5} - \frac{3}{5}i$

Answer: C



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56. If z and w are two complex number such that

$|zw| = 1$ and $\arg(z) - \arg(w) = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then show that $zw = -i$.

A. $\bar{z}w = i$

B. $z\bar{w} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-1 + i)$

C. $z\bar{w} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 - i)$

D. $\bar{z}w = -i$

Answer: D



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57. The equation $|z - i| = |z - 1|$ represents :

A. a circle of radius 1

B. a circle of radius $1/2$

C. the line through the origin with slope -1

D. the line through the origin with slope 1.

Answer: D



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58. if $\frac{2z - n}{2z + n} = 2i - 1, n \in N \in N$ and $IM(z) = 10$, then

A. $n = 20$ and $Re(z) = -10$

B. $n = 40$ and $Re(z) = -10$

C. $n = 40$ and $Re(z) = 10$

D. $n = 20$ and $Re(z) = 10$

Answer: B



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1. $\frac{5 + i \sin \theta}{5 - 3i \sin \theta}$ is a real number when

A. $\theta = \pi/4$

B. $\theta = -\pi$

C. $\theta = -\pi/2$

D. $\theta = \pi/2$

Answer: B



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2. Two points P and Q in the Argand diagram represent z and $2z + 3 + i$.

If P moves on a circle with centre at the origin and radius 4, then the locus of Q is a circle with centre

A. $-2 - i, 6$

B. $2 - i, 3$

C. $2 + i, 6$

D. $2 + i, 3$

Answer: C



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3. Let z be a complex number such that $|z| = 2$, then maximum possible value of $\left| z + \frac{2}{z} \right|$ is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: C



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4. If $i = \sqrt{-1}$, then $4 + 3\left(-\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{127} + 5\left(-\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{124}$ is equal to

A. $4\sqrt{3}i$

B. $2\sqrt{3}i$

C. $1 - \sqrt{3}i$

D. $1 + \sqrt{3}i$

Answer: A



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5. The real part of a complex number z having minimum principal argument and satisfying $|z - 5i| \leq 1$ is

A. $\frac{2}{5}\sqrt{6}$

B. 0

C. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$

D. $-\frac{1}{5}\sqrt{6}$

Answer: A



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6. Show that the area of the triangle on the Argand diagram formed by the complex number z , iz and $z + iz$ is $\frac{1}{2}|z|^2$

A. 0

B. $\frac{1}{2}|z|^2$

C. $|z|^2$

D. $2|z|^2$

Answer: B



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7. Two circles in the complex plane are

$$C_1: |z - i| = 2$$

$$C_2: |z - 1 - 2i| = 4 \quad \text{then}$$

- A. C_1 and C_2 touch each other
- B. C_1 and C_2 intersect at two distinct points
- C. C_1 lies within C_2
- D. C_2 lies within C_1

Answer: C



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8. If $z = i(i + \sqrt{2})$, then value of $z^4 + 4z^3 + 6z^2 + 4z$ is

- A. -5
- B. 3
- C. 6
- D. -9

Answer: B



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9. Suppose z is a complex number such that $z \neq -1$, $|z| = 1$ and $\arg(z) = \theta$. Let $w = \frac{z(1 - \bar{z})}{\bar{z}(1 + z)}$, then $\operatorname{Re}(w)$ is equal to

A. $1 + \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$

B. $1 - \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$

C. $-2 \sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$

D. $2 \cos^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$

Answer: C



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10. If $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ and $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = \sqrt{2} + i$, then the number $z_1\bar{z}_2 + z_2\bar{z}_3 + z_3\bar{z}_1$ is :

- A. a positive real number
- B. a negative real number
- C. always zero
- D. a purely imaginary number

Answer: D



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11. Let $S = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : z(iz_1 - 1) = z_1 + 1, |z_1| < 1\}$. Then, for all $z \in S$, which one of the following is always true ?

- A. $\operatorname{Re} z + \operatorname{Im} z < 0$
- B. $\operatorname{Re} z < 0$
- C. $\operatorname{Re} z - \operatorname{Im} z > 1$

D. $\operatorname{Re} z - \operatorname{Im} z < 0$

Answer:



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12. If $(4 + 3i)^2 = 7 + 24i$, then a value of $(7 + \sqrt{-576})^{1/2} - (7 - \sqrt{-576})^{1/2}$ is :

A. $-6i$

B. $-3i$

C. $2i$

D. 6

Answer: A



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13. Let $A = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 25\}$ and $B = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z + 5 + 12i| = 4\}$.

Then the minimum value of $|z - \omega|$, for $z \in A$ and $\omega \in B$, is

A. 7

B. 8

C. 9

D. 6

Answer: B



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14. If z_1, z_2 and z_3 are three distinct complex numbers such that $|z_1| = 1, |z_2| = 2, |z_3| = 4, \arg(z_2) = \arg(z_1) - \pi, \arg(z_3) = \arg(z_1) + \pi$, then $z_2 z_3$ is equal to

A. $-8iz_1^2$

B. $8iz_1^2$

C. $-\frac{8i}{z_i^2}$

D. $\frac{8i}{z_i^2}$

Answer: A



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15. The locus of the point $w = Re(z) + \frac{1}{z}$, where $|z| = 3$, in complex plane is :

A. parabola

B. a circle

C. an ellipse

D. a hyperbola

Answer: C



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16. Let $z (\neq -1)$ be any complex number such that $|z| = 1$. Then the imaginary part of $\frac{\bar{z}(1-z)}{z(1+\bar{z})}$ is : (Here $\theta = \text{Arg}(z)$)

A. $-\tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)\sin\theta$

B. $\tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)\cos\theta$

C. $-\tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)\cos\theta$

D. $\tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)\sin\theta$

Answer: C



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17. Let $u = \frac{1}{2}(-1 + \sqrt{3}i)$ and $z = u - u^2 - 2$. Then the value of $z^4 + 3z^3 + 2z^2 - 11z - 6$ is :

A. 1

B. -1

C. 2

D. -2

Answer: A



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