

## Chapter Highlights

Imaginary numbers, Integral powers of  $i$ , Complex numbers, Conjugate of a complex number, Modulus of a complex number, Square roots of a complex number, Argand plane and geometrical representation of complex numbers, Polar form of a complex number, Particular cases of polar form, Eulerian representation of a complex number, Logarithm of a complex number, Vectorial representation of a complex number, Roots of a complex number, Geometry of complex numbers.

## IMAGINARY NUMBERS

Square root of a negative number is called an *imaginary number*.

## Illustration 1

$\sqrt{-1}$ ,  $\sqrt{-4}$ ,  $\sqrt{-7}$ ,  $\sqrt{-18}$ , and so on are all imaginary numbers.

$\sqrt{-1}$  is denoted by the Greek letter  $i$  (pronounced as *iota*), where  $i$  is a number such that  $i^2 = -1$ . Thus,

$$\sqrt{-2} = \sqrt{2}i, \quad \sqrt{-3} = \sqrt{3}i, \quad \sqrt{-4} = 2i.$$



## NOTE

If  $a < 0$ , then  $\sqrt{a} = \sqrt{|a|}i$ .

The symbol ' $i$ ' was first introduced by the famous mathematician, Leonhard Euler (1707–1783) in 1748, possibly because ' $i$ ' is the first letter of the Latin word 'imaginarius'.

INTEGRAL POWERS OF  $i$ 

We have

$$i = \sqrt{-1}, \quad i^2 = -1.$$

Therefore,

$$i^3 = i^2 \times i = (-1) \times i = -i,$$

$$i^4 = i^2 \times i^2 = (-1) \times (-1) = 1$$

## TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

- For any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$1. \quad i^{2n} = (i^2)^n = (-1)^n = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{when } n \text{ is even} \\ -1, & \text{when } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

$$2. \quad i^{2n+1} = (i^{2n})i = (-1)^n i = \begin{cases} i, & \text{when } n \text{ is even} \\ -i, & \text{when } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}.$$

- The sum of four consecutive powers of  $i$  is zero. For example,

$$i^{10} + i^{11} + i^{13} + i^{14} = 0$$

- Also, for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , the value of  $i^{-n}$  is found out by writing this as  $\frac{1}{i^n}$  and solving  $i^n$ .

- Thus, any integral power of  $i$  can be expressed in terms of  $\pm 1$  or  $\pm i$ .

For any two real numbers  $a$  and  $b$ ,  $\sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b} = \sqrt{ab}$  is true only when at least one of  $a$  and  $b$  is either zero or positive. If both  $a$  and  $b$  are positive real numbers, then the calculation

$$\sqrt{-a} \times \sqrt{-b} = \sqrt{(-a)(-b)} = \sqrt{ab} \quad \text{is wrong.}$$

The correct calculation is

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{-a} \times \sqrt{-b} &= (\sqrt{-1} \sqrt{a})(\sqrt{-1} \sqrt{b}) \\ &= (i\sqrt{a})(i\sqrt{b}) \\ &= i^2(\sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b}) = (-1)(\sqrt{ab}) \\ &= -\sqrt{ab} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the calculation  $\sqrt{-2} \times \sqrt{-3} = \sqrt{(-2) \times (-3)}$   
 $= \sqrt{6}$  is wrong.

The correct result is  $\sqrt{-2} \times \sqrt{-3} = (i\sqrt{2})(i\sqrt{3})$   
 $= i^2(\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{3})$   
 $= -\sqrt{6}$

$$= (1+i) \left[ \frac{i(1-i)}{1-i} \right]$$

$$= (1+i)i = -1+i$$

### SOLVED EXAMPLES

1. The value of  $\left(\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^8 + \left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^8$  is equal to  
 (A) 4 (B) 6 (C) 8 (D) 2

**Solution: (D)**

We have,  $\left(\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^8 + \left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^8$

$$= \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right]^8 + \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right]^8$$

$$= \cos 2\pi + i \sin 2\pi + \cos 2\pi - i \sin 2\pi$$

$$= 2 \cos 2\pi = 2(1) = 2 \quad [\text{By De-Moivre's theorem}]$$

2.  $\sqrt{i} - \sqrt{-i}$  is equal to  
 (A)  $i\sqrt{2}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{i\sqrt{2}}$  (C) 0 (D)  $-i\sqrt{2}$

**Solution: (A, D)**

We have,  $i = 0 + i \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{2}(0 + 2i)$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(1 + i^2 + 2 \cdot 1 \cdot i) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + i)^2$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{i} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{-i} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 - i)$$

Hence,

$$\sqrt{i} - \sqrt{-i} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(1 + i) - (1 - i)] = \pm \sqrt{2}i$$

3. The value of the sum  $\sum_{n=1}^{13} (i^n + i^{n+1})$ , where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , equals  
 (A)  $i$  (B)  $i-1$  (C)  $-i$  (D) 0

**Solution: (B)**

$$\sum_{n=1}^{13} (i^n + i^{n+1}) = \sum_{n=1}^{13} i^n (1 + i)$$

$$= (1 + i) \left[ \frac{i(1-i^{13})}{1-i} \right]$$

4. The least positive integer  $n$  for which

$$\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^n = \frac{2}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \frac{1+x^2}{2x}, \text{ where } x > 0, \text{ is}$$

- (A) 1 (B) 2  
 (C) 4 (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

For  $\sin^{-1} \frac{1+x^2}{2x}$  to be defined,

$$-1 \leq \frac{1+x^2}{2x} \leq 1$$

or  $\frac{1+x^2}{2x} \leq 1$

or  $1+x^2 \leq 2x$

or  $(1-x)^2 \leq 0$  or  $x = 1$

Now,

$$\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^n = 1 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{(1+i)^2}{2}\right)^n = 1 \Rightarrow i^n = 1$$

### COMPLEX NUMBERS

An expression of the form  $x + iy$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  are real numbers and  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , is called a *complex number*. It is usually denoted by  $z$ , i.e.,

$$z = x + iy$$

$x$  is called the *real* part and  $y$  the *imaginary* part of  $z$  and may be denoted by  $\text{Re}(z)$  and  $\text{Im}(z)$  respectively.

If  $y = 0$ ,  $z$  is called *purely real* and if  $x = 0$ ,  $z$  is called *purely imaginary*.

The set of complex numbers is denoted by  $C$ .

If  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ , the complex number reduces to  $0 + i \cdot 0 = 0$ , which is called the *zero complex number*.



#### IMPORTANT POINTS

- We observe that the system of complex numbers includes the system of real numbers, i.e.,  $R \subset C$ .
- Every real number is a complex number.
- 0 is both purely real and purely imaginary number.
- A complex number is an imaginary number if and only if its imaginary part is non-zero. Here, real part may or may not be zero.  $4 + 3i$  is an imaginary number but not purely imaginary.
- All purely imaginary numbers except zero are imaginary numbers but an imaginary number may or may not be purely imaginary.

## EQUALITY OF COMPLEX NUMBERS

Two complex numbers are said to be *equal* if and only if their real parts and imaginary parts are separately equal.

$$\text{i.e., } a + ib = c + id$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a = c \quad \text{and} \quad b = d.$$

$$\text{i.e., } z_1 = z_2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re}(z_1) = \operatorname{Re}(z_2) \quad \text{and} \quad \operatorname{Im}(z_1) = \operatorname{Im}(z_2)$$



### CAUTION

Inequality relation does not hold good in case of complex numbers having non-zero imaginary parts. For example, the statement  $8 + 5i > 4 + 2i$  makes no sense.

## Algebra of Complex Numbers

### Addition

For two complex numbers  $z_1 = a_1 + ib_1$  and  $z_2 = a_2 + ib_2$ , their sum is defined as

$$z = z_1 + z_2 = (a_1 + a_2) + i(b_1 + b_2)$$

### Subtraction

For two complex numbers  $z_1 = a_1 + ib_1$  and  $z_2 = a_2 + ib_2$ , the subtraction of  $z_2$  from  $z_1$  is defined as

$$z_1 - z_2 = z_1 + (-z_2) = (a_1 - a_2) + i(b_1 - b_2)$$

### Multiplication

Multiplication of two complex numbers  $z_1 = a + ib$  and  $z_2 = c + id$  is defined as

$$z_1 z_2 = (ac - bd) + i(ad + bc)$$

### TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

The product of complex numbers can be easily computed if we actually carry out the multiplication as given below:

$$\begin{aligned} (a + ib)(c + id) &= ac + iad + ibc + i^2bd \\ &= ac + i(ad + bc) - bd \quad (\because i^2 = -1) \\ &= (ac - bd) + i(ad + bc) \end{aligned}$$

### Division

Division of two complex numbers

$$z_1 = x_1 + iy_1 \quad \text{and} \quad z_2 = x_2 + iy_2,$$

where  $x_2 + iy_2 \neq 0$ , is defined as

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{x_1 + iy_1}{x_2 + iy_2} = \frac{(x_1 + iy_1)(x_2 - iy_2)}{(x_2 + iy_2)(x_2 - iy_2)}$$

$$= \frac{x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 + i(x_2y_1 - x_1y_2)}{x_2^2 + y_2^2}$$

$$= \frac{x_1x_2 + y_1y_2}{x_2^2 + y_2^2} + i \frac{(x_2y_1 - x_1y_2)}{x_2^2 + y_2^2}$$

### Multiplicative Inverse of a Non-zero Complex Number

Multiplicative inverse of a non-zero complex number  $z = a + ib$  is defined as

$$z^{-1} = \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{a + ib} = \frac{1}{a + ib} \times \frac{a - ib}{a - ib} = \frac{a - ib}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$= \frac{a}{a^2 + b^2} - i \frac{b}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\text{i.e., } z^{-1} = \frac{\operatorname{Re}(z)}{|z|^2} + i \frac{[-\operatorname{Im}(z)]}{|z|^2}$$

## SOLVED EXAMPLES

5. The number of integral solutions of the equation  $(1 - i)^x = 2^x$  are

- (A) 1 (B) 2  
(C) 0 (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

Let  $k$  be an integral solution of the given equation.

Then,  $(1 - i)^k = 2^k \Rightarrow |(1 - i)^k| = 2^k \Rightarrow (\sqrt{2})^k = 2^k$ , which is possible only if  $k = 0$ .

6. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be two non real complex cube roots of unity and  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = \lambda$  be the equation of a circle with  $z_1, z_2$  as ends of a diameter, then the value of  $\lambda$  is

- (A) 4 (B) 3 (C) 2 (D)  $\sqrt{2}$

**Solution: (B)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} |z - \omega|^2 + |z - \omega^2|^2 &= \lambda \\ \Rightarrow \lambda &= |\omega - \omega^2|^2 = |\omega^2 + \omega^4 - 2\omega^3| \\ &= |\omega^2 + \omega - 2| = |-1 - 2| = 3 \end{aligned}$$

## CONJUGATE OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

Conjugate of a complex number  $z = a + ib$  is defined as

$$\bar{z} = a - ib.$$

For example,  $\overline{4 + 5i} = 4 - 5i$  and  $\overline{4 - 5i} = 4 + 5i$ .

**IMPORTANT POINTS**

Geometrically, the conjugate of  $z$  is the reflection or point image of  $z$  in the real axis.

**Properties of Conjugate**

1.  $\overline{\overline{z}} = z$
2.  $z = \overline{z}$  if and only if  $z$  is purely real
3.  $z = -\overline{z}$  if and only if  $z$  is purely imaginary
4.  $z + \overline{z} = 2 \operatorname{Re}(z)$  and  $z - \overline{z} = 2i \operatorname{Im}(z)$
5.  $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}$
6.  $\overline{z_1 - z_2} = \overline{z_1} - \overline{z_2}$
7.  $\overline{z_1 z_2} = \overline{z_1} \cdot \overline{z_2}$
8.  $\overline{\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)} = \frac{\overline{z_1}}{\overline{z_2}}, z_2 \neq 0$
9. If  $z = f(z_1)$ , then  $\overline{z} = f(\overline{z_1})$
10.  $\overline{(z^n)} = (\overline{z})^n$
11.  $z_1 \overline{z_2} + \overline{z_1} z_2 = 2 \operatorname{Re}(\overline{z_1} z_2) = 2 \operatorname{Re}(z_1 \overline{z_2})$

**Method of Writing the Complex Number  $\frac{a + ib}{c + id}$  in the form  $A + iB$**

We have,

$$\frac{a + ib}{c + id} = \frac{(a + ib)(c - id)}{(c + id)(c - id)}$$

[Multiplying the Nu. and the Dn. by the conjugate of the Dn.]

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{(ac + bd) + i(bc - ad)}{c^2 + d^2} \\ &= \frac{ac + bd}{c^2 + d^2} + i \frac{bc - ad}{c^2 + d^2} \\ &= A + iB, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$A = \frac{ac + bd}{c^2 + d^2}$$

and

$$B = \frac{bc - ad}{c^2 + d^2}.$$

**TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING**

To put the complex number  $\frac{a + ib}{c + id}$  in the form  $A + iB$  we should multiply the numerator and the denominator by the conjugate of the denominator.

**MODULUS OF A COMPLEX NUMBER**

Modulus of a complex number  $z = a + ib$ , denoted as  $\operatorname{mod}(z)$  or  $|z|$ , is defined as

$$|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}, \text{ where } a = \operatorname{Re}(z), b = \operatorname{Im}(z).$$

Sometimes,  $|z|$  is called absolute value of  $z$ . Note that  $|z| \geq 0$ .

For example, if  $z = 3 + 2i$ , then  $|z| = \sqrt{3^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{13}$ .

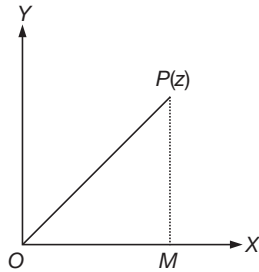
**Properties of Modulus**

1.  $|z| \geq 0$  and  $|z| = 0$  if and only if  $z = 0$ , i.e.,  $x = 0, y = 0$
2.  $|z| = |\overline{z}| = |-z| = |-\overline{z}|$ .
3.  $z \overline{z} = |z|^2$
4.  $-|z| \leq \operatorname{Re}(z) \leq |z|$  and  $-|z| \leq \operatorname{Im}(z) \leq |z|$
5.  $|z^n| = |z|^n$
6.  $|z_1 z_2| = |z_1| |z_2|$
7.  $\left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right| = \frac{|z_1|}{|z_2|}$
8.  $|z_1 \pm z_2| \leq |z_1| + |z_2|$
9.  $|z_1 - z_2| \geq |z_1| - |z_2|$
10.  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 + |z_1 - z_2|^2 = 2(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$
11.  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2 \operatorname{Re}(z_1 \overline{z_2})$
12.  $|z_1 - z_2|^2 = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 - 2 \operatorname{Re}(z_1 \overline{z_2})$
13.  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2}$  is purely imaginary or  $\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right) = 0$



### IMPORTANT POINTS

Geometrically  $|z|$  represents the distance of point  $P$  from the origin. i.e.,  $|z| = OP$



### TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

Most of the complex equations are solved using the property  $z\bar{z} = |z|^2$ .

### SOLVED EXAMPLES

7. The solution of the equation  $|z| - z = 1 + 2i$  is

- (A)  $\frac{3}{2} - 2i$  (B)  $\frac{3}{2} + 2i$   
 (C)  $2 - \frac{3}{2}i$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**

We have,  $|z| - z = 1 + 2i$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - (x + iy) = 1 + 2i,$$

where  $z = x + iy$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - x = 1 \text{ and } y = -2$$

[Comparing real and imaginary parts]

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{2} \text{ and } y = -2.$$

$\therefore$  The solution of the given equation is  $\frac{3}{2} - 2i$ .

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

- (A)  $|z| > 1$  (B)  $|z| < 1$   
 (C)  $|z| = 1$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

Let  $\frac{z-1}{z+1} = iy$ , where  $y$  is real

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z+1}{z-1} = \frac{1}{iy}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2z}{2} = \frac{1+iy}{1-iy} \quad (\text{by componendo and dividendo})$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1+iy}{1-iy} \Rightarrow |z| = \frac{\sqrt{1+y^2}}{\sqrt{1+y^2}} = 1$$

9. If  $|z - i| < 1$ , then  $|z + 12 - 6i|$

- (A)  $< 14$  (B)  $< 16$   
 (C)  $> 14$  (D)  $= 14$

**Solution: (A)**

Given,  $|z - i| < 1$

Now,  $|z + 12 - 6i| = |(z - i) + (12 - 5i)|$

$$\leq |z - i| + |12 - 5i|$$

$$(\because |z_1 + z_2| \leq |z_1| + |z_2|)$$

$$< 1 + 13 = 14$$

Hence  $|z + 12 - 6i| < 14$ .

10. The maximum value of  $|z|$  when  $z$  satisfies the condi-

tion  $\left|z + \frac{2}{z}\right| = 2$  is

- (A)  $\sqrt{3} - 1$  (B)  $\sqrt{3} + 1$   
 (C)  $\sqrt{3}$  (D)  $\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}$

**Solution: (B)**

We have,  $|z| = \left|z + \frac{2}{z} - \frac{2}{z}\right| \leq \left|z + \frac{2}{z}\right| + \frac{2}{|z|}$ .

$$\Rightarrow |z| \leq 2 + \frac{2}{|z|} \Rightarrow |z|^2 \leq 2|z| + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 2|z| + 1 \leq 1 + 2 \Rightarrow (|z| - 1)^2 \leq 3$$

$$\Rightarrow -\sqrt{3} \leq |z| - 1 \leq \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow 1 - \sqrt{3} \leq |z| \leq 1 + \sqrt{3}$$

That is, the maximum value of  $|z|$  is  $1 + \sqrt{3}$ .

11. If  $|z| = \text{Max. } \{|z - 1|, |z + 1|\}$ , then

- (A)  $|z + \bar{z}| = \frac{1}{2}$  (B)  $z + \bar{z} = 1$   
 (C)  $|z + \bar{z}| = 1$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

We have,  $|z| = |z - 1|$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 = |z - 1|^2 \Rightarrow z\bar{z} = (z - 1)(\bar{z} - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow z\bar{z} = z\bar{z} - z - \bar{z} + 1 \Rightarrow z + \bar{z} = 1$$

Also,  $|z| = |z + 1| \Rightarrow |z|^2 = |z + 1|^2$   
 $\Rightarrow z \bar{z} = (z + 1)(\bar{z} + 1) = z\bar{z} + z + \bar{z} + 1$   
 $\Rightarrow z + \bar{z} = -1,$   
 $\therefore |z + \bar{z}| = 1$

12. If  $\frac{z-2}{z+2}$  ( $z \neq -2$ ) is purely imaginary then  $|z|$  is equal to  
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4

**Solution: (B)**

Let  $z = x + iy$   
 Then,  $\frac{z-2}{z+2} = \frac{x+iy-2}{x+iy+2} = \frac{(x-2)+iy}{(x+2)+iy}$   
 $= \frac{[(x-2)+iy][(x+2)-iy]}{(x+2)^2 + y^2}$   
 $= \frac{(x^2 + y^2 - 4) + i(4y)}{(x+2)^2 + y^2}$

Since  $\frac{z-2}{z+2}$  is purely imaginary,  
 $\therefore x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 4 \Rightarrow |z|^2 = 4 \Rightarrow |z| = 2.$

### SQUARE ROOTS OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

Let  $z = a + ib$  and let the square root of  $z$  be the complex number  $x + iy$ . Then

$$\sqrt{a+ib} = x + iy$$

or  $(a + ib) = (x + iy)^2 = (x^2 - y^2) + (2xy) i$

Equating real and imaginary part, we get

$$a = x^2 - y^2 \quad (1)$$

and  $b = 2xy \quad (2)$

Now,  $x^2 + y^2 = \sqrt{(x^2 - y^2)^2 + 4x^2y^2}$   
 $= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \quad (3)$

Solving the equations (1) and (3), we get

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + a}{2}\right)}$$

and  $y = \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a}{2}\right)}$

From Eq. (2), we can determine the sign of  $xy$ . If  $xy > 0$ , then  $x$  and  $y$  will have same sign. Thus,

$$\sqrt{a+ib} = \pm \left[ \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + a}{2}\right)} + i \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a}{2}\right)} \right]$$

If  $xy < 0$ , then

$$\sqrt{a+ib} = \pm \left[ \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + a}{2}\right)} - i \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a}{2}\right)} \right]$$

### TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

Square roots of  $z = a + ib$  are:

$$\pm \left[ \sqrt{\frac{|z|+a}{2}} + i \sqrt{\frac{|z|-a}{2}} \right] \text{ for } b > 0 \text{ and}$$

$$\pm \left[ \sqrt{\frac{|z|+a}{2}} - i \sqrt{\frac{|z|-a}{2}} \right] \text{ for } b < 0$$

$$\sqrt{a+tb} + \sqrt{a-tb} = \pm \sqrt{2} \left\{ \sqrt{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} + a} \right\}$$

where  $b > 0$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{z} + \sqrt{\bar{z}} = \pm \sqrt{2} \left\{ \sqrt{|z|+a} \right\}$$

where  $\text{Im}(z) > 0$

$$\text{Also, } \sqrt{a+tb} - \sqrt{a-tb} = \pm \sqrt{2} \left\{ \sqrt{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} - a} \right\} t$$

where  $b > 0$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{z} - \sqrt{\bar{z}} = \pm \sqrt{2} \left\{ \sqrt{|z|-a} \right\} t$$

where  $b > 0$

### SOLVED EXAMPLES

13. If  $\sqrt[3]{a-ib} = x - iy$ , then  $\sqrt[3]{a+ib} =$   
 (A)  $x + iy$  (B)  $x - iy$   
 (C)  $y + ix$  (D)  $y - ix$

**Solution: (A)**

We have,  $\sqrt[3]{a-ib} = x - iy$

$$\Rightarrow a - ib = (x - iy)^3 = x^3 - 3x^2 \cdot iy + 3x(iy)^2 - (iy)^3$$

$$= (x^3 - 3xy^2) - i(3x^2y - y^3)$$

$$\therefore a + ib = (x^3 - 3xy^2) + i(3x^2y - y^3)$$

$$= x^3 + 3x^2 \cdot (iy) + 3x(iy)^2 + (iy)^3$$

$$= (x + iy)^3$$

$$\therefore \sqrt[3]{a+ib} = x + iy.$$

14. The complex number  $z$  satisfying the equations  $|z - i| = |z + 1| = 1$  is  
 (A) 0 (B)  $1 + i$   
 (C)  $-1 + i$  (D)  $1 - i$

**Solution: (A, C)**

Let  $z = x + iy$ . Then,

$$|(x + iy) - i| = |(x + iy) + 1| = 1$$

or  $\sqrt{x^2 + (y - 1)^2} = \sqrt{(x + 1)^2 + y^2} = 1$

$$\therefore x^2 + y^2 - 2y + 1 = x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 1$$

i.e.,  $x = -y$  (1)

and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2y + 1 = 1$  (2)

From Eq. (1) and (2),  $x^2 + x^2 + 2x = 0$ ; or  $x(x + 1) = 0$

$$\therefore x = 0, -1;$$

$$\therefore y = 0, 1$$

$$\therefore z = x + iy = 0, -1 + i.$$

15. The complex number  $z$  satisfying the equations  $|z| - 4 = |z - i| - |z + 5i| = 0$ , is  
 (A)  $\sqrt{3} - i$  (B)  $2\sqrt{3} - 2i$   
 (C)  $-2\sqrt{3} - 2i$  (D) 0

**Solution: (B, C)**

We have two equations

$$|z| - 4 = 0 \text{ and } |z - i| - |z + 5i| = 0$$

Putting  $z = x + iy$ , these equations become

$$|x + iy| = 4 \text{ i.e., } x^2 + y^2 = 16 \quad (1)$$

and  $|x + iy - i| = |x + iy + 5i|$

or  $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = x^2 + (y + 5)^2$

i.e.  $y = -2$  (2)

Putting  $y = -2$  in (1),  $x^2 + 4 = 16$  or  $x = \pm 2$ .

Hence, the complex numbers  $z$  satisfying the given equations are

$$z_1 = 2 - 2i, \text{ and } z_2 = -2 - 2i.$$

16. If  $iz^3 + z^2 - z + i = 0$ , then  
 (A)  $|z| < 1$  (B)  $|z| > 1$   
 (C)  $|z| = 1$  (D)  $|z| = 0$

**Solution: (C)**

Given,  $iz^3 + z^2 - z + i = 0$

$$\Rightarrow iz^2(z - i) - (z - i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z - i)(iz^2 - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow z = i$$

or  $z^2 = \frac{1}{i} = -i$

Now,  $z = i \Rightarrow |z| = |i| = 1$

and  $z^2 = -i \Rightarrow |z^2| = |-i|$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 = 1 \Rightarrow |z| = 1$$

Thus, in both cases  $|z| = 1$ .

17. The greatest value of  $|z + 1|$  if  $|z + 4| \leq 3$  is  
 (A) 4 (B) 5  
 (C) 6 (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} |z + 1| &= |z + 4 - 3| = |(z + 4) + (-3)| \\ &\leq |z + 4| + |-3| = |z + 4| + 3 \\ &\leq 3 + 3 = 6 \quad (\because |z + 4| \leq 3) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the greatest value of  $|z + 1|$  is 6.

## ARGAND PLANE AND GEOMETRICAL REPRESENTATION OF COMPLEX NUMBERS

Let  $O$  be the origin and  $OX$  and  $OY$  be the  $x$ -axis and  $y$ -axis respectively. Then, any complex number  $z = x + iy = (x, y)$  may be represented by a unique point  $P$  whose coordinates are  $(x, y)$ .

The representation of complex numbers as points in a plane forms an **Argand diagram**.

The plane on which complex numbers are represented is known as the **complex plane** or **Argand's plane** or **Gaussian plane**. The  $x$ -axis is called the **real axis** and  $y$ -axis the **imaginary axis**.

The complex number  $z = x + iy$  is known as the **affix** of the point  $(x, y)$  which it represents.

## POLAR FORM OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

Let  $O$  be the origin and  $OX$  and  $OY$  be the  $x$ -axis and  $y$ -axis respectively. Let  $z = x + iy$  be a complex number represented by the point  $P(x, y)$ .

Draw  $PM \perp OX$ . Then,

$$OM = x \text{ and } PM = y. \text{ Join } OP$$

Let  $OP = r$  and  $\angle XOP = \theta$ .

Then

$$z = x + iy = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

This form of  $z$  is called **polar** or **trigonometric form**.

Comparing real and imaginary parts, we get

$$x = r \cos \theta \quad (1)$$

and

$$y = r \sin \theta \quad (2)$$

Squaring Eq. (1) and (2) and adding, we get

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2 \quad \text{or} \quad r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = |z|$$

Thus,  $r$  is known and is equal to the modulus of the complex number  $z$ .

Substituting the value of  $r$  in Eq. (1) and (2), we get

$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad \text{and} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad (3)$$

Dividing Eq. (2) by (1), we get  $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$ .

The form  $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = re^{i\theta}$  of the complex number  $z$  is called exponential form.

Any value of  $\theta$  satisfying (3) is known as **amplitude or argument** of  $z$  and written as  $\theta = \arg(z)$  or  $\theta = \text{amp } z$ .



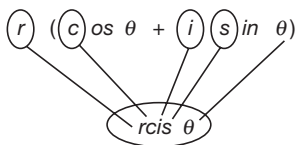
### IMPORTANT POINTS

The unique value of  $\theta$  such that  $-\pi < \theta \leq \pi$  for which  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ , is known as the **principal value of the argument**.

The general value of the argument is  $(2n\pi + \theta)$ , where  $n$  is an integer and  $\theta$  is the principal value of  $\arg(z)$ .

While reducing a complex number to polar form, we always take the principal value.

The complex number  $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$  can also be written as  $rcis \theta$ .



### TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

- If  $x > 0, y > 0$  (i.e.,  $z$  is in first quadrant), then  $\arg z = \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y}{x} \right)$ .
- If  $x < 0, y > 0$  (i.e.,  $z$  is in second quadrant), then  $\arg z = \theta = \pi - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y}{|x|} \right)$ .
- If  $x < 0, y < 0$  (i.e.,  $z$  is in third quadrant), then  $\arg z = \theta = -\pi + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y}{x} \right)$ .

- If  $x > 0, y < 0$  (i.e.,  $z$  is in fourth quadrant), then

$$\arg z = \theta = -\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{|y|}{x} \right).$$

- Argument of the complex number 0 is not defined.

$$\arg(x + i0) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x > 0 \\ \pi, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\arg(0 + iy) = \begin{cases} \pi/2, & \text{if } y > 0 \\ 3\pi/2, & \text{if } y < 0 \end{cases}$$

### Properties of Argument

1.  $\arg(z_1 z_2) = \arg(z_1) + \arg(z_2)$
2.  $\arg \left( \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right) = \arg z_1 - \arg z_2$
3.  $\arg \left( \frac{z}{\bar{z}} \right) = 2 \arg z$
4.  $\arg(z^n) = n \arg z$
5. If  $\arg \left( \frac{z_2}{z_1} \right) = \theta$ , then  $\arg \left( \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right) = 2k\pi - \theta$  where  $k \in I$
6.  $\arg \bar{z} = -\arg z$
7.  $\arg(z \bar{z}) = \arg(|z|^2) = \arg(\text{positive real number}) = 0$

### SOLVED EXAMPLES

18. The inequality  $|z - 4| < |z - 2|$  represents the region given by,
- (A)  $\text{Re}(z) > 0$
  - (B)  $\text{Re}(z) < 0$
  - (C)  $\text{Re}(z) > 3$
  - (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given} \quad & |z - 4|^2 < |z - 2|^2 \\ \Rightarrow & |(x - 4) + iy|^2 < |(x - 2) + iy|^2 \\ \Rightarrow & (x - 4)^2 + y^2 < (x - 2)^2 + y^2 \\ \Rightarrow & -4x < -12 \Rightarrow 4x > 12; x > 3 \\ \Rightarrow & \text{Re}(z) > 3. \end{aligned}$$

19. If  $z_r = \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{3^r} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{3^r} \right)$ ,  $r = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ , then

$$z_1 z_2 z_3 \dots \infty =$$

- (A)  $i$
- (B)  $-i$
- (C)  $1$
- (D)  $-1$

**Solution: (A)**

$$\text{Since } z_r = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3^r}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3^r}\right),$$

$$r = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

we have,  $z_1 \cdot z_2 \cdot z_3 \dots \infty$ 

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3^2} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{3^2}\right) \\ &\quad \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3^3} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{3^3}\right) \dots \infty \\ &= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{3^2} + \frac{\pi}{3^3} + \dots\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{3^2} + \frac{\pi}{3^3} + \dots\right) \\ &= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \\ &= \cos\frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{2} = 0 + i \cdot 1 = i \end{aligned}$$

20. The value of  $\sum_{k=1}^{10} \left(\sin\frac{2\pi k}{11} - i \cos\frac{2\pi k}{11}\right)$  is

- (A) 1      (B) -1      (C)  $i$       (D)  $-i$

**Solution: (C)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} &\sum_{k=1}^{10} \left(\sin\frac{2\pi k}{11} - i \cos\frac{2\pi k}{11}\right) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{10} \left(-i^2 \sin\frac{2\pi k}{11} - i \cos\frac{2\pi k}{11}\right) \\ &= -i \sum_{k=1}^{10} \left(\cos\frac{2\pi k}{11} + i \sin\frac{2\pi k}{11}\right) = -i \sum_{k=1}^{10} e^{i\frac{2\pi k}{11}} \\ &= -i \left[\sum_{k=0}^{10} e^{i\frac{2\pi k}{11}} - 1\right] \\ &= -i (\text{sum of 11th roots of unity} - 1) \\ &= -i (0 - 1) = i. \end{aligned}$$

21. The inequality  $|z - 4| < |z - 2|$  represents the region given by

- (A)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0$       (B)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 0$   
(C)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 2$       (D) None of these

**Solution: (D)**

We have,

$$|z - 4| < |z - 2| \Rightarrow |z - 4|^2 < |z - 2|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |x + iy - 4|^2 < |x + iy - 2|^2 \quad (\text{Putting } z = x + iy)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + y^2 < (x - 2)^2 + y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 8x + 16 + y^2 < x^2 - 4x + 4 + y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -4x < -12 \Rightarrow x > 3 \Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}(z) > 3$$

22. The argument of  $\frac{1 - i\sqrt{3}}{1 + i\sqrt{3}}$  is

- (A)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$       (B)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$       (C)  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$       (D)  $-\frac{2\pi}{3}$

**Solution: (D)**

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 - i\sqrt{3}}{1 + i\sqrt{3}} &= \frac{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^2}{4} = \frac{-2 - 2\sqrt{3}i}{4} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i. \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \arg\left(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right) = -(\pi - \tan^{-1}\sqrt{3}) = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$$

23.  $\arg bi$  ( $b > 0$ ) is

- (A)  $\pi$       (B)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$       (C)  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$       (D) 0

**Solution: (B)**

Since  $b > 0$ ,  $bi$  represents a point on the positive side of the imaginary axis on which the argument of every point is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

24. Let  $z_k$  ( $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 6$ ) be the roots of the equation

$$(z + 1)^7 + z^7 = 0, \text{ then } \sum_{k=0}^6 \operatorname{Re}(z_k) \text{ is equal to}$$

- (A) 0      (B)  $\frac{3}{2}$       (C)  $-\frac{7}{2}$       (D)  $\frac{7}{2}$

**Solution: (C)**

$$\text{Let } z_k = x_k + iy_k,$$

$$\text{we have } (z_k + 1)^7 + z_k^7 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z_k + 1)^7 = -z_k^7 \Rightarrow |z_k + 1|^7 = |z_k|^7$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_k + 1| = |z_k| \Rightarrow |x_k + iy_k + 1|^2 = |x_k + iy_k|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x_k + 1)^2 + y_k^2 = x_k^2 + y_k^2$$

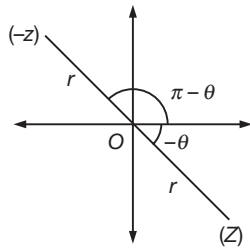
$$\Rightarrow 2x_k + 1 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x_k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \sum_{k=0}^6 \operatorname{Re}(z_k) = \sum_{k=0}^6 x_k = -\frac{7}{2}.$$

25. If  $\arg(z) < 0$ , then  $\arg(-z) - \arg(z) =$   
 (A)  $\pi$  (B)  $-\pi$   
 (C)  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  (D)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

**Solution: (A)**

As  $-\theta = \arg(z) < 0$ ,  
 we take  $z = r[\cos(-\theta) + i \sin(-\theta)]$   
 $= r(\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)$



$$\Rightarrow -z = r(-\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

$$= r[\cos(\pi - \theta) + i \sin(\pi - \theta)]$$

$$\therefore \arg(-z) = \pi - \theta$$

Thus,

$$\arg(-z) - \arg(z) = \pi - \theta + (\theta) = \pi$$

### PARTICULAR CASES OF POLAR FORM

1.  $1 = 1 + i0 = \cos 0 + i \sin 0$
2.  $-1 = -1 + i0 = \cos \pi + i \sin \pi$
3.  $i = 0 + i1 = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2}$
4.  $-i = 0 + i(-1) = \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$
5.  $1 - i = \sqrt{2}\left[\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right]$
6.  $-1 - i = \sqrt{2}\left[\cos\left(-\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)\right]$

### EULERIAN REPRESENTATION OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

Since  $e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ , thus any non zero complex number  $z = x + iy = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$  can be represented in Eulerian form as

$$z = re^{i\theta} = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta),$$

where  $|z| = r$  and  $\theta = \arg(z)$ .



### NOTE

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

### SOLVED EXAMPLE

26. For any integer  $n$ , the argument of  $z = \frac{(\sqrt{3} + i)^{4n+1}}{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^{4n}}$  is

- (A)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (B)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$   
 (C)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (D)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$   
 (E) All of the above

**Solution: (A)**

We have,

$$z = \frac{(\sqrt{3} + i)^{4n+1}}{(1 - i\sqrt{3})^{4n}}$$

$$= \frac{\left(2e^{i\frac{\pi}{6}}\right)^{4n+1}}{\left(2e^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}}\right)^{4n}} = \frac{2^{4n+1}e^{i(4n+1)\frac{\pi}{6}}}{2^{4n}e^{-i4n\frac{\pi}{3}}}$$

$$= 2 \cdot e^{i(12n+1)\frac{\pi}{6}} = 2 \cdot e^{2n\pi i} \cdot e^{\frac{\pi i}{6}}$$

$$= 2 \cdot e^{\pi i 2n} \quad (\because e^{2n\pi i} = 1)$$

$$\therefore \arg z = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

### LOGARITHM OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

$$\log(x + iy) = \log_e(re^{i\theta}) = \log_e r + i\theta$$

$$= \log_e \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + i \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

$$\log_e(z) = \log_e |z| + i \arg(z)$$



### CAUTION

Since the argument of a complex number is not unique, the log of a complex number cannot be unique. In general,

$$\log_e(z) = \log_e |z| + i [2k\pi + \arg(z)], k \in I$$



## NOTE

$$\begin{aligned}\log i &= \log e^{\frac{i\pi}{2}} = \frac{i\pi}{2}, \quad \log(\log i) = \log\left(\frac{i\pi}{2}\right) \\ &= \log i + \log\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{i\pi}{2} + \log(\pi/2).\end{aligned}$$

## VECTORIAL REPRESENTATION OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

If  $P$  is the point  $(a, b)$  on the argand plane corresponding to the complex number  $z = a + ib$ .

Then

$$\overline{OP} = a\hat{i} + b\hat{j},$$

$$\therefore |\overline{OP}| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = |z|$$

and

$$\arg(z) = \text{direction of the vector } \overline{OP} = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right).$$

## De'Moivre's Theorem

If  $n$  is any integer, then

$$(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$$

### TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

- If  $n$  is any rational number, then  $\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$  is one of the values of  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n$ .
- $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{-n} = \cos(-n)\theta + i \sin(-n)\theta$   
 $= \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta$
- $(\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)^n = [\cos(-\theta) + i \sin(-\theta)]^n$   
 $= \cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta)$   
 $= \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta$
- $\frac{1}{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta} = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{-1} = \cos \theta - i \sin \theta$
- The theorem cannot be applied to  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \phi)^n$  i.e.,  $\theta$  must be same with  $\cos$  and  $\sin$  both.
- The theorem is not directly applicable to  $(\sin \theta + i \cos \theta)^n$ , rather  
 $(\sin \theta + i \cos \theta)^n = \left[ \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) \right]^n$   
 $= \cos n\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)$
- $(\cos \theta_1 + i \sin \theta_1)(\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2) \dots (\cos \theta_n + i \sin \theta_n)$   
 $= \cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_n) + i \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \dots + \theta_n)$

## SOLVED EXAMPLES

27. If  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ , then

(A)  $z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = 2 \cos n\theta$

(B)  $z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = 2^n \cos n\theta$

(C)  $z^n - \frac{1}{z^n} = 2i \sin n\theta$

(D)  $z^n - \frac{1}{z^n} = (2i)^n \sin n\theta$

**Solution: (A, C)**

We have,

$$\frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta} = \cos \theta - i \sin \theta.$$

$$\therefore z^n = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta,$$

$$\text{and } \frac{1}{z^n} = (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)^n = \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta$$

$$\text{Hence, } z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = 2 \cos n\theta$$

$$\text{and } z^n - \frac{1}{z^n} = 2i \sin n\theta.$$

28. If  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ , then  $\frac{z^{2n} - 1}{z^{2n} + 1} =$

(A)  $i \cot n\theta$

(B)  $i \tan n\theta$

(C)  $\tan n\theta$

(D)  $\cot n\theta$

( $n$  is an integer)

**Solution: (B)**

We have,

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

(Using De Moivre's Theorem)

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{(1 - 2 \sin^2 n\theta) + 2i \sin n\theta \cos n\theta - 1}{(2 \cos^2 n\theta - 1) + 2i \sin n\theta \cos n\theta + 1} \\ &= \frac{i \sin n\theta \cos n\theta + i^2 \sin^2 n\theta}{\cos^2 n\theta + i \sin n\theta \cos n\theta} \quad (\because i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{i \sin n\theta (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta)}{\cos n\theta (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta)} = i \tan n\theta.\end{aligned}$$

29. If  $a = \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha$ ,  $b = \cos \beta + i \sin \beta$ ,

$$c = \cos \gamma + i \sin \gamma \text{ and } \frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} = -1, \text{ then}$$

$$\cos(\beta - \gamma) + \cos(\gamma - \alpha) + \cos(\alpha - \beta) =$$

- (A) 0 (B) 1  
 (C) -1 (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

We have,

$$\frac{1}{a} = \cos \alpha - i \sin \alpha, \frac{1}{b} = \cos \beta - i \sin \beta$$

Now  $\frac{a}{b} = (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha) (\cos \beta - i \sin \beta)$

or  $\frac{a}{b} = \cos (\alpha - \beta) + i \sin (\alpha - \beta)$

Similarly,  $\frac{b}{c} = \cos (\beta - \gamma) + i \sin (\beta - \gamma)$

and  $\frac{c}{a} = \cos (\gamma - \alpha) + i \sin (\gamma - \alpha)$

Putting these values in  $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} = -1$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} & [\cos (\alpha - \beta) + \cos (\beta - \gamma) + \cos (\gamma - \alpha)] \\ & + i [\sin (\alpha - \beta) + \sin (\beta - \gamma) + \sin (\gamma - \alpha)] \\ & = -1 = -1 + 0i \end{aligned}$$

Comparing real part on both sides, we get

$$\cos (\alpha - \beta) + \cos (\beta - \gamma) + \cos (\gamma - \alpha) = -1$$

30. If  $n$  is a positive integer, then  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^n + (\sqrt{3} - i)^n$  is equal to

- (A)  $2^n \cos \frac{n\pi}{6}$  (B)  $2^{n+1} \cos \frac{n\pi}{6}$   
 (C)  $2^{n-1} \cos \frac{n\pi}{6}$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

Let  $\sqrt{3} = r \cos \theta$  and  $1 = r \sin \theta$   
 so that

$$r^2 = 4 \text{ and } \tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow r = 2, \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{3} + i)^n = 2^n \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right)^n$$

or  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^n = 2^n \left\{ \cos \left( \frac{n\pi}{6} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{n\pi}{6} \right) \right\}$  (1)

Similarly,

$$(\sqrt{3} - i)^n = 2^n \left\{ \cos \left( \frac{n\pi}{6} \right) - i \sin \left( \frac{n\pi}{6} \right) \right\}$$
 (2)

Adding Eq. (1) and (2), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (\sqrt{3} + i)^n + (\sqrt{3} - i)^n &= 2 \cdot 2^n \cos \left( \frac{n\pi}{6} \right) \\ &= 2^{n+1} \cos \left( \frac{n\pi}{6} \right) \end{aligned}$$

31. If  $(\sin \theta_1 + i \cos \theta_1) (\sin \theta_2 + i \cos \theta_2) \dots (\sin \theta_n + i \cos \theta_n) = a + ib$ , then  $a^2 + b^2 =$

- (A) 4 (B) 2  
 (C) 1 (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

Given expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= \prod_{r=1}^n \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta_r \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta_r \right) \right) \\ &= \cos \sum_{r=1}^n \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta_r \right) + i \sin \sum_{r=1}^n \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta_r \right) \\ &= \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\alpha = \sum_{r=1}^n \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta_r \right)$   
 $= a + ib$

$$\therefore a^2 + b^2 = \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha = 1.$$

32. If  $z^2 - 2z \cos \theta + 1 = 0$ , then  $z^2 + z^{-2}$  is equal to  
 (A)  $2 \cos 2\theta$  (B)  $2 \sin 2\theta$  (C)  $2 \cos \theta$  (D)  $2 \sin \theta$

**Solution: (A)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} & z^2 - 2z \cos \theta + 1 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow z &= \frac{2 \cos \theta \pm \sqrt{4 \cos^2 \theta - 4}}{2} = \cos \theta \pm \sqrt{\cos^2 \theta - 1} \\ &= \cos \theta \pm \sqrt{-\sin^2 \theta} = \cos \theta \pm \sqrt{i^2 \sin^2 \theta} \\ &= \cos \theta \pm i \sin \theta. \end{aligned}$$

When

$$z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$

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

and when  $z = \cos \theta - i \sin \theta$ ,

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

## ROOTS OF A COMPLEX NUMBER

If  $z = r (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$  and  $n$  is a positive integer, then

$$z^{\frac{1}{n}} = r^{\frac{1}{n}} \left[ \cos \left( \frac{2k\pi + \theta}{n} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{2k\pi + \theta}{n} \right) \right],$$

where  $k = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots (n - 1)$ .

## Cube Roots of Unity

Let  $z = 1^{1/3}$  or  $z^3 - 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (z - 1) (z^2 + z + 1) = 0$

$$\text{i.e., } z = 1, \frac{-1+i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{Put } \omega = \frac{-1+i\sqrt{3}}{2},$$

$$\text{then } \omega^2 = \frac{-1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

Thus cube roots of unity are 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$ .

### Properties of Cube Roots of Unity

- $1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$
- $\omega^3 = 1$
- $\omega^{3n} = 1, \omega^{3n+1} = \omega, \omega^{3n+2} = \omega^2$
- $\bar{\omega} = \omega^2$  and  $(\bar{\omega})^2 = \omega, \omega \bar{\omega} = \omega^3, \omega = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{3}}, \omega^2 = e^{-\frac{2\pi i}{3}}$
- If  $a + b\omega + c\omega^2 = 0$ , then  $a = b = c$  provided  $a, b, c$  are real.
- If these roots are marked on the argand plane, then these are vertices of an equilateral triangle with circumcentre at origin, as shown in the Fig. 3.1.

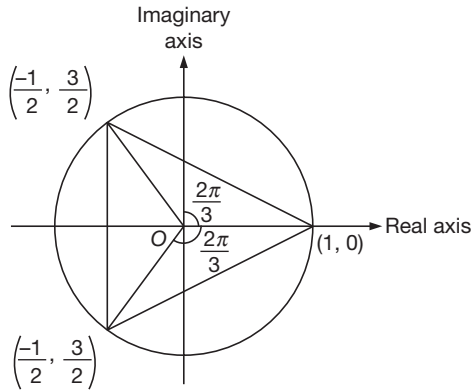


Fig. 3.1

### Fourth Roots of Unity

The four, fourth roots of unity are given by the solution set of the equation  $x^4 - 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 1)(x^2 + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \pm 1, \pm i$$

Fourth roots of unity are vertices of a square which lies on coordinate axes.

### Some Useful Relations

- $x^2 + y^2 = (x + iy)(x - iy)$
- $x^3 + y^3 = (x + y)(x + y\omega)(x + y\omega^2)$
- $x^3 - y^3 = (x - y)(x - y\omega)(x - y\omega^2)$
- $x^2 + xy + y^2 = (x - y\omega)(x - y\omega^2)$ , in particular,  $x^2 + x + 1 = (x - \omega)(x - \omega^2)$

- $x^2 - xy + y^2 = (x + y\omega)(x + y\omega^2)$ , in particular,  $x^2 - x + 1 = (x + \omega)(x + \omega^2)$
- $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - xy - xz - yz = (x + y\omega + z\omega^2)(x + y\omega^2 + z\omega)$
- $x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz = (x + y + z)(x + \omega y + \omega^2 z)(x + \omega^2 y + \omega z)$

## SOLVED EXAMPLES

33. If 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  be the three cube roots of unity, then  $(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^4)(1 + \omega^8) \dots$  to  $2n$  factors =
- (A) 1 (B) -1  
(C) 0 (D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} & (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^4)(1 + \omega^8) \dots \text{ to } 2n \text{ factors} \\ &= (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^3 \cdot \omega)(1 + \omega^6 \cdot \omega^2) \dots \text{ to } 2n \text{ factors} \\ &= (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2) \dots \text{ to } 2n \text{ factors} \end{aligned}$$

$$(\because \omega^3 = \omega^6 = \dots = 1)$$

$$= [(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega) \dots \text{ to } n \text{ factors}]$$

$$[(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^2) \dots \text{ to } n \text{ factors}]$$

$$= (1 + \omega)^n (1 + \omega^2)^n = [(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)]^n$$

$$= (1 + \omega + \omega^2 + \omega^3)^n = (0 + 1)^n = 1$$

$$(\because 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0, \omega^3 = 1).$$

34. If 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  are the three cube roots of unity, then  $(1 - \omega)(1 - \omega^2)(1 - \omega^4)(1 - \omega^8) \dots$  to  $2n$  factors =
- (A)  $2^n$  (B)  $2^{2n}$   
(C)  $2^{4n}$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

We have,

$$(1 - \omega + \omega^2)(1 - \omega^2 + \omega^4)(1 - \omega^4 + \omega^8)$$

$$(1 - \omega^8 + \omega^{16}) \dots \text{ to } 2n \text{ factors}$$

$$= (1 - \omega + \omega^2)(1 - \omega^2 + \omega)(1 - \omega + \omega^2)$$

$$(1 - \omega^2 + \omega) \dots \text{ to } 2n \text{ factors.}$$

$$[\because \omega^4 = \omega, \omega^8 = \omega^2, \omega^{16} = \omega \text{ and so on}]$$

$$= (-2\omega)(-2\omega^2)(-2\omega)(-2\omega^2) \dots \text{ to } 2n \text{ factors}$$

$$= (2^2 \omega^3)(2^2 \omega^3) \dots \text{ to } n \text{ factors}$$

$$[\because (-2\omega)(-2\omega^2) = 2^2 \omega^3 = 2^2]$$

$$= (2^2)^n = 2^{2n}.$$

35.  $\sqrt{-1-\sqrt{-1-\sqrt{-1-\dots \text{ to } \infty}}} =$   
 (A) 1 (B) -1 (C)  $\omega$  (D)  $\omega^2$

**Solution: (C, D)**

Let  $x = \sqrt{-1-\sqrt{-1-\sqrt{-1-\dots \text{ to } \infty}}}$

Then  $x = \sqrt{-1-x}$  or  $x^2 = -1-x$

or  $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$

$\therefore x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-4 \cdot 1 \cdot 1}}{2 \cdot 1} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2}$   
 $= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}i}{2} = \omega \text{ or } \omega^2.$

36.  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+i}{2}\right)^6 + \left(\frac{i-\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^6 =$   
 (A) -2 (B) 2 (C) -1 (D) 1

**Solution: (A)**

We have,

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}+i}{2} = \frac{i\sqrt{3}+i^2}{2i} = -i \left(\frac{-1+\sqrt{3}i}{2}\right) = -i\omega$$

and  $\frac{i-\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{i^2-i\sqrt{3}}{2i} = -i \left(\frac{-1-\sqrt{3}i}{2}\right) = -i\omega^2$

Hence,  $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+i}{2}\right)^6 + \left(\frac{i-\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^6 = (-i\omega)^6 + (-i\omega^2)^6$   
 $= i^6(\omega^6 + \omega^{12})$   
 $= -1(1+1) = -2.$

37. The common roots of the equations  $z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0$  and  $z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$  are

- (A) -1,  $\omega$  (B) -1,  $\omega^2$   
 (C)  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

We have,  $z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (z+1)(z^2+z+1) = 0$

Its roots are -1,  $\omega$  and  $\omega^2$ . The root  $z = -1$  does not satisfy the equation  $z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$  but  $z = \omega$  and  $z = \omega^2$  satisfy it. Hence,  $\omega$  and  $\omega^2$  are the common roots.

38. 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, -1 (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

We have,  $(x-1)^3 + 8 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (x-1)^3 = -8$

$\therefore x-1 = (-8)^{1/3} = -2, -2\omega, -2\omega^2$

Hence,  $x = -1, 1-2\omega, 1-2\omega^2$

39.  $(i + \sqrt{3})^{100} + (i - \sqrt{3})^{100} + 2^{100} =$   
 (A) 1 (B) -1  
 (C) 0 (D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

We have,  $i + \sqrt{3} = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}i}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{i} = \frac{2\omega}{i}$

and  $i - \sqrt{3} = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}i}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{i} = \frac{2\omega^2}{i}$

$\therefore (i + \sqrt{3})^{100} + (i - \sqrt{3})^{100} + 2^{100}$   
 $= \left(\frac{2\omega}{i}\right)^{100} + \left(\frac{2\omega^2}{i}\right)^{100} + 2^{100}$   
 $= \frac{2^{100}}{i^{100}} (\omega^{100} + \omega^{200}) + 2^{100}$   
 $= 2^{100} (\omega + \omega^2) + 2^{100}$   
 $= -2^{100} + 2^{100} = 0.$

### **nth Roots of Unity**

Since  $1 = \cos 0 + i \sin 0$ , therefore,

$$(1)^{1/n} = (\cos 0 + i \sin 0)^{1/n}$$

$$= \cos \frac{2\pi r + 0}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi r + 0}{n}; r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1)$$

$$= \cos \frac{2\pi r}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi r}{n}; r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1)$$

$$= e^{i \frac{2r\pi}{n}}; r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1)$$

$$= 1, e^{i(2\pi/n)}, e^{i(4\pi/n)}, \dots, e^{i(2(n-1)\pi/n)}$$

$$= 1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \alpha^3, \dots, \alpha^{n-1},$$

where  $\alpha = e^{i(2\pi/n)}$

### **Properties of nth Roots of Unity**

- $1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \dots + \alpha^{n-1} = 0$
- $1 \cdot \alpha \cdot \alpha^2 \cdot \dots \cdot \alpha^{n-1} = (-1)^{n-1}$
- The  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity lie on the unit circle  $|z| = 1$  and form the vertices of a regular polygon of  $n$  sides.
- $n$ th roots of unity form a G.P. with common ratio  $e^{i(2\pi/n)}$ .

## SOLVED EXAMPLES

40. If  $r$  is non-real and  $r = \sqrt[5]{1}$ , then the value of  $(1+r+r^2+r^3+r^4)$  is equal to

- (A) 2 (B) 4  
(C) 8 (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

$$|1+r+r^2+r^3+r^4| = |1+r+r^2+r^3+r^4|$$

$$[\because r^5 = 1 \Rightarrow r^3 \cdot r^2 = 1 \text{ or } r^{-2} = r^3]$$

and  $r^4 \cdot r = 1$  or  $r^{-1} = r^4$

$$= |1+r+r^2+r^3+r^4 - 2r^4|$$

$$\left| \frac{1-r^5}{1-r} - 2r^4 \right| = |0 - 2r^4| \quad (\because r^5 = 1)$$

$$= 2|r^4| = 2(1) = 2 \quad (\because |r| = 1 \text{ as } r^5 = 1)$$

$$\therefore 2^{|1+r+r^2+r^3+r^4|} = 2^2 = 4$$

41. The values of  $(16)^{1/4}$  are

- (A)  $\pm 2, \pm 2i$  (B)  $\pm 4, \pm 4i$   
(C)  $\pm 1, \pm i$  (D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**

We have

$$(16)^{1/4} = (2^4)^{1/4} = 2(1)^{1/4}$$

$$= 2(\cos 0 + i \sin 0)^{1/4}$$

$$= 2 \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + 0) + i \sin \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + 0) \right\},$$

$$k = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

$$= 2 \times 1, 2 \times i, 2 \times -1, 2 \times -i = \pm 2, \pm 2i$$

## GEOMETRY OF COMPLEX NUMBERS

1. **Distance Formula:** The distance between two points  $P(z_1)$  and  $Q(z_2)$  is given by  $PQ = |z_2 - z_1| = |\text{affix of } Q - \text{affix of } P|$  (see Fig. 3.2)

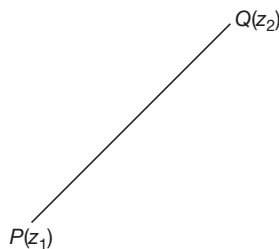


Fig. 3.2

2. **Section Formula:** If  $R(z)$  divides the line segment joining  $P(z_1)$  and  $Q(z_2)$  in the ratio  $m_1 : m_2 (m_1, m_2 > 0)$  then

(i) For internal division,  $z = \frac{m_1 z_2 + m_2 z_1}{m_1 + m_2}$

(ii) For external division,  $z = \frac{m_1 z_2 - m_2 z_1}{m_1 - m_2}$

3. **Equation of the Perpendicular Bisector:** If  $P(z_1)$  and  $Q(z_2)$  are two fixed points and  $R(z)$  is moving point (see Fig. 3.3) such that it is always at equal distance from  $P(z_1)$  and  $Q(z_2)$  then locus of  $R(z)$  is perpendicular bisector of  $PQ$

i.e.,  $PR = QR$  or  $|z - z_1| = |z - z_2|$

$$\Rightarrow |z - z_1|^2 = |z - z_2|^2$$

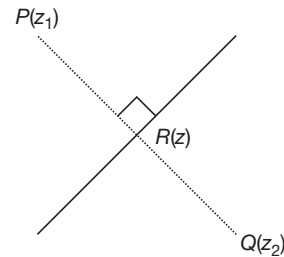


Fig. 3.3

After solving,

$$z(\bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2) + \bar{z}(z_1 - z_2) = |z_1|^2 - |z_2|^2$$

4. **Equation of a Straight Line**

(i) **Parametric form:** Equation of a straight line joining the points having affixes  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  is  $z = t z_1 + (1-t)z_2$ , where  $t \in \mathbb{R}$

(ii) **Non-parametric form:** Equation of a straight line joining the points having affixes  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  is

$$\begin{vmatrix} z & \bar{z} & 1 \\ z_1 & \bar{z}_1 & 1 \\ z_2 & \bar{z}_2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z(\bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2) - \bar{z}(z_1 - z_2) + z_1 \bar{z}_2 - z_2 \bar{z}_1 = 0$$

## TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

■ Three points  $z_1, z_2$  and  $z_3$  are collinear if,

$$\begin{vmatrix} z_1 & \bar{z}_1 & 1 \\ z_2 & \bar{z}_2 & 1 \\ z_3 & \bar{z}_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

■ If three points  $A(z_1), B(z_2), C(z_3)$  are collinear then slope of  $AB = \text{slope of } BC = \text{slope of } AC$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 - \bar{z}_2} = \frac{z_2 - z_3}{z_2 - \bar{z}_3} = \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_1 - \bar{z}_3}$$

(iii) **General equation of a straight line:** The general equation of a straight line is of the form  $\bar{a}z + a\bar{z} + b$ , where  $a$  is complex number and  $b$  is real number.

(iv) **Slope of a line:** The complex slope of the line  $\bar{a}z + a\bar{z} + b = 0$  is  $-\frac{a}{\bar{a}} = -\frac{\text{coeff. of } \bar{z}}{\text{coeff. of } z}$  and real slope of the line  $\bar{a}z + a\bar{z} + b$  is  $-\frac{\text{Re}(a)}{\text{Im}(a)} = -i \frac{(a + \bar{a})}{(a - \bar{a})}$ .

(v) **Length of perpendicular:** The length of perpendicular from a point  $z_1$  to the line  $\bar{a}z + a\bar{z} + b = 0$  is given by  $\frac{|\bar{a}z_1 + a\bar{z}_1 + b|}{|a + \bar{a}|}$  or  $\frac{|\bar{a}z_1 + a\bar{z}_1 + b|}{2|a|}$ .

**5. Equation of a circle**

- (i) The equation of a circle whose centre is at point having affix  $z_0$  and radius  $r$  is  $|z - z_0| = r$ .
- (ii) If the centre of the circle is at origin and radius  $r$ , then its equation is  $|z| = r$  (see Fig. 3.4).

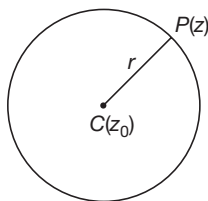


Fig. 3.4

(iii)  $|z - z_0| < r$  represents interior of a circle  $|z - z_0| = r$  whereas  $|z - z_0| > r$  represents exterior of the circle  $|z - z_0| = r$ .

$$\overline{AC} = \overline{AB} e^{i\theta} \quad \text{or} \quad (z_3 - z_1) = (z_2 - z_1) e^{i\theta}$$

or  $\frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = e^{i\theta}$

(iv) If  $A, B$  and  $C$  are three points in argand plane such that  $AC = AB$  and  $\angle CAB = \theta$  then use the rotation about  $A$  to find  $e^{i\theta}$ , but if  $AC \neq AB$  use conic method.

(v) If four points  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  and  $z_4$  are con-cyclic then

$$\frac{(z_4 - z_1)(z_2 - z_3)}{(z_4 - z_2)(z_1 - z_3)} = \text{real}$$

or  $\arg \left( \frac{(z_2 - z_3)(z_4 - z_1)}{(z_1 - z_3)(z_4 - z_2)} \right) = \pm\pi, 0$

**TRICK(S) FOR PROBLEM SOLVING**

If  $z$  is a variable point and  $z_1, z_2$  are two fixed points in the argand plane, then

1.  $|z - z_1| = |z - z_2| \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is the perpendicular bisector of the line segment joining  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ .
2.  $|z - z_1| + |z - z_2| = \text{constant} (\neq |z_1 - z_2|) \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is an ellipse
3.  $|z - z_1| + |z - z_2| = |z_1 - z_2| \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is the line segment joining  $z_1$  and  $z_2$
4.  $|z - z_1| - |z - z_2| = |z - z_2| \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a straight line joining  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  but  $z$  does not lie between  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ .
5.  $|z - z_1| - |z - z_2| = \text{constant} (\neq |z_1 - z_2|) \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a hyperbola.
6.  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = |z_1 - z_2|^2 \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a circle with  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  as the extremities of diameter.
7.  $|z - z_1| = k |z - z_2|, (k \neq 1) \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a circle.
8.  $\arg \left( \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right) = a$  (fixed)  $\Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a segment of circle.
9.  $\arg \left( \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a circle with  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  as the vertices of diameter.
10.  $\arg \left( \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right) = 0$  or  $\pi \Rightarrow$  Locus of  $z$  is a straight line passing through  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ .

**TIME SAVING TIPS**

- $||z_1| - |z_2|| \leq |z_1 + z_2| \leq |z_1| + |z_2|$   
Thus  $|z_1| + |z_2|$  is the greatest possible value of  $|z_1 + z_2|$  and  $||z_1| - |z_2||$  is the least possible value of  $|z_1 + z_2|$ .
- If  $\left| z + \frac{1}{z} \right| = a$ , the greatest and least values of  $|z|$  are respectively  $\frac{a + \sqrt{a^2 - 4}}{2}$  and  $\frac{-a + \sqrt{a^2 - 4}}{2}$ .
- The area of the triangle whose vertices are  $z, iz$  and  $z + iz$  is  $\frac{1}{2} |z|^2$ .
- The area of the triangle with vertices  $z, wz$  and  $z + wz$  is  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} |z|^2$ .
- If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  be the vertices of an equilateral triangle and  $z_0$  be the circumcentre, then  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 3z_0^2$ .
- If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  be the vertices of a triangle, then the triangle is equilateral iff  $(z_1 - z_2)^2 + (z_2 - z_3)^2 + (z_3 - z_1)^2 = 0$

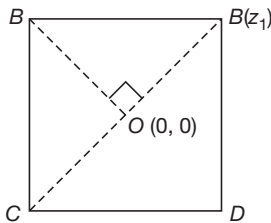
or  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = z_1z_2 + z_2z_3 + z_3z_1$   
 or  $\frac{1}{z_1 - z_2} + \frac{1}{z_2 - z_3} + \frac{1}{z_3 - z_1} = 0$

- The equation  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = k$  (where  $k$  is a real number) will represent a circle with centre at  $\frac{1}{2}(z_1 + z_2)$  and radius  $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2k - |z_1 - z_2|^2}$  provided  $k \geq \frac{1}{2}|z_1 - z_2|^2$ .
- The one and only one case in which  $|z_1| + |z_2| + \dots + |z_n| = |z_1 + z_2 + \dots + z_n|$  is that the numbers  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  have the same amplitude.
- If three points  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are connected by relation  $az_1 + bz_2 + cz_3 = 0$  where  $a + b + c = 0$ , then the three points are collinear.
- If  $z$  is a complex number, then  $e^z$  is periodic.
- If three complex numbers are in A.P., then they lie on a straight line in the complex plane.

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42. The centre of a square  $ABCD$  is at  $z = 0$ . If  $A$  is  $z_1$ , then the centroid of triangle  $ABC$  is
- (A)  $\frac{z_1}{3} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$   
 (B)  $\frac{z_1}{3} (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)$   
 (C)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$   
 (D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**  
 Since  $A$  is  $z_1$  and  $\angle AOB = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 $\therefore B$  is  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$



Also,  $c$  is  $z_1(\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)$   
 $\therefore$  Centroid of  $\Delta ABC$  is  
 $\frac{z_1}{3} \left( 1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos \pi + i \sin \pi \right)$

$$= \frac{z_1}{3} (1 + 0 + i - 1 + 0) = \frac{z_1}{3} i$$

$$= \frac{z_1}{3} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

43. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2 (\neq 0)$  are two complex numbers such that  $\left| \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} \right| = 1$ , then
- (A)  $z_2 = ikz_1, k \in R$                       (B)  $z_2 = kz_1, k \in R$   
 (C)  $z_2 = z_1$                                       (D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**  
 We have,  
 $\left| \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} \right| = 1 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{z_1/z_2 - 1}{z_1/z_2 + 1} \right| = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} - 1 \right| = \left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} + 1 \right|$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2}$  lies on the perpendicular bisector of the segment joining  $A(-1 + 0i)$  and  $B(1 + 0i)$ .

$\therefore \frac{z_1}{z_2} = ai$  for some  $a \in R$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{z_2}{z_1} = \frac{1}{ai} = \frac{-i}{a}$   
 $\therefore z_2 = ikz_1$  for some  $k \in R$

44. If  $z = x + iy$  and 'a' is a real number such that  $|z - ai| = |z + ai|$ , then locus of  $z$  is
- (A) x-axis    (B) y-axis  
 (C)  $x = y$     (D)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

**Solution: (A)**  
 We have,  $|z - ai| = |z + ai|$   
 $\Rightarrow |x + i(y - a)|^2 = |x + i(y + a)|^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + (y - a)^2 = x^2 + (y + a)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow 4ay = 0; y = 0$ , which is x-axis.

45. The locus represented by  $|z - 1| = |z + i|$  is
- (A) a circle of radius 1  
 (B) an ellipse with foci at 1 and  $-i$   
 (C) a line through the origin  
 (D) a circle on the join of 1 and  $-i$  as diameter

**Solution: (C)**  
 We have,  $|z - 1| = |z + i|$   
 $\Rightarrow |(x - 1) + iy| = |x + i(y + 1)|$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + y^2 = x^2 + (y + 1)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x + y = 0$ , which is a line through the origin.

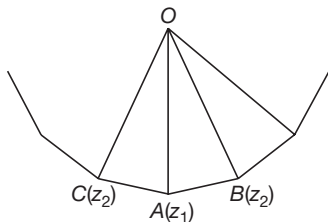
46. The centre of a regular polygon of  $n$  sides is located at the point  $z = 0$ , and one of its vertex  $z_1$  is known. If  $z_2$  be the vertex adjacent to  $z_1$ , then  $z_2$  is equal to

- (A)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{n} \pm i \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \right)$
- (B)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{n} \pm i \sin \frac{\pi}{n} \right)$
- (C)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2n} \pm i \sin \frac{\pi}{2n} \right)$
- (D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**

Let  $A$  be the vertex with affix  $z_1$ . There are two possibilities and can be obtained by rotating  $z_1$  through  $\frac{2\pi}{n}$  either in clockwise or in anti-clockwise direction.

$$z_2 = z_1 e^{\pm \frac{12\pi}{n}} \quad (\because |z_2| = |z_1|)$$



47. The locus of the complex number  $z$  in the Argand plane if  $\left| \frac{1-iz}{z-i} \right| = 1$ , is

- (A) a circle
- (B)  $x$ -axis
- (C)  $y$ -axis
- (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

Let  $z = x + iy$

Given,  $\left| \frac{1-iz}{z-i} \right| = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{1-i(x+iy)}{x+iy-i} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{1+y-ix}{x+i(y-1)} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{(1+y)^2 + x^2}}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-1)^2}} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+y)^2 + x^2 = x^2 + (y-1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + y^2 + 2y + x^2 = x^2 + y^2 - 2y + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 0, \text{ which is the equation of } x\text{-axis.}$$

48. The equation  $|z - 1|^2 + |z + 1|^2 = 4$  represents on the Argand plane

- (A) a straight line
- (B) an ellipse
- (C) a circle with centre origin and radius 2
- (D) a circle with centre origin and radius unity

**Solution: (D)**

We have,  $|z - 1|^2 + |z + 1|^2 = 4$  (1)

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^2 + y^2 + (x+1)^2 + y^2 = 4$$

(Putting  $z = x + iy$ )

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2 + 1) = 4$$

$$\therefore x^2 + y^2 = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad |z|^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| = 1 \quad (\text{since } |z| \text{ cannot be } -ve)$$

Thus, the Eq. (1) represents all points  $z$  on the circle with centre origin and radius unity.

49. The locus of the point  $z$  satisfying the condition

$$\arg \frac{z-1}{z+1} = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ is}$$

- (A) a straight line
- (B) circle
- (C) a parabola
- (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

We have,  $\arg \frac{z-1}{z+1} = \frac{\pi}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow \arg \frac{x+iy-1}{x+iy+1} = \frac{\pi}{3} \quad (\text{Putting } z = x + iy)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x-1} - \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x+1} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\left( \because \text{Arg} \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \text{Arg } z_1 - \text{Arg } z_2 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{y}{x-1} - \frac{y}{x+1}}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2-1}} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2 - 1} = \tan \frac{\pi}{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} y - 1 = 0, \text{ which is a circle.}$$

50. If  $\omega = \left( \frac{z-i}{1+iz} \right)^n$ ,  $n$  integral, then  $\omega$  lies on the unit circle for

- (A) only even  $n$
- (B) only odd  $n$
- (C) only positive  $n$
- (D) all  $n$

**Solution: (D)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } \omega &= \left( \frac{z-i}{1+iz} \right)^n = \left( \frac{z-i}{i(z-i)} \right)^n \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{i} \right)^n = (-i)^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore |\omega| = |(-i)^n| = |-i|^n = 1 \text{ for all } n.$$

$\therefore \omega$  lies on unit circle for all  $n$ .

51. The equation  $z\bar{z} + a\bar{z} + \bar{a}z + b = 0$ ,  $b \in R$  represents a circle (not point circle) if

- (A)  $|a|^2 > b$  (B)  $|a|^2 < b$   
(C)  $|a| > b$  (D)  $|a| < b$

**Solution: (A)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } z\bar{z} + a\bar{z} + \bar{a}z + b &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow z\bar{z} + a\bar{z} + \bar{a}z + a\bar{a} &= a\bar{a} - b \\ \Rightarrow (z+a)(\bar{z}+\bar{a}) &= a\bar{a} - b \\ \Rightarrow |z+a|^2 &= |a|^2 - b \end{aligned}$$

This represents a circle (not point circle) if  $|a|^2 > b$ .

52. If  $z^4 = (z-1)^4$ , then the roots are represented in the argand plane by the points that are  
(A) collinear  
(B) concyclic  
(C) vertices of a parallelogram  
(D) None of these

**Solution: (A)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } z^4 &= (z-1)^4 \\ \Rightarrow \left( \frac{z-1}{z} \right) &= 1^{1/4} = e^{\frac{2n\pi i}{4}}, \quad n=0, 1, 2, 3 \end{aligned}$$

Since for all these values of  $z$ ,

$$\left| \frac{z-1}{z} \right| = 1 \text{ so they lie on the line bisecting perpendicularly the join of } z=1 \text{ and } z=0.$$

53. The equation  $z^2 + \bar{z}^2 - 2|z|^2 + z + \bar{z} = 0$  represents a  
(A) straight line (B) circle  
(C) hyperbola (D) parabola

**Solution: (D)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } z^2 + \bar{z}^2 - 2|z|^2 + z + \bar{z} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x+iy)^2 + (x-iy)^2 - 2(x^2+y^2) + x+iy &+ x-iy = 0 \\ &\text{(Putting } z = x+iy) \\ \Rightarrow 2x^2 + 2(iy)^2 - 2x^2 - 2y^2 + 2x &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow -4y^2 + 2x = 0 \text{ or } y^2 &= \frac{1}{2}x, \end{aligned}$$

which is a parabola.

54. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be two non real complex cube roots of unity and  $|z-z_1|^2 + |z-z_2|^2 = \lambda$  be the equation of a circle with  $z_1, z_2$  as ends of a diameter, then the value of  $\lambda$  is

- (A) 4 (B) 3 (C) 2 (D)  $\sqrt{2}$

**Solution: (B)**

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} |z-\omega|^2 + |z-\omega^2|^2 &= \lambda \\ \Rightarrow \lambda &= |\omega-\omega^2|^2 = |\omega^2+\omega^4-2\omega^3| \\ &= |\omega^2+\omega-2| = |-1-2| = 3 \end{aligned}$$

55. The region in the Argand diagram defined by  $|z-3| + |z+3| < 6$  is the interior of the ellipse with major axis along

- (A) real axis (B) imaginary axis  
(C)  $y=x$  (D)  $y=-x$

**Solution: (A)**

The equation  $|z-(3+0i)| + |z-(-3+0i)| < 6$  represents the interior of ellipse with foci at  $(3, 0)$  and  $(-3, 0)$ . So, major axis is along real axis.

56. If the area of the triangle on the argand plane formed by the complex numbers  $-z, iz, z-iz$  is 600 square units, then  $|z|$  is equal to  
(A) 10 (B) 20  
(C) 30 (D) None of these

**Solution: (B)**

Area of the triangle on the argand plane formed by the complex numbers  $-z, iz, z-iz$  is  $\frac{3}{2}|z|^2$ .

$$\therefore \frac{3}{2}|z|^2 = 600 \Rightarrow |z| = 20$$

57. If  $|z+\bar{z}| + |z-\bar{z}| = 8$ , then  $z$  lies on  
(A) a circle  
(B) a straight line  
(C) a square  
(D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } |z+\bar{z}| + |z-\bar{z}| &= 8 \\ \Rightarrow 2|x| + 2|y| &= 8 \text{ or } |x| + |y| = 4 \end{aligned}$$

58. If  $\text{Im} \left( \frac{z+2i}{z+2} \right) = 0$ , then  $z$  lies on the curve

- (A)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y = 0$   
(B)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$   
(C)  $x + y + 2 = 0$   
(D) None of these

**Solution: (C)**

Let  $z = x + iy$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } \frac{z+2i}{z+2} &= \frac{x+iy+2i}{x+iy+2} = \frac{x+(y+2)i}{(x+2)+iy} \\ &= \frac{[x+(y+2)i][(x+2)-iy]}{(x+2)^2+y^2} \\ &= \frac{(x^2+y^2+2x+2y)+i(2x+2y+4)}{(x+2)^2+y^2} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\text{Im} \left( \frac{z+2i}{z+2} \right) = 0 \Rightarrow x+y+2=0$

which represents a straight line.

59. The cube roots of unity

- (A) lie on the circle  $|z| = 1$
- (B) are collinear
- (C) form an equilateral triangle
- (D) None of these

**Solution: (A, C)**

Clearly, cube roots of unity 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  satisfy  $|z| = 1$ .

Also,  $|1 - \omega|^2 = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 = 3$

$\Rightarrow |1 - \omega| = \sqrt{3}$

$|\omega - \omega^2| = |\sqrt{3}i| = \sqrt{3}$

and  $|1 - \omega^2| = \left| 1 - \left( -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \right|$

$$= \left| \frac{3}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right| = \sqrt{3}.$$

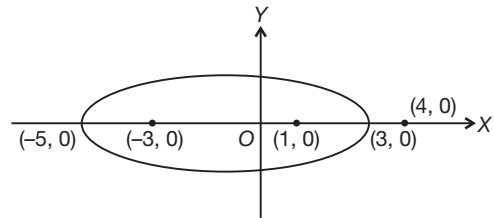
Therefore, 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  form an equilateral triangle.

60. If  $|z-1| + |z+3| \leq 8$ , then the range of values of  $|z-4|$  is
- (A) (0, 8)
  - (B) [0, 8]
  - (C) [1, 9]
  - (D) [5, 9]

**Solution: (C)**

Given  $|z-1| + |z+3| \leq 8$

$\therefore z$  lies inside or on the ellipse whose foci are (1, 0) and (-3, 0) and vertices are (-5, 0) and (3, 0).



Now,  $|z-4|$  is distance of  $z$  from (4, 0). Minimum distance is 1 and maximum is 9.

**EXERCISES**

**Single Option Correct Type**

1. If  $a, b, c, p, q, r$  are three complex numbers such that  $\frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} = 1 + i$  and  $\frac{a}{p} + \frac{b}{q} + \frac{c}{r} = 0$ , then the value of  $\frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2}$  is
  - (A)  $2i$
  - (B)  $i$
  - (C)  $-2i$
  - (D) None of these
2. The complex numbers  $\sin x + i \cos 2x$  and  $\cos x - i \sin 2x$  are conjugate to each other, for
  - (A)  $x = n\pi$
  - (B)  $x = 0$
  - (C)  $x = \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) \pi$
  - (D) no value of  $x$
3. 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
  - (A)  $-\pi$
  - (B)  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$
  - (C)  $\pi$
  - (D)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
4. The number of solutions of the equation  $z^2 + |z|^2 = 0$ , where  $z \in C$  is
  - (A) one
  - (B) two
  - (C) three
  - (D) infinitely many
5. If  $\omega$  is the  $n$ th root of unity, then  $(1 + \omega + \omega^2 + \dots + \omega^{n-1})$  is
  - (A) 2
  - (B) 0
  - (C) 1
  - (D)  $-1$
6. The complex number which satisfies the equation  $z + \sqrt{2}|z+1| + i = 0$  is
  - (A)  $2-i$
  - (B)  $-2-i$
  - (C)  $2+i$
  - (D)  $-2+i$
7.  $z_1, z_2$  are two non-real complex numbers such that  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1$ . Then  $z_1, z_2$  and the origin

- (A) are collinear  
 (B) form right angled triangle  
 (C) form right angle isosceles triangle  
 (D) form an equilateral triangle
8.  $\tan \left[ i \log \frac{a-ib}{a+ib} \right]$  is equal to  
 (A)  $\frac{2ab}{a^2+b^2}$  (B)  $\frac{a^2-b^2}{2ab}$   
 (C)  $\frac{2ab}{a^2-b^2}$  (D)  $ab$
9. If  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^{100} = 2^{99} (a + ib)$ , then  $b =$   
 (A)  $\sqrt{3}$  (B)  $\sqrt{2}$   
 (C) 1 (D) None of these
10. The real value of  $\alpha$  for which the expression  $\frac{1-i \sin \alpha}{1+2i \sin \alpha}$  is purely real is  
 (A)  $(2n+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$  (B)  $(n+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 (C)  $n\pi$  (D) None of these
11. The locus of  $z$  which satisfies the inequality  $\log_{0.3} |z-1| > \log_{0.3} |z-i|$  is given by,  
 (A)  $x+y > 0$  (B)  $x-y < 0$   
 (C)  $x+y < 0$  (D)  $x-y > 0$
12. If centre of a regular hexagon is at origin and one of the vertices on argand diagram is  $1 + 2i$  then its perimeter is  
 (A)  $2\sqrt{5}$  (B)  $6\sqrt{2}$  (C)  $4\sqrt{5}$  (D)  $6\sqrt{5}$
13. If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are three complex numbers, then  $z_1 \operatorname{Im}(\bar{z}_2 z_3) + z_2 \operatorname{Im}(\bar{z}_3 z_1) + z_3 \operatorname{Im}(\bar{z}_1 z_2)$  is equal to  
 (A) 1 (B) -1  
 (C) 0 (D) None of these
14. If  $\frac{2z_1}{3z_2}$  is purely imaginary number, then  $\left| \frac{z_1-z_2}{z_1+z_2} \right|^4$  is equal to  
 (A)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (B) 1 (C)  $\frac{2}{3}$  (D)  $\frac{4}{9}$
15. If  $x^6 = (4-3i)^5$ , then the product of all of its roots is (where  $\theta = -\tan^{-1}(3/4)$ )  
 (A)  $5^5 (\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta)$   
 (B)  $-5^5 (\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta)$   
 (C)  $5^5 (\cos 5\theta - i \sin 5\theta)$   
 (D)  $-5^5 (\cos 5\theta - i \sin 5\theta)$
16.  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$  is possible if  
 (A)  $z_2 = \bar{z}_1$  (B)  $z_2 = \frac{1}{z_1}$   
 (C)  $\arg z_1 = \arg z_2$  (D)  $|z_1| = |z_2|$
17. If  $z = x + iy$ ,  $x, y$  real, then  $|x| + |y| \leq k|z|$ , where  $k$  is equal to  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\sqrt{2}$   
 (C)  $\sqrt{3}$  (D) None of these
18. If  $(1+i)(1+2i)(1+3i) \dots (1+ni) = \alpha + i\beta$  then  $2 \times 5 \times 10 \dots (1+n^2) =$   
 (A)  $\alpha - i\beta$  (B)  $\alpha^2 - \beta^2$   
 (C)  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$  (D) None of these
19. Let  $z_1 = a + ib, z_2 = p + iq$  be two unimodular complex numbers such that  $\operatorname{Im}(z_1 \bar{z}_2) = 1$ .  
 If  $\omega_1 = a + ip, \omega_2 = b + iq$ , then  
 (A)  $\operatorname{Re}(\omega_1 \omega_2) = 1$  (B)  $\operatorname{Im}(\omega_1 \omega_2) = 1$   
 (C)  $\operatorname{Re}(\omega_1 \omega_2) = 0$  (D)  $\operatorname{Im}(\omega_1 \bar{\omega}_2) = 1$
20. If  $\sqrt[3]{a+ib} = x + iy$ , then  $\frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} =$   
 (A)  $4(x^2 + y^2)$  (B)  $4(x^2 - y^2)$   
 (C)  $2(x^2 - y^2)$  (D) None of these
21. If  $z = a + ib$  where  $a > 0, b > 0$ , then  
 (A)  $|z| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a-b)$  (B)  $|z| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a+b)$   
 (C)  $|z| < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a+b)$  (D) None of these
22. The complex numbers  $z_1, z_2$  and  $z_3$  satisfying  $\frac{z_1-z_3}{z_2-z_3} = \frac{1-\sqrt{3}i}{2}$  are the vertices of a triangle which is  
 (A) of area zero (B) right angled isosceles  
 (C) equilateral (D) obtuse angled isosceles
23. If  $(1+x+x^2)^n = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots + a_{2n} x^{2n}$ , then  $a_0 + a_3 + a_6 + \dots =$   
 (A)  $3^n$  (B)  $3^{n-1}$   
 (C)  $3^{n-2}$  (D) None of these
24. If  $1, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n-1}$  are the  $n$ th roots of unity, then  $(1-a_1)(1-a_2)(1-a_3) \dots (1-a_{n-1}) =$   
 (A)  $n+1$  (B)  $n$   
 (C)  $n-1$  (D) None of these
25. The closest distance of the origin from a curve given as  $|a| = 0$  ( $a$  is a complex number) is  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{|a|}{2}$  (C)  $\frac{\operatorname{Re} a}{|a|}$  (D)  $\frac{\operatorname{Im} a}{|a|}$

26.  $|z-1|+|z+3|\leq 8$ , then the range of values of  $|z-4|$  is  
 (A) (0, 8) (B) [0, 8] (C) [1, 9] (D) [5, 9]
27. The roots of the equation  $z^4+1=0$  are  
 (A)  $(\pm 1 \pm i)$  (B)  $(\pm 2 \pm 2i)$   
 (C)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\pm 1 \pm i)$  (D) None of these
28. The integral solution of the equation  $(1-i)^n=2^n$  is  
 (A)  $n=0$  (B)  $n=1$   
 (C)  $n=-1$  (D) None of these
29. The greatest value of the moduli of complex numbers  $z$  satisfying the equation  $\left|z-\frac{4}{z}\right|=2$  is  
 (A)  $\sqrt{5}$  (B)  $\sqrt{5}-1$   
 (C)  $\sqrt{5}+1$  (D) None of these
30. The locus of the complex number  $z$  in an argand plane satisfying the equation  $\text{Arg}(z+i)-\text{Arg}(z-i)=\frac{\pi}{2}$  is  
 (A) boundary of a circle (B) interior of a circle  
 (C) exterior of a circle (D) None of these
31.  $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$  is always real, then  
 (A)  $z$  lies only on a circle  
 (B)  $z$  lies only on the real axis  
 (C)  $z$  lies either on the real axis or on a circle  
 (D) None of these
32.  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are two complex numbers such that  $\frac{z_1-2z_2}{2-z_1\bar{z}_2}$  is unimodular whereas  $z_2$  is not unimodular. Then  $|z_1|$  is  
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4
33. If for the complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ ,  $|z_1+z_2|=|z_1-z_2|$ , then  $\text{amp } z_1 \sim \text{amp } z_2 =$   
 (A)  $\pi$  (B)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$   
 (C)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (D) None of these
34. The locus of the complex number  $z$  in an argand plane satisfying the inequality  $\log_{1/2}\left(\frac{|z-1|+4}{3|z-1|-2}\right) > 1$  (where  $|z-1| \neq \frac{2}{3}$ ) is  
 (A) a circle  
 (B) interior of a circle  
 (C) exterior of a circle  
 (D) None of these
35. The equation  $z^3+iz-1=0$  has  
 (A) three real roots  
 (B) one real root  
 (C) no real roots  
 (D) no real or complex roots
36. If all the roots of  $z^3+az^2+bz+c=0$  are of unit modulus, then  
 (A)  $|a|\leq 3$  (B)  $|b|> 3$   
 (C)  $|c|\leq 3$  (D) None of these
37. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be two complex numbers such that  $\frac{z_1}{z_2}+\frac{z_2}{z_1}=1$ , then  
 (A)  $z_1, z_2$  are collinear  
 (B)  $z_1, z_2$  and the origin form a right angled triangle  
 (C)  $z_1, z_2$  and the origin form an equilateral triangle  
 (D) None of these
38. If  $S(n)=i^n+i^{-n}$ , where  $i=\sqrt{-1}$  and  $n$  is a positive integer, then the total number of distinct values of  $S(n)$  is  
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4
39. If  $z_1 \neq -z_2$  and  $|z_1+z_2|=\left|\frac{1}{z_1}+\frac{1}{z_2}\right|$ , then  
 (A) at least one of  $z_1, z_2$  is unimodular  
 (B)  $z_1 \times z_2$  is unimodular  
 (C) both  $z_1, z_2$  are unimodular  
 (D) None of these
40. If  $z=x+iy$  satisfies  $\text{amp}(z-1)=\text{amp}(z+3i)$  then the value of  $(x-1):y$  is equal to  
 (A) 2:1 (B) -1:3  
 (C) 1:3 (D) None of these
41. If  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4$  are the four complex numbers represented by the vertices of a quadrilateral taken in order such that  $z_1-z_4=z_2-z_3$  and  $\text{amp}\frac{z_4-z_1}{z_2-z_1}=\frac{\pi}{2}$  then the quadrilateral is a  
 (A) square  
 (B) rhombus  
 (C) rectangle  
 (D) a cyclic quadrilateral
42. Let  $z$  be a complex number with modulus 2 and argument  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ , then  $z$  is equal to  
 (A)  $-1+i\sqrt{3}$  (B)  $1-i\sqrt{3}$   
 (C)  $-\frac{1}{2}+\frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (D) None of these

43. If  $\log_{\sqrt{3}} \left( \frac{|z|^2 - |z| + 1}{2 + |z|} \right) < 2$ , then the locus of  $z$  is  
 (A)  $|z| < 5$  (B)  $|z| = 5$   
 (C)  $|z| > 5$  (D) None of these
44. If  $|z| = 1$ , then the value of  $\left( \frac{z-1}{z+1} \right)$  is  
 (A) 0 (B) purely real  
 (C) purely imaginary (D) complex number
45. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are complex numbers, such that  $z_1 + z_2$  is a real number, then  
 (A)  $z_1 = -\bar{z}_2$   
 (B)  $z_2 = \bar{z}_1$   
 (C)  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are any two complex numbers  
 (D)  $z_1 = \bar{z}_1, z_2 = \bar{z}_2$
46. The locus of the points representing the complex numbers which satisfy  $|z| - 2 = 0, |z - i| - |z + 5i| = 0$  is:  
 (A) a circle with centre at origin  
 (B) a straight line passing through origin  
 (C) the single point  $(0, -2)$   
 (D) None of these
47. Let the affix of  $2 - 4i$  be  $P$ . Then  $OP$  is rotated about  $O$  through an angle of  $180^\circ$  and is stretched  $5/2$  times. The complex number corresponding to the new position of  $P$  is  
 (A)  $5 - 10i$  (B)  $5 + 10i$   
 (C)  $-5 + 10i$  (D) None of these
48. If  $P, P'$  represent the complex number  $z_1$  and its additive inverse respectively then the complex equation of the circle with  $PP'$  as a diameter is  
 (A)  $\frac{z}{z_1} = \overline{\left( \frac{z_1}{z} \right)}$  (B)  $z\bar{z} + z_1\bar{z}_1 = 0$   
 (C)  $z\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}z_1$  (D) None of these
49. If  $a, b, c, p, q, r$  are three non-zero complex numbers such that  $\frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} = 1 + i$  and  $\frac{a}{p} + \frac{b}{q} + \frac{c}{r} = 0$ , then value of  $\frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2}$  is  
 (A) 0 (B)  $-1$   
 (C)  $2i$  (D)  $-2i$
50. If  $z_1, z_2$  are two complex numbers such that  $\left| \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} \right| = 1$  and  $tz_1 = kz_2$  where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ , then the angle between  $(z_1 - z_2)$  and  $(z_1 + z_2)$  is  
 (A)  $\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2k}{k^2 + 1} \right)$  (B)  $\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2k}{1 - k^2} \right)$   
 (C)  $-2 \tan^{-1}(k)$  (D)  $2 \tan^{-1}(k)$
51.  $1 + x^2 = \sqrt{3}x$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{24} \left( x^n - \frac{1}{x^n} \right)^2$  is equal to  
 (A) 48 (B)  $-48$   
 (C)  $\pm 48(\omega - \omega^2)$  (D)  $1 \pm 48\omega$
52. 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
53. For any two complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  with  $|z_1| \neq |z_2|$   $|\sqrt{2}z_1 + i\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_2|^2 + |\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_1 + i\sqrt{2}z_2|^2$  is  
 (A) less than  $5|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2$   
 (B) greater than  $10|z_1z_2|$   
 (C) equal to  $2|z_1|^2 + 3|z_2|^2$   
 (D) zero
54. If the complex numbers  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are in AP, then they lie on a  
 (A) circle (B) parabola  
 (C) line (D) ellipse
55. If the roots of  $(z - 1)^{25} = 2\omega^2(z + 1)^{25}$  where  $\omega$  is a complex cube root of unity are plotted in the argand plane, they lie on  
 (A) a straight line (B) a circle  
 (C) an ellipse (D) None of these
56. Let  $A_0A_1A_2A_3A_4A_5$  be a regular hexagon inscribed in a circle of unit radius. Then the product of the lengths of the line segments  $A_0A_1, A_0A_2$  and  $A_0A_4$  is  
 (A)  $\frac{3}{4}$  (B)  $3\sqrt{3}$  (C) 3 (D)  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$
57. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are the two complex roots of equal magnitude and their arguments differ by  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) then  $a$  (in terms of  $b$  and  $c$ ) is  
 (A)  $\frac{b^2}{2c}$  (B)  $\frac{b^2}{c}$   
 (C)  $\frac{b}{2c}$  (D) None of these
58. Common roots of the equations  $z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0$  and  $z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$  are  
 (A)  $\omega, \omega^2$  (B)  $1, \omega, \omega^2$   
 (C)  $-1, \omega, \omega^2$  (D)  $-\omega, -\omega^2$

59.  $\sin^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{i}(z-1)\right]$ , where  $z$  is non-real, can be the angle of a triangle if  
 (A)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 1, \operatorname{Im}(z) = 2$   
 (B)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) = 1, -1 \leq \operatorname{Im}(z) \leq 1$   
 (C)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) + \operatorname{Im}(z) = 0$   
 (D)  $\operatorname{Re}(z) = \operatorname{Im}(z)$
60. If  $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$  then the value of  $\sum_{n=1}^5 \left(x^n + \frac{1}{x^n}\right)^2$  is  
 (A) 8 (B) 10  
 (C) 12 (D) None of these
61. The triangle formed by the points  $1, \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}$  and  $i$  as vertices in the Argand diagram is  
 (A) scalene (B) equilateral  
 (C) isosceles (D) right-angled
62. If the quadratic equation  $z^2 + (a + ib)z + c + id = 0$ , where  $a, b, c, d$  are non-zero real numbers, has a real root, then  
 (A)  $d^2 - abd - c^2 = 0$  (B)  $d^2 - abd + b^2c = 0$   
 (C)  $d^2 + abd + c^2 = 0$  (D) None of these
63. If  $|z - i| \leq 2$  and  $z_0 = 5 + 3i$ , the maximum value of  $|iz + z_0|$  is  
 (A) 7 (B) 9  
 (C) 13 (D) None of these
64. The solutions of the equation  $z(\overline{z-2i}) = 2(2+i)$  are  
 (A)  $3+i, 3-i$  (B)  $1+3i, 1-3i$   
 (C)  $1+3i, 1-i$  (D)  $1-3i, 1+i$
65. Let  $\alpha, \beta$  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  
 (A)  $\beta \in (1, \infty)$  (B)  $\beta \in (0, 1)$   
 (C)  $\beta \in (-1, 0)$  (D)  $|\beta| = 1$
66. If  $\omega (\neq 1)$  is a cube root of unity, and  $(1 + \omega)^7 = A + B\omega$ . Then  $(A, B)$  equals  
 (A)  $(-1, 1)$  (B)  $(0, 1)$  (C)  $(1, 1)$  (D)  $(1, 0)$
67. If  $z \neq 1$  and  $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$  is real, then the point represented by the complex number  $z$  lies  
 (A) either on the real axis or on a circle passing through the origin.  
 (B) on a circle with centre at the origin.  
 (C) either on the real axis or on a circle not passing through the origin.  
 (D) on the imaginary axis.
68. Two circles in complex plane are  
 $C_1: |z - i| = 2$   
 $C_2: |z - 1 - 2i| = 4$ . 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  $C_1$ .
69. The conjugate of a complex number is  $\frac{1}{i-1}$ . Then the complex number is  
 (A)  $\frac{-1}{i-1}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{i+1}$  (C)  $\frac{-1}{i+1}$  (D)  $\frac{1}{i-1}$
70. If  $\left|z - \frac{4}{z}\right| = 2$ , then the maximum value of  $|z|$  is equal to  
 (A)  $\sqrt{3} + 1$  (B)  $\sqrt{5} + 1$   
 (C) 2 (D)  $2 + \sqrt{2}$
71. If  $z_1 z_2 \in C, z_1^2 + z_2^2 \in R, z_1(z_1^2 - 3z_2^2) = 2$  and  $z_2(3z_1^2 - z_2^2) = 11$ , then the value of  $z_1^2 + z_2^2$  is  
 (A) 2 (B) 3 (C) 4 (D) 5
72. If  $\sqrt{1-C^2} = nc - 1$  and  $z = e^{i\theta}$ , then  $\frac{c}{2n}(1+nz)\left(1+\frac{n}{z}\right) =$   
 (A)  $1 + c \cos \theta$  (B)  $1 - c \cos \theta$   
 (C)  $1 + 2c \cos \theta$  (D)  $1 - 2c \cos \theta$
73. Let 'a' be a complex number such that  $|a| < 1$  and  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  be the vertices of a polygon such that  $z_k = 1 + a + a^2 + \dots + a^k$ , then the vertices of the polygon lie within the circle  
 (A)  $|z| = \frac{1}{|1-a|}$  (B)  $|z-a| = \frac{1}{|1-a|}$   
 (C)  $\left|z - \frac{1}{1-a}\right| = \frac{1}{|1-a|}$  (D) None of these
74. All the roots of the equation  $a_1 z^3 + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z + a_4 = 3$ , where  $|a_i| \leq 1, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  lie outside the circle with centre origin and radius  
 (A)  $\frac{1}{3}$  (B)  $\frac{2}{3}$   
 (C) 1 (D) None of these
75. If  $z^4 = (z-1)^4$ , then the roots are represented in the argand plane by the points that are  
 (A) collinear  
 (B) concyclic  
 (C) vertices of a parallelogram  
 (D) None of these

76. The maximum value of  $|z|$  when  $z$  satisfies the condition  $\left|z + \frac{2}{z}\right| = 2$  is  
 (A)  $\sqrt{3} - 1$  (B)  $\sqrt{3} + 1$   
 (C)  $\sqrt{3}$  (D)  $\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}$
77. If  $|z + \bar{z}| + |z - \bar{z}| = 8$ , then  $z$  lies on  
 (A) a circle (B) a straight line  
 (C) a square (D) None of these
78. The complex number which satisfies the equation  $z + \sqrt{2}|z + 1| + i = 0$  is  
 (A)  $2 - i$  (B)  $-2 - i$   
 (C)  $2 + i$  (D)  $-2 + i$
79.  $\tan\left[i \log \frac{a-ib}{a+ib}\right]$  is equal to  
 (A)  $\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}$  (B)  $\frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab}$   
 (C)  $\frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}$  (D)  $ab$
80.  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$  is possible if  
 (A)  $z_2 = \bar{z}_1$  (B)  $z_2 = \frac{1}{z_1}$   
 (C)  $\arg z_1 = \arg z_2$  (D)  $|z_1| = |z_2|$
81. If  $z = x + iy$ ,  $x, y$  real, then  $|x| + |y| \leq k|z|$ , where  $k$  is equal to  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\sqrt{2}$   
 (C)  $\sqrt{3}$  (D) None of these
82. If  $z = a + ib$  where  $a > 0, b > 0$ , then  
 (A)  $|z| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a - b)$  (B)  $|z| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a + b)$   
 (C)  $|z| < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a + b)$  (D) None of these
83. If  $(1 + x + x^2)^n = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{2n}x^{2n}$ , then  $a_0 + a_3 + a_6 + \dots =$   
 (A)  $3^n$  (B)  $3^{n-1}$   
 (C)  $3^{n-2}$  (D) None of these
84. The closest distance of the origin from a curve given as  $a\bar{z} + \bar{a}z + a\bar{a} = 0$  ( $a$  is a complex number) is  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{|a|}{2}$  (C)  $\frac{\operatorname{Re} a}{|a|}$  (D)  $\frac{\operatorname{Im} a}{|a|}$
85. The integral solution of the equation  $(1 - i)^n = 2^n$  is  
 (A)  $n = 0$  (B)  $n = 1$   
 (C)  $n = -1$  (D) None of these
86. The locus of the complex number  $z$  in an argand plane satisfying the equation  $\operatorname{Arg}(z + i) - \operatorname{Arg}(z - i) = \frac{\pi}{2}$  is  
 (A) boundary of a circle (B) interior of a circle  
 (C) exterior of a circle (D) None of these
87. If for the complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ ,  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$ , then  $\operatorname{amp} z_1 \sim \operatorname{amp} z_2 =$   
 (A)  $\pi$  (B)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$   
 (C)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (D) None of these
88. The locus of the complex number  $z$  in an argand plane satisfying the inequality  $\log_{1/2}\left(\frac{|z-1|+4}{3|z-1|-2}\right) > 1$  (where  $|z-1| \neq \frac{2}{3}$ ) is  
 (A) a circle (B) interior of a circle  
 (C) exterior of a circle (D) None of these
89. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be two complex numbers such that  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1$ , then  
 (A)  $z_1, z_2$  are collinear  
 (B)  $z_1, z_2$  and the origin form a right angled triangle  
 (C)  $z_1, z_2$  and the origin form an equilateral triangle  
 (D) None of these
90. If  $P, P'$  represent the complex number  $z_1$  and its additive inverse respectively, then the complex equation of the circle with  $PP'$  as a diameter is  
 (A)  $\frac{z}{z_1} = \overline{\left(\frac{z_1}{z}\right)}$  (B)  $z\bar{z} + z_1\bar{z}_1 = 0$   
 (C)  $z\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}z_1$  (D) None of these
91. If  $a, b, c, p, q, r$  are three non-zero complex numbers such that  $\frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} = 1 + i$  and  $\frac{a}{p} + \frac{b}{q} + \frac{c}{r} = 0$ , then value of  $\frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2}$  is  
 (A) 0 (B)  $-1$  (C)  $2i$  (D)  $-2i$
92. If  $z_1, z_2$  are two complex numbers such that  $\left|\frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2}\right| = 1$  and  $tz_1 = kz_2$  where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ , then the angle between  $(z_1 - z_2)$  and  $(z_1 + z_2)$  is  
 (A)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2k}{k^2 + 1}\right)$  (B)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2k}{1 - k^2}\right)$   
 (C)  $-2 \tan^{-1}(k)$  (D)  $2 \tan^{-1}(k)$

93.  $1 + x^2 = \sqrt{3}x$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{24} \left(x^n - \frac{1}{x^n}\right)^2$  is equal to  
 (A) 48 (B) -48  
 (C)  $\pm 48(\omega - \omega^2)$  (D)  $1 \pm 48\omega$
94. For any two complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  with  $|z_1| \neq |z_2|$   
 $|\sqrt{2}z_1 + i\sqrt{3}z_2|^2 + |\sqrt{3}z_1 + i\sqrt{2}z_2|^2$  is  
 (A) less than  $5(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$   
 (B) greater than  $10|z_1z_2|$   
 (C) equal to  $2|z_1|^2 + 3|z_2|^2$   
 (D) zero
95. If the roots of  $(z - 1)^{25} = 2\omega^2(z + 1)^{25}$  (where  $\omega$  is a complex cube root of unity) are plotted in the argand plane, they lie on  
 (A) a straight line (B) a circle  
 (C) an ellipse (D) None of these
96. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are the two complex roots of equal magnitude and their arguments differ by  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) then  $a$  (in terms of  $b$  and  $c$ ) is  
 (A)  $\frac{b^2}{2c}$  (B)  $\frac{b^2}{c}$   
 (C)  $\frac{b}{2c}$  (D) None of these
97. The complex numbers  $z_1, z_2$  and  $z_3$  satisfying  $\frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}i}{2}$  are the vertices of a triangle which is  
 (A) of area zero  
 (B) right angled isosceles  
 (C) equilateral  
 (D) obtuse angled isosceles
98.  $z_1, z_2$  are two non-real complex numbers such that  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1$ . Then,  $z_1, z_2$  and the origin  
 (A) are collinear  
 (B) form right angled triangle  
 (C) form right angle isosceles triangle  
 (D) form an equilateral triangle
99. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  ( $\neq 0$ ) are two complex numbers such that  $\left|\frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2}\right| = 1$ , then  
 (A)  $z_2 = ikz_1, k \in R$  (B)  $z_2 = kz_1, k \in R$   
 (C)  $z_2 = z_1$  (D) None of these
100. If  $a, b, c$  are real,  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 1$  and  $b + ic = (1 + a)z$ , then  $\frac{1 + iz}{1 - iz} =$   
 (A)  $\frac{a - ib}{1 + c}$  (B)  $\frac{a + ib}{1 + c}$   
 (C)  $\frac{a + ib}{1 - c}$  (D)  $\frac{a - ib}{1 - c}$
101. If  $z_1, z_2$  are two complex numbers and  $w^k, k = 0, 1, \dots, n - 1$  are the  $n$ th roots of unity, then  $\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |z_1 + z_2 w^k|^2$   
 (A)  $< n(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$  (B)  $= n(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$   
 (C)  $> n(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$  (D) can't say
102. The equation  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = k, k \in R$  represents a circle if  
 (A)  $k \geq \frac{1}{2}|z_1 - z_2|^2$  (B)  $k \leq \frac{1}{2}|z_1 - z_2|^2$   
 (C)  $k \geq \frac{1}{2}|z_1 + z_2|^2$  (D)  $k \leq \frac{1}{2}|z_1 + z_2|^2$
103.  $f(z)$  when divided by  $z - i$  gives remainder  $i$ ; when divided by  $z + i$  gives remainder  $i + 1$ . When  $f(z)$  is divided by  $z^2 + 1$ , the remainder is  
 (A)  $\frac{i}{2}z + \left(i - \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (B)  $\frac{i}{2}z - \left(i + \frac{1}{2}\right)$   
 (C)  $\frac{i}{2}z + \left(i + \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (D)  $\frac{-i}{2}z + \left(i + \frac{1}{2}\right)$
104. The value of the expression  $(\omega - 1)(\omega - \omega^2)(\omega - \omega^3) \dots (\omega - \omega^{n-1})$ , where  $w$  is the  $n$ th root of unity, is  
 (A)  $n\omega^{n-1}$  (B)  $n\omega^n$   
 (C)  $(n - 1)\omega^n$  (D)  $(n - 1)\omega^{n-1}$
105. If  $|z - i| = 1$  and  $\arg(z) = \theta, \theta \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ , then the value of  $\cot \theta - \frac{2}{z}$  is equal to  
 (A) 0 (B)  $i$  (C)  $-i$  (D) 1
106. The reflection of the complex number  $\frac{4 + 3i}{1 + 2i}$  in the straight line  $iz = i$  is  
 (A)  $2 + i$  (B)  $2 - i$   
 (C)  $1 + 2i$  (D)  $1 - 2i$
107. If  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , then  $4 + 5\left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{334} + 3\left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{365}$  is equal to  
 (A)  $1 - i\sqrt{3}$  (B)  $-1 + i\sqrt{3}$   
 (C)  $i\sqrt{3}$  (D)  $-\sqrt{3}i$

108. Let  $\bar{b}z + b\bar{z} = c$ ,  $b \neq 0$ , be a line in the complex plane, where  $\bar{b}$  is the complex conjugate of  $b$ . If a point  $z_1$  is the reflection of a point  $z_2$  through the line, then  $\bar{z}_1 b + z_2 \bar{b} =$
- (A)  $4c$  (B)  $2c$   
(C)  $c$  (D) None of these
109. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be roots of the equation  $z^2 + pz + q = 0$ , where the coefficients  $p$  and  $q$  may be complex numbers. Let  $A$  and  $B$  represent  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  in the complex plane. If  $\angle AOB = \alpha \neq 0$  and  $OA = OB$ , where  $O$  is the origin, then  $p^2 = k \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$ , where  $k =$
- (A)  $q$  (B)  $2q$   
(C)  $4q$  (D) None of these
110. If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are complex numbers such that  $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ , then  $|z_1 + z_2 + z_3|$  is
- (A) equal to 1 (B) less than 1  
(C) greater than 3 (D) equal to 3
111. If  $|z| \leq 1$ ,  $|\omega| \leq 1$ , then  $|z - \omega|^2$
- (A)  $\leq (|z| - |\omega|)^2 - (\text{Arg } z - \text{Arg } \omega)^2$   
(B)  $\leq (|z| - |\omega|)^2 + (\text{Arg } z - \text{Arg } \omega)^2$   
(C)  $\leq (|z| - |\omega|)^2 + 2(\text{Arg } z - \text{Arg } \omega)^2$   
(D) None of these
112. Suppose,  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the vertices of an equilateral triangle inscribed in the circle  $|z| = 2$ . If  $z_1 = 1 + i\sqrt{3}$  then  $z_2$  and  $z_3$  are equal to
- (A)  $-2, 1 - i\sqrt{3}$  (B)  $2, 1 - i\sqrt{3}$   
(C)  $-2, 1 + i\sqrt{3}$  (D) None of these
113. If  $k = \frac{3n}{2}$ , where  $n$  is an even positive integer, then
- $$\sum_{r=1}^k (-3)^{r-1} \cdot {}^{3n}C_{2r-1} =$$
- (A) 0 (B) 1  
(C)  $-1$  (D) None of these
114. If  $a$  and  $b$  are real numbers between 0 and 1 such that the points  $z_1 = a + i$ ,  $z_2 = 1 + bi$  and  $z_3 = 0$  form an equilateral triangle, then  $a$  and  $b$  are
- (A)  $2 + \sqrt{3}, 2 - \sqrt{3}$  (B)  $2 - \sqrt{3}, 2 - \sqrt{3}$   
(C)  $2 - \sqrt{3}, 2 + \sqrt{3}$  (D) None of these
115. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be complex numbers such that  $z_1 \neq z_2$  and  $|z_1| = |z_2|$ . If  $z_1$  has positive real part and  $z_2$  has negative imaginary part, then  $\frac{z_1 + z_2}{z_1 - z_2}$  may be
- (A) 0 (B) real and positive  
(C) real and negative (D) purely imaginary
116. If the complex numbers  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the vertices  $A, B, C$  respectively of an isosceles right angled triangle with right angle at  $C$ , then
- $$(z_1 - z_2)^2 = k(z_1 - z_3)(z_3 - z_2), \text{ where } k =$$
- (A) 1 (B) 2  
(C) 4 (D) None of these
117. If the origin and the two points represented by complex numbers  $A$  and  $B$  form vertices of an equilateral triangle, then  $\frac{A}{B} + \frac{B}{A} =$
- (A) 1 (B)  $-1$   
(C) 2 (D) None of these
118. If  $2\sqrt{2}x^4 = (\sqrt{3} - 1) + i(\sqrt{3} + 1)$ , then
- $$x = \cos \frac{1}{4}(2n\pi + k) + i \sin \frac{1}{4}(2n\pi + k);$$
- $n = 0, 1, 2, 3$ , where  $k =$
- (A)  $\frac{\pi}{12}$  (B)  $\frac{5\pi}{12}$   
(C)  $\frac{7\pi}{12}$  (D) None of these
119.  $\sum_{p=1}^{32} (3p+2) \left[ \sum_{q=1}^{10} \left( \sin \frac{2q\pi}{11} - i \cos \frac{2q\pi}{11} \right) \right]^p =$
- (A)  $8(1-i)$  (B)  $16(1-i)$   
(C)  $48(1-i)$  (D) None of these
120. The three vertices of a triangle are represented by the complex numbers 0,  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ . If the triangle is equilateral, then
- (A)  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_1 z_2 = 0$  (B)  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 = z_1 z_2$   
(C)  $z_2^2 - z_1^2 = z_1 z_2$  (D)  $z_1^2 - z_2^2 = z_1 z_2$
121. If  $|z - 25i| \leq 15$ , then |maximum amp ( $z$ ) - minimum amp ( $z$ )| is equal to
- (A)  $\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) - \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)$   
(B)  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)$   
(C)  $\pi - 2 \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)$   
(D)  $\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)$
122. If  $z^2 + (p + iq)z + r + is = 0$  where  $p, q, r, s$  are non-zero, has real roots, then

$$(A) pqs = s^2 + q^2r \quad (B) pqr = r^2 + p^2s$$

$$(C) prs = q^2 + r^2p \quad (D) qrs = p^2 + s^2q$$

123. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are any two complex numbers, then

$$\left| z_1 + \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right| + \left| z_1 - \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right| \text{ is equal to}$$

$$(A) |z_1 + z_2| \quad (B) |z_1|$$

$$(C) |z_2| \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

124. If  $z = x + iy$  lies in IIIrd quadrant, then  $\frac{\bar{z}}{z}$  also lies in the IIIrd quadrant if

$$(A) y > x > 0 \quad (B) y < x < 0$$

$$(C) x < y < 0 \quad (D) x > y > 0$$

125. If in an argand plane points  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the vertices of an isosceles triangle right angled at  $z_2$ , then

$$(A) z_1^2 + 2z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$$

$$(B) z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$$

$$(C) z_1^2 + z_2^2 + 2z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$$

$$(D) 2z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$$

126. In the Argand diagram, if  $O, P$  and  $Q$  represent respectively the origin and the complex numbers  $z$  and  $z + iz$ , then the  $\angle OPQ$  is

$$(A) \frac{\pi}{4} \quad (B) \frac{\pi}{3} \quad (C) \frac{\pi}{2} \quad (D) \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

127. If  $z$  satisfies  $|z + 1| < |z - 2|$ , and  $\omega = 3z + 2 + i$ , then

$$(A) |\omega + 1| < |\omega - 8| \quad (B) |\omega + 1| < |\omega - 7|$$

$$(C) \omega + \bar{\omega} > 7 \quad (D) |\omega + 5| < |\omega - 4|$$

128. If  $P(x)$  and  $Q(x)$  are two polynomials such that  $f(x) = P(x^3) + xQ(x^3)$  is divisible by  $x^2 + x + 1$ , then

$$(A) P(x) \text{ is divisible by } (x - 1) \text{ but } Q(x) \text{ is not divisible by } x - 1$$

$$(B) Q(x) \text{ is divisible by } (x - 1) \text{ but } P(x) \text{ is not divisible by } x - 1$$

$$(C) \text{Both } P(x) \text{ and } Q(x) \text{ are divisible by } x - 1$$

$$(D) f(x) \text{ is divisible by } x - 1$$

129. If  $\alpha = \cos\left(\frac{8\pi}{11}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{8\pi}{11}\right)$ , then

$\text{Re}(\alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4 + \alpha^5)$  is equal to

$$(A) \frac{1}{2} \quad (B) -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$(C) 0 \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

130. Let  $p$  be a complex number such that  $|a| < 1$  and  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  be the vertices of a polygon such that  $z_k = 1 + a + a^2 + \dots + a^k$ , then the vertices of the polygon lie within the circle

$$(A) |z - a| = \frac{1}{|1 - a|} \quad (B) |z - 1| = \frac{1}{|1 - a|}$$

$$(C) \left| z - \frac{1}{1 - a} \right| = \frac{1}{|1 - a|} \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

131. If  $A, B, C$  are the angles of a triangle and  $e^{iA}, e^{iB}, e^{iC}$  are in A.P., then the triangle must be

$$(A) \text{right angle} \quad (B) \text{isosceles triangle}$$

$$(C) \text{equilateral} \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

$$132. e^{2mi \cot^{-1} p} \cdot \left( \frac{pi+1}{pi-1} \right)^m =$$

$$(A) 0 \quad (B) 1$$

$$(C) -1 \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

133. If  $z_1$  and  $\bar{z}_1$  represent adjacent vertices of a regular polygon of  $n$  sides and if  $\frac{\text{Im}(z_1)}{\text{Re}(z_1)} = \sqrt{2} - 1$ , then  $n$  is equal to

$$(A) 4 \quad (B) 8$$

$$(C) 16 \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

134. If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are non-zero, non-collinear complex numbers such that  $\frac{2}{z_1} = \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{1}{z_3}$ , then the points  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  lie

$$(A) \text{in the interior of a circle}$$

$$(B) \text{on a circle passing through origin}$$

$$(C) \text{in the exterior of a circle}$$

$$(D) \text{None of these}$$

135. If  $|z - 25i| \leq 15$ , then the least positive value of  $\arg z$  is

$$(A) \pi - \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3} \quad (B) \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3}$$

$$(C) -\pi + \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3} \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

136. If  $|z - 4 + 3i| \leq 2$ , then the least and the greatest values of  $|z|$  are

$$(A) 3, 7 \quad (B) 4, 7$$

$$(C) 3, 9 \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

137. If  $z_1, z_2$  are two complex numbers and  $c > 0$  such that  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 \leq (1 + c)|z_1|^2 + k|z_2|^2$ , then  $k =$

$$(A) 1 - c \quad (B) c - 1 \quad (C) 1 + c^{-1} \quad (D) 1 - c^{-1}$$

138. If  $|z - 4 + 3i| \leq 1$  and  $m$  and  $n$  are the least and greatest values of  $|z|$  and  $k$  is the least value of  $\frac{x^4 + x^2 + 4}{x}$  on the interval  $(0, \infty)$ , then  $k$  is equal to

$$(A) m \quad (B) n$$

$$(C) m + n \quad (D) \text{None of these}$$

139. If  $n > 1$ , then the roots of  $z^n = (z + 1)^n$  lie on a  
 (A) circle  
 (B) straight line  
 (C) parabola  
 (D) None of these
140. Let  $z$  be a complex number satisfying  $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$ .  
 If  $n$  is not a multiple of 3, then the value of  $z^n + z^{2n} =$   
 (A) 2 (B) -2  
 (C) 0 (D) -1
141. If 1,  $\alpha_1$ ,  $\alpha_2$ ,  $\alpha_3$  and  $\alpha_4$  be the roots of  $x^5 - 1 = 0$ , then  

$$\frac{\omega - \alpha_1}{\omega^2 - \alpha_1} \cdot \frac{\omega - \alpha_2}{\omega^2 - \alpha_2} \cdot \frac{\omega - \alpha_3}{\omega^2 - \alpha_3} \cdot \frac{\omega - \alpha_4}{\omega^2 - \alpha_4} =$$
  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\omega$   
 (C)  $\omega^2$  (D) None of these
142. If  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  both satisfy the relation  $z + \bar{z} = 2|z - 1|$   
 and  $\arg(z_1 - z_2) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , then the imaginary part of  
 $(z_1 + z_2)$  is  
 (A) 0 (B) 1  
 (C) 2 (D) None of these
143. All the roots of the equation  $a_1 z^3 + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z + a_4 = 3$ , where  $|a_i| \leq 1$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ , lie outside the  
 circle with centre origin and radius  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{1}{3}$   
 (C)  $\frac{2}{3}$  (D) None of these
144. If  $\frac{1}{a+\omega} + \frac{1}{b+\omega} + \frac{1}{c+\omega} + \frac{1}{d+\omega} =$ , where  $a, b, c$  are  
 real and  $\omega$  is a non-real cube root of unity, then  
 (A)  $a + b + c + d = -2abcd$   
 (B)  $\frac{1}{1+a} + \frac{1}{1+b} + \frac{1}{1+c} + \frac{1}{1+d} = 2$   
 (C)  $\frac{1}{a+\omega^2} + \frac{1}{b+\omega^2} + \frac{1}{c+\omega^2} + \frac{1}{d+\omega^2} = -\frac{2}{\omega^2}$   
 (D)  $abc + bcd + abd + acd = 4$
145. If  $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = A$ ,  $z_1 + z_2 \omega + z_3 \omega^2 = B$  and  $z_1 + z_2 \omega^2 + z_3 \omega = C$ , where 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  are the three cube roots  
 of unity, then  $|A|^2 + |B|^2 + |C|^2 =$   
 (A)  $3(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2)$   
 (B)  $2(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2)$   
 (C)  $(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2)$   
 (D) None of these
146. If  $\alpha, \beta$  are the roots of  $z + \frac{1}{z} = 2(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)$  Then,  
 (A)  $|\alpha - i| > |\beta - i|$  (B)  $|\alpha - i| < |\beta - i|$   
 (C)  $|\alpha - i| = |\beta - i|$  (D)  $|\alpha - i| = |\beta - i|$
147. If at least one value of the complex number  $z = x + iy$   
 satisfies the condition  $|z + \sqrt{2}| = a^2 - 3a + 2$  and the  
 inequality  $|z + i\sqrt{2}| < a^2$ , then  
 (A)  $a > 2$  (B)  $a = 2$   
 (C)  $a < 2$  (D) None of these
148. If  $\alpha$  is the  $n$ th root of unity, then  $1 + 2\alpha + 3\alpha^2 + \dots$  to  
 $n$  terms is equal to  
 (A)  $-\frac{n}{(1-\alpha)^2}$  (B)  $-\frac{n}{1-\alpha}$   
 (C)  $-\frac{2n}{1-\alpha}$  (D)  $-\frac{2n}{(1-\alpha)^2}$
149. Let  $O, A, B$  be three collinear points such that  
 $OA \cdot OB = 1$ . If  $O$  and  $B$  represent the complex  
 numbers  $o$  and  $z$ , then  $A$  represents  
 (A)  $\frac{1}{\bar{z}}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{z}$   
 (C)  $\bar{z}$  (D)  $z^2$
150.  $ABCD$  is a rhombus. Its diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  intersect  
 at the point  $M$  and satisfy  $BD = 2AC$ . If the points  
 $D$  and  $M$  represent the complex numbers  $1 + i$  and  
 $2 - i$ , respectively, then  $A$  represents the complex  
 number  
 (A)  $3 - \frac{i}{2}$  or  $3 + \frac{i}{2}$  (B)  $3 + \frac{i}{2}$  or  $1 + \frac{3}{2}i$   
 (C)  $3 - i$  or  $1 - 3i$  (D) None of these
151. The locus represented by the complex equation  
 $|z - 2 - i| = |z| \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \arg z\right)$  is the part of  
 (A) a pair of straight lines  
 (B) a circle  
 (C) a parabola  
 (D) a rectangular hyperbola
152. If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are three points lying on the circle  $|z| = 2$ ,  
 then the minimum value of  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 + |z_2 + z_3|^2 +$   
 $|z_3 + z_1|^2$  is equal to  
 (A) 6 (B) 12  
 (C) 15 (D) 24

### More than One Option Correct Type

- 153.** The centre of a regular polygon of  $n$  sides is located at the point  $z = 0$ , and one of its vertex  $z_1$  is known. If  $z_2$  be the vertex adjacent to  $z_1$ , then  $z_2$  is equal to
- (A)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \right)$   
 (B)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{n} \right)$   
 (C)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{n} - i \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \right)$   
 (D)  $z_1 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{n} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{n} \right)$
- 154.**  $\sqrt{i} - \sqrt{-i}$  is equal to  
 (A)  $i\sqrt{2}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{i\sqrt{2}}$  (C) 0 (D)  $-i\sqrt{2}$
- 155.** If  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4$  are the four complex numbers represented by the vertices of a quadrilateral taken in order such that  $z_1 - z_4 = z_2 - z_3$  and  $\text{amp} \frac{z_4 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{\pi}{2}$  then the quadrilateral is a  
 (A) square  
 (B) rhombus  
 (C) rectangle  
 (D) a cyclic quadrilateral
- 156.** The sum 
$$\sum_{m=1}^{4n+1} \left[ \sum_{k=1^m}^{m+1} \left\{ \sin \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) - i \cos \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) \right\} \right]^m$$
 is  
 (A) independent of  $n$   
 (B) purely imaginary  
 (C) purely real  
 (D) a root of  $x^{4n+1} + 1 = 0$
- 157.**  $z_1 = a + ib$  and  $z_2 = c + id$  are complex numbers such that  $|z_1| = |z_2| = 1$  and  $\text{Re}(z_1 \bar{z}_2) = 0$ . If  $w_1 = a + ic$  and  $w_2 = b + id$  ( $a, b, c, d \in R$ ), then  
 (A)  $|w_1| = 1$  (B)  $|w_2| = 1$   
 (C)  $\text{Re}(w_1 \bar{w}_2) = 0$  (D)  $\text{Re}(w_1 \bar{w}_2) = 1$
- 158.** If  $\arg(z^{3/8}) = \frac{1}{2} \arg(z^2 + \bar{z} z^{1/2})$ , then  
 (A)  $|z| = 1$  (B)  $z =$   
 (C)  $\text{Re}(z) = 0$  (D)  $\text{Im}(z) = 0$
- 159.** If  $z_1^2 + 2z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$ , where  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the vertices of a triangle, then the triangle is  
 (A) isosceles (B) right angled  
 (C) equilateral (D) obtuse angled
- 160.** If  $|z_1 - z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$ , then  
 (A)  $\arg \left( \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 (B)  $\arg \left( \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right) = (2n + 1)\pi, n \in I$   
 (C)  $z_1 \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_1 z_2 \leq 0$   
 (D)  $z_1 = l z_2, l \in R$
- 161.** If  $z_1 = a + ib$  and  $z_2 = c + id$  are two complex numbers such that  $|z_1| = |z_2| = 1$  and  $\text{Re}(z_1 \cdot \bar{z}_2) = 0$  then for the pair of complex numbers  $\omega_1 = a + ic$  and  $\omega_2 = b + id$   
 (A)  $\text{Re}(\omega_1 \bar{\omega}_2) = 0$  (B)  $\text{Re}(\omega_1 \bar{\omega}_2) = 1$   
 (C)  $|\omega_1| = 1$  (D) None of these
- 162.** If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the vertices of an equilateral triangle in the complex plane and  $z_0$  is the centroid, then  
 (A)  $\frac{1}{z_1 - z_2} + \frac{1}{z_2 - z_3} + \frac{1}{z_3 - z_1} = 0$   
 (B)  $(z_1 - z_2)^2 + (z_2 - z_3)^2 + (z_3 - z_1)^2 = 0$   
 (C)  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 3z_0^2$   
 (D)  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = z_1 z_2 + z_2 z_3 + z_3 z_1$
- 163.** If  $a, b, c, \dots, k$  are the roots of the equation  $x^n + p_1 x^{n-1} + p_2 x^{n-2} + \dots + p_{n-1} x + p_n = 0$  ( $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$  are real) and  $(1 + a^2)(1 + b^2) \dots (1 + k^2) = x^2 + y^2$ , then  
 (A)  $x = 1 - p_2 + p_4 \dots$   
 (B)  $y = p_1 - p_3 + p_5 - \dots$   
 (C)  $x = 1 + p_2 + p_4 + \dots$   
 (D)  $y = p_1 + p_3 + p_5 + \dots$
- 164.** If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  and  $z_4$  are the vertices of a square  $PQRS$  in order, then  
 (A)  $z_4 + z_2 = z_3 + z_1$   
 (B)  $|z_1 - z_2| = |z_2 - z_3| = |z_3 - z_4| = |z_4 - z_1|$   
 (C)  $|z_3 - z_1| = |z_4 - z_2|$   
 (D) The real part of  $\frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_4}$  is zero
- 165.** If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the vertices of an isosceles triangle and right angled at  $z_2$ , then  
 (A)  $z_1^2 + z_3^2 + 2z_2^2 = 2(z_1 + z_3)z_2$   
 (B)  $z_1^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3 - z_2)$   
 (C)  $(z_1 - z_2)^2 + (z_2 - z_3)^2 = 0$   
 (D)  $\frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_2 - z_3}$  is imaginary

166.  $A, B, C$  are the points representing the complex numbers  $z_1, z_2, z_3$ , respectively on the complex plane and the circumcentre of the triangle  $ABC$  lies at the origin. If the altitude  $AD$  of the triangle  $ABC$  meets circumcircle again at  $P$ , then  $P$  represents the complex number

- (A)  $-\bar{z}_1 z_2 z_3$  (B)  $-\frac{\bar{z}_1 z_2}{\bar{z}_3}$   
 (C)  $-\frac{\bar{z}_1 z_3}{\bar{z}_2}$  (D)  $-\frac{z_2 z_3}{z_1}$

167. If the points  $A$  and  $B$  are represented by the non-zero complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  on the argand plane such that  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$  and  $O$  is the origin, then

- (A) orthocentre of  $\Delta OAB$  lies at  $O$   
 (B) circumcentre of  $\Delta OAB$  is  $\frac{z_1 + z_2}{2}$

$$(C) \arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$$

(D)  $\Delta OAB$  is isosceles

168. If  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are two polynomials such that the polynomial  $h(x) = x f(x^3) + x^2 g(x^6)$  is divisible by  $x^2 + x + 1$ , then

- (A)  $f(1) = g(1)$  (B)  $f(1) = -g(1)$   
 (C)  $h(1) = 0$  (D)  $h(-1) = 0$

169. If  $\alpha$  is the fifth root of unity, then

- (A)  $|1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4| = 0$   
 (B)  $|1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3| = 1$   
 (C)  $|1 + \alpha + \alpha^2| = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{5}$   
 (D)  $|1 + \alpha| = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{10}$

## Passage Based Questions

### Passage 1

If  $n$  be a rational number, then

$$\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$$

is the value or one of the values of  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n$ .

If  $p$  and  $q$  be the integers prime to each other ( $q \neq 0$ ), then all the values of  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{p/q}$  are given by

$$\cos \left[ (2k\pi + \theta) \frac{p}{q} \right] + i \sin \left[ (2k\pi + \theta) \frac{p}{q} \right],$$

where  $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, q-1$ .

There are apparently two different ways of calculating the values of  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{p/q}$ , (where  $p$  and  $q$  are integers prime to each other and  $q \neq 0$ ), namely,

- by writing  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{p/q}$  as  $\{(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^p\}^{1/q}$ ,
- by writing  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{p/q}$  as  $\{(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^{1/q}\}^p$ .

It can be easily seen that if  $p$  and  $q$  are prime to each other, the  $q$  values in each case are the same, so that each of the two ways will yield the same result.

170. The value of  $\sum_{r=1}^{16} \left( \sin \frac{2r\pi}{17} + i \cos \frac{2r\pi}{17} \right)$  is

- (A) 1 (B) -1 (C)  $i$  (D)  $-i$

171. One of the values of  $(a + ib)^{m/n} + (a - ib)^{m/n}$  is

- (A)  $2(a^2 + b^2)^{m/n} \cos \left( \frac{m}{n} \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \right)$   
 (B)  $2(a^2 + b^2)^{m/2n} \cos \left( \frac{m}{n} \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \right)$

$$(C) (a^2 + b^2)^{m/2n} \cos \left( \frac{m}{n} \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \right)$$

(D) None of these

172. The values of  $(16)^{1/4}$  are

- (A)  $\pm 2, \pm 2i$  (B)  $\pm 4, \pm 4i$   
 (C)  $\pm 1, \pm i$  (D) None of these

173. The roots of the equation  $z^4 + 1 = 0$  are

- (A)  $(\pm 1 \pm i)$  (B)  $(\pm 2 \pm 2i)$   
 (C)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\pm 1 \pm i)$  (D) None of these

### Passage 2

If  $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$  and  $n$  is a positive integer, then

$$z^{1/n} = r^{1/n} \left[ \cos \left( \frac{2k\pi + \theta}{n} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{2k\pi + \theta}{n} \right) \right],$$

where  $k = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, (n-1)$ , gives  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of the complex number  $z$ .

In particular, since  $1 = \cos 0 + i \sin 0$ , therefore

$$\begin{aligned} (1)^{1/n} &= (\cos 0 + i \sin 0)^{1/n} \\ &= \cos \frac{2\pi r + 0}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi r + 0}{n}; r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1) \\ &= \cos \frac{2\pi r}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi r}{n}; r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1) \\ &= e^{i \frac{2\pi r}{n}}; r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1) \\ &= 1, e^{i 2\pi/n}, e^{i 4\pi/n}, \dots, e^{i 2(n-1)\pi/n} \\ &= 1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \alpha^3, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}, \text{ where } \alpha = e^{i 2\pi/n} \end{aligned}$$

These are the  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity.

Clearly,

1.  $1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \dots + \alpha^{n-1} = 0$
2.  $1 \cdot \alpha \cdot \alpha^2 \dots \alpha^{n-1} = (-1)^{n-1}$
3.  $n$ th roots of unity form a G.P. with common ratio  $e^{(i2\pi/n)}$ .

174. If  $1, \omega, \omega^2, \dots, \omega^{n-1}$  are the  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity and  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are any two complex numbers, then

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |z_1 + \omega^k z_2|^2 =$$

- (A)  $n [|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2]$
- (B)  $(n-1) [|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2]$
- (C)  $(n+1) [|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2]$
- (D) None of these

175. If  $1, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n-1}$  are the  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity, then  $(1-a_1)(1-a_2)(1-a_3)\dots(1-a_{n-1}) =$

- (A)  $n+1$
- (B)  $n$
- (C)  $n-1$
- (D) None of these.

176. If  $1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}$  are the  $n$   $n$ th roots of unity then

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{2-\alpha^i} \text{ is equal to}$$

- (A)  $\frac{(n-2)2^{n-1} + 1}{2^n - 1}$
- (B)  $(n-2) \times 2^n$
- (C)  $\frac{(n-2) \cdot 2^{n-1}}{2^n - 1}$
- (D) None of these

177. If  $1, \omega, \omega^2, \dots, \omega^{n-1}$  are the  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity, then  $(1-\omega)(1-\omega)^2 \dots (1-\omega^{n-1})$  is equal to

- (A) 0
- (B) 1
- (C)  $n$
- (D)  $n^2$

**Passage 3**

**Solution of Equations**

Certain types of algebraic equations can be solved with the help of De'Moivre's theorem

**Equations of the type  $pz^n + q = 0$ :**

If  $pz^n + q = 0$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are complex numbers, and  $p \neq 0$ , then

$$z^n = -q/p$$

The roots of the given equation are, therefore, the  $n$  values of  $(-q/p)^{1/n}$ . For example, consider the equation  $z^7 + 1 = 0$ .

$z^7 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z^7 = -1 = \text{cis } (2p+1)\pi$ , where  $p$  is an integer.

Therefore,  $z = \text{cis } [(2p+1)\pi/7], p = 0, 1, \dots, 6$

On putting  $p = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$ , the roots are seen to be  $\cos(\pi/7) \pm i \sin(\pi/7), \cos(3\pi/7) \pm i \sin(3\pi/7), \cos(5\pi/7) \pm i \sin(5\pi/7), -1$ .

Equations of the type  $pz^{2n} + qz^n + r = 0$ , where  $p, q$  and  $r$  are complex numbers and  $p \neq 0$ .

$$z^n = \frac{-q \pm \sqrt{q^2 - 4pr}}{2p}$$

Denoting these values of  $z^n$  by  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , we have two equations  $z^n = \alpha$  and  $z^n = \beta$ , each of which can be solved by the method given in the above example.

**Equations of the type  $a(pz + q)^n + b(rz + s)^n = 0$ :**

The substitution  $\frac{pz + q}{rz + s} = w$  reduces the given equation to the form

$$aw^n + b = 0 \tag{i}$$

which can be solved by the method given above. If  $w_k$  be a root of the equation (i), the corresponding root  $z_k$  of the given equation is obtained by solving the equation

$$\frac{pz_k + q}{rz_k + s} = w_k$$

178. The roots of the equation  $x^6 + x^3 + 1 = 0$  are

$$\cos\left(\frac{p\pi}{9}\right) \pm i \sin\left(\frac{p\pi}{9}\right), \text{ where } p =$$

- (A) 2
- (B) 8
- (C) 14
- (D) 20

179. The roots of the equation  $z^4 + 4z^2 + 16 = 0$  are

- (A)  $\pm 1 + i\sqrt{3}$
- (B)  $\pm 1 - i\sqrt{3}$
- (C)  $\pm 2 + 2\sqrt{3}i$
- (D)  $\pm 2 - 2\sqrt{3}i$

180. The roots of the equation  $(2+z)^6 + (2-z)^6 = 0$  are

- (A)  $\pm 2i \tan \pi/12$
- (B)  $\pm 2i \tan 5\pi/12$
- (C)  $\pm 2i$
- (D)  $\pm 2$

181. The roots of the equation  $z^4 - z^3 + z^2 - z + 1 = 0$  are

$$\cos\left(\frac{p\pi}{5}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{p\pi}{5}\right) \text{ where } p =$$

- (A) 1, 3, 5, 7, 9
- (B) 1, 3, 7, 9
- (C) 3, 5, 7, 9
- (D) None of these

## Match the Column Type

182.

Column-I	Column-II
(I) If $z_r = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3^r}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3^r}\right) r$ $= 1, 2, 3, \dots$ , then $z_1 z_2 z_3 \dots \infty =$	(A) $i - 1$
(II) If $iz^3 + z^2 - z + i = 0$ , then $ z  =$	(B) 1
(III) If $\frac{z-2}{z+2}$ ( $z \neq -2$ ) is purely imaginary, then $ z  =$	(C) 2
(IV) The value of the sum $\sum_{n=1}^{13} (i^n + i^{n+1})$ , where $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , equals	(D) $i - 1$

183. If 1,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  be the three cube roots of unity, then

Column-I	Column-II
(I) $(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^4)$ $(1 + \omega^8) \dots$ to $2n$ factors	(A) $\sqrt{3}$
(II) $(1 - \omega + \omega^2)(1 - \omega^2 + \omega^4)$ $(1 - \omega^4 + \omega^8) \dots$ to $2n$ factors =	(B) 1

(III) If  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^{100} = 2^{99}$  (C)  $2^{2n}$   
( $a + ib$ ), then  $b =$

(IV)  $1(2 - \omega)(2 - \omega^2) + 2$  (D)  $\frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4} - n$   
 $(3 - \omega)(3 - \omega^2) + \dots +$   
 $(n - 1)(n - \omega)(n - \omega^2) =$

184.

Column-I	Column-II
(I) $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + i}{2}\right)^6 + \left(\frac{i - \sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^6$	(A) $-\frac{7}{2}$
(II) If $\frac{z-1}{z+1}$ is purely imaginary, then $ z  =$	(B) 0
(III) $(i + \sqrt{3})^{100} + (i - \sqrt{3})^{100} + 2^{100} =$	(C) $-2$
(IV) Let $z_k = (k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 6)$ be the roots of the equation $(z + 1)^7$ $+ z^7 = 0$ , then $\sum_{k=0}^6 \operatorname{Re}(z_k)$ is equal to	(D) 1

## Assertion-Reason Type

**Instructions:** In the following questions an Assertion (A) is given followed by a Reason (R). Mark your responses from the following options:

- (A) Assertion(A) is True and Reason(R) is True; Reason(R) is a correct explanation for Assertion(A)  
 (B) Assertion(A) is True, Reason(R) is True; Reason(R) is NOT a correct explanation for Assertion(A)  
 (C) Assertion(A) is True, Reason(R) is False  
 (D) Assertion(A) is False, Reason(R) is True

185. **Assertion:** If  $a = \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha$ ,  $b = \cos \beta + i \sin \beta$ ,  
 $c = \cos \gamma + i \sin \gamma$  and  $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} = -1$ , then  $\cos(\beta - \gamma)$   
 $+ \cos(\gamma - \alpha) + \cos(\alpha - \beta) = -1$

**Reason:**  $(\cos \alpha_1 + i \sin \alpha_1)(\cos \alpha_2 + i \sin \alpha_2) =$   
 $\cos(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + i \sin(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2)$

186. **Assertion:** The locus of the point  $z$  satisfying the  
condition  $\arg \frac{z-1}{z+1} = \frac{\pi}{3}$  is a parabola

**Reason:**  $\operatorname{Arg} \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \operatorname{Arg} z_1 - \operatorname{Arg} z_2$

187. **Assertion:** If the area of the triangle on the argand  
plane formed by the complex numbers  $-z$ ,  $iz$ ,  $z - iz$  is  
600 square units, then  $|z| = 20$

**Reason:** Area of the triangle on the argand plane  
formed by the complex numbers  $-z$ ,  $iz$ ,  $z - iz$  is  
 $\frac{3}{2} |z|^2$ .

188. **Assertion:** If  $|z - 1| + |z + 3| \leq 8$ , then the range of  
values of  $|z - 4|$  is  $[1, 9]$

**Reason:**  $|z - 1| + |z + 3| \leq 8 \Rightarrow z$  lies inside or on the  
ellipse whose foci are  $(1, 0)$  and  $(-3, 0)$  and vertices  
are  $(-5, 0)$  and  $(3, 0)$ .

**189. Assertion:** The greatest value of the moduli of complex numbers  $z$  satisfying the equation  $\left|z - \frac{4}{z}\right| = 2$  is  $\sqrt{5} + 1$

**Reason:** For any two complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ ,  $|z_1 - z_2| \geq |z_1| - |z_2|$

**190. Assertion:** The locus of the points representing the complex numbers satisfying  $|z| - 2 = 0$ ,  $|z - i| - |z + 5i| = 0$  is the single point  $(0, -2)$

**Reason:** If  $z$  is a variable point and  $z_1, z_2$  are two fixed points in the argand plane, then  $|z - z_1| = |z - z_2| \Rightarrow$  locus of  $z$  is the perpendicular bisector of the line segment joining  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ .

**191. Assertion:** If  $z_0 = \frac{1}{2}(1 + i)$ , then

$$P_n(z) = (1 + z_0)(1 + z_0^2)(1 + z_0^{2^2}) \dots (1 + z_0^{2^n}) = (1 + i) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{2^n}}\right), \text{ where } n > 1 \text{ is a positive integer.}$$

$$\text{Reason: } P_n(z) = \frac{1 - z_0^{2^{n+1}}}{1 - z_0}$$

**192. Assertion:** If  $\text{amp} \cdot [z_1(z_3 - z_2)] = \text{amp} \cdot [z_3(z_2 - z_1)]$ , then  $0, z_1, z_2, z_3$  are concyclic.

**Reason:** For four concyclic points  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4$ ,  $\frac{(z_1 - z_3)(z_2 - z_4)}{(z_1 - z_4)(z_2 - z_3)}$  is purely real.

### Previous Year's Questions

**193.** If  $\omega$  is an imaginary cube root of unity, then  $(1 + \omega - \omega^2)^7$  equals: [2002]

- (A)  $128 \omega$  (B)  $-128 \omega$   
(C)  $128 \omega^2$  (D)  $-128 \omega^2$

**194.** Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be two roots of the equation  $z^2 + az + b = 0$ ,  $z$  being complex. Further, assume that the origin,  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  form an equilateral triangle, then [2003]

- (A)  $a^2 = b$  (B)  $a^2 = 2b$   
(C)  $a^2 = 3b$  (D)  $a^2 = 4b$

**195.** If  $z$  and  $\omega$  are two non-zero complex numbers such that  $|z\omega| = 1$ , and  $\text{Arg}(z) - \text{Arg}(\omega) = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , then  $\bar{z}\omega$  is equal to [2003]

- (A) 1 (B)  $-1$   
(C)  $i$  (D)  $-i$

**196.** If  $\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^x = 1$ , then [2003]

- (A)  $x = 4n$ , where  $n$  is any positive integer  
(B)  $x = 2n$ , where  $n$  is any positive integer  
(C)  $x = 4n + 1$ , where  $n$  is any positive integer  
(D)  $x = 2n + 1$ , where  $n$  is any positive integer

**197.** Let  $z, w$  be complex numbers such that  $\bar{z} + i\bar{w} = 0$  and  $\arg zw = \pi$ . Then  $\arg z$  equals [2004]

- (A)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (B)  $\frac{5\pi}{4}$   
(C)  $\frac{3\pi}{4}$  (D)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

**198.** If  $z = x - iy$  and  $z^{\frac{1}{3}} = p + iq$ , then  $\frac{\left(\frac{x}{p} + \frac{y}{q}\right)}{(p^2 + q^2)}$  is equal to [2004]

- (A) 1 (B)  $-2$   
(C) 2 (D)  $-1$

**199.** If  $|z^2 - 1| = |z|^2 + 1$ , then  $z$  lies on [2004]

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

**200.** If the cubes roots of unity are  $1, \omega, \omega^2$  then the roots of the equation [2005]

- $(x - 1)^3 + 8 = 0$ , are  
(A)  $-1, -1 + 2\omega, -1 - \omega^2$   
(B)  $-1, -1, -1$   
(C)  $-1, 1 - 2\omega, 1 - 2\omega^2$   
(D)  $-1, 1 + 2\omega, 1 + 2\omega^2$

**201.** 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 [2005]

- (A)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (B)  $-\pi$   
(C) 0 (D)  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$

**202.** If  $w = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{3}i}$  and  $|w| = 1$ , then  $z$  lies on [2005]

- (A) an ellipse (B) a circle  
(C) a straight line (D) a parabola

203. The value of  $\sum_{k=1}^{10} \left( \sin \frac{2k\pi}{11} + i \cos \frac{2k\pi}{11} \right)$  is [2006]  
 (A)  $i$  (B)  $1$   
 (C)  $-1$  (D)  $-i$
204. If  $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$ , where  $z$  is a complex number, then the value of  
 $\left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right)^2 + \left( z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2} \right)^2 + \left( z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3} \right)^2 + \dots + \left( z^6 + \frac{1}{z^6} \right)^2$   
 is [2006]  
 (A) 18 (B) 54  
 (C) 6 (D) 12
205. If  $|z + 4| \leq 3$ , then the maximum value of  $|z + 1|$  is [2007]  
 (A) 4 (B) 10  
 (C) 6 (D) 0
206. The conjugate of a complex number is  $\frac{1}{i-1}$ . Then the complex number is [2008]  
 (A)  $\frac{-1}{i-1}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{i+1}$   
 (C)  $\frac{-1}{i+1}$  (D)  $\frac{1}{i+1}$
- \*207. If  $\left| Z - \frac{4}{Z} \right| = 2$ , then the maximum value of  $|Z|$  is equal to [2009]  
 (A)  $\sqrt{3} + 1$  (B)  $\sqrt{5} + 1$   
 (C) 2 (D)  $2 + \sqrt{2}$
208. The number of complex numbers  $z$  such that  $|z-1| = |z+1| = |z-i|$  equals [2010]  
 (A) 1 (B) 2  
 (C)  $\infty$  (D) 0
209. Let  $\alpha, \beta$  be real numbers and  $z$  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 [2011]  
 (A)  $\beta \in (-1, 0)$  (B)  $|\beta| = 1$   
 (C)  $\beta \in (1, \infty)$  (D)  $\beta \in (0, 1)$
210. If  $\omega (\neq 1)$  is a cube root of unity, and  $(1 + \omega)^7 = A + B\omega$ . Then  $(A, B)$  equals [2011]  
 (A) (1, 1) (B) (1, 0)  
 (C) (-1, 1) (D) (0, 1)
211. If  $z \neq 1$  and  $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$  is real, then the point which is represented by the complex number  $z$  lies [2012]  
 (A) either on the real axis or on a circle passing through the origin  
 (B) on a circle with centre at the origin  
 (C) either on the real axis or on a circle not passing through the origin  
 (D) on the imaginary axis
212. If  $z$  is a complex number of unit modulus and argument  $\theta$ , then  $\left( \frac{1+z}{1+\bar{z}} \right)$  equals [2013]  
 (A)  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$  (B)  $\theta$   
 (C)  $\pi - \theta$  (D)  $-\theta$
213. If  $z$  is a complex number such that  $|z| \geq 2$ , then the minimum value of  $\left| z + \frac{1}{z} \right|$  [2014]  
 (A) is equal to  $\frac{5}{2}$   
 (B) lies in the interval (1, 2)  
 (C) is strictly greater than  $\frac{5}{2}$   
 (D) is strictly greater than  $\frac{3}{2}$  but less than  $\frac{5}{2}$
214. A complex number  $z$  is said to be unimodular if  $|z| = 1$ . Suppose  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are complex numbers such that  $\frac{z_1 - 2z_2}{2 - z_1\bar{z}_2}$  is unimodular and  $z_2$  is not unimodular. Then the point  $z_1$  lies on a [2015]  
 (A) straight line parallel to  $y$ -axis.  
 (B) circle of radius 2.  
 (C) circle of radius  $\sqrt{2}$ .  
 (D) straight line parallel to  $x$ -axis.
215. A value of  $\theta$  for which  $\frac{2+3i\sin\theta}{1-2i\sin\theta}$  is purely imaginary, is [2016]  
 (a)  $\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$  (B)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$   
 (c)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (D)  $\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right)$

## ANSWER KEYS

## Single Option Correct Type

1. (A) 2. (D) 3. (A, C) 4. (D) 5. (B) 6. (B) 7. (D) 8. (C) 9. (A) 10. (C)  
 11. (D) 12. (D) 13. (C) 14. (B) 15. (B) 16. (C) 17. (B) 18. (C) 19. (D) 20. (B)  
 21. (B) 22. (C) 23. (B) 24. (B) 25. (B) 26. (C) 27. (C) 28. (A) 29. (C) 30. (A)  
 31. (C) 32. (B) 33. (B) 34. (C) 35. (C) 36. (A) 37. (C) 38. (C) 39. (B) 40. (C)  
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 140. (D) 141. (B) 142. (C) 143. (C) 144. (B) 145. (A) 146. (D) 147. (A) 148. (B) 149. (A)  
 150. (A) 151. (C) 152. (B)

## More than One Option Correct Type

153. (A) and (C) 154. (A) and (D) 155. (C) and (D) 156. (A) and (B) 157. (A), (B) and (C)  
 158. (A), (B) and (D) 159. (A) and (B) 160. (B) and (C) 161. (A) and (C)  
 162. (A), (B), (C) and (D) 163. (A) and (B) 164. (A), (B), (C) and (D)  
 165. (A), (B), (C) and (D) 166. (B), (C) and (D) 167. (A), (B) and (C) 168. (A), (B) and (C)  
 169. (A), (B) and (C)

## Passage Based Questions

170. (D) 171. (B) 172. (A) 173. (C) 174. (A) 175. (B) 176. (A) 177. (C) 178. (A), (B) and (C)  
 179. (A) and (B) 180. (A), (B) and (C) 181. (B)

## Match the Column Type

182. (I) → (D); (II) → (B); (III) → (C); (IV) → (A)  
 183. (I) → (B); (II) → (C); (III) → (A); (IV) → (D)  
 184. (I) → (C); (II) → (D); (III) → (B); (IV) → (A)

## Assertion-Reason Type

185. (A) 186. (D) 187. (A) 188. (A) 189. (A) 190. (A) 191. (A) 192. (A)

## Previous Year's Questions

193. (D) 194. (C) 195. (D) or (C) 196. (A) 197. (C) 198. (B) 199. (D) 200. (C) 201. (C)  
 202. (C) 203. (D) 204. (D) 205. (C) 206. (C) 207. (B) 208. (A) 209. (C) 210. (A)  
 211. (A) 212. (B) 213. (B) 214. (B) 215. (A)

## HINTS AND SOLUTIONS

### Single Option Correct Type

1. We have,  $\frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} = 1 + i$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} \right)^2 = 1 - 1 + 2i = 2i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + 2 \left( \frac{qr}{bc} + \frac{rp}{ca} + \frac{pq}{ab} \right) = 2i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + \frac{2pqr}{abc} \left( \frac{a}{p} + \frac{b}{q} + \frac{c}{r} \right) = 2i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} = 2i$$

The correct option is (A)

2.  $\sin x + i \cos 2x$  and  $\cos x - i \sin 2x$  are conjugate of each other

$$\text{if } \sin x + i \cos 2x = \overline{\cos x - i \sin 2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x + i \cos 2x = \cos x + i \sin 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \cos x \text{ and } \cos 2x = \sin 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan x = 1 \text{ and } \tan 2x = 1,$$

which is not possible for any value of  $x$ .

The correct option is (D)

3. Since  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$ ,

$\therefore P, O, Q$  where  $P$  is the affix of  $z_1$ ,  $O$  is the affix of origin and  $Q$  the affix of  $z_2$  must lie in the same straight line. Thus,  $\arg z_1 - \arg z_2 = \pm \pi$ .

The correct option is (A) and (C)

4. Let  $z = x + iy$ , then

$$z^2 + |z|^2 = 0 \Rightarrow (x + iy)^2 + |x + iy|^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy + x^2 + y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + 2ixy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 = 0 \text{ and } 2xy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ and } xy = 0$$

Clearly  $y$  can be any real number. Hence, we will get infinitely many solutions.

The correct option is (D)

5. As  $\omega$  is the  $n$ th root of unity so,  $\omega^n - 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (\omega - 1)(1 + \omega + \omega^2 + \dots + \omega^{n-1}) = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } 1 + \omega + \omega^2 + \dots + \omega^{n-1} = 0$$

$$\text{or } \omega - 1 = 0 \text{ i.e., } \omega = 1$$

The correct option is (B)

6. Since  $z + \sqrt{2}|z + 1| + i = 0$

$$\therefore x + i(y + 1) + \sqrt{2}|x + iy + 1| = 0$$

$$\therefore y + 1 = 0 \quad (\because |x + iy + 1| \text{ is real})$$

$$\therefore y = -1$$

$$\therefore x + \sqrt{2}|x - i + 1| = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 2[(x + 1)^2 + 1] = 2(x^2 + 2x + 2)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2)^2 = 0$$

$$\text{or } x = -2$$

$$\therefore z = -2 - i.$$

The correct option is (B)

7. If  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = z$ , the given equation becomes

$$z^2 - z + 1 = 0 \text{ i.e., } z = -\omega \text{ and } -\omega^2$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{z_1}{z_2} = -\omega \Rightarrow z_1 = -z_2\omega$$

$$OB = |z_2 - 0| = |z_2|$$

$$OA = |z_1 - 0| = |-z_2\omega| = |z_2| |\omega| = |z_2|$$

$$\text{and } AB = |z_2 - z_1| = |z_2 + z_2\omega| \\ = |z_2| |1 + \omega| = |z_2| |-\omega^2| = |z_2|$$

Thus  $z_1, z_2$  and origin form an equilateral triangle.

The correct option is (D)

8. Let  $a = r \cos \theta$  and  $b = r \sin \theta$

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{a - ib}{a + ib} = \frac{r(\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)}{r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)} = (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)^2$$

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

$$\therefore i \log \frac{a - ib}{a + ib} = i \log e^{-2i\theta} = i(-2i\theta) = 2\theta$$

$$\therefore \tan \left[ i \log \frac{a - ib}{a + ib} \right] = \tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{2 \frac{b}{a}}{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} \\ = \frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}$$

The correct option is (C)

9. Since  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^{100} = 2^{99}(a + ib)$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{3} - i)^{100} = 2^{99}(a - ib)$$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{3} + i)^{100} - (\sqrt{3} - i)^{100} = 2^{99}(2ib) = 2^{100}(ib)$$

$$\Rightarrow i^{100} [1 - \sqrt{3}i]^{100} - i^{100} [-1 + \sqrt{3}i]^{100} = 2^{100}(ib)$$

$$\text{or } (-2\omega)^{100} - (2\omega^2)^{100} = 2^{100}(ib)$$

$$\text{or } \omega - \omega^2 = (ib) \text{ or } \sqrt{3}i = ib$$

$$\therefore b = \sqrt{3}$$

The correct option is (A)

10. We have,

$$\frac{1 - i \sin \alpha}{1 + 2i \sin \alpha} = \frac{(1 - i \sin \alpha)(1 - 2i \sin \alpha)}{(1 + 2i \sin \alpha)(1 - 2i \sin \alpha)} \\ = \frac{1 - 3i \sin \alpha - 2 \sin^2 \alpha}{1 - 4i^2 \sin^2 \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{(1 - 2\sin^2 \alpha) - 3i \sin \alpha}{1 + 4^2 \sin \alpha},$$

which is purely real if  $\sin \alpha = 0$ , i.e., if  $\alpha = n\pi$ , where  $n$  is an integer.

The correct option is (C)

11. By the given condition,  $|z - 1| < |z - i|$   
 $\Rightarrow |x - 1 + iy| < |x + i(y - 1)|$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + y^2 < x^2 + (y - 1)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow -2x < -2y \Rightarrow x > y \Rightarrow x - y > 0$

The correct option is (B)

12. Perimeter =  $6 \times$  distance of vertex  $1 + 2i$   
 from the centre  $(0, 0)$ .

$$= 6 [(1 - 0) + i(2 - 0)] = 6\sqrt{5}$$

The correct option is (D)

13. Let  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$   
 $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$   
 $z_3 = x_3 + iy_3$   
 $\bar{z}_2 z_3 = (x_2 - iy_2)(x_3 + iy_3)$   
 $= (x_2 x_3 + y_2 y_3) + i(x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2)$   
 $\Rightarrow \text{Im}(\bar{z}_2 z_3) = x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2$   
 $\therefore z_1 \text{Im}(\bar{z}_2 z_3) = (x_1 + iy_1)(x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2)$

Similarly

$$z_2 \text{Im}(\bar{z}_3 z_1) = (x_2 + iy_2)(x_3 y_1 - x_1 y_3)$$

$$z_3 \text{Im}(\bar{z}_1 z_2) = (x_3 + iy_3)(x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1)$$

Adding we get the result = 0

The correct option is (C)

14.  $\therefore \frac{2z_1}{3z_2}$  is purely an imaginary number,

$$\therefore \text{let } \frac{2z_1}{3z_2} = ib \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{3}{2} ib \quad (1)$$

$$\therefore \left| \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} \right|^4 = \left| \frac{\frac{z_1}{z_2} - 1}{\frac{z_1}{z_2} + 1} \right|^4 = \left| \frac{\frac{3}{2} ib - 1}{\frac{3}{2} ib + 1} \right|^4$$

$$= \frac{\left| \frac{3}{2} ib - 1 \right|^4}{\left| \frac{3}{2} ib + 1 \right|^4} = \frac{\left( \sqrt{\frac{9b^2}{4} + 1} \right)^4}{\left( \sqrt{\frac{9b^2}{4} + 1} \right)^4} = 1$$

The correct option is (B)

15.  $x^6 = (4 - 3i)^5$   
 $x^6 = 5^6 \left( \frac{4}{5} - \frac{3i}{5} \right) = 5^5 (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^5$   
 where  $\theta = -\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{4} \right) = 5^5 (\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta)$   
 $x = 5^{5/6} (\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta)^{1/6}$   
 $= 5^{5/6} \left[ \cos \left( \frac{2k\pi + 5\theta}{6} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{2k\pi + 5\theta}{6} \right) \right]$

$$x_1 x_2 \dots x_6 = 5^5 [\cos(5\pi + 5\theta) + i \sin(5\pi + 5\theta)]$$

$$= 5^5 (-\cos 5\theta - i \sin 5\theta)$$

$$= -5^5 (\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta)$$

The correct option is (B)

16. Given  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$   
 Squaring,  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 = (|z_1| + |z_2|)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2\text{Re} |z_1| |z_2| = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1| |z_2|$   
 $\Rightarrow 2\text{Re} |z_1| |z_2| = 2|z_1| |z_2|$   
 $\Rightarrow |z_1| |z_2| \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = |z_1| |z_2|$   
 $\Rightarrow \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \theta_1 - \theta_2 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \theta_1 = \theta_2$   
 or  $\arg z_1 = \arg z_2$   
 The correct option is (C)

17. For every  $a \in R, |a| = \sqrt{a^2}$

$$\therefore |a|^2 = a^2$$

Now  $(|x| - |y|)^2 \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow |x|^2 + |y|^2 - 2|x||y| \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2|x||y| \leq |x|^2 + |y|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |x|^2 + |y|^2 + 2|x||y| \leq |x|^2 + |y|^2 + 2|x||y|$$

$$\Rightarrow (|x| + |y|)^2 \leq 2(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (|x| + |y|)^2 \leq 2|z|^2$$

$$\therefore |x| + |y| \leq \sqrt{2} |z|.$$

The correct option is (B)

18. We have,  $|1 + i|^2 \times |1 + 2i|^2 \times |1 + 3i|^2 \dots |1 + ni|^2$   
 $= |\alpha + i\beta|^2$   
 $\Rightarrow (1 + 1) \times (1 + 4) \times (1 + 9) \dots (1 + n^2) = \alpha^2 + \beta^2$   
 $\Rightarrow 2 \times 5 \times 10 \dots (1 + n^2) = \alpha^2 + \beta^2$

The correct option is (C)

19.  $|z_1| = 1, |z_2| = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = 1$  (1)

$$p^2 + q^2 = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Im}(z_1 z_2) = \text{Im}(a + ib)(p - iq) = bp - aq$$

$$\therefore bp - aq = 1 \quad (3)$$

$$\omega_1 \bar{\omega}_2 = (a + ip)(b - iq) = (ab + pq) + i(bp - aq)$$

$$= (ab + pq) + i(1)$$

$$\therefore \text{Im}(\omega_1 \bar{\omega}_2) = 1$$

The correct option is (D)

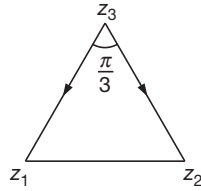
20. We have,  $\sqrt[3]{a + ib} = x + iy$   
 $a + ib = (x + iy)^3 = (x^3 - 3xy^2) + i(3x^2y - y^3)$   
 $\therefore a = x^3 - 3xy^2$  and  $b = 3x^2y - y^3$   
 $\therefore \frac{a}{x} = x^2 - 3y^2$  and  $\frac{b}{y} = 3x^2 - y^2$   
 $\therefore \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{y} = x^2 - 3y^2 + 3x^2 - y^2 = 4(x^2 - y^2)$

The correct option is (B)

21. As  $(a - b)^2 \geq 0$ ,  $a^2 + b^2 \geq 2ab$   
 But  $|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ ; so from Eq. (1),  $|z|^2 \geq 2ab$   
 $\therefore |z|^2 + a^2 + b^2 \geq a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$   
 or  $|z|^2 + |z|^2 \geq (a + b)^2$ ;  
 $\therefore 2|z|^2 \geq (a + b)^2$   
 $\therefore \sqrt{2}|z| \geq a + b$  as  $|z|$  is positive.  
 $\therefore |z| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a + b)$

The correct option is (B)

22.  $\frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} = \frac{1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$   
 $= \cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{3}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{-\pi}{3}\right) = e^{-i\pi/3}$



$\therefore \left| \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} \right| = |e^{-i\pi/3}| = 1$   
 and angle between  $z_1 - z_3$  and  $z_2 - z_3$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .  
 $\therefore$  triangle is equilateral.

The correct option is (C)

23. Putting  $x = 1$ ,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$  respectively,  
 $3^n = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{2n}$   
 $(1 + \omega + \omega^2)^n = a_0 + a_1 \omega + a_2 \omega^2 + \dots + a_{2n} \omega^{2n}$   
 $(1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4)^n = a_0 + a_1 \omega^2 + a_2 \omega^4 + \dots + a_{2n} \omega^{4n}$   
 Adding these,  $3^n + (1 + \omega + \omega^2)^n + (1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4)^n$   
 $= 3a_0 + a_1(1 + \omega + \omega^2) + a_2(1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4)$   
 $+ a_3(1 + \omega^3 + \omega^6) + \dots$   
 $\therefore 3^n + 0^n + 0^n = 3a_0 + 3a_3 + 3a_6 + \dots$   
 $\therefore 3^{n-1} = a_0 + a_3 + a_6 + \dots$

The correct option is (B)

24. Let  $\sqrt[n]{1} = x$ ;  $\therefore x^n = 1$ ;  $\therefore x^n - 1 = 0$   
 $\therefore x^n - 1 = (x - 1)(x - a_1)(x - a_2) \dots (x - a_{n-1})$   
 $\therefore (x - a_1)(x - a_2)(x - a_3) \dots (x - a_{n-1})$   
 $= \frac{x^n - 1}{x - 1} = \frac{1 - x^n}{1 - x} = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^{n-1}$ .

Putting  $x = 1$ , we get

$(1 - a_1)(1 - a_2)(1 - a_3) \dots (1 - a_{n-1}) = n$ .

The correct option is (B)

25. The closest distance = length of the perpendicular from the origin on the line  $a\bar{z} + \bar{a}z + a\bar{a} = 0$   
 $= \frac{a(0) + \bar{a}|0| + a\bar{a}}{2|a|} = \frac{|a|^2}{2|a|} = \frac{|a|}{2}$

The correct option is (B)

26. Given  $|z - 1| + |z + 3| \leq 8$   
 $\therefore z$  lies inside or on the ellipse whose foci are  $(1, 0)$  and  $(-3, 0)$ . Vertices are  $(-5, 0)$  and  $(3, 0)$ . Now,  $|z - 4|$  is distance of  $z$  from  $(4, 0)$ .  
 Minimum distance is 1 and maximum is 9.  
 The correct option is (C)

(1) 27. We have,  $z^4 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z^4 = -1$   
 $\Rightarrow z = (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)^{1/4}$   
 $\Rightarrow z = \cos \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + \pi) + i \sin \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + \pi)$ ,  $k = 0, 1, 2, 3$ .  
 $\Rightarrow z = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $\cos \frac{3\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{4}$ ,  
 $\cos \frac{5\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{4}$ ,  $\cos \frac{7\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{7\pi}{4}$   
 $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-1 + i)$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-1 - i)$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 - i)$ .  
 Hence, the four roots of  $z^4 + 1 = 0$  are  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\pm 1 \pm i)$ .  
 The correct option is (C)

28. Put  $1 = r \cos \theta$  and  $-1 = r \sin \theta$   
 $\Rightarrow r = \sqrt{2}$  and  $\theta = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

Then given equation takes the form

$(\sqrt{2})^n \left[ \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right]^n = 2^n$

or  $2^{n/2} \left[ \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} - i \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} \right] = 2^n$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$\cos \frac{n\pi}{4} = 2^{n/2}$  and  $-\sin \frac{n\pi}{4} = 0$

These are satisfied only for  $n = 0$ .

Hence,  $n = 0$  is the only solution.

The correct option is (A)

29. We have,  $2 = \left| z - \frac{4}{z} \right| \geq |z| - \left| \frac{4}{z} \right|$

$\Rightarrow |z| - \frac{4}{|z|} \leq 2$

$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 2|z| - 4 \leq 0$  or  $(|z| - 1)^2 - 5 \leq 0$

$\Rightarrow (|z| - 1)^2 \leq 5$  or  $|z| - 1 \leq \sqrt{5} \Rightarrow |z| \leq 1 + \sqrt{5}$

Hence the greatest value of  $|z|$  is  $\sqrt{5} + 1$ .

The correct option is (C)

30. We have,  $\text{Arg}(z + i) - \text{Arg}(z - i) = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \text{Arg} \left( \frac{z + i}{z - i} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$\therefore \text{Re} \left( \frac{z + i}{z - i} \right) = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\left( \frac{z + i}{z - i} \right) + \overline{\left( \frac{z + i}{z - i} \right)}}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow \left( \frac{z + i}{z - i} \right) + \left( \frac{\bar{z} + i}{\bar{z} - i} \right) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (z + i)(\bar{z} + i) + (z - i)(\bar{z} - i) = 0$

$\Rightarrow z\bar{z} + i(z + \bar{z}) - 1 + z\bar{z} - i(z + \bar{z}) - 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2(z\bar{z}) = 2$

$\Rightarrow z\bar{z} = 1$  or  $|z|^2 = 1$

$\Rightarrow |z| = 1$

The equation represents a **circle** centred at origin and radius 1 unit.

The correct option is (A)

31. Let  $z = x + iy$

Since  $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$  is real =  $k$  (say), where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\therefore \frac{(x+iy)^2}{x+iy-1} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2ixy - y^2 = k(x-1) + iky$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 = k(x-1) \quad (1)$$

$$2xy = ky \quad (2)$$

Eq. (2) gives either  $y = 0$  or  $k = 2x$

If  $k = 2x$ , then  $x^2 - y^2 = 2x^2 - 2x$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0, \text{ which is a circle.}$$

Thus, lies either on the real axis  $y = 0$  or on a circle.

The correct option is (C)

32. Clearly  $\left| \frac{z_1 - 2z_2}{2 - z_1\bar{z}_2} \right| = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{z_1 - 2z_2}{2 - z_1\bar{z}_2} \right) \left( \frac{\bar{z}_1 - 2\bar{z}_2}{2 - \bar{z}_1z_2} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1\bar{z}_1 - 2z_1\bar{z}_2 - 2\bar{z}_1z_2 + 4z_2\bar{z}_2$$

$$= 4 - 2\bar{z}_1z_2 - 2z_1\bar{z}_2 + z_1z_2\bar{z}_1\bar{z}_2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 + 4|z_2|^2 = 4 + |z_1|^2|z_2|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1|^2[1 - |z_2|^2] = 4[1 - |z_2|^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 = 4 \quad (\because |z_2| \neq 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1| = 2$$

The correct option is (B)

33. Let  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$  and  $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$

Now  $z_1 + z_2 = (x_1 + x_2) + i(y_1 + y_2)$

and  $z_1 - z_2 = (x_1 - x_2) + i(y_1 - y_2)$

As  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$ , we get

$$(x_1 + x_2)^2 + (y_1 + y_2)^2 = (x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2$$

or,  $x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 = 0$

$$\text{Now amp } z_1 - \text{amp } z_2 = \tan^{-1} \frac{y_1}{x_1} - \tan^{-1} \frac{y_2}{x_2} \quad (1)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{y_1 \cdot y_2}{x_1 x_2}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{x_2 y_1 - y_2 x_1}{x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \infty, \text{ by (1)}$$

$$\therefore |\text{amp } z_1 - \text{amp } z_2| = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

The correct option is (B)

34. We have,

$$\log_{1/2} \left( \frac{|z-1|+4}{3|z-1|-2} \right) > 1 = \log_{1/2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|z-1|+4}{3|z-1|-2} < \frac{1}{2} < 1$$

( $\because \log_a x$  is a decreasing function if  $a < 1$ )

$$\Rightarrow |z-1|+4 < 3|z-1|-2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2|z-1| > 6 \Rightarrow |z-1| > 3$$

which is an exterior of a circle.

The correct option is (C)

35. Suppose  $x$  is a real root

$$\text{Then } x^3 + ix - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x^3 - 1 = 0 \text{ and } x = 0$$

There is no real number satisfying these two equations.

The correct option is (C)

36. Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be the roots

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta + \gamma = -a$$

$$\therefore |-a| = |\alpha + \beta + \gamma| \leq |\alpha| + |\beta| + |\gamma| = 1 + 1 + 1$$

$$\therefore |a| \leq 3$$

The correct option is (A)

37. We have,  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 = z_1 z_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = z_1 z_2 + z_2 z_3 + z_3 z_1,$$

where  $z_3 = 0$ .

$\Rightarrow z_1, z_2$  and the origin form an equilateral triangle.

The correct option is (C)

38. We have,  $S(n) = i^n + i^{-n} = i^n + \frac{1}{i^n} = \frac{i^{2n} + 1}{i^n}$

$$= \frac{(-1)^n + 1}{i^n}, n = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$$

$\therefore$  values of  $S(n)$  are  $0, -2, 2, 0, -2, 2, \dots$

$\therefore$  Total number of distinct values of  $S(n)$  is 3.

The correct option is (C)

39. We have,  $|z_1 + z_2| = \left| \frac{1}{z_1} + \frac{1}{z_2} \right| = \left| \frac{z_1 + z_2}{z_1 z_2} \right|$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1 + z_2| \left( 1 - \frac{1}{|z_1 z_2|} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1 z_2| = 1.$$

( $\because z_1 \neq -z_2$ )

The correct option is (B)

40. We have,  $\text{amp}(z-1) = \text{amp}(z+3i)$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x-1} = \tan^{-1} \frac{y+3}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = (x-1)(y+3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x-1) = y$$

$$\therefore (x-1) : y = 1 : 3.$$

The correct option is (C)

41. We have,  $z_1 - z_4 = z_2 - z_3$  or  $\frac{z_1 + z_3}{2} = \frac{z_2 + z_4}{2}$

i.e., the diagonals bisect each other.

$\therefore$  It is a parallelogram.

Also,  $\text{amp } \frac{z_4 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$\Rightarrow$  angle at  $z_1$  is a right angle.

$\therefore$  It is a rectangle and hence a cyclic quadrilateral.

The correct option is (C) and (D)

42. Given:  $|z| = 2$  and  $\arg(z) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

$\therefore$  If  $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$ , then  $r = 2$  and  $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore z &= 2 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) = 2 \left( -\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \\ &= (-1 + i\sqrt{3}) \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (A)

43.  $\log_{\sqrt{3}} \left( \frac{|z|^2 - |z| + 1}{2 + |z|} \right) < 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|z|^2 - |z| + 1}{2 + |z|} < (\sqrt{3})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - |z| + 1 < 6 + 3|z|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 4|z| - 5 < 0 \Rightarrow (|z| - 5)(|z| + 1) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| - 5 < 0, \text{ since } |z| + 1 > 0 \Rightarrow |z| < 5$$

The correct option is (A)

44. We have,  $|z| = 1$ , or  $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 1$

or  $x^2 + y^2 - 1 = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \left( \frac{z-1}{z+1} \right) &= \left[ \frac{(x-1) + iy}{(x+1) + iy} \right] \times \left[ \frac{(x+1) - iy}{(x+1) - iy} \right] \\ &= \frac{(x^2 + y^2 - 1) + 2iy}{(x+1)^2 + y^2} = \frac{2iy}{(x+1)^2 + y^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$(x^2 + y^2 - 1 = 0)$$

The correct option is (C)

45. Let  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$

$\therefore \bar{z}_1 = x_1 - iy_1$

Now  $z_2 = \bar{z}_1 \Rightarrow z_1 + z_2 = z_1 + \bar{z}_1$

$$= x_1 + iy_1 + x_1 - iy_1$$

$$= 2x_1, \text{ which is real.}$$

Hence, result holds if  $z_2 = \bar{z}_1$ .

The correct option is (B)

46.  $|z - i| = |z + 5i|$  represents equation of perpendicular bisector of points (0, 1) and (0, -5) i.e.,  $y = -2$ , now  $|z| = 2$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

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

$\therefore z$  represents a single point (0, -2).

The correct option is (C)

47. If a complex number  $z$  is rotated through an angle  $180^\circ$ , then it's new position is  $-z$ . So,  $2 - 4i$  is  $-2 + 4i$  and stretching it  $5/2$  times means modulus  $5/2$  times of previous complex number

i.e.,  $\frac{5}{2}(-2 + 4i) = -5 + 10i$

The correct option is (C)

48. Midpoint of  $P$  and  $P'$  is centre of circle  $C$  such that

$$\frac{z_1 + (-z_1)}{2} = 0$$

$\therefore$  Centre of circle lies at origin.

Now, the equation of circle with centre at origin and radius  $|z_1|$  or  $|-z_1|$  is

$$|z - 0| = |z_1|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 = |z_1|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z \cdot \bar{z} = z_1 \cdot \bar{z}_1$$

$$\therefore \frac{z}{z_1} = \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}} = \left( \frac{z_1}{z} \right)$$

The correct option is (A)

49. We have

$$(1 + i)^2 = \left( \frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 1 + 2i = \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + 2 \left( \frac{qr}{bc} + \frac{rp}{ca} + \frac{pq}{ab} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2i = \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + \frac{2abc}{pqr} \left( \frac{a}{p} + \frac{b}{q} + \frac{c}{r} \right)$$

$$= \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + \frac{2abc}{pqr} (0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} = 2i$$

The correct option is (C)

50. Interpreting according to Coni's Theorem. Let the angle between the lines joining

$z_1, z_2$  and  $z_1, -z_2$  be  $\alpha$

$$\therefore \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} = \cos \alpha + t \sin \alpha$$

Using Componendo and Dividendo, we have

$$\frac{2z_1}{-2z_2} = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha - 1 + i \sin \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) + i 2 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}{-2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) + i \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = i \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow iz_1 = -\cot \frac{\alpha}{2} z_2$$

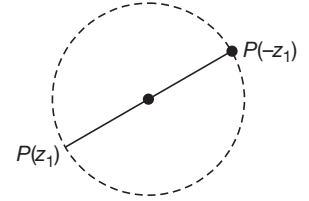
But  $iz_1 = kz_2$  [where,  $k = -\cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$  (say)]

Now,  $k = -\cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} = -k \Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{2k}{k^2 - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = -\frac{2k}{1 - k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{-2k}{1 - k^2} \right) = -2 \tan^{-1} k$$



Now,  $\frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} = \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha$

where  $\alpha$  is the angle between  $(z_1 - z_2)$  and  $(z_1 + z_2)$ .  
 $\Rightarrow \alpha = -2 \tan^{-1} k$  is the angle between  $(z_1 - z_2)$  and  $(z_1 + z_2)$ .

The correct option is (C)

51.  $x^2 - \sqrt{3}x + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\sqrt{3} \pm \sqrt{3-4}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \pm \frac{i}{2} = \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\left(x^n - \frac{1}{x^n}\right)^2 = \left(x^{2n} + \frac{1}{x^{2n}} - 2\right) = -2 + 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{24} \left(x^n - \frac{1}{x^n}\right)^2 = \sum_{n=1}^{24} \left(-2 + 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= -48 + 2 \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \dots + \cos \frac{24\pi}{3} \right]$$

$$= \frac{-48 + 2 \left[ \cos \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \frac{23\pi}{6}\right) \cdot \sin \left(\frac{24\pi}{6}\right) \right]}{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}} - 48$$

$$= 0 - 48 = -48$$

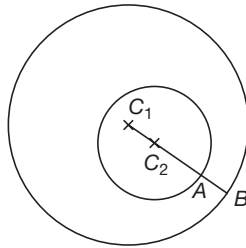
The correct option is (B)

52.  $C_1(0, 0)$  is centre of bigger circle and  $C_2(3, 4)$  is centre of smaller circle

$C_1B = r_1 = 12$  (radius of bigger circle)

$C_2A = r_2 = 5$  (radius of smaller circle)

$C_1C_2 = 5$ , minimum value of  $|z_1 - z_2| = AB$



Now,  $C_1C_2 + C_2A + AB = C_1B$

$$\Rightarrow AB = 12 - 5 - 5 = 2$$

The correct option is (B)

53.  $|\sqrt{2}z_1 + i\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_2|^2 + |\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_1 + i\sqrt{2}z_2|^2$   
 $= (\sqrt{2}z_1 + i\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_2)(\sqrt{2}\bar{z}_1 - i\sqrt{3}z_2)$   
 $+ (\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_1 + i\sqrt{2}z_2)(\sqrt{3}z_1 - i\sqrt{2}\bar{z}_2)$

$$= 5(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) > 5 \cdot 2 \sqrt{|z_1|^2 |z_2|^2} = 10 |z_1 z_2|$$

Since  $A \cdot M > G \cdot M$  for  $|z_1| \neq |z_2|$

The correct option is (B)

54. Let  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  be affixes of points  $A, B, C$  respectively. Since,  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are in A.P., therefore

$$2z_2 = z_1 + z_3$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{z_1 + z_3}{2}$$

$\Rightarrow B$  is the mid point of the line  $AC$

$\Rightarrow A, B, C$  are collinear

$\therefore z_1, z_2, z_3$  lie on a line

The correct option is (A) and (C)

55. If  $z$  is a root of  $(z-1)^{25} = 2\omega^2(z+1)^{25}$ , then

$$\left(\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right)^{25} = 2\omega^2 \Rightarrow \left|\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right|^{25} = 2|\omega^2| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left|\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right| = 2^{1/25}$$

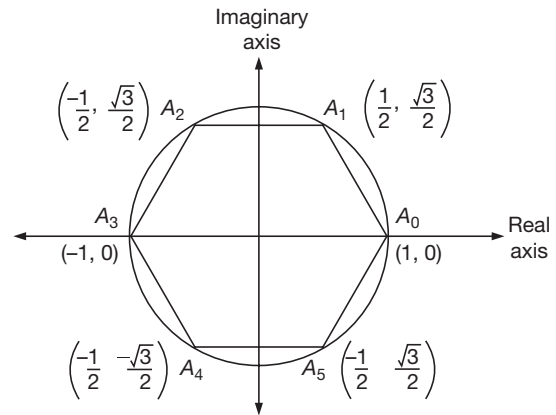
As  $2^{1/25} \neq 1$ , we get  $z$  lies on a circle.

The correct option is (B)

56. We have  $(A_0A_1)^2 = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow A_0A_1 = 1$$

$$A_0A_1 = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{9+3}{4} = 3$$



$$\Rightarrow A_0A_2 = \sqrt{3}$$

Similarly,  $A_0A_4 = \sqrt{3}$

Thus,  $(A_0A_1)(A_0A_2)(A_0A_4) = 3$

The correct option is (C)

57.  $z_1 + z_2 = -\frac{b}{a}$  (1)

$$z_1 z_2 = \frac{c}{a}$$
 (2)

$$z_2 = iz_1$$
 (3)

From Eq. (1) and (2)

$$z_1(1+i) = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 = \frac{-b}{2a}(1-i) \Rightarrow z_1^2 = \frac{b^2}{4a^2}(-2i) = \frac{-b^2}{2a^2}i$$

From Eq. (2) and (3)

$$z_1^2 = \frac{c}{ai} = \frac{-c}{a}i \Rightarrow \frac{-b^2}{2a^2}i = \frac{c}{a}i \Rightarrow a = \frac{b^2}{2c}$$

The correct option is (A)

58.  $z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (z^3 + 1) + 2z(z + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z + 1)(z^2 - z + 1 + 2z) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z + 1)(z^2 + z + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = -1, \omega, \omega^2$$

Now equation  $z^{1985} + z^{100} + 1 = 0$  gets satisfied by  $\omega$  and  $\omega^2$  but not by  $-1$ . So, common roots are  $\omega$  and  $\omega^2$ .

The correct option is (A)

59.  $\frac{z-1}{i}$  should be real

i.e.,  $\frac{x+iy-1}{i} = y-i(x-1)$  is real

$$\Rightarrow x-1=0 \text{ i.e., } x=1$$

$$\therefore \sin^{-1} \frac{z-1}{i} = \sin^{-1} y$$

$$\therefore -1 \leq y \leq 1$$

The correct option is (B)

60. Since,  $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$

(given)

$$\therefore \text{Solving for } x, \text{ we have } x = -\omega \text{ and } x = -\omega^2$$

Case I:  $x = \omega$

$$\therefore S = \sum_{n=1}^5 \left( \omega^n + \frac{1}{\omega^n} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \sum_{n=1}^5 (\omega^n + \omega^{2n})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow S = (-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2 + (-1)^2 + (-1)^2 \quad (\therefore S = 8)$$

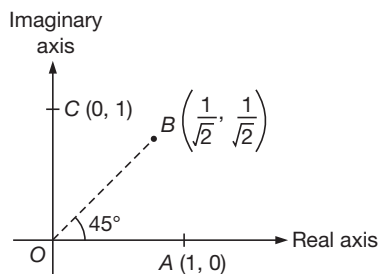
Case II:  $x = \omega^2$

$$\therefore S = \sum_{n=1}^5 \left[ \omega^{2n} + \left( \frac{1}{\omega^2} \right)^n \right]^2$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \sum_{n=1}^5 (\omega^{2n} + \omega^n)^2 = 8$$

The correct option is (A)

61. Points  $A, B$  and  $C$  are at equal distance from origin  $O$  and as  $\angle BOA = 45^\circ$  clearly  $BC = AB$ . So, triangle is isosceles.



The correct option is (C)

62. Let  $\alpha$  be a real root of the given equation.

$$\text{Then, } \alpha^2 + (a+ib)\alpha + c + id = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^2 + a\alpha + c = 0 \text{ and } b\alpha + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( -\frac{d}{b} \right)^2 + a \left( -\frac{b}{d} \right) + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2}{b^2} - \frac{ad}{b} + c = 0$$

$$\text{or } d^2 - abd + b^2c = 0$$

The correct option is (B)

63.  $|iz + z_0| = |iz - i^2 + z_0 - 1|$

$$= |i(z - i) + 5 + 3i - 1|$$

$$= |i(z - i) + (4 + 3i)|$$

$$\therefore |iz + z_0| \leq |i(z - i)| + |4 + 3i| \leq 1.2 + 5 = 7$$

$\therefore$  Maximum value of  $|iz + z_0|$  is 7

The correct option is (A)

64.  $z(\overline{z-2i}) = z\bar{z} + 2iz = 2(2+i)$  gives

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2y = 4 \text{ and } 2x = 2,$$

on equating the real and imaginary parts.

$$\therefore y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0 \text{ giving } y = 3, -1$$

The solutions are  $1 + 3i$  and  $1 - i$ .

The correct option is (C)

65. Let the roots of the given equation be  $1 + ip$  and  $1 - ip$ , where  $p \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = \text{product of roots}$$

$$= (1 + ip)(1 - ip) = 1 + p^2 > 1, \forall p \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta \in (1, \infty)$$

The correct option is (A)

66.  $(1 + \omega)^7 = A + B\omega$

$$\Rightarrow (-\omega^2)^7 = A + B\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow -\omega^2 = A + B\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \omega = A + B\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 1, B = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (A, B) = (1, 1)$$

The correct option is (C)

67.  $\frac{z^2}{z-1} = \frac{\bar{z}^2}{\bar{z}-1}$

$$\Rightarrow z\bar{z}z - z^2 = z\bar{z}\bar{z} - \bar{z}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2(z - \bar{z}) - (z - \bar{z})(z + \bar{z}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z - \bar{z})[|z|^2 - (z + \bar{z})] = 0$$

Either  $z = \bar{z} \Rightarrow$  real axis

$$\text{or } |z|^2 = z + \bar{z} \Rightarrow z\bar{z} - z - \bar{z} = 0$$

represents a circle passing through origin.

The correct option is (A)

68.  $C_1: |z - i| = 2 \Rightarrow x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 2^2$

$$C_2: |z - 1 - 2i| = 4 \Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 4^2$$

$$C_1 C_2 = \sqrt{2}$$

$$r_1 = 2, r_2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 C_2 < |r_1 - r_2|$$

$\Rightarrow$  one circle lies inside the other. Now point  $(2, 2)$  lies outside circle  $C_1$  and inside circle  $C_2$ .

$$\Rightarrow C_1 \text{ lies inside } C_2$$

The correct option is (C)

69. Put  $-i$  in place of  $i$

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

The correct option is (C)

70.  $|z| = \left| \left( z - \frac{4}{z} \right) + \frac{4}{z} \right| \Rightarrow |z| = \left| z - \frac{4}{z} + \frac{4}{z} \right|$   
 $\Rightarrow |z| \leq \left| z - \frac{4}{z} \right| + \frac{4}{|z|} \Rightarrow |z| \leq 2 + \frac{4}{|z|}$

$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 2|z| - 4 \leq 0$

$[|z| - (\sqrt{5} + 1)][|z| - (1 - \sqrt{5})] \leq 0$

$\Rightarrow 1 - \sqrt{5} \leq |z| \leq \sqrt{5} + 1$

The correct option is (B)

71. We have,  $z_1(z_1^2 - 3z_2^2) = 2$  (1)

and,  $z_2(3z_1^2 - z_2^2) = 11$  (2)

Multiplying (2) by  $i$  and adding it to (1), we get

$z_1^3 - 3z_2^2 z_1 + i(3z_1^2 z_2 - z_2^3) = 2 + 11i$   
 $\Rightarrow (z_1 + iz_2)^3 = 2 + 11i$  (3)

Again, multiplying (2) by  $i$  and subtracting it from (1), we get

$z_1^3 - 3z_2^2 z_1 - i(3z_1^2 z_2 - z_2^3) = 2 - 11i$   
 $\Rightarrow (z_1 - iz_2)^3 = 2 - 11i$  (4)

Multiplying (3) and (4), we get

$(z_1^2 + z_2^2)^3 = 4 + 121i \Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 = 5$ .

The correct option is (D)

72. We have,  $\sqrt{1 - c^2} = nc - 1$

$\Rightarrow 1 - c^2 = n^2 c^2 + 1 - 2nc$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{c}{2n} = \frac{1}{1 + n^2}$  (1)

Now,  $\frac{c}{2n}(1 + nz)\left(1 + \frac{n}{z}\right)$

$= \frac{1}{1 + n^2} \left\{ 1 + n^2 + n\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right) \right\}$   
 $= \frac{1}{1 + n^2} (1 + n^2 + n(2\cos\theta))$   
 $= 1 + \left(\frac{2n}{1 + n^2}\right) \cos\theta = 1 + c\cos\theta$  (Using (1))

The correct option is (A)

73. We have,  $z_k = 1 + a + a^2 + \dots + a^k = \frac{1 - a^{k+1}}{1 - a}$

$\Rightarrow z_k - \frac{1}{1 - a} = \frac{-a^{k+1}}{1 - a}$

$\Rightarrow \left| z_k - \frac{1}{1 - a} \right| = \frac{|a|^{k+1}}{|1 - a|} < \frac{1}{|1 - a|}$  ( $\because |a| < 1$ )

Therefore, vertices  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  of the polygon lie within the circle.

$\left| z - \frac{1}{1 - a} \right| = \frac{1}{|1 - a|}$

The correct option is (C)

74. We have,

$|3| = |a_1 z^3 + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z + a_4|$

$\Rightarrow 3 \leq |a_1 z^3| + |a_2 z^2| + |a_3 z| + |a_4|$

$\Rightarrow 3 \leq |a_1| |z|^3 + |a_2| |z|^2 + |a_3| |z| + |a_4|$

$\Rightarrow 3 \leq |z|^3 + |z|^2 + |z| + 1$  ( $\because |a_i| \leq 1$ )

$\Rightarrow 3 < 1 + |z| + |z|^2 + |z|^3 < 1 + |z| + |z|^2 + \dots \infty$

$\Rightarrow 3 < \frac{1}{1 - |z|} \Rightarrow 1 - |z| < \frac{1}{3}$

$\therefore |z| > \frac{2}{3}$

The correct option is (B)

75. We have,  $z^4 = (z - 1)^4$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{z - 1}{z}\right) = 1^{1/4} = e^{\frac{2n\pi i}{4}}, n = 0, 1, 2, 3.$

Since for all these values of  $z$ ,

$\left|\frac{z - 1}{z}\right| = 1$  so they lie on the line bisecting perpendicularly

the join of  $z = 1$  and  $z = 0$ .

The correct option is (A)

76. We have,  $|z| = \left| z + \frac{2}{z} - \frac{2}{z} \right| \leq \left| z + \frac{2}{z} \right| + \frac{2}{|z|}$

$\Rightarrow |z| \leq 2 + \frac{2}{|z|} \Rightarrow |z|^2 \leq 2|z| + 2$

$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 2|z| + 1 \leq 1 + 2 \Rightarrow (|z| - 1)^2 \leq 3$

$\Rightarrow -\sqrt{3} \leq |z| - 1 \leq \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow 1 - \sqrt{3} \leq |z| \leq 1 + \sqrt{3}$

That is, the maximum value of  $|z|$  is  $1 + \sqrt{3}$

The correct option is (B)

77. We have,  $|z + \bar{z}| + |z - \bar{z}| = 8$

$\Rightarrow 2|x| + 2|y| = 8$  or  $|x| + |y| = 4$

The correct option is (C)

78. Since  $z + \sqrt{2}|z + 1| + i = 0$

$\therefore x + i(y + 1) + \sqrt{2}|x + iy + 1| = 0$

$\therefore y + 1 = 0$  [ $\because |x + iy + 1|$  is real]

$\therefore y = -1$

$\therefore x + \sqrt{2}|x - i + 1| = 0$

$\Rightarrow x^2 = 2[(x + 1)^2 + 1] = 2(x^2 + 2x + 2)$

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

$\therefore (x + 2)^2 = 0$

$\therefore x = -2$

$\therefore z = -2 - i$

The correct option is (B)

79. Let  $a = r \cos \theta$  and  $b = r \sin \theta$

$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now, } \frac{a-ib}{a+ib} &= \frac{r(\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)}{r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)} = (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)^2 \\ &= \cos 2\theta - i \sin 2\theta = e^{-2i\theta}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore i \log \frac{a-ib}{a+ib} = i \log e^{-2i\theta} = i(-2i\theta) = 2\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \tan \left[ i \log \frac{a-ib}{a+ib} \right] &= \tan 2\theta \\ &= \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{2 \frac{b}{a}}{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} \\ &= \frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}\end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (C)

80. Given  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2|$

$$\text{Squaring, } |z_1 + z_2|^2 = (|z_1| + |z_2|)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2\operatorname{Re} |z_1| |z_2|$$

$$= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1| |z_2|$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\operatorname{Re} |z_1| |z_2| = 2|z_1| |z_2|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1| |z_2| \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = |z_1| |z_2|$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2) = 1 \Rightarrow \theta_1 - \theta_2 = 0 \text{ or } \theta_1 = \theta_2$$

or,  $\arg z_1 = \arg z_2$

The correct option is (C)

81. For every  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $|a| = \sqrt{a^2}$

$$\therefore |a|^2 = a^2$$

$$\text{Now, } (|x| - |y|)^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |x|^2 + |y|^2 - 2|x||y| \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2|x||y| \leq |x|^2 + |y|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |x|^2 + |y|^2 + 2|x||y| \leq 2|x|^2 + 2|y|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (|x| + |y|)^2 \leq 2(x^2 + y^2) \Rightarrow (|x| + |y|)^2 \leq 2|z|^2$$

$$\therefore |x| + |y| \leq \sqrt{2}|z|$$

The correct option is (B)

82. As  $(a-b)^2 \geq 0$ ,  $a^2 + b^2 \geq 2ab$

$$\text{But } |z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}; \text{ so from (i), } |z|^2 \geq 2ab$$

$$\therefore |z|^2 + a^2 + b^2 \geq a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$$

$$\text{or, } |z|^2 + |z|^2 \geq (a+b)^2;$$

$$\therefore 2|z|^2 \geq (a+b)^2$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{2}|z| \geq a+b \text{ as } |z| \text{ is positive.}$$

$$\therefore |z| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(a+b)$$

The correct option is (B)

83. Putting  $x = 1$ ,  $\omega$ ,  $\omega^2$ , respectively,

$$3^n = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{2n}$$

$$(1 + \omega + \omega^2)^n = a_0 + a_1 \omega + a_2 \omega^2 + \dots + a_{2n} \omega^{2n}$$

$$(1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4)^n = a_0 + a_1 \omega^2 + a_2 \omega^4 + \dots + a_{2n} \omega^{4n}$$

$$\text{Adding these, } 3^n + (1 + \omega + \omega^2)^n + (1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4)^n$$

$$= 3a_0 + a_1(1 + \omega + \omega^2) + a_2(1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4)$$

$$+ a_3(1 + \omega^3 + \omega^6) + \dots$$

$$\therefore 3^n + 0^n + 0^n = 3a_0 + 3a_3 + 3a_6 + \dots$$

$$\therefore 3^{n-1} = a_0 + a_3 + a_6 + \dots$$

The correct option is (B)

84. The closest distance = length of the perpendicular from the origin on the line  $a\bar{z} + \bar{a}z + a\bar{a} = 0$

$$= \frac{a(0) + \bar{a}|0| + a\bar{a}}{2|a|} = \frac{|a|^2}{2|a|} = \frac{|a|}{2}$$

The correct option is (B)

85. Put  $1 = r \cos \theta$  and  $-1 = r \sin \theta$

$$\Rightarrow r = \sqrt{2} \text{ and } \theta = -\frac{\pi}{4}$$

Then, given equation takes the form

$$(\sqrt{2})^n \left[ \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right]^n = 2^n$$

$$\text{or, } 2^{n/2} \left[ \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} - i \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} \right] = 2^n$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$\cos \frac{n\pi}{4} = 2^{n/2} \text{ and } -\sin \frac{n\pi}{4} = 0$$

These are satisfied only for  $n = 0$

Hence,  $n = 0$  is the only solution.

The correct option is (A)

86. We have,  $\operatorname{Arg}(z+i) - \operatorname{Arg}(z-i) = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Arg} \left( \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\left( \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right) + \overline{\left( \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right)}}{2} = 0$$

$$(i) \Rightarrow \left( \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right) + \left( \frac{\bar{z}+\bar{i}}{\bar{z}-\bar{i}} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (z+i)(\bar{z}+\bar{i}) + (z-i)(\bar{z}-\bar{i}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z\bar{z} + i(z+\bar{z}) - 1 + z\bar{z} - i(z+\bar{z}) - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(z\bar{z}) = 2 \Rightarrow z = 1 \text{ or } |z|^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| = 1$$

The equation represents a circle centered at origin and radius 1 unit

The correct option is (A)

87. Let  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$  and  $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$

$$\text{Now } z_1 + z_2 = (x_1 + x_2) + i(y_1 + y_2)$$

$$\text{and, } z_1 - z_2 = (x_1 - x_2) + i(y_1 - y_2)$$

As  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1 - z_2|$ , we get

$$(x_1 + x_2)^2 + (y_1 + y_2)^2 = (x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2$$

$$\text{or, } x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2 = 0$$

(1)

Now,  $\text{amp } z_1 - \text{amp } z_2 = \tan^{-1} \frac{y_1}{x_1} - \tan^{-1} \frac{y_2}{x_2}$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2} = \tan^{-1} \frac{x_2 y_1 - y_2 x_1}{x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2}$$

$= \tan^{-1} \infty$ , by (1)

$$\therefore |\text{amp } z_1 - \text{amp } z_2| = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

The correct option is (B)

88. We have,

$$-\sqrt{3} > 1 = \log_{1/2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|z-1|+4}{3|z-1|-2} < \frac{1}{2} < 1$$

[ $\because \log_a x$  is a decreasing function if  $a < 1$ ]

$$\Rightarrow |z-1|+4 < 3|z-1|-2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2|z-1| > 6 \Rightarrow |z-1| > 3$$

which is an exterior of a circle.

The correct option is (C)

89. We have,  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 = z_1 z_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = z_1 z_2 + z_2 z_3 + z_3 z_1,$$

where  $z_3 = 0$ .

$\Rightarrow z_1, z_2$  and the origin form an equilateral triangle.

The correct option is (C)

90. Mid-point of  $P$  and  $P'$  is centre of circle  $C$  such that

$$\frac{z_1 + (-z_1)}{2} = 0$$

$\therefore$  Centre of circle lies at origin.

Now, the equation of circle with centre at origin and radius

$|z_1|$  or  $|-z_1|$  is

$$|z-0| = |z_1|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 = |z_1|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z \cdot \bar{z} = z_1 \cdot \bar{z}_1$$

$$\therefore \frac{z}{z_1} = \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}} = \overline{\left( \frac{z_1}{z} \right)}$$

The correct option is (A)

91. We have,

$$(1+i)^2 = \left( \frac{p}{a} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-1+2i = \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + 2 \left( \frac{qr}{bc} + \frac{rp}{ca} + \frac{pq}{ab} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2i = \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + \frac{2abc}{pqr} \left( \frac{a}{p} + \frac{q}{b} + \frac{r}{c} \right)$$

$$= \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} + \frac{2abc}{pqr} \quad (0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{q^2}{b^2} + \frac{r^2}{c^2} = 2i$$

The correct option is (C)

92. Interpreting according to Coni's theorem. Let the angle between the lines joining

$z_1, z_2$  and  $z_1, -z_2$  be  $\alpha$

$$\therefore \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} = \cos \alpha + t \sin \alpha$$

Using Componendo and Dividendo, we have

$$\frac{2z_1}{-2z_2} = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha + t \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha - 1 + t \sin \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) + t 2 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}{-2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) + t \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = t \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} \Rightarrow t z_1 = -\cot \frac{\alpha}{2} z_2$$

But  $t z_1 = k z_2$  {where,  $k = -\cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$  (say)}

$$\text{Now, } k = -\cot \frac{\alpha}{2} \Rightarrow \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} = -k$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{2k}{k^2 - 1} \Rightarrow \tan \alpha = -\frac{2k}{1 - k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \tan^{-1} \left( -\frac{2k}{1 - k^2} \right) = -2 \tan^{-1} k$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} = \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha$$

where  $\alpha$  is the angle between  $(z_1 - z_2)$  and  $(z_1 + z_2)$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = -2 \tan^{-1} k$  is the angle between  $(z_1 - z_2)$  and  $(z_1 + z_2)$ .

The correct option is (C)

93.  $x^2 - \sqrt{3}x + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\sqrt{3} \pm \sqrt{3-4}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \pm \frac{i}{2} = \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\left( x^n - \frac{1}{x^n} \right)^2 = \left( x^{2n} + \frac{1}{x^{2n}} - 2 \right) = -2 + 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{3}$$

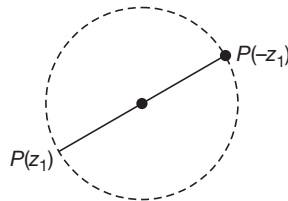
$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{24} \left( x^n - \frac{1}{x^n} \right)^2 = \sum_{n=1}^{24} \left( -2 + 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$= -48 + 2 \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \dots + \cos \frac{24\pi}{3} \right]$$

$$+ 2 \left[ \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} + \frac{23\pi}{6} \right) \cdot \sin \left( \frac{24\pi}{6} \right) \right] = \frac{-48 + 2 \left[ \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} + \frac{23\pi}{6} \right) \cdot \sin \left( \frac{24\pi}{6} \right) \right]}{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}} - 48$$

$$= 0 - 48 = -48$$

The correct option is (B)



$$\begin{aligned}
 94. \quad & \left| \sqrt{2}z_1 + i\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_2 \right|^2 + \left| \sqrt{3}\bar{z}_1 + i\sqrt{2}z_2 \right|^2 \\
 &= \left( \sqrt{2}z_1 + i\sqrt{3}\bar{z}_2 \right) \left( \sqrt{2}\bar{z}_1 - i\sqrt{3}z_2 \right) \\
 &+ \left( \sqrt{3}\bar{z}_1 + i\sqrt{2}z_2 \right) \left( \sqrt{3}z_1 - i\sqrt{2}\bar{z}_2 \right) \\
 &= 5(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) > 5 \cdot 2 \sqrt{|z_1|^2 |z_2|^2} = 10|z_1 z_2|
 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $A \cdot M > G \cdot M$  for  $|z_1| \neq |z_2|$

The correct option is (B)

95. If  $z$  is a root of  $(z-1)^{25} = 2\omega^2(z+1)^{25}$ , then

$$\left( \frac{z-1}{z+1} \right)^{25} = 2\omega^2 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{z-1}{z+1} \right|^{25} = 2|\omega^2| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{z-1}{z+1} \right| = 2^{1/25}$$

As  $2^{1/25} \neq 1$ , we get  $z$  lies on a circle.

The correct option is (B)

$$96. \quad z_1 + z_2 = -\frac{b}{a} \tag{1}$$

$$z_1 z_2 = \frac{c}{a} \tag{2}$$

$$z_2 = iz_1 \tag{3}$$

From equations (1) and (3), we have

$$z_1(1+i) = \frac{-b}{a} \Rightarrow z_1 = \frac{-b}{2a}(1-i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 = \frac{b^2}{4a^2}(-2i) = \frac{-b^2}{2a^2}i$$

From equations (2) and (3), we have

$$z_1^2 = \frac{c}{ai} = \frac{-c}{a}i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-b^2}{2a^2}i = \frac{-c^2}{a^2}i$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{b^2}{2c}$$

The correct option is (A)

$$97. \quad \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} = \frac{1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{3}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{-\pi}{3}\right) = e^{-i\pi/3}$$

$$\therefore \left| \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} \right| = \left| e^{-i\pi/3} \right| = 1$$

and angle between  $z_1 - z_3$  and  $z_2 - z_3$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .

$\therefore$  triangle is equilateral.

The correct option is (C)

98. If  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = z$ , the given equation becomes

$$z^2 - z + 1 = 0 \text{ i.e., } z = -\omega \text{ and } -\omega^2$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{z_1}{z_2} = -\omega \Rightarrow z_1 = -\omega z_2$$

$$OB = |z_2 - 0| = |z_2|$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 OA &= |z_1 - 0| = |-z_2\omega| = |z_2| |\omega| \\
 &= |z_2|
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and, } AB = |z_2 - z_1| = |z_2 + z_2\omega|$$

$$= |z_2| |1 + \omega| = |z_2|^2 |\omega| = |z_2|$$

Thus,  $z_1, z_2$  and origin form an equilateral triangle.

The correct option is (D)

$$99. \quad \text{We have, } \left| \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 + z_2} \right| = 1 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{z_1/z_2 - 1}{z_1/z_2 + 1} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} - 1 \right| = \left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} + 1 \right|$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2}$  lies on the perpendicular bisector of the segment joining  $A(-1 + 0i)$  and  $B(1 + 0i)$ .

$$\therefore \frac{z_1}{z_2} = ai \text{ for some } a \in R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_2}{z_1} = \frac{1}{ai} = \frac{-i}{a}$$

$$\therefore z_2 = i k z_1 \text{ for some } k \in R$$

The correct option is (A)

100. We have,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1+iz}{1-iz} &= \frac{1+i\frac{b+ic}{1+a}}{1-i\frac{b+ic}{1+a}} = \frac{1+a-c+ib}{1+a+c-ib} \\
 &= \frac{[1+a-c+ib][1+a+c+ib]}{[1+a+c-ib][1+a+c+ib]} \\
 &= \frac{z_0}{(1+a+c)^2 + b^2} \tag{1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Now, } R(z_0) &= (1+a-c)(1+a+c) - b^2 \\
 &= (1+a)^2 - c^2 - b^2 = 1 + a^2 + 2a - (1 - a^2) \\
 &= 2a^2 + 2a = 2a(1+a)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and, } I_m(z_0) = 2b(1+a).$$

$$\text{Thus, } z_0 = 2(1+a)(a+ib)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Also, denominator of (1)} &= 1 + a^2 + c^2 + 2a + 2c + 2ac + b^2 \\
 &= 2 + 2a + 2c + 2ac \\
 &= 2(1+a)(1+c)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{1+iz}{1-iz} = \frac{a+ib}{1+c}$$

The correct option is (B)

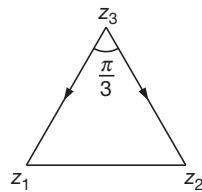
101. We have,

$$|z_1 + z_2 w^k|^2 = (z_1 + z_2 w^k) \overline{(z_1 + z_2 w^k)}$$

$$= (z_1 + z_2 w^k) (\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 w^{-k})$$

$$\left[ w^k = e^{i(2\pi k/n)} \Rightarrow \overline{w^k} = e^{-i(2\pi k/n)} = w^{-k} \right]$$

$$= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + \bar{z}_1 z_2 w^k + z_1 \bar{z}_2 w^{-k}$$



Therefore, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |z_1 + z_2 w^k|^2 &= n(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) + \bar{z}_1 z_2 \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} w^k \\ &+ z_1 \bar{z}_2 \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} w^{-k} \\ &= n(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2) \left[ \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} w^k = 0 = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} w^{-k} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (B)

- 102.** We have,  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = k$
- $$\Rightarrow 2|z|^2 + |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 - 2\operatorname{Re}(z\bar{z}_1) - 2\operatorname{Re}(z\bar{z}_2) = k$$
- $$\Rightarrow 2|z|^2 - 2\operatorname{Re}\{z(\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2)\} = k - (|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$$
- $$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - \operatorname{Re}\{z(\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2)\} = \frac{1}{2}(k - |z_1|^2 - |z_2|^2)$$
- $$\Rightarrow \left| z - \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2} \right|^2 - \frac{1}{4}|z_1 + z_2|^2 = \frac{1}{2}(k - |z_1|^2 - |z_2|^2)$$
- $$\Rightarrow \left| z - \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2} \right|^2 = \frac{1}{2}k - \frac{1}{4}\{|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 - 2\operatorname{Re}(z_1\bar{z}_2)\}$$
- $$= \frac{1}{2}k - \frac{1}{4}|z_1 - z_2|^2$$
- $$\Rightarrow \left| z - \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2} \right|^2 = \frac{1}{4}(2k - |z_1 - z_2|^2)$$
- which will represent a real circle having centre at  $\frac{z_1 + z_2}{2}$

and radius  $= \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2k - |z_1 - z_2|^2}$ , provided  $k \geq \frac{1}{2}|z_1 - z_2|^2$

The correct option is (A)

- 103.** Let  $\alpha z + \beta$  be the remainder when  $f(z)$  is divided by  $z^2 + 1$ . Then, we have

$$f(z) = (z^2 + 1)g(z) + Az + B$$

Given:  $f(z)$  when divided by  $z - i$  gives remainder  $i$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f(i) &= i \\ \Rightarrow (i^2 + 1)g(i) + Ai + B &= i \\ \Rightarrow Ai + B &= i \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Also,  $f(z)$  when divided by  $z + i$  gives remainder  $i + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f(-i) &= i + 1 \\ \Rightarrow (i^2 + 1)g(-i) - B &= i + 1 \\ \Rightarrow -Ai + B &= i + 1 \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Solving equations (1) and (2), we get

$$A = i/2 \text{ and } B = i + 1/2$$

$$\therefore \text{ remainder is } \left(\frac{i}{2}\right)z + \left(i + \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

The correct option is (C)

- 104.** We have,
- $$x^n - 1 = (x - 1)(x - w)(x - w^2) \dots (x - w^{n-1})$$
- $$\Rightarrow \frac{x^n - 1}{x - w} = (x - 1)(x - w^2) \dots (x - w^{n-1})$$

Putting  $x = w$  on both sides, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (w - 1)(w - w^2) \dots (w - w^{n-1}) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow w} \frac{x^n - 1}{x - w} \left(\frac{0}{0}\right) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow w} \frac{nx^{n-1}}{1} = nw^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (A)

- 105.** We have,
- $$z - i = e^i \alpha \Rightarrow z = i + e^i \alpha$$
- $$= \cos \alpha + i(1 + \sin \alpha)$$
- $$\therefore \theta = \arg(z) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tan \theta &= \frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \\ \therefore \cot \theta - \frac{2}{z} &= \frac{\cos \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha} - \frac{2}{\cos \alpha + i(1 + \sin \alpha)} \\ &= \frac{\cos \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha} - \frac{2[\cos \alpha - i(1 + \sin \alpha)]}{\cos^2 \alpha + (1 + \sin \alpha)^2} \\ &= \frac{\cos \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha} - \frac{2[\cos \alpha - i(1 + \sin \alpha)]}{2(1 + \sin \alpha)} \\ &= i. \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (B)

- 106.** We have,
- $$z_1 = \frac{4 + 3i}{1 + 2i} = \frac{(4 + 3i)(1 - 2i)}{(1 + 2i)(1 - 2i)}$$
- $$= \frac{10 - 5i}{5} = 2 - i$$

which represents the point whose coordinates are (2, -1)

Also, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} iz &= \bar{z} \\ \Rightarrow i(x + iy) - (x - iy) &= 0 && \text{[Putting } z = x + iy\text{]} \\ \Rightarrow i(x + y) - (x + y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (i - 1)(x + y) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

which represents the line  $y = -x$

Hence, reflection of the point (2, -1) in the line  $y = -x$  gives the point (1, -2) which is equivalent to  $1 - 2i$  in the argand plane.

The correct option is (D)

- 107.** We know that  $\omega = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } 4 + 5 \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{334} + 3 \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{365} \\ &= 4 + 5\omega^{334} + 3\omega^{365} \\ &= 4 + 5(\omega^3)^{111} \omega + 3(\omega^3)^{123} \omega^2 \\ &= 4 + 5(1)^{111} \omega + 3(1)^{123} \omega^2 \\ &= 4 + 5\omega + 3\omega^2 = 1 + 2\omega + 3(1 + \omega + \omega^2) \\ &= 1 + 2\omega + 3(0) = 1 + 2\omega = 1 - 1 + \sqrt{3}i = \sqrt{3}i. \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (C)

108. The given line is  $\bar{b}z + b\bar{z} = c$  (1)

Let  $A(z_1)$  be a reflection of  $B(z_2)$  in the line (1).

Let  $P(z)$  be any point on the line (1). We have,

$$AP = BP$$

$$\Rightarrow |AP|^2 = |BP|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z - z_1|^2 = |z - z_2|^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow (\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1)z + (z_2 - z_1)\bar{z} + z_1\bar{z} - z_2\bar{z}_2 = 0 \quad (2)$$

Since (1) and (2) represent the same line, we get

$$\frac{\bar{b}}{\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1} = \frac{b}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{c}{z_1\bar{z}_1 - z_2\bar{z}_2} = k \text{ (say)}$$

$$\Rightarrow k(\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1) = \bar{b}, k(z_2 - z_1) = b, k(z_1\bar{z}_1 - z_2\bar{z}_2) = c$$

$$\text{Now, } \bar{z}_1 b + z_2 \bar{b}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \bar{z}_1 \{k(z_2 - z_1)\} + z_2 \{k(\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1)\} \\ &= k \{ \bar{z}_1 z_2 - z_1 \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 z_2 - z_2 \bar{z}_1 \} \\ &= k(z_2 \bar{z}_2 - z_1 \bar{z}_1) = c. \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (C)

109. We have,  $z_1 + z_2 = -p$  and  $z_1 z_2 = q$

We know that

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{|z_1|}{|z_2|} (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha)$$

$$\text{Since } |z_1| = |z_2| \quad (\because OA = OB)$$

$$\text{we get } \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha}{1}$$

Applying Componendo and Dividendo, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z_1 + z_2}{z_1 - z_2} &= \frac{\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha + 1}{\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha - 1} \\ &= \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + 2i \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}{-2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + 2i \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \left[ \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + i \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \right]}{2i \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \left[ \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + i \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \right]} = -i \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

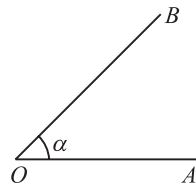
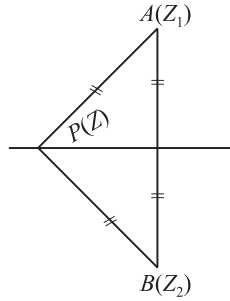
$$\Rightarrow \frac{p}{z_1 - z_2} = i \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

Squaring we obtain

$$\frac{p^2}{(z_1 + z_2)^2 - 4z_1 z_2} = -\cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{p^2 - 4q} = -\cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = -p^2 \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + 4q \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$



$$\Rightarrow p^2 \left( 1 + \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) = 4q \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = 4q \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = 4q \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\therefore k = 4q$$

The correct option is (C)

110. Since  $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = 1$ ,

$$\text{we get, } z_1 \bar{z}_1 = z_2 \bar{z}_2 = z_3 \bar{z}_3 = 1.$$

$$\text{Now, } 1 = \left| \frac{1}{z_1} + \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{1}{z_3} \right| = |\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3|$$

$$= |z_1 + z_2 + z_3| = |z_1 + z_2 + z_3|.$$

The correct option is (A)

111. Let  $z = r_1 (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha)$

$$\text{and, } \omega = r_2 (\cos \beta + i \sin \beta) \Rightarrow \operatorname{Arg} z = \alpha, \operatorname{Arg} \omega = \beta$$

$$|z| = r_1, |\omega| = r_2.$$

$$\text{Given: } |z| \leq 1, |\omega| \leq 1 \Rightarrow r_1 \leq 1, r_2 \leq 1$$

$$\text{Now, consider } |z - \omega|^2 = |(r_1 \cos \alpha - r_2 \cos \beta) + i(r_1 \sin \alpha - r_2 \sin \beta)|^2$$

$$= (r_1 \cos \alpha - r_2 \cos \beta)^2 + (r_1 \sin \alpha - r_2 \sin \beta)^2$$

$$= r_1^2 (\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha) + r_2^2 (\cos^2 \beta + \sin^2 \beta)$$

$$- 2r_1 r_2 (\cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta)$$

$$= r_1^2 + r_2^2 - 2r_1 r_2 \cos(\alpha - \beta)$$

$$= (r_1 - r_2)^2 + 2r_1 r_2 [1 - \cos(\alpha - \beta)]$$

$$= (r_1 - r_2)^2 + 4r_1 r_2 \sin^2 \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)$$

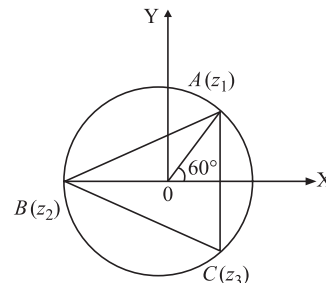
$$\leq (r_1 - r_2)^2 + 4 \times 1 \times 1 \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)^2$$

$$\text{or, } |z - \omega|^2 \leq (|z| - |\omega|)^2 + (\operatorname{Arg} z - \operatorname{Arg} \omega)^2.$$

The correct option is (B)

112.  $A(z_1), B(z_2), C(z_3)$  lie on  $|z| = 2$  whose centre is at  $O(0, 0)$  and radius 2.

$$z_1 = 1 + \sqrt{3}i \text{ hence } |z| = 2 \text{ and } \operatorname{Arg}(z_1) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$



$$\text{In turn } |z_2| = |z_3| = 2 \text{ and } \operatorname{Arg}(z_2) = \operatorname{Arg}(z_1) + 120^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore z_2 = -2$$

$$\text{Further, } \operatorname{Arg}(z_3) = \operatorname{Arg}(z_2) + 120^\circ = 300^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence, } z_3 &= 2 \left[ \cos \left( 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left( 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \right] \\ &= 2 \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{3} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right] = 2 \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \\ &= 1 - \sqrt{3} i \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $z_2 = -2$  and  $z_3 = 1 - i\sqrt{3}$

The correct option is (A)

113. We know that,  
 $(1+x)^{3n} = 1 + {}^{3n}C_1 x + {}^{3n}C_2 x^2 + \dots + {}^{3n}C_{3n} x^{3n}$  (1)

$(1-x)^{3n} = 1 - {}^{3n}C_1 x + {}^{3n}C_2 x^2 + \dots + (-1)^{3n} {}^{3n}C_{3n} x^{3n}$  (2)

Subtracting (2) from (1) gives

$$\begin{aligned} (1+x)^{3n} - (1-x)^{3n} &= 2 [{}^{3n}C_1 x + {}^{3n}C_3 x^3 + {}^{3n}C_5 x^5 + \dots] \\ &= 2x [{}^{3n}C_1 + {}^{3n}C_3 x^2 + {}^{3n}C_5 x^4 + \dots] \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $x = i\sqrt{3}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} (1+i\sqrt{3})^{3n} - (1-i\sqrt{3})^{3n} \\ = 2i\sqrt{3} [{}^{3n}C_1 - 3 \times {}^{3n}C_3 + 3^2 \times {}^{3n}C_5 \dots] \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  ${}^{3n}C_1 - 3 \times {}^{3n}C_3 + 3^2 \times {}^{3n}C_5 \dots$

$$= \frac{1}{2i\sqrt{3}} [(1+i\sqrt{3})^{3n} - (1-i\sqrt{3})^{3n}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2i\sqrt{3}} \times 2^{3n} \left[ \left( \frac{1+i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^{3n} - \left( \frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^{3n} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2^{3n-1}}{i\sqrt{3}} [(\cos n\pi + i \sin n\pi) - (\cos n\pi - i \sin n\pi)]$$

$$= \frac{2^{3n-1}}{i\sqrt{3}} 2i \sin n\pi = 0 \text{ as } n \text{ is an integer.}$$

The correct option is (A)

114. We know that the triangle with vertices  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  is an equilateral if

$$z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = z_1 z_2 + z_2 z_3 + z_3 z_1$$

$\therefore$  The triangle with vertices  $z_1 = a + i, z_2 = 1 + bi$  and  $z_3 = 0$  will be equilateral if

$$\begin{aligned} (a+i)^2 + (1+bi)^2 + 0 &= (a+i)(1+bi) + 0 + 0 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 - 1 + 2ai + 1 - b^2 + 2bi &= (a-b) + i(1+ab) \\ \Rightarrow a^2 - b^2 &= a - b \quad (1) \\ \text{and } 2(a+b) &= 1 + ab \quad (2) \end{aligned}$$

[Equating real and imaginary parts]

$$(1) \Rightarrow (a-b)[a+b-1] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b \text{ or } a = 1 - b.$$

Substituting the value of  $a - b$  in (2), we get

$$2(a+a) = 1 + a^2 \Rightarrow a^2 - 4a + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16-4}}{2} = 2 \pm \sqrt{3}$$

Since  $0 < a < 1$  and  $0 < b < 1$ ,

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

Substituting  $a + b = 1$  in (2), we get

$$2 = 1 + a(1-a) \Rightarrow a^2 - a + 1 = 0$$

which gives imaginary values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

Hence,  $a = b = 2 - \sqrt{3}$

The correct option is (B)

115. Let  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$  and  $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$   
 where,  $x_1 \neq x_2, y_1 \neq y_2$  and  $x_1^2 + y_1^2 = x_2^2 + y_2^2$

Now,  $\frac{z_1 + z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{(x_1 + x_2) + i(y_1 + y_2)}{(x_1 - x_2) + i(y_1 - y_2)}$

$$= \frac{[(x_1 + x_2) + i(y_1 + y_2)][(x_1 - x_2) - i(y_1 - y_2)]}{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{[(x_1^2 - x_2^2) + (y_1^2 - y_2^2)] + i[x_1 y_1 - y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1 - y_2 x_2 - x_1 y_1 + x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1 + x_2 y_2]}{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2i(x_1 y_2 - y_1 x_2)}{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2}$$

= a purely imaginary or 0 if  $\frac{x_1}{x_2} = \frac{y_1}{y_2}$ .

If  $\frac{x_1}{x_2} = \frac{y_1}{y_2}$  then  $x_1 + iy_1 = k(x_2 + iy_2)$

If  $k = 1, z_1 = z_2$ , which is not true and if  $k \neq 1, |z_1| \neq |z_2|$ .

$\therefore \frac{z_1 + z_2}{z_1 - z_2}$  is purely imaginary.

The correct option is (D)

116. Since  $|CA| = |CB|$  and  $\angle ACB = 90^\circ$

$$\therefore (z_2 - z_3) = \pm i(z_1 - z_3)$$

$$\Rightarrow (z_2 - z_3)^2 = -(z_1 - z_3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2^2 + z_3^2 - 2z_2 z_3 = -z_1^2 - z_3^2 - 2z_1 z_3$$

$$z_1^2 + z_2^2 - 2z_1 z_2 = 2(z_1 z_3 - z_1 z_2 - z_2 z_3 + z_3^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (z_1 - z_2)^2 = 2[z_1 - z_3][z_3 - z_2]$$

The correct option is (B)

117. Let  $A = z_1, B = z_2$  and  $C = z_3$ ,

where  $A, B, C$  are vertices of equilateral triangle.

Given that third point  $C$  is origin, so  $z_3 = 0$ .

Let  $z_2 - z_3 = \alpha, z_3 - z_1 = \beta, z_1 - z_2 = \gamma$

or,  $z_2 = \alpha, -z_1 = \beta, z_1 - z_2 = \gamma$

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta + \gamma = z_2 - z_1 + z_1 - z_2 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \bar{\alpha} + \bar{\beta} + \bar{\gamma} = 0$$

(1)

Since the triangle is equilateral triangle,

$$\therefore BC = CA = AB$$

or,  $|(z_2 - 0)| = |0 - z_1| = |z_1 - z_2|$

or,  $|\alpha| = |\beta| = |\gamma|$

or,  $|\alpha|^2 = |\beta|^2 = |\gamma|^2$

or,  $\alpha \bar{\alpha} = \beta \bar{\beta} = \gamma \bar{\gamma} = k$  (say)

$$\therefore \bar{\alpha} = \frac{k}{\alpha}, \bar{\beta} = \frac{k}{\beta}, \bar{\gamma} = \frac{k}{\gamma}$$

Substituting values of  $\bar{\alpha}$ ,  $\bar{\beta}$  and  $\bar{\gamma}$  in (1), we get

$$\frac{k}{\alpha} + \frac{k}{\beta} + \frac{k}{\gamma} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{1}{-z_1} + \frac{1}{z_1 - z_2} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{z_1(z_1 - z_2) - z_2(z_1 - z_2) + z_1 z_2}{z_1 z_2 (z_1 - z_2)} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } z_1^2 - z_1 z_2 - z_1 z_2 + z_2^2 + z_1 z_2 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } z_1^2 + z_2^2 = z_1 z_2$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{z_1^2}{z_1 z_2} + \frac{z_2^2}{z_1 z_2} = 1$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_1} = 1$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{A}{B} + \frac{B}{A} = 1.$$

The correct option is (A)

118. Given  $2\sqrt{2}x^4 = (\sqrt{3} - 1) + i(\sqrt{3} + 1)$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right) + i\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow |x^4|^2 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\therefore |x^4| = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and, } \arg(x^4) &= \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)} \right] \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1} \right) = 75^\circ = \frac{5\pi}{12} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore x^4 = 1 \left[ \cos \left( 2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{12} \right) + i \sin \left( 2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{12} \right) \right]$$

Using  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$ , we have

$$x = \cos \frac{1}{4} \left( 2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{12} \right) + i \sin \frac{1}{4} \left( 2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{12} \right);$$

$$n = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

The correct option is (B)

119.  $\sum_{q=1}^{10} \left( \sin \frac{2q\pi}{11} - i \cos \frac{2q\pi}{11} \right)$

$$= \left\{ \sin \frac{2\pi}{11} + \sin \frac{4\pi}{11} + \dots + 10 \text{ terms} \right\}$$

$$i \left\{ \cos \frac{2\pi}{11} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{11} + \dots + 10 \text{ terms} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\sin \left( \frac{2\pi}{11} + \frac{9\pi}{11} \right) \sin \frac{10\pi}{11}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{11}} - i \frac{\cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{11} + \frac{9\pi}{11} \right) \sin \frac{10\pi}{11}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{11}} \\ &= 0 - i(-1) = i \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore S &= \sum_{p=1}^{32} (3p+2) \left[ \sum_{q=1}^{10} \left( \sin \frac{2q\pi}{11} - i \cos \frac{2q\pi}{11} \right) \right]^p \\ &= \sum_{p=1}^{32} (3p+2) i^p = 3 \sum_{p=1}^{32} p i^p + 2 \sum_{p=1}^{32} i^p \\ &= 3A + 2B \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Now, } A = i + 2i^2 + 3i^3 + \dots + 32i^{32}$$

$$\Rightarrow Ai = i^2 + 2i^3 + \dots + 31i^{32} + 32i^{33}$$

$$\Rightarrow A(1-i) = i + i^2 + \dots + i^{32} - 32i^{33}$$

$$= \frac{i^{32}-1}{i-1} - 32i = -32i \quad [\because i^{32} = 1]$$

$$\therefore A = \frac{-32i}{1-i} = \frac{32i(1+i)}{2} = 16(1-i) \quad (3)$$

$$\text{and, } B = i + i^2 + \dots + i^{32} = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\text{Hence, } S = 3 \times 16(1-i) = 48(1-i).$$

The correct option is (C)

120. Since the triangle is equilateral

$$\therefore |z_1 - 0| = |z_2 - z_1| = |0 - z_2|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 = |z_2 - z_1|^2 = |z_2|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 \bar{z}_1 = (z_2 - z_1) \times (\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1) = z_2 \bar{z}_2$$

$$\text{Now, } z_1 \bar{z}_1 = z_2 \bar{z}_2 \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{\bar{z}_2}{\bar{z}_1} = \frac{z_1 - z_2}{\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1}.$$

$$\text{Also, } z_2 \bar{z}_2 = (z_2 - z_1) (\bar{z}_2 - \bar{z}_1) = (z_2 - z_1) \frac{(z_1 - z_2) \bar{z}_2}{z_1}$$

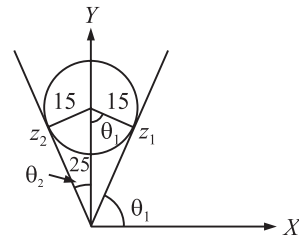
$$\therefore z_1 z_2 = (z_2 - z_1) (z_1 - z_2) = z_2 z_1 - z_1^2 - z_2^2 + z_1 z_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 = z_1 z_2.$$

The correct option is (B)

121. We have, max. amp  $(z) = \text{amp}(z_2)$ ,

min. amp  $(z) = \text{amp}(z_1)$ .



$$\text{Now, amp}(z_1) = \theta_1 = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{15}{25} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)$$

$$\text{and, amp}(z_2) = \frac{\pi}{2} + \theta_2$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{15}{25} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |\max. \operatorname{amp}(z) - \min. \operatorname{amp}(z)| &= \left| \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} - \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5} - \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5} \right| \\ &= \pi - 2 \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (C)

122. Putting  $z = x + iy$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} (x + iy)^2 + (p + iq)(x + iy) + r + is &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x^2 - y^2 + px - qy + r) + i(2xy + py + qx + s) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 + px - qy + r &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{and, } 2xy + py + qx + s = 0 \quad (2)$$

If the roots are real, then  $y = 0$

$$\therefore (1) \text{ gives } x^2 + px + r = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\text{and } (2) \text{ gives } pqx + s = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\text{From } (4), x = -\frac{s}{q}$$

$$\text{Putting in } (3), \text{ we get } \frac{s^2}{q^2} - \frac{ps}{q} + r = 0$$

$$\text{or, } r^2 - pqs + rq^2 = 0 \Rightarrow pqs = s^2 + rq^2.$$

The correct option is (A)

123. We know that  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 + |z_1 - z_2|^2 = 2[|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2]$  (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \left[ \left| z_1 + \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right| + \left| z_1 - \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right| \right]^2 \\ = \left| z_1 + \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right|^2 + \left| z_1 - \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right|^2 + 2|z_1^2 - (z_1^2 - z_2^2)| \\ = 2|z_1|^2 + 2|z_1^2 - z_2^2| + 2|z_2^2| \end{aligned} \quad [\text{By (1)}]$$

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

Taking square root of both sides, we get

$$\left| z_1 + \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right| + \left| z_1 - \sqrt{z_1^2 - z_2^2} \right| = |z_1 + z_2| + |z_1 - z_2|.$$

The correct option is (D)

124. Since  $z = x + iy$  lies in the third quadrant

$$\therefore x < 0, y < 0. \text{ Again } \bar{z} = x - iy$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{\bar{z}}{z} &= \frac{x - iy}{x + iy} = \frac{(x - iy)(x - iy)}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{x^2 - y^2 - 2ixy}{x^2 + y^2} \\ &= \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} - \frac{2xy}{x^2 + y^2} i = A + iB \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where, } A = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \text{ and } B = -\frac{2xy}{x^2 + y^2}$$

Since  $x < 0, y < 0$

$$\therefore \frac{-2xy}{x^2 + y^2} < 0$$

$$\therefore B < 0$$

Now,  $\frac{\bar{z}}{z}$  lies in the IIIrd quadrant if  $A < 0$

i.e., if  $x^2 - y^2 < 0$  or  $x^2 < y^2$  i.e., if  $x < y < 0$ .

The correct option is (C)

125. Let  $BA = BC$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow |z_1 - z_2|^2 &= |z_3 - z_2|^2 \\ \Rightarrow (z_1 - z_2)(\bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2) &= (z_3 - z_2)(\bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_2) \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

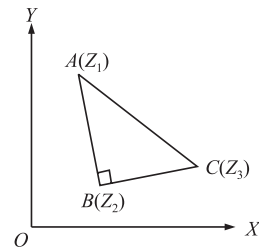
Again,

$$\therefore \angle ABC = 90^\circ$$

$$\therefore \arg \frac{BA}{BC} = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \arg \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_3 - z_2} = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \text{real part of } \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_3 - z_2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_3 - z_2} + \frac{\bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2}{\bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_2} \right] = 0$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_3 - z_2} = -\frac{\bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2}{\bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_2} \Rightarrow \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{z_2 - z_3}{\bar{z}_3 - \bar{z}_2} \quad (2)$$

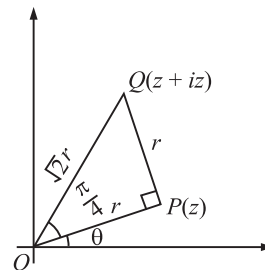
$$(1) \times (2) \Rightarrow (z_1 - z_2)^2 = -(z_2 - z_3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$$

The correct option is (B)

126. Let  $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} z + iz &= r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) + ir(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\ &= r[(\cos \theta - \sin \theta) + i(\sin \theta + \cos \theta)] \\ &= \sqrt{2} r \left[ \cos \left( \theta + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left( \theta + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$



In  $\triangle OPQ$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} PQ^2 &= r^2 + (\sqrt{2}r)^2 - 2r(\sqrt{2}r) \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= r^2 + 2r^2 - 2r^2 = r^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore PQ = r,$$

$$\therefore \angle OPQ = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

The correct option is (C)

127. Given  $|z + 1| < |z - 2|$

$$\text{and, } \omega = 3z + 2 + i$$

$$\therefore \bar{\omega} = 3\bar{z} + 2 - i$$

$$\therefore \omega + \bar{\omega} = 3(z + \bar{z}) + 4$$

$$\text{Now, } |z + 1|^2 < |z - 2|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (z + 1)(\bar{z} + 1) < (z - 2)(\bar{z} - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (z + 1)(\bar{z} + 1) < (z - 2)(\bar{z} - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow z\bar{z} + z + \bar{z} + 1 < z\bar{z} - 2z - 2\bar{z} + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 3z + 3\bar{z} < 3 \Rightarrow z + \bar{z} < 1$$

From (i) and (ii), we get

$$\omega + \bar{\omega} < 3 \times 1 + 4 = 7 \Rightarrow \omega + \bar{\omega} < 7$$

Clearly,  $|\omega + 1| < |\omega - 8|$  gives

$$|\omega + 1|^2 < |\omega - 8|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (\omega + 1)(\bar{\omega} + 1) < (\omega - 8)(\bar{\omega} - 8)$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega\bar{\omega} + \omega + \bar{\omega} + 1 < \omega\bar{\omega} - 8\bar{\omega} - 8\omega + 64$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(\omega + \bar{\omega}) < 63 \Rightarrow \omega + \bar{\omega} < 7$$

The correct option is (A)

128. We have,  $x^2 + x + 1 = (x - \omega)(x - \omega^2)$

Since  $f(x)$  is divisible by  $x^2 + x + 1$ ,  $f(\omega) = 0$ ,  $f(\omega^2) = 0$

$$\therefore P(\omega^3) + \omega Q(\omega^3) = 0 \text{ or } P(1) + \omega Q(1) = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\text{and, } P(\omega^6) + \omega^2 Q(\omega^6) = 0 \text{ or } P(1) + \omega^2 Q(1) = 0 \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2) we obtain

$$P(1) = 0 \text{ and } Q(1) = 0.$$

$\therefore$  Both  $P(x)$  and  $Q(x)$  are divisible by  $x - 1$

Since  $f(x) = P(x) + xQ(x)$ , we get  $f(x)$  is divisible by  $x - 1$ .

The correct option is (D)

129. We have,  $\alpha = \cos\left(\frac{8\pi}{11}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{8\pi}{11}\right) = e^{\frac{8\pi i}{11}}$

$$\text{Re}(\alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4 + \alpha^5)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4 + \alpha^5 + \bar{\alpha} + \bar{\alpha}^2 + \bar{\alpha}^3 + \bar{\alpha}^4 + \bar{\alpha}^5}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 + (1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4 + \alpha^5 + \bar{\alpha} + \bar{\alpha}^2 + \bar{\alpha}^3 + \bar{\alpha}^4 + \bar{\alpha}^5)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 + 0}{2} \quad (\text{sum of 11, 11th roots of unity})$$

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

The correct option is (B)

130. We have,  $z_k = 1 + a + a^2 + \dots + a^k = \frac{1 - a^{k+1}}{1 - a}$

$$\Rightarrow z_k - \frac{1}{1 - a} = \frac{-a^{k+1}}{1 - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| z_k - \frac{1}{1 - a} \right| = \frac{|a|^{k+1}}{|1 - a|} < \frac{1}{|1 - a|} \quad (\because |a| < 1)$$

$\therefore$  Vertices of the polygon  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  lie within the circle

$$\left| z - \frac{1}{1 - a} \right| = \frac{1}{|1 - a|}$$

The correct option is (C)

131. We have,  $e^{iA}, e^{iB}, e^{iC}$  are in A. P.

$$\Rightarrow 2e^{iB} = e^{iA} + e^{iC}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(\cos B + i \sin B)$$

$$= (\cos A + \cos C) + i(\sin A + \sin C)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos B = \cos A + \cos C$$

$$\text{and, } 2 \sin B = \sin A + \sin C$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos B = 2 \cos \frac{A+C}{2} \cos \frac{A-C}{2} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{and, } 2 \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{A+C}{2} \cos \frac{A-C}{2} \quad (2)$$

Dividing (1) by (2), we get

$$\cot B = \cot \left( \frac{A+C}{2} \right) = \tan \frac{B}{2} \Rightarrow \cos \frac{3B}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3B}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad B = \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow A + C = \frac{2\pi}{3}.$$

Putting this value in (1), we get

$$2 \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \left( \frac{A-C}{2} \right) \Rightarrow \cos \left( \frac{A-C}{2} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{A-C}{2} \right) = 0 \text{ or } A = C \Rightarrow A = B = C = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

The correct option is (C)

132. Let  $\cot^{-1} p = \theta$ , then  $p = \cot \theta$

$$\therefore e^{2mi \cot^{-1} p} = e^{2mi\theta} = e^{2mi\theta} \cdot \left( \frac{i \cot \theta + 1}{i \cot \theta - 1} \right)^m$$

$$= e^{2mi\theta} \cdot \left( \frac{i(\cot \theta - i)}{i(\cot \theta + i)} \right)^m = e^{2mi\theta} \cdot \left( \frac{\cot \theta - i}{\cot \theta + i} \right)^m$$

$$= e^{2mi\theta} \cdot \left( \frac{\cos \theta - i \sin \theta}{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta} \right)^m = e^{2mi\theta} \cdot \left( \frac{e^{-i\theta}}{e^{i\theta}} \right)^m$$

$$= e^{2mi\theta} \theta (e^{-2i\theta})^m = e^{2mi\theta} \theta \times e^{-2mi\theta} = e^0 = 1$$

The correct option is (B)

133. Since  $z_1$  and  $\bar{z}_1$  are the adjacent vertices of a regular

polygon of  $n$  sides, we have,  $\angle z_1 0 \bar{z}_1 = \frac{2\pi}{n}$

$$\text{and, } |z_1| = |\bar{z}_1|$$

$$\text{Thus, } z_1 = \bar{z}_1 e^{2\pi i/n}$$

$$\text{Let } z_1 = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = re^{i\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{z}_1 = re^{-i\theta}$$

$$\text{Since } z_1 = \bar{z}_1 e^{2\pi i/n}$$

$$\Rightarrow re^{i\theta} = re^{-i\theta} e^{2\pi i/n} = re^{2\pi i/n - i\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2\pi}{n} - \theta \text{ or } \theta = \frac{\pi}{n}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } z_1 = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = r \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{n} \right]$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\text{Im}(z_1)}{\text{Re}(z_1)} = \sqrt{2} - 1 \Rightarrow \frac{r \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{n} \right)}{r \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{n} \right)} = \sqrt{2} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \frac{\pi}{n} = \sqrt{2} - 1 = \tan \frac{\pi}{8} \Rightarrow n = 8$$

The correct option is (B)

134. We have,

$$\frac{2}{z_1} = \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{1}{z_3} = \frac{z_3 + z_2}{z_2 z_3}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 = \frac{2z_2 z_3}{z_2 + z_3}$$

Now,  $\left(\frac{z_2 - z_4}{z_1 - z_4}\right) \left(\frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3}\right)$

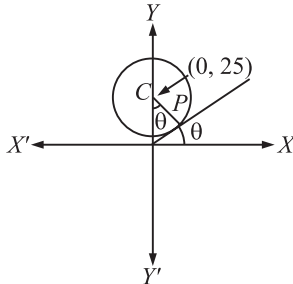
$$= \left(\frac{z_2 - z_4}{\frac{2z_2 z_3}{z_2 + z_3} - z_4}\right) \left(\frac{\frac{2z_2 z_3}{z_2 + z_3} - z_3}{z_2 - z_3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{z_2}{2z_2 z_3} \cdot \frac{z_3(z_2 - z_3)}{(z_2 + z_3)(z_2 - z_3)} \quad [\text{taking } z_4 = 0]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \text{ (a real number).}$$

Hence, points  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  and origin are concyclic and therefore,  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  lie on a circle passing through the origin. The correct option is (B)

135. Since  $|z - 25i| \leq 15$ , therefore, distance between  $z$  and  $25i$  is less than or equal to 15.



Thus, point  $z$  will lie in the interior and boundary of the circle whose centre is  $(0, 25)$  and radius is 15.

Let  $OP$  be tangent to the circle at point  $P$ .

Let  $\angle POX = \theta$ . Then,  $\angle OCP = \theta$

Now,  $OC = 25, CP = 15$

$$\therefore OP = 20.$$

$$\text{Now, } \tan \theta = \frac{OP}{CP} = \frac{20}{15} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{Least positive value of } \arg z = \theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)$$

The correct option is (B)

136. Let  $z = x + iy$

Given,  $|z - 4 + 3i| \leq 2$ .

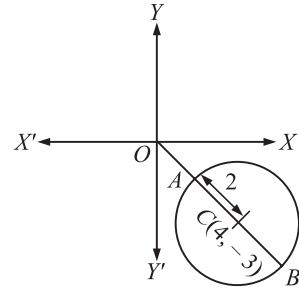
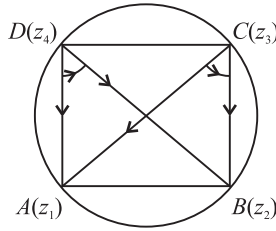
$$\therefore |x + iy - 4 + 3i| \leq 2$$

$$\text{or, } \sqrt{(x-4)^2 + (y+3)^2} \leq 2$$

$$\text{or, } (x-4)^2 + (y+3)^2 \leq 2^2$$

Thus,  $z$  lies in the interior or on the boundary of the circle whose centre is  $(4, -3)$  and radius is 2.

Least value of  $|z| = OA = OC - AC = 5 - 2 = 3$ .



Greatest value of  $|z| = OB = OC + CB = 5 + 2 = 7$ .

Thus,  $3 \leq |z| \leq 7$ .

The correct option is (A)

137. Since  $\text{Re}(z_1 \bar{z}_2) \leq |z_1 \bar{z}_2|$

$$\therefore |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2 \text{Re}(z_1 \bar{z}_2) \leq |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1 \bar{z}_2|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1 + z_2|^2 \leq |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1||z_2| \quad (1)$$

Also, Since A.M.  $\geq$  G.M.

$$\therefore \frac{(\sqrt{c}|z_1|)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}|z_2|\right)^2}{2} \geq \left\{c \cdot |z_1|^2 \cdot \frac{1}{c}|z_2|^2\right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

( $\because c > 0$ )

$$\Rightarrow c|z_1|^2 + \frac{1}{c}|z_2|^2 \geq 2|z_1||z_2|$$

$$\therefore |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1||z_2| \leq |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + c|z_1|^2 + \frac{1}{c}|z_2|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1||z_2| \leq (1+c)|z_1|^2 + (1+c^{-1})|z_2|^2 \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2), we get

$$|z_1 + z_2|^2 \leq (1+c)|z_1|^2 + (1+c^{-1})|z_2|^2$$

$$\therefore k = 1 + c^{-1}$$

The correct option is (C)

138. We have,  $1 \geq |z - (4 - 3i)|$

$$\geq \frac{|z| - |4 - 3i|}{|4 - 3i| - |z|} \Rightarrow 1 \geq \frac{|z| - 5}{5 - |z|}$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| \leq 6 \text{ and } |z| \geq 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \leq |z| \leq 6 \Rightarrow m = 4, n = 6$$

$$\text{Let } y = \frac{x^4 + x^2 + 4}{x} = x^3 + x + \frac{4}{x}$$

$$= x^3 + x + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}$$

Since  $x \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $\therefore x^3, x, \frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{x}$  are all positive numbers whose product is 1.

$\therefore$  their sum  $y$  will be least when

$$x^3 = x = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{least value of } y = 6$$

$$\therefore k = 6$$

Hence,  $k = n$

The correct option is (B)

139. We have,  $z^n = (z+1)^n$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{z+1}{z}\right)^n = 1 = \cos 0 + i \sin 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z+1}{z} = (\cos 2\pi r + i \sin 2\pi r)^{1/n}$$

$$= \cos \frac{2\pi r}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi r}{n}$$

where,  $r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1$ .

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{1}{z} = \cos \frac{2\pi r}{n} + i \sin \frac{2\pi r}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{1}{z} = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{r\pi}{n} + i \times 2 \sin \frac{r\pi}{n} \times \cos \frac{r\pi}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z} = -2 \sin^2 \frac{r\pi}{n} + 2i \times \sin \frac{r\pi}{n} \cos \frac{r\pi}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{i \left(2 \sin \frac{r\pi}{n}\right) \left[\cos \frac{r\pi}{n} + i \sin \frac{r\pi}{n}\right]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{i \left(2 \sin \frac{r\pi}{n}\right) \left[\cos \frac{r\pi}{n} - i \sin \frac{r\pi}{n}\right]}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + iy = -\frac{i}{2} \cot \frac{r\pi}{n} - \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, all the points lie on the line  $x = -\frac{1}{2}$

The correct option is (B)

140. We have,  $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (z-1)(z^2 + z + 1) = 0,$$

$$\therefore z^3 = 1.$$

If  $n$  is not a multiple of 3, then we can write

$n = 3m + r$ , where  $m \in \mathbb{I}$  and  $r = 1$  or  $2$ ,

$$\text{then } 2n = 6m + 2r$$

If  $r = 1$ , then  $2r = 2$

$$\therefore z^n + z^{2n} = (z^3)^m \times z^r + (z^3)^{2m} \times z^{2r} = z^r + z^{2r}$$

$$= z + z^2 = -1 \quad [\text{Using (1)}]$$

If  $r = 2$ , then  $2r = 4$

$$\therefore 2n = 3(m+1) + 1$$

$$\therefore z^n + z^{2n} = (z^3)^m \times z^r + (z^3)^{m+1} \times z^1 = z^2 + z = -1$$

Hence,  $z^n + z^{2n} = -1$

The correct option is (D)

141. Since 1,  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \alpha_4$  are the roots of the equation  $x^5 - 1 = 0$ .

$$\therefore (x^5 - 1) = (x-1)(x-\alpha_1)(x-\alpha_2)(x-\alpha_3)(x-\alpha_4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^5 - 1}{x-1} = (x-\alpha_1)(x-\alpha_2)(x-\alpha_3)(x-\alpha_4) \quad (1)$$

Putting  $x = \omega$  in (1), we get

$$\frac{\omega^5 - 1}{\omega - 1} = (\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2)(\omega - \alpha_3)(\omega - \alpha_4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega^2 - 1}{\omega - 1} = (\omega - \alpha_1)(\omega - \alpha_2)(\omega - \alpha_3)(\omega - \alpha_4) \quad (2)$$

and putting  $x = \omega^2$  in (1), we get

$$\frac{\omega^{10} - 1}{\omega^2 - 1} = (\omega^2 - \alpha_1)(\omega^2 - \alpha_2)(\omega^2 - \alpha_3)(\omega^2 - \alpha_4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega - 1}{\omega^2 - 1} = (\omega^2 - \alpha_1)(\omega^2 - \alpha_2)(\omega^2 - \alpha_3)(\omega^2 - \alpha_4) \quad (3)$$

Dividing (2) by (3), we get

$$\frac{\omega - \alpha_1}{\omega^2 - \alpha_1} \cdot \frac{\omega - \alpha_2}{\omega^2 - \alpha_2} \cdot \frac{\omega - \alpha_3}{\omega^2 - \alpha_3} \cdot \frac{\omega - \alpha_4}{\omega^2 - \alpha_4} = \frac{(\omega^2 - 1)^2}{(\omega - 1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\omega^4 + 1 - 2\omega^2}{\omega^2 + 1 - 2\omega} = \frac{\omega + 1 - 2\omega^2}{\omega^2 + 1 - 2\omega}$$

$$= \frac{-\omega^2 - 2\omega^2}{-\omega - 2\omega} = \frac{-3\omega^2}{-3\omega} = \omega$$

The correct option is (B)

142. Let  $z = x + iy$

We have,  $z + \bar{z} = 2|z-1|$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z + \bar{z}}{2} = |z-1|$$

$$\Rightarrow x = |x + iy - 1| \Rightarrow x = |(x-1) + iy|$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = (x-1)^2 + y^2 \Rightarrow 2x = 1 + y^2.$$

If  $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$  and  $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$

$$\text{then, } 2x_1 = 1 + y_1^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\text{and, } 2x_2 = 1 + y_2^2 \quad (2)$$

Subtracting (2) from (1), we get

$$2(x_1 - x_2) = y_1^2 - y_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x_1 - x_2) = (y_1 + y_2)(y_1 - y_2) \quad (3)$$

But given  $\arg(z_1 - z_2) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\text{i.e., } \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2} \right) = \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2} = 1$$

$$\therefore y_1 - y_2 = x_1 - x_2, \quad (4)$$

$\therefore$  From (3) and (4) we get

$$y_1 + y_2 = 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Im}(z_1 + z_2) = 2.$$

The correct option is (C)

143. We have,

$$a_1 z^3 + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z + a_4 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow |3| = |a_1 z^3 + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z + a_4|$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \leq |a_1 z^3| + |a_2 z^2| + |a_3 z| + |a_4|$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \leq |a_1| |z|^3 + |a_2| |z|^2 + |a_3| |z| + |a_4|$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \leq |z|^3 + |z|^2 + |z| + 1 \quad (\because |a_i| \leq 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \leq 1 + |z| + |z|^2 + |z|^3 < 1 + |z| + |z|^2 + |z|^3 + \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 < 1 + |z| + |z|^2 + |z|^3 + \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 < \frac{1}{1-|z|} \Rightarrow 1 - |z| < \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3} - |z| < 0 \Rightarrow |z| > \frac{2}{3}$$

The correct option is (C)

144. Since,  $\frac{1}{a+\omega} + \frac{1}{b+\omega} + \frac{1}{c+\omega} + \frac{1}{d+\omega} = \frac{2}{\omega}$

$\therefore \omega$  is the root of the equation

$$\frac{1}{a+x} + \frac{1}{b+x} + \frac{1}{c+x} + \frac{1}{d+x} = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^4 + (\Sigma a)x^3 + 0 \times x^2 - (\Sigma abc)x - 2abcd = 0$$

Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be the other roots, then

$$\omega + \alpha + \beta + \gamma = -\frac{\Sigma a}{2} \quad (1)$$

$$\Sigma \alpha\beta = 0$$

$$\alpha\beta + \alpha\omega + \beta\omega + \gamma\omega + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\Sigma \alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{\Sigma abc}{2} \quad (3)$$

$$\alpha\beta\gamma\omega = -abcd \quad (4)$$

Since complex roots occurs in conjugate pairs

$$\therefore \gamma = \bar{\omega} = \omega^2.$$

$\therefore$  From (2),

$$\alpha\beta + \omega(\alpha + \beta) + \omega \times \omega^2 + \omega^2(\alpha + \beta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\beta + (\omega + \omega^2)(\alpha + \beta) + \omega^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\beta + (-1)(\alpha + \beta) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\beta - \alpha - \beta + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha(\beta - 1) - (\beta - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow (\alpha - 1)(\beta - 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{either } \alpha = 1 \text{ or } \beta = 1$$

Hence one root is unity

$$\therefore \frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{b+1} + \frac{1}{c+1} + \frac{1}{d+1} = 2$$

The correct option is (B)

145. We have,  $|A|^2 + |B|^2 + |C|^2 = A\bar{A} + B\bar{B} + C\bar{C}$  (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But } A\bar{A} &= (z_1 + z_2 + z_3)(\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3) \\ &= z_1\bar{z}_1 + z_2\bar{z}_2 + z_3\bar{z}_3 + \bar{z}_1(z_2 + z_3) \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_2(z_3 + z_1) + \bar{z}_3(z_1 + z_2) \\ &= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2 + \bar{z}_1(z_2 + z_3) \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_2(z_3 + z_1) + \bar{z}_3(z_1 + z_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} B\bar{B} &= (z_1 + z_2\omega + z_3\omega^2)(\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2\bar{\omega} + \bar{z}_3\bar{\omega}^2) \\ &= (z_1 + z_2\omega + z_3\omega^2)(\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2\omega^2 + \bar{z}_3\omega) \\ &\quad [\because \bar{\omega} = \omega^2 \text{ and } \overline{(\omega^2)} = \omega] \\ &= z_1\bar{z}_1 + z_2\bar{z}_2\omega^3 + z_3\bar{z}_3\omega^3 + \bar{z}_1(z_2\omega + z_3\omega^2) \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_2(z_3\omega^4 + z_1\omega^2) + \bar{z}_3(z_1\omega + z_2\omega^2) \\ &= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2 + \bar{z}_1(z_2\omega + z_3\omega^2) \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_2(z_3\omega + z_1\omega^2) + \bar{z}_3(z_1\omega + z_2\omega^2) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Similarly, } C\bar{C} &= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2 + \bar{z}_1(z_2\omega^2 + z_3\omega) \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_2(z_3\omega^2 + z_1\omega) + \bar{z}_3(z_1\omega^2 + z_2\omega) \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Adding (1), (2) and (3), we get

$$\begin{aligned} A\bar{A} + B\bar{B} + C\bar{C} &= 3[|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2] \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_1[z_2(1 + \omega + \omega^2) + z_3(1 + \omega^2 + \omega)] \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_2[z_3(1 + \omega + \omega^2) + z_1(1 + \omega + \omega^2)] \\ &\quad + \bar{z}_3[z_1(1 + \omega + \omega^2) + z_2(1 + \omega^2 + \omega)] \\ &= 3[|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2] \quad [\because 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0] \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  From (1) and (2), we conclude

$$|A|^2 + |B|^2 + |C|^2 = 3[|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2].$$

The correct option is (A)

146.  $z + \frac{1}{z} = 2(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = 2e^{i\theta}$   
 $\therefore z^2 - 2e^{i\theta}z + 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow z = e^{i\theta} \pm \sqrt{e^{2i\theta} - 1}$   
 $e^{2i\theta} - 1 = \cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta - 1$   
 $= 2 \sin \theta (-\sin \theta + i \cos \theta)$   
 $= 2 \sin \theta \left[ \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \theta \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \theta \right) \right]$

$\therefore$  Let  $\alpha = e^{i\theta} + \sqrt{e^{2i\theta} - 1}$   
 $= \cos \theta + \sqrt{\sin^2 \theta} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$   
 $+ i \left[ \sin \theta + \sqrt{2 \sin \theta} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \right]$   
 $\therefore |\alpha - i|^2 = \left\{ \cos \theta + \sqrt{2 \sin \theta} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \right\}^2$

$$\begin{aligned} &+ \left\{ \sin \theta + \sqrt{2 \sin \theta} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} \right) - 1 \right\}^2 \\ &= 2 + 2\sqrt{2 \sin \theta} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} - \theta \right) \\ &\quad - 2\sqrt{2 \sin \theta} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $|\beta - i|^2 = 2$

$$\therefore |\alpha - i| = |\beta - i|$$

The correct option is (D)

147. If  $z = x + iy$  is a complex number satisfying the given conditions, then

$$\begin{aligned} a^2 - 3a + 2 &= |z + \sqrt{2}| \\ &= |z + i\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2} - i\sqrt{2}| \\ &\leq |z + i\sqrt{2}| + \sqrt{2}|1 - i| \\ &< a^2 + 2 \\ \Rightarrow -3a < 0 &\Rightarrow a > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $|z + \sqrt{2}| = a^2 - 3a + 2$  represents a circle with centre at  $A(-\sqrt{2}, 0)$  and radius  $\sqrt{a^2 - 3a + 2}$  and  $|z + \sqrt{2}i| < a^2$  represents the interior of the circle with centre at  $B(0, \sqrt{2})$  and radius  $a$ . Therefore, there will be a complex number satisfying the given condition and the given inequality if the distance  $AB$  is less than the sum or difference of the radii of the two circles, i.e., if

$$\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{(-\sqrt{2}-0)^2 + (0+\sqrt{2})^2} < \sqrt{a^2-3a+2} \pm a \\ \Rightarrow & 2 \pm a < \sqrt{a^2-3a+2} \\ \Rightarrow & 4 + a^2 \pm 4a < a^2 - 3a + 2 \\ \Rightarrow & -a < -2 \quad \text{or} \quad 7a < -2 \\ \Rightarrow & a > 2 \quad \text{or} \quad a < \frac{-2}{7} \end{aligned}$$

But,  $a > 0$ ,

$$\therefore a > 2$$

The correct option is (A)

148. Let  $S_n = 1 + 2\alpha + 3\alpha^2 + \dots + n\alpha^{n-1}$   
 $\therefore \alpha S_n = \alpha + 2\alpha^2 + \dots + (n-1)\alpha^{n-1} + n\alpha^n$

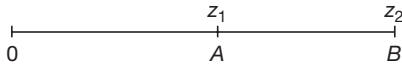
Subtracting, we get,

$$\begin{aligned} S_n(1-\alpha) &= 1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \dots + \alpha^{n-1} - n\alpha^n \\ &= \frac{1(1-\alpha^n)}{1-\alpha} - n\alpha^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore S_n = \frac{1-\alpha^n}{(1-\alpha)^2} - \frac{n\alpha^n}{1-\alpha} = \frac{-n}{1-\alpha}$$

The correct option is (B)

149. Let  $A$  represent  $z_1$



Since  $OA \cdot OB = 1$ ,  $\therefore |z_1 - 0| \times |z - 0| = 1$

$$\Rightarrow |z_1| = \frac{1}{|z|}$$

$$\text{Also, } \arg\left(\frac{z_1-0}{z-0}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow \arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \arg z_1 = \arg z$$

If  $\theta$  is the argument of  $z$ , then

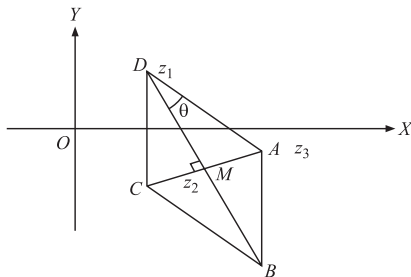
$$z = |z| e^{i\theta}$$

$$\therefore z_1 = \frac{1}{|z|} e^{i\theta} = \frac{1}{|z|^2} |z| e^{i\theta} = \frac{z}{z\bar{z}} = \frac{1}{\bar{z}}$$

$$\therefore A \text{ is } \frac{1}{\bar{z}}$$

The correct option is (A)

150. Let  $ABCD$  be the rhombus and  $M$  be the point of intersection of the diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$



Let point  $D$  be  $z_1 = 1 + i$  and point  $M$  be  $z_2 = 2 - i$

Also, let point  $A$  be  $z_3$

$$\text{Then, } z_2 - z_1 = 1 - 2i \text{ and } |z_2 - z_1| = \sqrt{5} = MD$$

As given,

$$AC = \frac{1}{2} BD \Rightarrow AM = \frac{1}{2} DM \Rightarrow AM = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow AD = |z_3 - z_1| = \sqrt{DM^2 + AM^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(\sqrt{5})^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{5}{2}$$

Therefore, in  $\Delta AMD$ ,

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5/2} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}/2}{5/2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Now, by rotation of complex numbers we know that  $\frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1}$

$$= \frac{|z_3 - z_1|}{|z_2 - z_1|} e^{i\theta} \text{ (anticlockwise rotation)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - (1+i)}{1-2i} = \frac{5/2}{\sqrt{5}} (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - (1+i)}{1-2i} = 1 + \frac{i}{2} \text{ (using values of } \cos \theta \text{ and } \sin \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = \frac{2+i}{2} (1-2i) + (1+i) \Rightarrow z_3 = 3 - \frac{i}{2}$$

Similarly, taking clockwise rotation we get another possible position of  $A$  as

$$\frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{|z_3 - z_1|}{|z_2 - z_1|} e^{-i\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = \left(\frac{1-i}{2}\right) (1-2i) + (1+i) \Rightarrow z_3 = 1 - \frac{3}{2}i$$

So,  $A$  represents the complex numbers  $3 - \frac{i}{2}$  or  $1 - \frac{3}{2}i$

The correct option is (A)

151. Let  $z = x + iy = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$ , then the equation is

$$|(x-2) + i(y-1)| = r \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (r \cos \theta - r \sin \theta)$$

$$\text{or, } \sqrt{(x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (x-y)$$

which is the part of a parabola with focus  $(2, 1)$  and directrix  $x - y = 0$ .

The correct option is (C)

152.  $|z_1 + z_2|^2 + |z_2 + z_3|^2 + |z_3 + z_1|^2$   
 $= 2(|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + |z_3|^2) + (z_1\bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_1z_2$   
 $+ z_2\bar{z}_3 + \bar{z}_2z_3 + z_3\bar{z}_1 + z_1\bar{z}_3)$   
 $= 24 + (z_1\bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_1z_2 + z_2\bar{z}_3 + \bar{z}_2z_3 + z_3\bar{z}_1 + z_1\bar{z}_3)$  (1)

Also,

$$|z_1 + z_2 + z_3|^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1\bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_1z_2 + z_2\bar{z}_3 + \bar{z}_2z_3 + z_3\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_3z_1 \geq -12$$

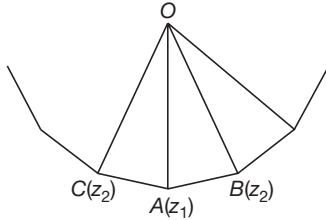
$$\therefore |z_1 + z_2|^2 + |z_2 + z_3|^2 + |z_3 + z_1|^2 \geq 12$$

The correct option is (B)

**More than One Option Correct Type**

153. Let  $A$  be the vertex with affix  $z_1$ . There are two possibilities and can be obtained by rotating  $z_1$  through either  $\frac{2\pi}{n}$  in clockwise or in anticlockwise direction.

$$z_2 = z_1 e^{\pm \frac{2\pi}{n}} \quad \{ \because |z_2| = |z_1| \}$$



The correct option is (A) and (C)

154. We have,  $i = 0 + i \times 1 = \frac{1}{2} (0 + 2i)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} (1 + i^2 + 2 \times 1 \times i) = \frac{1}{2} (1 + i)^2$   
 $\therefore \sqrt{i} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + i)$   
 $\therefore \sqrt{-i} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 - i)$

Hence,  $\sqrt{i} - \sqrt{-i} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(1 + i) - (1 - i)] = \pm \sqrt{2}i$

The correct option is (A) and (D)

155. We have,  $z_1 - z_4 = z_2 - z_3$  or  $\frac{z_1 + z_3}{2} = \frac{z_2 + z_4}{2}$   
 i.e., the diagonals bisect each other.  
 $\therefore$  It is a parallelogram.  
 Also,  $\text{amp } \frac{z_4 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow$  angle at  $z_1$  is a right angle.  
 $\therefore$  It is a rectangle and hence a cyclic quadrilateral.  
 The correct option is (C) and (D)

156. Let

$$S = \sum_{m=1}^{4n+1} \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \left\{ \sin \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) - i \cos \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) \right\} \right]^m$$

Now, let  $t_k = \sin \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) - i \cos \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right)$   
 $\Rightarrow t_k = -i \left\{ \cos \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{2\pi k}{m} \right) \right\}$   
 Assuming,  $\alpha = \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{m} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{2\pi}{m} \right)$  (1)  
 $\Rightarrow t_k = -i \alpha^k$   
 Now,  $S_1 = \sum_{k=1}^{m+1} (t_k)$

$$\Rightarrow S_1 = -i \sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \alpha^k \Rightarrow S_1 = -i(\alpha + \alpha^2 + \dots + \alpha^{m+1})$$

$$\Rightarrow S_1 = \frac{-i\alpha(\alpha^{m+1} - 1)}{\alpha - 1} = -i \left\{ \frac{\alpha^m - \alpha}{\alpha - 1} \right\}$$

Since,  $\alpha^m = (\cos 2\pi + i \sin 2\pi) = 1$  {using (1)}

$$\Rightarrow S_1 = i \frac{\alpha - 1}{\alpha - 1} = i$$

Now,  $S = \sum_{m=1}^{4n+1} S_1$

Thus,  $S = \sum_{m=1}^{4n+1} i^m = \frac{i(i^{4n+1} - 1)}{i - 1} = \frac{i(i - 1)}{i - 1} = i$

which is purely imaginary and independent of  $n$ . Also,  $i$  is not a root of  $x^{4n+1} + 1 = 0$ .

The correct option is (A) and (B)

157. We have,

$$|a + ib| = 1 \Rightarrow a + ib = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$

$$|c + id| = 1 \Rightarrow c + id = \cos \phi + i \sin \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \cos \theta, b = \sin \theta, c = \cos \phi, d = \sin \phi$$

Now,  $z_1 \bar{z}_2 = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)(\cos \phi - i \sin \phi)$   
 $\Rightarrow \text{Re}(z_1 \bar{z}_2) = \cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi$   
 Thus,  $= 0 \Rightarrow \cos(\theta - \phi) = 0$  (1)  
 $\Rightarrow \theta - \phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$

Now,  $|w_1|^2 = a^2 + c^2 = \cos^2 \theta + \cos^2 \phi$   
 $= \cos^2 \left( \phi \pm \frac{\pi}{2} \right) + \cos^2 \phi$   
 $= \sin^2 \phi + \cos^2 \phi = 1$

Thus,  $|w_1| = 1$ . Similarly,  $|w_2| = 1$

Now,  $w_1 \bar{w}_2 = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \cdot (\cos \phi - i \sin \phi)$   
 $\Rightarrow \text{Re}(w_1 \bar{w}_2) = (\cos \theta \sin \theta + \cos \phi \sin \phi)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2\theta + \sin 2\phi)$   
 $= \sin(\theta + \phi) \cos(\theta - \phi)$   
 $= 0$  [From (1)]

The correct option is (A), (B) and (C)

158. We have,

$$\arg(z^{3/8}) = \frac{1}{2} \arg(z^2 + \bar{z}z^{1/2})$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \arg(z^{3/8}) = \arg(z^2 + \bar{z}z^{1/2})$$

$$\Rightarrow \arg(z^{3/4}) - \arg(z^2 + \bar{z}z^{1/2}) = 0$$

[ $\because 2 \arg(z) = \arg(z^2)$ ]

$$\Rightarrow \arg \left( \frac{z^2 + \bar{z}z^{1/2}}{z^{3/4}} \right) = 0$$

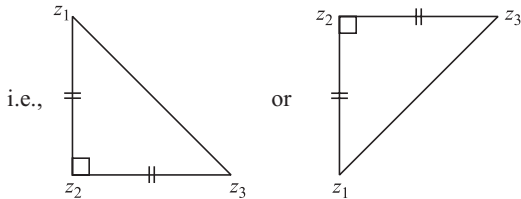
$$\Rightarrow \text{Im} \left( z^{5/4} + \frac{\bar{z}}{z^{1/4}} \right) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow z^{5/4} + \frac{\bar{z}}{z^{1/4}} &= \left( z^{5/4} + \frac{\bar{z}}{z^{1/4}} \right) \\ \Rightarrow z^{5/4} + \frac{\bar{z}}{z^{1/4}} &= (\bar{z})^{5/4} + \frac{z}{(\bar{z})^{1/4}} \\ \Rightarrow z^{5/4} + \frac{\bar{z}(\bar{z})^{1/4}}{|z|^{1/2}} &= (\bar{z})^{5/4} + \frac{z z^{1/4}}{|z|^{1/2}} \\ \Rightarrow z^{5/4} - (\bar{z})^{5/4} &= \frac{z^{5/4} - (\bar{z})^{5/4}}{|z|^{1/2}} \\ \Rightarrow \left\{ z^{5/4} - (\bar{z})^{5/4} \right\} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{|z|^{1/2}} \right) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore z = \bar{z} \text{ or } |z| = 1.$$

The correct option is (A), (B) and (D)

159. We have,  $z_1^2 + 2z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$   
 $\Rightarrow (z_1^2 - 2z_1z_2 + z_2^2) + (z_2^2 + z_3^2 - 2z_2z_3) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (z_1 - z_2)^2 + (z_3 - z_2)^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (z_1 - z_2) = \pm i(z_3 - z_2)$   
 $\Rightarrow (z_1 - z_2) = (z_3 - z_2)e^{i(\pi/2)}, (z_3 - z_2)e^{-i(\pi/2)}$



Thus, in either case the triangle is an isosceles right angled triangle, right angled at  $z_2$ .

The correct option is (A) and (B)

160. We have,  
 $|z_1 - z_2|^2 = (|z_1| + |z_2|)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 - 2|z_1||z_2|\cos\theta$   
 $= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 + 2|z_1||z_2|$   
 $\Rightarrow \cos\theta = -1$  where  $\theta = \arg(z_1/z_2)$   
 $\Rightarrow \arg(z_1/z_2) = (2n+1)\pi, n \in \mathbb{I}$   
 $\Rightarrow z_1/z_2$  lies on the negative real axis

Hence, we can write  $z_1 = lz_2, l \in \mathbb{R}^-$

Also, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Re}(z_1/z_2) &\leq 0 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2} &\leq 0 \text{ or } z_1\bar{z}_2 + z_2\bar{z}_1 \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (B) and (C)

161. Let  $z_1 = a + ib, z_2 = c + id$ .  
 Then,  $|z_1| = |z_2| = 1 \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = 1$  and  $c^2 + d^2 = 1$  (1)  
 Also,  $\operatorname{Re}(z_1\bar{z}_2) = 0 \Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}\{(a+ib)(c-id)\} = 0$   
 or,  $ac - bd = 0$   
 or,  $ac = -bd$   
 or,  $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{a}{-c} = \lambda$  (say)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore a^2 + b^2 = 1 &\Rightarrow b^2 + b^2\lambda^2 = 1 \\ \text{or, } b^2(1 + \lambda^2) &= 1 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and, } c^2 + d^2 = 1 &\Rightarrow d^2 \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \right) = 1 \\ \text{or, } d^2(1 + \lambda^2) &= \lambda^2 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{b^2}{d^2} &= \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \text{ or } d^2 = b^2\lambda^2 \\ \text{Now, } |\omega_1| &= a^2 + c^2 = b^2\lambda^2 + \frac{d^2}{\lambda^2} \\ &= b^2\lambda^2 + \frac{b^2\lambda^2}{\lambda^2} = b^2(1 + \lambda^2) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also, } \operatorname{Re}(\omega_1\bar{\omega}_2) &= \operatorname{Re}\{(a+ic)(b-id)\} \\ &= (ab+cd) = b^2\lambda + d \left( -\frac{d}{\lambda} \right) \\ &= b^2\lambda - \frac{b^2\lambda^2}{\lambda} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $|\omega_1| = 1$  and  $\operatorname{Re}(\omega_1\bar{\omega}_2) = 0$

The correct option is (A) and (C)

162. Let  $A, B, C$  be the vertices of the equilateral triangle represented by the complex numbers  $z_1, z_2, z_3$ , respectively.

Then,  $AB = BC = AC$  and  $\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

$$\therefore \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}} = \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_3 - z_2} = \frac{z_2 - z_3}{z_1 - z_3} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (z_3 - z_1)(z_3 - z_2) &= -(z_1 - z_2)^2 \\ \Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 &= z_1z_2 + z_2z_3 + z_3z_1 \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow [(z_1 - z_2)^2 + (z_2 - z_3)^2 + (z_3 - z_1)^2] = 0 \quad (3)$$

Now,  $3z_0 = z_1 + z_2 + z_3$ , [ $z_0$  is centroid]

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 + 2(z_1z_2 + z_2z_3 + z_3z_1) &= 9z_0^2 \\ \Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 &= 3z_0^2 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

From (1), we also have

$$(z_3 - z_1)(z_3 - z_2) + (z_1 - z_2)(z_1 - z_2)(z_1 - z_3 + z_3 - z_2) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (z_2 - z_1)(z_3 - z_1) + (z_1 - z_2)(z_3 - z_2) \\ + (z_1 - z_2)(z_1 - z_3) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Dividing by  $(z_1 - z_2)(z_2 - z_3)(z_3 - z_1)$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{z_2 - z_1} + \frac{1}{z_1 - z_3} + \frac{1}{z_3 - z_2} = 0$$

The correct option is (A), (B), (C) and (D)

163. Since  $a, b, c, \dots, k$  are the roots of the given equation, we have the identity  
 $x^n + p_1x^{n-1} + p_2x^{n-2} + \dots + p_{n-1}x + p_n$   
 $\equiv (x-a)(x-b)(x-c)\dots(x-k)$  (1)

In the identity (1), put  $x = i$

$$\text{Then, } i^n + p_1i^{n-1} + p_2i^{n-2} + \dots + p_{n-1}i + p_n$$

$$\equiv (i-a)(i-b)(i-c)\dots(i-k)$$

$$\text{or, } i^n [1 + p_1i^{-1} + p_2i^{-2} + p_3i^{-3} + p_4i^{-4} + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} + p_{n-1}i^{-(n-1)} + p_ni^{-n}] \\ \equiv (i-a)(i-b)(i-c)\dots(i-k). \end{aligned}$$

But,  $i^{-1} = \frac{1}{i} = -i, i^{-2} = \frac{1}{i^2} = -1$   
 $i^{-3} = \frac{1}{i^3} = i, i^{-4} = \frac{1}{i^4} = 1$  etc.

$\therefore$  The above identity may be written as  
 $i^n [(1 - p_2 + p_4 - \dots) - i(p_1 - p_3 + p_5 - \dots)]$   
 $\equiv (-1)^n (a - i)(b - i)(c - i) \dots (k - i)$  (2)

Similarly, putting  $x = -i$  in (1), we shall obtain  
 $(-i)^n [(1 - p_2 + p_4 + \dots) + i(p_1 - p_3 + p_5 \dots)]$   
 $\equiv (-1)^n (a + i)(b + i)(c + i) \dots (k + i)$  (3)

Multiplying (2) and (3), we get  
 $(-1)^n \times i^{2n} [(1 - p_2 + p_4 \dots)^2 - i^2(p_1 - p_3 + p_5 \dots)^2]$   
 $= (-1)^{2n} (a^2 - i^2)(b^2 - i^2)(c^2 - i^2) \dots (k^2 - i^2)$   
 $\therefore (-1)^n i^{2n} = (-1)^n (-1)^n = (-1)^{2n} = 1$ , this gives  
 $(1 - p_2 + p_4 \dots)^2 + (p_1 - p_3 + p_5 \dots)^2$   
 $= (a^2 + 1)(b^2 + 1)(c^2 + 1) \dots (k^2 + 1)$

The correct option is (A) and (B)

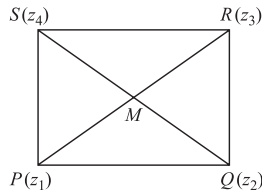
164. Since the diagonals of the square bisect each other,

$\therefore$  mid-point of PR =  $\frac{z_1 + z_3}{2}$  (1)

mid-point of QS =  $\frac{z_2 + z_4}{2}$  (2)

From (1) and (2), we get  $z_1 + z_3 = z_2 + z_4$

$\Rightarrow$  (a) is correct



Since all the sides of a square are equal

$\Rightarrow PQ = QR = RS = SP$

$\Rightarrow |z_1 - z_2| = |z_2 - z_3| = |z_3 - z_4| = |z_4 - z_1|$

$\Rightarrow$  (b) is correct

We know that the diagonals of a square are equal

$\therefore PR = QS$

$\Rightarrow |z_1 - z_3| = |z_2 - z_4| \Rightarrow$  (c) is correct

Since the diagonals are perpendicular to each other

$\therefore \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_4} = \left| \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_4} \right| (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha)$  where  $\alpha$  is  $90^\circ$

This is purely imaginary. Therefore, real part of  $\frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_4}$  is zero.

$\Rightarrow$  (d) is correct

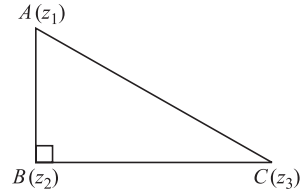
The correct option is (A), (B), (C) and (D)

165. Given  $AB = BC$  (isosceles triangle),  $\angle B = 90^\circ$

$\therefore \angle C = \angle A = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\therefore \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{AC}{AB} e^{i\pi/4} = \sqrt{2} e^{i\pi/4}$  (1)

$\frac{z_2 - z_3}{z_1 - z_3} = \frac{BC}{AC} e^{i\pi/4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{i\pi/4}$  (2)



From equations (1) and (2), we get

$\left( \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} \right) \left( \frac{z_2 - z_3}{z_1 - z_3} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{2} e^{i\pi/4}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{i\pi/4}} = 2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} \cdot \frac{z_1 - z_3}{z_2 - z_3} = 2$

$\Rightarrow -(z_3 - z_1)^2 = 2(z_2^2 - z_2z_3 - z_1z_2 + z_1z_3)$

$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_3^2 - 2z_1z_3 = -2z_2^2 + 2z_2z_3 + 2z_1z_2 - 2z_1z_3$

$\Rightarrow z_1^2 + z_3^2 + 2z_2^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3)$

or,  $z_1^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_2(z_1 + z_3 - z_2)$

or,  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 - 2z_1z_2 - 2z_2z_3 = 0$

or,  $(z_1 - z_2)^2 + (z_2 - z_3)^2 = 0$

or,  $\left( \frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_2 - z_3} \right)^2 = -1 = \cos \pi + i \sin \pi$

or,  $\frac{z_1 - z_2}{z_2 - z_3} = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = i$  (imaginary)

The correct option is (A), (B), (C) and (D)

166. We have,  $\angle DAC = \frac{\pi}{2} - C$  and  $OC = OD$

$\therefore \frac{z}{z_3} = \cos(\pi - 2C) + i \sin(\pi - 2C)$

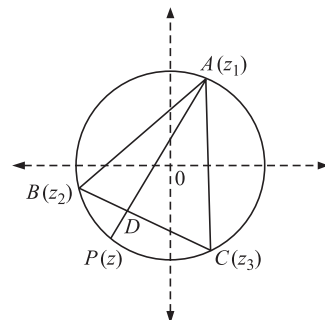
or,  $\frac{z}{z_3} = -\cos 2C + i \sin 2C$  (1)

Again,  $\angle AOB = 2C$  and  $OA = OB$

$\therefore \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \cos 2C + i \sin 2C$  (2)

Multiply (1) and (2), we get

$\frac{z z_1}{z_2 z_3} = -1$

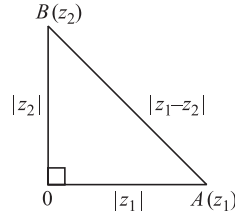


$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow z &= \frac{-z_2 z_3}{z_1} = \frac{-\bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2 z_2 z_3}{z_1 \bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2} = \frac{-\bar{z}_1 z_3}{\bar{z}_2} \\ &= \frac{-\bar{z}_1 z_2}{\bar{z}_3} \end{aligned} \quad (\because z_1 \bar{z}_1 = z_2 \bar{z}_2)$$

The correct option is (B), (C) and (D)

167. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} |z_1 + z_2| &= |z_1 - z_2| \\ \Rightarrow (z_1 + z_2)(\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2) &= (z_1 - z_2)(\bar{z}_1 - \bar{z}_2) \\ \Rightarrow z_1 \bar{z}_2 + z_2 \bar{z}_1 &= 0 \quad (1) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} &= -\left(\frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{z}_2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} &\text{ is purely imaginary} \end{aligned}$$



Also, from (1),

$$\begin{aligned} |z_1 - z_2|^2 &= |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 \\ \Rightarrow \Delta OAB &\text{ is a right angled triangle, right angled at } O. \\ \text{So, orthocentre lies at } O &\text{ and circumcentre} = \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2}. \\ \text{The correct option is (A), (B) and (C)} \end{aligned}$$

168. The roots of  $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$  are  $w$  and  $w^2$   
So,  $h(w) = 0$  and  $h(w)^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow wf(1) + w^2g(1) = 0$  and  $w^2f(1) + wg(1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow f(1) = g(1) = 0$   
 $\therefore h(1) = f(1) + g(1) = 0$ .  
The correct option is (A), (B) and (C)

169. We have,  $\alpha = \cos \frac{2\pi}{5} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{5}$   
and,  $1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3 + \alpha^4 = 0$   
 $\therefore |1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \alpha^3| = |-\alpha^4| = |\alpha|^4 = 1$   
Also,  $|1 + \alpha + \alpha^2| = |-\alpha^3(1 + \alpha)| = |1 + \alpha|$  (1)  
 $= \left| 1 + \cos \frac{2\pi}{5} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{5} \right|$   
 $= \left| 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{5} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{5} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{5} \right) \right|$   
 $= 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{5}$

Again, from (i),  $|1 + \alpha| = |1 + \alpha + \alpha^2| = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{5}$ .  
The correct option is (A), (B) and (C)

## Passage Based Questions

170. It is obvious that we must consider the 17th root of unity. Consider the equation  $z^{17} - 1 = 0$ . The roots of this equation are

$$z = \cos \frac{2r\pi}{17} + i \sin \frac{2r\pi}{17}, r = 0, 1, \dots, 16 \quad (i)$$

Since the sum of the roots of (i) is zero, therefore,

$$\sum_{r=0}^{16} \left( \cos \frac{2r\pi}{17} + i \sin \frac{2r\pi}{17} \right) = 0$$

Equating real and imaginary parts on both sides, we have

$$\sum_{r=0}^{16} \cos \frac{2r\pi}{17} = 0, \quad \sum_{r=0}^{16} \sin \frac{2r\pi}{17} = 0$$

$$\therefore \sum_{r=1}^{16} \cos \frac{2r\pi}{17} = -\cos 0 = -1,$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{16} \sin \frac{2r\pi}{17} = -\sin 0 = 0$$

Hence, the desired sum  $= 0 + i(-1) = -i$

The correct option is (D)

171. Let  $a + ib = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$  (i)

Then,  $r \cos \theta = a$  and  $r \sin \theta = b$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = a^2 + b^2, \tan \theta = \frac{b}{a} \text{ or } \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}. \quad (ii)$$

Taking conjugates of both sides of (i), we get

$$a - ib = r(\cos \theta - i \sin \theta).$$

Now, by De Moivre's theorem, one of the values of

$$(a + ib)^{m/n} \text{ is } r^{m/n} \left( \cos \frac{m\theta}{n} + i \sin \frac{m\theta}{n} \right)$$

and one of the values of

$$(a - ib)^{m/n} \text{ is } r^{m/n} \left( \cos \frac{m\theta}{n} - i \sin \frac{m\theta}{n} \right)$$

Hence, one of the values of  $(a + ib)^{m/n} + (a - ib)^{m/n}$  is

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2r^{m/n} \cos \frac{m\theta}{n} \\ &= 2(a^2 + b^2)^{m/2n} \cos \left( \frac{m}{n} \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \right), \text{ using (ii).} \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (B)

172. We have,  $(16)^{1/4} = (2^4)^{1/4} = 2(1)^{1/4}$   
 $= 2(\cos 0 + i \sin 0)^{1/4}$   
 $= 2 \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + 0) + i \sin \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + 0) \right\}, k = 0, 1, 2, 3$   
 $= 2 \times 1, 2 \times i, 2 \times -1, 2 \times -i = \pm 2, \pm 2i$ .  
The correct option is (A)

173. We have,  $z^4 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z^4 = -1$   
 $\Rightarrow z = (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)^{1/4}$   
 $\Rightarrow z = \cos \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + \pi) + i \sin \frac{1}{4}(2k\pi + \pi),$

$k = 0, 1, 2, 3.$

$$\Rightarrow z = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}, \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{4},$$

$$\cos \frac{5\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{4}, \cos \frac{7\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1+i), \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (-1+i), \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (-1-i), \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1-i).$$

Hence, the four roots of  $z^4 + 1 = 0$  are  $(\pm 1 \pm i)$ .

The correct option is (C)

174. Since  $1, \omega, \omega^2, \dots, \omega^{n-1}$  are the  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity

$$\therefore \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \omega^k = 0 \text{ and } \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (\bar{\omega})^k = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |z_1 + \omega^k z_2|^2 = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} (z_1 + \omega^k z_2)(\bar{z}_1 + (\bar{\omega})^k \bar{z}_2)$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} z_1 \bar{z}_1 + z_1 \bar{z}_2 (\bar{\omega})^k + \bar{z}_1 z_2 \omega^k + z_2 \bar{z}_2 (\omega^k) (\bar{\omega})^k$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |z_1|^2 + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} z_1 \bar{z}_2 (\bar{\omega})^k + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \bar{z}_1 z_2 \omega^k + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} |z_2|^2$$

$$= n |z_1|^2 + 0 + 0 + n |z_2|^2 = n (|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2)$$

The correct option is (A)

175. Let  $x = \sqrt[n]{1} = x$ ;

$$\therefore x^n = 1;$$

$$\therefore x^n - 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore x^n - 1 = (x-1)(x-a_1)(x-a_2) \dots (x-a_{n-1})$$

$$\therefore (x-a_1)(x-a_2)(x-a_3) \dots (x-a_{n-1})$$

$$= \frac{x^n - 1}{x-1} = \frac{1 - x^n}{1-x} = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^{n-1}$$

Putting  $x = 1$ , we get

$$(1-a_1)(1-a_2)(1-a_3) \dots (1-a_{n-1}) = n$$

The correct option is (B)

176. Since  $1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}$  are the  $n$ ,  $n$ th roots of unity,

$$\therefore x^n - 1 = (x-1)(x-\alpha)(x-\alpha^2) \dots (x-\alpha^{n-1})$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(x^n - 1) = \log(x-1) + \log(x-\alpha) + \log(x-\alpha^2) + \dots + \log(x-\alpha^{n-1})$$

Differentiating both sides with respect to 'x', we get

$$\frac{x^{n-1}}{x^n - 1} = \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x-\alpha} + \frac{1}{x-\alpha^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{x-\alpha^{n-1}}$$

Putting  $x = 2$ , we get

$$\frac{n \cdot 2^{n-1}}{2^n - 1} = \frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2-\alpha} + \frac{1}{2-\alpha^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2-\alpha^{n-1}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{n \cdot 2^{n-1}}{2^n - 1} - 1 = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{2-\alpha^i}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{2-\alpha^i} = \frac{n \cdot 2^{n-1} - 2^n + 1}{2^n - 1} = \frac{(n-2)2^{n-1} + 1}{2^n - 1}$$

The correct option is (A)

177. Let  $a^n = 1$

$$(a^n - 1) = (a-1)(a-\omega)(a-\omega^2) \dots (a-\omega^{n-1})$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-\omega)(a-\omega^2) \dots (a-\omega^{n-1}) = \frac{a^n - 1}{a-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{a \rightarrow 1} (a-\omega)(a-\omega^2) \dots (a-\omega^{n-1}) = \lim_{a \rightarrow 1} \frac{a^n - 1}{a-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1-\omega)(1-\omega^2) \dots (1-\omega^{n-1}) = n$$

The correct option is (C)

178. Solving  $x^6 + x^3 + 1 = 0$  as a quadratic in  $x^3$ , we get

$$x^3 = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-4}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2} = r(\cos \theta \pm i \sin \theta)$$

$$\therefore r \cos \theta = \frac{-1}{2}, r \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 1 \text{ and } \tan \theta = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 1 \text{ and } \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow x^3 = \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} \pm i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore x = \left[ \cos \left( 2k\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \pm i \sin \left( 2k\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \right]^{1/3}$$

$$= \cos(6k+2) \frac{\pi}{9} \pm i \sin(6k+2) \frac{\pi}{9}, k=0, 1, 2$$

Hence,  $\cos\left(\frac{p\pi}{9}\right) \pm i \sin\left(\frac{p\pi}{9}\right)$ ,  $p=2, 8, 14$  are the required roots.

The correct option is (A), (B) and (C)

179. Solving  $z^4 + 4z^2 + 16 = 0$  as a quadratic in  $z^2$ ,  $z^2 =$

$$\frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16-64}}{2} = -2 \pm 2\sqrt{3}i$$

$$\text{Let } z^2 = -2 \pm 2\sqrt{3}i = r(\cos \theta \pm i \sin \theta) \tag{1}$$

$$\therefore r \cos \theta = -2 \text{ and } r \sin \theta = 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 16 \text{ and } \tan \theta = -\sqrt{3} \Rightarrow r = 4, \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} \tag{2}$$

$$z = 2 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} \pm i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)^{1/2}, \text{ by (1) and (2)}$$

$$= 2 \left[ \cos \left( 2k\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \pm i \sin \left( 2k\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

$k=0, 1$

$$= 2 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \pm i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right), 2 \left( \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} \pm i \sin \frac{4\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$= 2 \left( \frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right), -2 \left( \frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

Hence,  $\pm 1 \pm i\sqrt{3}$  are the required roots.

The correct option is (A) and (B)

180. Let  $\frac{2+z}{2-z} = w$  (i)

Then,  $w^6 = -1 = \text{cis}(2p+1)\pi$ , where  $\pi$  is an integer.

$$\therefore w = \text{cis}[(2p+1)\pi/6], \text{ where } p=0, 1, \dots, 5$$

From (i), we have,

$$\begin{aligned} 2+z &= w(2-z) \text{ or } z = \frac{2(w-1)}{w+1} \\ &= \frac{2[\cos\{(2p+1)\pi/6\} + i\sin\{(2p+1)\pi/6\}] - 1}{\cos\{(2p+1)\pi/6\} + i\sin\{(2p+1)\pi/6\} + 1} \\ &= \frac{2[2i\sin\{(2p+1)\pi/12\}\cos\{(2p+1)\pi/12\} - 2\sin^2\{(2p+1)\pi/12\}]}{2i\sin\{(2p+1)\pi/12\}\cos\{(2p+1)\pi/12\} + 2\cos^2\{(2p+1)\pi/12\}} \\ &= 2i \tan\{(2p+1)\pi/12\}, p = 0, 1, \dots, 5 \end{aligned}$$

On giving the values 0, 1, ..., 5 the roots are seen to be  $\pm 2i$

$\tan \pi/12, \pm 2i \tan 5\pi/12, \pm 2i$ .

The correct option is (A), (B) and (C)

181. Multiplying the given equation by  $(z+1)$  and simplifying, we obtain,  $z^5 + 1 = 0$ , whose roots are  $z = \cos(p\pi/5) + i\sin(p\pi/5)$ ,  $p = 1, 3, 5, 7, 9$ .

For  $p = 5$ , the root  $z = -1$  corresponds to  $z + 1 = 0$

Hence, the required roots are

$\cos(p\pi/5) + i\sin(p\pi/5)$ ;  $p = 1, 3, 7, 9$ .

The correct option is (B)

### Match the Column Type

182. I. Since  $z_r = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3^r}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3^r}\right)$ ,  
 $r = 1, 2, 3, \dots$   
 we have,  $z_1 \cdot z_2 \cdot z_3 \dots \infty$   
 $= \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3^2} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{3^2}\right)$   
 $\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3^3} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{3^3}\right) \dots \infty$   
 $= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{3^2} + \frac{\pi}{3^3} + \dots\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{3^2} + \frac{\pi}{3^3} + \dots\right)$   
 $= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{1-\frac{1}{3}}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{1-\frac{1}{3}}\right)$   
 $= \cos\frac{\pi}{2} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{2} = 0 + i \times 1 = i$

The correct option is (D)

II. Given,  $iz^3 + z^2 - z + i = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow iz^2(z-i) - (z-i) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (z-i)(iz^2 - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow z = i \text{ or } z^2 = \frac{1}{i} = -i$

Now,  $z = -i \Rightarrow |z| = |i| = 1$

and,  $z^2 = -i \Rightarrow |z^2| = |-i| \Rightarrow |z|^2 = 1 \Rightarrow |z| = 1$

Thus, in both cases  $|z| = 1$

The correct option is (B)

III. Let  $z = x + iy$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } \frac{z-2}{z+2} &= \frac{x+iy-2}{x+iy+2} = \frac{(x-2)+iy}{(x+2)+iy} \\ &= \frac{[(x-2)+iy][(x+2)-iy]}{(x+2)^2 + y^2} \\ &= \frac{(x^2 + y^2 - 4) + i(4y)}{(x+2)^2 + y^2} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\frac{z-2}{z+2}$  is purely imaginary,

$$\therefore x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 4 \Rightarrow |z|^2 = 4 \Rightarrow |z| = 2$$

The correct option is (C)

IV.  $\sum_{n=1}^{13} (i^n + i^{n+1}) = \sum_{n=1}^{13} i^n(1+i) = (1+i) \left\{ \frac{i(1-i^{13})}{1-i} \right\}$   
 $= (1+i) \left\{ \frac{i(1-i)}{1-i} \right\}$   
 $= (1+i) i = -1 + i$

The correct option is (A)

183. I. We have,  $(1+\omega)(1+\omega^2)(1+\omega^4)(1+\omega^8) \dots$  to  $2n$  factors

$$= (1+\omega)(1+\omega^2)(1+\omega^3 \times \omega)(1+\omega^6 \times \omega^2)$$

$\dots$  to  $2n$  factors

$$= (1+\omega)(1+\omega^2)(1+\omega)(1+\omega^2) \dots$$
 to  $2n$  factors

$[\because \omega^3 = \omega^6 = \dots = 1]$

$$= [(1+\omega)(1+\omega) \dots$$
 to  $n$  factors]

$[(1+\omega^2)(1+\omega^2) \dots$  to  $n$  factors]

$$= (1+\omega)^n (1+\omega^2)^n = [(1+\omega)(1+\omega^2)]^n$$

$$= (1+\omega+\omega^2+\omega^3)^n = (0+1)^n = 1$$

$[\because 1+\omega+\omega^2 = 0, \omega^3 = 1]$

The correct option is (B)

II. We have,

$$(1-\omega+\omega^2)(1-\omega^2+\omega^4)(1-\omega^4+\omega^8)$$

$$(1-\omega^8+\omega^{16}) \dots$$
 to  $2n$  factors

$$= (1-\omega+\omega^2)(1-\omega^2+\omega)(1-\omega+\omega^2)$$

$$(1-\omega^2+\omega) \dots$$
 to  $2n$  factors.

$[\because \omega^4 = \omega, \omega^8 = \omega^2, \omega^{16} = \omega$  and so on]

$$= (-2\omega)(-2\omega^2)(-2\omega)(-2\omega^2) \dots$$
 to  $2n$  factors

$$= (2^2 \omega^3)(2^2 \omega^3) \dots$$
 to  $n$  factors

$[\because (-2\omega)(-2\omega^2) = 2^2 \omega^3 = 2^2]$

$$= (2^2)^n = 2^{2n}$$

The correct option is (C)

III. Since  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^{100} = 2^{99}(a + ib)$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{3} - i)^{100} = 2^{99}(a - ib)$$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{3} + i)^{100} - (\sqrt{3} - i)^{100} = 2^{99}(2ib) = 2^{100}(ib)$$

$$\Rightarrow i^{100} [1 - \sqrt{3}i]^{100} - i^{100} [-1 + \sqrt{3}i]^{100} = 2^{100}(ib)$$

$$\text{or, } (-2\omega)^{100} - (2\omega^2)^{100} = 2^{100}(ib)$$

$$\text{or, } \omega - \omega^2 = (ib) \text{ or } \sqrt{3}i = ib$$

$$\therefore b = \sqrt{3}$$

The correct option is (A)

IV. The given expression

$$= \sum_2^n (n-1)(n-w)(n-w^2)$$

$$= \sum_1^n (n-1)(n-w)(n-w^2)$$

$$[\because (1-1)(1-w)(1-w^2) = 0]$$

$$= \sum_1^n (n^3 - 1) = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4} - n$$

The correct option is (D)

184. I. We have,

$$\frac{\sqrt{3} + i}{2} = \frac{i\sqrt{3} + i^2}{2i} = -i \left( \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}i}{2} \right) = -i\omega$$

$$\text{and, } \frac{i - \sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{i^2 - i\sqrt{3}}{2i} = -i \left( \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}i}{2} \right) = -i\omega^2$$

$$\left[ \because \frac{1}{i} = -i \right]$$

$$\text{Hence, } \left( \frac{\sqrt{3} + i}{2} \right)^6 + \left( \frac{i - \sqrt{3}}{2} \right)^6 = (-i\omega)^6 + (-i\omega^2)^6$$

$$= i^6(\omega^6 + \omega^{12})$$

$$= -1(1 + 1) = -2.$$

The correct option is (C)

II. Let  $\frac{z-1}{z+1} = iy$ , where  $y$  is real

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z+1}{z-1} = \frac{1}{iy}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2z}{2} = \frac{1+iy}{1-iy} \quad [\text{by componendo and dividendo}]$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1+iy}{1-iy} \Rightarrow |z| = \frac{\sqrt{1+y^2}}{\sqrt{1+y^2}} = 1$$

The correct option is (D)

III. We have,  $i + \sqrt{3} = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}i}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{i} = \frac{2\omega}{i}$

$$\text{and, } i - \sqrt{3} = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}i}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{i} = \frac{2\omega^2}{i}$$

$$\therefore (i + \sqrt{3})^{100} + (i - \sqrt{3})^{100} + 2^{100}$$

$$= \left( \frac{2\omega}{i} \right)^{100} + \left( \frac{2\omega^2}{i} \right)^{100} + 2^{100}$$

$$= \frac{2^{100}}{i^{100}} (\omega^{100} + \omega^{200}) + 2^{100}$$

$$= 2^{100} (\omega + \omega^2) + 2^{100}$$

$$= -2^{100} + 2^{100} = 0$$

The correct option is (B)

IV. Let  $z_k = x_k + iy_k$ , we have  $(z_k + 1)^7 + z_k^7 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (z_k + 1)^7 = -z_k^7 \Rightarrow |z_k + 1|^7 = |z_k|^7$$

$$\Rightarrow |z_k + 1| = |z_k| \Rightarrow |x_k + iy_k + 1|^2 = |x_k + iy_k|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x_k + 1)^2 + y_k^2 = x_k^2 + y_k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x_k + 1 = 0 \text{ or } x_k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \sum_{k=0}^6 \text{Re}(z_k) = \sum_{k=0}^6 x_k = -\frac{7}{2}$$

The correct option is (A)

### Assertion-Reasoning Type

185. We have,

$$\frac{1}{a} = \cos \alpha - i \sin \alpha, \frac{1}{b} = \cos \beta - i \sin \beta$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{a}{b} = (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha)(\cos \beta - i \sin \beta)$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{a}{b} = \cos(\alpha - \beta) + i \sin(\alpha - \beta).$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \frac{b}{c} = \cos(\beta - \gamma) + i \sin(\beta - \gamma)$$

$$\text{and, } \frac{c}{a} = \cos(\gamma - \alpha) + i \sin(\gamma - \alpha).$$

Putting these values in  $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} = -1$ , we get

$$[\cos(\alpha - \beta) + \cos(\beta - \gamma) + \cos(\gamma - \alpha)]$$

$$+ i [\sin(\alpha - \beta) + \sin(\beta - \gamma) + \sin(\gamma - \alpha)]$$

$$= -1 = -1 + 0i.$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts, we get

$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) + \cos(\beta - \gamma) + \cos(\gamma - \alpha) = -1$$

The correct option is (A)

186. We have,  $\arg \frac{z-1}{z+1} = \frac{\pi}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow \arg \frac{x+iy-1}{x+iy+1} = \frac{\pi}{3} \quad [\text{Putting } z = x + iy]$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x-1} - \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x+1} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\left( \because \text{Arg} \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \text{Arg } z_1 - \text{Arg } z_2 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{y}{x-1} - \frac{y}{x+1}}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2-1}} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2 - 1} = \tan \frac{\pi}{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}y - 1 = 0, \text{ which is a circle.}$$

The correct option is (D)

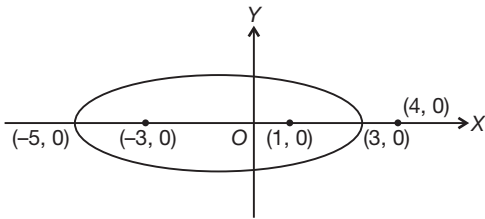
187. Area of the triangle on the argand plane formed by the complex numbers  $-z, iz, z - iz$  is  $\frac{3}{2}|z|^2$ .

$$\therefore \frac{3}{2}|z|^2 = 600 \Rightarrow |z| = 20.$$

The correct option is (A)

188. Given,  $|z - 1| + |z + 3| \leq 8$

$\therefore z$  lies inside or on the ellipse whose foci are  $(1, 0)$  and  $(-3, 0)$  and vertices are  $(-5, 0)$  and  $(3, 0)$ .



Now,  $|z - 4|$  is distance of  $z$  from  $(4, 0)$ . Minimum distance is 1 and maximum is 9.

The correct option is (A)

189. We have,  $2 = \left| z - \frac{4}{z} \right| \geq |z| - \left| \frac{4}{z} \right|$

$$\Rightarrow |z| - \left| \frac{4}{z} \right| \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - 2|z| - 4 \leq 0 \text{ or } (|z| - 1)^2 - 5 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (|z| - 1)^2 \leq 5 \text{ or } |z| - 1 \leq \sqrt{5} \Rightarrow |z| \leq \sqrt{5} + 1$$

Hence, the greatest value of  $|z|$  is  $\sqrt{5} + 1$ .

The correct option is (A)

190.  $|z - i| = |z + 5i|$  represents equation of perpendicular bisector of points  $(0, 1)$  and  $(0, -5)$ , i.e.,  $y = -2$ , now  $|z| = 2$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

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

$z$  represents a single point  $(0, -2)$ .

The correct option is (A)

191. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - z_0) P_n(z) &= (1 - z_0^2)(1 + z_0^2)(1 + z_0^{22}) \dots (1 + z_0^{2n}) \\ &= (1 - z_0^{22})(1 + z_0^{22})(1 + z_0^{23}) \dots (1 + z_0^{2n}) \\ &= (1 - z_0^{23})(1 + z_0^{23}) \dots (1 + z_0^{2n}) \\ &= (1 - z_0^{2n+1}) \quad (2^{2m} \cdot 2^{2m} = 2^{2m+1}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } z_0^2 = \frac{i}{2} \Rightarrow z_0^{2n+1} = (z_0^2)^{2n} = \left(\frac{i}{2}\right)^{2n} = \frac{i^{2n}}{2^{2n}}$$

Now, since  $2^n$  is divisible by 4, if  $n > 1 \Rightarrow i^{2n} = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } 1 - z_0^{2n+1} &= 1 - \frac{1}{2^{2n}} \Rightarrow P_n(z) = \frac{1}{1 - z_0} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{2n}}\right) \\ &= (1 + i) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^{2n}}\right). \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (A)

192. Since  $\text{amp} \cdot [z_1(z_3 - z_2)] = \text{amp} \cdot [z_3(z_2 - z_1)]$

$$\therefore \text{amp} \cdot \left( \frac{z_1(z_3 - z_2)}{z_3(z_2 - z_1)} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_1(z_3 - z_2)}{z_3(z_2 - z_1)} \text{ is purely real.}$$

Hence,  $0, z_1, z_2, z_3$  are concyclic

$$\left( \because \text{for four concyclic points } \frac{(z_1 - z_3)(z_2 - z_4)}{(z_1 - z_4)(z_2 - z_3)} \text{ is purely real} \right)$$

The correct option is (A)

### Previous Year's Questions

193. Key Idea : If  $\omega$  is a cube root of unity, then  $1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$  and  $\omega^3 = 1$

$$(1 + \omega + \omega^2) = 0 \text{ and } \omega^3 = 1$$

$$(1 + \omega - \omega^2)^7 = (-\omega^2 - \omega^2)^7 \quad (\because 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0)$$

$$= (-2\omega^2)^7$$

$$= -2^7 \cdot \omega^{14}$$

$$= -128(\omega^3)^4 \omega^2$$

$$= -128 \omega^2$$

$$(\because \omega^3 = 1)$$

The correct option is (D)

194. Given  $z_1^2 + z_2^2 - z_1 z_2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (z_1 + z_2)^2 - 3z_1 z_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 3b.$$

The correct option is (C)

195.  $\arg(z) - \arg(\omega) = \arg\left(\frac{z}{\omega}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow |z\omega| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{z}\omega = -i \text{ or } +i.$$

The correct option is (D) or (C)

196.  $\frac{1+i}{1-i} = \frac{(1+i)^2}{2} = i$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^x = i^x$

$\Rightarrow x = 4n$ .

The correct option is (A)

197. Here  $\omega = \frac{Z}{i} \Rightarrow \arg\left(\frac{Z}{i}\right) = \pi$

$\Rightarrow 2\arg(z) - \arg(i) = \pi$

$\Rightarrow 2\arg(z) - \frac{\pi}{2} = \pi$

$\Rightarrow \arg(z) = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

The correct option is (C)

198.  $z = (p+iq)^3 = p(p^2-3q^2) - iq(q^2-3p^2)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{p} = p^2 - 3q^2$  and  $\frac{y}{q} = q^2 - 3p^2 \Rightarrow \frac{\frac{x}{p} + \frac{y}{q}}{(p^2 + q^2)} = -2$ .

The correct option is (B)

199. Since  $|z^2 - 1|^2 = (|z|^2 + 1)^2$ , we have

$(z^2 - 1)(\bar{z}^2 - 1) = |z|^4 + 2|z|^2 + 1$

$\Rightarrow z^2 + \bar{z}^2 + 2z\bar{z} = 0 \Rightarrow z + \bar{z} = 0$

$\Rightarrow R(z) = 0 \Rightarrow z$  lies on the imaginary axis.

The correct option is (D)

200. Given equation  $(x-1)^3 + 8 = 0$  implies that  $(x-1) = (-2)(1)^{1/3}$

$\Rightarrow x-1 = -2$  or  $-2\omega$  or  $-2\omega^2$

Or  $n = -1$  or  $1-2\omega$  or  $1-2\omega^2$ .

The correct option is (C)

201.  $|z_1 + z_2| = |z_1| + |z_2| \Rightarrow z_1$  and  $z_2$  are collinear and are to the same side of origin; hence  $\arg z_1 - \arg z_2 = 0$ .

The correct option is (C)

202. As given  $w = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{3}i} \Rightarrow |w| = \frac{|z|}{\left|z - \frac{1}{3}i\right|} = 1 \Rightarrow$  distance of  $z$

from origin and point  $\left(0, \frac{1}{3}\right)$  is same.

Hence  $z$  lies on the bisector of the line joining points  $(0, 0)$  and  $(0, 1/3)$ .

Hence  $z$  lies on a straight line.

The correct option is (C)

203. Given sum

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

$= \sum_{k=1}^{10} \sin \frac{2k\pi}{11} + i \sum_{k=1}^{10} \cos \frac{2k\pi}{11}$

$= 0 + i(-1) = -i$

The correct option is (D)

204. The given equation  $z^2 + z + 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow z = \omega$  or  $\omega^2$ .

So,  $z + \frac{1}{z} = \omega + \omega^2 = -1, z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}$

$= \omega^2 + \omega = -1, z^3 + \frac{1}{z^3} = \omega^3 + \omega^3 = 2,$

$z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4} = -1, z^5 + \frac{1}{z^5} = -1$  and  $z^6 + \frac{1}{z^6} = 2.$

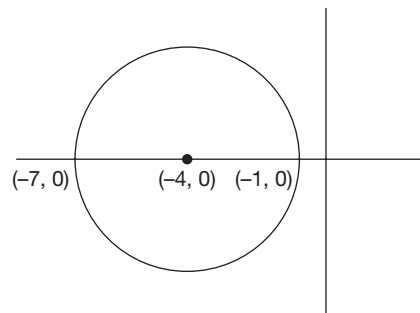
$\therefore$  The given sum  $= 1 + 1 + 4 + 1 + 1 + 4 = 12$

The correct option is (D)

205. From the Argand diagram, maximum value of  $|z+1|$  is 6.

**Alternative:**

$|z+1| = |z+4-3| \leq |z+4| + |-3| = 6.$



The correct option is (C)

206. Put  $-i$  in place of  $i$

Hence, the complex conjugate is  $\frac{-1}{i+1}$

The correct option is (C)

207. One can write  $|Z| = \left| \left( Z - \frac{4}{Z} \right) + \frac{4}{Z} \right| \Rightarrow |Z| = \left| Z - \frac{4}{Z} + \frac{4}{Z} \right|$

$\Rightarrow |Z| \leq \left| Z - \frac{4}{Z} \right| + \frac{4}{|Z|} \Rightarrow |Z| \leq 2 + \frac{4}{|Z|}$

$\Rightarrow |Z|^2 - 2|Z| - 4 \leq 0$

$\therefore (|Z| - (\sqrt{5} + 1))(|Z| - (1 - \sqrt{5})) \leq 0$

$\Rightarrow 1 - \sqrt{5} \leq |Z| \leq \sqrt{5} + 1$

The correct option is (B)

208. Let  $z = x + iy$

$|z-1| = |z+1| \Rightarrow \text{Re } z = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$

$|z-1| = |z-i| \Rightarrow x = y$

$|z+1| = |z-i| \Rightarrow y = -x$

Only  $(0, 0)$  will satisfy all conditions.

$\Rightarrow$  Number of complex number  $z = 1$

The correct option is (A)

209. Suppose roots are  $1 + pi, 1 + qi$   
 Sum of roots  $1 + pi + 1 + qi = -\alpha$  which is real  
 $\Rightarrow$  roots of  $1 + pi, 1 - pi$   
 Product of roots  $= \beta = 1 + p^2 \in (1, \infty)$   
 $p \neq 0$  since roots are distinct.  
 The correct option is (C)

210.  $1 + \omega = -\omega^2$   
 $(1 + \omega)^7 = (-\omega^2)^7 = -\omega^{14} = -\omega^2$   
 $= 1 + \omega = A + B\omega \Rightarrow (A, B) = (1, 1)$

The correct option is (A)

211. Let  $z = x + iy$  ( $\therefore x \neq 1$  as  $z \neq 1$ )  
 $z^2 = (x^2 - y^2) + i(2xy)$   
 $\frac{z^2}{z-1}$  is real  $\Rightarrow$  its imaginary part = 0  
 $\Rightarrow 2xy(x-1) - y(x^2 - y^2) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow y(x^2 + y^2 - 2x) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow y = 0; x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$   
 $\therefore z$  lies either on real axis or on a circle through origin.

The correct option is (A)

212. Given  $|z| = 1 \Rightarrow z\bar{z} = 1$

$$\therefore \frac{1+z}{1+\bar{z}} = \frac{1+z}{1+\frac{1}{z}} = z.$$

The correct option is (B)

213.  $|z| \geq 2$

$$\left| z + \frac{1}{2} \right| \geq \left| z - \frac{1}{2} \right| \geq 2 - \frac{1}{2} \geq \frac{3}{2}.$$

Hence, minimum distance between  $z$  and  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, 0\right)$  is  $\frac{3}{2}$   
 The correct option is (B)

214. Given that  $\left| \frac{z_1 - 2z_2}{2 - z_1\bar{z}_2} \right| = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow (z_1 - 2z_2)(\bar{z}_1 - 2\bar{z}_2) \\ &= (2 - z_1\bar{z}_2)(2 - \bar{z}_1z_2) \\ &\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 - 2z_2 - \bar{z}_1 - 2\bar{z}_2z_1 + 4|z_2|^2 \\ &= 4 - 2z_1\bar{z}_2 - 2\bar{z}_1z_2 + |z_1|^2|z_2|^2 \\ &\Rightarrow |z_1|^2 + 4|z_2|^2 - |z_1|^2|z_2|^2 - 4 = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow |z_1|^2(1 - |z_2|^2) - 4(1 - |z_2|^2) = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow |z_1| = 2(as |z_2| \neq 1) \end{aligned}$$

The correct option is (B)

215. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{2 + 3i \sin \theta}{1 - 2i \sin \theta} \\ \Rightarrow z &= \frac{(2 + 3i \sin \theta)(1 + 2i \sin \theta)}{1 + 4 \sin^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{(2 - 6 \sin^2 \theta) + 7i \sin \theta}{1 + 4 \sin^2 \theta} \end{aligned}$$

For  $z$  to be purely imaginary, we have  $\text{Re}(z) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2 - 6 \sin^2 \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \pm \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$$

The correct option is (A)