

Complex numbers: short syllabus

Complex numbers: $z \in \mathbf{C}$, $z = x + yi$, $i^2 = -1$.

Arithmetical operations with complex numbers.

The conjugate number $\bar{z} = x - yi$ and the properties of the conjugation.

The complex plane. The absolute value and the argument of the complex number. The formula by de Moivre:

$$z = |z|(\cos(\arg(z)) + i \sin(\arg(z)))$$

Multiplication and division of the complex numbers using the Moivre formula.

Calculation of z^n ,

$$z^n = |z|^n (\cos[n \arg(z)] + i \sin[n \arg(z)]),$$

and $z^{1/n}$ for any natural n (all n values of $z^{1/n}$):

$$z^{1/n} = |z|^{1/n} (\cos[(\arg(z) + 2\pi k)/n] + i \sin[(\arg(z) + 2\pi k)/n]), \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n.$$