

**Euler formula:** Euler's formula, named after Leonhard Euler, is a mathematical formula in complex analysis that establishes the fundamental relationship between the trigonometric functions and the complex exponential function.

$$e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$

**Multiplication of two complex numbers:**

Let,  $z_1 = r_1(\cos \theta_1 + i \sin \theta_1)$   
and  $z_2 = r_2(\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2)$

**Then**

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 z_2 &= r_1 r_2 (\cos \theta_1 + i \sin \theta_1)(\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2) \\ \Rightarrow z_1 z_2 &= r_1 r_2 e^{i\theta_1} \cdot e^{i\theta_2} \\ \Rightarrow z_1 z_2 &= r_2 e^{i\theta_1 + i\theta_2} \\ \Rightarrow z_1 z_2 &= r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)} \\ \Rightarrow z_1 z_2 &= r_1 r_2 [\cos(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + i \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)] \end{aligned}$$

Similarly for more than two complex numbers multiplication exists.

**Division of two complex numbers:**

Let,  $z_1 = r_1(\cos \theta_1 + i \sin \theta_1)$   
and  $z_2 = r_2(\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2)$

**Then**

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z_1}{z_2} &= \frac{r_1 (\cos \theta_1 + i \sin \theta_1)}{r_2 (\cos \theta_2 + i \sin \theta_2)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} &= \frac{r_1 e^{i\theta_1}}{r_2 e^{i\theta_2}} \\ \Rightarrow z_1 z_2 &= \frac{r_1}{r_2} e^{i\theta_1 - i\theta_2} \\ \Rightarrow z_1 z_2 &= \frac{r_1}{r_2} e^{i(\theta_1 - \theta_2)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} &= \frac{r_1}{r_2} [\cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2) + i \sin(\theta_1 - \theta_2)] \end{aligned}$$

Similarly for more than two complex numbers division exists.

**De Moivre's theorem:**

De Moivre's theorem states that, for all real values of  $n$ ,  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n = (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta)$   
So for any complex number  $z^n = [r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)]^n = r^n (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta)$

**Example:** Evaluate  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^4$  using De Moivre's theorem.

Let,  $x + iy = \sqrt{3} + i$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{3})^2 + 1} = \sqrt{4} = 2 \\ \text{and } \theta &= \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\pi}{6} \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} &(\sqrt{3} + i)^2 \\ &= [2(\cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6})]^4 \\ &= 2^4 \left( \cos 4 \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin 4 \frac{\pi}{6} \right) \\ &= 16 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \\ &= 16 \left( -\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = 8(-1 + i\sqrt{3}) \end{aligned}$$

**Exercise**

Find in the form  $z = x + iy$  of the following by making use of De Moivre's theorem.

i)  $(1 + i\sqrt{3})^5$

ii)  $(\sqrt{3} - i)^{10}$

iii)  $(1 + i\sqrt{3})^3$

i)  $(\sqrt{6} - i\sqrt{2})^4$

ii)  $(1 - i)^7$

iii)  $(\sqrt{3} - i)^6$

iv)  $(1 + i)^5$

v)  $(\sqrt{2} - i)^4$

\*\*\*\* Show that the relation  $\left| \frac{z-3}{z+3} \right| = 2$  represents a circle.

Let,  $z = x + iy$  then,  $|z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{z-3}{z+3} \right| &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow \left| \frac{x + iy - 3}{x + iy + 3} \right| &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow \left| \frac{(x-3) + iy}{(x+3) + iy} \right| &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{(x-3)^2 + y^2}}{\sqrt{(x+3)^2 + y^2}} &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x-3)^2 + y^2}{(x+3)^2 + y^2} = 2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-3)^2 + y^2 = 4[(x+3)^2 + y^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 6x + 9 + y^2 = 4[x^2 + 6x + 9 + y^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 6x + 9 + y^2 = 4x^2 + 24x + 36 + 4y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 24x + 36 + 4y^2 - (x^2 - 6x + 9 + y^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 30x + 27 + 3y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x^2 + y^2) + 30x + 27 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) + 10x + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + 10x + 25) + 9 + y^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+5)^2 + y^2 = 16, \text{ which is general equation of circle.}$$

Find the square root of the complex number  $(3 + 4i)$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} &\sqrt{3 + 4i} \\ &= \pm\sqrt{4 + 2.2i - 1} \\ &= \pm\sqrt{4 + 2.2i + i^2} \\ &= \pm\sqrt{(2 + i)^2} \\ &= \pm(2 + i) \end{aligned}$$

Find the square root of the complex number  $\frac{-1+5i}{2+3i}$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{-1+5i}{2+3i} &= \frac{-1+5i}{2+3i} \times \frac{2-3i}{2-3i} = \frac{(-1+5i)(2-3i)}{2^2-(3i)^2} \\ &= \frac{-2+3i+10i-15i^2}{4-9i^2} = \frac{13i-2+15}{4+9} = \frac{13i+13}{13} \Rightarrow \frac{-1+5i}{2+3i} = 1+i \end{aligned}$$

Let,  $x+iy = \sqrt{1+i}$ , Then

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

Now equating real and imaginary parts we get,

$$x^2 - y^2 = 1 \dots \dots (i)$$

$$2xy = 1 \dots \dots \dots (ii)$$

Also

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = (x^2 - y^2)^2 + 4x^2y^2$$

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = \sqrt{2} \dots \dots \dots (iii)$$

**Now**

$$(i) + (iii) \Rightarrow 2x^2 = \sqrt{2} + 1 \Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{2} + 1) \Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{2} + 1)}$$

**And**

$$(iii) - (i) \Rightarrow 2y^2 = \sqrt{2} - 1 \Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{2} - 1) \Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{2} - 1)}$$

**So**

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

**Exercise:**

(i) Show that the relation  $|z - (-2+i)| = 4$  represents a circle.

(ii) Show that the relation  $\left| \frac{z-1}{z+1} \right| = 6$  represents a circle.

(iii) Show that the relation  $\left| \frac{z-4}{z+4} \right| = 3$  represents a circle.

(iv) Find the square root of the complex number  $1+i$

(v) Find the square root of the complex number  $8-6i$