

8.3 Polar form of complex numbers (finishing)

ex: what are the four 4th roots of -4 ?

By the previous calculations $1+i$ is a 4th root.

$$\begin{aligned}
 -4 &= 4(\cos 180^\circ + i \sin 180^\circ) \\
 &= 4(\cos(180^\circ + 360^\circ) + i \sin(180^\circ + 360^\circ)) \\
 &= 4[\cos(180^\circ + 720^\circ) + i \sin(180^\circ + 720^\circ)] \\
 &= 4[\cos(180^\circ + 1080^\circ) + i \sin(180^\circ + 1080^\circ)] \\
 &\vdots
 \end{aligned}$$

Now take the 4th roots of each of the polar forms,

$$w_1 = 4^{1/4} [\cos(\frac{180^\circ}{4}) + i \sin(\frac{180^\circ}{4})] = \boxed{\sqrt{2}(\cos 45^\circ + i \sin 45^\circ)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 w_2 &= 4^{1/4} [\cos(\frac{180^\circ}{4} + \frac{360^\circ}{4}) + i \sin(\frac{180^\circ}{4} + \frac{360^\circ}{4})] \\
 &= \boxed{\sqrt{2}[\cos(45^\circ + 90^\circ) + i \sin(45^\circ + 90^\circ)]}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$w_3 = \boxed{\sqrt{2}[\cos(45^\circ + 180^\circ) + i \sin(45^\circ + 180^\circ)]}$$

because
 $\frac{720^\circ}{4} = \frac{2 \cdot 360^\circ}{4} = 2 \cdot 90^\circ = 180^\circ$

$$w_4 = \boxed{\sqrt{2}[\cos(45^\circ + 270^\circ) + i \sin(45^\circ + 270^\circ)]}$$

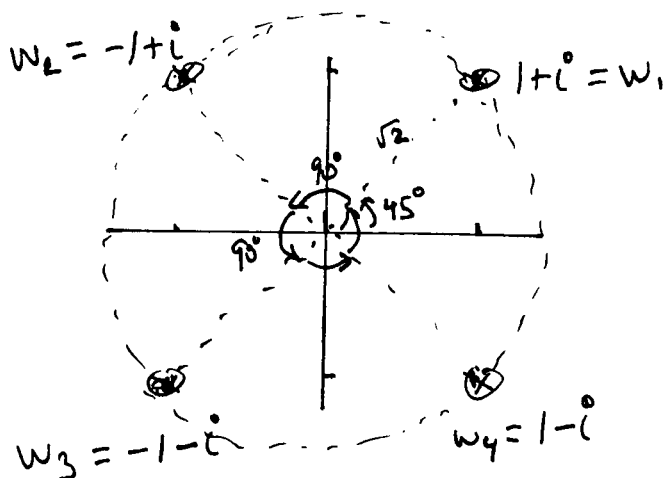
$\frac{1080^\circ}{4} = \frac{3 \cdot 360^\circ}{4} = 3 \cdot 90^\circ$

$$w_5 = \sqrt{2}[\cos(45^\circ + 360^\circ) + i \sin(45^\circ + 360^\circ)] = w_1$$

$\uparrow$
 $\frac{4 \cdot 360^\circ}{4}$

Not new,

ex (cont'd) what are the standard forms of these four 4th roots of -4 ?



$$w_1 = 1+i$$

$$w_2 = -1+i$$

$$w_3 = -1-i$$

$$w_4 = 1-i$$

ex: Suppose that $P(x) = x^4 + 4$.

What are the zeros of $P(x)$? Solve $x^4 + 4 = 0$

$$\text{Solve } x^4 = -4$$

That is, find the 4th roots of -4 .

Answer: $1+i, -1+i, -1-i, 1-i$.

ex: How does $P(x) = x^4 + 4$ factor into linear factors over the complex numbers?

$$\text{linear factors: } (x-1-i)(x+1-i)(x+1+i)(x-1+i)$$

$$\text{zeros: } \begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ 1+i & -1+i & -1-i & 1-i \end{matrix}$$

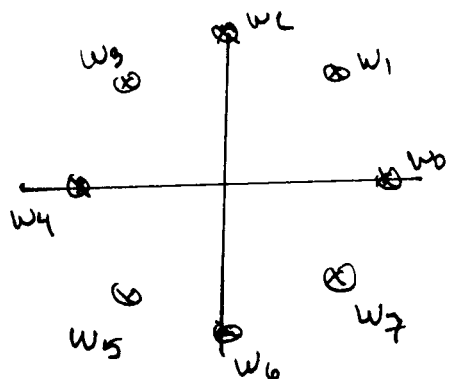
ex: [Pop quiz, might have been] Factor $x^4 + 4$ over the reals.

$$\begin{aligned} P(x) &= [(x-1-i)(x-1+i)] \cdot [(x+1-i)(x+1+i)] \\ &= (x^2 - 2x + 2)(x^2 + 2x + 2) \end{aligned}$$

Remark: $\sqrt{(x - \alpha - \beta i)(x - \alpha + \beta i) = x^2 - 2\alpha x + \alpha^2 + \beta^2}$

ex: What are the 8th roots of 1?

$$1 = 1 \cdot (\cos 0^\circ + i \sin 0^\circ)$$



$$w_0 = 1$$

$$w_1 = \cos 45^\circ + i \sin 45^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$w_2 = i$$

$$w_3 = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$w_6 = -i$$

$$w_7 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

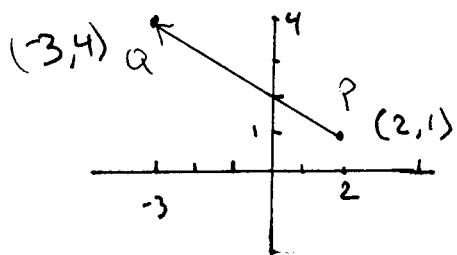
$$w_4 = -1$$

$$w_5 = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

[We will probably have to skip section 8.4: Parametric Curves]

9.1 Vectors in Two dimensions

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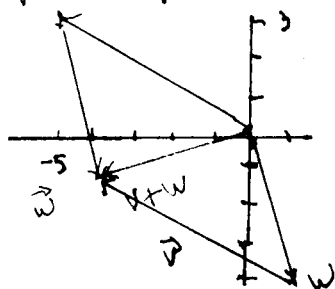
$$\vec{v} = \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle (-3) - 2, 4 - 1 \rangle = \langle -5, 3 \rangle$$

↑ "component form" of a vector.

Addition using component form

$$\vec{v} = \langle -5, 3 \rangle \quad \vec{w} = \langle 1, -4 \rangle$$

$$\vec{v} + \vec{w} = \langle -5 + 1, 3 + (-4) \rangle = \langle -4, -1 \rangle$$



Scalar multiplication using component form

$$\vec{v} = \langle -5, 3 \rangle \quad 3\vec{v} = 3\langle -5, 3 \rangle \\ = \langle -15, 9 \rangle$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}\vec{v} = -\frac{1}{2}\langle -5, 3 \rangle = \langle \frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{2} \rangle = \langle 2.5, -1.5 \rangle$$

Combined

$$\vec{v} = \langle -5, 3 \rangle \quad \vec{w} = \langle 1, -4 \rangle$$

$$10\vec{v} - 2\vec{w} = 10\langle -5, 3 \rangle - 2\langle 1, -4 \rangle \\ = \langle -50, 30 \rangle + \langle -2, 8 \rangle \\ = \langle -52, 38 \rangle$$

Defn: If $\vec{v} = \langle a, b \rangle$ then the length or magnitude is $|\vec{v}| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

$$\text{ex: If } \vec{v} = \langle -5, 3 \rangle, \text{ the length } |\vec{v}| = \sqrt{(-5)^2 + 3^2} \\ = \sqrt{34} \approx 5.83$$

ex [of the property $|c\vec{v}| = |c| |\vec{v}|$]

Suppose $c = -10$ and $\vec{v} = \langle 3, -4 \rangle$; then $|\vec{v}| = \sqrt{3^2 + (-4)^2} = 5$

$$c\vec{v} = -10\langle 3, -4 \rangle = \langle -30, 40 \rangle$$

$$\text{Observe: } |c\vec{v}| = \sqrt{(-30)^2 + 40^2} = 50$$

$$|c| |\vec{v}| = |-10| \cdot 5 = 10 \cdot 5$$

NOTATION: $\vec{i} = \langle 1, 0 \rangle$ $\vec{j} = \langle 0, 1 \rangle$ by definition of $\vec{i}$ and $\vec{j}$

$$\vec{v} = \langle 3, -4 \rangle = \langle 3, 0 \rangle + \langle 0, -4 \rangle = 3\langle 1, 0 \rangle - 4\langle 0, 1 \rangle \\ = 3\vec{i} - 4\vec{j}$$

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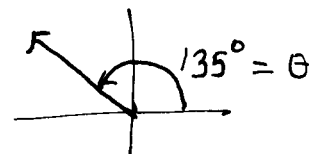
Ex: [Rectangular vs. Polar form of a vector]

Component form of vector = $\langle a, b \rangle = \vec{v}$

Form that expresses direction and magnitude:

$$\vec{v} = |\vec{v}| \langle \cos \theta, \sin \theta \rangle$$

example: $\vec{v} = \langle -5, 5 \rangle$



$$|\vec{v}| = \sqrt{(-5)^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{50} = \sqrt{25 \cdot 2} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{b}{a} = \frac{5}{-5} = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = 135^\circ$$

polar form of the
vector [NOT
in the textbook]

$$\vec{v} = \boxed{\langle -5, 5 \rangle}$$

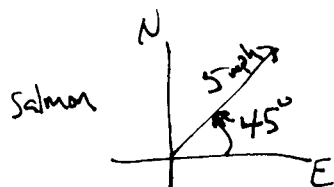
Rectangular
form

$$= 5\sqrt{2} \left\langle \frac{-5}{5\sqrt{2}}, \frac{5}{5\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle$$

$$= 5\sqrt{2} \left\langle -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right\rangle = 5\sqrt{2} \left\langle -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle$$

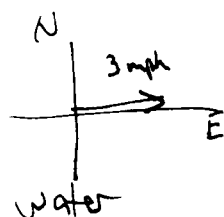
$$= \boxed{5\sqrt{2} \langle \cos 135^\circ, \sin 135^\circ \rangle} \quad \text{polar form}$$

58) Salmon velocity? Direction = N 45° E
in still water Magnitude = 5 mi/hr



$$\vec{v} = 5 \langle \cos 45^\circ, \sin 45^\circ \rangle$$

$$= 5 \left\langle \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle = \left\langle \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle$$



water velocity?

$$\vec{w} = \langle 3, 0 \rangle$$

$$\text{Net motion? } \vec{v} + \vec{w} = \left\langle \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} + 3, \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle$$

What about direction and magnitude? [out of time.]

Added after class - to finish up the last problem.

What is the speed (i.e. the magnitude of the velocity vector) of the salmon swimming with the current?

$$|\vec{v} + \vec{w}| = \left| \left\langle \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} + 3, \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\rangle \right| = \left| \langle 6.536, 3.536 \rangle \right|$$

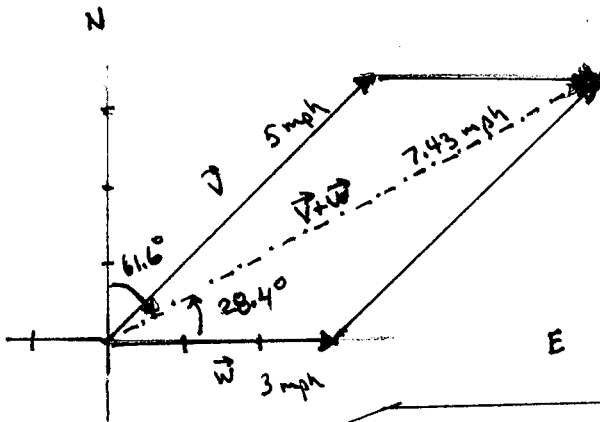
$$= \sqrt{6.536^2 + 3.536^2} = \boxed{7.43 \text{ miles/hr}}$$

Direction of the salmon swimming with the current?

$$\tan \theta = \frac{3.536}{6.536} = 0.54097 \quad \text{so}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} 0.54097 = 28.4^\circ \quad \text{north of due east}$$

$$\text{or } \boxed{N 61.6^\circ E}$$



Summary of contexts where the idea of rectangular vs. polar appears.
(via an example)

	Rectangular	Polar	Notes:
Coordinates in the plane	$(x, y) = (-5, 5)$	$(r, \theta) = (5\sqrt{2}, 135^\circ)$	Points (locations) can't be added
Complex numbers	$-5 + 5i$	$5\sqrt{2} (\cos 135^\circ + i \sin 135^\circ)$	Complex numbers can be added and multiplied.
Vectors in the plane	$\langle -5, 5 \rangle$	$5\sqrt{2} \langle \cos 135^\circ, \sin 135^\circ \rangle$	Vectors can be added.