

LECTURE 2

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Further motivation:

$$* \textcircled{i} \quad \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$$

$$\textcircled{ii} \quad \frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \dots = \frac{\pi^2}{12} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\textcircled{iii} \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+4k^2\pi^2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{e-1} - \frac{1}{2} \right).$$

$$\text{Re } \textcircled{i} \quad \begin{array}{l} \zeta(s) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s} \\ \text{zeta } \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Riemann} \\ \text{zeta f.} \\ s \in \mathbb{C} \end{array}$$

Riemann hypothesis: ζ has only many non-trivial zeros, & they all lie on the line $\text{Re}(s) = \frac{1}{2}$.

Note that defⁿ as given only makes sense for $\text{Re}(s) > 1$: need to extend ζ to \mathbb{C} , done by analytic continuation

* trivial zeros $-2, -4, -6, \dots$

* Millennium Problems

Complex Numbers:

* 1545 Cardano (Ars Magna)

real roots of $x^3 + ax + b$
 $5 + \sqrt{-15}$ "mental torture"

* 1575 i: rules for operations in \mathbb{C}

* 1629 $a + \sqrt{-b}$ "solutions impossibles"

* Descartes: imaginary numbers

* 1631 complex \mathbb{H} s.

INTRO BC §1-3

* \mathbb{N} : $\{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ natural \mathbb{H} s

* \mathbb{N}_0 : $\{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$

* \mathbb{Z} : $\{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots\}$ integers

* \mathbb{Q} : $\{p/q : p, q \in \mathbb{Z}, q \neq 0\}$.

* \mathbb{R} : real \mathbb{H} s

* \mathbb{C} : complex \mathbb{H} s

Various equivalent representations of \mathbb{C} .

$$z = (x, y) \in \text{complex plane.}$$

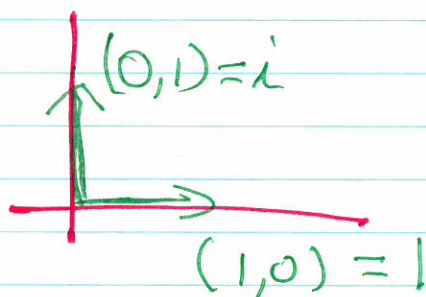
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 \mathbb{R} \mathbb{R}

So $z = x(1, 0) + y(0, 1)$.

$$= x + iy$$

→ real part of z

→ imaginary part of z



" i is the complex number represented by $(0, 1)$ "

We say $\mathbb{R} \subset \mathbb{C}$ by identifying the complex $\# \boxed{x + 0i}$ with the real $\# \boxed{x}$.

Addition in \mathbb{C} : +

$$\text{Set } (x_1, y_1) + (x_2, y_2) = (x_1 + x_2, y_1 + y_2), \text{ i.e.,}$$

$$(x_1 + iy_1) + (x_2 + iy_2) = (x_1 + x_2) + i(y_1 + y_2)$$

Multiplication in \mathbb{C} :

\times or \cdot or juxtaposition:

$$(x_1, y_1) \cdot (x_2, y_2) = (x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2, y_1 x_2 + x_1 y_2)$$

$$(x_1 + iy_1) \cdot (x_2 + iy_2) = (x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2) + i(y_1 x_2 + x_1 y_2)$$

Note defⁿ of \times formally applies if we use the usual rules for algebra in \mathbb{R} , & set $i^2 = -1$.

With this $+$ & \times , \mathbb{C} is a field.

Check! \mathbb{C} is closed under $+$ & \times .

F2) (i) $0 = 0 + 0i$;

(ii) $-z = -(x + iy) = (-x) + i(-y)$.

F5) (i) $1 = 1 + 0i$;

(ii) $z = x + iy \neq 0$;

$$z^{-1} = \frac{1}{x + iy} \cdot \frac{x - iy}{x - iy} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} - i \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$$

Since \mathbb{C} is a field, there holds:

$$z_1 z_2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow z_1 = 0 \text{ or } z_2 = 0 \text{ or both,}$$

called null-factor or cancellation law