

MATHEMATICS

Chapter 5: COMPLEX NUMBERS & QUADRATIC EQUATIONS



Important Questions

Multiple Choice questions-

Question 1. 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

- (a) $a^2 = b$
- (b) $a^2 = 2b$
- (c) $a^2 = 3b$
- (d) $a^2 = 4b$

Question 2. The value of i^i is

- (a) 0
- (b) $e^{-\pi}$
- (c) $2e^{-\pi/2}$
- (d) $e^{-\pi/2}$

Question 3. The value of $\sqrt{-25} + 3\sqrt{-4} + 2\sqrt{-9}$ is

- (a) $13i$
- (b) $-13i$
- (c) $17i$
- (d) $-17i$

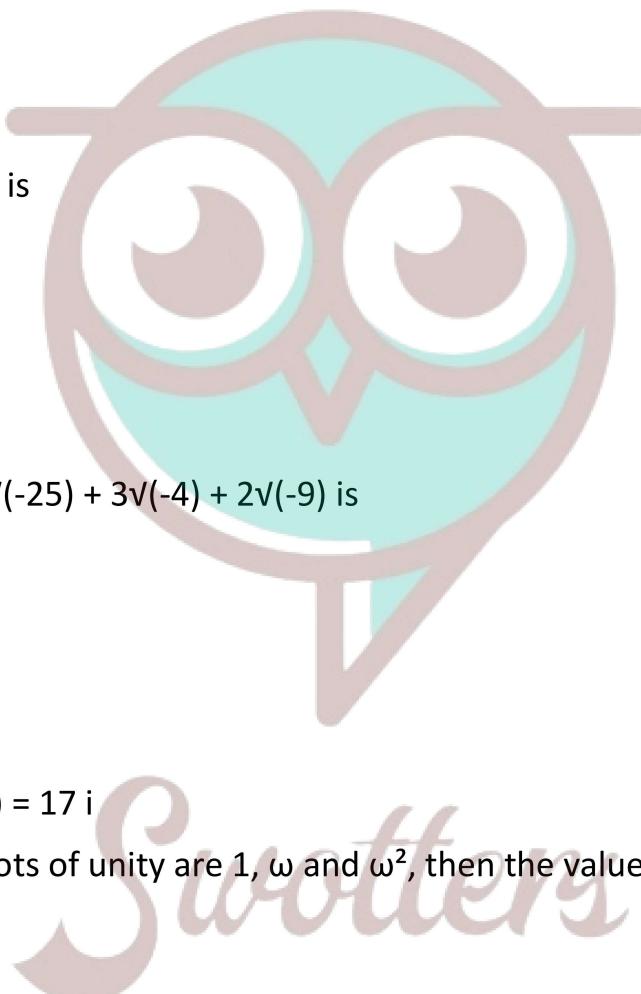
So, $\sqrt{-25} + 3\sqrt{-4} + 2\sqrt{-9} = 17i$

Question 4. If the cube roots of unity are 1, ω and ω^2 , then the value of $(1 + \omega / \omega^2)^3$ is

- (a) 1
- (b) -1
- (c) ω
- (d) ω^2

Question 5. If $\{(1 + i)/(1 - i)\}^n = 1$ then the least value of n is

- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 4



Question 6. The value of $[i^{19} + (1/i)^{25}]^2$ is

- (a) -1
- (b) -2
- (c) -3
- (d) -4

Question 7. If z and w be two complex numbers such that $|z| \leq 1$, $|w| \leq 1$ and $|z + iw| = |z - iw| = 2$, then z equals { w is conjugate of w }

- (a) 1 or i
- (b) i or $-i$
- (c) 1 or -1
- (d) i or -1

Question 8. The value of $\{-\sqrt{(-1)}\}^{4n+3}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$ is

- (a) i
- (b) $-i$
- (c) 1
- (d) -1

Question 9. Find real θ such that $(3 + 2i \times \sin \theta)/(1 - 2i \times \sin \theta)$ is real

- (a) π
- (b) $n\pi$
- (c) $n\pi/2$
- (d) $2n\pi$

Question 10. If $i = \sqrt{(-1)}$ then $4 + 5(-1/2 + i\sqrt{3}/2)^{334} + 3(-1/2 + i\sqrt{3}/2)^{365}$ is equals to

- (a) $1 - i\sqrt{3}$
- (b) $-1 + i\sqrt{3}$
- (c) $i\sqrt{3}$
- (d) $-i\sqrt{3}$

Very Short Questions:

Evaluate i^{-39}

1. Solved the quadratic equation $x^2 + x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 0$
2. If $\left(\frac{1+i}{1-i}\right)^m = 1$, then find the least positive integral value of m .

3. Evaluate $(1+i)^4$
4. Find the modulus of $\frac{1+i}{1-i} - \frac{1-i}{1+i}$
5. Express in the form of $a + ib$. $(1+3i)^{-1}$
6. Explain the fallacy in $-1 = i$. i.e. $= \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{-1} = \sqrt{-1(-1)} = \sqrt{1} = 1$.
7. Find the conjugate of $\frac{1}{2-3i}$
8. Find the conjugate of $-3i - 5$.
9. Let $z_1 = 2 - i$, $z_2 = -2 + i$ Find $\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{z_1 z_2}{z_1}\right)$

Short Questions:

1. If $x + iy = \frac{a+ib}{a-ib}$ Prove that $x^2 + y^2 = 1$
2. Find real θ such that $\frac{3+2i \sin \theta}{1-2i \sin \theta}$ is purely real.
3. Find the modulus of $\frac{(1+i)(2+i)}{3+i}$
4. If $|a + ib| = 1$ then Show that $\frac{1+b+a}{1+b-ai} = b + ai$
5. If $x - iy = \sqrt{\frac{a-ib}{c-id}}$ Prove that $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{c^2 + d^2}$

Long Questions:

1. If $z = x + iy$ and $w = \frac{1-i^2}{z-i}$ Show that $|w| = 1 \Rightarrow z$ is purely real.
2. Convert into polar form $\frac{-16}{1+i\sqrt{3}}$
3. Find two numbers such that their sum is 6 and the product is 14.
4. Convert into polar form $z = \frac{i-1}{\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3}}$
5. If α and β are different complex number with $|\beta| = 1$ Then find $\left| \frac{\beta-\alpha}{1-\alpha\beta} \right|$

Assertion Reason Questions:

1. In each of the following questions, a statement of Assertion is given followed by a corresponding statement of Reason just below it. Of the statements, mark the correct answer as.

Assertion (A): If $i = \sqrt{-1}$, then $i^{4k} = 1$, $i^{4k+1} = i$, $i^{4k+2} = -1$ and $i^{4k+3} = -i$.

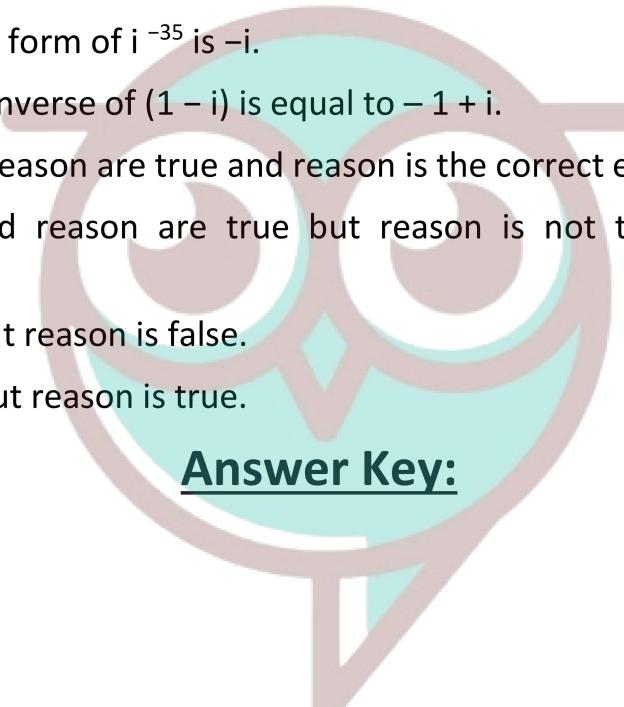
Reason (R): $i^{4k} + i^{4k+1} + i^{4k+2} + i^{4k+3} = 1$.

- (i) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
- (ii) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.
- (iii) Assertion is true but reason is false.
- (iv) Assertion is false but reason is true.
2. In each of the following questions, a statement of Assertion is given followed by a corresponding statement of Reason just below it. Of the statements, mark the correct answer as.
- Assertion (A):** Simplest form of i^{-35} is $-i$.
- Reason (R) :** Additive inverse of $(1 - i)$ is equal to $-1 + i$.
- (i) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
- (ii) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.
- (iii) Assertion is true but reason is false.
- (iv) Assertion is false but reason is true.

Answer Key:

MCQ

1. (c) $a^2 = 3b$
2. (d) $e^{-\pi/2}$
3. (c) $17i$
4. (b) -1
5. (d) 4
6. (d) -4
7. (c) 1 or -1
8. (a) i
9. (b) $n\pi$
10. (c) $i\sqrt{3}$



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Very Short Answer:

1.

$$i^{-39} = \frac{1}{i^{39}} = \frac{1}{(i^4)^9 \cdot i^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{1 \times (-i)} \quad \left[\because i^4 = 1 \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \quad \quad i^3 = -i \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{-i} \times \frac{i}{i} \\
 &= \frac{i}{-i^2} = \frac{i}{-(-1)} = i \quad \left[\because i^2 = -1 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

2.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{x^2}{1} + \frac{x}{1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} &= 0 \\
 \frac{\sqrt{2}x^2 + \sqrt{2}x + 1}{\sqrt{2}} &= \frac{0}{1} \\
 \sqrt{2}x^2 + \sqrt{2}x + 1 &= 0 \\
 x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{D}}{2a} & \\
 = \frac{-\sqrt{2} \pm \sqrt{2 - 4\sqrt{2}}}{2 \times \sqrt{2}} & \\
 = \frac{-\sqrt{2} \pm \sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - 2\sqrt{2}}}{2\sqrt{2}} & \\
 = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{2\sqrt{2} - 1}i}{2} &
 \end{aligned}$$



3.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\frac{1+i}{1-i} \right)^m &= 1 \\
 \left(\frac{1+i}{1-i} \times \frac{1+i}{1+i} \right)^m &= 1 \\
 \left(\frac{1+i^2 + 2i}{1-i^2} \right)^m &= 1 \\
 \left(\frac{1 - 1 + 2i}{2} \right)^m &= 1 \quad \left[\because i^2 = -1 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$i^m = 1$$

$$m=4$$

4.

$$(1+i)^4 = [(1+i)^2]^2$$

$$= (1+i^2 + 2i)^2$$

$$= (1-1+2i)^2$$

$$= (2i)^2 = 4i^2$$

$$= 4(-1) = -4$$

5.

$$\text{Let } z = \frac{1+i}{1-i} - \frac{1-i}{1+i}$$

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

$$= \frac{4i}{2}$$

$$= 2i$$

$$z = 0 + 2i$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{(0)^2 + (2)^2}$$

$$= 2$$

6.

$$(1+3i)^{-1} = \frac{1}{1+3i} \times \frac{1-3i}{1-3i}$$

$$= \frac{1-3i}{(1)^2 - (3i)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1-3i}{1-9i^2}$$

$$= \frac{1-3i}{1+9} \quad [i^2 = -1]$$

$$= \frac{1-3i}{10}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} - \frac{3i}{10}$$

7.

$1 = \sqrt{1} = \sqrt{(-1)(-1)}$ is okay but

$\sqrt{(-1)(-1)} = \sqrt{-1}\sqrt{-1}$ is wrong.



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8.

$$\text{Let } z = \frac{1}{2-3i}$$

$$z = \frac{1}{2-3i} \times \frac{2+3i}{2+3i} i$$

$$= \frac{2+3i}{(2)^2 - (3i)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2+3i}{4+9}$$

$$= \frac{2+3i}{13}$$

$$z = \frac{2}{13} + \frac{3}{13}i$$

$$\bar{z} = \frac{2}{13} - \frac{3}{13}i$$

9. Let $z = 3i - 5$

$$\bar{z} = 3i - 5$$

$$10. z_1 z_2 = (2 - i)(-2 + i)$$

$$= -4 + 2i + 2i - i^2$$

$$= -4 + 4i + 1$$

$$= 4i - 3$$

$$\bar{z}_1 = 2+i$$

$$\frac{z_1 z_2}{\bar{z}_1} = \frac{4i-3}{2+i} \times \frac{2-i}{2-i}$$

$$= \frac{8i-6-4i^2+3i}{4-i^2}$$

$$= \frac{11i-2}{5}$$

$$\frac{z_1 z_2}{z_1} = \frac{11}{5}i - \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\text{Re}\left(\frac{z_1 z_2}{\bar{z}_1}\right) = -\frac{2}{5}$$



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Short Answer:

1.

$$x+iy = \frac{a+ib}{a-ib} \quad (\text{i}) \quad (\text{Given})$$

taking conjugate both side

$$x - iy = \frac{a - ib}{a + ib} \quad (\text{ii})$$

(i) \times (ii)

$$(x + iy)(x - iy) = \left(\frac{a + ib}{a - ib} \right) \times \left(\frac{a - ib}{a + ib} \right)$$

$$(x)^2 - (iy)^2 = 1$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

$$[i^2 = -1]$$

2.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3 + 2i \sin\theta}{1 - 2i \sin\theta} &= \frac{3 + 2i \sin\theta}{1 - 2i \sin\theta} \times \frac{1 + 2i \sin\theta}{1 + 2i \sin\theta} \\ &= \frac{3 + 6i \sin\theta + 2i \sin\theta - 4 \sin^2\theta}{1 + 4 \sin^2\theta} \\ &= \frac{3 - 4 \sin^2\theta}{1 + 4 \sin^2\theta} + \frac{8i \sin\theta}{1 + 4 \sin^2\theta} \end{aligned}$$

For purely real

$$\operatorname{Im}(z) = 0$$

$$\frac{8 \sin\theta}{1 + 4 \sin^2\theta} = 0$$

$$\sin\theta = 0$$

$$\theta = n\pi$$



3.

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{(1+i)(2+i)}{3+i} \right| &= \frac{|(1+i)||2+i|}{|3+i|} \\ &= \frac{(\sqrt{1^2+1^2})(\sqrt{4+1})}{\sqrt{(3)^2+(1)^2}} \\ &= \frac{(\sqrt{2})(\sqrt{5})}{\sqrt{10}} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{5}} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

4.

$$|a+ib|=1$$

$$\sqrt{a^2+b^2}=1$$

$$a^2+b^2=1$$

$$\frac{1+b+ai}{1+b-ai} = \frac{(1+b)+ai}{(1+b)-ai} \times \frac{(1+b)+ai}{(1+b)+ai}$$

$$= \frac{(1+b)^2 + (ai)^2 + 2(1+b)(ai)}{(1+b)^2 - (ai)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1+b^2+2b-a^2+2ai+2abc}{1+b^2+2a-a^2}$$

$$= \frac{(a^2+b^2)+b^2+2b-a^2+2ai+2abi}{(a^2+b^2)+b^2+2b-a^2}$$

$$= \frac{2b^2+2b+2ai+2abi}{2b^2+2b}$$

$$= \frac{b^2+b+ai+abi}{b^2+b}$$

$$= \frac{b(b+1)+ai(b+1)}{b(b+1)}$$

$$= b+ai$$

5.

$$x-iy = \sqrt{\frac{a-ib}{c-id}} \quad (1) \text{ (Given)}$$

Taking conjugate both side

$$x+iy = \sqrt{\frac{a+ib}{c+id}} \quad (ii)$$

(i) \times (ii)

$$(x-iy) \times (x+iy) = \sqrt{\frac{a-ib}{c-id}} \times \sqrt{\frac{a+ib}{c+id}}$$

$$(x)^2 - (iy)^2 = \sqrt{\frac{(a)^2 - (ib)^2}{(c)^2 - (id)^2}}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 + b^2}{c^2 + d^2}}$$

squaring both side

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{c^2 + d^2}$$



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Long Answer:

1.

$$\begin{aligned}
 w &= \frac{1-iz}{z-i} \\
 &= \frac{1-i(x+iy)}{x+iy-i} \\
 &= \frac{1-ix-i^2y}{x+i(y-1)} \\
 &= \frac{(1+y)-ix}{x+i(y-1)} \\
 \therefore |w| &= 1 \\
 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{(1+y)-ix}{x+i(y-1)} \right| &= 1 \\
 \frac{|(1+y)-ix|}{|x+i(y-1)|} &= 1 \\
 \frac{\sqrt{(1+y)^2 + (-x)^2}}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-1)^2}} &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

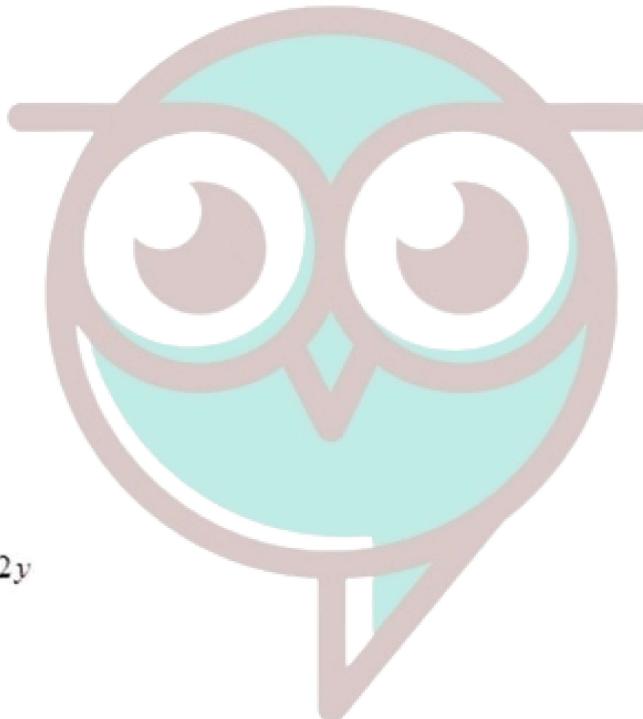
$$1+y^2 + 2y + x^2 = x^2 + y^2 + 1 - 2y$$

$$4y = 0$$

$$y = 0$$

$$\therefore z = x + i$$

is purely real



2.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{-16}{1+i\sqrt{3}} &= \frac{-16}{1+i\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{1-i\sqrt{3}} \\
 &= \frac{-16(1-i\sqrt{3})}{(1)^2 - (i\sqrt{3})^2} \\
 &= \frac{-16(1-i\sqrt{3})}{1+3} \\
 &= -4(1-i\sqrt{3}) \\
 z &= -4 + i4\sqrt{3} \\
 r &= |z| = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (4\sqrt{3})^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sqrt{16+48}$$

$$= \sqrt{64}$$

$$= 8$$

Let α be the acute $\angle S$

$$\tan \alpha = \left| \frac{\cancel{4}\sqrt{3}}{\cancel{4}} \right|$$

$$\tan \alpha = \tan \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Since $\operatorname{Re}(z) < 0$, and $\operatorname{Im}(z) > 0$

$$\theta = \pi - \alpha$$

$$= \pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$z = 8 \left(\cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)$$

3.

Let x and y be the no.

$$x + y = 6$$

$$xy = 14$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 14 = 0$$

$$D = -20$$

$$x = \frac{-(-6) \pm \sqrt{-20}}{2 \times 1}$$

$$= \frac{6 \pm 2\sqrt{5}i}{2}$$

$$= 3 \pm \sqrt{5}i$$

$$x = 3 + \sqrt{5}i$$

$$y = 6 - (3 + \sqrt{5}i)$$

$$= 3 - \sqrt{5}i$$

$$\text{when } x = 3 - \sqrt{5}i$$

$$y = 6 - (3 - \sqrt{5}i)$$

$$= 3 + \sqrt{5}i$$

4.



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$$z = \frac{i-1}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i}$$

$$= \frac{2(i-1)}{1+\sqrt{3}i} \times \frac{1-\sqrt{3}i}{1-\sqrt{3}i}$$

$$z = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2}i$$

$$r = |z| = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2} \right)^2$$

$$r = 2$$

Let α be the acute \angle s

$$\tan \alpha = \left| \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2}}{\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sqrt{3} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)}{\sqrt{3} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \tan \frac{\pi}{6}}{1 - \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan \frac{\pi}{6}} \right|$$

$$\tan \alpha = \left| \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{6} \right) \right|$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

$$z = 2 \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{12} \right)$$



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5.

$$\left| \frac{\beta - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right|^2 = \left(\frac{\beta - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right) \left(\frac{\overline{\beta - \alpha}}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right) \quad [\because |z|^2 = z\bar{z}]$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \left(\frac{\beta - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right) \left(\frac{\bar{\beta} - \bar{\alpha}}{1 - \alpha\bar{\beta}} \right) \\&= \left(\frac{\beta\bar{\beta} - \beta\bar{\alpha} - \alpha\bar{\beta} + \alpha\bar{\alpha}}{1 - \alpha\bar{\beta} - \bar{\alpha}\beta + \alpha\bar{\alpha}\beta\bar{\beta}} \right) \\&= \left(\frac{|\beta|^2 - \beta\bar{\alpha} - \alpha\bar{\beta} + |\alpha|^2}{1 - \alpha\bar{\beta} - \bar{\alpha}\beta + |\alpha|^2|\beta|^2} \right) \\&= \left(\frac{1 - \beta\bar{\alpha} - \alpha\bar{\beta} + |\alpha|^2}{1 - \alpha\bar{\beta} - \bar{\alpha}\beta + |\alpha|^2} \right) \quad [\because |\beta|=1] \\&= 1\end{aligned}$$

$$\left| \frac{\beta - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right| = \sqrt{1}$$

$$\left| \frac{\beta - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}\beta} \right| = 1$$

Assertion Reason Answer:

1. (iii) Assertion is true but reason is false.
2. (iv) Assertion is false but reason is true.



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