

I. Multiply Complex Numbers in Rectangular Form:

a.  $(2 + i\sqrt{3})(2 + i\sqrt{3})$

b.  $(2 + i\sqrt{3})(2 - i\sqrt{3})$

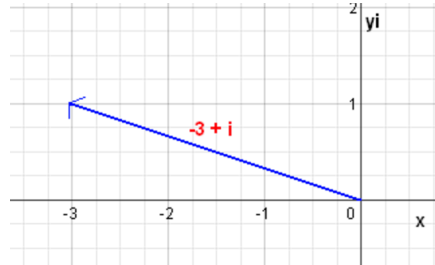
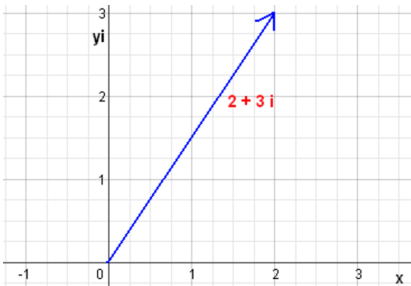
II. Divide Complex Numbers:

$\frac{2+3i}{1-4i}$

Use complex conjugate to write the quotient in  $a + bi$  form.

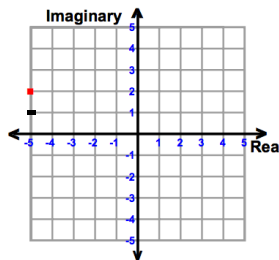
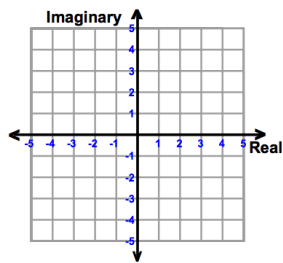
III. Graphing Complex Numbers

Complex numbers can be represented by vectors in a Cartesian plane.



The real part of the complex number,  $a$ , is represented by the x coordinate, and the imaginary part of the complex number,  $b$ , is represented by the y coordinate.

$-2 + 5i$



IV. Absolute Value of a Complex Number, "Modulus"

The absolute value of a complex number length of its vector:

Example:

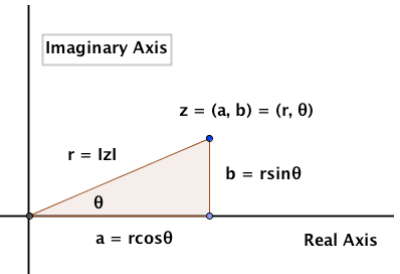
$i = \sqrt{-1}$

**Complex Number:**  
 $Z = a + bi$

$a$  = real part  
 $b$  = imaginary part

**Complex Conjugates:**  
 $a \pm bi$

$(a + bi)(a - bi) =$   
**real number**



**Rectangular Coordinates:**  
 $(a, b)$

**Rectangular Form:**  
 $a + bi$

**Polar Coordinates:**  
 $(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$

**Polar Form:**  
 $r \cos \theta + r \sin \theta \cdot i$

$|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

## V. Converting Between Polar and Rectangular Form

Convert to polar form:

$$1 - i\sqrt{3}$$

Convert to rectangular form:

$$\sqrt{2}\cos 45^\circ + \sqrt{2}\sin 45^\circ$$

$$\sqrt{2}(\cos 45^\circ + i\sin 45^\circ)$$

$$\sqrt{2}\text{cis}45^\circ \text{ abbreviation}$$

## VI. Multiplication in Rectangular Form vs. Polar Form

Multiply the following complex numbers using the FOIL method:

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

Convert your product above to polar form.

Convert each of the original complex numbers to polar form.

Compare the complex numbers to their product in polar form. Do you notice anything?

## Multiplying Two Complex Numbers in Polar Form

1. Multiply their  $r$  values
2. Add their angles

$$z_1 = r_1\text{cis}\theta_1$$

$$z_2 = r_2\text{cis}\theta_2$$

$$z_1 \cdot z_2 = r_1\text{cis}\theta_1 \cdot r_2\text{cis}\theta_2 = r_1r_2\text{cis}(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

## **Rectangular Form:**

$$a + bi$$

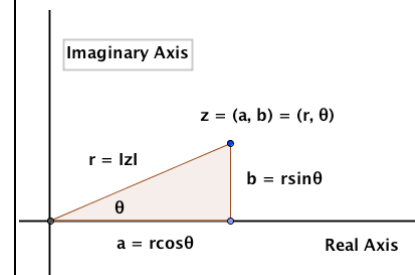
## **Polar Form:**

$$r\cos\theta + r\sin\theta \cdot i$$

$$r\cos\theta + (r\sin\theta)i$$

$$r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)$$

$$r\text{cis}\theta$$



$$z_1 z_2 = r_1 r_2 \text{cis}(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

Multiply and then convert your answer to rectangular form.

$$(3 \operatorname{cis} 165^\circ)(4 \operatorname{cis} 45^\circ)$$

Which operation would you rather perform?

$$(2 + 2i)^6$$

or

$$(2\sqrt{2}\operatorname{cis}45^\circ)^6$$

$$\mathbf{z_1 z_2 = r_1 r_2 \operatorname{cis}(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}$$