IB Mathematics HL



Quiz1 - Complex Numbers

No GDC allowed on the quiz.

1. Given that $\frac{2}{x+iy} + \frac{1}{1-2i} = \frac{2}{5} + i$ where x and y are real, find the value of x and the value of y.

[6 marks]

[total marks on guiz: 40 marks]

- 2. Find the three cube roots -2+2i and express them in exponential form, $re^{i\theta}$. [9 marks]
- 3. Consider the following two complex numbers

$$z = \frac{3+3i}{1-i}$$
 and $w = \frac{4}{1+i\sqrt{3}}$

(a) Write each in modulus-argument form, $r \operatorname{cis} \theta$. [6 marks]

(b) Hence, find simplified expressions for zw and $\frac{z}{w}$ in modulus-argument form, $r \operatorname{cis} \theta$. [6 marks]

4. (a) Find all roots for the equation $x^4 + 16 = 0$ given that $x \in \mathbb{C}$. [8 marks]

(b) Hence, express $x^4 + 16$ as the product of two quadratic polynomials with real coefficients. [**5 marks**]

Bonus: Show that
$$\frac{\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta}{\cos 3\theta + i \sin 3\theta} = \cos \theta - i \sin \theta$$
 [+4 marks]