

Financial Mathematics

Complex numbers

Convention on scalars

We're “real people”, meaning that, unless otherwise specified, **number** means *real* number, as does **scalar**. However, sometimes we use...

Complex numbers

Def'n: A **complex number** is an expression of the form $a + bi$, where $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\operatorname{Re}(3 + 4i) = 3 \quad \operatorname{Re}(\sqrt{2} - 8i) = \sqrt{2} \quad \operatorname{Re}(e - \pi i) = e$$

e.g.: $3 + 4i$, $\sqrt{2} - 8i$, $e - \pi i$

$$\operatorname{Im}(3 + 4i) = 4 \quad \operatorname{Im}(\sqrt{2} - 8i) = -8 \quad \operatorname{Im}(e - \pi i) = -\pi$$

Def'n: The **real part** of $z = a + bi$ is

$$\boxed{\operatorname{Re}(z)} = a.$$

Def'n: The **imaginary part** of $z = a + bi$ is

$$\boxed{\operatorname{Im}(z)} = b.$$

SKILL

Finding real & imaginary parts of cx numbers

Addition of complex numbers

Definition:

$$(a + bi) + (c + di) = (a + c) + (b + d)i$$

i.e.: addition of complex numbers is accomplished by adding together real and imaginary parts.

e.g.: $(3 + 4i) + (7 - 8i) = 10 - 4i$

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addition of cx numbers

The geometry of complex addition

Question: Where is $w + z$?

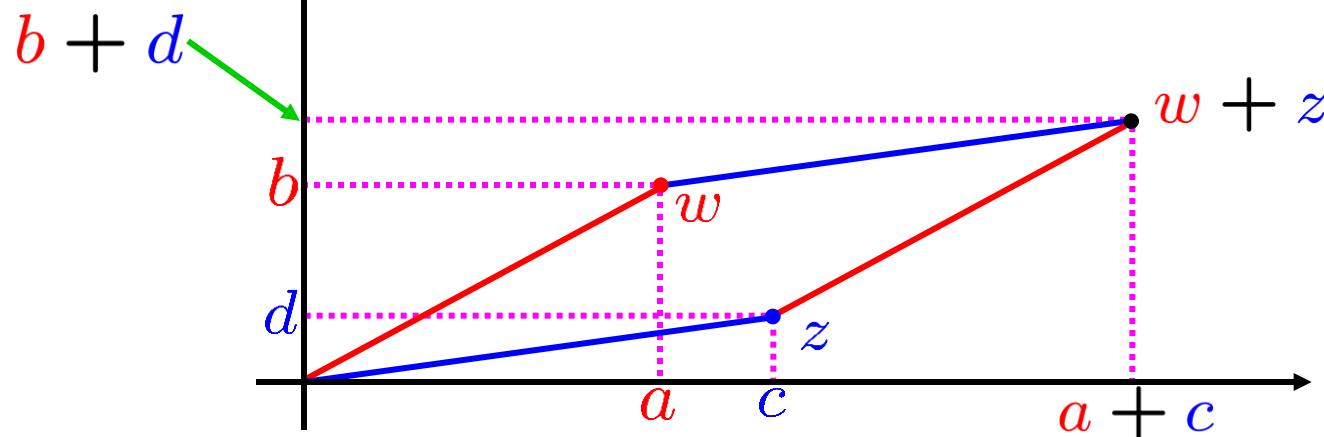
Answer:

$$w = a + bi$$

$$z = c + di$$

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Make w and z into a parallelogram.



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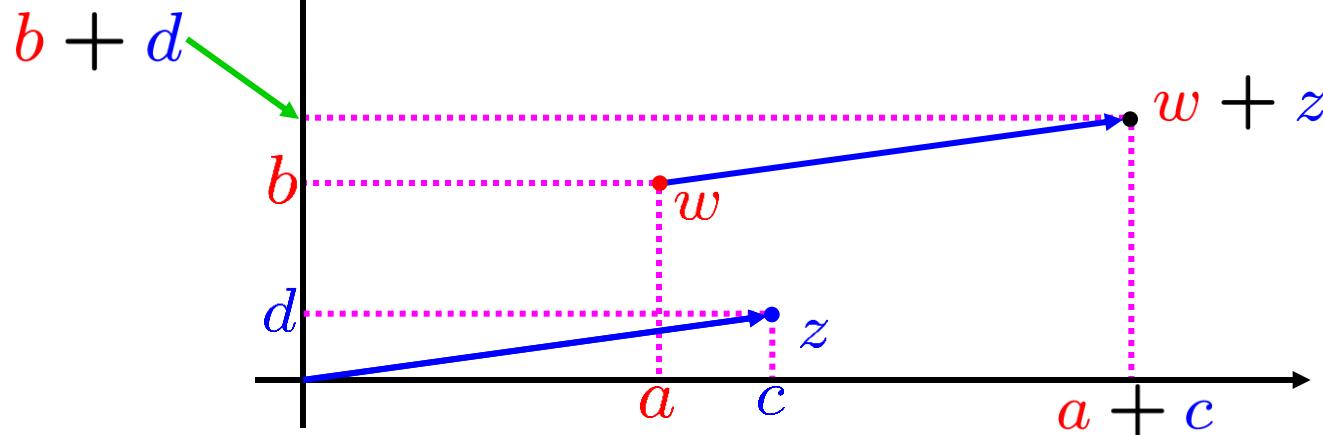
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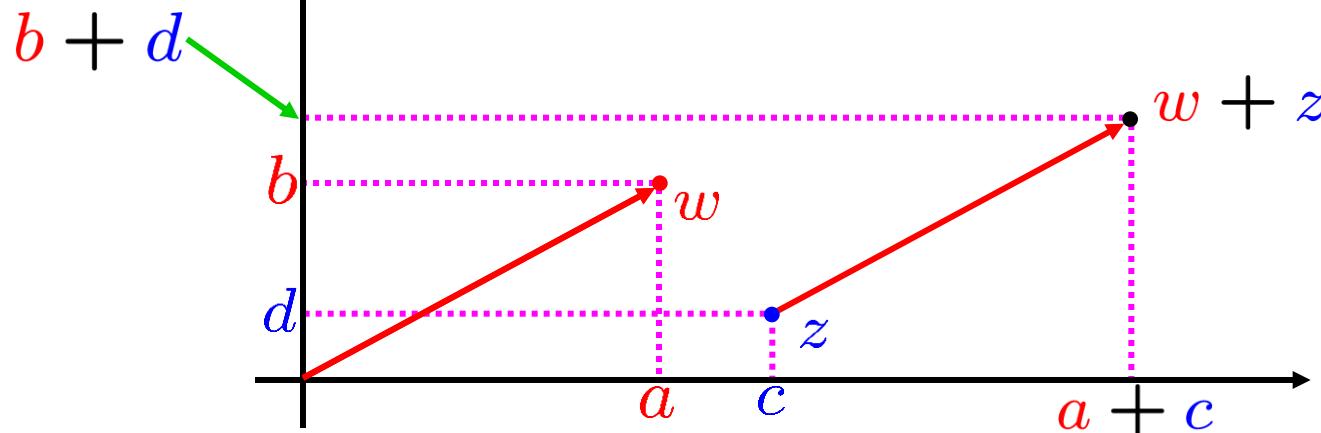
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Absolute value of complex numbers

Definition:

The **absolute value** of $z = a + bi$ or modulus,
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e.g.: $|4 - 3i| = \sqrt{16 + 9} = 5$

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Finding absolute values

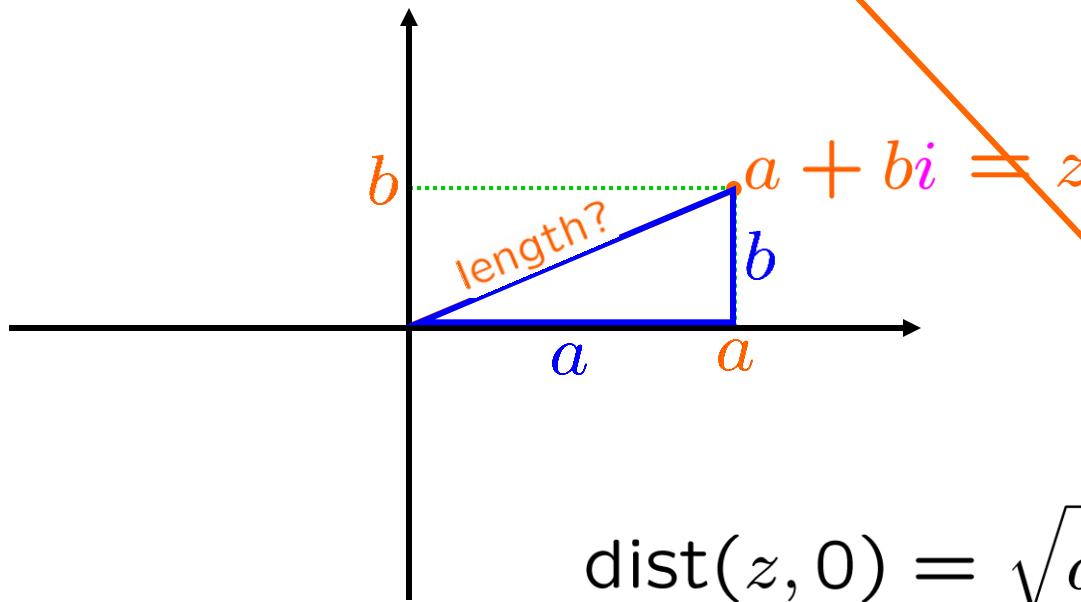
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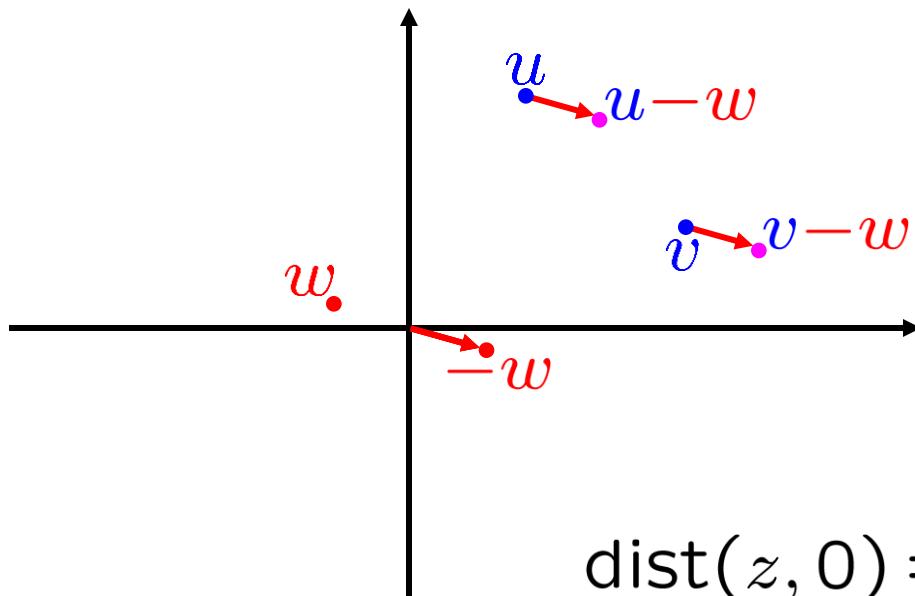
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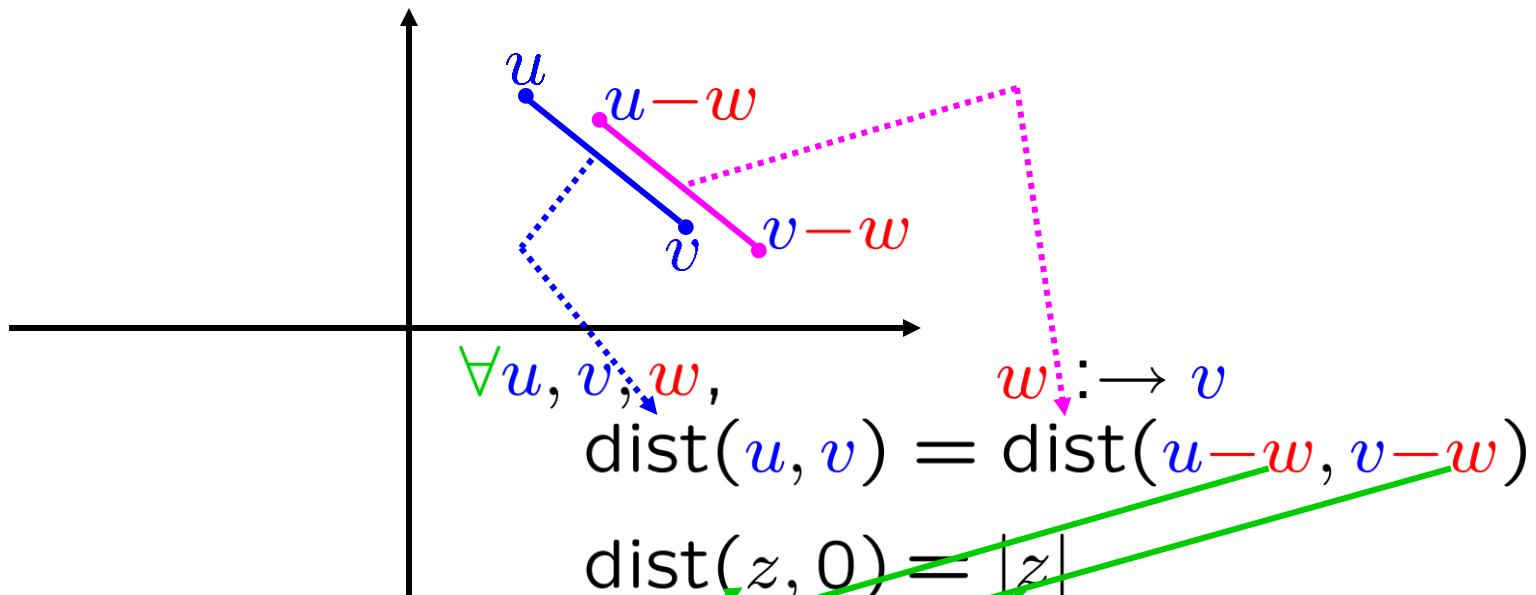
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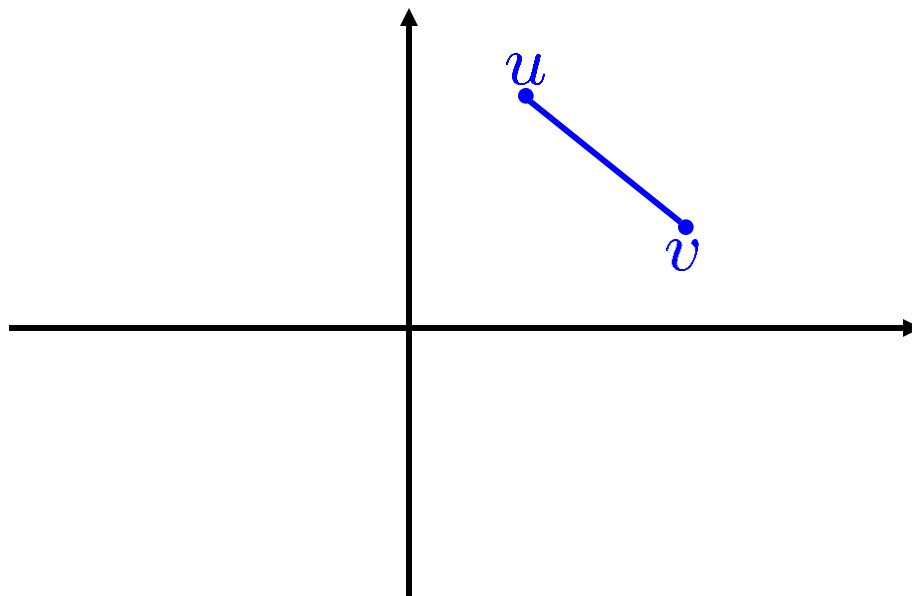
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Absolute value of complex numbers

e.g.: $\text{dist}(2 + 8i, 5 + 4i)$



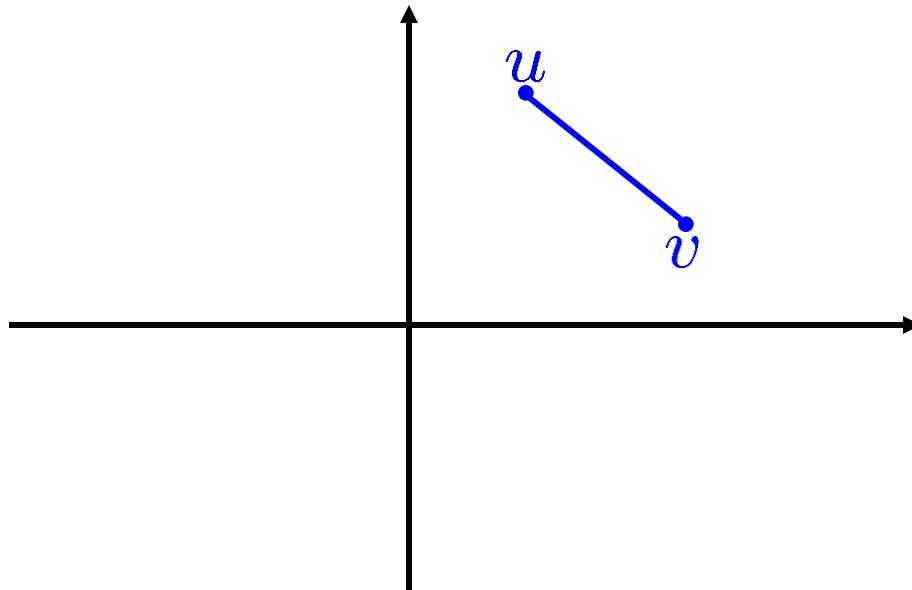
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$$\begin{aligned} &= |(2 - 5) + (8 - 4)i| \\ &= |-3 + 4i| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 4^2} \\ &= 5 \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$



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Absolute value of complex numbers

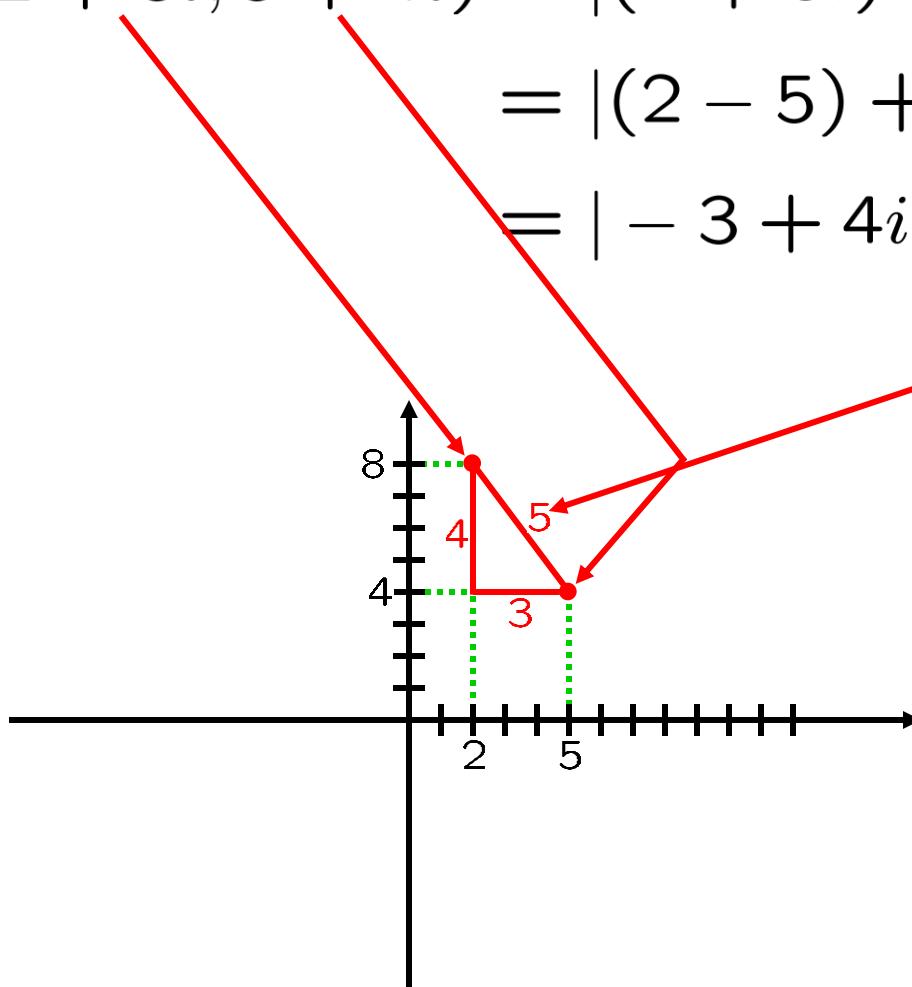
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compute distance
between two
complex numbers

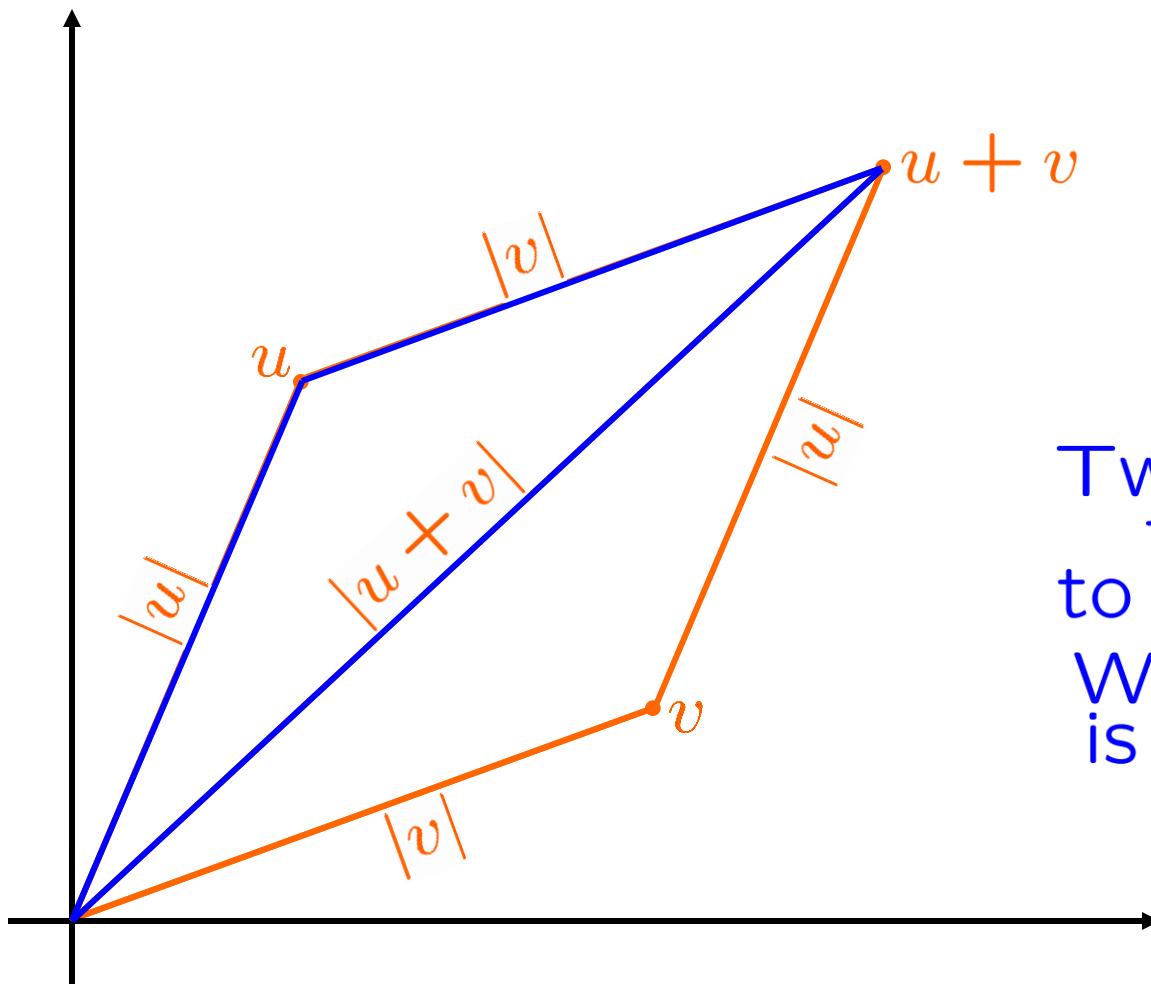


$$\text{dist}(u, v) = |u - v|$$

Fact:

$$|u + v| \leq |u| + |v|$$

Triangle
Inequality



Two routes
from 0
to $u + v$. . .
Which one
is shorter?

Multiplication of complex numbers

Definition:

$$(a + bi)(c + di) = (ac - bd) + (ad + bc)i$$

i.e.: multiplication of complex numbers is accomplished by expanding,
replacing i^2 by -1
and collecting real and imaginary parts.

e.g.: $(3 + 4i)(7 - 8i) =$

expl...
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$$(3)(7) + (4)(-8)i^2 + (3)(-8)i + (4)(7)i =$$

$$((3)(7) - (4)(-8)) + ((3)(-8) + (4)(7))i =$$

$$53 + 4i$$

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multiplication of cx numbers

Properties of addition and multiplication

Facts:

$$\forall u, v \in \mathbb{C},$$

$$u + v = v + u$$

addition is commutative

$$uv = vu$$

multiplication is commutative

$$\forall u, v, w \in \mathbb{C},$$

$$(u + v) + w = u + (v + w)$$

addition is associative

$$(uv)w = u(vw)$$

multiplication is associative

$$u(v + w) = uv + uw$$

multiplication distributes over addition

Complex conjugation of complex numbers

Definition:

The **complex conjugate** of $z = a + bi$
is $\bar{z} := a - bi$.

e.g.: $\overline{4 - 3i} = 4 + 3i$

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Finding complex conjugates

Fact: $\overline{w + z} = \bar{w} + \bar{z}$ Pf: Exercise.

Fact: $\overline{wz} = \bar{w} \bar{z}$

Complex conjugation of complex numbers

Proof:

$$w = a + bi$$

$$z = c + di$$

$$\bar{w} = a - bi$$

$$\bar{z} = c - di$$

$$wz = (ac - bd) + (ad + bc)i$$

$$\bar{w}\bar{z} = (ac - bd) + (-ad - bc)i$$

expl...

$$\bar{w}z =$$

$$(ac - bd) - (ad + bc)i$$

=

$$(ac - bd) - (ad + bc)i$$

QED

Fact:

$$\bar{w}z = \bar{w}\bar{z}$$

Absolute value of complex numbers

Fact: $|z| = \sqrt{z\bar{z}}$

Proof: $z = a + bi$

$$p \rightarrow a \quad q \rightarrow bi$$

$$(p+q)(p-q) = p^2 - q^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} z\bar{z} &= (a + bi)(a - bi) \\ &= a^2 - (bi)^2 \\ &= a^2 + b^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sqrt{z\bar{z}} = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = |z| \quad \text{QED}$$

Absolute value of complex numbers

Fact: $|z| |uv| = \sqrt{|\bar{u}|} |v|$

Fact: $|z| = \sqrt{z\bar{z}}$

Absolute value of complex numbers

Fact: $|uv| = |u||v|$

Proof: $|uv| = \sqrt{uv\bar{u}\bar{v}}$

$$= \sqrt{uv\bar{u}\bar{v}}$$

$$= \sqrt{u\bar{u}v\bar{v}}$$

$$= \sqrt{u\bar{u}}\sqrt{v\bar{v}}$$

$$= |u||v|$$

QED

Fact: $|z| = \sqrt{z\bar{z}}$

Fact: $\overline{wz} = \bar{w}\bar{z}$

Exponentiation of complex numbers

Definition:

$$z : \rightarrow w$$

$$\begin{aligned} e^z &:= \exp(z) := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 + (z/n))^n \\ &= 1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Fact: $e^z e^w = e^{z+w}$

Pf:

$$\begin{aligned} &\left[1 + \frac{z}{n}\right]^n \left[1 + \frac{w}{n}\right]^n = \left[1 + \frac{z}{n} + \frac{w}{n} + \frac{zw}{n^2}\right]^n \\ &\delta_n := \frac{zw}{n} \\ &= \left[1 + \frac{z+w}{n} + \frac{\delta_n}{n}\right]^n \quad \text{QED} \end{aligned}$$

$$x : \rightarrow z + w$$

Fact: $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \delta_n \rightarrow 0, \left[1 + \frac{x}{n} + \frac{\delta_n}{n}\right]^n \rightarrow e^x$

The exponential limit

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$x \rightarrow ix$

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots$$

$$e^{ix} = 1 + ix + \frac{(ix)^2}{2!} + \frac{(ix)^3}{3!} + \frac{(ix)^4}{4!} + \frac{(ix)^5}{5!} + \dots$$

i i^2

i^3

i^4

i^5

$$= 1 \boxed{+} ix \boxed{-} \frac{x^2}{2!} \quad \boxed{-} \boxed{i} \frac{x^3}{3!} \quad \boxed{+} \frac{x^4}{4!} \quad \boxed{+} \boxed{i} \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots$$

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REAL
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$$x \rightarrow \theta \quad e^{ix} = \cos x + i \sin x$$

$$e^{ix}$$



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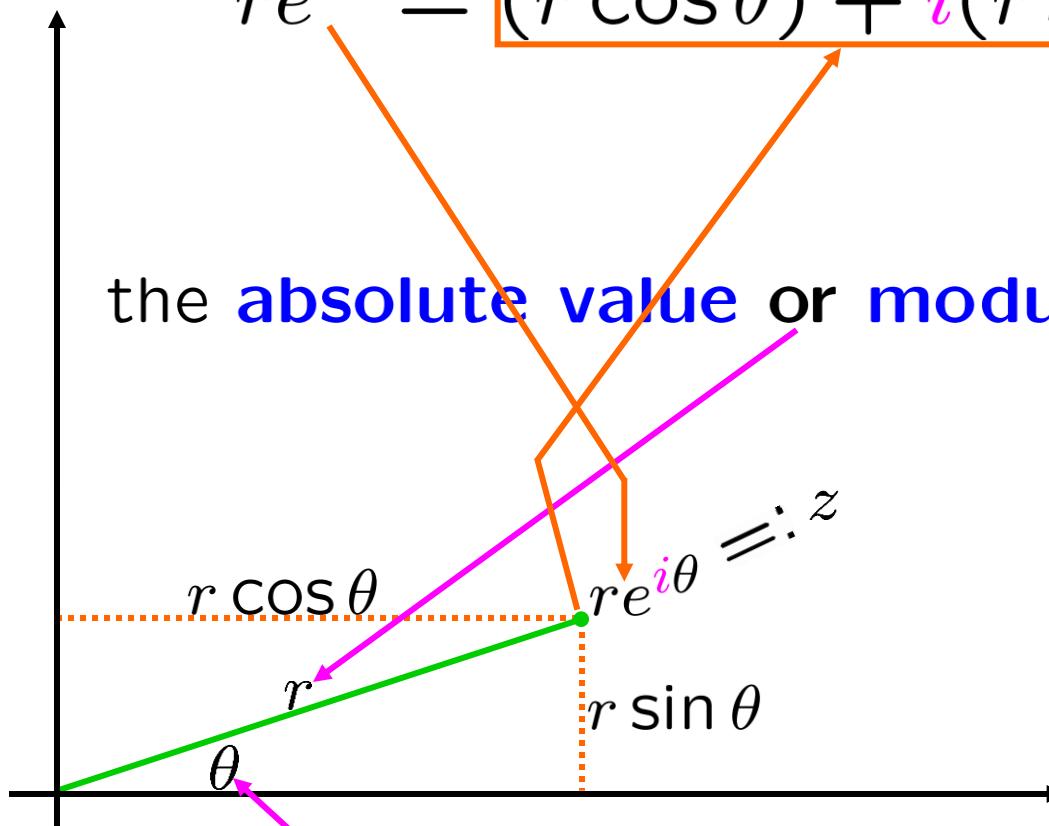
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$$r \times [$$

$$e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta]$$

$$re^{i\theta} = (r \cos \theta) + i(r \sin \theta)$$



the **absolute value or modulus of z**

the **argument of z**

The geometry of complex multiplication

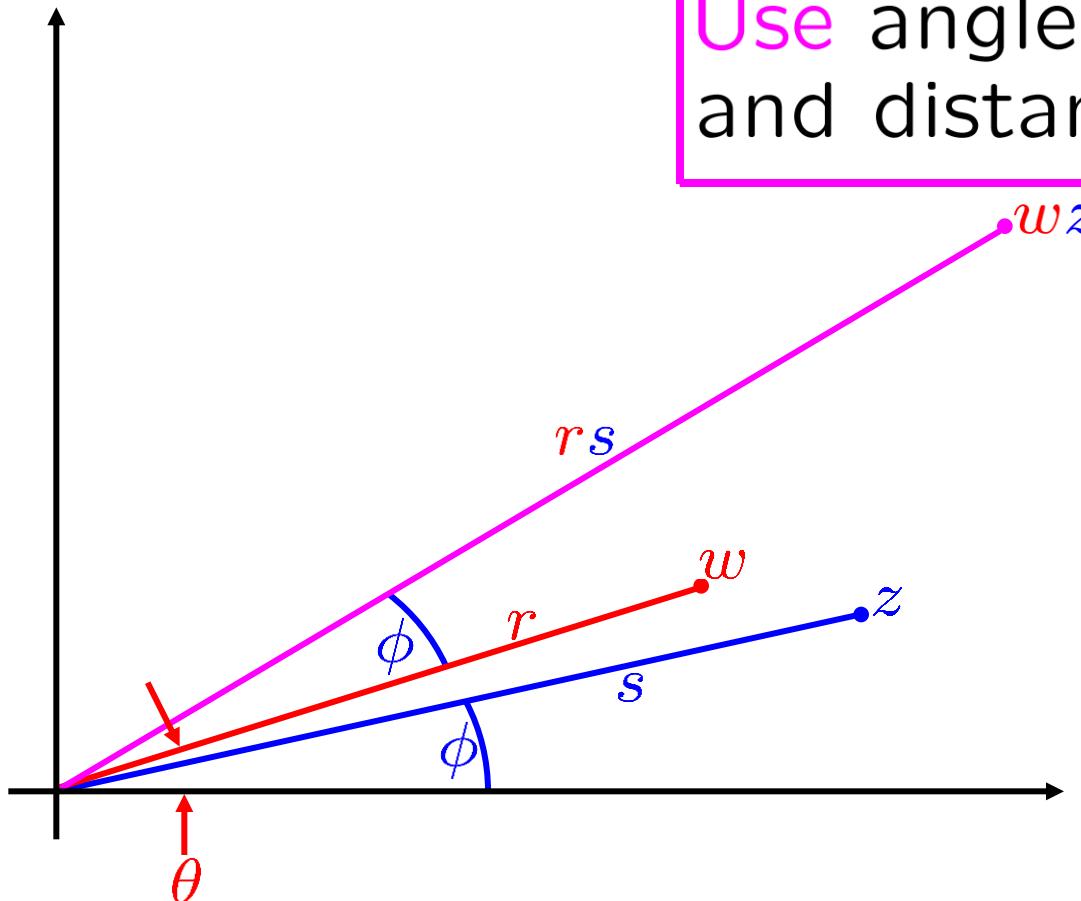
Question: Where is wz ?

Answer:

$$w = re^{i\theta} \quad z = se^{i\phi}$$

$$wz = (rs)e^{i(\theta+\phi)}$$

Use angle $\theta + \phi$ arguments add
and distance rs . moduli multiply



Exponentiation of complex numbers

$$e^{ix} = \cos x + i \sin x$$

Fact: $e^{a+b\textcolor{magenta}{i}} = e^a e^{b\textcolor{magenta}{i}} = e^a (\cos b + \textcolor{magenta}{i} \sin b)$

e.g.: $e^{6+\pi\textcolor{magenta}{i}} = e^6 (\cos \pi + \textcolor{magenta}{i} \sin \pi) = -e^6$

SKILL
Exponentiating complex numbers

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Exponentiation of complex numbers

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