

11.2 Answers

Further A-Level Pure Mathematics, Core 2 Complex Numbers II

Answer 1

(i) $g(x) = \frac{f(x) + f(-x)}{2} \Rightarrow g(-x) = \frac{f(-x) + f(x)}{2}$
 $= \frac{f(x) + f(-x)}{2}$
 $= g(x) \quad \therefore g(x) \text{ is an even function}$
[2 marks]

(ii) $h(x) = \frac{f(x) - f(-x)}{2} \Rightarrow h(-x) = \frac{f(-x) - f(x)}{2}$
 $= -\frac{f(x) - f(-x)}{2}$
 $= -h(x) \quad \therefore h(x) \text{ is an odd function}$
[2 marks]

(iii) $\text{LHS} = g(x) + h(x)$
 $= \frac{f(x) + f(-x)}{2} + \frac{f(x) - f(-x)}{2}$
 $= \frac{f(x) + f(-x) + f(x) - f(-x)}{2}$
 $= \frac{2f(x)}{2}$
 $= f(x)$
 $= \text{RHS} \quad \square$

[1 mark]

(iv) Every function, $f(x)$, can be written as the sum of an even function and an odd function

[1 mark]

Answers 2

METHOD 1

$$\frac{\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta}{\cos 9\theta - i \sin 9\theta} = \frac{\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta}{\cos (-9\theta) + i \sin (-9\theta)}$$

(As $\cos$ is an even function, and $\sin$ is an odd function)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{e^{i2\theta}}{e^{-i9\theta}} \\ &= e^{i11\theta} \\ &= \cos 11\theta + i \sin 11\theta \end{aligned}$$

METHOD 2

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta}{\cos 9\theta - i \sin 9\theta} \\ &= \frac{\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta}{\cos 9\theta - i \sin 9\theta} \times \frac{\cos 9\theta + i \sin 9\theta}{\cos 9\theta + i \sin 9\theta} \\ &= \frac{\cos 9\theta \cos 2\theta - \sin 9\theta \sin 2\theta + i(\sin 9\theta \cos 2\theta + \cos 9\theta \sin 2\theta)}{\cos^2 9\theta - i \cos 9\theta \sin 9\theta + i \sin 9\theta \cos 9\theta + \sin^2 9\theta} \\ &= \frac{\cos(9\theta + 2\theta) + i \sin(9\theta + 2\theta)}{1} \\ &= \cos 11\theta + i \sin 11\theta \end{aligned}$$

[4 marks]

Answer 3

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{1 + e^{i\theta}}{1 - e^{i\theta}} \\ &= \frac{1 + e^{i\theta}}{1 - e^{i\theta}} \times \frac{e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}}}{e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}}} \\ &= \frac{e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}} + e^{i\frac{\theta}{2}}}{e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}} - e^{i\frac{\theta}{2}}} \\ &= -\frac{e^{i\frac{\theta}{2}} + e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}}}{e^{i\frac{\theta}{2}} - e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}}} \\ &= -\frac{2 \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}{2i \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)} \times \frac{i}{i} \\ &= i \cot\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

[5 marks]

Answer 4**(a)**

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{LHS} &= z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} \\
&= e^{in\theta} + \frac{1}{e^{in\theta}} \\
&= e^{in\theta} + e^{-in\theta} \\
&= \cos(n\theta) + i \sin(n\theta) + \cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta)
\end{aligned}$$

As $\cos$ is an even function and $\sin$ odd

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta + \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta \\
&= 2 \cos n\theta \\
&= \text{RHS} \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

[2 marks]**(b)** Apply the binomial theorem to $\left(z + \frac{1}{z} \right)^4$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left(z + \frac{1}{z} \right)^4 &= 1 \times z^4 \times \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^0 \\
&\quad + 4 \times z^3 \times \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^1 \\
&\quad + 6 \times z^2 \times \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^2 \\
&\quad + 4 \times z^1 \times \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^3 \\
&\quad + 1 \times z^0 \times \left(\frac{1}{z} \right)^4 \\
\therefore \left(z + \frac{1}{z} \right)^4 &= z^4 + 4z^2 + 6 + 4 \left(\frac{1}{z^2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{z^4} \right) \\
(2 \cos \theta)^4 &= \left(z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4} \right) + 4 \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2} \right) + 6 \\
16 \cos^4 \theta &= 2 \cos 4\theta + 8 \cos 2\theta + 6 \\
8 \cos^4 \theta &= \cos 4\theta + 4 \cos 2\theta + 3 \\
\cos^4 \theta &= \frac{1}{8} (\cos 4\theta + 4 \cos 2\theta + 3) \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

[4 marks]

Answer 5

$$\begin{aligned}
C + iS &= a(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \\
&+ a^2(\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta) \\
&+ a^3(\cos 3\theta + i \sin 3\theta) \\
&+ \dots \\
&= a e^{i\theta} + a^2 e^{i2\theta} + a^3 e^{i3\theta} + \dots \\
&= \frac{a e^{i\theta}}{1 - a e^{i\theta}} \\
&= \frac{a \cos \theta + ai \sin \theta}{1 - a \cos \theta - ai \sin \theta} \times \frac{1 - a \cos \theta + ai \sin \theta}{1 - a \cos \theta + ai \sin \theta} \\
&= \frac{a \cos \theta - a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 i \cos \theta \sin \theta + ai \sin \theta - a^2 i \sin \theta \cos \theta - a^2 \sin^2 \theta}{1 - a \cos \theta - a \cos \theta + a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta} \\
&= \frac{a \cos \theta - a^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) + ai \sin \theta}{1 - 2 \cos \theta + a^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)} \\
&= \frac{a \cos \theta - a^2 + ai \sin \theta}{1 - 2 \cos \theta + a^2} \\
\therefore C &= \frac{a \cos \theta - a^2}{1 - 2 \cos \theta + a^2} \\
\text{and } S &= \frac{a \sin \theta}{1 - 2 \cos \theta + a^2} \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

[8 marks]

Answer 6

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LHS} &= 1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^{2n-1} \\&= 1 + e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i} + \left(e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}\right)^{2n-1} \\&= \frac{1 \left(1 - \left(e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}\right)^{2n}\right)}{1 - e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}} \\&= \frac{1 - e^{\frac{2n\pi}{n}i}}{1 - e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}} \\&= \frac{1 - e^{2\pi i}}{1 - e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}} \\&= \frac{1 - 1}{1 - e^{\frac{\pi}{n}i}} \\&= \text{RHS}\end{aligned}$$