



PROBLEM:

Convert the following to polar form:

(a) $z = j10$

(b) $z = -10$

(c) $z = (-10, -10)$

(d) $z = -2 + j2$

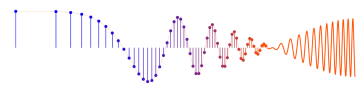
(e) $z = -3 + j\sqrt{3}$

(f) $z = 20$

Give numerical values for the magnitude, and the angle (or phase) in radians.

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SOLUTION



$$(a) \quad z = j10 \quad z = Ae^{j\theta} \quad A = \sqrt{0^2 + 10^2} = 10$$

$$z = 0 + j10 \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\text{Im}(z)}{\text{Re}(z)} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{10}{0} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$z = 10e^{j\pi/2}$$

$$(b) \quad z = -10 = -10 + j0 = 10e^{j\pi}$$

$$(c) \quad z = (-10, -10) \quad (\text{an ordered pair})$$

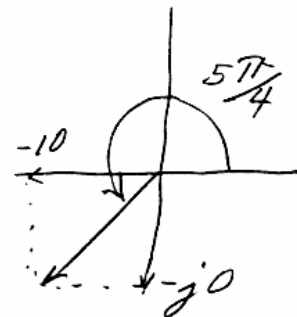
$$z = -10 - j10$$

$$z = Ae^{j\theta} \quad A = \sqrt{10^2 + 10^2} = 10\sqrt{2}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{10}{10} = \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \text{BUT this is the principal.}$$

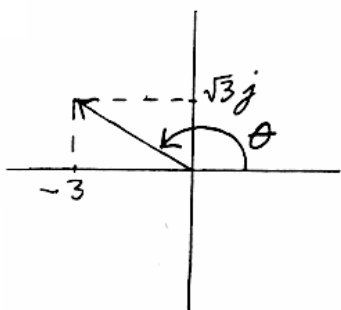
$$\text{The actual value} = \frac{\pi}{4} + \pi = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

$$z = 10\sqrt{2}e^{j\frac{5\pi}{4}}$$



$$(d) \quad z = -2 + j2 = 2\sqrt{2}e^{j\frac{3\pi}{4}}$$

$$(e) \quad z = -3 + j\sqrt{3} \quad A = \sqrt{3^2 + \sqrt{3}^2} = \sqrt{12} = 2\sqrt{3}$$



$$\tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{-3} = -0.52 \text{ rad.} = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{Obviously } \theta = -\frac{\pi}{6} + \pi = \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$z = 2\sqrt{3}e^{j\frac{5\pi}{6}}$$

$$(f) \quad z = 20 = 20e^{j0}$$