

solution.

## Exercises 1.1

p7 #2. Since  $(5-\sqrt{3})^2 = 28-10\sqrt{3}$  and  $(2-\sqrt{3})^2 = 7-4\sqrt{3}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{28-10\sqrt{3}} - \sqrt{7-4\sqrt{3}} &= \sqrt{(5-\sqrt{3})^2} - \sqrt{(2-\sqrt{3})^2} \\ &= |5-\sqrt{3}| - |2-\sqrt{3}| = 5-\sqrt{3}-2+\sqrt{3}=3\end{aligned}$$

ans: 3.

## Exercises 2.1

p16 #13.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+5i}{2-\sqrt{3}i} \times \frac{2+\sqrt{3}i}{2+\sqrt{3}i} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}-5\sqrt{3}+3i+10i}{4+7} = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{7} + \frac{13}{7}i$

ans:  $-\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{7} + \frac{13}{7}i$

## Exercises 2.2

p23 #7.  $\sqrt[3]{|1+i|} = \sqrt[3]{\sqrt{1^2+1^2}} = \sqrt[6]{2} \approx 1.1225$

$$\arg(\sqrt[3]{1+i}) = \frac{1}{3} \arg(1+i) = \frac{1}{3} \arctan 1 = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{12} = 15^\circ$$

$$\text{Set } w = \cos 15^\circ + i \sin 15^\circ = .966 + .259i$$

$$\& \zeta = \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i = -.5 + .866i$$

$$\eta = \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{4\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i = -.5 - .866i$$

$$\therefore \sqrt[3]{1+i} \approx 1.1225 \{ w, w\zeta, w\eta \}$$

$$\approx 1.1225 \{ .966 + .259i, -.707 + .707i, -.259 - .966i \}$$

$$= \{ 1.08 + .29i, -.79 + .79i, -.29 - 1.08i \}$$

ans:  $\{ 1.08 + .29i, -.79 + .79i, -.29 - 1.08i \}$

p22.

#14.

$$z = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 - (9 + 2i)}}{1} = 3 \pm \sqrt{-2i} = 3 \pm (-1 + i) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 + i \\ 4 - i \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\left( \begin{array}{l} (*) : \sqrt{|-2i|} = \sqrt{\sqrt{4}} = \sqrt{2} \\ \arg(\sqrt{-2i}) = \frac{1}{2} \arg(-2i) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{4} \\ \therefore \sqrt{-2i} = \sqrt{2} \left( \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) = \sqrt{2} \left( -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} i \right) = -1 + i \end{array} \right)$$

∴ ans:  $2 + i, 4 - i$

$$\#19. (1 + \omega^2)^{16} = (-\omega)^{16} = \omega^{16} = \omega^{3 \cdot 5 + 1} = (\omega^3)^5 \cdot \omega = \omega$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow 1 + \omega^2 = -\omega \end{array} \right)$$

$$\omega^3 = 1$$

## HW #2.

§2.5. #4. Let  $\xi = \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{7}$ .

Then  $\sqrt[7]{1} = \{\xi, \xi^2, \xi^3, \xi^4, \xi^5, \xi^6, 1\}$  with orders  
 $\{7, 7, 7, 7, 7, 7, 1\}$

§3.1 #2.  $x^3 + (2x - 12) = 0$ .  $p = 12$ .  $q = -12$ .

$$z^3 = \frac{-q \pm \sqrt{q^2 + 4p^3/27}}{2} = \frac{12 \pm \sqrt{400}}{2} = 16 \text{ or } -4.$$

Choose  $z^3 = 16$ . Then  $z_1 = 16^{1/3} = 2^3\sqrt{2}$ ,  $z_2 = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega$ ,  $z_3 = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega^2$

$$x_1 = z_1 - \frac{p}{3z_1} = 2^3\sqrt{2} - \frac{12}{3 \cdot 2^3\sqrt{2}} = 2^3\sqrt{2} - \frac{2}{3\sqrt{2}} = 2^3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt[3]{4} = 4^{2/3} - 4^{1/3}$$

$$x_2 = z_2 - \frac{p}{3z_2} = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega - \frac{12}{3 \cdot 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega} = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega - \frac{2}{3\sqrt{2}\omega} = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega - \sqrt[3]{4}/\omega = 4^{2/3}\omega - 4^{1/3}\omega^2$$

$$x_3 = z_3 - \frac{p}{3z_3} = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega^2 - \frac{12}{3 \cdot 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega^2} = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega^2 - \frac{2}{3\sqrt{2}\omega^2} = 2^3\sqrt{2}\omega^2 - \sqrt[3]{4}/\omega^2 = 4^{2/3}\omega^2 - 4^{1/3}\omega.$$

#13.  $y^3 + py + q = 0$ .

let  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  be the solutions of  $y^3 + py + q = 0$ .

Then  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$ .  $x_1x_2 + x_2x_3 + x_3x_1 = p$ .  $x_1x_2x_3 = -q$ .

We know that  $(x_1 - x_2)^2 = (x_1 + x_2)^2 - 4x_1x_2$

$$(x_1 + x_2 + x_3)^2 = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + 2(x_1x_2 + x_2x_3 + x_3x_1)$$

$$x_1^3 + x_2^3 + x_3^3 - 3x_1x_2x_3 = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3)(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 - x_1x_2 - x_2x_3 - x_3x_1)$$

$$\therefore [(x_1 - x_2)(x_2 - x_3)(x_3 - x_1)]^2 = (x_1 - x_2)^2 (x_2 - x_3)^2 (x_3 - x_1)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left[ \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \right]^2 \left[ \frac{x_2 + x_3}{2} \right]^2 \left[ \frac{x_3 + x_1}{2} \right]^2 \cdot 4x_1 x_2 x_3 \\ &= \left[ x_3^2 + \frac{4q}{x_3} \right] \left[ x_1^2 + \frac{4q}{x_1} \right] \left[ x_2^2 + \frac{4q}{x_2} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{x_3^3 + 4q}{x_3} \cdot \frac{x_1^3 + 4q}{x_1} \cdot \frac{x_2^3 + 4q}{x_2}$$

$$\stackrel{\uparrow}{=} \frac{(4q + x_1^3)(4q + x_2^3)(4q + x_3^3)}{-q}$$

$$\stackrel{\uparrow}{=} \frac{(4q - px_1 - q)(4q - px_2 - q)(4q - px_3 - q)}{-q}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow x_i^3 = -px_i - q \\ &= \frac{(3q - px_1)(3q - px_2)(3q - px_3)}{-q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\stackrel{\uparrow}{=} \frac{(3q)^3 - p(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) \cdot (3q)^2 + p^2(x_1 x_2 + x_2 x_3 + x_3 x_1)(3q) - p^3 x_1 x_2 x_3}{-q} \\ &(x-a)(x-b)(x-c) \\ &= x^3 - (a+b+c)x^2 + abx + bcx + cax - abc \\ &= \frac{27q^3 + p^3 \cdot 3q + p^3 \cdot q}{-q} = -27q^2 - 4p^3 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  discriminant of the eq.  $y^3 + py + q = 0$  is  $-4p^3 - 27q^2$

§3.3. #2.  $f(2) = -12$ ,  $f(3) = 2$ .

$\therefore$  begin with  $x_1 = 2$ . Since  $f'(x) = 6x^2 - 10x + 1$ ,  $f'(2) = 5$ .

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = 2 - \frac{-12}{5} = 4.4$$

similarly,  $x_3 = 3.4710$

$x_4 = 3.0337$

$x_5 = 2.9233$

$x_6 = 2.9164$

$x_7 = 2.9164$

$\therefore x \approx 2.9164$

§ 4.1. #4  $x=0 \Rightarrow 0+0+0+1 \equiv 0$  is impossible

$x=1 \Rightarrow 1+1+1+1=4 \equiv 0$  in  $\mathbb{Z}_2$   $\therefore x=1$ .

§4.1 #26.

$$x = a_0 + a_1 10 + 10^2 a_2 + \dots + 10^n a_n. \quad 0 \leq a_i \leq 9, \quad a_n \neq 0.$$

$$\text{Show: } x \equiv 0 \pmod{9} \Leftrightarrow a_0 + a_1 + \dots + a_n \equiv 0 \pmod{9}$$

$$\text{Since } 10^m - 1 = (10-1)(10^{m-1} + 10^{m-2} + \dots + 1)$$

$$= 9(10^{m-1} + 10^{m-2} + \dots + 1), \quad \forall m \geq 2$$

$$10^m - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{9} \quad \forall m \geq 2.$$

$$10^m \equiv 1 \pmod{9} \quad \forall m \geq 2.$$

$$\therefore a_0 + 10a_1 + 10^2 a_2 + \dots + 10^n a_n$$

$$\equiv \underset{\neq}{a_0} + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n \underset{\neq}{\equiv} 0$$

$$\therefore a_0 + a_1 + \dots + a_n \equiv 0 \pmod{9}$$

$$\therefore 10^m \equiv 1 \pmod{9}$$

$$\therefore x \equiv 0 \pmod{9}$$

§4.2 #34.  $3x^3 - 3x^2 + 17x - 4 = 0.$

rational root:  $a/b$ .  $(a,b)=1$ .  $a|4$ ,  $b|3$ . (by exercise 33).

$\therefore a|4 \Rightarrow a = \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4.$

$b|3 \Rightarrow b = \pm 1, \pm 3.$

i)  $a = \pm 1, b = \pm 1 \rightarrow x = \pm 1 \Rightarrow 3(\pm 1)^3 - 3(\pm 1)^2 + 17(\pm 1) - 4 = 13, -27 \neq 0.$

$\therefore \pm 1$  are not solutions

ii)  $a = \pm 1, b = \pm 3 \rightarrow x = \pm \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow 3 \cdot (\pm \frac{1}{3})^3 - 3 \cdot (\pm \frac{1}{3})^2 + 17(\pm \frac{1}{3}) - 4 \neq 0.$

iii)  $a = \pm 2, b = \pm 1 \rightarrow x = \pm 2$

iv)  $a = \pm 2, b = \pm 3 \rightarrow x = \pm \frac{2}{3}$

v)  $a = \pm 4, b = \pm 1 \rightarrow x = \pm 4$

vi)  $a = \pm 4, b = \pm 3 \rightarrow x = \pm \frac{4}{3}$

similarly, we can show they are not solutions.

$\therefore$  there are no <sup>rational</sup> solutions for  $3x^3 - 3x^2 + 17x - 4 = 0.$

§4.2 #8.  $67 = 1 \cdot 66 + 1$

$\Rightarrow 1 = 67 \cdot 1 + (-1) \cdot 66$

$-1 \equiv 66$  : multi. inverse of 66 in  $\mathbb{Z}_{67}$

§4.4. #6.  $\forall a+b\sqrt{5}, c+d\sqrt{5} \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{5}]$ ,

$$(a+b\sqrt{5}) \pm (c+d\sqrt{5}) = (a \pm c) + (b \pm d)\sqrt{5} \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{5}] \quad \therefore a+c, b+d \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$(a+b\sqrt{5})(c+d\sqrt{5}) = (ac-5bd) + (ad+bc)\sqrt{5} \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{5}]$$

$$\therefore ac-5bd, ad+bc \in \mathbb{Z}$$

#7. (a)  $N(z)=1$  i.e.  $a^2+5b^2=1 \Rightarrow$  i)  $a=0 \rightarrow 5b^2=1 \quad \nexists b \in \mathbb{Z} \nrightarrow 5b^2=1$ .

$$\text{ii) } b=0 \rightarrow a^2=1 \quad \therefore a=\pm 1 \quad \therefore z=\pm 1$$

$$\text{iii) } b \neq 0 \rightarrow b^2 \geq 1 \Rightarrow 5b^2 \geq 5 \quad \therefore \nexists a, b \nrightarrow a^2+5b^2=1$$

finally, if  $z=\pm 1$ , then  $N(z)=(\pm 1)^2+0^2=1$ .

(b)  $\forall z=a+b\sqrt{5} \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{5}], N(z)=a^2+5b^2 \neq 3$ .

$$\therefore \text{i) } b=0 \rightarrow a^2 \neq 3$$

$$\text{ii) } b \neq 0 \rightarrow 5b^2 \geq 5 \quad \therefore \nexists a, b \nrightarrow a^2+5b^2=3$$

(c)  $N(z)=a^2+5b^2=9$ .

$$\text{i) } b=0 \Rightarrow a^2=9 \quad a=\pm 3 \quad \therefore z=\pm 3$$

$$\text{ii) } b^2=1 \Rightarrow a^2=4 \quad a=\pm 2 \quad \therefore z=\pm 2+\sqrt{5}, \pm 2-\sqrt{5}$$

$$\therefore z = \pm 3, \pm 2+\sqrt{5}, \pm 2-\sqrt{5}$$

(d) assume  $z=a+b\sqrt{5}, w=c+d\sqrt{5} \Rightarrow zw=(ac-5bd)+(ad+bc)\sqrt{5}$ .

$$N(zw) = (ac-5bd)^2 + (ad+bc)^2 = a^2c^2 - 10acbd + 25b^2d^2 + 5a^2d^2 + 10adbc + 5b^2c^2$$

$$N(z)N(w) = (a^2+5b^2)(c^2+5d^2) = a^2c^2 + 5a^2d^2 + b^2c^2 + 5b^2d^2 //$$

$$\therefore N(z)N(w) = N(zw)$$