

## HOMEWORK 1.

Due Friday, January 30.

1. Compute  $\sqrt[5]{-4 + 3i}$ .

2. Write the complex number  $1 + \cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha$  in the polar form.

3. Prove the inequality  $|z_1 + z_2| \geq \frac{1}{2} (|z_1| + |z_2|) \left| \frac{z_1}{|z_1|} + \frac{z_2}{|z_2|} \right|$ .

4. Prove the inequality  $\left| \frac{z}{|z|} - 1 \right| \leq |\arg z|$ .

5. Determine the set of points that satisfy the condition  $\operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right) = 0$  where  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are fixed complex numbers.

6. Determine the set of points that satisfy the condition  $\operatorname{Im} \left( \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right) = 0$  where  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are fixed complex numbers.

7. Determine the set of points that satisfy the condition  $|2z| > |1 + z^2|$ .

8. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be two elements of  $\mathbb{C}_\infty$ . Determine the set of points  $S$  in  $\mathbb{C}_\infty$  such that the corresponding set  $S'$  on the sphere is a circle that is equidistant from  $z'_1$  and  $z'_2$  (the points on the sphere corresponding to  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ ).