

FP2 – Complex Numbers

Challenge 1

- (a) Sketch on an Argand diagram the circle with equation

$$|z - 1 - i| = \sqrt{2}. \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

- (b) The point P lies on the circle and represents the complex number z . Show on your Argand diagram the position of P when the value of $|z + 1 + i|$ is as large as possible, and determine this largest value. (3 marks)



Challenge 2

- (a) Draw an Argand diagram to show the points A and B which represent the complex numbers $1 - 3i$ and $5 - i$ respectively. *(1 mark)*
- (b) (i) The circle C has AB as a diameter. Find its radius and the coordinates of its centre. *(4 marks)*
- (ii) Write down the equation of C in the form

$$|z - z_0| = k. \quad \text{span style="float: right;">*(2 marks)*$$



Challenge 3

The complex numbers z_1 and z_2 are given by

$$z_1 = 1 + \sqrt{3}i \quad \text{and} \quad z_2 = iz_1.$$

- (a) (i) Express z_2 in the form $a + ib$. *(1 mark)*
- (ii) Find the modulus and argument of z_2 . *(2 marks)*
- (b) Label the points representing z_1 and z_2 on an Argand diagram. *(1 mark)*
- (c) On the **same** Argand diagram, sketch the locus of points z satisfying:
- (i) $|z - z_1| = |z - z_2|$; *(2 marks)*
- (ii) $\arg(z - z_1) = \arg z_2$. *(2 marks)*



Final Challenge

- (a) Shade, on an Argand diagram, the region in which

$$|z - 2i| \leq 1. \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

- (b) Find the greatest and least values of the argument of complex numbers z satisfying

$$|z - 2i| \leq 1,$$

giving your answers in terms of π . (4 marks)

