

Relation between roots & coefficients

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1. solve the equation  $4x^3 - 2x^2 + 28x + 18 = 0$  given that the roots are in a.p

Sol

Let the roots be  $a-d, a, a+d$ , then we have the relation

$$\therefore (a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2$$

$$S_1 = \text{Sum of the roots} = -b/a$$

$$(a-d) + a + (a+d) = +(-24/4)$$

$$3a = 6 \Rightarrow \boxed{a = 2}$$

$$S_3 = \text{product of the roots} = -d/a$$

$$(a-d) \cdot (a) \cdot (a+d) = -18/4$$

$$a(a^2 - d^2) = -18/4$$

$$2(4 - d^2) = -18/4$$

$$4 - d^2 = -9/4$$

$$-d^2 = -9/4 - 4$$

$$-d^2 = \frac{-9 - 16}{4}$$

$$-d^2 = -25/4$$

$$d = \pm 5/2 \Rightarrow \boxed{d = 5/2, -5/2}$$

Subs in the value of  $a$  and  $d$ , we get the roots

when  $d = 5/2$

$$a-d = 2 - 5/2 = \frac{4-5}{2} = -1/2$$

$$a = 2$$

$$a+d = 2 + 5/2 = \frac{4+5}{2} = 9/2$$

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Let  $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$ , given that its roots are  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ .  
 Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be the roots of the given equation.  
 Then  $S_1 =$  sum of the roots.

$$S_1 = -b/a$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = -(-1/8)$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 1/8 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$S_3 = \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = -d/a$$

$$a^3 = \frac{-(-1)}{8}$$

$$\boxed{a = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{1} = 1/8$$

$$a(1 + \gamma + \gamma^2) = 1/8$$

$$1 + \gamma + \gamma^2 = 1/8 \times 1/a = 1/8 \times 2 = 1/4$$

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$$1 + \gamma + \gamma^2 = 1/4$$

$$1 + \gamma + \gamma^2 - 1/4 = 0$$

$$\frac{2 + 2\gamma + 2\gamma^2 - 1}{2} = 0$$

$$2 + 2\gamma + 2\gamma^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\frac{2\gamma^2 + 2\gamma + 1}{2} = 0$$

$$2$$

$$2\gamma^2 + 2\gamma + 1 = 0$$

$$a = 2, b = 5, c = 2$$

$$r = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{25 - (4)(2)(2)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{25 - 16}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{9}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm 3}{4}$$

$$r = \frac{5+3}{4} = 8/4 = 2 \quad \boxed{r=2}$$

$$r = \frac{5-3}{4} = 2/4 = 1/2 \quad \boxed{r=1/2}$$

$$\text{If } \boxed{a=1/2, r=2}$$

$$a/r, a, ar$$

$$a/r = \frac{1/2}{2} = 1/4 \quad \checkmark$$

$$a = 1/2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$ar = (1/2)(2) = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

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show that the roots of the equation  $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$  are in A.P. if  $2p^3 - 9pq + 27r = 0$ . show that the above condition is satisfied by the equation  $x^3 - 6x^2 + 12x - 10 = 0$ .

Hence (or) otherwise solve the equation.

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Let the roots of the equ.  $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$  be  $a-d, a, a+d$  we have from the relation of the roots and co-efficient.

$$S_1 = a-d + a + a+d = -P/1 = -P = 4 \quad (1)$$

$$S_2 = (a-d)(a) + (a)(a+d) + (a+d)(a-d) = q/1 = q = 7 \quad (2)$$

$$S_3 = a(a-d)(a+d) = -r/1 = -r = 10 \quad (3)$$

from (1)  $\Rightarrow$

$$3a = -P$$

$$a = -P/3$$

from (2)  $\Rightarrow$

$$a^2 - ad + a^2 + ad + a^2 - d^2 = q$$

$$3a^2 - d^2 = q \quad (4)$$

from (3)  $\Rightarrow$

$$a(a^2 - d^2) = -r$$

$$a^3 - ad^2 = -r \quad (5)$$

from (4)  $\Rightarrow$

$$-d^2 = q - 3a^2$$

$$d^2 = 3a^2 - q$$

$$d^2 = 3(-P/3)^2 - q$$

$$= 3 \left( \frac{p^2}{3} \right) - q$$

$$\boxed{d^2 = p^2/3 - q}$$

Subs this values in (5) we get,

from (5)  $\Rightarrow$

$$\left( -\frac{p}{3} \right)^3 - \left( -\frac{p}{3} \right) \left( \frac{p^2}{3} - q \right) = -r$$

$$-\frac{p^3}{27} + \left( \frac{p}{3} \right) \left( \frac{p^2}{3} - q \right) = -r$$

$$-\frac{p^3}{27} + \frac{p^3}{9} - \frac{pq}{3} = -r$$

$$\frac{-p^3 + 3p^3 - 9pq}{27} = -r$$

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$$-p^3 + 3p^3 - 9pq = -27r$$

$$2p^3 - 9pq + 27r = 0$$

In the eqn,  $x^3 - 6x^2 + 13x - 10 = 0$

$$p = -6 \quad q = 13 \quad r = -10$$

$$\therefore 2p^3 - 9pq + 27r = 2(-6)^3 - 9(-6)(13) + 27(-10) = 0$$

$\therefore$  The condition is satisfied and so the roots of the equation are in a.p.

In this case eqn (1), (2), (3) becomes

$$s_1 = a-d + a + a+d = + \left( \frac{b}{1} \right)$$

$$3a = b \quad \& \quad a = 2$$

$$s_2 = (a-d)(a) + (a)(a+d) + (a+d)(a-d) = 13$$

$$a^2 - ad + d^2 + ad + a^2 - d^2 = 13$$

$$3a^2 - d^2 = 13 \quad \& \quad (1)$$

put  $a = 2$

$$3(4) - d^2 = 13$$

$$12 - d^2 = 13$$

$$-d^2 = 1$$

$$d^2 = -1$$

$$d^2 = i^2$$

$$d = \pm i$$

$$a - d, a, a + d$$

$$\text{If } a = 2, d = i \text{ then}$$

$$2 - i, 2, 2 + i.$$

④ Find the condition that the roots of the equation  $ax^3 + 3bx^2 + 3cx + d = 0$  may be in G.P. solve the equation  $27x^3 + 42x^2 - 28x - 8 = 0$  whose roots, are in G.P.

Sol

Let the roots of the eqn be  $k/r, k, kr$

$$k/r + k + kr = -3b/a$$

$$k(1/r + 1 + r) = -3b/a \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$(k/r)(k) + k(kr) + (kr)(k/r) = 3c/a$$

$$k^2/r + k^2r + k^2 = 3c/a$$

$$k^2(1/r + r + 1) = 3c/a \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$k^2(1/r + r + 1) = \dots$$

$$(k/r)(k)(kr) = -d/a$$

$$k^3 = -d/a \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\frac{\text{(2)}}{\text{(1)}} = \frac{k^2(1/r + r + 1) = 3c/a}{k(1/r + r + 1) = -3b/a}$$

$$k = 3c/a \times -a/3b$$

$$k = -c/b$$

$$k = -c/b$$

$$\text{(3)} \Rightarrow (-c/b)^3 = -d/a$$

$$-c^3/b^3 = -d/a$$

$$a(3) = db^3$$

Intro equation

$$27x^3 + 42x^2 - 28x - 8 = 0$$

$$s_1 = k(1/r + 1/r) = -42/27 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$s_2 = k^2(1/r + r + 1) = -28/27$$

$$s_3 = k^3 = -(+8/27) \rightarrow k = 2/3$$

$$\textcircled{4} \rightarrow 2/3(1/r + 1/r) = -42/27$$

$$\frac{1+r+r^2}{r} = -\frac{42}{27} \times \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\frac{1+r+r^2}{r} = -2/9$$

$$1+r+r^2 = -2/9r$$

$$1+r(1+2/9r)+r^2 = 0$$

$$1+10/3r+r^2 = 0$$

$$\frac{3+10r+3r^2}{3} = 0$$

$$3r^2 + 10r + 3 = 0$$

$$a = 3 \quad b = 10 \quad c = 3$$

$$r = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 4(3)(3)}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 36}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{64}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm 8}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10 + 8}{6} = \frac{-10 - 8}{6}$$

$$= -2/6 = -1/3 \quad = -18/6$$

$$r = -1/3$$

$$1+r+2/9r+r^2 = 0$$

$$1+r(1+2/9r)+r^2 = 0$$

$$1+r(10/3r)+r^2$$

$$3+10/3r+r^2$$

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r = -3

$K, \gamma, K/\gamma$

$$K = 2/3, \gamma = -3$$

$$K\gamma = (2/3) \cdot (-3) = -2$$

$$K = 2/3$$

$$K/\gamma = (2/3) / (-3) = -2/9$$

To transform the eqn  $x^7 + 4x^6 - 3x^4 + 5x^3 - 8x + 1 = 0$  into another whose roots shall be equal in magnitude, but opposite in sign to those of the gn eqn.

Sol The gn eqn. is incomplete eqn but it can be made complete in the following.

$$f(x) = x^7 + 4x^6 + 0 \cdot x^5 - 3x^4 + 5x^3 + 0 \cdot x^2 - 8x + 1 = 0$$

put  $(x = -y)$

$$= (-y)^7 + 4(-y)^6 + 0(-y)^5 - 3(-y)^4 + 5(-y)^3 + 0 \cdot (-y)^2 - 8(-y) + 1 = 0$$

$$= -y^7 + 4y^6 - 0 \cdot y^5 + 3y^4 - 5y^3 - 0 \cdot y^2 + 8y + 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = y^7 - 4y^6 + 0 \cdot y^5 - 3y^4 + 5y^3 + 0 \cdot y^2 - 8y - 1 = 0 //$$

Remainder theorem.

If  $f(x)$  is a polynomial, then  $f(a)$  is the remainder, when  $f(x)$  is divided by  $(x-a)$

Defn

In an equation with real co. eff, imaginary roots occur in pairs. <sup>1</sup> form a rational cubic eqn. which shall have for roots  $1, 3 - \sqrt{2}$  since  $3 - \sqrt{2}$  is a root of the equation,  $3 + \sqrt{2}$  is also a root.

So, we have to form an eqn whose roots are  $1, 3 - \sqrt{2}, 3 + \sqrt{2}$ .

Hence the required eqn is

~~Sol~~

$$x - 1 [x - (3 - \sqrt{2})] [x - (3 + \sqrt{2})] = 0$$

$$x - 1 [x - 3 + \sqrt{2}] [x - 3 - \sqrt{2}] = 0$$

$$(x - 1) [(x - 3)^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2] = 0$$

$$(x - 1) [x^2 - 6x + 9 - (-2)] = 0.$$

$$(x-1)[x^2-6x+9+2]=0$$

$$(x-1)[x^2-6x+11]=0$$

$$x^3-6x^2+11x-x^2+6x-11=0$$

- ② Solve the equ.  $x^4+4x^3+5x^2+2x-2=0$  of which one root is  $-1+\sqrt{-1}$ .

Sol

Imaginary roots occur in pairs.

Hence  $-1-\sqrt{-1}$  is also a root of the equation

$\therefore$  the expression of the left side of the equ has two factors,

$$(x-a)(x-b)=0$$

$$[x-(-1+\sqrt{-1})][x-(-1-\sqrt{-1})]=0$$

$$(x+1-\sqrt{-1})(x+1+\sqrt{-1})=0$$

$$(x+1)^2-(\sqrt{-1})^2=0$$

$$x^2+2x+1-(-1)=0$$

$$x^2+2x+2=0$$

dividing  $x^4+4x^3+5x^2+2x-2=0$  by  $x^2+2x+2=0$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2+2x+2 \overline{) x^4+4x^3+5x^2+2x-2=0} \\ \underline{x^4+2x^3+2x^2} \end{array}$$

$$2x^3+3x^2+2x$$

$$\underline{2x^3+4x^2+4x}$$

$$-x^2-2x-2$$

$$\underline{-x^2-2x-2}$$

0

∴ The quotient is  $x^2+2x-1$

$$∴ x^4 + 4x^3 + 5x^2 + 2x - 2$$

$$= (x^2+2x+2)(x^2+2x-1)$$

∴ the other roots are obtained from  $x^2+2x-1=0$

$$a=1 \quad b=2 \quad c=-1$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4+4}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{2}}{1} = -1 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

∴ The roots becomes  $-1+\sqrt{-1}, -1-\sqrt{-1}, -1+\sqrt{2}, -1-\sqrt{2}$

Note:

In an equ with rational co. eff. Irrational roots occur in pairs.

3. form an equ with rational co. eff, one of whose roots is  $\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}$

Sol

Let the given root is  $\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}$

The other roots are  $\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2}$

Hence the required equ is

$$[x - (\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2})] \cdot [x - (\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2})] \cdot [x - (-\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2})] \cdot [x - (-\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2})] = 0$$

$$[x - (\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{2})] \cdot [x - (\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{2})] = 0$$

$$[(x - \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2})(x - \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2})] \cdot [(x + \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2})(x + \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2})] = 0$$

$$[x - \sqrt{5}]^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2 \cdot [x + \sqrt{5}]^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2 = 0$$

$$[x^2 - 2x\sqrt{5} + 5 - 2](x^2 + 2x\sqrt{5} + 5 - 2) = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 2x\sqrt{5} + 3)(x^2 + 2x\sqrt{5} + 3) = 0$$

$$x^4 + 2x^3\sqrt{5} + 3x^2 - 2x^3\sqrt{5} - 4x^2 + 6x\sqrt{5} - 6x\sqrt{5} + 3x^2 + 6x\sqrt{5} + 9 = 0$$

$$+ 3x^2 + 6x\sqrt{5} + 9 = 0$$

$$x^4 - 4x^2 + 9 = 0$$

Transformation of equation.

If an equ is  $g_n$ , it is possible to transform this equ into another whose roots bear with to the original equ a  $g_n$  relation.

1. roots with signs changed.
2. roots multiplied by a  $g_n$  number
3. reciprocal equation.

Note:

To transform an equ into another whose roots are  $m$  times that of the  $g_n$  equ. The equ becomes

$$y^n + m p_1 y^{n-1} + m^2 p_2 y^{n-2} + \dots + m^n p_n = 0$$

has the roots  $md_1, md_2, \dots, md_n$

Hence to effect this transformation we have to multiply the successive terms beginning with the second by,  $m, m^2, m^3, \dots, m^n$ .

Change the equ to  $2x^4 - 3x^3 + 3x^2 - x + 2 = 0$  into another whose highest term will be

multiply the roots by 2

$$m = 2$$

Then the transformed equ becomes

$$2x^4 - 3 \cdot 2x^3 + 3 \cdot 2^2x^2 - 2^3 \cdot x + 2 \cdot 2^4 = 0$$

$$2x^4 - 6x^3 + 12x^2 - 8x + 32 = 0$$

$$\div 2 \Rightarrow$$

$$x^4 - 3x^3 + 6x^2 - 4x + 16 = 0 //$$

④ remove the fractional co. eff from the equ.

$$x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x - 1 = 0$$

Sol

$$x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x - 1 = 0$$

$$12x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x - 12 = 0$$

$$12x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x - 12 = 0$$

$$m = 2$$

$$12x^3 - 3 \cdot 12x^2 + 4 \cdot 12^2x - 12 \cdot 12^3 = 0$$

$$\div 12 \Rightarrow$$

$$x^3 - 3x^2 + 48x - 1728 = 0 //$$

⑤ remove the fractional co. eff from the equ  $x^3 + \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{16}x + \frac{1}{12} = 0$  to transform the equ into another whose roots are multiplied by  $m$ , we get.

Sol

$$x^3 + \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{16}x + \frac{1}{12} = 0$$

$$x^3 + \frac{1}{4}mx^2 - \frac{1}{16}m^2x + \frac{1}{12}m^3 = 0$$

$$x^3 + \frac{m}{2}x^2 - \frac{m^2}{2^4}x + \frac{m^3}{2^3 \cdot 3^2} = 0$$

If  $m = 12$  the fraction  $\frac{m}{2}$ ,  $\frac{m^2}{2^4}$ ,  $\frac{m^3}{2^3 \cdot 3^2}$

Hence we have to multiply the root by 12

The equ becomes

$$x^3 + \frac{12}{2}x^2 - \frac{12^2}{2^4}x + \frac{12^3}{2^3 \cdot 3^2} = 0$$

$$x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x + 24 = 0 //$$

Reciprocal root.

To transform an eqn into another whose roots are the reciprocals of the roots of the eqn.

Let  $d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n$  be the roots of the eqn.

$$x^n + p_1 x^{n-1} + p_2 x^{n-2} + \dots + p_n = 0$$

after some simplification, the eqn becomes

$$p_n y^n + p_{n-1} y^{n-1} + \dots + p_1 y + 1 = 0$$

has the roots  $1/d_1, 1/d_2, \dots, 1/d_n$

reciprocal equation.

If an eqn remains unaltered when  $x$  is changed into its reciprocal, it is called a reciprocal equation.

Let  $x^n + p_1 x^{n-1} + \dots + p_n = 0$  be a reciprocal equation.

find the roots of the eqn  $x^5 + 4x^4 + 3x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$

sol

This is a reciprocal eqn of odd degree.

like sense.

$\therefore x+1$  is a factor of  $x^5 + 4x^4 + 3x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$

the eqn can be written as

$$x^5 + 4x^4 + 3x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$$

$$x^4(x+1) + 3x^3(x+1) + 3x(x+1) + (x+1) = 0$$

$$(x+1) \{ x^4 + 3x^3 + 3x + 1 \} = 0$$

$$x+1=0 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} x^2+3x^2+3x+1=0 \\ \div x^2 \\ x^2+3x+1/x^2=0 \end{array} \right.$$

$$x^2 + 1/x^2 + 3(x + 1/x) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$x + 1/x = 0$$

Equation on both sides

$$(x + 1/x)^2 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 1/x^2 + 2 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 1/x^2 = -2$$

(1)  $\Rightarrow$

$$(z^2 - 2) + 3z = 0$$

$$z^2 + 3z - 2 = 0$$

$$a=1, b=3, c=-2$$

$$z = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 4(1)(-2)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{-3 + \sqrt{17}}{2}, \frac{-3 - \sqrt{17}}{2} \Rightarrow z = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2}$$

$$x + 1/x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{x} = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2}$$

$$2(x^2 + 1) = x(-3 \pm \sqrt{17})$$

$$2x^2 + 2 = x(-3 \pm \sqrt{17})$$

$$2x^2 + 2 = x(-3 + \sqrt{17})$$

$$2x^2 - x(-3 + \sqrt{17}) + 2 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + x(3 - \sqrt{17}) + 2 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + 2 = x(-3 - \sqrt{17})$$

$$2x^2 - x(-3 - \sqrt{17}) + 2 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + x(3 + \sqrt{17}) + 2 = 0$$

From this equation  $x$  can be found.

1-18  
20/10

① solve the eqn  $4x^3 + 20x^2 - 23x + 6 = 0$ , two of the roots being equal.

Sol Let  $\alpha, \alpha, \beta$  be the roots of the given eqn

$\therefore$  two of the roots being equal.

$$S_1 = \alpha + \alpha + \beta = -\frac{20}{4}$$

$$2\alpha + \beta = -5$$

$$\boxed{\beta = -5 - 2\alpha} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$S_2 = \alpha \cdot \alpha + \alpha \cdot \beta + \beta \cdot \alpha = -\frac{23}{4}$$

$$\alpha^2 + 2\alpha\beta = -\frac{23}{4} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$S_3 = \alpha \cdot \alpha \cdot \beta = -\frac{6}{4}$$

$$\alpha^2 \cdot \beta = -\frac{3}{2} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow \alpha^2 + 2\alpha[-5 - 2\alpha] = -\frac{23}{4}$$

$$\alpha^2 - 10\alpha - 4\alpha^2 = -\frac{23}{4}$$

$$-3\alpha^2 - 10\alpha = -\frac{23}{4}$$

$$+ (3\alpha^2 + 10\alpha) = +\frac{23}{4}$$

$$3\alpha^2 + 10\alpha - \frac{23}{4} = 0$$

$$\frac{12\alpha^2 + 40\alpha - 23}{4} = 0$$

$$12\alpha^2 + 40\alpha - 23 = 0$$

$$12\alpha^2 + 46\alpha - 6\alpha - 23 = 0$$

$$6\alpha[2\alpha - 1] + 23[2\alpha - 1] = 0$$

$$[2\alpha - 1]$$

$$2\alpha - 1 = 0$$

$$2\alpha = 1$$

$$\boxed{\alpha = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$[6\alpha + 23] = 0$$

$$6\alpha + 23 = 0$$

$$6\alpha = -23$$

$$\boxed{\alpha = -\frac{23}{6}}$$

If  $\alpha = 1/2$  then

$$\beta = -5 - 2(1/2)$$

$$\beta = -6$$

$$\beta = -5 + 2(7/3)$$

$$= -5 + 14/3$$

$$= \frac{-15 + 14}{3}$$

$$\beta = 8/3$$

$\alpha = 1/2$	$\beta = -6$
$\alpha = 7/3$	$\beta = 8/3$

⑥ Solve the eqn  $2x^3 - x^2 - 22x - 24 = 0$ . Two of the roots being in the ratio of 3:4

Sol

Let  $3\alpha, 4\alpha, \beta$  be the roots of the gn eqn, then we have  $S_1 = 3\alpha + 4\alpha + \beta = -(-1/2)$

$$7\alpha + \beta = 1/2$$

$$\beta = 1/2 - 7\alpha \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$S_2 = (3\alpha)(4\alpha) + (4\alpha)(\beta) + (\beta)(3\alpha) = -22/2$$

$$12\alpha^2 + 4\alpha\beta + 3\alpha\beta = -11$$

$$12\alpha^2 + 7\alpha\beta = -11 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$S_3 = (3\alpha)(4\alpha)(\beta) = -(-24/2)$$

$$12\alpha^2\beta = 12$$

$$\alpha^2\beta = 1 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$12\alpha^2 + 7\alpha[1/2 - 7\alpha] = -11$$

$$12\alpha^2 + 7/2\alpha - 49\alpha^2 = -11$$

$$-37\alpha^2 + 7/2\alpha = -11$$

$$-37\alpha^2 + 7/2\alpha + 11 = 0$$

$$\frac{-74\alpha^2 + 7\alpha + 22}{2} = 0$$

$$-74x^2 + 7x + 22 = 0$$

$$74x^2 - 7x - 22 = 0$$

$$a = 74, b = -7, c = -22$$

$$x = \frac{-(-7) \pm \sqrt{49 - 4(74)(-22)}}{2(74)}$$

$$= \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{49 + 65 \cdot 12}}{148}$$

$$= \frac{7 \pm 81}{148}$$

$$\frac{7+81}{148}, \frac{7-81}{148}$$

$$x = 22/37, -1/2 //$$

If  $x = -1/2$  then

$$y = 1/2 - 7x$$

$$y = 1/2 + 7(1/2)$$

$$= \frac{1+7}{2}$$

$$y = 4$$

$$3x, 4x, y$$

Hence the roots are

$$3x = 3(-1/2) = -3/2$$

$$4x = 4(-1/2) = -2$$

$$y = 4 //$$

⑤ Solve the eqn  $18x^3 + 81x^2 + 121x + 60 = 0$  the root being half the sum of the other two  $\therefore (\alpha = \frac{1}{2}(\beta + \gamma))$

Sol.

Let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be the roots of the gn eqn.

$$\text{Let } \alpha = \frac{\beta + \gamma}{2}$$

$$2\alpha = \beta + \gamma \quad \beta + \gamma = 2(-3/2) = -3 \quad \boxed{\beta + \gamma = -3}$$

$$S_1 = \alpha + \beta + \gamma = -(81/18)$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = -9/2$$

$$\alpha + 2\alpha = -9/2$$

$$3\alpha = -9/2$$

$$\alpha = -3/2$$

$$S_2 = \alpha \cdot \beta \cdot \gamma = -60/18$$

$$\alpha \cdot \beta \cdot \gamma = -10/3$$

$$\beta \gamma = -10/3 \times \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$= +10/3 \times \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$= 20/9$$

$$\beta \gamma = 20/9$$

$$\beta - \gamma = \sqrt{(\beta + \gamma)^2 - 4\beta\gamma}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-3)^2 - 4(20/9)}$$

$$= \sqrt{9 - 80/9}$$

$$\beta - \gamma = \sqrt{\frac{81 - 80}{9}}$$

$$= \sqrt{1/9}$$

$$\beta - \gamma = 1/3$$

Solve

$$\beta - \gamma = 1/3$$

$$\beta + \gamma = -3$$

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$$2\beta = 1/3 - 3$$

$$\therefore (a-b)^2 =$$

$$(a+b)^2 - 4ab$$

$$a-b = \sqrt{(a+b)^2 - 4ab}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \frac{9}{3}}{3}$$

$$2\beta = -\frac{8}{3}$$

$$\beta = -\frac{4}{3}$$

$$\beta - \gamma = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$-\frac{4}{3} - \gamma = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$-\gamma = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$-\gamma = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$\gamma = -\frac{5}{3}$$

2. solve the equ  $6x^5 - x^4 - 43x^3 + 43x^2 + x - 6 = 0$

The sol

This is a reciprocal equ of odd degree with unlike signs.

Hence  $x-1$  is a factor of the L.H.S

The equation can be written as follows.

$$6x^5 - 6x^4 + 5x^4 - 5x^3 - 38x^3 + 5x^2 + 38x^2 - 5x + 6x - 6 = 0$$

$$6x^4(x-1) + 5x^3(x-1) - 38x^2(x-1) + 5x(x-1) + 6(x-1) = 0$$

$$(x-1) \{ 6x^4 + 5x^3 - 38x^2 + 5x + 6 \} = 0$$

$$x-1=0$$

$$x=1$$

$$6x^4 + 5x^3 + 38x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$$

We have to solve the equ.

$$6x^4 + 5x^3 - 38x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$\div x^2 = 4$$

$$6x^2 + 5x - 38 + 5/x + 6/x^2 = 0$$

$$6(x^2 + 1/x^2) + 5(x + 1/x) - 38 = 0$$

$$x + 1/x = z$$

$$x^2 + 1/x^2 = z^2 - 2$$

$$6(z^2 - 2) + 15(z) - 38 = 0$$

$$6z^2 - 12 + 15z - 38 = 0$$

$$6z^2 + 15z - 50 = 0$$

$$a = 6, b = 15, c = -50$$

$$z = \frac{-15 \pm \sqrt{225 - 4(6)(-50)}}{2(6)}$$

$$= \frac{-15 \pm \sqrt{225 + 1200}}{12}$$

$$= \frac{-15 \pm \sqrt{1425}}{12} = \frac{-15 \pm 35}{12}$$

$$\frac{-15 + 35}{12}$$

$$\frac{-15 - 35}{12}$$

$$\frac{30}{12}$$

$$\frac{-40}{12}$$

$$\frac{5}{2}$$

$$-\frac{10}{3}$$

$$z = \frac{5}{2} \quad z = -\frac{10}{3}$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = -\frac{10}{3}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{x} = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{x} = -\frac{10}{3}$$

$$2(x^2 + 1) = 5x$$

$$3(x^2 + 1) = -10x$$

$$2x^2 - 5x + 2 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 10x + 3 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 5x + 2 = 0$$

$$a = 2, b = -5, c = 2$$

$$x = \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{25 - 4(2)(2)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{25-16}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{9}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5 \pm 3}{4}$$

$$8/4, 2/4$$

$$2, 1/2$$

$$3x^2 + 10x + 3 = 0$$

$$a = 3 \quad b = 10 \quad c = 3$$

$$x = \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 4(3)(3)}}{2(3)}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 36}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{64}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm 8}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10+8}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-10-8}{6}$$

$$= -2/6$$

$$= -18/6$$

$$= -1/3$$

$$= -3$$

∴ the roots of the equ. are  $1, 1/2, 2, -$

Form the Quotient and remainder when a polynomial is divided by a binomial.

1) Find the Quotient and Remainder when  $3x^3 + 8x^2 + 8x + 12$  is divided by  $x - 4$ .

Sol

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} 4 & 3 & 8 & 8 & 12 \\ & 0 & 12 & 80 & 352 \\ \hline & 3 & 20 & 88 & 364 \end{array}$$

∴ The Quotient is  $3x^2 + 20x + 88 = 0$ .

The remainder is  $364$ .

2)  $2x^6 + 3x^5 - 15x^2 + 2x - 4$  is divided by  $x + 5$ .

$$2x^6 + 3x^5 + 0x^4 + 0x^3 - 15x^2 + 2x - 4 = 0$$

$(x - (-5))$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrrrrr} -5 & 2 & 3 & 0 & 0 & -15 & 2 & -4 \\ & 0 & -10 & 35 & -175 & 875 & -4300 & 21490 \\ \hline & 2 & -7 & 35 & -175 & 860 & -4298 & 21486 \end{array}$$

∴ The Quotient is  $2x^5 - 7x^4 + 35x^3 - 175x^2 + 860x - 4298 = 0$

The remainder is  $21486$

3) Diminish the roots of  $x^4 - 5x^3 + 7x^2 - 4x + 5 = 0$  by 2.

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr}
 2 & 1 & -5 & 7 & -4 \\
 & 0 & 2 & -6 & 2 \\
 \hline
 & 1 & -3 & 1 & -2 \\
 & 0 & -2 & -2 & -2 \\
 \hline
 & 1 & -1 & -1 & -4 \\
 & 0 & 2 & 2 & \\
 \hline
 & 1 & 0 & 1 & \\
 & 0 & 2 & \\
 \hline
 & & & & 3
 \end{array}$$

∴ the remainder is 3

the coefficients of the transformed equation are 1, 3, 1, -4, 1

∴ The transformed equation is  $x^4 + 3x^3 + x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$

### Rolle's theorem

Between two consecutive real roots 'a' & 'b' of the equation  $f(x) = 0$  where,  $f(x)$  is a polynomial, there lies at least one real root of the equation  $f'(x) = 0$

1) Find the nature of the roots of the eqn.

$$4x^3 - 21x^2 + 18x + 20 = 0$$

Sol

Let us consider the function  $f(x) = 4x^3 - 21x^2 + 18x + 20 = 0$

$$f(x) = 4x^3 - 21x^2 + 18x + 20$$

$$f'(x) = 12x^2 - 42x + 18$$

$$\Rightarrow 12x^2 - 42x + 18 = 0$$

put  $x=3$  in  $f'(x)$

$$= 4(21) - 21(9) + 18(3) + 20$$

$$a=12 \quad b=-42 \quad c=18$$

$$= 108 - 189 + 54 + 20$$

$$\frac{108}{182}$$

$$= -7$$

Therefore  $f(x) = -7$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{42 \pm \sqrt{(42)^2 - 4(12)(18)}}{2(12)}$$

$$2(12)$$

$$= \frac{42 \pm \sqrt{1764 - 864}}{24}$$

$$24$$

$$= \frac{42 \pm \sqrt{900}}{24}$$

$$24$$

$$= \frac{42 \pm 30}{24}$$

$$24$$

$$\frac{42+30}{24}$$

$$, \frac{42-30}{24}$$

$$72/24, 12/24$$

$$3, 1/2$$

Hence the real roots of  $f'(x) = 0$  are  $1/2, 3$

The roots of  $f(x) = 0$  if any will be in the

intervals between  $-\infty$  and  $1/2$ ,  $1/2$  and  $3$ ,  $3$  and  $\infty$ .  
 $\therefore f(x)$  must vanish once in each of the above intervals.  
Hence  $f(x) = 0$  has 3 real roots.

9) show that the equ.  $3x^4 - 8x^3 - 6x^2 + 24x - 7 = 0$  has one +ve, one -ve and two imaginary roots.

$f(x) = 3x^4 - 8x^3 - 6x^2 + 24x - 7 = 0$       out  $f'(x)$   
 $f'(x) = 12x^3 - 24x^2 - 12x + 24 = 0$        $x = 1$   
 $12 - 24 - 12 + 24 = 0$

$f'(1) = 0$        $x = -1$   
 $12x^2 - 24x - 12x + 24 = 0$        $12x^2 - 12x - 24 = 0$   
 $12 + 12 - 24 = 0$

Let  $x-1=0$  & a root

$x=1$

12	-24	-12	24
0	12	-12	-24
12	-12	-24	0

$12x^2 - 12x - 24 = 0$

$x+1 = 0$  a root

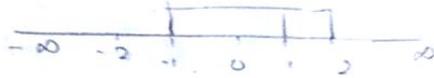
$x = -1$

$$-1 \left| \begin{array}{ccc|c} 12 & -12 & -24 & \\ 0 & -12 & 24 & \\ \hline 12 & -24 & 0 & \end{array} \right.$$

$$12x - 24 = 0$$

$$12x = 24$$

$$\boxed{x=2}$$



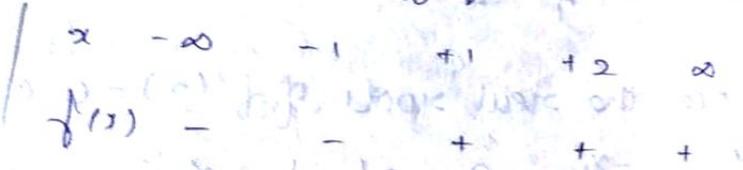
① H.W. always no reality of two roots

$$x^4 + 4x^3 - 2x^2 - 12x + a = 0$$

for all values of  $a$

$$\boxed{x = 1, -1, -3} \text{ are roots}$$

Hence the real roots of  $f'(x)=0$  are  $-1, +1, +2$ .



$\therefore f(x)=0$  has a real root lies between  $-1$  and  $1$ , and  $1$  and  $2$ .

Hence it is a (+)ve root.

The other real root lies between  $-1$  and  $-\infty$ , and so it is a (+)ve root.

$$f(x) = x^4 + 4x^3 - 2x^2 - 12x + a = 0$$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 + 12x^2 - 4x - 12$$

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$4x^3 + 12x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$$

$$x-1=0$$

$$x=1$$

$$x+1=0$$

$$x=-1$$

$$4(1)^3 + 12(1)^2 - 4(1) - 12 = 0$$

$$4 + 12 - 4 - 12 = 0$$

$$4(-1)^3 + 12(-1)^2 - 4(-1) - 12 = 0$$

$$-4 + 12 - 4 - 12 = 0$$

$$1 \left| \begin{array}{cccc|c} 4 & 12 & -4 & -12 & \\ 0 & 4 & 16 & 12 & \\ \hline 4 & 16 & 12 & 0 & \end{array} \right.$$

$$4x^2 + 16x + 12 = 0$$

$$x = -1$$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrr}
 -1 & 4 & 16 & 12 \\
 & 0 & -4 & -12 \\
 \hline
 & 4 & 12 & 0
 \end{array}$$

$$4x + 12 = 0 \quad 4(3) + 12 = 0$$

$$-12 + 12 = 0$$

$$x = -3$$

$$\begin{array}{r|rr}
 -3 & 4 & 12 \\
 & 0 & 12 \\
 \hline
 & 4 & 0
 \end{array}$$

Hence the real roots of  $f'(x) = 0$  are  $1, -1, -3$ .

$x$	$-\infty$	$-3$	$-1$	$1$	$\infty$
$f(x)$	-	-	-	+	+

$\therefore f(x) = 0$  has a real root lies between  $-3$  and  $-1$ ,  $-1$  and  $1$

Hence, it was +ve root

The other real root lies between  $-1$  and  $-3$ ,  $-3$  and  $-\infty$  and it was (-)ve root.