

10TH CLASS

MATH

CHAPTER 2

SOLUTION NOTES

Exercise 2.1

1. Find the discriminant of the following given quadratic equation.

(i) $2x^2 + 3x - 1$

Solution:

$$2x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$$

compare it with
 $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= (3)^2 - 4(2)(-1) \\ &= 9 + 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 17$$

(ii) $6x^3 - 8x + 3 = 0$

Solution:

$$6x^3 - 8x + 3 = 0$$

Compare it with
 $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 6, b = -8, c = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= (-8)^2 - 4(6)(3) \\ &= 64 - 72 \\ &= -8 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $9x^2 - 30x + 25 = 0$

Solution:

$$9x^2 - 30x + 25 = 0$$

Compare it with
 $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 9, b = -30, c = 25$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= (-30)^2 - 4(9)(25) \\ &= 900 - 900 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(iv) $4x^2 - 7x - 2 = 0$

Solution:

$$4x^2 - 7x - 2 = 0$$

Compare it with
 $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 4, b = -7, c = -2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= (-7)^2 - 4(4)(-2) \\ &= 49 + 32 \\ &= 81 \end{aligned}$$

2. Find the nature of the roots of the follow given quadratic and verify the result by solving equations:

(i) $x^2 + 23x + 120 = 0$

Solution:

$$x^2 + 23x + 120 = 0$$

Compare it with
 $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1, b = 23, c = 120$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= (23)^2 - 4(1)(120) \\ &= 529 - 480 \\ &= 49 \\ &= (7)^2 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

As the disc. is possible and is perfect square. Therefore the roots are rational (real) and unequal, verification by solving the equation.

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 23x + 120 &= 0 \\ x^2 - 15x - 8x + 120 &= 0 \\ x(x - 15) - 8(x - 15) &= 0 \\ (x - 15)(x - 8) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Either } x - 8 = 0 \text{ or } x - 15 = 0$$
$$x = 8 \quad x = 15$$

Thus, the roots are rational (real) and unequal.

(ii) $2x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$

Solution:

$$2x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$$

Compare it with

$$\Rightarrow a = 2, b = 3, c = 7$$

$$Disc. = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (3)^2 - 4(2)(7)$$

$$= 9 - 56$$

$$= -47 < 0$$

As the Disc. is negative.

Therefore the roots are imaginary and unequal.

Verification by solving the equation.

$$2x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$$

Using quadratic formula

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

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(2)(7)}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 56}}{4}$$

Thus, the roots are imaginary and unequal

(iii) $16x^2 - 24x + 9 = 0$

Solution:

$$16x^2 - 24x + 9 = 0$$

Compare it with

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 16, b = -24, c = 9$$

$$Disc. = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (-24)^2 - 4(16)(9)$$

$$= 576 - 576$$

$$= 0$$

As the Disc. is zero

Therefore the roots of the equation are real and equal.

Verification by solving the equations.

$$16x^2 - 24x + 9 = 0$$

using quadratic formula

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

$$= \frac{-(-24) \pm \sqrt{(-24)^2 - 4(16)(9)}}{2(16)}$$

$$= \frac{24 \pm \sqrt{576 - 576}}{32}$$

$$= \frac{24 \pm \sqrt{0}}{32}$$

$$= \frac{24}{32} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Thus the roots are real and unequal.

iv) $3x^2 + 7x - 13 = 0$

Solution:

$$3x^2 + 7x - 13 = 0$$

Compare it with

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3, b = 7, c = -13$$

$$Disc. = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (7)^2 - 4(3)(-13)$$

$$= 49 + 156$$

$$= 205 > 0$$

As the Disc. Is positive and is not perfect square.

Therefore the roots are irrational (real) and unequal.

Verification by solving the equation.

$$3x^2 + 7x - 13 = 0$$

Using quadratic formula

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

$$= \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{(7)^2 - 4(3)(-13)}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{49 + 156}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{205}}{6}$$

Thus, the roots are irrational (real) and unequal.

3. For what value of A, the expression

 $k^2x^2 + 2(k+1)x + 4$ is square.

Solution:

$$k^2x^2 + 2(k+1)x + 4 = 0$$

Compare it with

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = k^2, b = 2(k+1), c = 4$$

$$Disc. = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (2(k+1))^2 - 4(k^2)(4)$$

$$= 4(k^2 + 2k + 1) - 16k^2$$

$$= 4k^2 + 8k + 4 - 16k^2$$

$$= -12k^2 + 8k + 4 = 0$$

As the disc. Of the given expression is a perfect square. Therefore the roots are rational and equal.

So, $Disc. = 0$

$$-12k^2 + 8k + 4 = 0$$

$$-(12k^2 + 8k + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 12k^2 + 8k + 4 = 0$$

$$12k^2 - 12k + 4k - 4 = 0$$

$$12k(k-1) + 4(k-1) = 0$$

$$(12k+4)(k-1) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } 12k+4=0 \text{ or } k-1=0$$

$$12k = -4 \text{ or } k = 1$$

$$k = -\frac{4}{12}$$

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

5. Find the value of k, if the roots of the following equations are equal.

(i) $(2k+1)x^2 + 3Kx + 3 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2k+1, b = 3k, c = 3$$

As the roots are equal, So

$$Disc. = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

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

$$9k^2 - 12(2k + 1) = 0$$

$$9k^2 - 24k - 12 = 0$$

$$3(3k^2 - 8k - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3k^2 - 8k - 4 = 0$$

$$3k^2 - 6k - 2k + 4 = 0$$

$$3k(k - 2) - 2(k - 2) = 0$$

$$(3k - 2)(k - 2) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } 3k - 2 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad k - 2 = 0$$

$$3k = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad k = 2$$

$$k = \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{or} \quad k = 2$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad x^3 + 2(k + 2)x + (3k + 4) = 0$$

Solution:

$$x^3 + 2(k + 2)x + (3k + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \quad b = 2(k + 2) \quad c = 3k + 4$$

As the roots are equal

$$\text{Disc.} = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$[2(k + 2)]^2 - 4(1)(3k + 4) = 0$$

$$4(k + 2)^2 - 4(3k + 4) = 0$$

$$4(k^2 + 4k + 4) - 12k - 16 = 0$$

$$4k^2 + 4k + 4 - 12k - 16 = 0$$

$$4k^2 + 4k = 0$$

$$4k(k + 1) = 0$$

$$\text{Either} \quad 4k = 0 \quad (k + 1) = 0$$

$$k = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad k = -1$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad (3k + 2)x^2 - 5(k + 1)x + (2k + 3) = 0$$

Solution:

$$(3k + 2)x^2 - 5(k + 1)x + (2k + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3k + 2, \quad b = -5(k + 1), \quad c = (2k + 3)$$

As the roots are equal, So

$$\text{Disc.} = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$[-5(k + 1)]^2 - 4(3k + 2)(2k + 3) = 0$$

$$25(k^2 + 2k + 1) - 4(6k^2 + 13k + 6) = 0$$

$$25k^2 + 50k + 25 - 24k^2 - 52k - 24 = 0$$

$$k^2 - 2k + 1 = 0$$

$$(k - 1)^2 = 0$$

6. Show that the equation $x^2 + (mx + c)^2 = a^2$ has

a^2 has

Equal roots,

$$\text{if } c^2 = a^2(1 + m^2)$$

Solution:

$$x^2 + (mx + c)^2 = a^2$$

$$x^2 + m^2x^2 + 2mcx + c^2 = a^2$$

$$(1 + m^2)x^2 + 2mcx + c^2 - a^2 = 0$$

$$a = 1 + m^2, \quad b = 2mc, \quad c = c^2 - a^2$$

As the roots are equal, So

$$\text{Disc.} = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$(2mc)^2 - 4(1 + m^2)(c^2 - a^2) = 0$$

$$4m^2c^2 - 4(c^2 - a^2 + m^2c^2 - a^2m^2) = 0$$

$$4m^2c^2 - 4c^2 + 4a^2 - 4m^2c^2 + 4a^2m^2 = 0$$

$$-4c^2 + 4a^2 + 4ac^2 + 4a^2m^2 = 0$$

$$-4(c^2 - a^2 - a^2m^2) = 0$$

$$c^2 - a^2 - a^2m^2 = 0$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + a^2m^2$$

$$c^2 = a^2(a + m^2)$$

Hence proved.

7. Find the condition that the roots of the equation

$$(my + c)^2 - 4ax = 0 \text{ are equal.}$$

Solution:

$$(my + c)^2 - 4ax = 0$$

$$m^2x^2 + 2mcx + c^2 - 4ax = 0$$

$$m^2x^2 + 2mcx - 4ax + c^2 = 0$$

$$m^2x^2 + 2(mc - 2a)x + c^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = m^2, \quad b = 2(mc - 2a), \quad c = c^2$$

$$\text{As the roots are equal} \quad \text{Disc.} = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$[2(mc - 2a)]^2 - 4(m^2)(c^2) = 0$$

$$4(mc - 2a)^2 - 4m^2c^2 = 0$$

$$4(m^2c^2 - 4amc + 4a^2) - 4m^2c^2 = 0$$

$$4(m^2c^2 - 4amc + a^2 - m^2c^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 - 4amc = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a(a - mc) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a - mc = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = mc$$

Which is required condition.

8. If the roots of the equation

$$(c^2 - ab)x^2 - 2(a^2 - bc)x + (b^3 - ac) = 0$$

are equal

$$\text{, then } a = 0 \text{ or } a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 3abc$$

Solution:

$$(c^2 - ab)x^2 - 2(a^2 - bc)x + (b^3 - ac) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = c^3 - ab, \quad b = -2(a^2 - bc), \quad c = b^2 - ac$$

As the roots are equal so

$$\text{Disc.} = 0$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

$$[-2(a^2 - bc)]^2 - 4(c^2 - ab)(b^2 - ac) = 0$$

$$4(a^2 - bc)^2 - 4(c^2 - ab)(b^2 - ac) = 0$$

$$4[a^4 - 2a^2bc + b^2c^2] - (b^2c^2 - ac^3 + ab^3 + a^2bc) = 0$$

$$a^4 - 2a^2bc + b^2c^2 - b^2c^2 + ac^3 + ab^3 + a^2bc = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^4 + ab^3 + ac^3 - 3a^2bc = 0$$

$$= c^2 - 2ac + a^2 - ab + 4b^2 + 4ac - 4bc$$

$$k - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow k = 1$$

$$a(a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } a = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = 0$$

$$\text{Hence proved } a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$$

8. Show that the roots of the following equations are rational.

$$\text{(i)} \quad a(b - c)x^2 + b(c - a)x + c(a - b) = 0$$

Solution:

$$\Rightarrow a = a(b - c), \quad b = b(c - a), \quad c = c(a - b)$$

$$\text{Disc.} = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= [b(c - a)]^2 - 4[a(b - c)][c(a - b)]$$

$$= b^2(c - a)^2 - 4ac(b - c)(a - b)$$

$$= b^2(c^2 - 2ac + a^2) - 4ac(ab - b^2 - ac + bc)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= b^2c^2 - 2ab^2a^2 - 4a^2cb + 4acb^2 + 4a^2c^2 \\
 &\quad - 4abc^2 \\
 &= a^2b^2 + b^2c^2 + 4a^2c^2 + 2ab^2c - 4a^2bc \\
 &\quad - 4abc^2 \\
 &= (ab)^2 + (bc)^2 + (-2ac)^2 + 2(ab)(bc) \\
 &\quad + 2(bc)(-2ac) + 2(-2ac)(ab) \\
 &= (ab + bc - 2ac)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the roots are rational.

$$(ii) \quad (a + 2b)x^2 + 2(a + b + c)x + (a + 2c) = 0$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow a &= (a + 2b), \quad b = 2(a + b + c), \quad c = (a + 2c) \\
 \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\
 &= [2(a + b + c)]^2 - 4(a + 2b)(a + 2c) \\
 &= 4(a + b + c)^2 - 4(a^2 + 2ac + 2ab + 4bc) \\
 &= 4[a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca - a^2 - 2ac \\
 &\quad - 4bc] \\
 &= 4(b - c)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the roots are rational.

9. For all values of k, prove that the roots of the equation.

$$x^2 - 2\left(k + \frac{1}{k}\right)x + 3 = 0$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow a &= 1, \quad b = -2\left(k + \frac{1}{k}\right), \quad c = 3 \\
 \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\
 &= \left[-2\left(k + \frac{1}{k}\right)\right]^2 - 4(1)(3) \\
 &= 4\left(k + \frac{1}{k}\right)^2 - 12 \\
 &= 4\left[\left(k + \frac{1}{k}\right)^2 - 3\right] \\
 &= \left[k^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} + 2 - 3\right] \\
 &= \left[k^2 + \frac{1}{k^2} - 1\right] > 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the roots are real.

10. Show that the roots of the equation.

$$(b - c)x^2 + (c - a)x + (a - b)^2 = 0$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow a &= (b - c), \quad b = (c - a), \quad c = (a - b) \\
 \text{Disc.} &= b^2 - 4ac \\
 &= (c - a)^2 - 4(b - c)(a - b) \\
 &= (c^2 - 2ac + a^2) - 4(ab - b^2 - ac + bc) \\
 &= a^2 + 4b^2 + c^2 - 4ab - 4bc + 2ac \\
 &= (a^2 + (-2b)^2 + (c)^2 + 2(a)(-2b) + 2(-2b)(c) \\
 &\quad + 2(a)(c)) \\
 &= (a - 2b + c)^2 > 0
 \end{aligned}$$

hence the roots of the equation are real.

2.2 Cube Roots Of Unity And Their Properties

2.2.1 The cube roots of unity:

let a number x be the cube root of unity.

$$i.e. \quad x = (1)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$or \quad x^3 = 1$$

$$x^3 - 1 = 0$$

$$(x^3) - (1)^3 = 0$$

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

$$[using \quad a^3 - b^3 = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)]$$

$$Either \quad x - 1 = 0 \quad or \quad x^2 + x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1 \quad or \quad x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{(1)^2 - 4(1)(1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-4}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

\(\therefore\) three cube roots of unity are

$$1, \quad \frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

2.2.2 Recognize complex cube roots of unity as ω and ω^2

ω pronoun as omega

2.2.3 Properties of cube roots of unity

(a) Prove that each of the complex cube roots of unity is the square of the other.

Proof:

The complex cube roots of unity are

$$\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

We prove that

$$\left(\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 &= \frac{1 + (-3) - 2\sqrt{-3}}{4} \\
 &= \frac{-2 - 2\sqrt{3}}{4} \\
 &= \frac{2(-1 - \sqrt{3})}{4} \\
 &= \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

And

The complex cube roots of unity are

$$\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

We prove that

$$\left(\frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 &= \frac{1 + (-3) + 2\sqrt{-3}}{4} \\
 &= \frac{-2 + 2\sqrt{3}}{4} \\
 &= \frac{2(-1 + \sqrt{3})}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Thus, each of the complex cube root of unity is square of the other, that is

$$\text{if } \omega = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2} \text{ then } \omega^2 = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{And if } \omega = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2} \text{ then } \omega^2 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

(b) Prove that the product of three cube roots of unity is one.

Proof:

Three cube roots of unity are

$$1, \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

The product of cube roots of unity

$$1 \times \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(-1)^2 - (\sqrt{-3})^2}{4} = \frac{1 - (-3)}{4} = \frac{1 + 3}{4} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

i.e. $(1)(\omega)(\omega^2) = 1$ or $\omega^3 = 1$

$$\omega^4 = \omega^3 \cdot \omega = 1 \cdot \omega = \omega$$

(c) Prove that each complex cube root of unity is reciprocal of the other.

Proof:

We know that $\omega^3 = 1 \Rightarrow \omega \omega^2 = 1$ so,

$$\omega = \frac{1}{\omega^2} \text{ or } \omega^2 = \frac{1}{\omega}$$

(d) Prove that the sum of all the cube roots of unity is zero.

$$\text{i.e. } 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$$

Proof:

Three cube roots of unity are

$$1, \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

The product of cube roots of unity

$$= 1 + \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2 - 1 + i\sqrt{3} - 1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{0}{2} = 0$$

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

$$(i) 1 + \omega^2 = -\omega$$

$$(ii) 1 + \omega = -\omega^2$$

$$(iii) \omega + \omega^2 = -1$$

Exercise 2.2

Q.1 Find the cube root of $-1, 8, -27, 64$.

(i) Cube roots of -1

Solution: Let $x = (-1)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$x^3 = -1$$

$$x^3 + 1 = 0$$

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

$$\therefore (a^3 + b^3) = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$$

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

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

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

$$x = -1 \quad x^2 - x + 1 = 0$$

Then we solve $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$ by formula

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

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

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

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

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

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

Cube roots of -1

$$1, \frac{1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2}, \frac{1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2}$$

$$1, -\left(\frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2}\right), -1\left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2}\right)$$

$$1, -\omega \quad 1, -\omega^2$$

$$x = -1\omega \quad x = -1(\omega)^2$$

$$x = -\omega \quad x = -\omega^2$$

Cube roots of -1 are $-1, -\omega, -\omega^2$

(ii) Cube roots of 8

Solution : Let $x = (8)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$x^3 = 8$$

$$x^3 - 8 = 0$$

$$x^3 - 2^3 = 0$$

$$\therefore (a^3 - b^3) = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$$

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

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

$$(x - 2)(x^2 + 2x + 4) = 0$$

$$x - 2 = 0 \quad x^2 + 2x + 4 = 0$$

$$x = 2 \quad x^2 + 2x + 4 = 0$$

Then we solve $x^2 + 2x + 4 = 0$ by formula

$$a = 1, b = 2, c = 4$$

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

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

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 16}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-12}}{2}$$

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

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4} \sqrt{-3}}{2}$$

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

$$x = \frac{2(-1 \pm \sqrt{-3})}{2}$$

$$x = 2 \left(\frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)$$

$$x = 2 \left(\frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right) \quad x = 2 \left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)$$

$$x = 2\omega \quad x = 2\omega^2$$

Cube roots of 8 are $2, 2\omega, 2\omega^2$

(iii) Cube roots of -27

Solution : Let $x = (-27)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$x^3 = -27$$

$$x^3 + 27 = 0$$

$$x^3 + 3^3 = 0$$

$$\therefore (a^3 + b^3) = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$$

$$(x + 3)(x^2 - (x)(3) + 3^2)$$

$$(x + 3)(x^2 - 3x + 9) = 0$$

$$x + 3 = 0 \quad x^2 - 3x + 9 = 0$$

$$x = -3 \quad x^2 - 3x + 9 = 0$$

Then we solve $x^2 - 3x + 9 = 0$ by formula

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = 9$$

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

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

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 36}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{-27}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 \times (-3)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9} \sqrt{-3}}{2}$$

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

$$x = \frac{-3(-1 \pm \sqrt{-3})}{2}$$

$$x = -3 \left(\frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)$$

$$x = -3 \left(\frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right) \quad x = -3 \left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)$$

$$x = -3\omega \quad x = -3\omega^2$$

Cube roots of -27 are $-3, -3\omega, -3\omega^2$

(ii) Cube roots of 64

Solution : Let $x = (64)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$x^3 = 64$$

$$x^3 - 64 = 0$$

$$x^3 - 4^3 = 0$$

$$\therefore (a^3 - b^3) = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$$

$$(x - 4)(x^2 + (x)(4) + 4^2) = 0$$

$$(x - 4)(x^2 + 4x + 16) = 0$$

$$x-4=0 \quad x^2+4x+16=0$$

$$x=4 \quad x^2+4x+16=0$$

Then we solve $x^2+4x+16=0$ by formula

$$a=1, b=4, c=16$$

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

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{(4)^2 - 4(1)(16)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 64}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-48}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 \times (-3)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm 4\sqrt{-3}}{2}$$

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

$$x = 4 \left(\frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)$$

$$x = 4 \left(\frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right) \quad x = 4 \left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)$$

$$x = 4\omega \quad x = 4\omega^2$$

Cube roots of 64 are 4, 4ω , $4\omega^2$

Q.2 Evaluate

$$(i) (1 - \omega - \omega^2)^7$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } & (1 - \omega - \omega^2)^7 \\ &= [1 - (\omega - \omega^2)]^7 \\ &= [1 - (-1)]^7 \\ &= (1+1)^7 \\ &= 2^7 = 128 \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) (1 - 3\omega - 3\omega^2)^5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } & (1 - 3\omega - 3\omega^2)^5 \\ &= [1 - 3(\omega + \omega^2)]^5 \\ &= [1 - 3(-1)]^5 \\ &= (1+3)^5 \\ &= 4^5 = 1025 \end{aligned}$$

$$(iii) (9 + 4\omega + 4\omega^2)^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } & (9 + 4\omega + 4\omega^2)^3 \\ &= [9 + 4(\omega + \omega^2)]^3 \\ &= [9 + 4(-1)]^3 \quad (\because \omega + \omega^2 = -1) \\ &= (9-4)^3 \\ &= 5^3 = 125 \end{aligned}$$

$$(iv) (2 + 2\omega + 2\omega^2)(3 - 3\omega + 3\omega^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } & (2 + 2\omega + 2\omega^2)(3 - 3\omega + 3\omega^2) \\ &= (2(1 + \omega) - 2\omega^2)(3 + 3\omega^2 - 3\omega) \\ &= [2(1 + \omega) - 2\omega^2][3(1 + \omega^2) - 3\omega] \\ & \quad \{ \because 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0 \} \\ & \quad \{ 1 + \omega = -\omega^2 \quad 1 + \omega^2 = -\omega \} \\ &= [2(-\omega^2) - 2\omega^2][3(-\omega) - 3\omega] \\ &= (-2\omega^2 - 2\omega^2)(-3\omega - 3\omega) \\ &= (-4\omega^2)(-6\omega) \\ &= 24\omega^3 = 24(1) = 24 \end{aligned}$$

$$(v) (-1 + \sqrt{-3})^6 + (-1 - \sqrt{-3})^6$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } & (-1 + \sqrt{-3})^6 + (-1 - \sqrt{-3})^6 \\ \text{As } & \frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \omega \quad \frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \omega^2 \\ & -1 + \sqrt{-3} = 2\omega \quad -1 - \sqrt{-3} = 2\omega^2 \end{aligned}$$

Then it becomes

$$\begin{aligned} &= (2\omega)^6 + (2\omega^2)^6 \\ &= 2^6 \omega^6 + 2^6 \omega^{12} \\ &= 2^6 [(\omega^3)^2 + (\omega^3)^4] \\ &= 2^6 [(1)^2 + (1)^4] \\ &= 64(1+1) \\ &= 64(2) = 128 \end{aligned}$$

$$(vi) \left(\frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)^9 + \left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)^9$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } & \left(\frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)^9 + \left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} \right)^9 \\ \text{As } & \frac{-1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \omega \quad \frac{-1 - \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \omega^2 \end{aligned}$$

Then it becomes

$$= (\omega)^9 + (\omega^2)^9$$

$$= \omega^9 + \omega^{18}$$

$$= (\omega^3)^3 + (\omega^3)^6$$

$$= (1)^3 + (1)^6$$

(vii) $\omega^{37} + \omega^{38} - 5$

Solution: $\omega^{37} + \omega^{38} - 5$

$$= \omega^{36} \omega + \omega^{36} \omega^2 - 5$$

$$= (\omega^3)^{12} \omega + (\omega^3)^{12} \omega^2 - 5$$

$$= (1)^{12} \omega + (1)^{12} \omega^2 - 5$$

$$= 1\omega + 1\omega^2 - 5$$

$$= (\omega + \omega^2) - 5$$

$$= (-1) - 5$$

$$= -1 - 5 = -6$$

(viii) $\omega^{-13} + \omega^{-17}$

Solution: $\omega^{-13} + \omega^{-17}$

$$= \frac{1}{\omega^{13}} + \frac{1}{\omega^{17}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\omega^{12} \omega} + \frac{1}{\omega^{15} \omega^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\omega^3)^4 \omega} + \frac{1}{(\omega^3)^5 \omega^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1)^4 \omega} + \frac{1}{(1)^5 \omega^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\omega} + \frac{1}{\omega^2}$$

$$= \frac{\omega^2 + \omega}{(\omega)(\omega^2)} = \frac{-1}{\omega^3}$$

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

Q.3 Prove that

$$x^3 + y^3 = (x + y)(x + \omega y)(x + \omega^2 y)$$

Solution: Let,

$$R.H.S = (x + y)(x + \omega y)(x + \omega^2 y)$$

$$= (x + y)(x^2 + \omega^2 xy + \omega xy + \omega^3 y^2)$$

$$= (x + y)[x^2 + (\omega^2 + \omega)xy + \omega^3 y^2]$$

$$\because 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0, \omega + \omega^2 = -1, \omega^3 = 1$$

$$= (x + y)[x^2 + (-1)xy + 1y^2]$$

$$= (x + y)(x^2 - xy + y^2)$$

$$\text{As } (a^3 + b^3) = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2) \text{ so,}$$

$$= x^3 + y^3 = L.H.S$$

Q.4 Prove that

$$x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz = (x + y + z)(x + \omega y + \omega^2 z)(x + \omega^2 y + \omega z)$$

Solution: Let R.H.S

$$= (x + y + z)(x + \omega y + \omega^2 z)(x + \omega^2 y + \omega z)$$

$$= (x + y + z)(x^2 + \omega^2 xy + \omega xz + \omega yx + \omega^3 y^2 + \omega^2 yz + \omega^2 xz + \omega^4 zy + \omega^3 z^2)$$

$$= (x + y + z)[(x^2 + \omega^3 y^2 + \omega^3 z^2 + (\omega^2 + \omega)xy + (\omega^2 + \omega^4)yz + (\omega + \omega^2)zx)]$$

$$= (x + y + z)[x^2 + 1y^2 + 1z^2 + (-1)xy + (\omega^2 + \omega^3\omega)yz + (-1)zx]$$

$$= (x + y + z)[x^2 + 1y^2 + 1z^2 + (-1)xy + (\omega^2 + 1\omega)yz + (-1)zx]$$

$$= (x + y + z)(x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - xy - yz - zx)$$

$$= x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz = L.H.S$$

Using formula:

$$= (a + b + c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca) = a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$$

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$$= (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^4)(1 + \omega^8) \dots \dots \dots 2n \text{ factors} = 1$$

Solution: L.H.S

$$= (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^4)(1 + \omega^8) \dots \dots \dots 2n \text{ factors}$$

$$= (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega^3)(1 + \omega^6 \omega^2) \dots \dots \dots 2n \text{ factors}$$

$$= (1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2) \dots \dots \dots 2n \text{ factors} \quad \therefore \omega^3 = 1$$

$$= [(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)]^n [(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)] \dots \dots \dots n \text{ factors}$$

$$= [(1 + \omega)(1 + \omega^2)]^n$$

$$= [(-\omega^2)(-\omega)]^n$$

$$= [\omega^3]^n$$

$$= [1]^n$$

$$= 1$$

$$L.H.S = R.H.S$$

Exercise 2.3

Q.1 Without solving, find the sum and product of the roots of following quadratic equations:

(i) $x^2 - 5x + 3 = 0$

Solution: $x^2 - 5x + 3 = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 1, b = -5, c = 3$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{-b}{a} = -\left(\frac{-5}{1}\right) = 5$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{3}{1} = 3$$

(ii) $3x^2 + 7x - 11 = 0$

Solution: $3x^2 + 7x - 11 = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 3, b = 7, c = -11$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{-b}{a} = \frac{-7}{3}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{-11}{3}$$

(iii) $px^2 - qx + r = 0$

Solution: $px^2 - qx + r = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = p, b = -q, c = r$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{-b}{a} = -\left(\frac{-q}{p}\right) = \frac{q}{p}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{r}{p}$$

(iv) $(a+b)x^2 - ax + b = 0$

Solution: $(a+b)x^2 - ax + b = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = (a+b), b = -a, c = b$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{-b}{a} = -\left(\frac{-a}{a+b}\right) = \frac{a}{a+b}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{b}{a+b}$$

(v) $(l+m)x^2 + (m+n)x + n-l = 0$

Solution: $(l+m)x^2 + (m+n)x + n-l = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = (l+m), b = (m+n), c = n-l$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{-b}{a} = \frac{-(m+n)}{l+m}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{n-l}{l+m}$$

(vi) $7x^2 - 5mx + 9n = 0$

Solution: $7x^2 - 5mx + 9n = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 7, b = -5m, c = 9n$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{-b}{a} = -\left(\frac{-5m}{7}\right) = \frac{5m}{7}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{9n}{7}$$

Q.2 Find the value of k if.

(i) Sum of the roots of equation $2kx^2 - 3x + 4k = 0$ is twice the product of roots.

Solution: $2kx^2 - 3x + 4k = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 2k, b = -3, c = 4k$$

Let α, β be the roots of equation

$$\text{Sum of roots} = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-(-3)}{2k} = \frac{3}{2k}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{4k}{2k} = 2$$

According to given conditions:

$$S = 2P$$

$$\frac{3}{2k} = 2(2)$$

$$\frac{3}{2k} = 4$$

$$3 = 4(2k)$$

$$3 = 8k$$

$$\frac{3}{8} = k$$

$$k = \frac{3}{8}$$

(ii) Sum of the roots of the equation

$x^2 + (3k - 7)x + 5k = 0$ is $\frac{3}{2}$ times the

products of roots.

Solution : $1x^2 + (3k - 7)x + 5k = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 1, b = (3k - 7), c = 5k$$

Let α, β be the roots of equation

$$\text{Sum of roots} = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a} = \frac{-(3k - 7)}{1} = -3k + 7$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{5k}{1} = 5k$$

According to given conditions :

$$S = \frac{3}{2}P$$

$$-3k + 7 = \frac{3}{2}(5k)$$

$$2(-3k + 7) = 3(5k)$$

$$-6k + 14 = 15k$$

$$14 = 15k + 6k$$

$$14 = 21k$$

$$k = \frac{14}{21} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$k = \frac{2}{3}$$

Q.3 Find k, if

(ii) Sum of the squares of the roots

of the equation $4kx^2 + 3kx - 8 = 0$ is 2

Solution : $x^2 + 3kx - 8 = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 4k, b = 3k, c = -8$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a}$$

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

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$= \frac{-8}{4k} = \frac{-2}{k}$$

Given that sum of square of roots is 2

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 2$$

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

$$(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta = 2$$

$$\text{Put } \alpha + \beta = \frac{-3}{4} \quad \alpha\beta = \frac{-2}{k}$$

$$\left(\frac{-3}{4}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{-2}{k}\right) = 2$$

$$\frac{9}{16} + \frac{4}{k} = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{9k + 64}{16k} = 2$$

$$9k + 64 = 2(16k)$$

$$9k + 64 = 32k$$

$$64 = 32k - 9k$$

$$64 = 23k \Rightarrow k = \frac{64}{23}$$

$$\text{Hence } k = \frac{64}{23}$$

(ii) Sum of the square of the roots of the equation $x^2 - 2kx + (2k + 1) = 0$ is 6

Solution: $x^2 - 2kx + (2k + 1) = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 1, b = -2k, c = 2k + 1$$

α, β are the roots of equation

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sum of roots} = \alpha + \beta &= \frac{-b}{a} \\ &= \frac{-(-2k)}{1} = 2k \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Product of roots} = P = \alpha\beta &= \frac{c}{a} \\ &= \frac{2k + 1}{1} = 2k + 1 \end{aligned}$$

According to given condition :

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 6$$

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + 2\alpha\beta - 2\alpha\beta = 6$$

$$(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta = 6$$

$$\text{Put } \alpha + \beta = 2k \quad \alpha\beta = 2k + 1$$

$$(2k)^2 - 2(2k + 1) = 6$$

$$4k^2 - 4k - 2 = 6$$

$$4k^2 - 4k - 2 - 6 = 0$$

$$4k^2 - 4k - 8 = 0$$

$$4(k^2 - k - 2) = 0$$

$$\therefore k^2 - k - 2 = 0$$

$$k^2 - 2k + k - 2 = 0$$

$$k(k - 2) + 1(k - 2) = 0$$

$$(k - 2)(k + 1) = 0$$

$$k - 2 = 0 \quad k + 1 = 0$$

$$k = 2 \quad k = -1$$

$$k = -1, 2$$

Q.4 Find p if

(i) The roots of the equation $x^2 - x + p^2 = 0$ differ by unity.

$$\text{Solution: } x^2 - x + p^2 = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 1, b = -1, c = p^2$$

Let the roots are ' α ' and ' $\alpha - 1$ '

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \alpha - 1$$

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

$$2\alpha - 1 = 1$$

$$2\alpha = 1 + 1$$

$$2\alpha = 2$$

$$\alpha = 1$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \alpha(\alpha - 1)$$

$$= \frac{c}{a} = \frac{p^2}{1} = p^2$$

$$\alpha(\alpha - 1) = p^2$$

Putting value of $\alpha = 1$

$$1(1 - 1) = p^2$$

$$p^2 = 0 \Rightarrow p = 0$$

(ii) Find p if the roots of the equation

$$x^2 + 3x + p - 2 = 0 \text{ differ by 2.}$$

$$\text{Solution: } x^2 + 3x + p - 2 = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

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

Let the roots are ' α ' and ' $\alpha - 2$ '

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \alpha - 2$$

$$= \frac{-b}{a} = \left(\frac{-3}{1}\right) = -3$$

$$2\alpha - 2 = -3$$

$$2\alpha = -3 + 2$$

$$2\alpha = -1$$

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

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \alpha(\alpha - 2)$$

$$= \frac{c}{a} = \frac{p - 2}{1} = p - 2$$

$$\alpha(\alpha - 2) = p - 2$$

$$\text{Putting value of } \alpha = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$\frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{-1}{2} - 2 \right) = p - 2$$

$$\frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{-1 - 4}{2} \right) = p - 2$$

$$\frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{-5}{2} \right) = p - 2$$

$$\frac{5}{4} = p - 2$$

$$p = \frac{5}{4} + 2$$

$$p = \frac{5 + 8}{4}$$

$$p = \frac{13}{4}$$

Q.5 Find m if

(i) The roots of the equation $x^2 - 7x + 3m - 5 = 0$ satisfy the relation $3\alpha + 2\beta = 4$.

$$\text{Solution: } x^2 - 7x + 3m - 5 = 0$$

Let α, β be the roots of given equation

$$1x^2 - 7x + 3m - 5 = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 1, b = -7, c = 3m - 5$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$= -\left(\frac{-7}{1}\right) = 7 \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{3m - 5}{1}$$

$$= 3m - 5 \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{Since } 3\alpha + 2\beta = 4 \dots(iii)$$

From equation (i)

$$\alpha + \beta = 7$$

$$\beta = 7 - \alpha$$

Put $\beta = 7 - \alpha$ in equation (iii)

$$3\alpha + 2\beta = 4$$

$$3\alpha + 2(7 - \alpha) = 4$$

$$3\alpha + 14 - 2\alpha = 4$$

$$\alpha + 14 = 4$$

$$\alpha = 4 - 14$$

$$\alpha = -10$$

Put $\alpha = -10$ in $\beta = 7 - \alpha$

$$\beta = 7 - (-10)$$

$$\beta = 7 + 10 \Rightarrow \beta = 17$$

Put $\alpha = -10$ and $\beta = 17$ in equation (ii)

$$\alpha\beta = 3m - 5$$

$$(-10)(17) = 3m - 5$$

$$-170 = 3m - 5$$

$$-170 + 5 = 3m$$

$$-165 = 3m$$

$$\frac{-165}{3} = m$$

$$-55 = m \Rightarrow m = -55$$

(ii) Find m if the roots of the equation

$$x^2 - 7x + 3m - 5 = 0 \text{ satisfy the relation } 3\alpha - 2\beta = 4$$

Solution: $x^2 - 7x + 3m - 5 = 0$

Let α, β be the roots of given equation

$$1x^2 + 7x + 3m - 5 = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 1, b = 7, c = 3m - 5$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$= \frac{-7}{1} = -7 \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{3m - 5}{1}$$

$$= 3m - 5 \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{Since } 3\alpha + 2\beta = 4 \dots(iii)$$

From equation (i)

$$\alpha + \beta = -7$$

$$\beta = -7 - \alpha$$

Put $\beta = -7 - \alpha$ in equation (iii)

$$3\alpha - 2\beta = 4$$

$$3\alpha - 2(-7 - \alpha) = 4$$

$$3\alpha + 14 + 2\alpha = 4$$

$$5\alpha + 14 = 4$$

$$5\alpha = 4 - 14$$

$$5\alpha = -10$$

$$\alpha = \frac{-10}{5}$$

$$\alpha = -2$$

Put $\alpha = -2$ in equation (i)

$$\alpha + \beta = -7$$

$$-2 + \beta = -7$$

$$\beta = -7 + 2 \Rightarrow \beta = -5$$

Put $\alpha = -2$ and $\beta = -5$ in equation (ii)

$$\alpha\beta = 3m - 5$$

$$(-2)(-5) = 3m - 5$$

$$10 = 3m - 5$$

$$10 + 5 = 3m$$

$$15 = 3m$$

$$\frac{15}{3} = m \Rightarrow m = 5$$

(iii) Find m if the roots of the equation

$$3x^2 - 2x + 7m + 2 = 0 \text{ satisfy the relation}$$

$$7\alpha - 3\beta = 18.$$

Solution: $3x^2 - 2x + 7m + 2 = 0$

Let α, β be the roots of given equation

$$3x^2 - 2x + 7m + 2 = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 3, b = -2, c = 7m + 2$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$= \frac{-(-2)}{3} = \frac{2}{3} \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$= \frac{7m + 2}{3} \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{Since } 7\alpha - 3\beta = 18 \dots(iii)$$

From equation (i)

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

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

Put $\beta = \frac{2}{3} - \alpha$ in equation (iii)

$$7\alpha - 3\beta = 18$$

$$7\alpha - 3\left(\frac{2}{3} - \alpha\right) = 18$$

$$7\alpha - \frac{6}{3} + 3\alpha = 18$$

$$7\alpha - 2 + 3\alpha = 18$$

$$10\alpha = 18 + 2$$

$$10\alpha = 20$$

$$\alpha = \frac{20}{10}$$

$$\alpha = 2$$

Put $\alpha = 2$ in equation (i)

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$2 + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\beta = \frac{2}{3} - 2 = \frac{-4}{3} \Rightarrow \beta = \frac{-4}{3}$$

Put $\alpha = 2$ and $\beta = \frac{-4}{3}$ in equation (ii)

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{7m+2}{3}$$

$$2\left(\frac{-4}{3}\right) = \frac{7m+2}{3}$$

$$\frac{-8}{3} \times 3 = 7m + 2$$

$$7m + 2 = -8$$

$$7m = -8 - 2$$

$$7m = -10 \Rightarrow m = \frac{-10}{7}$$

Q.6 Find m if sum and product of the roots of the following equations is equal to given number λ .

$$(i) (2m+3)x^2 + (7m-5)x + (3m-10) = 0$$

$$\text{Solution: } (2m+3)x^2 + (7m-5)x + (3m-10) = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = (2m+3), b = (7m-5), c = (3m-10)$$

Let α, β are the roots of the equation, then

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$= -\frac{(7m-5)}{2m+3} = \frac{5-7m}{2m+3}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{3m-10}{2m+3}$$

As given that

$$\alpha + \beta = \lambda \dots(i) \quad \alpha\beta = \lambda \dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\alpha + \beta = \alpha\beta$$

$$\frac{5-7m}{2m+3} = \frac{3m-10}{2m+3}$$

$$5-7m = \frac{3m-10}{2m+3} \times 2m+3$$

$$5-7m = 3m-10$$

$$5+10 = 3m+7m$$

$$15 = 10m$$

$$\frac{15}{10} = m \Rightarrow m = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$(ii) 4x^2 - (3+5m)x - (9m-17) = 0$$

$$\text{Solution: } 4x^2 - (3+5m)x - (9m-17) = 0$$

Let α, β are the roots of the equation, then

$$4x^2 - (3+5m)x - (9m-17) = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 4, b = -(3+5m), c = -(9m-17)$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$= -\left(\frac{-(3+5m)}{4}\right) = \frac{3+5m}{4}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = -\left(\frac{9m-17}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{Let } \alpha + \beta = \lambda \dots(i) \quad \alpha\beta = \lambda \dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\alpha + \beta = \alpha\beta$$

$$\frac{3+5m}{4} = \frac{-(9m-17)}{4}$$

$$3+5m = -9m+17$$

$$9m+5m = 17-3$$

$$14m = 14$$

$$\frac{14}{14} = m \Rightarrow m = 1$$

Exercise 2.4

Q.1 If α, β are the roots of the equations

$x^2 + px + q = 0$ then evaluate

Solution : $x^2 + px + q = 0$

$a = 1, b = p, c = q$

Sum of roots,

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a} = \frac{-p}{1} = -p$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -p$$

Product of roots,

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{q}{1} = q$$

$$\alpha\beta = q$$

(i) $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$

Solution :

$$(\alpha + \beta)^2 = \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + 2\alpha\beta$$

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta$$

$$= (-p)^2 - 2(q)$$

$$= p^2 - 2q$$

(ii) $\alpha^3\beta + \alpha\beta^3$

Solution : $\alpha^3\beta + \alpha\beta^3$

$$= \alpha\beta(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)$$

$$= \alpha\beta[(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta]$$

$$= q[(-p)^2 - 2q]$$

$$= q(p^2 - 2q)$$

(iii) $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$

Solution : $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$

$$= \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\alpha\beta}(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{q}[(-p)^2 - 2 \times q]$$

$$= \frac{1}{q}(p^2 - 2q)$$

Q.2 If α, β are the roots of the equation

$4x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$, then find the value

Solution : $4x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = 4, b = -5, c = 6$$

Sum of roots,

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a} = \frac{-(-5)}{4} = \frac{5}{4}$$

Product of roots,

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{6}{4}$$

(i) $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}$

Solution : $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}$

$$= \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha\beta} = \frac{5/4}{6/4} = \frac{5}{6}$$

(ii) $\alpha^2\beta^2$

Solution : $\alpha^2\beta^2$

$$= (\alpha\beta)^2 = \left(\frac{6}{4}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{9}{4}$$

(iii) $\frac{1}{\alpha^2\beta} + \frac{1}{\alpha\beta^2}$

Solution : $\frac{1}{\alpha^2\beta} + \frac{1}{\alpha\beta^2}$

$$= \frac{\beta + \alpha}{\alpha^2\beta^2} = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{(\alpha\beta)^2} = \frac{5/4}{(6/4)^2}$$

$$= \frac{5/4}{36/16} = \frac{5}{4} \times \frac{16}{36} = \frac{5}{9}$$

$$(iv) \frac{\alpha^2}{\beta} + \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha}$$

$$\text{Solution: } \frac{\alpha^2}{\beta} + \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha} = \frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\text{Using formula: } (\alpha + \beta)^3 = \alpha^3 + \beta^3 + 3(\alpha\beta)(\alpha + \beta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha^3 + \beta^3 &= (\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3(\alpha\beta)(\alpha + \beta) \\ &= \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3(\alpha\beta)(\alpha + \beta)}{\alpha\beta} \\ &= \frac{(5/4)^3 - 3(6/4)(5/4)}{(6/4)} \\ &= \left(\frac{125}{64} - \frac{90}{16}\right) \frac{4}{6} = \left(\frac{125 - 360}{64}\right) \frac{4}{6} \\ &= \frac{-235}{96} \end{aligned}$$

Q.3 If α, β are the roots of the equation

$$lx^2 + mx + n = 0 \text{ then find the value}$$

$$\text{Solution: } lx^2 + mx + n = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$a = l, \quad b = m, \quad c = n$$

f α, β are the roots of given equation

$$\text{Sum of roots} = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{-m}{l}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{n}{l}$$

$$(i) \alpha^3 \beta^2 + \alpha^2 \beta^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } \alpha^3 \beta^2 + \alpha^2 \beta^3 &= \alpha^2 \beta^2 (\alpha + \beta) \\ &= (\alpha\beta)^2 (\alpha\beta) = \left(\frac{n}{l}\right)^2 \left(\frac{-m}{l}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{n^2}{l^2}\right) \left(\frac{-m}{l}\right) = \frac{-mn^2}{l^3} \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) \frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2}$$

$$\text{Solution: } \frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha^2 \beta^2} = \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta}{(\alpha\beta)^2} \\ &= (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta \div (\alpha\beta)^2 \\ &= \left(\frac{-m}{l}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{n}{l}\right) \div \left(\frac{n}{l}\right)^2 \\ &= \frac{m^2}{l^2} - \frac{2n}{l} \div \frac{n^2}{l^2} = \left(\frac{m^2 - 2nl}{l^2}\right) \times \frac{l^2}{n^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{n^2} (m^2 - 2nl) \end{aligned}$$

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Exercise 2.5

Question No.1 Write the quadratic equation having following roots.

Write the Quadratic equation having following roots.

a) 1, 5

Solution:

Since 1 and 5 are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = 1 + 5 = 6$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = 1 \times 5 = 5$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

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

b) 4, 9

Solution:

Since 4 and 9 are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = 4 + 9 = 13$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = 4 \times 9 = 36$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

$$x^2 - 13x + 36 = 0$$

c) (-2, 3)

solution:

Since -2 and 3 are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = -2 + 3 = 1$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = -2 \times 3 = -6$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

d) 0, -3

Solution:

Since 0 and -3 are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = 0 - 3 = -3$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = 0 \times -3 = 0$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 3x + 0$$

e) 2, -6

Solution:

Since 2 and -6 are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = 2 + (-6) = 2 - 6 = -4$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = 2 \times (-6) = -12$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

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

f) -1, -7

Solution:

Since -1 and -7 are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = (-1) + (-7) = -1 - 7 = -8$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = -1 \times -7 = 7$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

$$x^2 + 8x + 7 = 0$$

g) $(1 + i, 1 - i)$

Solution:

Since $1 + i$ and $1 - i$ are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = 1 + i + 1 - i = 2$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = (1 + i) \times (1 - i)$$

$$= P = (1)^2 - (i)^2$$

$$P = 1 - (-1)$$

$$P = 1 + 1 = 2$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

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

h) $3 + \sqrt{2}, 3 - \sqrt{2}$

Solution:

Since $3 + \sqrt{2}$ and $3 - \sqrt{2}$ are the roots of the required quadratic equation, therefore

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = 3 + \sqrt{2} + 3 - \sqrt{2} = 6$$

$$\text{product of roots} = P = (3 + \sqrt{2})(3 - \sqrt{2})$$

$$P = (3)^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$P = 9 - 2$$

$$P = 7$$

As $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ so the required equation is

$$x^2 - 6x + 7 = 0$$

Question No.2 if α, β are the roots of the equation $x^2 - 3x + 6 = 0$ from equation whose roots are

Solution:

As α, β are the roots of the equation

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

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = 6$$

Therefore

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{-3}{1} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 3$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{6}{1} = 6$$

$$\alpha\beta = 6$$

a) $2\alpha + 1, 2\beta + 1$

Solution:

Sum of the roots

$$S = 2\alpha + 1 + 2\beta + 1$$

$$S = 2\alpha + 2\beta + 2$$

$$S = 2(\alpha + \beta) + 2$$

$$S = 2(3) + 2 = 6 + 2 = 8$$

$$S = 8$$

Product of the roots

$$P = (2\alpha + 1)(2\beta + 1)$$

$$P = 4\alpha\beta + 2\alpha + 2\beta + 1$$

$$P = 4\alpha\beta + 2(\alpha + \beta) + 1$$

$$P = 4(6) + 2(3) + 1$$

$$P = 24 + 6 + 1 = 31$$

$$P = 31$$

Using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ we have $x^2 - 8x + 31 = 0$

b) α^2, β^2

Solution:

As α, β are the roots of the equation $x^2 - 3x + 6 = 0$

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = 6$$

Therefore

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = \frac{-3(-3)}{1} = 3$$

$$\alpha + \beta = 3$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{6}{1} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\beta = 6$$

$$\text{Sum of the roots} = S = \alpha^2 + \beta^2$$

$$S = (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta$$

$$S = (3)^2 - 2(6)$$

$$S = 9 - 12 = -3$$

$$S = -3$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \alpha^2\beta^2$$

$$P = (\alpha\beta)^2$$

$$P = (6)^2 = 36$$

$$P = 36$$

Using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$, we have

$$x^2 + 3x + 36 = 0$$

c) $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}$

Solution:

As α, β are the roots of the equation

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

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = 6$$

Therefore

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{-3}{1} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 3$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{6}{1} = 6$$

$$\alpha\beta = 6$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = \frac{\beta + \alpha}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$= s = (\alpha + \beta) \left(\frac{1}{\alpha\beta} \right)$$

$$S = 3 \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\beta} \right)$$

$$P = \frac{1}{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{6}$$

using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ we have

$$x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{6} = 0$$

Multiplying by 6 on both sides, we have

$$6x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$$

d) $\frac{\alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$

Solution:

As α, β are the roots of the equation

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

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = 6$$

Therefore

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{-3}{1} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 3$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{6}{1} = 6$$

$$\alpha\beta = 6$$

$$\text{Sum of the roots } S = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$$

$$S = \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$S = \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$S = \frac{(3)^2 - 2(6)}{6}$$

$$S = \frac{9 - 12}{6}$$

$$S = -\frac{3}{6}$$

$$S = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = P = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} \right) \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha} \right) = 1$$

using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ we have $x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x + 1 = 0$
we have

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

e) $\alpha + \beta, \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}$

Solution:

As α, β are the roots of the equation

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

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = 6$$

Therefore

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{-3}{1} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 3$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{6}{1} = 6$$

$$\alpha\beta = 6$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = (\alpha + \beta) + \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} \right)$$

$$S = (\alpha + \beta) + \left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{\alpha\beta} \right)$$

$$S = 3 + \frac{3}{6}$$

$$S = 3 + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$S = \frac{6 + 1}{2}$$

$$S = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$S = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$\text{Product of roots } P = (\alpha + \beta) \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} \right)$$

$$(\alpha + \beta) \times \left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{\alpha\beta} \right)$$

$$= 3 \left(\frac{3}{6} \right)$$

$$P = \frac{3}{2}$$

Using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ we have

$$x^2 - \frac{7}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} = 0$$

Multiplying both sides by 2 we have

$$2x^2 - 7x + 3 = 0$$

Question No.3

if α, β are the roots of the equation

$$x^2 + px + q = 0 \text{ from equation whose roots are}$$

(a) α^2, β^2

Solution:

Since α, β are the roots of the equation

$$x^2 + px + q = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

By comparing the coefficients of these equations, we have

$$a = 1, b = p, c = q$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{p}{1} = -p$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -p$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{q}{1} = q$$

$$\alpha\beta = q$$

(a) α^2, β^2

Solution:

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \alpha^2 + \beta^2$$

$$S = (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta$$

$$S = (-p)^2 - 2q$$

$$S = p^2 - 2q$$

Product of roots = $P = \alpha^2\beta^2$

$$P = (\alpha\beta)^2$$

$$P = q^2$$

Using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$, we have

$$x^2 - (p^2 - 2q)x + q^2 = 0$$

(b) $\frac{\alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$

Solution:

Since α, β are the roots of the equation

$$x^2 + px + q = 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

By comparing the coefficients of these equations, we have

$$a = 1, b = p, c = q$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{p}{1} = -p$$

$$\alpha + \beta = -p$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{q}{1} = q$$

$$\alpha\beta = q$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = S = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$$

$$S = \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$S = \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$S = \frac{(-p)^2 - 2(q)}{q}$$

$$S = \frac{p^2 - 2q}{q}$$

Product of roots = $P = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right)\left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha}\right) = 1$

Using $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$ we have

$$x^2 - Sx + P = 0 \text{ we have}$$

$$x^2 - \left(\frac{p^2 - 2q}{q}\right)x + 1 = 0$$

Multiplying by q

$$qx^2 - (p^2 - 2q)x + q = 0$$

Exercise 2.6

1. Uses synthetic division to find the quotient and the remainder, when

(i) $(x^2 + 7x - 1) \div (x + 1)$

Solution:

$$P(x) = x^2 + 7x - 1$$

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

$$\Rightarrow a = -1$$

-1	1	7	-1
	↓	-1	-6
	1	6	-7

$$\text{Quotient} = Q(x) = x + 6$$

$$\text{Remainder} = -7$$

(ii) $(4x^3 - 5x + 15) \div (x - 3)$

Solution:

$$P(x) = 4x^3 - 5x + 15 \div (x + 3)$$

$$(x + 3) = x - (-3) \Rightarrow a = -3$$

-3	4	0	-5	15
	↓	-12	36	-93
	1	-12	31	-78

$$\text{Quotient} = 4x^2 - 12x + 31$$

$$\text{Remainder} = -78$$

(iii) $(x^3 + x^2 - 3x + 2) \div (x - 2)$

Solution:

$$P(x) = (x^3 + x^2 - 3x + 2)$$

$$x - 2 = x - (2) \Rightarrow a = 2$$

2	1	1	-3	2
	↓	2	6	6
	1	3	3	8

$$\text{Quotient} = x^2 + 3x + 3$$

$$\text{Remainder} = 8$$

2. Find the value of h using synthetic division, if

(i) 3 is the zero of the polynomial $2x^3 - 3hx^2 + 9$

Solution:

$$P(x) = 2x^3 - 3hx^2 + 9 \text{ and its root is 3}$$

3	2	-3h	0	9
	↓	6	3(6 - 3h)	9(6 - 3h)
			-3h	
	1	(6 - 3h)	3(6 - 3h)	9 + 9(6 - 3h)
			-3h	-3h

Quotient = $Q(x) = 2x^2 + (6 - 3h)x + 3(6 - 3h)$
 Remainder = $9 + 9(6 - 3h)$

$$9 + 9(6 - 3h) = 0$$

$$9 + 9(6 - 3h) = 0$$

$$9 + 54 - 27h = 0$$

$$63 - 27h = 0$$

$$63 - 27h = 0$$

$$-27h = -63$$

$$h = \frac{63}{27}$$

$$h = \frac{7}{3}$$

(ii) 1 is the zero of the polynomial $2x^3 - 2hx^2 + 11$

Solution:

$P(x) = 2x^3 - 2hx^2 + 11$ and its root is 1

1	1	-2h	0	11
	↓	1	(1 - 2h)	(1 - 2h)
	1	(1 - 2h)	(1 - 2h)	11 + (1 - 2h)

Quotient = $Q(x) = x^2 + (1 - 2h)x + (1 - 2h)$
 Remainder = $11 + (1 - 2h)$

$$11 + (1 - 2h) = 0$$

$$11 + 1 - 2h = 0$$

$$12 - 2h = 0$$

$$-2h = -12$$

$$h = 6$$

(iii) -1 is the zero of the polynomial $2x^3 + 5hx - 23$

Solution:

$P(x) = 2x^3 + 5hx - 23$ and its root is -1

$l = -\frac{3}{2}, m = -18$

-1	2	0	5h	-23
	↓	-2	2	-(5h + 2)
	2	-2	(5h + 2)	-23 - (5h + 2)

Quotient = $Q(x) = 2x^2 - 2x + (5h + 2)$
 Remainder = $-23 - (5h + 2)$

$$-23 - (5h + 2) = 0$$

$$-23 - 5h - 2 = 0$$

$$-23 - 2 - 5h = 0$$

$$-25 - 5h = 0$$

$$-5h = 25$$

$$h = -5$$

3. uses synthetic division to find the values of l and m

(i) $(x + 3)$ and $(x - 2)$ are the factors of the polynomial $x^3 - 4x^2 + 2lx + m$

Solution:

$x = -3$ and $x = 2$ are two roots for $x = -3$
 $Q(x) = x^3 - 4x^2 + 2lx + m$

-3	1	4	2l	m
	↓	-3	-3	-3(2l - 3)
	1	-2	(2l - 3)	m - 3(2l - 3)

Quotient = $Q(x) = x^2 + x + (2l - 3)$
 Remainder = $m - 3(2l - 3)$

$m - 3(2l - 3) = 0$
 $m - 6l + 9 = 0 \rightarrow (i)$
 For $x = 2$

2	1	4	2l	m
	↓	2	12	2(2l + 12)
	1	6	(2l - 3)	m + 2(2l + 12)

Quotient = $Q(x) = x^2 + 6x + (2l + 12)$
 Remainder = $m + 2(2l + 12)$

$m + 2(2l + 12) = 0$
 $m + 2l + 24 = 0 \rightarrow (ii)$

eq(i) - eq(ii)

$$m - 6l + 9 = 0$$

$$-m + 4l + 24 = 0$$

$$-10l - 15 = 0$$

$$-10l = 15$$

$$l = \frac{15}{-10}$$

$$l = -\frac{3}{2}$$

put $l = -\frac{3}{2}$ put in eq (i)

$$m - 6l + 9 = 0$$

$$m - 6\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) + 9 = 0$$

$$m - 9 + 9 = 0$$

$$m + 18 = 0$$

$$m = -18$$

(iv)

$(x - 1)$ and $x + 1$ are the factors of the polynomial $x^3 - 3lx^2 + 2mx + 6$

Solution:

$P(x) = x^3 - 3lx^2 + 2mx + 6$
 are two roots $(x - 1)$ and $(x + 1)$

for $x = 1$

1	1	-3l	2m	6
	↓	1	1-3l	2m+(1-2l)
	1	(1-3l)	2m+(l-3l)	6+2m+(1-3l)

Quotient = $Q(x) = x^2 + (1 - 3l)x + 2m + (1 - 3l)$

Remainder = $6 + 2m + (1 - 3l)$

$6 + 2m + (1 - 3l) = 0$

$6 + 2m + 1 - 3l = 0$

$7 + 2m - 3l = 0 \rightarrow (i)$

for $x = -1$

-1	1	-3l	2m	6
	↓	-1	-(-3l)	-(2m - (3l - 1))
	1	(-3l - 1)	(1 - 2h)	6 - (2m - (-3l - 1))

Quotient = $Q(x) = x^2 - (3l + 1)x + 2m + (3l + 1)$

Remainder = $6 - 2m - (-3l - 1)$

$6 - (2m + 3l + 1) = 0$

$6 - 2m - (3l + 1) = 0$

$6 - 2m - 3l - 1 = 0$

$5 - 2m - 3l = 0 \rightarrow (ii)$

eq(i) + eq(ii) we get

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 + 2m - 3l = 0 \\ 5 - 2m - 3l = 0 \\ \hline 12 - 6l = 0 \\ -6l = -12 \\ l = 2 \end{array}$$

$l = 2$ put in eq(i)

$7 + 2m - 3l = 0$

$7 + 2m - 3(2) = 0$

$7 + 2m - 6 = 0$

$1 + 2m = 0$

$2m = -1$

$m = \frac{-1}{2}$

$$l = 2, m = \frac{-1}{2}$$

4. Solve by using synthetic division, if

(i) 2 is the root of the equation $x^3 - 28x + 48 = 0$

Solution:

$P(x) = x^3 - 28x + 48 = 0$

2	1	0	-28	48
	↓	2	4	-48
	1	6	-24	0

Quotient = $Q(x) = x^2 + 2x - 24$

the depressed equation is $x^2 + 2x - 24 = 0$

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

$x^2 + 6x - 4x - 24 = 0$

$x(x + 6) - 4(x + 6) = 0$

$(x - 4)(x + 6) = 0$

$(x - 4) = 0 \quad (x + 6) = 0$

$\Rightarrow x = 4 \quad x = -6$

Hence,

4, -6 are the roots of the given equation.

(ii)

3 is the root of the equation $2x^3 - 3x^2 - 11x + 6 = 0$

Solution:

$P(x) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 11x + 6 = 0$

3	2	-3	-11	6
	↓	6	9	-6
	1	3	-2	0

Quotient = $Q(x) = 2x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$

the depressed equation is $2x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$

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

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

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

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

$(2x - 1) = 0 \quad (x + 2) = 0$

$2x = 1 \quad x = -2$

$x = \frac{1}{2} \quad x = -2$

hence, $\frac{1}{2}, -2$ are the roots of the given equation.

(iii)

-1 is the root of the equation $4x^3 - x^2 - 11x - 6 = 0$

solution:

$P(x) = 4x^3 - x^2 - 11x - 6 = 0$

the depressed equation is $4x^3 - x^2 - 11x - 6 = 0$

-1	4	-1	-11	-6
	↓	-4	5	6
	4	-5	-6	0

Quotient = $Q(x) = 4x^2 - 5x - 6$

the depressed equation is $4x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$

$4x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$

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

$4x(x - 2) + 3(x - 2) = 0$

$$(4x + 3)(x - 2) = 0$$

$$4x + 3 = 0 \quad x - 2 = 0$$

$$4x = -3 \quad x = 2$$

$$x = \frac{-3}{4}, \quad x = 2$$

hence

$-1, -\frac{3}{4}, 2$ are the roots of the given equation.

5.

(i) 1 na 3 are the roots of the equation $x^4 - 10x^2 + 9 = 0$

Solution:

$$x^4 - 10x^2 + 9 = 0$$

$$P(x) = x^4 - 10x^2 + 9 = 0$$

	1	0	-10	0	9
1	↓	1	1	-9	-9
	1	1	-9	-9	0
3	↓	3	12	9	
	1	4	3	0	

$$\text{Quotient} = Q(x) = x^2 + 4x + 3$$

$$\text{Remainder} = 0$$

the depresses equation is $x^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$

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

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

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

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

$$(x + 3) = 0 \quad (x + 1) = 0$$

$$x = -3 \quad x = -1$$

hence 1, 3, -1, -3 are the roots of the given equation.

ii)

3 and -4 are the roots of the equation

$$x^4 + 2x^3 - 13x^2 - 14x + 24 = 0$$

Solution:

$$x^4 + 2x^3 - 13x^2 - 14x + 24 = 0$$

$$P(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 13x^2 - 14x + 24$$

	1	2	-13	-14	24
3	↓	3	15	6	-24
	1	5	2	-8	0
-4	↓	-4	-4	8	
	1	1	-2	0	

$$\text{Quotient} = Q(x) = x^2 + x - 2$$

$$\text{Remainder} = 0$$

The depressed equation is $x^2 + x - 2 = 0$

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

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

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

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

$$x - 1 = 0 \quad x + 2 = 0$$

$$x = 1 \quad x = -2$$

Hence 3, -4, 1, -2 are the roots of the given equation.

Exercise 2.7

Solve the following simultaneous equations.

Q.1 $x + y = 5$

$$x^2 - 2y - 14 = 0$$

Solution: $x + y = 5$ (i)

$$x^2 - 2y - 14 = 0$$
(ii)

From eq. (i)

$$x + y = 5$$

$$x = 5 - y$$

Put it in eq. (ii)

$$(5 - y)^2 - 2y - 14 = 0$$

$$25 + y^2 - 10y - 2y - 14 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 12y + 11 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 11y - y + 11 = 0$$

$$y(y - 11) - 1(y - 11) = 0$$

$$(y - 1)(y - 11) = 0$$

$$y - 1 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y - 11 = 0$$

$$y = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 11$$

Putting the values of y in eq. (i)

$$y = 1 \quad y = 11$$

$$x + y = 5 \quad x + y = 5$$

$$x + 1 = 5 \quad x + 11 = 5$$

$$x = 5 - 1 \quad x = 5 - 11$$

$$\boxed{x = 4}$$

$$\boxed{x = -6}$$

Solution set is $\{(-6, 11), (4, 1)\}$

Q.2 $3x - 2y = 1$

$$x^2 + xy - y^2 = 1$$

Solution: $3x - 2y = 1$ (i)

$$x^2 + xy - y^2 = 1$$
(ii)

From eq. (i)

$$3x = 1 + 2y$$

$$x = \frac{1+2y}{3} \quad \dots\text{(iii)}$$

Put it in eq. (ii)

$$\left(\frac{1+2y}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1+2y}{3}\right)y - y^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{1+4y^2+4y}{9} + \frac{y+2y^2}{3} - y^2 = 1$$

Multiplying by '9' on both sides

$$\frac{9(1+4y^2+4y)}{9} + \frac{9(y+2y^2)}{3} - 9(y^2) = 1 \times 9$$

$$1+4y^2+4y+3y+6y^2-9y^2=9$$

$$y^2+7y-8=0$$

$$y^2+8y-y-8=0$$

$$y(y+8)-1(y+8)=0$$

$$(y+8)(y-1)=0$$

$$y+8=0 \quad \text{or} \quad y-1=0$$

$$y=-8 \quad \text{or} \quad y=1$$

Putting these values in eq. (iii)

$$y=-8 \quad y=1$$

$$y=-8 \quad y=1$$

$$x = \frac{1+2y}{3} \quad x = \frac{1+2y}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{1+2(-8)}{3} \quad x = \frac{1+2(1)}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{1-16}{3} \quad x = \frac{1+2}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{-15}{3} = \boxed{-5} \quad x = \frac{3}{3} = \boxed{1}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{(-5, -8), (1, 1)\}$$

Q.3 $x - y = 7$

$$\frac{2}{x} - \frac{5}{y} = 2$$

Solution: $x - y = 7 \quad \dots\text{(i)}$

$$\frac{2}{x} - \frac{5}{y} = 2 \quad \dots\text{(ii)}$$

Multiply eq. (ii) by "xy"

$$2y - 5x = 2xy \quad \dots\text{(iii)}$$

From eq. (i)

$$x = 7 + y$$

Put it in eq. (iii)

$$2y - 5(7 + y) = 2(7 + y)y$$

$$2y - 35 - 5y = 14y + 2y^2$$

$$y^2 + 17y + 35 = 0$$

$$2y^2 + 10y + 7y + 35 = 0$$

$$2y(y+5) + 7(y+5) = 0$$

$$(y+5)(2y+7) = 0$$

$$y+5=0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2y+7=0$$

$$y=-5 \quad \text{or} \quad 2y=-7$$

$$y=-5 \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{-7}{2}$$

Now putting values of y in eq. (i)

$$y = -5 \quad y = \frac{-7}{2}$$

$$x = 7 + y \quad x = 7 + y$$

$$x = 7 + (-5) \quad x = 7 + \left(\frac{-7}{2}\right)$$

$$x = 7 - 5 \quad x = 7 - \frac{7}{2}$$

$$x = 2 \quad x = \frac{14-7}{2}$$

$$\boxed{x=2} \quad \boxed{x=\frac{7}{2}}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{(2, -5), \left(\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{7}{2}\right)\right\}$$

Q.4 $x + y = a - b$

$$\frac{a}{x} - \frac{b}{y} = 2$$

Solution: $x + y = a - b \quad \dots\text{(i)}$

$$\frac{a}{x} - \frac{b}{y} = 2 \quad \dots\text{(ii)}$$

Multiplying eq. (ii) by "xy"

$$ay - bx = 2xy \quad \dots\text{(iii)}$$

From equation (i)

$$x = a - b - y \quad \dots\text{(iii)}$$

Put it in equation (ii)

$$ay - bx = 2xy$$

$$ay - b(a - b - y) = 2(a - b - y)y$$

$$ay - ba + b^2 + by = 2a - 2by - 2y^2$$

$$2y^2 + 2ay + ay + 2by + by + b^2 - ab = 0$$

$$2y^2 - ay + 3by + b^2 - ab = 0$$

$$2y^2 - y(a - 3b) + (b^2 - ab) = 0$$

By using quadratic formula

$$a = 2, \quad b = -(a - 3b), \quad c = (b^2 - ab)$$

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

$$y = \frac{-[-(a - 3b)] \pm \sqrt{[-(a - 3b)]^2 - 4(2)(b^2 - ab)}}{2(2)}$$

$$y = \frac{(a - 3b) \pm \sqrt{a^2 + 9b^2 - 6ab - 8b^2 + 8ab}}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{(a - 3b) \pm \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 2ab}}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{(a - 3b) \pm \sqrt{(a + b)^2}}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{(a - 3b) \pm (a + b)}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{a - 3b - a - b}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{a - 3b + a + b}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{-4b}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{2a - 2b}{4}$$

$$y = -b \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{2(a - b)}{4}$$

$$y = -b \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{a - b}{2}$$

Putting the values of y in eq. (iii)

$$y = -b \quad y = \frac{a - b}{2}$$

$$x = a - b - y \quad x = a - b - y$$

$$x = a - b - (-b) \quad x = a - b - \left(\frac{a - b}{2}\right)$$

$$x = a - b + b \quad x = \frac{2a - 2b - a + b}{2}$$

$$\boxed{x = a}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{a - b}{2}}$$

Solution set is $\left\{ (a, -b), \left(\frac{a - b}{2}, \frac{a - b}{2}\right) \right\}$

Q.5 $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 10$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 1$$

Solution: $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 10 \dots(i)$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 1 \dots(ii)$$

Subtracting eq. (ii) from (i)

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + y^2 + 1 - 2y = 10 \\ \underline{\pm x^2 \pm y^2 \quad \quad \pm 4x = 1} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 - 2y - 4x = 9 \\ -4x - 2y = 9 - 1 \\ -4x - 2y = 8 \\ -2(2x + y) = 8 \end{array}$$

$$2x + y = \frac{8}{-2}$$

$$2x + y = -4$$

$$y = -4 - 2x \dots(iii)$$

Put in eq. (ii)

$$x^2 + (-4 - 2x)^2 + 4x = 1$$

$$x^2 + [-(4 + 2x)]^2 + 4x = 1$$

$$x^2 + [16 + 4x^2 + 16x] + 4x = 1$$

$$5x^2 + 20x + 16 - 1 = 0$$

$$5x^2 + 20x + 15 = 0$$

$$5(x^2 + 4x + 3) = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4x + 3 = 0 \quad (\because 5 \neq 0)$$

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

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

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

$$x + 3 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = -3 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -1$$

Putting the values of x in eq. (iii)

$$x = -3 \quad x = -1$$

$$y = -4 - 2x \quad y = -4 - 2x$$

$$y = -4 - 2(-3) \quad y = -4 - 2(-1)$$

$$y = -4 + 6 \quad y = -4 + 2$$

$$\boxed{y = 2}$$

$$\boxed{y = -2}$$

Solution set is $\{(-3, 2), (-1, -2)\}$

Q.6 $(x + 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 5$

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

Solution: $(x+1)^2 + (y+1)^2 = 5$ (i)

$$(x+2)^2 + y^2 = 5$$
(ii)

From eq. (i)

$$x^2 + 1 + 2x + y^2 + 1 + 2y = 5$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y + 2 = 5$$

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

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y = 3$$
(iii)

From eq. (ii)

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

$$x^2 + 4 + 4x + y^2 = 5$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 5 - 4$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 1$$
(iv)

Subtracting eq. (iv) from (iii)

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y = 3$$

$$\pm x^2 \pm y^2 \pm 4x = \pm 1$$

$$-2x + 2y = 2$$

$$-2(x - y) = 2$$

$$x - y = \frac{2}{-2}$$

$$x - y = -1$$

$$x = y - 1$$
(v)

Put it in eq. (iv)

$$(y-1)^2 + y^2 + 4(y-1) = 1$$

$$y^2 + 1 - 2y + y^2 + 4y - 4 = 1$$

$$2y^2 + 2y - 4 + 1 - 1 = 0$$

$$2y^2 + 2y - 4 = 0$$

$$2(y^2 + y - 2) = 0$$

$$y^2 + y - 2 = 0 \quad (\because 2 \neq 0)$$

$$y^2 + y - 2 = 0$$

$$y^2 + 2y - y - 2 = 0$$

$$y(y+2) - 1(y+2) = 0$$

$$(y+2)(y-1) = 0$$

$$y+2=0 \quad \text{or} \quad y-1=0$$

$$y=-2 \quad \text{or} \quad y=1$$

Putting the values of y in eq. (v)

$$y=-2 \quad y=1$$

$$x=y-1 \quad x=y-1$$

$$x=-2-1 \quad x=1-1$$

$$\boxed{x=-3}$$

$$\boxed{x=0}$$

Solution set is $\{(-3, -2), (0, 1)\}$

Q.7 $x^2 + 2y^2 = 22$

$$5x^2 + y^2 = 29$$

Solution: $x^2 + 2y^2 = 22$ (i)

$$5x^2 + y^2 = 29$$
(ii)

Multiplying eq. (ii) by '2'

$$10x^2 + 2y^2 = 58$$
(iii)

Subtracting eq. (i) from eq. (iii)

$$10x^2 + 2y^2 = 58$$

$$\pm x^2 + 2y^2 = 22$$

$$9x^2 = 36$$

$$x^2 = \frac{36}{9}$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{4}$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 2$$

Putting the values of x in eq. (i)

$$x = -2 \quad x = 2$$

$$x^2 + 2y^2 = 22 \quad x^2 + 2y^2 = 22$$

$$(-2)^2 + 2y^2 = 22 \quad (2)^2 + 2y^2 = 22$$

$$4 + 2y^2 = 22 \quad 4 + 2y^2 = 22$$

$$2y^2 = 18 \quad 2y^2 = 18$$

$$y^2 = \frac{18}{2} \quad y^2 = \frac{18}{2}$$

$$y^2 = 9 \quad y^2 = 9$$

$$\boxed{y = \pm 3}$$

$$\boxed{y = \pm 3}$$

Solution set is $\{(\pm 2, \pm 3)\}$

Q.8 $4x^2 - 5y^2 = 6$

$$3x^2 + y^2 = 14$$

Solution: $4x^2 - 5y^2 = 6$ (i)

$$3x^2 + y^2 = 14$$
(ii)

Multiplying eq. (ii) by '5'

$$15x^2 + 5y^2 = 70$$
(iii)

Adding equation (i) and (iii)

$$4x^2 - 5y^2 = 6$$

$$15x^2 + 5y^2 = 70$$

$$19x^2 = 76$$

$$x^2 = \frac{76}{19}$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{4}$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2 \text{ or } x = 2$$

Putting the values of x in eq. (ii)

$$x = -2$$

$$x = 2$$

$$3x^2 + y^2 = 14$$

$$3x^2 + y^2 = 14$$

$$3(-2)^2 + y^2 = 14$$

$$3(2)^2 + y^2 = 14$$

$$3(4) + y^2 = 14$$

$$3(4) + y^2 = 14$$

$$12 + y^2 = 14$$

$$12 + y^2 = 14$$

$$y^2 = 14 - 12$$

$$y^2 = 14 - 12$$

$$y^2 = 2$$

$$y^2 = 2$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

Solution set is $\{(\pm 2, \pm\sqrt{2})\}$

Q.9 $7x^2 - 3y^2 = 4$

$$2x^2 + 5y^2 = 7$$

Solution: $7x^2 - 3y^2 = 4$ (i)

$$2x^2 + 5y^2 = 7$$
(ii)

Multiply eq. (i) by 5

$$35x^2 - 15y^2 = 20$$
(iii)

Adding equation (ii) and (iii)

$$35x^2 - 15y^2 = 20$$

$$6x^2 + 15y^2 = 21$$

$$41x^2 = 41$$

$$x^2 = \frac{41}{41}$$

$$x^2 = 1$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{1}$$

$$x = \pm 1$$

$$x = 1 \text{ or } x = -1$$

Putting the values of x in eq. (i)

$$x = 1$$

$$x = -1$$

$$7x^2 - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7x^2 - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7(1)^2 - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7(-1)^2 - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7(1) - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7(1) - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7 - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$7 - 3y^2 = 4$$

$$-3y^2 = 4 - 7$$

$$-3y^2 = 4 - 7$$

$$-3y^2 = -3$$

$$-3y^2 = -3$$

$$y^2 = \frac{-3}{-3}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{-3}{-3}$$

$$y^2 = 1$$

$$y^2 = 1$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{1}$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{1}$$

$$y = \pm 1$$

$$y = \pm 1$$

Solution set is $\{(\pm 1, \pm 1)\}$

Q.10 $x^2 + 2y^2 = 3$

$$x^2 + 4xy - 5y^2 = 0$$

Solution: $x^2 + 2y^2 = 3$ (i)

$$x^2 + 4xy - 5y^2 = 0$$
(ii)

Factorizing eq. (ii)

$$x^2 + 4xy - 5y^2 = 0$$

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

$$x(x + 5y) - y(x + 5y) = 0$$

$$(x + 5y)(x - y) = 0$$

$$x + 5y = 0 \quad x - y = 0$$

$$x = -5y \quad \dots\text{(iii)} \quad x = y \quad \dots\text{(iv)}$$

Putting value of x in eq. (i)

$$x = -5y \quad x = y$$

$$(-5y)^2 + 2y^2 = 3 \quad (y)^2 + 2y^2 = 3$$

$$25y^2 + 2y^2 = 3 \quad y^2 + 2y^2 = 3$$

$$27y^2 = 3 \quad 3y^2 = 3$$

$$y^2 = \frac{3}{27} \quad y^2 = \frac{3}{3}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{1}{9} \quad y^2 = 1$$

$$y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{9}} \quad y = \pm 1$$

$$y = \pm \frac{1}{3} \quad y = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad y = -1$$

$$y = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{-1}{3}$$

Putting values of $y = \pm \frac{1}{3}$ in eq. (iii)

$$y = \frac{1}{3} \quad y = \frac{-1}{3}$$

$$x = -5y \quad x = -5y$$

$$x = -5\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \quad x = -5\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{-5}{3}} \quad \boxed{x = \frac{5}{3}}$$

Now putting values of $y = \pm 1$ in eq. (iv)

$$y = 1 \quad y = -1$$

$$x = y \quad x = y$$

$$\boxed{x = 1} \quad \boxed{x = -1}$$

$$\text{Solution set is } \left\{ (-1, -1), (1, 1), \left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{-1}{3}\right), \left(\frac{-5}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right) \right\}$$

Q.11 $3x^2 - y^2 = 26$

$$3x^2 - 5xy - 12y^2 = 0$$

Solution: $3x^2 - y^2 = 26 \quad \dots\text{(i)}$

$$3x^2 - 5xy - 12y^2 = 0 \quad \dots\text{(ii)}$$

Factorizing equation (ii)

$$3x^2 - 5xy - 12y^2 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 9xy + 4xy - 12y^2 = 0$$

$$3x(x - 3y) + 4y(x - 3y) = 0$$

$$(x - 3y)(3x + 4y) = 0$$

$$x - 3y = 0$$

$$3x + 4y = 0$$

$$x = 0 + 3y$$

$$3x = -4y$$

$$x = 3y \quad \dots\text{(iii)} \quad x = \frac{-4y}{3} \quad \dots\text{(iv)}$$

Putting value of x in eq. (i) from eq. (iii)

$$3(3y)^2 - y^2 = 26$$

$$3(9y)^2 - y^2 = 26$$

$$27y^2 - y^2 = 26$$

$$26y^2 = 26$$

$$y^2 = \frac{26}{26}$$

$$y^2 = 1$$

$$y = \pm 1$$

$$y = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad y = -1$$

Putting the value of y in eq. (iii)

$$y = 1 \quad y = -1$$

$$x = 3y \quad x = 3y$$

$$x = 3(1) \quad x = 3(-1)$$

$$x = 3 \quad x = -3$$

$$(x, y) = (3, 1) \quad (x, y) = (-3, -1)$$

Putting the value of x in eq. (iv) from eq. (i)

$$3\left(\frac{-4y}{3}\right)^2 - y^2 = 26$$

$$3 \times \frac{16y^2}{9} - y^2 = 26$$

$$\frac{48y^2 - 9y^2}{9} = 26$$

$$39y^2 = 26 \times 9$$

$$y^2 = \frac{234}{39}$$

$$y^2 = 6$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{6}$$

$$y = \sqrt{6} \quad \text{or} \quad y = -\sqrt{6}$$

Putting the value of y in eq. (iv)

$$y = \sqrt{6} \qquad y = -\sqrt{6}$$

$$x = \frac{-4y}{3} \qquad x = \frac{-4y}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{-4\sqrt{6}}{3} \qquad x = \frac{-4(-\sqrt{6})}{3}$$

$$(x, y) = \left(\frac{-4\sqrt{6}}{3}, \sqrt{6} \right) \quad x = \frac{4\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

$$\boxed{(x, y) = \left(\frac{-4\sqrt{6}}{3}, \sqrt{6} \right)} \quad \boxed{(x, y) = \left(\frac{4\sqrt{6}}{3}, -\sqrt{6} \right)}$$

Solution set is

$$\left\{ (3, 1), (-3, -1), \left(\frac{-4\sqrt{6}}{3}, \sqrt{6} \right), \left(\frac{4\sqrt{6}}{3}, -\sqrt{6} \right) \right\}$$

Q.12 $x^2 + xy = 5$

$$y^2 + xy = 3$$

Solution: $x^2 + xy = 5 \quad \dots(i)$

$$y^2 + xy = 3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Multiply eq. (i) by '3' and eq. (ii) by '5'

$$3x^2 + 3xy = 15 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$5y^2 + 5xy = 15 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Subtracting eq. (iv) from eq. (iii)

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x^2 + 3xy = 15 \\ \pm 5xy \pm 5y^2 = -15 \\ \hline 3x^2 - 2xy - 5y^2 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$3x^2 - 5xy + 3xy - 5y^2 = 0$$

$$x(3x - 5y) + y(3x - 5y) = 0$$

$$(3x - 5y)(x + y) = 0$$

$$3x - 5y = 0 \qquad x + y = 0$$

$$3x = 5y \qquad x = -y \quad \dots(vi)$$

$$x = \frac{5y}{3} \quad \dots(v)$$

From eq. (vi) put $y = -x$ in eq. (i)

$$x^2 + xy = 5$$

$$(-y)^2 + (-y)y = 5$$

$$y^2 - y^2 = 5$$

$$0 \neq 5 \quad \text{impossible}$$

Now from eq. (v) put $x = \frac{5y}{3}$ in eq. (i)

$$\left(x = \frac{5y}{3} \right)^2 + \frac{5y}{3} \times y = 5$$

$$\frac{25y^2}{9} + \frac{5y^2}{3} = 5$$

Multiplying both sides by 9

$$9 \times \frac{25y^2}{9} + 9 \times \frac{5y^2}{3} = 9 \times 5$$

$$25y^2 + 15y^2 = 45$$

$$40y^2 = 45$$

$$y^2 = \frac{45}{40} \Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{9}{8}$$

$$y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{9}{8}} \Rightarrow y = \sqrt{\frac{3^2}{4 \times 2}}$$

$$y = \pm \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$y = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{-3}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

Now putting the value of y in eq. (v)

$$x = \frac{5y}{3} \qquad x = \frac{5y}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \qquad y = \frac{-3}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$x = \frac{5}{3} \times \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \qquad x = \frac{5}{3} \times \left(\frac{-3}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{2}} \qquad x = \frac{-5}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\boxed{x = \left(\frac{5}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)} \quad \boxed{x = \left(\frac{-5}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-3}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)}$$

Solution set is $\left\{ \left(\frac{5}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \right), \left(\frac{-5}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-3}{2\sqrt{2}} \right) \right\}$

Q.13 $x^2 - 2xy = 7$

$$xy + 3y^2 = 2$$

Solution: $x^2 - 2xy = 7 \quad \dots(i)$

$$xy + 3y^2 = 2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Multiplying eq. (i) by 2 and eq. (ii) by 7

$$2x^2 - 4xy = 14 \quad \dots\text{(iii)}$$

$$7xy + 21y^2 = 14 \quad \dots\text{(iv)}$$

Subtract eq. (iv) from eq. (iii)

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x^2 - 4xy \quad = 14 \\ \underline{\pm 7xy \pm 21y^2 = -14} \end{array}$$

$$2x^2 - 11xy - 21y^2 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 14xy + 3xy - 21y^2 = 0$$

$$2x(x - 7y) + 3y(x - 7y) = 0$$

$$(x - 7y)(2x + 3y) = 0$$

$$x - 7y = 0 \quad 2x + 3y = 0$$

$$x = 7y \quad 2x = -3y$$

$$x = 7y \quad \dots\text{(v)} \quad x = \frac{-3y}{2} \quad \dots\text{(vi)}$$

Put $x=7y$ in eq. (i)

$$(7y)^2 - 2(7y)y = 7$$

$$49y^2 - 14y^2 = 7$$

$$35y^2 = 7 \quad \Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{7}{35}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{1}{5} \quad \Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \quad y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Putting values of y in eq. (v)

$$x = 7y \quad x = 7y$$

$$y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \quad y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$x = 7\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) \quad x = 7\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

$$x = \frac{7}{\sqrt{5}} \quad x = \frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$(x, y) = \left(\frac{7}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) \quad (x, y) = \left(\frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

From eq. (vi) put value of x in eq. (i)

$$\left(\frac{-3}{2}y\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{-3}{2}y\right)y = 7$$

$$\frac{9}{4}y^2 + 3y^2 = 7$$

$$9y^2 + 12y^2 = 28$$

$$21y^2 = 28$$

$$y^2 = \frac{28}{21} \quad y^2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\sqrt{y^2} = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} \quad y = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \quad y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Putting values of y in eq. (vi)

$$y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \quad y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$x = \frac{-3}{2}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \quad x = \frac{-3}{2}\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$x = -\sqrt{3} \quad x = \sqrt{3}$$

$$(x, y) = \left(-\sqrt{3}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \quad (x, y) = \left(\sqrt{3}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

Solution set is

$$\left\{\left(\frac{7}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right), \left(\frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}}\right), \left(-\sqrt{3}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right), \left(\sqrt{3}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)\right\}$$

Exercise 2.8

Q.1 The product of two positive consecutive numbers is 182. Find the numbers.

Solution:

Suppose first positive number = x

Second positive number = $x+1$

According to given condition:

$$x(x+1) = 182$$

$$x^2 + x - 182 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 14x - 13x - 182 = 0$$

$$x(x+14) - 13(x+14) = 0$$

$$(x+14)(x-13) = 0$$

$$x+14 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x-13 = 0$$

$$x = -14 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 13$$

As x is positive number therefore we neglect the negative value, So $x=13$

Then first positive number = $x=13$

Second positive number = $x+1$

$$= 13+1=14$$

So, 13 and 14 are two required consecutive positive numbers.

Q.2 the sum of the square of three positive consecutive numbers is 77. Find them.

Solution:

Let x , $(x+1)$ and $(x+2)$ be the three consecutive positive number

According to given condition:

$$x^2 + (x+1)^2 + (x+2)^2 = 77$$

$$x^2 + [x^2 + (1)^2 + 2(1)(x)] + [(x)^2 + (2)^2 + 2(x)(2)] = 77$$

$$x^2 + x^2 + 1 + 2x + x^2 + 4 + 4x = 77$$

$$3x^2 + 6x + 5 - 77 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 6x - 72 = 0$$

$$3[x^2 + 2x - 24] = 0$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 24 = 0 \quad \because 3 \neq 0$$

$$x^2 + 6x - 4x - 24 = 0$$

$$x(x+6) - 4(x+6) = 0$$

$$(x+6)(x-4) = 0$$

$$x+6 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x-4 = 0$$

$$x = -6 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 4$$

As x is a positive number therefore we neglect the negative value and we take positive value of x like $x=4$

First positive number = $x=4$

Second positive number = $x+1=4+1=5$

Third positive number = $x+2=4+2=6$

So, 4, 5 and 6 are three required positive numbers.

Q.3 The sum of five times a number and the square of the number is 204. Find the number.

Solution: Let required number = x

Five times the number = $5x$

Square of number = x^2

According to given condition:

$$x^2 + 5x = 204 \Rightarrow x^2 + 5x - 204 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 17x - 12x - 204 = 0$$

$$x(x+17) - 12(x+17) = 0$$

$$(x+17)(x-12) = 0$$

$$x+17 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x-12 = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = -17} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{x = 12}$$

So, required number is -17 and 12.

Q.4 The product of five less than three times a certain number and one less than four times the number is 7. Find the number.

Solution: Let required number = x

Five less than three times the number = $3x-5$

One less than four times the number = $4x-1$

According to given condition:

$$(3x-5)(4x-1) = 7$$

$$12x^2 - 3x - 20x + 5 - 7 = 0$$

$$12x^2 - 23x - 2 = 0$$

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

$$12x(x-2) + 1(x-2) = 0$$

$$(x-2)(12x+1) = 0$$

$$x-2 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 12x+1 = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = 2} \quad \text{or} \quad 12x = -1$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{-1}{12}}$$

So, required number is 2 or $\frac{-1}{12}$

Q.5 The difference of a number and its reciprocal is $\frac{15}{4}$. Find the number.

Solution: Let required number = x

Reciprocal of the number = $\frac{1}{x}$

According to given condition:

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\frac{x^2 - 1}{x} = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$4(x^2 - 1) = 15x$$

$$4x^2 - 4 - 15x = 0$$

$$4x^2 - 15x - 4 = 0$$

$$4x^2 - 16x + 1x - 4 = 0$$

$$4x(x-4) + 1(x-4) = 0$$

$$(x-4)(4x+1) = 0$$

$$x-4 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 4x+1 = 0$$

$$x = 4 \quad \text{or} \quad 4x = -1$$

$$\boxed{x = 4} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{x = \frac{-1}{4}}$$

So, required number is 4 or $\frac{-1}{4}$

Q.6 The sum of squares of two digits of a positive integral number is 65 and the number is 9 times the sum of its digits. Find the number.

Solution: Let

Digits at unit's place of a number = x

Digits at ten's place of a number = y

Required number = $10y + x$

According to first condition:

$$x^2 + y^2 = 65 \quad \dots(i)$$

According to second condition:

$$10y + x = 9(x + y)$$

$$10y + x = 9x + 9y$$

$$10y - 9y = 9x - x$$

$$y = 8x \quad \dots(ii)$$

Put value of y in eq. (i)

$$x^2 + (8x)^2 = 65$$

$$x^2 + 64x^2 = 65$$

$$65x^2 = 65$$

$$x^2 = 1$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \pm\sqrt{1}$$

$$x = \pm 1$$

$$x = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -1$$

As x is a digit at unit's place which is always positive therefore we neglect the negative value and take the positive value like $x=1$

Put $x=1$ in eq. (i)

$$y = 8(1)$$

$$y = 8$$

$$\text{So, required number} = 10y + x$$

$$= 10(8) + 1$$

$$= 80 + 1 = \boxed{81}$$

Q.7 The sum of the co-ordinates of a point is 9 and sum of their squares is 45. Find the co-ordinates of the point.

Solution: Let (x, y) are co-ordinates of required point.

According to given condition:

$$x + y = 9 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 45 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From equation (i)

$$x + y = 9$$

$$x = 9 - y \quad \dots(iii)$$

Putting this in eq. (ii), we get

$$(9 - y)^2 + y^2 = 45$$

$$(9)^2 - 2(9)(y) + (y)^2 + (y)^2 = 45$$

$$81 - 18y + y^2 + y^2 = 45$$

$$2y^2 - 18y + 81 - 45 = 0$$

$$2y^2 - 18y + 36 = 0$$

$$2(y^2 - 9y + 18) = 0$$

$$\therefore y^2 - 9y + 18 = 0 \quad \because 2 \neq 0$$

$$y^2 - 6y - 3y + 18 = 0$$

$$y(y - 6) - 3(y - 6) = 0$$

$$(y - 6)(y - 3) = 0$$

$$y - 6 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y - 3 = 0$$

$$y = 6 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 3$$

Putting values of y in eq. (iii)

$$y = 6 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 3$$

$$x = 9 - 6 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 9 - 6$$

$$\boxed{x = 3} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{x = 6}$$

The co-ordinates of the point are either $(3, 6)$ or $(6, 3)$.

Q.8 Find two integers whose sum is 9 and the difference of their squares is also 9.

Solution: Suppose x and y are two integers

According to given condition:

$$x + y = 9 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 9 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From eq. (i)

$$x + y = 9$$

$$x = 9 - y \quad \dots(iii)$$

Putting value of x in eq. (ii)

$$(9 - y)^2 - y^2 = 9$$

$$(9)^2 + (y)^2 - 2(9)(y) - y^2 = 0$$

$$81 + y^2 - 18y - y^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$72 - 18y = 0$$

$$-18y = -72$$

$$y = \frac{-72}{-18} \Rightarrow \boxed{y = 4}$$

Putting the value of y in eq. (iii)

$$x = 9 - y$$

$$x = 9 - 4 \Rightarrow \boxed{x = 5}$$

So, 4 and 5 are required integers.

Q.9 Find two integers whose difference is 4 and whose squares differ by 72.

Solution: Let x and y are two integers

According to given condition:

$$x - y = 4 \quad \dots\text{(i)}$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 72 \quad \dots\text{(ii)}$$

From eq. (i)

$$x = 4 + y \quad \dots\text{(iii)}$$

Putting the value of x in eq. (ii)

$$(4 + y)^2 - y^2 = 72$$

$$\left[(4)^2 + (y)^2 + 2(4)(y) \right] - y^2 = 72$$

$$16 + y^2 + 8y - y^2 = 72$$

$$16 + 8y = 72$$

$$8y = 72 - 16$$

$$8y = 56$$

$$y = \frac{56}{8} \Rightarrow \boxed{y = 7}$$

Putting the value of y in eq. (iii)

$$x = 4 + y$$

$$x = 4 + 7 \Rightarrow \boxed{x = 11}$$

So, required integers are 7 and 11.

Q.10 Find the dimensions of a rectangle, whose perimeter is 80cm and its area is 375 cm²

Solution:

Let width of a rectangle = x cm

Length of rectangle = y cm

Perimeter of rectangle = 80cm

Area of rectangle = 375 cm²

$$\therefore 2(L+W) = P$$

$$2(x + y) = 80$$

$$x + y = \frac{80}{2}$$

$$x + y = 40 \quad \dots\text{(i)}$$

Area = Length \times Width

$$375 = x \times y$$

$$xy = 375 \quad \dots\text{(ii)}$$

From eq. (i)

$$x + y = 40$$

$$x = 40 - y$$

Put it in eq. (ii)

$$x(40 - x) = 375$$

$$40x - x^2 = 375$$

$$0 = x^2 - 40x + 375$$

$$x^2 - 40x + 375 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 25x - 15x + 375 = 0$$

$$x(x - 25) - 15(x - 25) = 0$$

$$(x - 15)(x - 25) = 0$$

$$x - 15 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x - 25 = 0$$

$$x = 15 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 25$$

Putting the value of x in eq. (i)

$$x = 15 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 25$$

$$15 + y = 40 \quad \text{or} \quad 25 + y = 40$$

$$y = 40 - 15 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 40 - 25$$

$$\boxed{y = 25} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{y = 15}$$

If x=15 then y=25 and x=25 then y=15

So, dimensions of rectangle are either 25cm by 15cm or 15cm by 25cm.