

MATHS ASSIGNMENT
CLASS X
CHAPTER 2 POLYNOMIALS

Note:- Do all the questions on the Ruled sheets

VERY SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

1. If one root of the polynomial $P(x) = 5x^2 + 13x + K$ is reciprocal of the other, then value of k is
(a) 0 (b) 5 (c) $\frac{1}{6}$ (d) 6
2. If α and β are the zeroes of the polynomial $p(x) = x^2 - p(x + 1) - c$ such that $(\alpha + 1)(\beta + 1) = 0$, the $c =$ _____.
3. If one zero of the quadratic polynomial $x^2 + 3x + k$ is 2, then the value of k is
(a) 10 (b) -10 (c) 5 (d) -5
4. If the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $x^2 + (a + 1)x + b$ are 2 and -3, then
(a) $a = -7, b = -1$ (b) $a = 5, b = -1$
(c) $a = 2, b = -6$ (d) $a = 0, b = -6$
5. What should be added to the polynomial $x^2 - 5x + 4$, so that 3 is the zero of the resulting polynomial:
(a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 4 (d) 5
6. If α and β are the roots of the polynomial
$$f(x) = x^2 + x + 1, \text{ then } \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} =$$
7. If a quadratic polynomial $f(x)$ is not factorizable into linear factors, then it has no real zero. (True/False)
8. If a quadratic polynomial $f(x)$ is a square of a linear polynomial, then its two zeros are coincident. (True/False).
9. The product of the zeros of $x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6$ is
(a) -4 (b) 4 (c) 6 (d) 6
10. Given that two of the zeros of the cubic polynomial $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$ are 0, the third zero is
(a) $-\frac{b}{a}$ (b) $\frac{b}{a}$ (c) $\frac{c}{a}$ (d) $-\frac{d}{a}$
11. What will be the number of zeros of a linear polynomial $p(x)$ if its graph (i) passes through the origin. (ii) doesn't intersect or touch x -axis at any point?
12. Find the quadratic polynomial whose zeros are
 $(5 + 2\sqrt{3})$ and $(5 - 2\sqrt{3})$

13. If one zero of $p(x) = 4x^2 - (8k^2 - 40k)x - 9$ is negative of the other, find values of k .
14. What number should be added to the polynomial $x^2 - 5x + 4$, so that 3 is a zero of polynomial so obtained.
15. How many (i) maximum (ii) minimum number of zeroes can a quadratic polynomial have?
16. What will be the number of real zeros of the polynomial $x^2 + 1$?
17. If α and β are zeros of polynomial $6x^2 - 7x - 3$, then form a quadratic polynomial where zeros are 2α and 2β (CBSE)
18. If α and $\frac{1}{\alpha}$ are zeros of $4x^2 - 17x + k - 4$, find the value of k .
19. What will be the number of zeros of the polynomials whose graphs are parallel to (i) y -axis (ii) x -axis?
20. What will be number of zeros of the polynomials whose graphs are either touching or intersecting the axis only at the points:
(i) $(-3, 0)$, $(0, 2)$ & $(3, 0)$ (ii) $(0, 4)$, $(0, 0)$ and $(0, -4)$

SHORT ANSWER TYPE (I) QUESTIONS

21. If -3 is one of the zeros of the polynomial $(k-1)x^2 + kx + 1$, find the value of k .
22. If the product of zeros of $ax^2 - 6x - 6$ is 4, find the value of a . Hence find the sum of its zeros.
23. If zeros of $x^2 - kx + 6$ are in the ratio 3 : 2, find k .
24. If one zero of the quadratic polynomial $(k^2 + k)x^2 + 68x + 6k$ is reciprocal of the other, find k .
25. If α and β are the zeros of the polynomial $x^2 - 5x + m$ such that $\alpha - \beta = 1$, find m . (CBSE)
26. If the sum of squares of zeros of the polynomial $x^2 - 8x + k$ is 40, find the value of k .
27. If α and β are zeros of the polynomial $t^2 - t - 4$, form a quadratic polynomial whose zeros are $\frac{1}{\alpha}$ and $\frac{1}{\beta}$.
28. What should be added to the polynomial $x^3 - 3x^2 + 6x - 15$, so that it is completely divisible by $x - 3$? (CBSE 2016)

29. If m and n are the zeros of the polynomial $3x^2 + 11x - 4$, find the value of $\frac{m}{n} + \frac{n}{m}$.
(CBSE, 2012)
30. Find a quadratic polynomial whose zeros are $\frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{5}$ and $\frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{5}$.
(CBSE, 2013)

SHORT ANSWER TYPE (II) QUESTIONS

31. If $(k + y)$ is a factor of each of the polynomials $y^2 + 2y - 15$ and $y^3 + a$, find the values of k and a .
32. Obtain zeros of $4\sqrt{3}x^2 + 5x - 2\sqrt{3}$ and verify relation between its zeroes and coefficients.
33. If $x^4 + 2x^3 + 8x^2 + 12x + 18$ is divided by $(x^2 + 5)$, remainder comes out to be $(px + q)$, find values of p and q .
34. -5 is one of the zeros of $2x^2 + px - 15$, zeroes of $p(x^2 + x) + k$ are equal to each other. Find the value of k .
35. Find the value of k such that $3x^2 + 2kx + x - k - 5$ has the sum of zeros as half of their product.
36. If α and β are zeros of $y^2 + 5y + m$, find the value of m such that $(\alpha + \beta)^2 - \alpha\beta = 24$.
37. If α and β are zeros of $x^2 - x - 2$, find a polynomial whose zeros are $(2\alpha + 1)$ and $(2\beta + 1)$.
38. Find values of a and b so that $x^4 + x^3 + 8x^2 + ax + b$ is divisible by $x^2 + 1$.
39. What must be subtracted from $8x^4 + 14x^3 - 2x^2 + 7x - 8$ so that the resulting polynomial is exactly divisible by $4x^2 + 3x - 2$?
40. What must be added to $4x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 1$ so that the resulting polynomial is divisible by $x^2 - 2x - 3$?

LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS

41. Find all zeros of the polynomial $2x^3 + x^2 - 6x - 3$ if two of its zeroes are $\sqrt{3}$ and $-\sqrt{3}$.
42. If $\sqrt{2}$ is a zero of $(6x^3 + \sqrt{2}x^2 - 10x - 4\sqrt{2})$, find its other zeroes.
43. If two zeros of $x^4 - 6x^3 - 26x^2 + 138x - 35$ are $(2 \pm \sqrt{3})$, find other zeroes.
44. On dividing the polynomial $x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x - 4$ by a polynomial $g(x)$, quotient and remainder are $(x - 3)$ and $(-3x + 5)$ respectively. Find $g(x)$.
45. Obtain all zeros of the polynomial $2x^4 - 2x^3 - 7x^2 + 3x + 6$ if two factors of this polynomial are $\left(x \pm \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\right)$.
46. If the polynomial $x^4 - 3x^3 - 6x^2 + kx - 16$ is exactly divisible by $x^2 - 3x + 2$, then find the value of k . (CBSE, 2014)
47. If the polynomial $x^4 - 6x^3 + 16x^2 - 25x + 10$ is divided by $x^2 - 2x + k$, then find the value of k and a . (CBSE)
48. If α and β are zeros of the polynomial $x^2 + 4x + 3$, find the polynomial whose zeros are $1 + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$ and $1 + \frac{\alpha}{\beta}$. (CBSE)
49. Find K , so that $x^2 + 2x + K$ is a factor of $2x^4 + x^3 - 14x^2 + 5x + 6$. Also find all the zeros of the two polynomials: (Exemplar, HOTS)
50. If $x - \sqrt{5}$ is a factor of the cubic polynomial $x^3 - 3\sqrt{5}x^2 + 13x - 3\sqrt{5}$, then find all the zeros of the polynomial.

ANSWERS AND HINTS

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| 1. (b) 5 | 2. -1 |
| 3. (b) -10 | 4. (d) $a = 0, b = -6$ |
| 5. (b) 2 | 6. -1 |
| 7. True | 8. True |
| 9. (c) 6 | 10. (a) $-\frac{b}{a}$ |

11. (i) 1 (ii) 0
12. $x^2 - 10x + 13$
13. $k = 0, 5$
14. 2
15. (i) 2 (ii) 0
16. 0
17. $3x^2 - 7x - 6$
18. $k = 8$
19. (i) 1 (ii) 0
20. (i) 2 (ii) 1
21. $\frac{4}{3}$
22. $a = -\frac{3}{2}$, sum of zeroes = -4
23. -5, 5
24. 5
25. 6
26. 12
27. $4t^2 + t - 1$
28. On dividing $x^3 - 3x^2 + 6x - 15$ by $x - 3$, remainder is +3, hence -3 must be added to $x^3 - 3x^2 + 6x - 15$.
29. $\frac{m}{n} + \frac{n}{m} = \frac{m^2 + n^2}{mn} = \frac{(m+n)^2 - 2mn}{mn} = \frac{\left(-\frac{11}{3}\right)^2 - 2\left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)}{-\frac{4}{3}} = -\frac{145}{12}$
30. $\alpha + \beta = \frac{6}{5}$, $\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{25}$,
 $25x^2 - 30x + 4$
31. $k = 3, -5$ and $a = 27, -125$
32. $-\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$, $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$
33. $p = 2, q = 3$
34. $\frac{7}{4}$
35. 1
36. 1
37. $x^2 - 4x - 5$
38. $a = 1, b = 7$
39. $14x - 10$
40. $61x - 65$
41. $\sqrt{3}, -\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2}$
42. $-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$, $\frac{-2\sqrt{2}}{3}$
43. -5, 7

44. $x^2 - 2x + 3$
45. $2, -1, \mp \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$
46. $x^2 - 3x + 2 = (x - 2)(x - 1)$
 $P(1) = 0, K = 24.$
47. On dividing $x^4 - 6x^3 + 16x^2 - 25x + 10$ by $x^2 - 2x + k$ we get remainder $(2k - 9)x + (10 - 8k + k^2)$
 Given remainder = $x + 9$
 $2k - 9 = 1 \Rightarrow k = 5$
 $10 - 8k + k^2 = a \Rightarrow a = 10 - 40 + 25 = -5$
 $a = -5, k = 5$
48. $x^2 - \frac{16}{3}x + \frac{16}{3}$ or $\frac{1}{3}(3x^2 - 16x + 16)$
49. On dividing $2x^4 + x^3 - 14x^2 + 5x + 6$ by $x^2 + 2x + k$
 We get $(7k + 21)x + 2k^2 + 8k + 6$ as remainder is zero.
 $\Rightarrow 7k + 21 = 0$ and $2k^2 + 8k + 6 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow k = -3$ and $k = -1$ or -3
 $\Rightarrow k = -3$
- Zeros of $x^2 + 2x - 3$ are $1, -3$ and $2x^4 + x^3 - 14x^2 + 5x + 6$ are $1, -3, 2, -\frac{1}{2}$
50. $\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2}$