

**QUADRATIC EQUATION & EXPRESSION**

**YEAR LONG REVISION EXERCISE**  
Not To Be Discussed in Class

**SECTION - 1 : SINGLE CHOICE CORRECT QUESTIONS**

1. The set of all real numbers  $x$  for which  $x^2 - |x + 2| + x > 0$ , is [JEE 2002 (screening), 3]  
 (A)  $(-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$  (B)  $(-\infty, -\sqrt{2}) \cup (\sqrt{2}, \infty)$   
 (C)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$  (D)  $(\sqrt{2}, \infty)$

2. If the quadratic polynomial  $P(x) = (p-3)x^2 - 2px + 3p-6$  ranges from  $[0, \infty)$  for every  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , then the value of  $p$  can be

- (A)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (B) 4 (C) 6 (D) 7

3. If the roots of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are  $\frac{k+1}{k}$  and  $\frac{k+2}{k+1}$ , then  $\left(\frac{a}{a+b+c}\right)^2$  equals  
 (A)  $k^2$  (B)  $(k+1)^2$  (C)  $(k+2)^2$  (D)  $k^2(k+1)^2$

4. If  $\min. (2x^2 - ax + 2) > \max. (b - 1 + 2x - x^2)$  then roots of the equation  $2x^2 + ax + (2-b) = 0$ , are  
 (A) positive and distinct (B) negative and distinct  
 (C) opposite in sign (D) imaginary

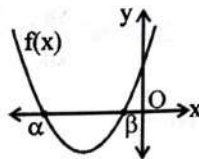
5. The following figure shows the graph of  $f(x) = ax^2 - bx + c$ . Then which one of the following is correct?

(A)  $\frac{b}{c} > 0$

(B)  $a$  and  $c$  are of opposite sign

(C)  $a$  and  $b$  are of same sign

(D) None



6. If  $p$  and  $q$  are the roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - (\alpha-2)x - \alpha = 1$  ( $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ ), then the minimum value of  $(p^2 + q^2)$  is equal to  
 (A) 2 (B) 3 (C) 5 (D) 6

7. The product of all values of  $x$  which make the following statement true  $(\log_3 x)(\log_5 9) - \log_x 25 + \log_3 2 = \log_3 54$ , is

- (A)  $\sqrt{5}$  (B) 5 (C)  $5\sqrt{5}$  (D) 25

8. If the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 5x + 16 = 0$  are  $\alpha, \beta$  and the roots of the equation  $x^2 + px + q = 0$  are  $(\alpha^2 + \beta^2)$  and  $\frac{\alpha\beta}{2}$ , then- [AIEEE-2002]

- (A)  $p = 1$  and  $q = 56$  (B)  $p = 1$  and  $q = -56$  (C)  $p = -1$  and  $q = 56$  (D)  $p = -1$  and  $q = -56$

9. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the roots of the equation  $(x-a)(x-b) = c$  and  $c \neq 0$ , then roots of the equation  $(x-\alpha)(x-\beta) + c = 0$  are - [AIEEE-2002]

- (A)  $a$  and  $c$  (B)  $b$  and  $c$  (C)  $a$  and  $b$  (D)  $a+b$  and  $b+c$

10. If  $\alpha^2 = 5\alpha - 3$ ,  $\beta^2 = 5\beta - 3$  then the value of  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$  (where  $\alpha \neq \beta$ ) is- [AIEEE-2002]

- (A)  $\frac{19}{3}$  (B)  $\frac{25}{3}$  (C)  $-\frac{19}{3}$  (D) None of these

11. The number of real solutions of the equation  $x^2 - 3|x| + 2 = 0$ , is- [AIEEE-2003]  
 (A) 4 (B) 1 (C) 3 (D) 2
12. The real number  $x$  when added to its inverse gives the minimum value of the sum at  $x$  equal to- [AIEEE-2003]  
 (A) 1 (B) -1 (C) -2 (D) 2
13. Let two numbers have arithmetic mean 9 and geometric mean 4. Then these numbers are the roots of the quadratic equation- [AIEEE-2004]  
 (A)  $x^2 + 18x - 16 = 0$  (B)  $x^2 - 18x + 16 = 0$  (C)  $x^2 + 18x + 16 = 0$  (D)  $x^2 - 18x - 16 = 0$
14. If  $(1 - p)$  is a root of quadratic equation  $x^2 + px + (1 - p) = 0$  then its roots are- [AIEEE-2004]  
 (A) 0, -1 (B) -1, 1 (C) 0, 1 (D) -1, 2
15. If one root of the equation  $x^2 + px + 12 = 0$  is 4, while the equation  $x^2 + px + q = 0$  has equal roots, then the value of 'q' is- [AIEEE-2004]  
 (A) 3 (B) 12 (C)  $\frac{49}{4}$  (D) 4
16. If value of  $a$  for which the sum of the squares of the roots of the equation  $x^2 - (a - 2)x - a - 1 = 0$  assume the least value is- [AIEEE-2005]  
 (A) 2 (B) 3 (C) 0 (D) 1
17. If the roots of the equation  $x^2 - bx + c = 0$  be two consecutive integers, then  $b^2 - 4c$  equals- [AIEEE-2005]  
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) -2
18. If  $x$  is real, then maximum value of  $\frac{3x^2 + 9x + 17}{3x^2 + 9x + 7}$  is- [AIEEE-2006]  
 (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{17}{7}$  (C)  $\frac{1}{4}$  (D) 41
19. If the difference between the roots of the equation  $x^2 + ax + 1 = 0$  is less than  $\sqrt{5}$ , then the set of possible values of  $a$  is [AIEEE-2007]  
 (A)  $(-3, \infty)$  (B)  $(3, \infty)$  (C)  $(-\infty, -3)$  (D)  $(-3, -2) \cup (2, 3)$
20. The value of  $a$  for which one roots of the quadratic equation  $(a^2 - 5a + 3)x^2 + (3a - 1)x + 2 = 0$  is twice as large as the other is [AIEEE-2003]  
 (A)  $-\frac{2}{3}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{3}$  (C)  $-\frac{1}{3}$  (D)  $\frac{2}{3}$
21. If the sum of the roots of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  is equal to the sum of the square of their reciprocals, then  $\frac{a}{c}, \frac{b}{a}$  and  $\frac{c}{b}$  are in [AIEEE-2003]  
 (A) geometric progression (B) harmonic progression  
 (C) arithmetic-geometric progression (D) arithmetic progression
22. If both the roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - 2kx + k^2 + k - 5 = 0$  are less than 5, then  $k$  lies in the interval- [AIEEE-2005]  
 (A)  $[4, 5]$  (B)  $(-\infty, 4)$  (C)  $(6, \infty)$  (D)  $(5, 6)$
23. All the values of  $m$  for which both roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2mx + m^2 - 1 = 0$  are greater than -2 but less than 4, lie in the interval- [AIEEE-2006]  
 (A)  $-1 < m < 3$  (B)  $1 < m < 4$  (C)  $-2 < m < 0$  (D)  $m > 3$



24. If the roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 + px + q = 0$  are  $\tan 30^\circ$  and  $\tan 15^\circ$ , respectively then the value of  $2 + q - p$  is- [AIEEE-2006]  
(A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 2 (D) 3
25. Let  $a, b, c$  be the sides of a triangle. No two of them are equal and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ . If the roots of the equation  $x^2 + 2(a+b+c)x + 3\lambda(ab+bc+ca) = 0$  are real, then [JEE 2006, 3]  
(A)  $\lambda < \frac{4}{3}$  (B)  $\lambda > \frac{5}{3}$  (C)  $\lambda \in \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{5}{3}\right)$  (D)  $\lambda \in \left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{5}{3}\right)$
26. Let  $\alpha, \beta$  be the roots of the equation  $x^2 - px + r = 0$  and  $\alpha/2, 2\beta$  be the roots of the equation  $x^2 - qx + r = 0$ . Then the value of 'r' is [JEE 2007]  
(A)  $\frac{2}{9}(p-q)(2q-p)$  (B)  $\frac{2}{9}(q-p)(2p-q)$  (C)  $\frac{2}{9}(q-2p)(2q-p)$  (D)  $\frac{2}{9}(2p-q)(2q-p)$

**SECTION - 2 : MULTIPLE CHOICE CORRECT QUESTIONS**

27. For  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , the expression  $\frac{x^2 + 34x - 71}{x^2 + 2x - 7}$  can not lie between,  
(A) (5, 7) (B) (12, 19) (C) (1, 4) (D) (8, 9)
28. In which of the following inequalities, the set of all real values of  $x$  is same as the set of all real values of  $k$  for which the equation  $kx^2 - 4x + k = 0$  has real roots and satisfying  $1 - k \leq 0$ ?  
(A)  $0 \leq \log_2 x \leq 1$  (B)  $x^2 - 3x + 2 \leq 0$   
(C)  $\sin(\pi x) \leq 0$  in  $[0, 2]$  (D)  $|x - 1| \leq 1$
29. If the vertex of the parabola  $y = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$  is  $(a, b)$ , then the parabola whose vertex is  $(b, a)$ , is(are)  
(A)  $y = x^2 + 6x + 11$  (B)  $y = x^2 - 7x + 3$   
(C)  $y = -2x^2 - 12x - 16$  (D)  $y = -2x^2 + 16x - 13$
30. Let  $x$  and  $y$  be 2 real numbers which satisfy the equations  $(\tan^2 x - \sec^2 y) = \frac{5a}{6} - 3$  and  $(-\sec^2 x + \tan^2 y) = a^2$ , then the value of  $a$  can be equal to  
(A)  $\frac{2}{3}$  (B)  $-\frac{2}{3}$  (C)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (D)  $-\frac{3}{2}$
31. Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  be real numbers. Which of the following statement(s) about the equation  $(x-a)(x-b) = c$  is/are incorrect?  
(A) If  $c > 0$ , then roots are always real. (B) If  $c > 0$ , then roots are always non-real.  
(C) If  $c < 0$ , then roots are always real. (D) If  $c < 0$ , then roots are always non-real.
32. If quadratic equation  $x^2 + 2(a+2b)x + (2a+b-1) = 0$  has unequal real roots for all  $b \in \mathbb{R}$  then the possible values of  $a$  can be equal to  
(A) 5 (B) -1 (C) -10 (D) 3
33. If all values of  $x$  which satisfies the inequality  $\log_{1/3}(x^2 + 2px + p^2 + 1) \geq 0$  also satisfy the inequality  $kx^2 + kx - k^2 \leq 0$  for all real values of  $k$ , then all possible values of  $p$  lies in the interval  
(A)  $[-1, 1]$  (B)  $[0, 1]$  (C)  $[0, 2]$  (D)  $[-2, 0]$

**SECTION - 3 : MATRIX - MATCH QUESTIONS**

34. The expression  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$  ( $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $a \neq 0$ ) represents a parabola which cuts the x-axis at the points which are roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ . Column-II contains values which correspond to the nature of roots mentioned in column-I.

Column-I	Column-II
(A) For $a = 1, c = 4$ , if both roots are greater than 2 then $b$ can be equal to	(P) 4
(B) For $a = -1, b = 5$ , if roots lie on either side of $-1$ then $c$ can be equal to	(Q) 8
(C) For $b = 6, c = 1$ , if one root is less than $-1$ and the other root greater than $-\frac{1}{2}$ then $a$ can be equal to	(R) 10
	(S) no real value

35. Let  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 6x + 5}{x^2 - 5x + 6}$

Match the expressions / statements in **Column I** with expressions / statements in **Column II**.

Column I	Column II
(A) If $-1 < x < 1$ , then $f(x)$ satisfies	(p) $0 < f(x) < 1$
(B) If $1 < x < 2$ , the $f(x)$ satisfies	(q) $f(x) < 0$
(C) If $3 < x < 5$ , then $f(x)$ satisfies	(r) $f(x) > 0$
(D) If $x > 5$ , then $f(x)$ satisfies	(s) $f(x) < 1$

[JEE 2007]

**SECTION - 4 : NUMERICAL ANSWER BASED QUESTIONS**

36. Find the values of 'a' for which one of the roots of the quadratic equation,  $x^2 + (2a + 1)x + (a^2 + 2) = 0$  is twice the other root. Find also the roots of this equation for these values of 'a'.
37. If  $y = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{x^2 + 2x - 8}$  then find the interval in which  $y$  can lie for every  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  wherever defined.
38. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the roots of the equation  $x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$  then find the value of  $\left(\frac{\alpha}{1+\beta}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha+1}\right)^2$ .
39. Let  $M$  be the minimum value of  $f(\theta) = (3 \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)(\sec^2 \theta + 3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta)$ , for permissible real values of  $\theta$  and  $P$  denotes the product of all real solutions of the equation  $\frac{(x-1)(50-10x)}{x^2-5x} = x^2 - 8x + 7$ . Find  $(PM)$ .
40. If the range of values of  $a$  for which the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2x - a^2 + 1 = 0$  lie between the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2(a+1)x + a(a-1) = 0$  is  $(p, q)$ , find the value of  $\left(q + \frac{1}{p^2}\right)$ .
41. Let  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  be the real roots of the equation  $x^2 - kx + (k^2 + 7k + 15) = 0$ . What is the maximum value of  $(x_1^2 + x_2^2)$ ?



42. If  $1 - \log_x 2 + \log_{x^2} 9 - \log_{x^3} 64 < 0$ , then range of  $x$  is  $(a, b)$ . Find the minimum value of  $(a + 9b)$ .
43. If  $\alpha, \beta$  are roots of the equation  $2x^2 + 6x + b = 0$  where  $b < 0$ , then find the least integral value of  $\left(\frac{\alpha^2}{\beta} + \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha}\right)$ .
44. Suppose that  $a, b, c, d$  are rationals which satisfy  $a + b + c + d = 10$ ,  $(a + b)(c + d) = 16$ ,  $(a + c)(b + d) = 21$  and  $(a + d)(b + c) = 24$ , then find the value of  $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2)$ .
45. If sum of maximum and minimum value of  $y = \log_2(x^4 + x^2 + 1) - \log_2(x^4 + x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1)$  can be expressed in form  $((\log_2 m) - n)$ , where  $m$  and  $2$  are coprime then compute  $(m + n)$ .
46. If all the solutions of the inequality  $x^2 - 6ax + 5a^2 \leq 0$  are also the solutions of inequality  $x^2 - 14x + 40 \leq 0$  then find the number of possible integral values of  $a$ .
47. If roots of the equation  $x^2 - 10cx - 11d = 0$  are  $a, b$  and those of  $x^2 - 10ax - 11b = 0$  are  $c, d$ , then find the value of  $a + b + c + d$ . ( $a, b, c$  and  $d$  are distinct numbers) **[JEE 2006, 6]**

### SECTION - 5 : SUBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

48. If  $\alpha, \beta$  are the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2x + 3 = 0$  obtain the equation whose roots are  $\alpha^3 - 3\alpha^2 + 5\alpha - 2$ ,  $\beta^3 - \beta^2 + \beta + 5$ .
49. If one root of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  be the square of the other, prove that  $b^3 + a^2c + ac^2 = 3abc$ .
50. Show that if  $p, q, r$  &  $s$  are real numbers &  $pr = 2(q + s)$ , then at least one of the equations  $x^2 + px + q = 0$ ,  $x^2 + rx + s = 0$  has real roots.
51. Find the range of values of  $a$ , such that  $f(x) = \frac{ax^2 + 2(a+1)x + 9a + 4}{x^2 - 8x + 32}$  is always negative.
52. Find the values of ' $a$ ' for which  $-3 < \frac{x^2 + ax - 2}{x^2 + x + 1} < 2$  is valid for all real  $x$ .
53. If the quadratic equations  $x^2 + bx + ca = 0$  &  $x^2 + cx + ab = 0$  (where  $a \neq 0$ ) have a common root, prove that the equation containing their other roots is  $x^2 + ax + bc = 0$ .
54. The equation  $x^2 - ax + b = 0$  &  $x^3 - px^2 + qx = 0$ , where  $b \neq 0, q \neq 0$ , have one common root & the second equation has two equal roots. Prove that  $2(q + b) = ap$ .
55. Find all values of  $a$  for which the inequality  $(a + 4)x^2 - 2ax + 2a - 6 < 0$  is satisfied for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .
56. Find all values of  $a$  for which both roots of the equation  $x^2 - 6ax + 2 - 2a + 9a^2 = 0$  are greater than 3.
57. Find all the values of the parameter ' $a$ ' for which both roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - ax + 2 = 0$  belong to the interval  $(0, 3)$ .
58. Find the values of  $K$  so that the quadratic equation  $x^2 + 2(K - 1)x + K + 5 = 0$  has atleast one positive root.
59. If  $a < b < c < d$  then prove that the roots of the equation;  $(x - a)(x - c) + 2(x - b)(x - d) = 0$  are real & distinct.

60. If one root of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  is equal to the  $n^{\text{th}}$  power of the other, then show that  $(ac^n)^{1/(n+1)} + (a^n c)^{1/(n+1)} + b = 0$ .
61. Let  $P(x) = x^2 + bx + c$ , where  $b$  and  $c$  are integer. If  $P(x)$  is a factor of both  $x^4 + 6x^2 + 25$  and  $3x^4 + 4x^2 + 28x + 5$ , find the value of  $P(1)$ .
62. Find the true set of values of  $p$  for which the equation :  $p \cdot 2^{\cos^2 x} + p \cdot 2^{-\cos^2 x} - 2 = 0$  has real roots.
63. If the coefficients of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are odd integers then prove that the roots of the equation cannot be rational number.
64. If the three equations  $x^2 + ax + 12 = 0$ ,  $x^2 + bx + 15 = 0$  and  $x^2 + (a + b)x + 36 = 0$  have a common positive root, find  $a$  and  $b$  and the roots of the equations.
65. If the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  has real roots, of opposite sign in the interval  $(-2, 2)$  then prove that  $1 + \frac{c}{4a} - \left| \frac{b}{2a} \right| > 0$ .
66. Find the maximum possible value of  $8 \cdot 27^{\log_6 x} + 27 \cdot 8^{\log_6 x} - x^3$ , where  $x > 0$ .
67. For  $a \leq 0$ , determine all real roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2a |x - a| - 3a^2 = 0$ .
68. The equation  $x^n + px^2 + qx + r = 0$ , where  $n \geq 5$  &  $r \neq 0$  has roots  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_n$ .  
 Denoting  $\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i^k$  by  $S_k$ .  
 (a) Calculate  $S_2$  & deduce that the roots cannot all be real.  
 (b) Prove that  $S_n + pS_2 + qS_1 + nr = 0$  & hence find the value of  $S_n$ .
69. Find the number of integral values of  $a$  so that the inequation  $x^2 - 2(a+1)x + 3(a-3)(a+1) < 0$  is satisfied by atleast one  $x \in \mathbb{R}^+$ .
70. Let  $a, b, c$  be real numbers with  $a \neq 0$  and let  $\alpha, \beta$  be the roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ . Express the roots of  $a^3 x^2 + abcx + c^3 = 0$  in terms of  $\alpha, \beta$ . **[JEE 2001, Mains, 5 out of 100]**
71. If  $x^2 + (a-b)x + (1-a-b) = 0$  where  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  then find the values of ' $a$ ' for which equation has unequal real roots for all values of ' $b$ '. **[JEE 2003, Mains-4 out of 60]**
72. Find the range of values of  $t$  for which  $2 \sin t = \frac{1-2x+5x^2}{3x^2-2x-1}$ ,  $t \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ . **[JEE 2005(Mains), 2]**
73. A quadratic polynomial  $f(x) = x^2 + ax + b$  is formed with one of its zeros being  $\frac{4+3\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers. Also  $g(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 10x^2 + 4x - 10$  is a biquadratic polynomial such that  $g\left(\frac{4+3\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}\right) = c\sqrt{3} + d$  where  $c$  and  $d$  are also integers. Find the values of  $a, b, c$  and  $d$ .



**SECTION - 6 : ASSERTION-REASON QUESTIONS**

**Assertion & Reason**

These questions contains, Statement-I (assertion) and Statement-II (reason).

- (A) Statement-I is true, Statement-II is true ; Statement-II is correct explanation for Statement-I.  
 (B) Statement-I is true, Statement-II is true ; Statement-II is NOT a correct explanation for statement-I  
 (C) Statement-I is true, Statement-II is false  
 (D) Statement-I is false, Statement-II is true

74. **Statement-I** - If  $a + b + c > 0$  and  $a < 0 < b < c$ , then the roots of the equation  $a(x - b)(x - c) + b(x - c)(x - a) + c(x - a)(x - b) = 0$  are of both negative.

**Because**

**Statement-II** - If both roots are negative, then sum of roots  $< 0$  and product of roots  $> 0$ .

- (A) A (B) B (C) C (D) D

75. **Statement-I** - Let  $(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5)$  denote a re-arrangement of  $(1, -4, 6, 7, -10)$ . Then the equation  $a_1x^4 + a_2x^3 + a_3x^2 + a_4x + a_5 = 0$  has at least two real roots.

**Because**

**Statement-II** - If  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  and  $a + b + c = 0$ , (i.e. in a polynomial the sum of coefficients is zero) then  $x = 1$  is root of  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ .

- (A) A (B) B (C) C (D) D

76. **Statement-I** - If roots of the equation  $x^2 - bx + c = 0$  are two consecutive integers, then  $b^2 - 4c = 1$ .

**Because**

**Statement-II** - If  $a, b, c$  are odd integer then the roots of the equation  $4abcx^2 + (b^2 - 4ac)x - b = 0$  are real and distinct.

- (A) A (B) B (C) C (D) D

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# ANSWERS

## YEAR LONG REVISION EXERCISE

### SECTION - 1

Que.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ans.	B	C	D	D	D	C	C	D	C	A
Que.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Ans.	A	A	B	A	C	D	A	D	D	D
Que.	21	22	23	24	25	26				
Ans.	B	B	A	D	A	D				

### SECTION - 2

Que.	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
Ans.	AD	AB	AC	AD	BCD	BC	ABC

### SECTION - 3

Que.	34	35
Ans.	(A)-s; (B)-qr; (C)-p	(A)-prs; (B)-qs; (C)-qs; (D)-prs

### SECTION - 4

36.  $a = 4$ ; roots are  $-3$  and  $-6$       37.  $y \in \left(-\infty, \frac{4}{9}\right] \cup (1, \infty)$       38. 18      39. 24  
 40. 17      41. 18      42. 25      43. 10      44. 39      45. 5      46. 0  
 47. 1210

### SECTION - 5

48.  $x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$  is the required equation.      51.  $a \in \left(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$   
 52.  $-2 < a < 1$       55.  $a \in (-\infty, -6)$       56.  $\left(\frac{11}{9}, \infty\right)$       57.  $\left[2\sqrt{2}, \frac{11}{3}\right)$   
 58.  $k \leq -1$       61. 4      62.  $p \in \left[\frac{4}{5}, 1\right]$   
 64.  $a = -7$  and  $b = -8$ ,  $(3, 4)$ ,  $(3, 5)$  and  $(3, 12)$  are the root.      66. 216.  
 67.  $x = a(1 - \sqrt{2})$ ,  $x = a(\sqrt{6} - 1)$       68. (a)  $S_2 = 0$ , (b)  $S_n = -nr$   
 69. 5      70.  $\gamma = \alpha^2\beta$  and  $\delta = \alpha\beta^2$  or  $\gamma = \alpha\beta^2$  and  $\delta = \alpha^2\beta$   
 71.  $a > 1$       72.  $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{10}\right] \cup \left[\frac{3\pi}{10}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$   
 73.  $a = 2$ ,  $b = -11$ ,  $c = 4$ ,  $d = -1$

### SECTION - 6

74. (D)      75. (A)      76. (B)

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