

Quadratic Equation

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This is Problem-2 from Exercise 4.2

1. John and Jivanti together have 45 marbles. Both of them lost 5 marbles each, and the product of the number of marbles they now have is 124. We would like to find out how many marbles they have to start with.

Solution:

Given Data: $(x^2 - 45x + 324 = 0)$

This can also be written as: $\left(x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}\right)$

$$\left(x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}\right) \quad (1)$$

$$\left(x = \frac{45 \pm \sqrt{-45^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 324}}{2 \times 1}\right) \quad (2)$$

$$\left(x = \frac{45 \pm \sqrt{2025 - 1296}}{2}\right) \quad (3)$$

$$\left(x = \frac{45 \pm \sqrt{729}}{2}\right) \quad (4)$$

(5)

1st condition

$$\left(x = \frac{45 + 27}{2}\right) \quad (6)$$

$$\left(x = \frac{72}{2}\right) \quad (7)$$

$$x = 36 \quad (8)$$

2nd Condition

$$(x = \frac{45-27}{2}) \tag{9}$$

$$(x = \frac{18}{2}) \tag{10}$$

$$x = 9 \tag{11}$$

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