

Let $n \geq 2$ be an integer. Find all real numbers a such that there exist real numbers x_1, \dots, x_n satisfying

$$\begin{aligned}x_1(1 - x_2) &= x_2(1 - x_3) = \dots \\ &= x_{n-1}(1 - x_n) = x_n(1 - x_1) = a.\end{aligned}$$