

Lecture 9

Module 31

Exercise 2.3

2. Check whether the first polynomial is a factor of the second polynomial by dividing the second polynomial by the first polynomial :

(i) $2t^4 + 3t^3 - 2t^2 - 9t - 12$, $t^2 - 3$

Sol. Dividend = $2t^4 + 3t^3 - 2t^2 - 9t - 12$
 Divisor = $t^2 - 3$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \overline{2t^2 + 3t + 4} \\
 t^2 - 3 \overline{) 2t^4 + 3t^3 - 2t^2 - 9t - 12} \\
 \underline{(-) 2t^4 - 6t^2} \\
 (+) 6t^2 - 9t - 12 \\
 \underline{(-) 3t^3 - 9t} \\
 (+) 4t^2 - 12 \\
 \underline{(-) 4t^2 + 12} \\
 (+) 12 - 12 \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

∴ Quotient = $2t^2 + 3t + 4$
 Remainder = 0

$$\begin{array}{l|l}
 \frac{2t^4}{t^2} = 2t^2 & 2t^2(t^2 - 3) = 2t^4 - 6t^2 \\
 \frac{3t^3}{t^2} = 3t & 3t(t^2 - 3) = 3t^3 - 9t \\
 \frac{4t^2}{t^2} = 4 & 4(t^2 - 3) = 4t^2 - 12
 \end{array}$$

Module 32

Exercise 2.3

2. Check whether the first polynomial is a factor of the second polynomial by dividing the second polynomial by the first polynomial :

(ii) $3x^4 + 5x^3 - 7x^2 + 2x + 2, x^2 + 3x + 1$

Sol. Dividend = $3x^4 + 5x^3 - 7x^2 + 2x + 2$

Divisor = $x^2 + 3x + 1$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \overline{3x^2 - 4x + 2} \\
 x^2 + 3x + 1 \overline{) 3x^4 + 5x^3 - 7x^2 + 2x + 2} \\
 \underline{3x^4 + 9x^3 + 3x^2} \\
 (-) (-) \\
 -4x^3 - 10x^2 + 2x + 2 \\
 \underline{-4x^3 - 12x^2 - 4x} \\
 (+) (+) \\
 2x^2 + 6x + 2 \\
 \underline{2x^2 + 6x + 2} \\
 (-) (-) \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \frac{3x^4}{x^2} = 3x^2 \quad 3x^2(x^2 + 3x + 1) = 3x^4 + 9x^3 + 3x^2 \\
 \frac{-4x^3}{x^2} = -4x \quad -4x(x^2 + 3x + 1) = -4x^3 - 12x^2 - 4x \\
 \frac{2x^2}{x^2} = 2 \quad 2(x^2 + 3x + 1) = 2x^2 + 6x + 2 \\
 \therefore \text{Quotient} = 3x^2 - 4x + 2 \\
 \text{Remainder} = 0
 \end{array}$$

Module 33

Exercise 2.3

2. Check whether the first polynomial is a factor of the second polynomial by dividing the second polynomial by the first polynomial :

(iii) $x^5 - 4x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 1, x^3 - 3x + 1$

Sol. Dividend = $x^5 - 4x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 1$
 $= x^5 + 0x^4 - 4x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 1$

Divisor = $x^3 - 3x + 1$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \begin{array}{c} x^2 - 1 \\ \hline x^3 - 3x + 1 \end{array} \overline{) x^5 + 0x^4 - 4x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 1} \\
 \underline{(-) x^5 - 3x^3 + x^2} \\
 (-) 3x^3 + x^2 \\
 \underline{- (-) x^3 + 3x + 1} \\
 (-) x^3 + 3x - 1 \\
 \underline{(+) x^3 - 3x + 1} \\
 2
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \frac{x^5}{x^3} = x^2 \quad | \quad x^2(x^3 - 3x + 1) = x^5 - 3x^3 + x^2 \\
 \frac{-x^5}{x^3} = -x^2 \quad | \quad (-x^2)(x^3 - 3x + 1) = -x^5 + 3x^3 - x^2 \\
 \hline
 \text{Quotient} = x^2 - 1 \\
 \text{Remainder} = 2
 \end{array}$$

Thank You