

THEORY OF EQUATION

Example: $x^4 + 10x^3 + 37x^2 + 76x + 65$ find the value of $f(-4)$

Solution: Given that,

$$f(x) = x^4 + 10x^3 + 37x^2 + 76x + 65$$

By Horner's method,

1	10	37	76	65	-4
	-4	-24	-60	-64	
1	6	13	16	1	
	-4	-8	-28	-28	
1	2	5	-12	-27	
	-4	6	-30	-45	
1	-2	11	-42	-72	
	-4	-22	102	180	
1	-6	-11	144	352	

Hence the value of $f(-4) = x^4 - 6x^3 + 15x^2 - 12x + 1$

Ex-5: If $f(x) = ax^8 + bx^5 + cx + d$ find the value of $f(x+h) - f(x-h)$

Solution: Given that,

$$f(x) = ax^8 + bx^5 + cx + d$$

$$f(x+h) = a(x+h)^8 + b(x+h)^5 + c(x+h) + d$$

$$= a \left(x^8 + 8cx^7h + 8c_2x^6h^2 + 8c_3x^5h^3 + 8c_4x^4h^4 + 8c_5x^3h^5 + 8c_6x^2h^6 + 8c_7xh^7 + h^8 \right) + b \left(x^5 + 5cx^4h + 5c_2x^3h^2 + 5c_3x^2h^3 + 5c_4xh^4 + h^5 \right) + cx + ch + d$$

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and

$$f(x-h) = a(x-h)^8 + b(x-h)^5 + c(x-h) + d$$

$$= a \left(x^8 - 8cx^7h + 8c_2x^6h^2 - 8c_3x^5h^3 + 8c_4x^4h^4 - 8c_5x^3h^5 + 8c_6x^2h^6 - 8c_7xh^7 + h^8 \right) + b \left(x^5 - 5cx^4h + 5c_2x^3h^2 - 5c_3x^2h^3 + 5c_4xh^4 - h^5 \right) + cx - ch + d$$

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(1) - (2) \Rightarrow

$$f(x+h) - f(x-h) = 2a 8c_1 x^7 h + 2a 8c_2 x^5 h^3 + 2a 8c_5 x^3 h^5 \\ + 2a 8c_7 x h^7 - 2b 5c_1 x^4 h + 2b 5c_3 x^2 h^3 + 2b h^5 + 2c$$

$$= 2a (8x^7 h + 56x^5 h^3 + 56x^3 h^5 + 8x h^7) \\ + 2b (5x^4 h + 10x^2 h^3 + h^5) + 2ch$$

$$= 2a \cdot 8xh (x^6 + 7x^4 h^2 + 7x^2 h^4 + h^6) + 2bh (5x^4 + 5x^2 h^2 + h^4) + 2ch$$

$$\therefore f(x+h) - f(x-h) = 16axh (x^6 + 7x^4 h^2 + 7x^2 h^4 + h^6) \\ + 2bh (5x^4 + 5x^2 h^2 + h^4) + 2ch$$

Answer.

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Ex-6. show that the equation $20n^2 = 3n^2 + 1$ has no integral solutions
0 and -1.

solution:- let, $f(x) = 10x^3 - 17x^2 + x + 6$

Then $f(0) = 0 - 0 - 1 - 0 - 6 = -6$

and $\int (-1) = -10 - 17 - 116 = -223$

since $f(0)$ and $f(-1)$ has contrary sign. $[-1, 0]$

Hence the given equation has a root between 0 and -1.

EX-7. show that the equation $x^4 - 5x^3 + 3x^2 + 35x - 70 = 0$ has a root between 2 and 3 and one between -2 and -3.

solution: let, $f(x) = x^4 - 5x^3 + 3x^2 + 35x - 70$

$$\begin{aligned} \checkmark f(2) &= 2^4 - 5 \cdot 2^3 + 3 \cdot 2^2 + 35 \cdot 2 - 70 \\ &= 16 - 40 + 12 + 70 - 70 \\ &= -12 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } f(3) = 3^4 - 5 \cdot 3^3 + 3 \cdot 3^2 - 33 \cdot 3 - 70$$
$$= 81 - 135 + 27 - 105 - 70$$
$$= -103$$

since $f(2)$ and $f(3)$ has contrary sign. Hence the given equation has a root between 2 and 3.

Again, $f(-2) = (-2)^4 - 5(-2)^3 + 3(-2)^2 + 35(-2) - 70$
 $= 16 + 40 + 12 - 70 - 70 = -72$

$$\text{and } f(-2) = (-2)^4 - 5(-2)^3 + 3(-2)^2 + 35(-2) - 70$$
$$= 84 - 100 + 12 - 70 - 70 = -64$$

Since $f(-2)$ and $f(-3)$ has contrary sign. Hence the given equation has a root between -2 and -3 .

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Ex-10. Solve the following equation which have equal roots.

$$x^4 - 9x^3 - 4x^2 + 12x - 2 = 0$$

Solution:

Let, $f(x) = x^4 - 9x^3 - 4x^2 + 12x - 2 = 0$ — (1)

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 18x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) \Rightarrow 2x^3 - 9x + 2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)} \quad [2 \text{ common}]$$

put, $x = 2$ then $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are satisfied.

$\therefore (x-2)$ is a high common factor (H.C.F) of $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$.

Hence $(x-2)$ or $(x^2 - 4x + 4)$ is a factor of $f(x)$

Now, $x^4 - 9x^3 - 4x^2 + 12x - 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 - 4x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x^2 - 16x^2 + 16x + 2x - 12x + 12x - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x^2 - 4x + 4) + 4x(x^2 - 4x + 4) + 2(x^2 - 4x + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 4x + 4)(x^2 - 4x + 2) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 2, 2$$

$$x^2 + 4x + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 3x + x + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x+3) + 1(x+2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+3)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = -3, -1$$

Hence the roots are $2, 2, -3, -1$.

Ex-11. solve the following equation which have equal roots

$$x^4 - 6x^3 + 12x^2 - 10x + 3 = 0$$

Solution:-

Let, $f(x) = x^4 - 6x^3 + 12x^2 - 10x + 3 = 0$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 18x^2 + 24x - 10 = 0$$

put, $x = 1$ then $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are satisfied.

$\therefore (x-1)$ is a high common factor of $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$

Hence $(x-1)$ is a factor of $f(x)$

Now, $x^4 - 6x^3 + 12x^2 - 10x + 3 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x^2 - 2x + 1) - 4x(x^2 - 2x + 1) + 3(x^2 - 2x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2x + 1)(x^2 - 4x + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 1, 1$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3x - x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)(x-3) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 1, 3$$

Hence the roots are 1, 1, 1, 3.

Ex-12. Solve the following equation which have equal roots

$$x^5 - 13x^4 + 67x^3 - 171x^2 + 216x - 108 = 0$$

Solution:- Let, $f(x) = x^5 - 13x^4 + 67x^3 - 171x^2 + 216x - 108 = 0$

$$f'(x) = 5x^4 - 52x^3 + 201x^2 - 342x + 216 = 0$$

Put, $x = 3$ then $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are satisfied.

$\therefore (x-3)$ is a H.C.F of $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$

Hence $(x-3)^2$ is a factor of $f(x)$

Now, $x^5 - 13x^4 + 67x^3 - 171x^2 + 216x - 108 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^3(x^2 - 6x + 9) - 7x^2(x^2 - 6x + 9) + 16x(x^2 - 6x + 9) - 12(x^2 - 6x + 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 6x + 9)(x^3 - 7x^2 + 16x - 12) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-3)^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 3, 3$$

$$x^3 - 7x^2 + 16x - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 - 3x^2 - 4x^2 + 12x + 4x - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x-3) - 4x(x-3) + 4(x-3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-3)(x^2 - 4x + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-3)(x-2)^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 3, 2, 2$$

Hence the roots are 2, 2, 3, 3, 3.

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✓ Ex-15. solve the following equation which have equal roots. ✓

$$x^6 - 3x^5 + 6x^3 - 3x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$$

Solution:- Let, $f(x) = x^6 - 3x^5 + 6x^3 - 3x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 6x^5 - 15x^4 + 18x^2 - 6x - 3 = 0$$

put, $x=1$ then $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are satisfied

$\therefore (x-1)$ is a H.C.F of $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$

Hence $(x-1)^2$ is a factor of $f(x)$

~~Ex-16~~ Now, $x^6 - 3x^5 + 6x^3 - 3x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 (x^2 - 3x + 1) - x^3 (x^2 - 2x + 1) - 3x^2 (x^2 - 2x + 1) + x (x^2 - 2x + 1) + 2 (x^2 - 2x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2x + 1) (x^4 - x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2x + 1) \{ x^3 (x-1) - 3x(x-1) - 2(x-1) \} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2x + 1) (x-1) (x^3 - 3x - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^2 (x-1) \{ x^2 (x+1) - x(x+1) - 2(x+1) \} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^3 (x+1) (x^2 - x - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^3 (x+1) (x^2 - 2x + x - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^3 (x+1) (x-2) (x+1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 1, 1, 1, -1, -1, 2$$

Hence the roots are 1, 1, 1, -1, -1, 2

✓ Ex-17. Solve the following equation which have equal roots

$$x^4 - (a+b)x^3 - a(a-b)x^2 + a^2(a+b)x - a^2b = 0$$

Solution: Let, $f(x) = x^4 - (a+b)x^3 - a(a-b)x^2 + a^2(a+b)x - a^2b = 0$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 3(a+b)x^2 - 2a(a-b)x + a^2(a+b) = 0$$

put, $x=a$ then $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are satisfied

$\therefore (x-a)$ is a H.C.F of $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$

Hence $(x-a)^2$ is a factor of $f(x)$

Now, $x^4 - (a+b)x^3 - a(a-b)x^2 - b^2(a+b)x - a^2b = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x^2 - 2ax + a^2) + ax(x^2 - 2ax + a^2) - bx(x^2 - 2ax + a^2) - ab(x^2 - 2ax + a^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2ax + a^2)(x^2 - ax - bx - ab) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-a)^2(x+a)(x-b) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = a, a, -a, b$$

Hence the roots are $a, a, -a, b$

Ex-18. Find the solution of the following equation which have common roots
 $2x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 3x - 6 = 0$, $4x^4 - 2x^3 + 3x - 9 = 0$
 solution :- Given that,

$$2x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 3x - 6 = 0 \rightarrow (1)$$

$$4x^4 - 2x^3 + 3x - 9 = 0 \rightarrow (2)$$

$$(1) - (2) \Rightarrow -2x^4 + x^2 + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^4 - x^2 - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^4 - 3x^2 + 2x^2 - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(2x^2 - 3) + 2(2x^2 - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 - 3)(x^2 + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 3 = 0 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} x^2 + 1 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 = -1 \end{array} \right. \quad [\text{Not Acceptable}]$$

$$\therefore x^2 = -1 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} 2x^2 - 3 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{3/2} \end{array} \right.$$

$\therefore (2x^2 - 3)$ is a common factor of the eqn (1) and (2)

Now, $2x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 3x - 6 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(2x^2 - 3) - x(2x^2 - 3) + 2(2x^2 - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 - 3)(x^2 - x + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 3 = 0, \quad x^2 - x + 2 = 0$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{3/2}, \quad x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{-7}}{2}$$

again, $4x^4 - 2x^3 + 3x - 7 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 (2x^2 - 1) - x (2x^2 - 1) + 3 (2x^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 - 1) (2x^2 - x + 3) = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 1 = 0, \quad 2x^2 - x + 3 = 0$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{1/2}$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{-23}}{2 \cdot 2} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{-23}}{4}$$

Hence the roots are $\pm \sqrt{1/2}, \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{-23}}{2},$

$$\pm \sqrt{1/2}, \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{-23}}{4}$$

Ex-19: Find the solution of the following equations, which have common roots $4x^4 + 12x^3 - x^2 - 15x = 0, \quad 6x^4 - 113x^3 - 4x^2 - 15x = 0$

solution: - Given that,

$$4x^4 + 12x^3 - x^2 - 15x = 0 \longrightarrow (1)$$

$$6x^4 - 113x^3 - 4x^2 - 15x = 0 \longrightarrow (2)$$

$$(1) - (2) \Rightarrow -2x^4 - x^3 + 3x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^4 + x^3 - 3x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 (2x^2 + x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 0, \quad 2x^2 + x - 3 = 0 \text{ is a common}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0, 0 \quad \text{factor of the eqn (1) and (2)}$$

Now, $4x^4 + 12x^3 - x^2 - 15x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 (2x^2 + x - 3) + 5x (2x^2 + x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 + x - 3) (2x^2 + 5x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x (2x + 5) (2x^2 + 3x - 2x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x (2x + 5) \{ x (2x + 3) - 1 (2x + 3) \} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x (2x + 5) (2x + 3) (x - 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 0, 1, -5/2, -3/2$$

Again,

$$6x^4 - 13x^3 - 11x^2 + 15x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2(3x^2 - 13x - 11x + 15) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 + x - 2)(3x^2 - 5x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(2x+5)(2x^2+3x-2x-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(3x+5) \{ x(2x+3) - 1(2x+3) \} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(3x+5)(2x+3)(x-1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 0, 1, -5/3, -3/2$$

Hence the roots are

$$0, 1, -5/3, -3/2$$

$$0, 1, -5/3, -3/2$$

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Ex-20. Find the condition that $x^n - px^2 + r = 0$ may have equal roots.

Solution

Let, $f(x) = x^n - px^2 + r = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$

$f'(x) = nx^{n-1} - 2px = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$

$\therefore (1) \times n - (2) \times x \Rightarrow$

$$nx^n - pnx^2 + rn = 0$$

$$nx^n - 2px^2 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} - \\ + \\ \hline 2px^2 - pnx^2 + rn = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(2p - pn) = -rn$$

$$\Rightarrow px^2(2-n) = -rn$$

$$\Rightarrow px^2(n-2) = rn$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{rn}{p(n-2)}$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{\frac{nr}{p(n-2)}} \quad \sqrt{2}$$

Putting the value of x in (1), we get

$$\left\{ \frac{nr}{p(n-2)} \right\}^{n/2} - p \left\{ \frac{nr}{p(n-2)} \right\}^{n/2 \cdot 2} + r = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \frac{nr}{p(n-2)} \right\}^{n/2} - \left\{ \frac{nr}{p(n-2)} \right\} + r = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{nr}{p(n-1)} \right)^{n/2} = \frac{nr}{n-1} - r$$

$$= \frac{nr - nr + 2nr}{n-2} = \frac{2r^2}{n-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \frac{nr}{p(n-2)} \right\}^{n/2} = \frac{2r^2}{n-2}$$

squaring on both sides, we get

$$\left\{ \frac{nr}{p(n-2)} \right\}^n = \frac{2^2 \cdot r^2}{(n-2)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n^n \cdot r^n}{p^n (n-2)^n} = \frac{4r^2}{(n-2)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n^n \cdot r^{n-2}}{p^n (n-2)^{n-2}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow n^n \cdot r^{n-2} = 4p^n (n-2)^{n-2} \text{ which is the required condition.}$$

Ex-21. Show that $x^4 + qx^2 + s = 0$ cannot have three equal roots.

Solution:-

Let, $f(x) = x^4 + qx^2 + s = 0$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 + 2qx = 0$$

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 + 2q = 0$$

If $f(x) = 0$ have three equal roots then we have a common roots between $f'(x) = 0$ and $f''(x) = 0$

Here, $4x^3 + 2qx = 0 \rightarrow (1)$

$12x^2 + 2q = 0 \rightarrow (2)$

$(1) \times 3 - (2) \times x \Rightarrow 12x^3 + 6qx = 0$

$12x^3 + 2qx = 0$

$4qx = 0$

$\therefore x = 0$

But $x=0$ does not satisfy the equation $f(x)=0$.

Hence we do not get a common root. So $f(x)$ have not three equal roots.

12. Q2. Find the ratio of b to a in order that the equation $ax^3+bx+a=0$ and $x^3-2x^2-2x-1=0$ may have

- (i) one
(ii) two roots in common.

solution:

Let, $f(x) = ax^3+bx+a=0 \rightarrow (1)$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = x^3 + \frac{b}{a}x + 1 = 0 \rightarrow (1) \quad [\text{dividing 'a'}]$$

Again, $g(x) = x^3 - 2x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0 \rightarrow (2)$

$$g'(x) = 3x^2 - 4x - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow g'(x) = x^2 - \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{2}{3} = 0 \rightarrow (2) \quad [\text{dividing '3'}]$$

(i) If one root common then (1) and (2) must be identical

$$\frac{1}{1} = \frac{b/a}{-4/3} = \frac{1}{2/3}$$

$$\Rightarrow b/a = -4/3 \cdot 2/3 = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow b/a = -2$$

(ii) If two roots common

Let, α and β be the roots of (1)

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta = -b/a, \quad \alpha\beta = 1$$

Again, α, β, γ be the roots of (2)

$$\therefore \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 2 \rightarrow (iii)$$

$$\alpha\beta\gamma = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma = 1$$

$$\left[\because \alpha\beta = 1 \right]$$

From (iii), $\alpha + \beta = 2 - \gamma = 2 - 1 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -b/a = 1$$

$$\therefore b/a = -1$$

hence the required ratio of b to a is $b/a = -2$ (when one

root common and $b/a = -1$ (when two roots common).

Ex-22. show that the equation $x^n + nx^{n-1} + n(n-1)x^{n-2} + \dots + Ln = 0$ cannot have equal roots.

Solution: Let,

$$f(x) = x^n + nx^{n-1} + n(n-1)x^{n-2} + \dots + Ln = 0$$

$$= x^n + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{(n-1)!}x^{n-1} + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{(n-2)!}x^{n-2} + \dots + \frac{Ln}{1!}x + Ln = 0$$

$$= x^n + \frac{Ln}{n-1}x^{n-1} + \frac{Ln}{n-2}x^{n-2} + \dots + \frac{Ln}{1}x + Ln = 0$$

————— $\rightarrow (1)$

$$f'(x) = nx^{n-1} + n(n-1)x^{n-2} + n(n-1)(n-2)x^{n-3} + \dots + Ln = 0$$

$$= \frac{Ln}{n-1}x^{n-1} + \frac{Ln}{n-2}x^{n-2} + \frac{Ln}{n-3}x^{n-3} + \dots + Ln = 0$$

————— $\rightarrow (2)$

Now, $(2) - (1) \Rightarrow$

$$x^n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

Putting the value of $x = 0$ in (1), we get $Ln = 0$ which

is impossible. Therefore the equation cannot have equal roots.

Ex-23. If the equation $x^5 - 5a^3x^2 + b^4x + c^5 = 0$ has three equal roots show that $ab^4 - 9a^5 + c^5 = 0$.

Solution: Let, $f(x) = x^5 - 5a^3x^2 + b^4x + c^5 = 0$

$$f'(x) = 5x^4 - 10a^3x + b^4 = 0$$

$$f''(x) = 20x^3 - 10a^3 = 0$$

Now, $f''(x) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 20x^3 - 10a^3 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = a$$

putting the value of $x=a$ in the original equation we get-

$$a^5 - 10a^3 \cdot a^2 + b^2 a^4 - c^5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ab^4 - 9a^5 - c^5 = 0$$

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Ex-25

q. the equation $x^4 + ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$ has three equal roots show that each of them is equal to $\frac{6c-ab}{2a^2-8b}$.

Solution:

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = x^4 + ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 + 3ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$$

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 + 6ax + 2b = 0$$

Since $f(x)=0$ has three equal roots so $f'(x)=0$ and $f''(x)=0$ have a root common.

$$4x^3 + 3ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0 \quad \rightarrow (1)$$

$$12x^2 + 6ax + 2b = 0 \quad \rightarrow (2)$$

$$(1) \times 3 - (2) \times x \Rightarrow 12x^3 + 9ax^2 + 6bx + 3c = 0$$

$$12x^3 + 6ax^2 + 2bx = 0$$

$$3ax^2 + 4bx + 3c = 0$$

$\rightarrow (3)$

From (2) and (3),

$$12x^2 + 6ax + 2b = 0$$

$$3ax^2 + 4bx + 3c = 0$$

by cross multiplication rule,

$$\frac{x^2}{18ca - 8b^2} = \frac{x}{6ab - 36c} = \frac{1}{48b - 18a^2}$$

Last two ratio,

$$\frac{x}{6(ab - 6c)} = \frac{1}{6(2b - 3a^2)}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{6c - ab}{2a^2 - 8b} \text{ which is}$$

common roots.

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Ex-26 If $x^5 + 9x^3 + rx^2 + t = 0$ has two equal roots prove that one of them will be a root of the quadratic $15rx^2 - 69x + 25t - 49r = 0$

Solution: The given equation

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = x^5 + 9x^3 + rx^2 + t = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$f'(x) = 5x^4 + 27x^2 + 2rx = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$(1) \times 5 - (2) \times x \Rightarrow 5x^5 + 59x^3 + 5rx^2 + 5t = 0$$

$$5x^5 + 27x^3 + 2rx^2 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x^5 + 59x^3 + 5rx^2 + 5t = 0 \\ -(5x^5 + 27x^3 + 2rx^2) = 0 \\ \hline 32x^3 + 3rx^2 + 5t = 0 \end{array} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$(2) \times 27 - (3) \times 5x \Rightarrow$$

$$109x^4 + 69x^2 + 49rx = 0$$

$$109x^4 + 15rx^3 + 25tx = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 109x^4 + 69x^2 + 49rx = 0 \\ -(109x^4 + 15rx^3 + 25tx) = 0 \\ \hline -15rx^3 + 69x^2 + 25tx + 49rx = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow 15rx^2 - 69x + 25t + 49r = 0$$

Proved.

Ex-27 In the equation $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$ find the value of S_6 .

Solution: Let, $f(x) = x^3 - x - 1 = 0$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 1 = 0$$

By the method of synthetic division, we get

$$3 + 0 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 5 + 5 + \dots$$

Hence the value of S_6 is 5.

Given that,

$$x^3 - x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 - 0.4x^2 - 1.2x + 1 = 0$$

Here, $p_1 = 0$, $p_2 = -1$, $p_3 = -1$, $p_4 = p_5 = p_6 = 0$

$$S_1 + P_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s_1 = 0$$

$$s_2 + s_1 p_1 + 2 p_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s_2 - 0 - 2(-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_2 = 2$$

$$s_0 + s_2 p_1 + s_1 p_2 - 1 \cdot p_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s_3 + 0 + 0 + 3(-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s_2 = 3$$

$$s_4 + s_2 p_1 + s_2 p_2 + s_1 p_3 + 4 p_4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s_4 + 0 + 2(-1) + 0 + 4.0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_4 = 2$$

$$s_5 + s_4 p_1 + s_3 p_2 + s_2 p_3 + s_1 p_4 + s p_5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 55 + 0 + 3 \cdot (-1) + 2 \cdot (-1) + 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 35 = 5.$$

$$S_1 + P_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_1 - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_1 = 1$$

$$S_2 + S_1 P_1 + 2 P_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_2 + 1 \cdot (-1) + 2 \cdot (-7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_2 = 15$$

$$S_3 + S_2 P_1 + S_1 P_2 + 3 P_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_3 + 15 \cdot (-1) + 1 \cdot (-7) + 3 \cdot 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_3 = 19$$

$$S_4 + S_3 P_1 + S_2 P_2 + S_1 P_3 + 4 P_4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_4 + 19 \cdot (-1) + 15 \cdot (-7) + 1 \cdot 1 + 4 \cdot 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_4 - 19 - 105 + 1 + 24 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_4 = 99$$

$$S_5 + S_4 P_1 + S_3 P_2 + S_2 P_3 + S_1 P_4 + 5 P_5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_5 + 99 \cdot (-1) + 19 \cdot (-7) + 15 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 6 + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_5 - 99 - 133 + 15 + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_5 = 211$$

$$S_6 + S_5 P_1 + S_4 P_2 + S_3 P_3 + S_2 P_4 + S_1 P_5 + 6 P_6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_6 + 211 \cdot (-1) + 99 \cdot (-7) + 19 \cdot 1 + 15 \cdot 6 + 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_6 - 211 - 693 + 19 + 90 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_6 = 795$$

Hence the values of S_4 and S_6 is 99 and 795.

Theorem:- If a, b, c, \dots, k are the roots of the equation $f(x)=0$, to

prove that $f'(x) = \frac{f(x)}{x-a} + \frac{f(x)}{x-b} + \frac{f(x)}{x-c} + \dots + \frac{f(x)}{x-k}$

Proof:- Since $f(x)=0$ is the equation whose roots are a, b, c, \dots, k .

then we can write

$$f(x) = (x-a)(x-b)(x-c) \dots (x-k)$$

$$= \prod_{r=1}^n (x-\alpha_r)$$

$$= (x-\alpha_1)(x-\alpha_2)(x-\alpha_3) \dots (x-\alpha_n)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \prod_{r=1}^n (x-\alpha_r) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} \text{Let,} \\ a = \alpha_1 \\ b = \alpha_2 \\ c = \alpha_3 \\ \vdots \\ k = \alpha_n \end{array} \right.$$

Taking \ln on both sides we get

$$\ln f(x) = \sum_{r=1}^n \ln (x-\alpha_r)$$

Differentiation on both sides w.r. to x

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{(x-\alpha_r)}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{f(x)}{(x-\alpha_r)}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{f(x)}{(x-\alpha_1)} + \frac{f(x)}{(x-\alpha_2)} + \dots + \frac{f(x)}{(x-\alpha_n)}$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{f(x)}{(x-a)} + \frac{f(x)}{(x-b)} + \frac{f(x)}{(x-c)} + \dots + \frac{f(x)}{(x-k)}$$

proved.

OR

since $f(x)=0$ is the equation whose roots are a, b, c, \dots, k

then we can write

$$f(x) = (x-a)(x-b)(x-c) \dots (x-k) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

put, $x = x+h$

$$f(x+h) = (x+h-a)(x+h-b)(x+h-c) \dots (x+h-k)$$

$$f(x+h) = (x-a+h)(x-b+h)(x-c+h)\dots(x-k+h)$$

we know that, → (2)

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + h f'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \dots \quad [\text{Taylor's theorem}]$$

→ (3)

From (2) and (3), we get—

$$f(x) + h f'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \dots = (x-a+h)(x-b+h)(x-c+h)\dots(x-k+h)$$

Equating the coefficient of h on both sides, we get

$$f'(x) = (x-b)(x-c)\dots(x-k) + (x-a)(x-c)\dots(x-k) + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{f'(x)} = \frac{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)\dots(x-k)}{(x-a)} + \frac{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)\dots(x-k)}{(x-b)} + \dots + \frac{(x-a)(x-b)\dots(x-k)}{x-k}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{f(x)}{x-a} + \frac{f(x)}{x-b} + \dots + \frac{f(x)}{x-k}$$

proved.

Theorem: If $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ are the roots of the equation $f(x) = 0$

then show that
$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \frac{n}{x} + \frac{s_1}{x^2} + \frac{s_2}{x^3} + \dots + \frac{s_n}{x^{n+1}} + \dots$$

where, $s_1 = \sum \alpha_1, s_2 = \sum \alpha_1^2, \dots, s_n = \sum \alpha_1^n$ etc.

proof: we know that, (see- ngo) +

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} &= \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{x - \alpha_r} \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{x} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha_r}{x}\right)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{x} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\alpha_r}{x} + \frac{\alpha_r^2}{x^2} + \dots + \frac{\alpha_r^n}{x^n} + \dots \right\}$$

$$= \frac{n}{x} + \frac{s_1}{x^2} + \frac{s_2}{x^3} + \dots + \frac{s_n}{x^{n+1}} + \dots$$

where, $s_1 = \sum_{r=1}^n \alpha_r$

$$s_2 = \sum_{r=1}^n \alpha_r^2$$

$$s_n = \sum_{r=1}^n \alpha_r^n \text{ etc.}$$

- 1) What is function
- 2) ~ ~ Limiting Point
- 3) ~ ~ Continuous function
- 4) What is domain