



Quadratic Equations Ex 8.1 Q2

Answer :

We are given the following quadratic equations and we are asked to find whether the given values are solutions or not

(i)

We have been given that,

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

Now if $x = 2$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation

So, substituting $x = 2$ in the equation we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 3x + 2 &= (2)^2 - 3(2) + 2 \\ &= 4 - 6 + 2 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $x = 2$ is a solution of the quadratic equation given.

Also, if $x = -1$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation

So, substituting $x = -1$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 3x + 2 &= (-1)^2 - 3(-1) + 2 \\ &= 1 + 3 + 2 \\ &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = -1$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation

Therefore, from the above results we find out that $x = 2$ is a solution and $x = -1$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation.

(ii) We have been given that,

$$x^2 + x + 1 = 0, x = 0, x = 1$$

Now if $x = 0$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = 0$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + x + 1 &= (0)^2 + (0) + 1 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = 0$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation given

Also, if $x = 1$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = 1$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + x + 1 &= (1)^2 + (1) + 1 \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = 1$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation.

Therefore, from the above results we find out that both $x = 0$ and $x = -1$ are not a solution of the quadratic equation given.

(iii) We have been given that,

$$x^2 - 3\sqrt{3}x + 6 = 0, x = \sqrt{3}, x = -2\sqrt{3}$$

Now if $x = \sqrt{3}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = \sqrt{3}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 3\sqrt{3}x + 6 &= (\sqrt{3})^2 - 3\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3}) + 6 \\ &= 3 - 9 + 6 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = \sqrt{3}$ is a solution of the quadratic equation.

Also, if $x = -2\sqrt{3}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation

So, substituting $x = -2\sqrt{3}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 - 3\sqrt{3} + 6 &= (2\sqrt{3})^2 - 3\sqrt{3}(2\sqrt{3}) + 6 \\&= 12 - 18 + 6 \\&= 0\end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = -2\sqrt{3}$ is a solution of the quadratic equation.

Therefore, from the above results we find out that $x = \sqrt{3}$ is a solution and $x = -2\sqrt{3}$ is a solution of the quadratic equation given.

(iv) We have been given that,

$$\begin{aligned}x + \frac{1}{x} &= \frac{13}{6} \\x + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{13}{6} &= 0, x = \frac{5}{6}, x = \frac{4}{3}\end{aligned}$$

Now if $x = \frac{5}{6}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = \frac{5}{6}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}x + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{13}{6} &= \left(\frac{5}{6}\right) + \frac{6}{5} - \frac{13}{6} \\&= \frac{25 + 36 - 65}{30} \\&= \frac{-4}{30}\end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = \frac{5}{6}$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation.

Also, if $x = \frac{4}{3}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation

So, substituting $x = \frac{4}{3}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}x + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{13}{6} &= \frac{4}{3} + \frac{3}{4} - \frac{13}{6} \\&= \frac{16 + 9 - 26}{12} \\&= \frac{-1}{12}\end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = \frac{4}{3}$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation.

Therefore, from the above results we find out that both $x = \frac{5}{6}$ and $x = \frac{4}{3}$ are not solutions of the quadratic equation given.

(v) We have been given that,

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

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

Now if $x = 2$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation

So, substituting $x = 2$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 - 5x + 6 &= (2)^2 - 5(2) + 6 \\&= 10 - 10 \\&= 0\end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = 2$ is a solution of the quadratic equation given.

Also, if $x = 3$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = 3$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 - 5x + 6 &= (3)^2 - 5(3) + 6 \\&= 15 - 15 \\&= 0\end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = 3$ is a solution of the quadratic equation.

Therefore, from the above results we find out that both $x = 2$ and $x = 3$ are solutions of the quadratic equation given.

(vi) We have been given that,

$$x^2 - \sqrt{2}x - 4 = 0, x = -\sqrt{2}, x = -2\sqrt{2}$$

Now if $x = -\sqrt{2}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = -\sqrt{2}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - \sqrt{2}x - 4 &= (-\sqrt{2})^2 - \sqrt{2}(-\sqrt{2}) - 4 \\ &= 2 + 2 - 4 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = -\sqrt{2}$ is a solution of the quadratic equation.

Also, if $x = -2\sqrt{2}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = -2\sqrt{2}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - \sqrt{2}x - 4 &= (-2\sqrt{2})^2 - \sqrt{2}(-2\sqrt{2}) - 4 \\ &= 8 + 4 - 4 \\ &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = -2\sqrt{2}$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation.

Therefore, from the above results we find out that $x = -\sqrt{2}$ is a solution but $x = -2\sqrt{2}$ is not a solution of the given quadratic equation.

(vii) We have been given that,

$$a^2x^2 - 3abx + 2b^2 = 0, x = \frac{a}{b}, x = \frac{b}{a}$$

Now if $x = \frac{a}{b}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation.

So, substituting $x = \frac{a}{b}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} a^2x^2 - 3abx + 2b^2 &= a^2\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^2 - 3ab\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) + 2b^2 \\ &= \frac{a^4 - 3a^2b^2 + 2b^4}{b^2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = \frac{a}{b}$ is not a solution of the quadratic equation.

Also, if $x = \frac{b}{a}$ is a solution of the equation then it should satisfy the equation

So, substituting $x = \frac{b}{a}$ in the equation, we get

$$\begin{aligned} a^2x^2 - 3abx + 2b^2 &= a^2\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 3ab\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) + 2b^2 \\ &= b^2 - 3b^2 + 2b^2 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $x = \frac{b}{a}$ is a solution of the quadratic equation.

Therefore, from the above results we find out that $x = \frac{a}{b}$ is not a solution and $x = \frac{b}{a}$ is a solution of the quadratic equation given.

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