

## Polynomials Ex 2.3 Q10

#### Answer:

We know that if  $x = \alpha$  is a zero of a polynomial, and then  $x - \alpha$  is a factor of f(x).

Since  $\sqrt{2}$  and  $-\sqrt{2}$  are zeros of f(x).

Therefore

$$(x+\sqrt{2})(x-\sqrt{2}) = x^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$=x^2-2$$

=  $x^2-2$  $x^2-2$  is a factor of f(x). Now, we divide  $2x^4+7x^3-19x^2-14x+30$  by  $g(x)=x^2-2$  to find the zero of f(x)

$$\begin{array}{r}
2x^{2} + 7x - 15 \\
x^{2} - 2) + 2x^{4} + 7x^{3} - 19x^{2} - 14x + 30 \\
\underline{+ 2x^{4} + 0 - 4x^{2}} \\
+ 2x^{4} - 15x^{2} - 14x \\
\underline{- 15x^{2} + 30} \\
- 15x^{2} + 30 \\
\underline{- 15x^{2} + 30} \\
0
\end{array}$$

By using division algorithm we have  $f(x) = g(x) \times q(x) - r(x)$ 

$$2x^4 + 7x^3 - 19x^2 - 14x + 30 = (x^2 - 2)(2x^2 + 7x - 15) + 0$$

$$2x^4 + 7x^3 - 19x^2 - 14x + 30 = \left(x + \sqrt{2}\right)\left(x - \sqrt{2}\right)\left(2x^2 + 10x - 3x - 15\right)$$

$$2x^4 + 7x^3 - 19x^2 - 14x + 30 = \left(x + \sqrt{2}\right)\left(x - \sqrt{2}\right)\left[2x(x+5) - 3(x+5)\right]$$

$$2x^4 + 7x^3 - 19x^2 - 14x + 30 = \left(x + \sqrt{2}\right)\left(x - \sqrt{2}\right)\left(2x - 3\right)\left(x + 5\right)$$

Hence, the zeros of the given polynomial are  $-\sqrt{2}, +\sqrt{2}, \frac{+3}{2}, -5$ 

# Polynomials Ex 2.3 Q11

## Answer:

We know that if  $x = \alpha$  is a zero of a polynomial, and then  $x - \alpha$  is a factor of f(x).

Since  $\sqrt{3}$  and  $-\sqrt{3}$  are zeros of f(x).

Therefore

$$\left(x+\sqrt{3}\right)\left(x-\sqrt{3}\right) = x^2 - 3$$

$$=x^2-3$$

 $x^2-3$  is a factor of f(x). Now, we divide  $2x^3+x^2-6x-3$  by  $g(x)=x^2-3$  to find the other zeros of f(x)

$$\begin{array}{r}
2x+1 \\
x^2-3 + 2x^5 + x^2 - 6x - 3 \\
+ 2x^5 - 0 - 6x \\
+ x^2 + 0 - x \\
- x^5 + x^5 + 0 - x^5
\end{array}$$

By using division algorithm we have  $f(x) = g(x) \times q(x) - r(x)$ 

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

$$2x^3 + x^2 - 6x - 3 = (x^2 + \sqrt{3})(x - \sqrt{3})(2x + 1)$$

Hence, the zeros of the given polynomial are  $-\sqrt{3}, +\sqrt{3}, \frac{-1}{2}$ 

Polynomials Ex 2.3 Q12

### Answer:

We know that if  $x = \alpha$  is a zero of a polynomial, and then  $x - \alpha$  is a factor of f(x).

Since  $\sqrt{2}$  and  $-\sqrt{2}$  are zeros of f(x).

Therefore

$$(x+\sqrt{2})(x-\sqrt{2}) = x^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$=x^2-2$$

 $=x^2-2$   $x^2-2 \text{ is a factor of } f(x).\text{Now, we divide } x^3+3x^2-2x-6 \text{ by } g(x)=x^2-2 \text{ to find the other zeros}$ of f(x).

$$\begin{array}{c}
x+3 \\
x^2-2 + \cancel{x} + 3x^2 - \cancel{2}x - 6 \\
+ \cancel{x} - 0 - \cancel{2}x \\
+ \cancel{3}x^2 - \cancel{6} \\
- \cancel{2}x - \cancel{6} \\
0
\end{array}$$

By using division algorithm we have  $f(x) = g(x) \times q(x) - r(x)$ 

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

Hence, the zeros of the given polynomials are  $\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\sqrt{2}$ , and  $\sqrt{3}$ 

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