

2.1.1 Roots of a quadratic equation

A) Algorithm

1: Start

2: Read the coefficients a, b, and c

3: Calculate the discriminant

$$D = b^2 - 4ac$$

4: Check the value of D

- If $D > 0$

- Calculate
- $root1 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{D}}{2a}$
- $root2 = \frac{-b - \sqrt{D}}{2a}$
- Display root1 and root2 (real and different)

- Else if $D = 0$

- Calculate
- $root = \frac{-b}{2a}$
- Display $root1 = root2 = root$ (real and equal)

- Else ($D < 0$)

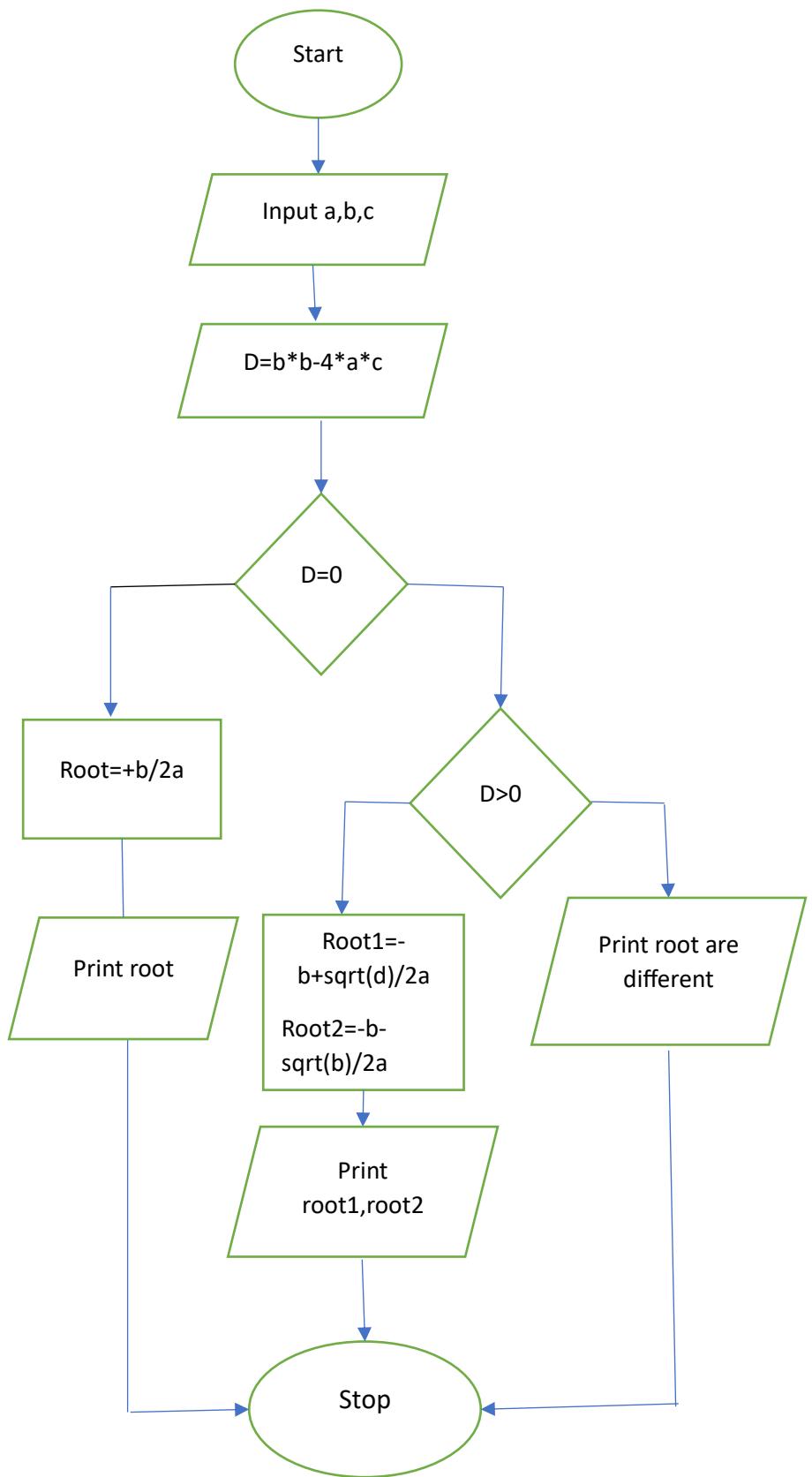
- Calculate
- $real = \frac{-b}{2a}$
- $imag = \frac{\sqrt{-D}}{2a}$
- Display
 $root1 = real + imag i$
 $root2 = real - imag i$ (imaginary roots)

5: Stop

B) code

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a, b, c = map(float, input().split())
D = b*b - 4*a*c
if D > 0:
    sqrtD = D ** 0.5
    root1 = (-b + sqrtD) / (2*a)
    root2 = (-b - sqrtD) / (2*a)
    print(f"root1 = {root1:.2f}")
    print(f"root2 = {root2:.2f}")
elif D == 0:
    root = -b / (2*a)
    print(f"root1 = root2 = {root:.2f}")
else:
    sqrtD = (-D) ** 0.5
    real = -b / (2*a)
    imag = sqrtD / (2*a)
    print(f"root1 = {real:.2f}+{imag:.2f}i")
    print(f"root2 = {real:.2f}-{imag:.2f}i")
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C) Flowchart



D)output

The screenshot shows a CodeTantra IDE interface with the following details:

- Title Bar:** CODETANTRA Home
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- Section Title:** 2.1. Roots of a Quadratic Equation
- Description:** Write a program to find the roots of a quadratic equation, given its coefficients a , b , and c . Use the quadratic formula:
$$\frac{(-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})}{2a}$$
- Text:** The discriminant $D = b^2 - 4ac$ determines the nature of the roots:
 - If $D > 0$: Roots are real and different
 - If $D = 0$: Roots are real and the same
 - If $D < 0$: Roots are imaginary
- Input Format:** Three space-separated integers representing the coefficients a , b , and c , respectively.
- Output Format:**
 - If roots are real and different, print:
- Code Editor:** A code editor window titled "quadratic..." containing Python code to calculate the roots based on the discriminant D .
- Test Cases:** A section labeled "Sample Test Cases" with a "+" button.

