

TCS Quadratic Equation

QUADRATIC EQUATION – ZERO to HERO

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(discriminant)

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 $x = 2 \& 3 \checkmark$

$x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$
 $x = 3 \& 3 \checkmark$

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* 1. $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$] Quad
 \Rightarrow roots = $\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{D}}{2a}$

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

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

$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{(-5)}{1} = 5$

$\alpha \beta = 6$

* 2. $ax^2 + bx + c = 0 \begin{array}{l} \nearrow \alpha \\ \searrow \beta \end{array}$
[Sum of roots = $\alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a}$
Product of roots = $\alpha \beta = \frac{c}{a}$]

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Basics

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II. $y^2 - 11y + 24 = 0$

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roots

3×3

$-3, -3$

clear

roots = $\frac{+3}{\text{Coeff } x^2}, \frac{+3}{\text{Coeff of } x^2} = \frac{+3}{1}, \frac{+3}{1}$
 $(+3, +3)$

$y^2 - 11y + 24 = 0$

$2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3$

$-8, -3$

root

roots = $+8, +3$

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$a x^2 + b x + c = 0$
 8. $8x^2 + 26x + 15 = 0$

$AC = 8 \times 15$

$= (2 \times 2) \times 2 \times 3 \times 5$
 $+20, +6$

roots: $-\frac{20}{8}, -\frac{6}{8}$
 $= -\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{4}$

$4y^2 + 24y + 35 = 0$

$AC = 4 \times 35$

$= 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 7$
 $14, 10$

roots: $-\frac{14}{4}, -\frac{10}{4}$
 $= -\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{5}{2}$ ✓

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$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$
 $6x^2 + 77x + 121 = 0$

$Ac = 6 \times 121$

$2 \times 3 \times 11 \times 11$
 $66, 11$

roots: $\left. \begin{matrix} -\frac{66}{6}, -\frac{11}{6} \\ -11, -11/6 \end{matrix} \right\} \checkmark$

$ax^2 - bx + c = 0$ [roots +ve]

$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ [roots -ve]

$y^2 + 9y - 22 = 0$ $Ac =$

$Ac = 22 = 2 \times 11$
 $+11, -2$

roots: $-11, +2$



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I. $x^2 - (1 + \sqrt{2})x + \sqrt{2} = 0$

II. $y^2 - 3y + 2 = 0$

Noise! \checkmark
 $x^2 - (1 + \sqrt{2})x + \sqrt{2} = 0$
 $(x^2 - x)(\sqrt{2}x + \sqrt{2}) = 0$
 $x(x-1) - \sqrt{2}(x-1) = 0$
 $(x - \sqrt{2})(x-1) = 0$
 $x = \sqrt{2}, 1$
 $x - \sqrt{2} = 0$
 $x = \sqrt{2}$
 $x - 1 = 0$
 $x = 1$

$y^2 - 3y + 2 = 0$ (roots)

$ax^2 - bx + c = 0$ [roots +ve]

$Ac = 1 \times 2$

$-1, -2$

roots: $1, 2$ \checkmark

(Slow) ??
 Increase



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a. find the roots of the equation.

SSm
 1 min

$x^2 - 8\sqrt{3}x + 45 = 0$

$Ac = 45 = 3 \times 3 \times 5$

$3 = \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}$

$\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3} \times 3 \times 5$

$-3\sqrt{3}, -5\sqrt{3}$

roots: $+3\sqrt{3}, +5\sqrt{3}$ \checkmark



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Q. If p and q are the roots of the equation.

$$x^2 + px + q = 0 \text{ then } ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$x^2 + p'x + q = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x - 2 + 1 = 0 \\ -4 + 1 \\ -3x \end{bmatrix}$$

a. $p=1, q=-2$

b. $p=0, q=2$

c. $p=-2, q=0$

d. $p=-2, q=1$

Sum of roots

$$p+q = -p$$

$$2p+q=0$$

$$2 \times 1 - 2 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

clear



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Q. If α and β are the roots of the equation $x^2 - 21x + 4 = 0$, then find

$\sqrt{\alpha} + \sqrt{\beta} = \textcircled{5} \quad \checkmark$

$$\sqrt{\alpha} + \sqrt{\beta} = x$$

$$\alpha + \beta = 21$$

$$\alpha\beta = 4$$

Square

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

$$2\sqrt{\alpha\beta}$$

$$2\sqrt{4}$$

$$2 \times 2$$

$$\alpha + \beta + 2\sqrt{\alpha\beta} = x^2$$

$$21 + 4 = x^2$$

$$25 = x^2$$

$$x = 5$$

$$\textcircled{-5}$$



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$$\frac{14 \pm \sqrt{244}}{2}$$

$$\frac{14 \pm 2\sqrt{61}}{2}$$

$$7 \pm \sqrt{61}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \checkmark 2 + \frac{2x+2}{3x} \quad \boxed{\text{1min}} \\ & = \frac{2 + \frac{2x+2}{3x}}{3} \\ & = \frac{6x + 2x + 2}{9x} = \frac{8x+2}{9x} \\ & \left| \begin{array}{l} \frac{8x+2}{9x} \times \frac{4+x}{2+6} \\ \text{So } 36x + 9x^2 = 8x^2 + 48x + 2x + 12 \\ = x^2 - 14x - 12 = 0 \\ \therefore \frac{14 \pm \sqrt{196 + 4 \times 1}}{2 \times 1} \end{array} \right. \end{aligned}$$



QUADRATIC EQUATION – ZERO to HERO

Question No. 3

Note: You cannot revisit this question upon completing. Please take a test run to answer to pre-assessment level without recording the time.

If α, β are the roots of the quadratic equation, $px^2 + qx + r = 0$, then $(\alpha^5\beta^8 + \alpha^8\beta^5)$ is equal to

☐ $\frac{qr^5}{p^8} (3pr - q^2)$
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Handwritten solution:

$$\alpha + \beta = -\frac{q}{p}, \quad \alpha\beta = -\frac{r}{p}$$

$$\alpha^5\beta^8 + \alpha^8\beta^5 = \alpha^5\beta^5(\beta^3 + \alpha^3)$$

$$\alpha^5\beta^5[(\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3\alpha\beta(\alpha + \beta)]$$

$$\alpha^5\beta^5\left[-\frac{q^3}{p^3} - 3\left(-\frac{r}{p}\right)\left(-\frac{q}{p}\right)\right]$$

$$= \alpha^5\beta^5\left[\frac{-q^3 + 3prq}{p^3}\right]$$

$$\frac{q\alpha^5\beta^5[-q^3 + 3prq]}{p^3}$$

$$\frac{q\alpha^5\beta^5(3pr - q^2)}{p^3 p^3}$$

$$\frac{q\alpha^5\beta^5(3pr - q^2)}{p^8}$$



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If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$, then $\left(\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma}\right)(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) =$

Enter the answer in the space provided on the screen using the on-screen keyboard. Answer should be in whole %, kms, ms, ₹ etc.)

15 I 8

1 word typed

Handwritten solution:

$$\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma} = \frac{\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma}{\alpha\beta\gamma}$$

$$\frac{-4}{-1} = 4$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = -\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{2}{1} = -2$$

$$4 \times -2 = -8$$

$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = -\frac{b}{a} = \text{sum of roots} = -\frac{2}{1}$
 $\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = \frac{c}{a} = \text{sum of product of the roots} = \frac{-4}{1}$
 $\alpha\beta\gamma = -\frac{d}{a} = \text{product of the roots} = -\frac{-1}{1} = 1$



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Q. clear off-camps

If α and β are the roots of $x^2 + x + 2 = 0$, then $\frac{\alpha^{10} + \beta^{10}}{\alpha^{-10} + \beta^{-10}}$ is equal to:

(a) 4096 (b) 2048 (c) 1024 (d) 512

Handwritten solution:

$$\alpha\beta = 2/1$$

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

$$\frac{\alpha^{10} + \beta^{10}}{\alpha^{-10} + \beta^{-10}} = \frac{\alpha^{10} + \beta^{10}}{\frac{1}{\alpha^{10}} + \frac{1}{\beta^{10}}}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha^{10} + \beta^{10}}{\frac{\alpha^{10}\beta^{10} + \beta^{10}\alpha^{10}}{\alpha^{10}\beta^{10}}}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha^{10} + \beta^{10}}{\frac{2^{10} + 2^{10}}{2^{10}}}$$

$$= \frac{2^{10} + 2^{10}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 2^{10}}{2} = 2^{10} = 1024$$


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Q. If the roots of the equation $x^2 + (3k-36)x + k^2 - 24k + 144 = 0$ are reciprocal to each other, then find the value of k ;

- a. $k = 11$ or $k = 13$
- b. $k = -11$ or $k = -13$
- c. $k = 12$
- d. $k = -12$

$$ax^2 + bx + c$$

$$x^2 + (3k-36)x + k^2 - 24k + 144 = 0$$

$$\sqrt{3 \times \frac{1}{3} = 1}$$

$$\sqrt{x \times \frac{1}{x} = 1}$$

Product of roots = c/a

$$1 = \frac{k^2 - 24k + 144}{1}$$

$$k^2 - 24k + 144 = 0$$

$-11, -13$
roots, $+11, +13$



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Q. If the root of the equation $3ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$ are in the ratio of $2:3$, then;

- a. $8ac = 25b$
- b. $8ac = 9b^2$
- c. $8b^2 = 9ac$
- d. $8b^2 = 25ac$

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

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 3x \end{pmatrix}$$

Sum of roots: $(2x + 3x) = \frac{-2b}{3a}$

$$5x = \frac{-2b}{3a} \Rightarrow x = \frac{-2b}{15a}$$

$$2x \cdot 3x = \frac{c}{3a}$$

$$2 \cdot 6 \times \frac{4b^2}{25a^2} = \frac{c}{3a}$$

Test series clear

$$8b^2 = 25ac$$



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Q. A man born in 1900s realized that in 1980 his age was the square root of the year of his birth. What is his birth year;

- a. 1929
- b. 1949
- c. 1936
- d. 1946

Interesting problems

1980 = age

$$1980 - 60 = 1920$$

clear

$$1980 = x$$

Square

$$x = \sqrt{1980 - x}$$

$$x^2 = 1980 - x$$

$$x^2 + x - 1980 = 0$$

45, -44

roots = -45, +44

1980

2	1980
2	990
3	495
3	165
5	55
	11



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Q. If the equation $x^2 - 4x + 5 = 0$ and $x^2 + ax + b = 0$ have a common root find a and b?
Fill the answer in box below.

$$a = -4, b = 5$$

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roots

$$D < 0$$

1m $2+i, 2-i$
 $x^2 - 4x + 5 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} D &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= (-4)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 5 \\ &= 16 - 20 \\ &= -4 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{b_1}{b_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2}$$
$$\frac{1}{1} = \frac{-4}{a} = \frac{5}{b}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= -4 \\ b &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

