

SET 5

1. **Multiple Correct Choice:** If the equation $ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$ and $x^2 + 2r^2x + 1 = 0$ we have one common root and a,b,c are in A.P ($r^2 \neq 1$), then the roots of the equation $x^2 + 2r^2x + 1 = 0$ are
 - (a) $\frac{-a}{c}$
 - (b) $\frac{-c}{a}$
 - (c) $\frac{b}{a}$
 - (d) $\frac{a}{b}$
2. **Multiple Correct Choice:** If $x^2 - 2x + \sin^\theta = 0$, then x may lie in the set
 - 1,1
 - 0,2
 - 2,2
 - 1,2
3. **Multiple Correct Choice:** If β is one root of the equation $4y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$, then the other root is
 - (a) $\frac{1}{2} - \beta$
 - (b) $\frac{-1}{2} - \beta$
 - (c) $4\beta^3 + 3\beta$
 - (d) $4\beta^3 - 3\beta$
4. **Multiple Correct Choice:** Let a,b be two distinct roots of $x^4 + x^3 - 1 = 0$ and $p(x) = x^6 + x^4 + x^3 - x^2 - 1$
 - (a) ab is a root of $p(x) = 0$
 - (b) a+b is a root of $p(x) = 0$
 - (c) both a+b and ab are roots of $p(x) = 0$
 - (d) none of ab,a+b is a root of $p(x) = 0$
5. **Multiple Correct Choice:** Let a,b,c be the sides of an obtuse angled triangle with $\angle C > \frac{\pi}{2}$. The equation $a^2x^2 + (b^2 + a^2 - c^2)x + b^2 = 0$ has
 - (a) two positive roots
 - (b) one positive and one negative root
 - (c) two real roots
 - (d) two imaginary roots.
6. **Multiple Correct Choice:** Let β be repeated root of $p(x)$ $x^3 + 3ax^2 + 3bx + c = 0$ then

(a) β is a root of $x^2 + 2ax + b = 0$

(b) $\beta = \frac{c - ab}{2(a^2 - b)}$

(c) $\beta = \frac{ab - c}{a^2 - b}$

(d) β is a root of $ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$

7. **Multiple Correct Choice:** If n is an even number and α, β are the roots of equation $x^2 + px + q = 0$ and also of equation $x^{2n} + p^n x^n + q^n = 0$ and $f(x) = \frac{(1+x)^n}{1+x^n}$, then $f\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right) =$ (where $\alpha^n + \beta^n \neq 0, p \neq 0$)

(a) 0

(b) 1

(c) -1

(d) none of these

8. **Comprehension Type:** Suppose two quadratic equations $p_1x^2 + q_1x + r_1 = 0$ and $p_2x^2 + q_2x + r_2 = 0$ have a common root β , then $p_1\beta^2 + q_1\beta + r_1 = 0$(a) and $p_2\beta^2 + q_2\beta + r_2 = 0$(b) Eliminating β using cross multiplication method gives us the condition for a common root. Solving two equations simultaneously, the common root can be obtained. Now consider three quadratic equations, $x^2 - 2ab_mx + t = 0; m = 1, 2, 3$ Given that each pair has exactly one root common.

(a) The common root between the equations obtained by $m = 1$ and $m = 3$ is

i. $-\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$ or $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$

ii. $-\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$ or $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

iii. $-\sqrt{6}$ or $\sqrt{6}$

iv. 1

(b) The sum of all the three roots is equal to

i. 0 or $\sqrt{6}$

ii. $\frac{11}{\sqrt{6}}$ or $-\frac{11}{\sqrt{6}}$

iii. $\frac{11}{\sqrt{6}}$ or $-\sqrt{11}$

iv. 0 or $\pm \frac{11}{\sqrt{6}}$

(c) The number of the triplets (b_1, b_2, b_3) for which such equations exist is

i. 2

ii. 3

iii. C_2^6

iv. infinite

9. **Subjective:** Find the value of $x \log_{2x+3}(6x^2 + 23x + 21) + \log_{3x+7}(4x^2 + 12x + 9) = 4$

10. **Subjective:** Solve the equation $x^4 + 4x^3 + 6x^2 + 4x + 5 = 0$ Given that its one root is i.
11. **Subjective:** Find the condition that the roots of the equation $x^3 - px^2 + qx - r = 0$ may be in AP hence solve the equation $x^3 - 12x^2 + 39x - 28 = 0$
12. **Subjective:** Show that the following equation can have atmost one real root. $3x^5 - 5x^3 + 21x + 3\sin x + 4\cos x + 5 = 0$
13. **Subjective:** Let a,b,c be positive integers. Consider the class of quadratic equations $ax^2 - bx + c = 0$ having two distinct real roots in the open interval (0,1). Find the least positive integral value of a for such equation.
14. **Subjective:** Find the set of all real a such that $5a^2 - 3a - 2, a^2 + a - 2, ; 2a^2 + a - 1$ are the lengths of sides of triangle.
15. **Subjective:** If $x \in R$ prove that the maximum value of $2(a-x)(x + \sqrt{x^2 + b^2})$ is $a^2 + b^2$
16. **Subjective:** For what values of the parameter a, the equation $x^4 + 2ax^3 + x^2 + 2ax + 1 = 0$ has at least two distinct negative roots.