

# Chapter 5 Quadratic Equations in One Variable Ex 5.1

ML Aggarwal Class 10 Solutions for ICSE Maths Chapter 5 Quadratic Equations in One Variable Ex 5.1

Question 1.

Check whether the following are quadratic equations:

(i)  $3 - \sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 35} = 0$

(ii)  $(2x + 1)(3x - 2) = 6(x + 1)(x - 2)$

(iii)  $(x - 3)^3 + 5 = x^3 + 7x^2 - 1$

(iv)  $x - 3x = 2, x \neq 0$

(v)  $x + 2x = x^2, x \neq 0$

(vi)  $x^2 + 1x^2 = 3, x \neq 0$

Solution:

$$(i) \sqrt{3}x^2 - 2x + \frac{3}{5} = 0$$

It is a quadratic equation as it is power of 2.

$$(ii) (2x + 1)(3x - 2) = 6(x + 1)(x - 2)$$

$$6x^2 - 4x + 3x - 2 = 6(x^2 - 2x + x - 2)$$

$$6x^2 - x - 2 = 6x^2 - 12x + 6x - 12$$

$$12x - 6x - x = -12 + 2$$

$$5x = -10$$

It is not a quadratic equation.

$$(iii) (x - 3)^3 + 5 = x^3 + 7x^2 - 1$$

$$x^3 - 3x^2 \times 3 + 3x \times 9 - 27 + 5 = x^3 + 7x^2 - 1$$

$$-9x^2 + 27x - 22 - 7x^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$-16x^2 + 27x - 21 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x^2 - 27x + 21 = 0$$

It is a quadratic equation.

$$(iv) x - \frac{3}{x} = 2, x \neq 0$$

$$x^2 - 3 = 2x \Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0$$

It is a quadratic equation.

$$(v) x + \frac{2}{x} = x^2, x \neq 0$$

$$x^2 + 2 = x^3 \Rightarrow x^3 - x^2 - 2 = 0$$

It is not a quadratic equation.

$$(vi) x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = 3, x \neq 0$$

$$x^4 + 6 = 3x^2$$

$$x^4 - 3x^2 + 6 = 0$$

It is not a quadratic equation.

Question 2.

In each of the following, determine whether the given numbers are roots of the given equations or not;

(i)  $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$ ; 1, -1

(ii)  $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ ; 2, -3

(iii)  $3x^2 - 13x - 10 = 0$ ; 5, -23

(iv)  $6x^2 - x - 2 = 0$ ; -12, 23

Solution:

(i)  $x^2 - x + 1 = 0$ ; 1, -1

Where  $x = 1$ , then

$$(1)^2 - 1 + 1 = 1 - 1 + 1 = 1 \neq 0$$

$\therefore x = 1$  does not satisfy it

and  $(-1)^2 - (-1) + 1 = 0$

$$1 + 1 + 1 \Rightarrow 3 \neq 0$$

$\therefore x = -1$ , does not satisfy it

$\therefore x = 1, -1$  are not roots of the equation.

(ii)  $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ ; 2, -3

When  $x = 2$ , then

$$(2)^2 - 5 \times 2 + 6 = 4 - 10 + 6 = 10 - 10 = 0$$

$\therefore x = 2$  is its root.

Where,  $x = -3$ , then

$$(-3)^2 - 5(-3) + 6$$

$$= 9 + 15 + 6 = 30 \neq 0$$

$\therefore x = -3$  is not its solution

$\therefore 2$  is root of the equation by  $-3$  is not a root.

$$(iii) 3x^2 - 13x - 10 = 0; 5, \frac{-2}{3}$$

$$x = 5,$$

$$3(5)^2 - 13 \times 5 - 10 = 75 - 65 - 10$$

$$= 75 - 75 = 0$$

$\therefore x = 5$  is its root

$$\text{If } x = \frac{-2}{3}, \text{ then}$$

$$3\left(\frac{-2}{3}\right)^2 - 13 \times \frac{-2}{3} - 10$$

$$= \frac{3 \times 4}{9} + \frac{26}{3} - 10$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} + \frac{26}{3} - 10 = \frac{30}{3} - 10 = 10 - 10 = 0$$

$\therefore x = \frac{-2}{3}$  is also its root.

Hence both  $5, \frac{-2}{3}$  are its roots.

$$(iv) 6x^2 - x - 2 = 0; \frac{-1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$$

If  $x = \frac{-1}{2}$ , then

$$= 6\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) - 2$$

$$= 6 \times \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} - 2 = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - 2$$

$$= \frac{4}{2} - 2 = 0$$

$\therefore x = \frac{-1}{2}$  is its root

If  $x = \frac{2}{3}$ , then

$$= 6 \times \frac{4}{9} - \frac{2}{3} - 2 = \frac{8}{3} - \frac{2}{3} - 2$$

$$= \frac{6}{3} - 2 = 0$$

$\therefore x = \frac{2}{3}$  is also its root.

Hence  $\frac{-1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$  are both its root.

Question 3.

In each of the following, determine whether the given numbers are solutions of the given equation or not:

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

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

Solution:

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

(a) Substituting the value of  $x = \sqrt{3}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{L.H.S.} &= x^2 - 3\sqrt{3}x + 6 \\ &= (\sqrt{3})^2 - 3\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3} + 6 = 3 - 9 + 6 = 0 \\ &= \text{R.H.S.}\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore x = \sqrt{3}$  is its solution

(b)  $x = -2\sqrt{3}$

Substituting  $x = -2\sqrt{3}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{L.H.S.} &= x^2 - 3\sqrt{3}x + 6 \\ &= (-2\sqrt{3})^2 - 3\sqrt{3}(-2\sqrt{3}) + 6 \\ &= 12 + 18 + 6 = 36 \neq 0\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore x = -2\sqrt{3}$  is not its solution

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

$$(a) x = -\sqrt{2}$$

Substituting  $x = -\sqrt{2}$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = x^2 - \sqrt{2}x - 4$$

$$= (-\sqrt{2})^2 - \sqrt{2}(-\sqrt{2}) - 4 = 2 + 2 - 4 = 0$$

$$= \text{R.H.S.}$$

$\therefore x = -\sqrt{2}$  is its solution

$$(b) x = -2\sqrt{2}$$

Substituting  $x = -2\sqrt{2}$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = x^2 - \sqrt{2}x - 4$$

$$= (-2\sqrt{2})^2 - \sqrt{2}(-2\sqrt{2}) - 4$$

$$= 8 - 4 - 4 = 8 - 8 = 0 = \text{R.H.S.}$$

$\therefore x = -2\sqrt{2}$  is its solution

Question 4.

(i) If  $-12$  is a solution of the equation  $3x^2 + 2kx - 3 = 0$ , find the value of  $k$ .

(ii) If  $23$  is a solution of the equation  $7x^2 + kx - 3 = 0$ , find the value of  $k$ .

Solution:

(i)  $x = -\frac{1}{2}$  is a solution of the  
 $3x^2 + 2kx - 3 = 0$ ,

Substituting the value of  $x$  in the given equation

$$3\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^2 + 2k\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) - 3 = 0$$

$$3 \times \frac{1}{4} - k - 3 = 0$$

$$\frac{3}{4} - k - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{3}{4} - 3 = -\frac{9}{4}$$

$$\text{Hence } k = -\frac{9}{4}$$



$$(ii) 7x^2 + kx - 3 = 0, x = \frac{2}{3}$$

$\therefore x = \frac{2}{3}$  is its solution

$$\therefore 7 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 + k \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 \times \frac{4}{9} + \frac{2}{3}k - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{28}{9} - 3 + \frac{2}{3}k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3}k = 3 - \frac{28}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3}k = \frac{27-28}{9} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{3}k = \frac{-1}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{-1}{9} \times \frac{3}{2} = \frac{-1}{6}$$

$$\text{Hence } k = \frac{-1}{6}$$

Question 5.

(i) If  $\sqrt{2}$  is a root of the equation  $kx^2 + \sqrt{2} - 4 = 0$ , find the value of  $k$ .

(ii) If  $a$  is a root of the equation  $x^2 - (a + b)x + k = 0$ , find the value of  $k$ .

Solution:

(i)  $kx^2 + \sqrt{2} - 4 = 0$ ,  $x = \sqrt{2}$

$x = \sqrt{2}$  is its solution

$$\therefore k (\sqrt{2})^2 + \sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2} - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k + 2 - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

$$\therefore k = 1$$

(ii)  $x^2 - x(a + b) + k = 0$ ,  $x = a$

$\therefore x = a$  is its solution

$$\therefore (a)^2 - a(a + b) + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - a^2 - ab + k = 0 \Rightarrow -ab + k = 0$$

$$\therefore k = ab$$

Question 6.

If 23 and -3 are the roots of the equation  $px^2 + 7x + q = 0$ , find the values of p and q.

Solution:

$\frac{2}{3}$  and  $-3$  are the roots of the equation  $px^2 + 7x + q = 0$

Substituting the value of  $x = \frac{2}{3}$  and  $-3$  respectively, we get

$$p\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 + 7\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) + q = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{9}p + \frac{14}{3} + q = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4p + 42 + 9q = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4p + 9q = -42 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } p(-3)^2 + 7(-3) + q = 0$$

$$9p - 21 + q = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9p + q = 21 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$q = 21 - 9p$$

Substituting the value of  $q$  in (i)

$$4p + 9(21 - 9p) = -42$$

$$4p + 189 - 81p = -42$$

$$-77p = -42 - 189 = -231$$

$$p = \frac{-231}{-77} = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore q &= 21 - 9 \times 3 \\ &= 21 - 27 = -6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore p = 3, q = -6$$