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* Given section consists of questions of 3 marks each.

1. If α and β are the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = 6x^2 + x - 2$, find the value of $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$
2. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$, find evaluate: $a\left(\frac{\alpha^2}{\beta} + \frac{\beta^2}{\alpha}\right) + b\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}\right)$
3. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 + px + q$, find a quadratic polynomial whose zeroes are:
 - i. $\alpha + 2, \beta + 2$
 - ii. $\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha+1}, \frac{\beta-1}{\beta+1}$.
4. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial such that $\alpha + \beta = 24$ and $\alpha - \beta = 8$, find a quadratic polynomial have α and β as its zeroes.
5. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 - x - 2$, find the value of $\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\beta}$
6. If one zero of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = 4x^2 - 8kx - 9$ is negative of the other, find the value of k .
7. Find the zeros of the following quadratic polynomial and verify the relationship between the zeros and their coefficients:
 $p(x) = x^2 + 2\sqrt{2}x - 6$
8. If α and β are the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $f(t) = t^2 - 4t + 3$, find the value of $\alpha^4\beta^3 + \alpha^3\beta^4$.
9. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $p(s) = 3s^2 - 6s + 4$, find the value of $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} + 2\left(\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}\right) + 3\alpha\beta$.
10. For what value of k , is -2 a zero of the polynomial $3x^2 + 4x + 2k$?
11. If α and β are the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 - p(x+1) - c$, show that $(\alpha+1)(\beta+1) = 1 - c$
12. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$, then evaluate:
 $\frac{1}{a\alpha+b} + \frac{1}{a\beta+b}$
13. For the following, find a quadratic polynomial whose sum and product respectively of the zeroes are as given. Also, find the zeroes of these polynomials by factorization.
 $-\frac{8}{3}, \frac{4}{3}$
14. For what value of k , is -3 a zero of the polynomial $x^2 + 11x + k$?
15. If 1 is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = ax^2 - 3(a-1)x - 1$, then find the value of a .
16. If α and β are the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $p(x) = 4x^2 - 5x - 1$, find the value of $\alpha^2\beta + \alpha\beta^2$.
17. If α and β are the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 - 1$, find a quadratic polynomial whose zeroes are $\frac{2\alpha}{\beta}$ and $\frac{2\beta}{\alpha}$.
18. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 - x - 4$, find the value of $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} - \alpha\beta$
19. If the sum of the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $f(t) = kt^2 + 2t + 3k$ is equal to their product, find the value of k .
20. Given that $\sqrt{2}$ is a zero of the cubic polynomial $6x^3 + \sqrt{2}x^2 - 10x - 4\sqrt{2}$, find its other two zeroes.
21. Write the coefficient of the polynomial $p(z) = z^5 - 2z^2 + 4$.
22. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 - 5x + 4$, find the value of $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} - 2\alpha\beta$.
23. Apply division algorithm to find the quotient $q(x)$ and remainder $r(x)$ in dividing $f(x)$ by $g(x)$ in the following:
 $f(x) = 4x^3 + 8x + 8x^2 + 7, g(x) = 2x^2 - x + 1$
24. For what value of k , is 3 a zero of the polynomial $2x^2 + x + k$?
25. Write the zeros of the polynomial $x^2 - x - 6$.

26. For the following, find a quadratic polynomial whose sum and product respectively of the zeroes are as given. Also, find the zeroes of these polynomials by factorization.

$$\frac{-3}{2\sqrt{5}}, -\frac{1}{2}$$

27. For the following, find a quadratic polynomial whose sum and product respectively of the zeroes are as given. Also, find the zeroes of these polynomials by factorization.

$$-2\sqrt{3}, -9$$

28. If the squared difference of the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = x^2 + px + 45$ is equal to 144, find the value of p .

29. Find the cubic polynomial with the sum, sum of the product of its zeros taken two at a time, and product of its zeros as 3, -1 and -3 respectively.

30. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $p(y) = 5y^2 - 7y + 1$, find the value of $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}$

31. What must be added to the polynomial $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 1$ so that the resulting polynomial is exactly divisible by $x^2 + 2x - 3$?

32. If $a - b$, a and b are zeros of the polynomial $f(x) = 2x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x - 7$, write the value of a .

33. For the following, find a quadratic polynomial whose sum and product respectively of the zeroes are as given. Also, find the zeroes of these polynomials by factorization.

$$\frac{21}{8}, \frac{5}{16}$$

34. If α and β are the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$, then evaluate:

$$\alpha^4 + \beta^4$$

35. Give an example of polynomials $f(x)$, $g(x)$, $q(x)$ and $r(x)$ satisfying $f(x) = g(x)$, $q(x) + r(x)$, where $\text{degree } r(x) = 0$.

36. If α, β are the zeros of the polynomial $f(x) = x^2 - 5x + k$ such that $\alpha - \beta = 1$, find the value of k .

37. Very-Short-Answer Question:

If the product of the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $x^2 - 4x + k$ is 3 then write the value of k .

38. Using remainder theorem, find the remainder when $p(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 5x + 4$ is divided by $(x - 2)$.

39. Very-Short-Answer Question:

If $(x + a)$ is a factor of $(2x^2 + 2ax + 5x + 10)$, find the value of a .

40. Find the zeros of the following quadratic polynomial and verify the relationship between the zeros and the coefficients:

$$2\sqrt{3}x^2 - 5x + \sqrt{3}$$
