

Chapter 1

Quadratic Equations

Quadratic equation in one variable

or Second degree equation: An equation of the form $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$, $a, b, c \in R$ where $a \neq 0$ is called quadratic equation. Or

An eq of degree 2 is called quadratic equation.

Solution set of the equation: The set of those values of variable for which the equation is true, is called solutions/roots set of the equation.

Roots of the equation: Those values of the variables in which the given equation is true is called roots of the equation.

Solution of Quadratic equation:

We may solve a quadratic equation by any one of the following three methods:

1. By Factorization
2. By Completing the Square
3. By the Quadratic Formula

Solution of Quadratic equation By Factorization:

In Quadratic eq $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we find out product of a (coefficient of x^2) and c (constant term) i.e. $a.c$. Then we find two numbers b_1 and b_2 such that $b_1.b_2 = a.c$ and $b_1 + b_2 = b$.

Hence $ax^2 + bx + c = ax^2 + (b_1 + b_2)x + c$ then we factorize after grouping.

Or Solution of Quadratic equation By Factorization:

1. Write the equation in standard form.
2. Factorize the equation.
3. Equate each factor to zero separately.
4. Solve equations for values of given variables.

Exp 1i). Solve $2x^2 + 2x - 11 = 1$ by factorization

Solution: we have $2x^2 + 2x - 11 = 1$

$$2x^2 + 2x - 11 - 1 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + 2x - 12 = 0 \text{ divided by 2}$$

$$x^2 + x - 6 = 0 \text{ Standard form}$$

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

$$x(x+3) - 2(x+3) = 0$$

$$(x-2)(x+3) = 0$$

$$\therefore x-2=0 \quad \text{or} \quad x+3=0$$

$$x=2 \quad \text{or} \quad x=-3$$

The solution set = $\{2, -3\}$

Exp 1ii). Solve $12t^2 = t + 1$ by factorization

Solution: we have $12t^2 = t + 1$ form

$$12t^2 - t - 1 = 0 \text{ Standard form}$$

$$12t^2 - 4t + 3t - 1 = 0$$

$$4t(3t-1) + 1(3t-1) = 0$$

$$(4t+1)(3t-1) = 0$$

$$\therefore 4t+1=0 \quad \text{or} \quad 3t-1=0$$

$$4t=-1 \quad \text{or} \quad 3t=1$$

$$t = -\frac{1}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad t = \frac{1}{3}$$

Solution set = $\left\{-\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}\right\}$

Exp 2: A ball is thrown straight up, from 3m above the ground with a velocity of 14m/s. Gravity pulls it down as 5m per square second. When does it hit the ground.

Solution: Height start at 3m = 3

With Velocity 14m/sec = $14t$

De-acceleration 5m/sec² = $-5t^2$

Add them up and height h at any time t is

$$h = 3 + 14t - 5t^2$$

And ball will hit the ground when height is zero

$$3 + 14t - 5t^2 = 0 \text{ or}$$

$$5t^2 - 14t - 3 = 0$$

$$5t^2 - 15t + t - 3 = 0$$

$$5t(t-1) + 1(t-3) = 0$$

$$(5t+1)(t-3) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } 5t+1=0 \quad \text{or} \quad t-3=0$$

$$5t=-1 \quad \text{or} \quad t=3$$

$$t = -\frac{1}{5} \text{ which is impossible}$$

Therefore ball hits the ground after time $t = 3$ sec

Solution of Quadratic equation By Completing square:

1. Write the equation in standard form.
2. Divide the equation by coefficient of x^2 (if other than 1)
3. Shift the constant to right hand side
4. Add square of half of coefficient of x both sides
5. Simplify R.H.S to make L.H.S as a perfect square.
6. Take square root on both sides & solve

Exp3: Solve $x^2 - 8x + 9 = 0$ by completing square

Solution: we have $x^2 - 8x + 9 = 0$

$$x^2 - 8x = -9$$

$$x^2 - (x)(8) = -9$$

$$x^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{8}{2}\right) = -9$$

$$x^2 - 2(x)(4) + (4)^2 = -9 + (4)^2$$

$$(x-4)^2 = -9 + 16$$

$$(x-4)^2 = 7$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{(x-4)^2} = \sqrt{7}$$

$$x-4 = \pm\sqrt{7}$$

$$x = 4 \pm \sqrt{7}$$

Solution set = $\{4 + \sqrt{7}, 4 - \sqrt{7}\}$

Solution of Quadratic equation By Formula:

1. Write the equation in standard form.
2. Take the values of a, b, c by comparing the standard equation.

Put in the formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ and solve

the R.H.S to get roots.

Derivation of Quadratic Formula

We have Quadratic equation

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0, a \neq 0$$

$$ax^2 + bx = -c \quad \text{or}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{b}{a}x = \frac{-c}{a} \quad \text{dividing by } a$$

$$x^2 + (x)\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) = \frac{-c}{a}$$

$$x^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{b}{2a}\right) = \frac{-c}{a}$$

$$x^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{b}{2a}\right) + \left(\frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 - \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 = \frac{b^2}{4a^2} - \frac{c}{a} \times \frac{4a}{4a}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 = \frac{b^2 - 4ac}{4a^2}$$

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{b}{2a}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{b^2 - 4ac}{4a^2}}$$

$$x + \frac{b}{2a} = \frac{\pm\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} \pm \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad \text{required formula}$$

Exp4: Solve $3x^2 - 6x + 2 = 0$ by quadratic formula

Solution: We have $3x^2 - 6x + 2 = 0$

By comparing with $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

Here $a = 3, b = -6, c = 2$ using

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad \text{putting the values}$$

$$x = \frac{-(-6) \pm \sqrt{(-6)^2 - 4(3)(2)}}{2(3)}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 24}}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{12}}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 3}}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm 2\sqrt{3}}{6} = \frac{2(3 \pm \sqrt{3})}{6}$$

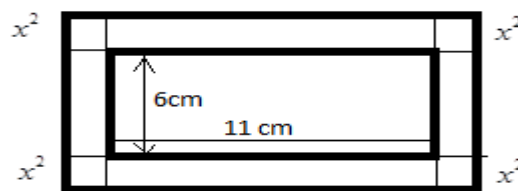
$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{3}}{3} = \frac{3}{3} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$x = 1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$\text{The solution set} = \left\{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}\right\}$$

Exp5: A company is making frames as part of a new product they are launching. The frame will be cut of a piece of steel. To keep the weight down, the final area should be 28 cm². The inside of a frame has to be 11cm by 6cm. what should the width x of a metal be?

Solution: Let width of frame = x cm



According to condition

$$\text{Length} = 11 + 2x$$

$$\text{width} = 6 + 2x$$

$$\text{So Area covered by frame} = (11 + 2x)(6 + 2x)$$

$$= 66 + 22x + 12x + 4x^2$$

$$= 66 + 34x + 4x^2$$

$$\text{Total area} = \text{Area of inside rectangle} + \text{area of frame}$$

$$= 11 \times 6 + 28$$

$$= 66 + 28$$

$$= 94$$

So, both area are equal

$$4x^2 + 34x + 66 = 94$$

$$4x^2 + 34x + 66 - 94 = 0$$

$$4x^2 + 34x - 28 = 0$$

$$2(2x^2 + 17x - 14) = 0$$

$$\text{Or } 2x^2 + 17x - 14 = 0$$

By comparing with $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

Here $a = 2, b = 17, c = -14$ using

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad \text{putting the values}$$

$$x = \frac{-(17) \pm \sqrt{(17)^2 - 4(2)(-14)}}{2(2)}$$

$$x = \frac{-17 \pm \sqrt{289 + 112}}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{-17 \pm \sqrt{401}}{4}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-17 - \sqrt{401}}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{-17 + \sqrt{401}}{4}$$

$$x = -9.3 \text{ approximate} \quad x = 0.8 \text{ approximate}$$

As distance can not be negative so

width of frame = 0.8 cm

Exercise 1.1

Q1. Solve $x^2 + 5x + 4 = 0$ by factorization

Sol: Since $a=+1, b=+5, c=+4$

$$x^2 + 5x + 4 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4x + x + 4 = 0$$

$$x(x + 4) + 1(x + 4) = 0$$

$$(x + 1)(x + 4) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } x + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{Or } x + 4 = 0$$

$$x = -1$$

$$x = -4$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{-1, -4\}$$

R.W	+	a.c
Sign of	×	Result
b		
	+	4
	×	+
4	×	1

Q1ii). Solve $(x-3)^2 = 4$ by factorization

Sol: Since $(x-3)^2 = 4$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 = 4$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 - 4 = 0$$

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

So $a = +1, b = -6, c = +5$

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

$$\text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 5$$

$$x^2 - 5x - 1x + 5 = 0$$

$$- \times -$$

$$x(x-5) - 1(x-5) = 0$$

$$5 \times 1$$

$$(x-1)(x-5) = 0$$

Either $x-1=0$ Or $x-5=0$

$$x=1$$

$$x=5$$

Solution Set = $\{1, 5\}$

Q1iii). Solve $x^2 + 3x - 10 = 0$ by factorization

Sol: Since $a = +1, b = +3, c = -10$

$$x^2 + 3x - 10 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad - \quad 10$$

$$x^2 + 5x - 2x - 10 = 0$$

$$+ \times -$$

$$x(x+5) - 2(x+5) = 0$$

$$4 \times 1$$

$$(x-2)(x+5) = 0$$

$$5 \times 2$$

Either $x-2=0$ Or $x+5=0$

$$x=2$$

$$x=-5$$

Solution Set = $\{2, -5\}$

Q1iv). Solve $6x^2 - 13x + 5 = 0$ by factorization

Sol: Since $a = +6, b = -13, c = +5$

$$6x^2 - 13x + 5 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 30$$

$$6x^2 - 10x - 3x + 5 = 0$$

$$- \times -$$

$$2x(3x-5) - 1(3x-5) = 0$$

$$12 \times 1$$

$$(2x-1)(3x-5) = 0$$

$$11 \times 2$$

$$10 \times 3$$

Either $2x-1=0$ Or $3x-5=0$

$$2x=1$$

$$3x=5$$

$$x=\frac{1}{2}$$

$$x=\frac{5}{3}$$

Solution Set = $\left\{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{3}\right\}$

Q1v) Solve $3(x^2 - 1) = 4(x+1)$ by factorization

Sol: Since $3(x^2 - 1) = 4(x+1)$

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

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

$$3x^2 - 4x - 7 = 0$$

So $a = +3, b = -4, c = -7$

$$3x^2 - 4x - 7 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad - \quad 21$$

$$3x^2 - 7x + 3x - 7 = 0$$

$$- \times +$$

$$x(3x-7) + 1(3x-7) = 0$$

$$5 \times 1$$

$$(x+1)(3x-7) = 0$$

$$6 \times 2$$

$$7 \times 3$$

Either $x+1=0$ Or $3x-7=0$

$$x=-1$$

$$3x=7$$

Solution Set = $\left\{-1, \frac{7}{3}\right\}$

$$x=\frac{7}{3}$$

1vi Solve $x(3x-5) = (x-6)(x-7)$ by factorization

Sol: Since $x(3x-5) = (x-6)(x-7)$

$$3x^2 - 5x = x^2 - 7x - 6x + 42$$

$$3x^2 - 5x = x^2 - 13x + 42$$

$$3x^2 - x^2 - 5x + 13x - 42 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + 8x - 42 = 0 \quad \text{Divided by 2}$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 21 = 0$$

So $a = +1, b = +4, c = -21$

$$x^2 + 4x - 21 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad - \quad 21$$

$$x^2 + 7x - 3x - 21 = 0$$

$$+ \times -$$

$$x(x+7) - 3(x+7) = 0$$

$$5 \times 1$$

$$(x-3)(x+7) = 0$$

$$6 \times 2$$

$$7 \times 3$$

Either $x+7=0$ Or $x-3=0$

$$x=-7$$

$$x=3$$

Solution Set = $\{3, -7\}$

Q2i). Solve $x^2 + 6x - 40 = 0$ by completing square

Sol: Since $x^2 + 6x - 40 = 0$

$$x^2 + 6x = 40$$

$$(x)^2 + (x)(6) = 40$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{6}{2}\right) = 40$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)(3) = 40$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)(3) + (3)^2 = 40 + (3)^2$$

$$(x+3)^2 = 40 + 9$$

$$(x+3)^2 = 49$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{(x+3)^2} = \pm\sqrt{49}$$

$$x+3 = \pm 7$$

$$x = -3 \pm 7$$

Either or

$$X = -3 + 7$$

$$x = -3 - 7$$

$$X = 4$$

$$x = -10$$

Solution set $\{4, -10\}$

Q2ii). Solve $x^2 - 10x + 11 = 0$ by completing square

Sol: Since $x^2 - 10x + 11 = 0$

$$x^2 - 10x = -11$$

$$(x)^2 - (x)(10) = -11$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{10}{2}\right) = -11$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)(5) = -11$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)(5) + (5)^2 = -11 + (5)^2$$

$$(x-5)^2 = -11 + 25$$

$$(x-5)^2 = 14$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{(x-5)^2} = \pm\sqrt{14}$$

$$x-5 = \pm\sqrt{14}$$

$$x = 5 \pm \sqrt{14}$$

Either $X = 5 + \sqrt{14}$ or $x = 5 - \sqrt{14}$

Solution set $\{5 + \sqrt{14}, 5 - \sqrt{14}\}$

Q2iii). Solve $4x^2 + 12x = 0$ by completing square

Sol: Since $4x^2 + 12x = 0$ Divided by 4

$$x^2 + 3x = 0$$

$$(x)^2 + (x)(3) = 0$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = 0 + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$x + \frac{3}{2} = \pm \frac{3}{2}$$

$$x = -\frac{3}{2} \pm \frac{3}{2}$$

Either

$$x = -\frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{2}$$

$$x = 0$$

or

$$x = -\frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{2}$$

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

$$\text{Solution set} = \{0, -3\}$$

Q2iv Solve $5x^2 - 10x - 840 = 0$ completing square

Sol: Since $5x^2 - 10x - 840 = 0$ Divided by 5

$$x^2 - 2x - 168 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x = 168$$

$$(x)^2 - (x)(2) = 168$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{2}{2}\right) = 168$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)(1) = 168$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)(1) + (1)^2 = 168 + (1)^2$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 168 + 1$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 169$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{(x-1)^2} = \pm \sqrt{169}$$

$$x-1 = \pm 13$$

$$x = 1 \pm 13$$

Either

$$x = 1 + 13$$

$$x = 14$$

or

$$x = 1 - 13$$

$$x = -12$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-12, 14\}$$

Q2v Solve $9x^2 - 6x + \frac{5}{9} = 0$ completing square

Sol: Since $9x^2 - 6x + \frac{5}{9} = 0$ Divided by 9

$$x^2 - \frac{6}{9}x = -\frac{5}{9 \times 9}$$

$$x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x = -\frac{5}{81}$$

$$(x)^2 - (x)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = -\frac{5}{81}$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{2}{2 \times 3}\right) = -\frac{5}{81}$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = -\frac{5}{81}$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = -\frac{5}{81} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = -\frac{5}{81} + \frac{1}{9} \times \frac{9}{9}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{-5+9}{81} = \frac{4}{81}$$

$$\sqrt{\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{4}{81}} \text{ Taking square root}$$

$$x - \frac{1}{3} = \pm \frac{2}{9}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3} \pm \frac{2}{9} = \frac{3 \pm 2}{9}$$

Either

$$x = \frac{3-2}{9}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{9}$$

or

$$x = \frac{3+2}{9}$$

$$x = \frac{5}{9}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{\frac{1}{9}, \frac{5}{9}\right\}$$

Q2vi). Solve $(x-1)(x+3) = 5(x+2) - 3$ by completing square

Sol: Since $(x-1)(x+3) = 5(x+2) - 3$

$$x^2 + 3x - x - 3 = 5x + 10 - 3$$

$$x^2 + 3x - x - 5x - 10 + 3 - 3 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 10 = 0$$

$$(x)^2 - (x)(3) = 10$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = 10 + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = 10 + \frac{9}{4} = \frac{40+9}{4}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{49}{4} \text{ Taking square root on bs}$$

$$\sqrt{\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{49}{4}}$$

$$x - \frac{3}{2} = \pm \frac{7}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2} \pm \frac{7}{2} = \frac{3 \pm 7}{2}$$

$$\text{Either } x = \frac{3-7}{2}$$

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

or

$$x = \frac{3+7}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10}{2} = 5$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-2, 5\}$$

Q3i. Solve $x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$ by quadratic formula

Sol: Since $x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$ Comparing we the general quadratic eq i.e., $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a = 1$, $b = -8$, $c = 15$

Using quadratic formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Substituting the values of a,b and c we get

$$x = \frac{-(-8) \pm \sqrt{(-8)^2 - 4(1)(15)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64 - 60}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{4}}{2} = \frac{8 \pm 2}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{8}{2} \pm \frac{2}{2} = 4 \pm 1$$

Either

or

$$x = 4 + 1 = 5$$

$$x = 4 - 1 = 3$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{5, 3\}$$

Q3ii. Solve $x^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$ by quadratic formula

Sol: Since $x^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$ Comparing with $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a = 1$, $b = -2$, $c = -4$

Using quadratic formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Substituting the values of a,b and c we get

$$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-4)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 16}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{20}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 5}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4} \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm 2\sqrt{5}}{2} = 1 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{1 + \sqrt{5}, 1 - \sqrt{5}\}$$

Q3iii. Solve $4x^2 + 3x = 0$ by quadratic formula

Sol: Since $4x^2 + 3x + 0 = 0$ Comparing with $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a = 4$, $b = 3$, $c = 0$

Using quadratic formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Substituting the values of a,b and c we get

$$x = \frac{-(3) \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(4)(0)}}{2(4)}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{(3)^2}}{8} = \frac{-3 \pm 3}{8}$$

Either

or

$$x = \frac{-3 - 3}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 + 3}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-6}{8} = \frac{-3}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{0}{8} = 0$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{-3}{4}, 0 \right\}$$

Q3iv. Solve $3x(x - 2) + 1 = 0$ by quadratic formula

Sol: Since $3x(x - 2) + 1 = 0$

$$3x^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$$

Comparing we the general quadratic equation i.e., $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a = 3$, $b = -6$, $c = 1$

Using quadratic formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Substituting the values of a,b and c we get

$$x = \frac{-(-6) \pm \sqrt{(-6)^2 - 4(3)(1)}}{2(3)}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 12}}{6} = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{24}}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 6}}{6} = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{4} \sqrt{6}}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm 2\sqrt{6}}{6} = \frac{6}{6} \pm \frac{2\sqrt{6}}{6}$$

$$x = 1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ 1 + \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}, 1 - \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} \right\}$$

Q3v. Solve $6x^2 - 17x + 12 = 0$ by quadratic formula

Sol: Since $6x^2 - 17x + 12 = 0$

Comparing we the general quadratic equation i.e., $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a = 6$, $b = -17$, $c = 12$

Using quadratic formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Substituting the values of a,b and c we get

$$x = \frac{-(-17) \pm \sqrt{(-17)^2 - 4(6)(12)}}{2(6)}$$

$$x = \frac{17 \pm \sqrt{289 - 288}}{12} = \frac{17 \pm \sqrt{1}}{12} = \frac{17 \pm 1}{12}$$

Either

or

$$x = \frac{17 - 1}{12}$$

$$x = \frac{17 + 1}{12} = \frac{18}{12}$$

$$x = \frac{16}{12} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{4}{3}, \frac{3}{2} \right\}$$

Q3vi. Solve $\frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{x}{12} = \frac{1}{24}$ by quadratic formula

Sol: Since $\frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{x}{12} = \frac{1}{24}$

Multiply each term by 24 then

$$24 \cdot \frac{x^2}{3} - 24 \cdot \frac{x}{12} = 24 \cdot \frac{1}{24}$$

$$8x^2 - 2x = 1$$

$$8x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$$

Comparing we general quadratic equation i.e., $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a = 8$, $b = -2$, $c = -1$

Using quadratic formula $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Substituting the values of a,b and c we get

$$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(8)(-1)}}{2(8)}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4+32}}{16} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{36}}{16} = \frac{2 \pm 6}{16}$$

Either

Or

$$x = \frac{2-6}{16} = \frac{-4}{16}$$

$$x = \frac{2+6}{16} = \frac{8}{16}$$

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

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ \frac{-1}{4}, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

Q4i. Find all solution of $t^2 - 8t + 7 = 0$ Solution: we have $t^2 - 8t + 7 = 0$

$$t^2 - 7t - t + 7 = 0$$

$$t(t-7) - 1(t-7) = 0$$

$$(t-1)(t-7) = 0$$

$$t-1=0$$

$$t-7=0$$

$$t=1$$

or

$$t=7$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{1, 7\}$$

Q4ii. Find all solution of $72 + 6x = x^2$ Solution; We have $72 + 6x = x^2$

$$\text{Or } x^2 - 6x - 72 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 12x + 6x - 72 = 0$$

$$x(x-12) + 6(x-12) = 0$$

$$(x+6)(x-12) = 0$$

$$\therefore x+6=0$$

$$\text{or } x-12=0$$

$$x=-6$$

$$x=12$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-6, 12\}$$

Q4iii. Find all solution of $r^2 + 4r + 1 = 0$ Solution; We have $r^2 + 4r + 1 = 0$

Comparing we the general quadratic equation

i.e. $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a=1, b=4, c=1$ using $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ putting the values

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4(1)(1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16-4}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{12}}{2} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 3}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm 2\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{2(-2 \pm \sqrt{3})}{2}$$

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

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-2 - \sqrt{3}, -2 + \sqrt{3}\}$$

Q4vi Find all solution of $x(x+10) = 10(-10-x)$ Solution: we have $x(x+10) = 10(-10-x)$

$$x^2 + 10x = -100 - 10x$$

$$x^2 + 10x + 10x + 100 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 20x + 100 = 0$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)(10) + (10)^2 = 0$$

$$(x+10)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x+10=0$$

$$x = -10$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-10\}$$

Q5. The equation $(y+13)(y+a)$ has no linear term. Find the value of a Solution; we have $(y+13)(y+a)$

$$\text{Or } y^2 + ay + 13y + 13a$$

$$y^2 + (a+13)y + 13a$$

According to condition { no linear term }

Means $a+13=0$ or $a=-13$ Q6. The equation $ax^2 + 5x = 3$ has $x=1$ as a solution. What is the other solution.Sol: we have $ax^2 + 5x = 3$ has solution $x=1$

$$a(1)^2 + 5(1) = 3$$

$$a+5=3$$

$$a=3-5$$

$$a=-2$$

Therefore given equation becomes

$$-2x^2 + 5x = 3$$

$$-2x^2 + 5x - 3 = 0$$

$$\text{Or } 2x^2 - 5x + 3 = 0$$

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

$$x(2x-3) - 1(2x-3) = 0$$

$$(2x-3)(x-1) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } 2x-3=0 \quad \text{or} \quad x-1=0$$

$$2x=3$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$x=1$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{3}{2}, 1 \right\}$$

Q7. What is the positive difference of the roots of $x^2 - 7x - 9 = 0$ Solution we have $x^2 - 7x - 9 = 0$

Comparing we the general quadratic equation

i.e. $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ we get $a=1, b=-7, c=-9$ using $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ putting the values

$$x = \frac{-(-7) \pm \sqrt{(-7)^2 - 4(1)(-9)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{49+36}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{85}}{2}$$

Therefore roots are $\frac{7-\sqrt{85}}{2}, \frac{7+\sqrt{85}}{2}$

Difference of roots are $\frac{7+\sqrt{85}}{2} - \frac{7-\sqrt{85}}{2}$
 $= \frac{7+\sqrt{85}-7+\sqrt{85}}{2}$
 $= \frac{2\sqrt{85}}{2}$

Difference of roots are $=\sqrt{85}$

Solution of equations reducible to quadratic equation in one variable:

Type 1: Equation of the form, $ax^{2n} + bx^n + c = 0$

1. Put $x^n = y$

2. Find the value of y from the new equation

3. Put the values of y in supposition to get roots.

Exp 6 Solve $12x^4 - 11x^2 + 2 = 0$

Solution we have $12x^4 - 11x^2 + 2 = 0$

Let $y = x^2 \Rightarrow y^2 = x^4$ given equation becomes

$$12y^2 - 11y + 2 = 0$$

$$12y^2 - 8y - 3y + 2 = 0$$

$$4y(3y-2) - 1(3y-2) = 0$$

$$(4y-1)(3y-2) = 0$$

Either $4y-1=0$ or $3y-2=0$

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

$$y = \frac{2}{3}$$

Putting back value of $y = x^2$ therefore,

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$x^2 = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \right\}$$

Type 2: The Equation of the form, $ax + \frac{b}{x} = c$
(one term is reciprocal to the other)

1. Suppose one term = y
2. Take reciprocal of the equation then put in question and solve to get value of y.
3. Put y values in supposition to get roots

Exp7: Solve $2x + \frac{4}{x} = 9$

Solution we have $2x + \frac{4}{x} = 9$

Multiply each term by x

$$x\left(2x + \frac{4}{x}\right) = 9x$$

$$2x^2 + 4 = 9x$$

$$2x^2 - 9x + 4 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 8x - 1x + 4 = 0$$

$$2x(x-4) - 1(x-4) = 0$$

$$(2x-1)(x-4) = 0$$

Either $2x-1=0$ or $x-4=0$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = 4$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, 4 \right\}$$

Exp 8: Solve $\frac{x-1}{x+3} + \frac{x+3}{x-1} = \frac{13}{6}$

Solution We have $\frac{x-1}{x+3} + \frac{x+3}{x-1} = \frac{13}{6}$

$$\text{Let } y = \frac{x-1}{x+3} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} = \frac{x+3}{x-1}$$

$$\text{Therefore } y + \frac{1}{y} = \frac{13}{6}$$

Multiply each term by 6y

$$6y^2 + 6 = 13y$$

$$\text{Or } 6y^2 - 13y + 6 = 0$$

$$6y^2 - 9y - 4y + 6 = 0$$

$$3y(2y-3) - 2(2y-3) = 0$$

$$(3y-2)(2y-3) = 0$$

$$3y-2=0$$

$$2y-3=0$$

$$\text{Either } y = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{or } y = \frac{3}{2}$$

Putting back the value of y

$$\frac{x-1}{x+3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\frac{x-1}{x+3} = \frac{3}{2}$$

By cross multiplication

$$3(x-1) = 2(x+3) \quad 2(x-1) = 3(x+3)$$

$$3x-3 = 2x+6 \quad 2x-2 = 3x+9$$

$$3x-3 = 2x+6 \quad 2x-3x = 9+2$$

$$3x-2x = 6+3 \quad -x = 11$$

$$x = 9 \quad x = -11$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-11, 9\}$$

Type 3 $a\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) + b\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + c = 0$

1 Let $y = x + \frac{1}{x}$

2 taking square on bs to get the value of $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$

3 putting these substitution in given equation

$$\text{Exmple 9i). } 2\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - 9\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + 14 = 0$$

$$\text{Sol: we have } 2\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - 9\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + 14 = 0$$

$$\text{Let } y = x + \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2$$

$$y^2 - 2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Thus given equation becomes

$$2(y^2 - 2) - 9y + 14 = 0$$

$$2y^2 - 4 - 9y + 14 = 0$$

$$2y^2 - 9y + 10 = 0$$

$$2y^2 - 5y - 4y + 10 = 0$$

$$y(2y - 5) - 2(2y - 5) = 0$$

$$(y - 2)(2y - 5) = 0$$

Either $y - 2 = 0$ or $2y - 5 = 0$

Putting back value of y

$$x + \frac{1}{x} - 2 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) - 5 = 0$$

Multiply each term by x

$$x^2 + 1 - 2x = 0 \quad 2x^2 + 2 - 5x = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x + 1 = 0 \quad 2x^2 - 5x + 2 = 0$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)(1) + (1)^2 = 0 \quad 2x^2 - 4x - x + 2 = 0$$

$$(x - 1)^2 = 0 \quad 2x(x - 2) - 1(x - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 1 = 0 \quad (2x - 1)(x - 2) = 0$$

$$x = 1 \quad 2x - 1 = 0 \quad x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \quad x = 2$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{\frac{1}{2}, 1, 2\right\}$$

Exp 9ii). $8\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - 42\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) + 29 = 0$

Sol: we have $8\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - 42\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) + 29 = 0$

Let $y = x - \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} - 2$

$$y^2 + 2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Thus given equation becomes

$$8(y^2 + 2) - 42y + 29 = 0$$

$$8y^2 + 16 - 42y + 29 = 0$$

$$8y^2 - 42y + 45 = 0$$

$$8y^2 - 30y - 12y + 45 = 0$$

$$2y(4y - 15) - 3(4y - 15) = 0$$

$$(2y - 3)(4y - 15) = 0$$

Either $2y - 3 = 0$ or $4y - 15 = 0$

Putting back value of y

$$2\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) - 3 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 4\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) - 15 = 0$$

Multiply each term by x

$$2x^2 - 2 - 3x = 0 \quad 4x^2 - 4 - 15x = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 3x - 2 = 0 \quad 4x^2 - 15x - 4 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 4x + 1x - 2 = 0 \quad 4x^2 - 16x + 1x - 4 = 0$$

$$2x(x - 2) + 1(x - 2) = 0 \quad 4x(x - 4) + 1(x - 4) = 0$$

$$(2x + 1)(x - 2) = 0 \quad (4x + 1)(x - 4) = 0$$

$$2x + 1 = 0 \quad x - 2 = 0 \quad 4x + 1 = 0 \quad x - 4 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-1}{2} \quad x = 2 \quad x = \frac{-1}{4} \quad x = 4$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{\frac{-1}{4}, \frac{-1}{2}, 2, 4\right\}$$

Type 4: The Equation of the form, $a^{2x} + a^x + b = 0$

1. Put $a^x = y$

2. Find y & the find x by using log .

Example 10 solve $4 \cdot 2^{2x} - 10 \cdot 2^x + 4 = 0$

Let $y = 2^x \Rightarrow y^2 = 2^{2x}$ given equation becomes

$$4y^2 - 10y + 4 = 0$$

$$4y^2 - 8y - 2y + 4 = 0$$

$$4y(y - 2) - 2(y - 2) = 0$$

$$(4y - 2)(y - 2) = 0$$

$$4y - 2 = 0$$

$$y - 2 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = 2$$

Putting back value of y

$$2^x = 2^{-1}$$

$$2^x = 2^1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-1, 1\}$$

Example 11. Solve $2^{2+x} + 2^{2-x} = 10$

Solution: we have $2^{2+x} + 2^{2-x} = 10$

$$2^2 2^x + 2^2 2^{-x} = 10$$

$$4 \cdot 2^x + \frac{4}{2^x} = 10$$

Let $y = 2^x$ given equation becomes

$$4y + \frac{4}{y} = 10 \quad \text{multiply each term by } y$$

$$4y^2 + 4 = 10y$$

$$4y^2 - 10y + 4 = 0 \quad \text{divided by 2}$$

$$2y^2 - 5y + 2 = 0$$

$$2y^2 - 4y - 1y + 2 = 0$$

$$2y(y - 2) - 1(y - 2) = 0$$

$$(2y - 1)(y - 2) = 0$$

Either $2y - 1 = 0$ or $y - 2 = 0$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = 2$$

Putting back value of y

$$2^x = 2^{-1}$$

$$2^x = 2^1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{-1, 1\}$$

Type 5: The Equation of the form,

$$(x + a)(x + b)(x + c)(x + d) = k$$

1. Multiply those factors such that $a + b = c + d$

2. Put the common terms = y

3. Find the value of y from the new equation

4. Put the values of y in supposition to get roots.

Example 12: Solve $(x + 1)(x + 3)(x - 2)(x - 4) = 24$

Sol: given $(x + 1)(x + 3)(x - 2)(x - 4) = 24$

Here $1 - 2 = 3 - 4$

$$(x + 1)(x - 2)(x + 3)(x - 4) = 24$$

$$(x^2 - 2x + 1x - 2)(x^2 - 4x + 3x - 12) = 24$$

$$(x^2 - x - 2)(x^2 - x - 12) = 24$$

Let $y = x^2 - x$ so

$$(y-2)(y-12) = 24$$

$$y^2 - 12y - 2y + 24 = 24$$

$$y^2 - 14y = 0$$

$$y(y-14) = 0$$

$$y = 0$$

$$y - 14 = 0$$

Putting back value of y

$$x^2 - x = 0$$

$$x^2 - x - 14 = 0$$

$$x(x-1) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{(-1)^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot (-14)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+56}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{57}}{2}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ 0, 1, \frac{1+\sqrt{57}}{2}, \frac{1-\sqrt{57}}{2} \right\}$$

Exercise 1.2

Q1i). Solve $x^4 - 5x^2 + 4 = 0$

Sol: Since $x^4 - 5x^2 + 4 = 0$

Suppose that $y = x^2$ then $y^2 = x^4$ so

$$y^2 - 5y + 4 = 0$$

R.W	+	a.c
Sign of b	×	Result
	+	4
	-	-
	×	1

$$y^2 - 4y - y + 4 = 0$$

$$y(y-4) - 1(y-4) = 0$$

$$(y-1)(y-4) = 0$$

Either $y - 1 = 0$
 $y = 1$

Or $y - 4 = 0$
 $y = 4$

Putting back value of $y = x^2$

$$x^2 = 1$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm 2$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2\}$$

Q1ii). Solve $x^4 - 7x^2 + 12 = 0$

Sol: Since $x^4 - 7x^2 + 12 = 0$

Suppose that $y = x^2$ then $y^2 = x^4$ so

$$y^2 - 7y + 12 = 0$$

R.W	+	12
-	×	-
6	×	1
5	×	2
4	×	3

$$y^2 - 4y - 3y + 12 = 0$$

$$y(y-4) - 3(y-4) = 0$$

$$(y-3)(y-4) = 0$$

Either $y - 3 = 0$
 $y = 3$

Or $y - 4 = 0$
 $y = 4$

Putting back value of $y = x^2$

$$x^2 = 3$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm 2$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{\pm\sqrt{3}, \pm 2\}$$

Q1iii). Solve $6x^4 - 13x^2 + 5 = 0$

Sol: Since $6x^4 - 13x^2 + 5 = 0$

Suppose that $y = x^2$ then $y^2 = x^4$ so

$$6y^2 - 13y + 5 = 0$$

R.W	+	30
-	×	-
12	×	1
11	×	2
10	×	3

$$6y^2 - 10y - 3y + 5 = 0$$

$$2y(3y-5) - 1(3y-5) = 0$$

$$(2y-1)(3y-5) = 0$$

Either $2y - 1 = 0$

Or $3y - 5 = 0$

$$2y = 1$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$3y = 5$$

$$y = \frac{5}{3}$$

Putting back value of $y = x^2$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x^2 = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ \pm\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}, \pm\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}} \right\}$$

Q1iv). Solve $x + 2 - \frac{1}{x+2} = \frac{3}{2}$

Sol: Since $x + 2 - \frac{1}{x+2} = \frac{3}{2}$

Let $y = x + 2$ so $y - \frac{1}{y} = \frac{3}{2}$

Multiply each term by $2y$ we get

$$2y \cdot y - 2y \cdot \frac{1}{y} = 2y \cdot \frac{3}{2}$$

$$2y^2 - 2 = 3y$$

$$2y^2 - 3y - 2 = 0$$

R.W	-	4
-	×	+
4	×	1

$$2y^2 - 4y + 1y - 2 = 0$$

$$2y(y-2) + 1(y-2) = 0$$

$$(y-2)(2y+1) = 0$$

Either $y - 2 = 0$

Or

$$2y + 1 = 0$$

$$y = 2$$

$$2y = -1$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Putting back value of $y = x + 2$ we get

$$x + 2 = 2$$

$$x + 2 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = 2 - 2$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2} - 2$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ 0, -\frac{5}{2} \right\}$$

Q1v). Solve $x - \frac{4}{x} = 2$

Sol: Since $x - \frac{4}{x} = 2$ Multiply each term by x

$$x^2 - 4 = 2x$$

$$x^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$$

Comparing with

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0 \text{ so } a=1, b=-2, c=-4$$

Using $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ putting

$$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-4)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4+16}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{20}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4}\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{2} \pm \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$x = 1 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{1 + \sqrt{5}, 1 - \sqrt{5}\}$$

Q1vi). Solve $\frac{x+2}{x-2} - \frac{x-2}{x+2} = \frac{5}{6}$

Solution we have $\frac{x+2}{x-2} - \frac{x-2}{x+2} = \frac{5}{6}$

Let $y = \frac{x+2}{x-2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} = \frac{x-2}{x+2}$

Thus $y - \frac{1}{y} = \frac{5}{6}$ Multiply each term by 6y

$$6y^2 - 6 = 5y$$

$$6y^2 - 5y - 6 = 0$$

$$6y^2 - 9y + 4y - 6 = 0$$

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

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

Either $3y+2=0$ or $2y-3=0$

$$y = \frac{-2}{3} \quad y = \frac{3}{2}$$

Putting back the value of y

$$\frac{x+2}{x-2} = \frac{-2}{3} \quad \frac{x+2}{x-2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

By cross multiplication

$$3(x+2) = -2(x-2) \quad 2(x+2) = 3(x-2)$$

$$3x+6 = -2x+4 \quad 2x+4 = 3x-6$$

$$3x+2x = 4-6 \quad 2x-3x = -6-4$$

$$5x = -2 \quad -x = -10$$

$$x = \frac{-2}{5} \quad x = 10$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{-2}{5}, 10 \right\}$$

Q1vii). $3\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - 16\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + 26 = 0$

Sol: Since $3\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - 16\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + 26 = 0 \dots(1)$

Let $y = x + \frac{1}{x} \quad y^2 = \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$

$$y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 \cdot x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2$$

$$y^2 - 2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Putting into equation (1) we get

$$3(y^2 - 2) - 16y + 26 = 0$$

$$3y^2 - 6 - 16y + 26 = 0$$

$$3y^2 - 16y + 20 = 0 \quad \text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 60$$

$$3y^2 - 10y - 6y + 20 = 0 \quad 15 \times 1$$

$$y(3y-10) - 2(3y-10) = 0 \quad 14 \times 2$$

$$(y-2)(3y-10) = 0 \quad 13 \times 3$$

$$\text{Either } y-2=0 \quad \text{or } 3y-10=0 \quad 12 \times 4$$

$$y-2=0 \quad 3y-10=0 \quad 11 \times 5$$

$$\text{Putting back value of } y = x + \frac{1}{x} \text{ we get} \quad 10 \times 6$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} - 2 = 0 \quad 3\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) - 10 = 0$$

Multiply each term by x we get

$$x \cdot x + \frac{1}{x} \cdot x - 2 \cdot x = 0 \quad 3x \cdot x + \frac{3}{x} \cdot x - 10 \cdot x = 0$$

$$x^2 + 1 - 2x = 0 \quad 3x^2 - 10x + 3 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x + 1 + 1^2 = 0 \quad 3x^2 - 9x - 1x + 3 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 0 \quad 3x(x-3) - 1(x-3) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(x-1) = 0 \quad (x-3)(3x-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x-1=0 \quad x-3=0 \quad 3x-1=0$$

$$x=1 \quad x=3 \quad 3x=1$$

$$x=1 \quad x=\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ 1, 3, \frac{1}{3} \right\}$$

Q1viii). $\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 - 10\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + 16 = 0$

Let $y = x + \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow y^2 = \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$

Thus given equation becomes

$$y^2 - 10y + 16 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 8y - 2y + 16 = 0$$

$$y(y-8) - 2(y-8) = 0$$

$$(y-2)(y-8) = 0$$

Either $y-2=0$ or $y-8=0$

Putting back value of y

$$x + \frac{1}{x} - 2 = 0$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} - 8 = 0$$

Multiply each term by x

$$x^2 + 1 - 2x = 0$$

$$x^2 + 1 - 8x = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2 \cdot x \cdot 1 + 1^2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64-4}}{2}$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{60}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x-1=0$$

$$x=1$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 15}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm 2\sqrt{15}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2(4 \pm \sqrt{15})}{2}$$

$$x = 4 \pm \sqrt{15}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{1, 4 \pm \sqrt{15}\}$$

Q1ix). $\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) - 4 = 0$

Sol: Since $\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) - \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) - 4 = 0 \dots\dots(1)$

Let $y = x - \frac{1}{x} \quad y^2 = \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$

$$y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} - 2 \cdot x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} - 2$$

$$y^2 + 2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Putting into equation (1) we get

$$(y^2 + 2) - y - 4 = 0$$

$$y^2 - y - 2 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 2y + 1y - 2 = 0$$

$$y(y - 2) + 1(y - 2) = 0$$

$$(y - 2)(y + 1) = 0$$

Either $y - 2 = 0$ or $y + 1 = 0$

Putting back value of $y = x - \frac{1}{x}$ we get

$$x - \frac{1}{x} - 2 = 0$$

$$x - \frac{1}{x} + 1 = 0$$

Multiply each term by x we get

$$x \cdot x - \frac{1}{x} \cdot x - 2 \cdot x = 0$$

$$x \cdot x - \frac{1}{x} \cdot x + 1 \cdot x = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 + x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4+4}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1+4}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 2}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$x = 1 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ 1 \pm \sqrt{2}, \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} \right\}$$

Q1x). $3^{2x} - 10 \cdot 3^x + 9 = 0$

Sol: Since $3^{2x} - 10 \cdot 3^x + 9 = 0 \dots (1)$

Let $y = 3^x \Rightarrow y^2 = 3^{2x}$

Putting into equation (1) we get

$$y^2 - 10y + 9 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 9$$

$$y^2 - 9y - 1y + 9 = 0$$

$$- \quad \times \quad -$$

$$y(y - 9) - 1(y - 9) = 0$$

$$9 \quad \times \quad 1$$

$$(y - 1)(y - 9) = 0$$

Either $y - 9 = 0$ or $y - 1 = 0$
 $y = 9$ or $y = 1$

Putting back value of $y = 3^x$ we get

$$3^x = 9$$

$$3^x = 1$$

$$3^x = 3^2$$

$$3^x = 3^0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{0, 2\}$$

Q1xi). $3 \cdot 3^{2x+1} - 10 \cdot 3^x + 1 = 0$

Sol: Since $3 \cdot 3^{2x+1} - 10 \cdot 3^x + 1 = 0 \dots (1)$

$$3 \cdot 3^{2x} \cdot 3 - 10 \cdot 3^x + 1 = 0$$

$$9 \cdot 3^{2x} - 10 \cdot 3^x + 1 = 0 \dots (1)$$

Let $y = 3^x \Rightarrow y^2 = 3^{2x}$

Putting into equation (1) we get

$$9y^2 - 10y + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 9$$

$$9y^2 - 9y - 1y + 1 = 0$$

$$- \quad \times \quad -$$

$$9y(y - 1) - 1(y - 1) = 0$$

$$9 \quad \times \quad 1$$

$$(9y - 1)(y - 1) = 0$$

Either $9y - 1 = 0$ or $y - 1 = 0$
 $9y = 1$ or $y = 1$
 $y = \frac{1}{9}$

Putting back value of $y = 3^x$ we get

$$3^x = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$3^x = 1$$

$$3^x = \frac{1}{3^2} = 3^{-2}$$

$$3^x = 3^0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{-2, 0\}$$

Q1xii). $5^{x+1} + 5^{2-x} = 126$

Sol: Since $5^{x+1} + 5^{2-x} = 126$

$$5^x \cdot 5^1 + 5^2 \cdot 5^{-x} = 126$$

$$5 \cdot 5^x + \frac{25}{5^x} - 126 = 0 \dots (1)$$

Let $y = 5^x$ Then we have

$$5y + \frac{25}{y} - 126 = 0$$

Multiply each term by y

$$5y \cdot y + \frac{25}{y} \cdot y - 126 \cdot y = 0$$

Putting into equation (1) we get

$$5y^2 - 126y + 25 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 125$$

$$5y^2 - 125y - 1y + 25 = 0$$

$$- \quad \times \quad -$$

$$5y(y - 25) - 1(y - 25) = 0$$

$$125 \quad \times \quad 1$$

$$(5y - 1)(y - 25) = 0$$

Either

or

$$5y - 1 = 0$$

$$y - 25 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{1}{5} = 5^{-1}$$

$$y = 25 = 5^2$$

Putting back value of $y = 5^x$ we get

$$5^x = 5^{-1}$$

$$5^x = 5^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{-1, 2\}$$

Q1xiii). $(x - 3)(x + 9)(x + 5)(x - 7) = 385$

Sol: Rearranging with respect to $a + b = c + d$

$$(x - 3)(x + 5)(x + 9)(x - 7) = 385$$

$$\{x(x + 5) - 3(x + 5)\} \{x(x - 7) + 9(x - 7)\} - 385 = 0$$

$$(x^2 + 5x - 3x - 15)(x^2 - 7x + 9x - 63) - 385 = 0$$

$$(x^2 + 2x - 15)(x^2 + 2x - 63) - 385 = 0$$

Let $y = x^2 + 2x$ then we have

$$(y - 15)(y - 63) - 385 = 0$$

$$y(y - 63) - 15(y - 63) - 385 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 63y - 15y + 945 - 385 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 78y + 560 = 0$$

$$\text{R.W.} \quad + \quad 560$$

$$y^2 - 70y - 8y + 560 = 0$$

$$- \quad \times \quad -$$

$$y(y - 70) - 8(y - 70) = 0$$

$$77 \quad \times \quad 1$$

$$(y - 8)(y - 70) = 0$$

$$75 \quad \times \quad 3$$

Either

Or

$$y - 8 = 0$$

$$y - 70 = 0$$

Putting back value of $y = x^2 + 2x$ then we have

$$x^2 + 2x - 8 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 70 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-(2) \pm \sqrt{(2)^2 - 4(1)(70)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 2x - 8 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 280}}{2}$$

$$x(x+4) - 2(x+4) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{284}}{2}$$

$$(x-2)(x+4) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 71}}{2}$$

either Or

$$x - 2 = 0 \quad x + 4 = 0$$

$$x = 2 \quad x = -4$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{71}}{2} = \frac{-2}{2} \pm \frac{2\sqrt{71}}{2}$$

$$x = -1 \pm \sqrt{71}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{2, -4, -1 \pm \sqrt{71}\}$$

$$\text{Q1xiv). } (x+1)(x+2)(x+3)(x+4)+1=0$$

Solution: Rearranging with respect to $a+b=c+d$

$$(x+1)(x+4)(x+2)(x+3)+1=0$$

$$\{x(x+4)+1(x+4)\}\{x(x+3)+2(x+3)\}+1=0$$

$$(x^2+4x+1x+4)(x^2+3x+2x+6)+1=0$$

$$(x^2+5x+4)(x^2+5x+6)+1=0$$

Let $y = x^2 + 5x$ then we have

$$(y+4)(y+6)+1=0$$

$$y(y+6)+4(y+6)+1=0$$

$$y^2+6y+4y+24+1=0$$

$$y^2+10y+25=0$$

$$y^2+2.y.5+5^2=0$$

$$(y+5)^2=0$$

$$\Rightarrow y+5=0$$

Putting back value of $y = x^2 + 5x$ then we have

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

$$x = \frac{-(5) \pm \sqrt{(5)^2 - 4(1)(5)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{25-20}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{-5-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{-5+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right\}$$

$$\text{Q1xv). } (x+1)(x+3)(x+5)(x+7)+16=0$$

Sol: Since $(x+1)(x+3)(x+5)(x+7)+16=0$

$$(x+1)(x+7)(x+3)(x+5)+16=0$$

$$\{x(x+7)+1(x+7)\}\{x(x+5)+3(x+5)\}+16=0$$

$$(x^2+7x+1x+7)(x^2+5x+3x+15)+16=0$$

$$(x^2+8x+7)(x^2+8x+15)+16=0$$

Let $y = x^2 + 8x$ Then we have

$$(y+7)(y+15)+16=0$$

$$y(y+15)+7(y+15)+16=0$$

$$y^2+15y+7y+105+16=0$$

$$y^2+22y+121=0$$

$$y^2+2.y.11+11^2=0$$

$$(y+11)^2=0$$

$$\Rightarrow y+11=0$$

Putting back value of $y = x^2 + 8x$, then

$$x^2+8x+11=0$$

Comparing with $ax^2+bx+c=0$ so $a=1$, $b=8$, $c=11$

Using $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ putting

$$x = \frac{-(8) \pm \sqrt{(8)^2 - 4(1)(11)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{64-44}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{20}}{2} = \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{4 \times 5}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-8 \pm 2\sqrt{5}}{2} = \frac{2(-4 \pm \sqrt{5})}{2}$$

$$x = -4 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{-4 - \sqrt{5}, -4 + \sqrt{5}\}$$

$$\text{Q2 Solve } x^4 - 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x + 1 = 0$$

Solution we have $x^4 - 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x + 1 = 0$

Dividing each term by x^2

$$x^2 - 2x - 2 + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2} = 0$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} - 2x + \frac{2}{x} - 2 = 0 \text{ rearranging}$$

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

$$\text{Let } y = x - \frac{1}{x} \quad y^2 = \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$$

$$y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} - 2.x.\frac{1}{x}$$

$$y^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} - 2$$

$$y^2 + 2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Putting into equation (1) we get

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

$$y^2 - 2y = 0$$

$$y(y-2) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } y = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y - 2 = 0$$

Putting back value of y

$$x - \frac{1}{x} = 0$$

$$x - \frac{1}{x} - 2 = 0$$

Multiplying each term by x

$$x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 1 - 2x = 0$$

$$x^2 = 1$$

$$x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = \pm 1$$

$$a=1, b=-2, c=-1$$

$$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{4 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4+4}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm 2\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$x = 1 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

Solution set = $\{\pm 1, 1 \pm \sqrt{2}\}$

Radical equations:

An equation in which the variable occurs in one or more radical sign. e.g. $\sqrt{x+a} = \sqrt{x+b}$

Radical equations

Type 1: $\sqrt{ax+b} = cx+d$

Step 1: Squaring both sides

Example 13 solve $\sqrt{27-3x} = x-3$

Solution: we have $\sqrt{27-3x} = x-3$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{27-3x})^2 = (x-3)^2$$

$$27-3x = x^2 - 6x + 9$$

$$0 = x^2 - 6x + 3x + 9 - 27$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 18 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 3x - 18 = 0$$

$$x(x-6) + 3(x-6) = 0$$

$$(x+3)(x-6) = 0$$

Either $x+3=0$ or $x-6=0$
 $x=-3$ or $x=6$

To verify the roots for given equation

put $x=-3$

put $x=6$

$$\sqrt{27-3(-3)} = (-3)-3 \quad \sqrt{27-3(6)} = (6)-3$$

$$\sqrt{27+9} = -3-3$$

$$\sqrt{27-18} = 6-3$$

$$\sqrt{36} = -6$$

$$\sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$6 = -6 \text{ False}$$

$$3 = 3 \text{ true}$$

Therefore $x=-3$ is an extraneous root

And $x=6$ is a real root

Solution set = $\{6\}$

Type 2: $\sqrt{x+a} + \sqrt{x+b} = \sqrt{x+c}$

Step 1, squaring both sides

Step 2, separate the radical term

Step 3, Again squaring both sides

Example 14 Solve $\sqrt{x+2} + \sqrt{x+7} = \sqrt{x+23}$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{x+2} + \sqrt{x+7} = \sqrt{x+23}$ squaring

$$(\sqrt{x+2} + \sqrt{x+7})^2 = (\sqrt{x+23})^2$$

$$x+2+x+7+2\sqrt{x+2}\sqrt{x+7} = x+23$$

$$2x+9+2\sqrt{x^2+7x+2x+14} = x+23$$

$$2\sqrt{x^2+9x+14} = x-2x+23-9$$

$$2\sqrt{x^2+9x+14} = -x+14$$

$$2^2(\sqrt{x^2+9x+14})^2 = (14-x)^2$$

$$4(x^2+9x+14) = 14^2 - 2(14)(x) + x^2$$

$$4x^2 - x^2 + 36x + 28x + 56 - 196 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 64x - 140 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 70x - 6x - 140 = 0$$

$$x(3x+70) - 2(3x+70) = 0$$

$$(x-2)(3x+70) = 0$$

Either $x-2=0$ or $3x+70=0$

$$x=2$$

$$x = \frac{-70}{3}$$

To verify put $x=2$ in given equation

$$\sqrt{2+2} + \sqrt{2+7} = \sqrt{2+23}$$

$$\sqrt{4} + \sqrt{9} = \sqrt{25}$$

$$2+3=5$$

$5=5$ true so $x=2$ is a real root

Now to verify $x = \frac{-70}{3}$ in given equation

$$\sqrt{\frac{-70}{3}} + 2 + \sqrt{\frac{-70}{3} + 7} = \sqrt{\frac{-70}{3} + 23}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-70+6}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{-70+21}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{-70+69}{3}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-64}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{-49}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \text{ false so } x = \frac{-70}{3} \text{ is}$$

extraneous root. Therefore Solution set = $\{2\}$

Type 3: $\sqrt{ax^2+bx+c} + \sqrt{ax^2+bx+d} = e$

Step 1: Rearranging

$$\sqrt{ax^2+bx+c} = e - \sqrt{ax^2+bx+d}$$

Step 2, separate the radical term

Step 3, Again squaring both sides

Exp 15 Solve $\sqrt{x^2+3x+5} + \sqrt{x^2+3x+1} = 2$

Sol: we have $\sqrt{x^2+3x+5} + \sqrt{x^2+3x+1} = 2$

$$\sqrt{x^2+3x+5} = 2 - \sqrt{x^2+3x+1}$$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{x^2+3x+5})^2 = (2 - \sqrt{x^2+3x+1})^2$$

$$x^2+3x+5 = 4 + x^2+3x+1 - 4\sqrt{x^2+3x+1}$$

$$4\sqrt{x^2+3x+1} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{x^2+3x+1} = 0$$

$x^2+3x+1=0$ Again squaring

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9-4}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

Solution set = $\left\{ \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} \right\}$

Exercise 1.3

Q1i). Solve $\sqrt{5x+21} = x+3$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{5x+21} = x+3$

Taking square on both sides we get

$$(\sqrt{5x+21})^2 = (x+3)^2$$

$$5x+21 = x^2 + 2 \cdot x \cdot 3 + 3^2$$

$$x^2 + 6x - 5x + 9 - 21 = 0$$

$$x^2 + x - 12 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 3x - 12 = 0$$

$$x(x+4) - 3(x+4) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+4) = 0$$

Either

or

$$x-3=0$$

$$x+4=0$$

$$x=3$$

$$x=-4$$

Now it is necessary to verify the value of x in the

given radical equation. $\sqrt{5x+21} = x+3$

If $x=3$, then

If $x=-4$, then

$$\sqrt{5 \cdot 3 + 21} = 3 + 3$$

$$\sqrt{5(-4) + 21} = -4 + 3$$

$$\sqrt{15 + 21} = 6$$

$$\sqrt{-20 + 21} = -1$$

$$\sqrt{36} = 6$$

$$\sqrt{1} = -1$$

$$6 = 6 \text{ True}$$

$$1 = -1 \text{ False}$$

Thus $x=3$ is a
Real root

thus $x=-4$ is
an extraneous root

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{3\}$$

Q1ii). Solve $\sqrt{2x-1} = x-2$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{2x-1} = x-2$

Taking square on both sides we get

$$(\sqrt{2x-1})^2 = (x-2)^2$$

$$2x-1 = x^2 - 2 \cdot x \cdot 2 + 2^2$$

$$x^2 - 4x - 2x + 4 + 1 = 0$$

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

$$x^2 - 5x - 1x + 5 = 0$$

$$x(x-5) - 1(x-5) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(x-5) = 0$$

Either

or

$$x-1=0$$

$$x-5=0$$

$$x=1$$

$$x=5$$

Now it is necessary to verify the value of x in the

given radical equation. $\sqrt{2x-1} = x-2$

If $x=1$, then

If $x=5$, then

$$\sqrt{2 \cdot 1 - 1} = 1 - 2$$

$$\sqrt{2 \cdot 5 - 1} = 5 - 2$$

$$\sqrt{2-1} = -1$$

$$\sqrt{10-1} = 3$$

$$\sqrt{1} = -1$$

$$\sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$1 = -1 \text{ False}$$

$$3 = 3 \text{ True}$$

Thus $x=1$ is an
extraneous root so

thus $x=5$ is a
real root

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{5\}$$

Q1iii). $\sqrt{4x+5} = 2x-5$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{4x+5} = 2x-5$

Taking square on both sides we get

$$(\sqrt{4x+5})^2 = (2x-5)^2$$

$$4x+5 = (2x)^2 - 2(2x) \cdot 5 + 5^2$$

$$4x^2 - 20x - 4x + 25 - 5 = 0$$

$$4x^2 - 24x + 20 = 0 \quad \div \text{by } 4$$

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

$$x^2 - 5x - 1x + 5 = 0$$

$$x(x-5) - 1(x-5) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(x-5) = 0$$

Either

or

$$x-1=0$$

$$x-5=0$$

$$x=1$$

$$x=5$$

Now it is necessary to verify the value of x in the

given radical equation. $\sqrt{4x+5} = 2x-5$

If $x=1$, then

If $x=5$, then

$$\sqrt{2 \cdot 1 - 1} = 1 - 2$$

$$\sqrt{2 \cdot 5 - 1} = 5 - 2$$

$$\sqrt{2-1} = -1$$

$$\sqrt{10-1} = 3$$

$$\sqrt{1} = -1$$

$$\sqrt{9} = 3$$

$$1 = -1 \text{ False}$$

$$3 = 3 \text{ True}$$

Thus $x=1$ is a
Real root

Thus $x=5$ is an
extraneous root

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{5\}$$

Q1iv). Solve $\sqrt{29-4x} = 2x+3$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{29-4x} = 2x+3$

Taking square on both sides we get

$$(\sqrt{29-4x})^2 = (2x+3)^2$$

$$29-4x = 4x^2 + 2 \cdot 2x \cdot 3 + 3^2$$

$$4x^2 + 12x + 4x + 9 - 29 = 0$$

$$4x^2 + 16x - 20 = 0 \quad \div \text{by } 4$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 5 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 5x - 1x - 5 = 0$$

$$x(x+5) - 1(x+5) = 0$$

$$(x-1)(x+5) = 0$$

Either

or

$$x-1=0$$

$$x+5=0$$

$$x=1$$

$$x=-5$$

Now it is necessary to verify the value of x in the

given radical equation. $\sqrt{29-4x} = 2x+3$

If $x=1$, then

If $x=-5$, then

$$\sqrt{29-4 \cdot 1} = 2 \cdot 1 + 3$$

$$\sqrt{29-4(-5)} = 2(-5) + 3$$

$$\sqrt{29-4} = 2+3$$

$$\sqrt{29+20} = -10+3$$

$$\sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$\sqrt{49} = -7$$

$$5 = 5 \text{ True}$$

$$7 = -7 \text{ False}$$

Thus $x=1$ is
Real root

Thus $x=-5$ is an
extraneous root

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{1\}$$

Q1v). Solve $\sqrt{x+7} + \sqrt{x+2} = \sqrt{6x+13}$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{x+7} + \sqrt{x+2} = \sqrt{6x+13}$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{x+7} + \sqrt{x+2})^2 = (\sqrt{6x+13})^2$$

$$(\sqrt{x+7})^2 + (\sqrt{x+2})^2 + 2(\sqrt{x+7})(\sqrt{x+2}) = 6x+13$$

$$x+7+x+2+2\sqrt{x(x+2)+7(x+2)} = 6x+13$$

$$2x+9+2\sqrt{x^2+2x+7x+14} = 6x+13$$

$$2\sqrt{x^2+9x+14} = 6x-2x+13-9$$

$$2\sqrt{x^2+9x+14} = 4x+4 \quad \div \text{by } 2$$

$$\sqrt{x^2+9x+14} = 2x+2$$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{x^2+9x+14})^2 = (2x+2)^2$$

$$x^2+9x+14 = 4x^2+2.2x.2+4$$

$$4x^2-x^2+8x-9x+4-14=0$$

$$3x^2-x-10=0$$

$$3x^2-6x+5x-10=0$$

$$3x(x-2)+5(x-2)=0$$

$$(3x+5)(x-2)=0$$

Either

$$3x+5=0$$

$$3x=-5$$

$$x = -\frac{5}{3}$$

Or

$$x-2=0$$

$$x=2$$

Now it is necessary to verify value of x in given

radical equation. $\sqrt{x+7} + \sqrt{x+2} = \sqrt{6x+13}$

If $x = -\frac{5}{3}$, then $\sqrt{-\frac{5}{3}+7} + \sqrt{-\frac{5}{3}+2} = \sqrt{6\left(-\frac{5}{3}\right)+13}$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-5+21}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{-5+6}{3}} = \sqrt{2(-5)+13}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{16}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} = \sqrt{-10+13}$$

$$\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\frac{5}{\sqrt{3}} = \sqrt{3} \quad \text{false}$$

Thus $x = -\frac{5}{3}$ is an extraneous root,

If $x = 2$, then

$$\sqrt{2+7} + \sqrt{2+2} = \sqrt{6(2)+13}$$

$$\sqrt{9} + \sqrt{4} = \sqrt{12+13}$$

$$3+2 = \sqrt{25}$$

$$5=5 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = 2$ is a real root

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{2\}$$

Q1vi). $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{3x+1} = \sqrt{5x+1}$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{3x+1} = \sqrt{5x+1}$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{3x+1})^2 = (\sqrt{5x+1})^2$$

$$(\sqrt{x})^2 + (\sqrt{3x+1})^2 + 2(\sqrt{x})(\sqrt{3x+1}) = 5x+1$$

$$x+3x+1+2\sqrt{x(3x+1)} = 5x+1$$

$$4x+1+2\sqrt{3x^2+x} = 5x+1$$

$$2\sqrt{3x^2+x} = 5x-4x+1-1$$

$$2\sqrt{3x^2+x} = x$$

Taking square on both sides

$$(2\sqrt{3x^2+x})^2 = (x)^2$$

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

$$12x^2-x^2+4x=0$$

$$11x^2+4x=0$$

$$x(11x+4)=0$$

Either

$$x=0$$

Or

$$11x+4=0$$

$$11x=-4$$

$$x = -\frac{4}{11}$$

Now it is necessary to verify the value of x in the

given radical equation. $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{3x+1} = \sqrt{5x+1}$

If $x = -\frac{4}{11}$, then $\sqrt{-\frac{4}{11}} + \sqrt{3\left(-\frac{4}{11}\right)+1} = \sqrt{5\left(-\frac{4}{11}\right)+1}$

$$\sqrt{-\frac{4}{11}} + \sqrt{\frac{-12+11}{11}} = \sqrt{\frac{-20+11}{11}}$$

$$\sqrt{-\frac{4}{11}} + \sqrt{\frac{-1}{11}} = \sqrt{\frac{-9}{11}}$$

False

Thus $x = -\frac{4}{11}$ is an extraneous root

If $x = 0$, then

$$\sqrt{0} + \sqrt{3(0)+1} = \sqrt{5(0)+1}$$

$$0 + \sqrt{0+1} = \sqrt{0+1}$$

$$0 + \sqrt{1} = \sqrt{1}$$

$$1=1 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = 0$ is a real root

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{0\}$$

Q1vii). Solve $\sqrt{6x+40} - \sqrt{x+21} = \sqrt{x+5}$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{6x+40} - \sqrt{x+21} = \sqrt{x+5}$

Or $\sqrt{6x+40} = \sqrt{x+5} + \sqrt{x+21}$

Taking square root on both sides

$$(\sqrt{6x+40})^2 = (\sqrt{x+5} + \sqrt{x+21})^2$$

$$(\sqrt{6x+40})^2 = (\sqrt{x+5})^2 + (\sqrt{x+21})^2 + 2(\sqrt{x+5})(\sqrt{x+21})$$

$$6x+40 = x+5+x+21+2\sqrt{x(x+21)+5(x+21)}$$

$$6x+40 = 2x+26+2\sqrt{x^2+21x+5x+105}$$

$$6x-2x+40-26 = 2\sqrt{x^2+26x+105}$$

$$4x + 14 = 2\sqrt{x^2 + 26x + 105} \quad \div \text{by } 2$$

$$2x + 7 = \sqrt{x^2 + 26x + 105}$$

Taking square on both sides

$$\left(\sqrt{x^2 + 26x + 105}\right)^2 = (2x + 7)^2$$

$$x^2 + 26x + 105 = 4x^2 + 2 \cdot 2x \cdot 7 + 49$$

$$4x^2 - x^2 + 28x - 26x + 49 - 105 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 2x - 56 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 14x - 12x - 56 = 0$$

$$x(3x + 14) - 4(3x + 14) = 0$$

$$(3x + 14)(x - 4) = 0$$

$$3x + 14 = 0$$

Either $3x = -14$ Or $x - 4 = 0$

$$x = \frac{-14}{3}$$

$$x = 4$$

Now it is necessary to verify value of x in given radical equation. $\sqrt{6x + 40} - \sqrt{x + 21} = \sqrt{x + 5}$

If $x = \frac{-14}{3}$ then

$$\sqrt{6\left(\frac{-14}{3}\right) + 40} - \sqrt{\frac{-14}{3} + 21} = \sqrt{\frac{-14}{3} + 5}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-84 + 120}{3}} - \sqrt{\frac{-14 + 63}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{-14 + 15}{3}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{36}{3}} - \sqrt{\frac{49}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\frac{6}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{7}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

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

False

Thus $x = \frac{-14}{3}$ is an extraneous root so

If $x = 4$, then

$$\sqrt{6(4) + 40} - \sqrt{4 + 21} = \sqrt{4 + 5}$$

$$\sqrt{24 + 40} - \sqrt{25} = \sqrt{9}$$

$$\sqrt{64} - 5 = 3$$

$$8 - 5 = 3$$

$$3 = 3$$

True

Thus $x = 4$ is a real root.

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{4\}$$

Q1viii). $\sqrt{2x - 3} + \sqrt{2x + 4} = \sqrt{6x + 13}$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{2x - 3} + \sqrt{2x + 4} = \sqrt{6x + 13}$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\left(\sqrt{2x - 3} + \sqrt{2x + 4}\right)^2 = \left(\sqrt{6x + 13}\right)^2$$

$$\left(\sqrt{2x - 3}\right)^2 + \left(\sqrt{2x + 4}\right)^2 + 2\left(\sqrt{2x - 3}\right)\left(\sqrt{2x + 4}\right) = 6x + 13$$

$$2x - 3 + 2x + 4 + 2\sqrt{2x(2x + 4)} - 3(2x + 4) = 6x + 13$$

$$4x + 1 + 2\sqrt{4x^2 + 8x - 6x - 12} = 6x + 13$$

$$2\sqrt{4x^2 + 2x - 12} = 6x - 4x + 13 - 1$$

$$2\sqrt{4x^2 + 2x - 12} = 2x + 12 \quad \div \text{by } 2$$

$$\sqrt{4x^2 + 2x - 12} = x + 6$$

Taking square on both sides

$$\left(\sqrt{4x^2 + 2x - 12}\right)^2 = (x + 6)^2$$

$$4x^2 + 2x - 12 = x^2 + 2 \cdot x \cdot 6 + 36$$

$$4x^2 - x^2 + 2x - 12x - 12 - 36 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 10x - 48 = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 18x + 8x - 48 = 0$$

$$3x(x - 6) + 8(x - 6) = 0$$

$$(3x + 8)(x - 6) = 0$$

Either

Or

$$3x + 8 = 0$$

$$3x = -8$$

$$x = \frac{-8}{3}$$

$$x - 6 = 0$$

$$x = 6$$

Now it is necessary to verify value of x in given radical equation. $\sqrt{2x - 3} + \sqrt{2x + 4} = \sqrt{6x + 13}$

If $x = \frac{-8}{3}$, then

$$\sqrt{2\left(\frac{-8}{3}\right) - 3} + \sqrt{2\left(\frac{-8}{3}\right) + 4} = \sqrt{6\left(\frac{-8}{3}\right) + 13}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-16 - 9}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{-16 + 12}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{-48}{3} + 13}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-25}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{-4}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{-48 + 39}{3}}$$

$$5\sqrt{\frac{-1}{3}} + 2\sqrt{\frac{-1}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{-9}{3}} \quad \text{False}$$

Thus $x = \frac{-8}{3}$ is an extraneous root

If $x = 6$, then

$$\sqrt{2(6) - 3} + \sqrt{2(6) + 4} = \sqrt{6(6) + 13}$$

$$\sqrt{12 - 3} + \sqrt{12 + 4} = \sqrt{36 + 13}$$

$$\sqrt{9} + \sqrt{16} = \sqrt{49}$$

$$3 + 4 = 7$$

$$7 = 7 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = 6$ is a real root so

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{6\}$$

Q1ix). $\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 4} + \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9} = 5$

Sol: Since $\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 4} + \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9} = 5$

Or $\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 4} = 5 - \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}$

Taking square on both sides

$$\left(\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 4}\right)^2 = \left(5 - \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}\right)^2$$

$$x^2 + 2x + 4 = 25 + \left(\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}\right)^2 - 2 \cdot 5 \cdot \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}$$

$$x^2 + 2x + 4 = 25 + x^2 + 2x + 9 - 10\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}$$

$$4 = 34 - 10\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}$$

$$10\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9} = 30 \quad \div \text{by } 10$$

$$\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9} = 3$$

Again taking square both sides

$$\left(\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9}\right)^2 = 3^2$$

$$x^2 + 2x + 9 = 9$$

$$x^2 + 2x = 9 - 9$$

$$x(x+2) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x + 2 = 0$$

$$x = -2$$

Now it is necessary to verify value of x in given

radical equation. $\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 4} + \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 9} = 5$

$$\text{If } x = 0, \sqrt{(0)^2 + 2(0) + 4} + \sqrt{(0)^2 + 2(0) + 9} = 5$$

$$\sqrt{4} + \sqrt{9} = 5$$

$$2 + 3 = 5$$

$$5 = 5 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = 0$ is a real root

If $x = -2$, then

$$\sqrt{(-2)^2 + 2(-2) + 4} + \sqrt{(-2)^2 + 2(-2) + 9} = 5$$

$$\sqrt{4 - 4 + 4} + \sqrt{4 - 4 + 9} = 5$$

$$\sqrt{4} + \sqrt{9} = 5$$

$$5 = 5 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = -2$ is a real root

$$\text{Solution set} = \{0, -2\}$$

$$\text{Q1x). } \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 5} + \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1} = 2$$

$$\text{Solution: } \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 5} + \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1} = 2$$

$$\text{OR } \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 5} = 2 - \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1}$$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 5})^2 = (2 - \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1})^2$$

$$2x^2 + 3x + 5 = 4 + (\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1})^2 - 2.2.\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1}$$

$$2x^2 + 3x + 5 = 4 + 2x^2 + 3x + 1 - 4\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1}$$

$$0 = -2\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1} \quad \div \text{by } -2$$

$$\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1} = 0$$

Again taking square both sides

$$(\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1})^2 = 0^2$$

$$2x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + 2x + x + 1 = 0$$

$$2x(x+1) + 1(x+1) = 0$$

$$(2x+1)(x+1) = 0$$

$$\text{Either} \quad \text{or} \quad 2x+1=0$$

$$x+1=0$$

$$2x = -1$$

$$x = -1$$

$$x = \frac{-1}{2}$$

Now it is necessary to verify value of x in given

radical equation. $\sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 5} + \sqrt{2x^2 + 3x + 1} = 2$

If $x = -1$, then

$$\sqrt{2(-1)^2 + 3(-1) + 5} + \sqrt{2(-1)^2 + 3(-1) + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{2 - 3 + 5} + \sqrt{2 - 3 + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{4} + \sqrt{0} = 2$$

$$2 + 0 = 2 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = -1$ is a real root

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

$$\sqrt{2\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^2 + 3\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) + 5} + \sqrt{2\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^2 + 3\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} + 5} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{1-3}{2} + 5} + \sqrt{\frac{1-3}{2} + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{-2}{2} + 5} + \sqrt{\frac{-2}{2} + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{-1 + 5} + \sqrt{-1 + 1} = 2$$

$$\sqrt{4} + \sqrt{0} = 2$$

$$2 = 2 \quad \text{True}$$

Thus $x = \frac{-1}{2}$ is a real root

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{-1, \frac{-1}{2}\right\}$$

Q2 Find x if $2x+5$ satisfies

$$\sqrt{40-9x} - 2\sqrt{7-x} = \sqrt{-x}$$

Solution: we have $\sqrt{40-9x} - 2\sqrt{7-x} = \sqrt{-x}$

Given that $2x+5=0$ satisfies given equation

$$x = \frac{-5}{2} \text{ putting } \sqrt{40-9x} - 2\sqrt{7-x} = \sqrt{-x}$$

$$\sqrt{40-9\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)} - 2\sqrt{7-\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)} = \sqrt{-\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)}$$

$$\sqrt{40+\frac{45}{2}} - 2\sqrt{7+\frac{5}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{80+45}{2}} - 2\sqrt{\frac{14+5}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{125}{2}} - 2\sqrt{\frac{19}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}} \text{ which is false}$$

Thus $2x+5$ do not satisfies the given equation

$$\text{Or } \sqrt{40-9x} - \sqrt{-x} = 2\sqrt{7-x}$$

Taking square on both sides

$$(\sqrt{40-9x} - \sqrt{-x})^2 = (2\sqrt{7-x})^2$$

$$(\sqrt{40-9x})^2 + (\sqrt{-x})^2 - 2\sqrt{40-9x}.\sqrt{-x} = 4(7-x)$$

$$40-9x + (-x) - 2\sqrt{40-9x}.\sqrt{-x} = 28-4x$$

$$40-28-9x-x+4x = 2\sqrt{9x^2-40x}$$

$$12-6x = 2\sqrt{9x^2-40x} \quad \text{divided by 2}$$

$$6-3x = \sqrt{9x^2-40x} \quad \text{taking square}$$

$$(6-3x)^2 = (\sqrt{9x^2-40x})^2$$

$$36+9x^2-2(6)(3x) = 9x^2-40x$$

$$36-36x = -40x$$

$$40x-36x = -36$$

$$4x = -36$$

$$x = -9$$

Put in given equation

$$\sqrt{40-9(-9)} - \sqrt{-(-9)} = 2\sqrt{7-(-9)}$$

$$\sqrt{40+81} - \sqrt{9} = 2\sqrt{7+9}$$

$$\sqrt{121} - \sqrt{9} = 2\sqrt{16}$$

$$11 - 3 = 2(4)$$

8 = 8 satisfies

Therefore $x = -9$ is a real root

$$\text{S.S} = \{-9\}$$

Review Exercise 1

Q1. Fill the correct circle only

i). if $(x+1)(x-5) = 0$ then solutions are

☐ $x = 1, -5$ ☐ $x = 1, 5$

☐ $x = -1, -5$ ☐ $x = -1, 5$

ii). If $x^2 - x - 1 = 0$ then $x = \dots\dots\dots$

☐ $\frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$ ☐ $-1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$

☐ $\frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$ ☐ $1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$

iii). $\frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$ in simplified form is

☐ $1 \pm \sqrt{24}$ ☐ $1 \pm \sqrt{6}$

☐ $2 \pm \sqrt{6}$ ☐ Cannot be simplified

iv). Apply the quadratic formula to $2x^2 - x = 3$

☐ $a = 2, b = -1, c = 3$ ☐ $a = 2, b = 1, c = 3$

☐ $a = 1, b = -1, c = -3$ ☐ $a = 1, b = -1, c = 0$

v). if $x^2 - 3x - 4 = 0$ then the solution are

☐ $x = 4, -1$ ☐ $x = -4, 1$

☐ $x = 4, 1$ ☐ $x = -4, -1$

vi). If $2x^2 - 4x + 9 = 0$ solutions are

☐ $x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{22}}{2}$ ☐ $x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{22}}{2}$

☐ $x = 2 \pm \frac{\sqrt{22}}{2}$ ☐ $x = -2 \pm \frac{\sqrt{22}}{2}$

vii). If $x^2 - \frac{1}{4} = 0$ the solutions are

☐ $x = \pm \frac{1}{2}$ ☐ $x = \pm \frac{1}{4}$

☐ $x = \pm \frac{1}{8}$ ☐ $x = \pm \frac{1}{16}$

viii). What are the solution of $x^2 + 7x - 18 = 0$

☐ 2 or -9 ☐ -2 or 9

☐ -2 or -9 ☐ 2 or 9

ix). Roots of $x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$ are

☐ 1 or -7 ☐ 2 or 4

☐ -2 or 4 ☐ 3 or 5

Q2. Solve $2w^4 - 5w^2 + 2 = 0$

Solution: we have $2w^4 - 5w^2 + 2 = 0$

Let $y = w^2 \Rightarrow y^2 = w^4$ Given equation becomes

$$2y^2 - 5y + 2 = 0$$

$$2y^2 - 4y - 1y + 2 = 0$$

$$2y(y-2) - 1(y-2) = 0$$

$$(2y-1)(y-2) = 0$$

Either $2y-1=0$ or $y-2=0$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = 2$$

Putting back the value of y

$$w^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$w^2 = 2$$

$$w = \frac{\pm 1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$w = \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ \frac{\pm 1}{\sqrt{2}}, \pm \sqrt{2} \right\}$$

Q3. Find the constant a and b such that $x = 1$ and $x = -1$ are the solutions to $ax^2 + bx + 2 = 0$

Sol: since $ax^2 + bx + 2 = 0$ have solution $x = 1$

So $a(1)^2 + b(1) + 2 = 0$

Or $a + b + 2 = 0 \dots\dots\dots(1)$

And $ax^2 + bx + 2 = 0$ have solution $x = -1$

So $a(-1)^2 + b(-1) + 2 = 0$

Or $a - b + 2 = 0 \dots\dots\dots(2)$

Adding eq (1) and eq (2)

$$a + b + 2 = 0$$

$$a - b + 2 = 0$$

$$2a + 4 = 0$$

$$2a = -4$$

$$a = -2 \text{ put in eq (1)}$$

$$-2 + b + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 0$$

Q4. Find all solutions of x such that $x^2 + 5x + 6$ and $x^2 + 19x + 32$ are equal

Sol: according to condition

$$x^2 + 19x + 32 = x^2 + 5x + 6$$

$$x^2 - x^2 + 19x - 5x = 6 - 32$$

$$13x = -26$$

$$x = -2$$

Q5. Find the solution to $49x^2 - 316x + 132 = 0$

Solution we have $49x^2 - 316x + 132 = 0$

$$49x^2 - 316x + 132 = 0$$

$$49x^2 - 294x - 22x + 132 = 0$$

$$49x(x-6) - 22(x-6) = 0$$

$$(49x-22)(x-6) = 0$$

Either $49x - 22 = 0$ $x - 6 = 0$

$$x = \frac{22}{49}$$

$$x = 6$$

$$\text{Solution set} = \left\{ 6, \frac{22}{49} \right\}$$