



PRAVAS

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Mathematics

Quadratic Equations

Lecture - 09

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Topics

to be covered

- A** More Question practice on LOR
- B** General Second Degree polynomial in x& y

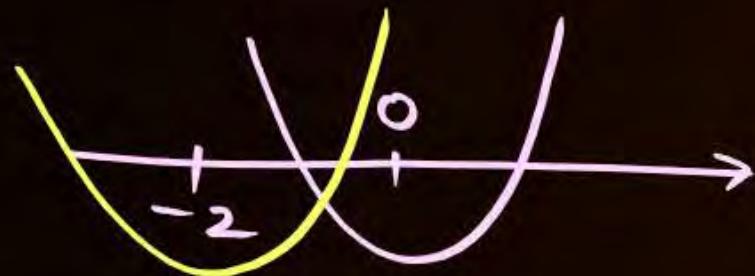




Homework Discussion

QUESTION

Find all possible values of m for which exactly one root of the equation $x^2 + mx + m^2 + 6m = 0$, lies in $(-2, 0)$.



$$f(0) \cdot f(-2) < 0$$

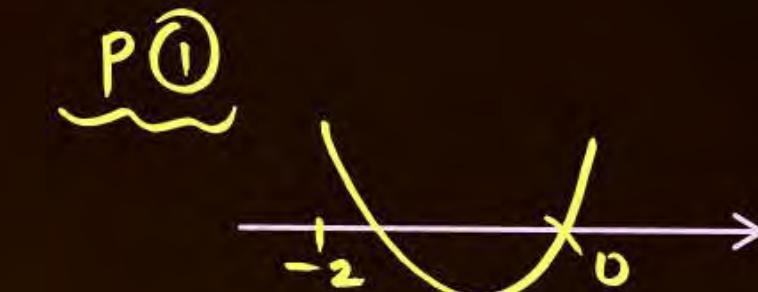
$$(m^2+6m)(4-2m+m^2+6m) < 0$$

$$m(m+6)(m^2+4m+4) < 0$$

$$m(m+6)(m+2)^2 < 0$$

$$m(m+6) < 0, m \neq -2$$

$$m \in (-6, 0) - \{-2\}$$



$$f(0) = 0 \rightarrow m = 0, -6$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \cancel{m=0} \quad \text{Eqn: } x^2 = 0 \\ \downarrow \quad \quad \quad (\text{rejected}) \quad x = 0, 0 \notin (-2, 0) \end{array}$$

second
root

$$\begin{array}{l} \cancel{m=-6} \quad x^2 - 6x = 0 \\ \downarrow \quad \quad \quad (\text{rejected}) \quad x = 0, 6 \notin (-2, 0) \end{array}$$

second
root

P② $f(-2) = 0$

$$\underbrace{m = -2}_{\text{(rejected)}}$$

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

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

$$x = -2, 4 \notin (-2, 0)$$

Ans: $m \in (-6, 0) - \{-2\}$.

QUESTION**(KTK 03)**

If the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = (a - 3)x^2 - 2ax + 3a - 7$ ranges from $[-1, \infty)$ for every $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then the value of a lies in

A [0, 2]**B** [3, 5]**C** [4, 6]**D** [5, 7]

clearly $a - 3 > 0$
 $a > 3$

$$f(x) = (a - 3)x^2 - 2ax + 3a - 7 \leftarrow \text{Range } \left[-\frac{D}{4A}, \infty \right) = [-1, \infty)$$

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

$$D = 4A$$

~~$$4a^2 - 4(a-3)(3a-7) = 4(a-3)$$~~

$$a^2 - 3a^2 + 7a + 9a - 21 = a - 3$$

$$-2a^2 + 15a - 18 = 0$$

$$2a^2 - 15a + 18 = 0$$

$$2a^2 - 12a - 3a + 18 = 0$$

$$(2a-3)(a-6) = 0$$

~~$$a = 3, \frac{1}{2}, 6$$~~



Ans. D



**Aao Machaay Dhamaal
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QUESTION

If $f(x) = x^2 + bx + c$ and $f(2 + t) = f(2 - t)$ for all real numbers t , then which of the following is true?

- A** $f(1) < f(2) < f(4)$
- B** $f(2) < f(1) < f(4)$
- C** $f(2) < f(4) < f(1)$
- D** $f(2.1) < f(1.5) < f(3)$

QUESTION [JEE Mains 2020]

The set of all real values of λ for which the quadratic equations,
 $(\lambda^2 + 1)x^2 - 4\lambda x + 2 = 0$ always have exactly one root in the interval $(0, 1)$ is:

- A** $(-3, -1)$
- B** $(2, 4]$
- C** $(0, 2)$
- D** $(1, 3]$

QUESTION

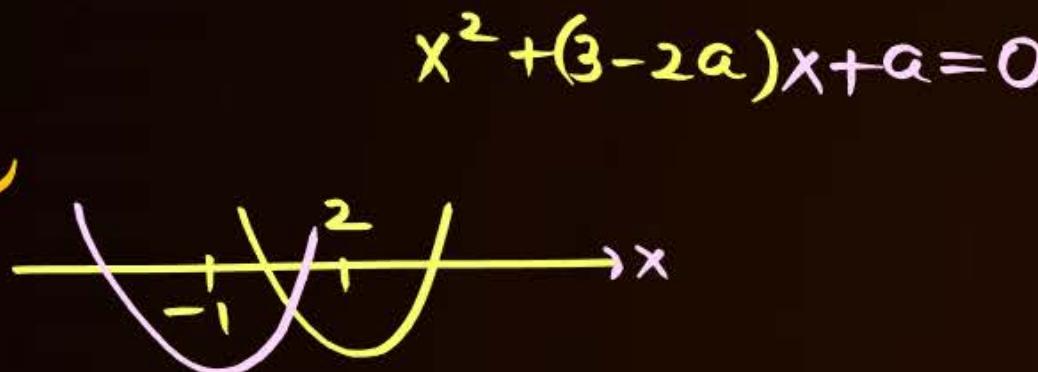
$$-1 \notin (-1, 2)$$



Find the values of a so that the equation $x^2 + (3 - 2a)x + a = 0$ has exactly one root in

(a) $(-1, 2)$

$$\textcircled{a}$$



$$f(-1) \cdot f(2) < 0$$

$$(1 - 3 + 2a + a)(4 + 6 - 4a + a) < 0$$

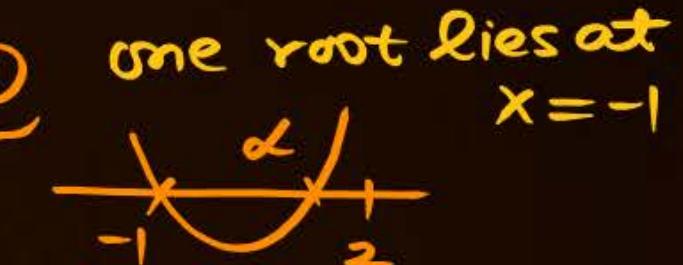
$$(3a - 2)(10 - 3a) < 0$$

$$(3a - 2)(3a - 10) > 0$$

$$a \in (-\infty, 2/3) \cup (10/3, \infty)$$

(b) $[-1, 2]$

$$\textcircled{p.1}$$



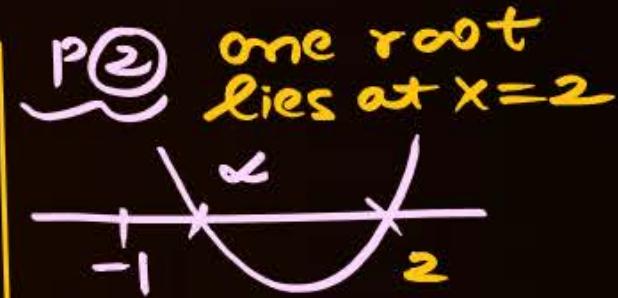
$$f(-1) = 0 \Rightarrow a = 2/3$$

$$P.O.R = a = 2/3$$

$$-1 \cdot \alpha = 2/3$$

$$\alpha = -2/3 \in (-1, 2/3)$$

$$\text{Ans: } a \in (-\infty, 2/3] \cup [10/3, \infty)$$



$$f(2) = 0 \Rightarrow a = 10/3$$

$$P.O.R = a = 10/3$$

$$2 \cdot \alpha = 10/3$$

$$\alpha = 5/3 \in (-1, 2)$$

QUESTION



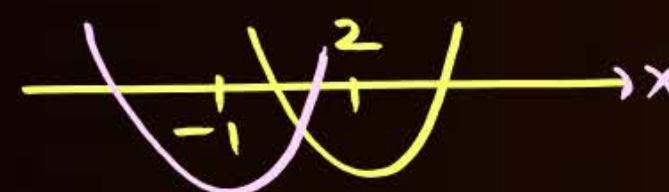
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- (a) $(-1, 2)$

- (b) $[-1, 2]$

b

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



$$f(-1) \cdot f(2) < 0$$

$$(1 - 3 + 2a + a)(4 + 6 - 4a + a) < 0$$

$$(3a - 2)(10 - 3a) < 0$$

$$(3a - 2)(3a - 10) > 0$$

$$a \in (-\infty, 2/3) \cup (10/3, \infty)$$

P① one root lies at $x = -1$



$$f(-1) = 0 \Rightarrow a = 2/3 \times$$

$$P.O.R = a = 2/3$$

$$-1 \cdot a = 2/3$$

$a = -2/3$ is not > 2
or < -1

P② one root lies at $x = 2$



$$f(2) = 0 \Rightarrow a = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$P.O.R = a = \frac{10}{3} \downarrow$$

$$2 \cdot a = \frac{10}{3} \quad (\text{neg})$$

$$a = 5/3 \neq 2$$

$$\text{or } < -1$$

Ans: $a \in (-\infty, 2/3) \cup (10/3, \infty)$

* if $D_1 + D_2 \geq 0$ \rightarrow Both D_1 & D_2 can not be -ve.



$$P(x) = a_1 x^2 + b_1 x + c_1,$$



$$D_1 = b_1^2 - 4a_1c_1$$

$$f(x) = a_2 x^2 + b_2 x + c_2$$

$$D_2 = b_2^2 - 4a_2c_2$$

at least one of D_1 or $D_2 \geq 0$



* At least one of the quadratics has real roots.

* If one of the quadratics has imaginary roots then roots of other quad are

real & distinct. Ex: If $D_2 < 0 \Rightarrow D_1$ should be +ve

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$f(x) = 0$ has
real & Distinct
roots.

★ If $D_1 + D_2 < 0$  Both D_1 & D_2 can not be +ve.



Atleast one of D_1 or D_2 is -ve.



- * Atleast one of the quad has imaginary roots.
- * If one of the quad has real roots
then roots of the other will be imaginary



A Golden Point



- (i) If $D_1 + D_2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow$

 - (a) Atleast one equation has real roots.
 - (b) If roots of one equation are imaginary then those of other equation will be real & unequal.

(ii) If $D_1 + D_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$

 - (a) Atleast one of the equation has imaginary roots.
 - (b) If roots of one equation are real then those of the other equation will be imaginary.

QUESTION

(IIT JEE)

Let $f(x) = x^2 + ax + b$ and $g(x) = x^2 + cx + d$ be two quadratic polynomial with real coefficients and satisfy $\underline{ac = 2(b+d)}$. Then which of the following is(are) correct?

- A** Exactly one of either $f(x) = 0$ or $g(x) = 0$ must have real roots.
- B** Atleast one of either $f(x) = 0$ or $g(x) = 0$ must have real roots.
- C** Both $f(x) = 0$ and $g(x) = 0$ must have real roots.
- D** Both $f(x) = 0$ and $g(x) = 0$ must have imaginary roots.
- $f(x) = x^2 + ax + b$
 $D_1 = a^2 - 4b$
- $g(x) = x^2 + cx + d$
 $D_2 = c^2 - 4d$
- $D_1 + D_2 = a^2 + c^2 - 4(b+d)$
- $D_1 + D_2 = a^2 + c^2 - 4 \cdot \frac{ac}{2}$
 $= a^2 + c^2 - 2ac$
- $D_1 + D_2 = (a-c)^2 \geq 0$

QUESTION

(IIT JEE)



The polynomial $(ax^2 + bx + c)(ax^2 - dx - c)$; $ac \neq 0$ has

A

Four real zeros

B

Atmost two real zeros

C

Atleast two real zeros

D

Information is insufficient

$$h(x) = (ax^2 + bx + c)(ax^2 - dx - c)$$

$$\text{let } f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c, g(x) = ax^2 - dx - c$$

$$D_1 = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$D_2 = d^2 + 4ac$$

$$D_1 + D_2 = b^2 + d^2 \geq 0.$$

Atmost \rightarrow Jyada se Jyada

Atleast \rightarrow Kurn se Kurn

Atleast one of $f(x)$ or $g(x)$ has real roots.

$h(x)$ has atleast two real roots.

QUESTION

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}, a > 0$ such that the equation $ax^2 + bcx + b^3 + c^3 - 4abc = 0$ has non real roots let $P(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ & $Q(x) = ax^2 + cx + b$, then

- A** $P(x) > 0 \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ & } Q(x) = ax^2 + cx + b > 0$
- B** $P(x) < 0 \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ & } Q(x) < 0 \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$
- C** Neither $P(x)$ nor $Q(x) > 0 \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$
- D** Exactly one of $P(x)$ or $Q(x)$ is positive for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$f(x,y) = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c \quad \text{is general second}$$

degree polynomial in x & y .

Condition for $f(x,y)$ to be resolved into two linear factors in x & y

$$ax^2 + bx + c$$

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$$a(x-\alpha)(x-\beta)$$

$$f(x,y) = ax^2 + x(2hy+2g) + by^2 + 2fy + c \sim \text{Quad in } x.$$

$$x = \frac{-(2hy+2g) \pm \sqrt{(2hy+2g)^2 - 4 \cdot a \cdot (by^2 + 2fy + c)}}{2a}.$$

$$x = \frac{-(hy + g) \pm \sqrt{h^2y^2 + g^2 + 2hyg - aby^2 - 2afy - ac}}{a}$$

$$x = \frac{-(hy+g) \pm \sqrt{(h^2-ab)y^2 + (2hg-2af)y + g^2-ac}}{a} = \alpha, \beta$$

$$f(x,y) = a(x - \alpha)(x - \beta)$$

$$= a \left(x - \left(\frac{-(hy+g) + \sqrt{(h^2-ab)y^2 + (2hg-2af)y + g^2-ac}}{a} \right) \right) \left(x - \left(\frac{-(hy+g) - \sqrt{(h^2-ab)y^2 + (2hg-2af)y + g^2-ac}}{a} \right) \right)$$

for linear factors in x & y . $(h^2-ab)y^2 + (2hg-2af)y + g^2-ac$ should be a perfect square.

$$\Rightarrow D = (2hg - 2af)^2 - 4(h^2 - ab)(g^2 - ac) = 0$$

$$h^2g^2 + a^2f^2 - 2hga f - h^2g^2 + h^2ac + abg^2 - a^2bc = 0$$

$$af^2 - 2fgh + h^2c + bg^2 - abc = 0$$

$$\Delta = Qbc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

$f(x,y) = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c$ can be splitted into
two linear factors if $\Delta = 0$ i.e $Qbc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$a=2, 2h=3, b=1, 2g=3, 2f=2, c=1$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3/2 & 3/2 \\ 3/2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3/2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad (R_2 = R_3)$$

\Rightarrow Above second degree exp can be factorized in to two linear factors.

M① $2x^2 + 3xy + y^2 + 2y + 3x + 1 = 0$

$$2x^2 + x(3y+3) + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-3(y+1) \pm \sqrt{9(y+1)^2 - 8(y+1)^2}}{4} = \frac{-3(y+1) \pm (y+1)}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{-3y-3+y+1}{4}, \frac{-3y-3-y-1}{4}$$

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

$$x = \frac{-(y+1)}{2}, -(y+1)$$

$$f(x,y) = 2 \left(x + \frac{y+1}{2} \right) (x+y+1)$$

$$f(x,y) = (2x+y+1)(x+y+1)$$

M② $2x^2 + 3xy + y^2 + 2y + 3x + 1 = f(x,y)$

Factorize homogenous part

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 + 3xy + y^2 &= 2x^2 + 2xy + xy + y^2 \\ &= (2x+y)(x+y) \end{aligned}$$

$$(2x+y+\lambda)(x+y+\mu) = 2x^2 + 3xy + y^2 + 2y + 3x + 1$$

coeff of x $\lambda + 2\mu = 3$

coeff of y $\frac{\lambda + \mu = 2}{\mu = 1}$

factors $(2x+y+1)(x+y+1)$ $\lambda = 1$

QUESTION



Show that in the equation, $x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 - 2x - 3y - 35 = 0$, for every real value of x there is a real value of y , and for every value of y there is a real value of x .

$$x^2 - (3y+2)x + 2y^2 - 3y - 35 = 0 \quad \text{let } y \in \mathbb{R} \text{ be any number}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D &= (3y+2)^2 - 4(2y^2 - 3y - 35) \\ &= 9y^2 + 4 + 12y - 8y^2 + 12y + 140 \\ &= y^2 + 24y + 144 \\ &= (y+12)^2 \geq 0 \quad \forall y \in \mathbb{R} \\ &\Downarrow \\ &\text{we get real } x \text{ for every } y \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

Again $2y^2 - y(3x+3) + x^2 - 2x - 35 = 0$ let $x \in \mathbb{R}$ be any number.

$$\begin{aligned} D &= 9(x+1)^2 - 8(x^2 - 2x - 35) \\ &= x^2 + 34x + 289 = (x+17)^2 \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \\ &\text{we get real } y \text{ for every } x \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

QUESTION



If the equation $x^2 + 16y^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$ is satisfied by real values of x and y then prove that $1 \leq x \leq 2$ and $-1/8 \leq y \leq 1/8$.

$$x^2 + 16y^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 16y^2 + 2 = 0$$

for real x



$$\Delta = 9 - 4(16y^2 + 2) \geq 0$$

$$9 - 64y^2 - 8 \geq 0$$

$$64y^2 \leq 1$$

$$(8y-1)(8y+1) \leq 0$$

$$y \in [-1/8, 1/8]$$

$$16y^2 + 0 \cdot y + x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$$

for real y

$$\Delta = 9 - 4 \cdot 16(x^2 - 3x + 2) \geq 0$$

$$= -64(x-1)(x-2) \geq 0$$

$$(x-1)(x-2) \leq 0$$

$$x \in [1, 2]$$

QUESTION

The values of k , for which the equation $x^2 + 2(k-1)x + k + 5 = 0$ possess atleast one positive root, are

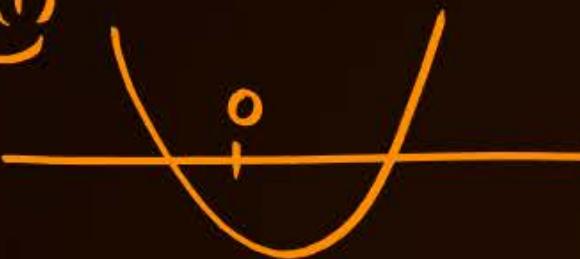
A $[4, \infty)$

B $(-\infty, -1] \cup [4, \infty)$

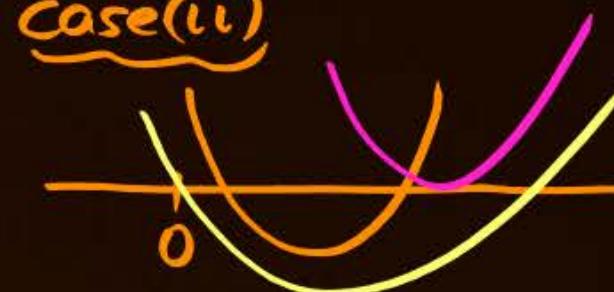
C $[-1, 4]$

D $(-\infty, -1]$

case(i)



case(ii)



$$f(0) < 0$$

$\Delta > 0 \rightarrow$ No Need

$$k+5 < 0$$

$$k < -5$$

$$f(0) \geq 0 \Rightarrow k+5 \geq 0 \Rightarrow k \geq -5$$

$$-\frac{b}{2a} > 0 \Rightarrow -\frac{2(k-1)}{2} > 0 \Rightarrow k < 1.$$

$$\Delta > 0$$

$$4(k-1)^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot (k+5) \geq 0$$

$$k^2 - 2k + 1 - k - 5 \geq 0$$

$$k^2 - 3k - 4 \geq 0$$

$$(k-4)(k+1) \geq 0$$

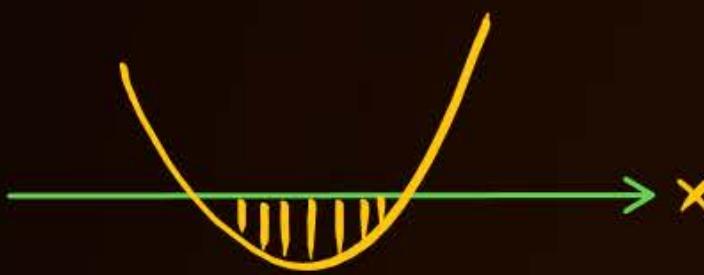
$$k \in (-\infty, -1] \cup [4, \infty)$$

$$k \in (-\infty, -1]$$

$$k \in [-5, -1]$$

QUESTION

Find 'a' for which the inequality $(a^2 + 3)x^2 + (\sqrt{5a+3})x - \frac{1}{4} < 0$ is satisfied for atleast one real x.



Upward opening
parabola

Should go below x axis

↓
Should have 2 real
& distinct roots.

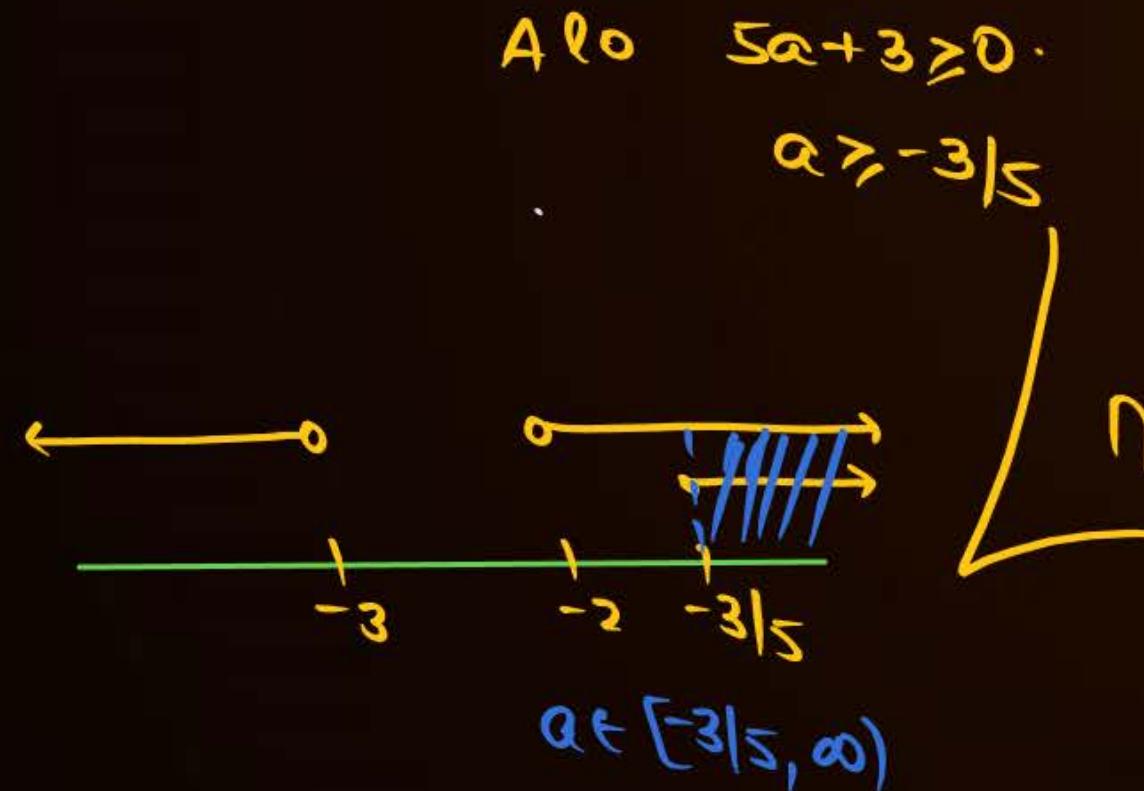
$$\Delta > 0$$

$$5a+3 - 4(a^2+3)(-\frac{1}{4}) > 0$$

$$a^2 + 5a + 6 > 0$$

$$(a+2)(a+3) > 0$$

$$a \in (-\infty, -3) \cup (-2, \infty)$$



Ans. $a \geq -3/5$

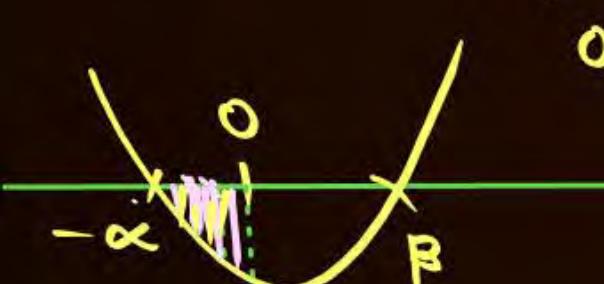
QUESTION

Prove that for any real value of 'a' the inequality, $\underbrace{(a^2 + 3)x^2 + (a + 2)x - 5 < 0}$ is true for at least one negative x.

$$f(x) \downarrow$$

upward opening parabola
should go below x axis
for atleast one -ve x.

Observe !! $f(0) = -5$



0 lies b/w roots.

↓
one root is -ve say $-\alpha$
& other +ve say β

$$f(x) < 0 \quad \forall x \in (-\alpha, 0)$$



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Today's KTK

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Apnao IIT Jao → Selection with Good Rank



The integer 'k', for which the inequality $x^2 - 2(3k - 1)x + 8k^2 - 7 > 0$ is valid for every $x \in \mathbb{R}$, is:

- A 4
- B 2
- C 3
- D 0

QUESTION**(KTK 02)**

Find the greatest value of $\frac{x+2}{2x^2 + 3x + 6}$ for real values of x.

Ans. 1/3

QUESTION**(KTK 03)**

If $\frac{mx^2+3x+4}{x^2+3x+4} < 5$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$, find possible values of m.



QUESTION**(KTK 04)**

Find all values of m for which the equation

$m \in \mathbb{R}, m \neq -1, (1 + m)x^2 - 2(1 + 3m)x + (1 + 8m) = 0$ gives roots according to the following conditions:

- (i) Exactly one root in the interval $(2, 3)$. Ans. $[4, \infty)$
- (ii) One root smaller than 1 and other root greater than 1. Ans. $(-1, 0)$
- (iii) Both roots smaller than 2. Ans. $(-1, 0]$
- (iv) Atleast one root in the interval $(2, 3)$. Ans. $[3, \infty)$
- (v) Atleast one root greater than 2. Ans. $(-\infty, -1) \cup [1, \infty)$
- (vi) Roots such that both 1 and 2 lie between them. Ans. \emptyset
- (vii) One root in $(1, 2)$ and other root in $(2, 3)$. Ans. \emptyset

QUESTION**(KTK 05)**

If both the roots of the quadratic equation $x^2 - mx + 4 = 0$ are real and distinct and they lie in the interval $[1, 5]$, then m lies in the interval :

- A** $(-5, -4)$
- B** $(4, 5)$
- C** $(5, 6)$
- D** $(3, 4)$



Homework From Module



Quadratic Equations

Prarambh (Topicwise) : Q1 to Q27

Prabal (JEE Main Level) : Q1,Q2,Q6 to Q9

Parikshit (JEE Advanced Level) : Abhi Ruko



Solution to Previous TAH

QUESTION

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Find number of integral values α for which the quadratic equation $x^2 + \alpha x + \alpha + 1 = 0$ has integral roots.

~~Q1~~ find num of integral values of α for which the quad eqn $x^2 + \alpha x + \alpha + 1 = 0$ has integral roots.

~~n-1~~ integers $\leftarrow \begin{matrix} a \\ b \end{matrix} \rightarrow x^2 + \alpha x + \alpha + 1 = 0 \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}$

D should be perfect square

$$\alpha^2 - 4(\alpha + 1) = m^2$$

$$\alpha^2 - 4\alpha - 4 = m^2$$

$$\alpha^2 - 4\alpha + 4 - 8 = n^2$$

$$(\alpha - 2)^2 - m^2 = 8$$

$$(\alpha - 2 - m)(\alpha - 2 + m) = 8$$

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \alpha - 2 - m = +1 & \alpha - 2 - m = -8 & \alpha - 2 - m = 2 & \alpha - 2 - m = -4 \\ \alpha - 2 + m = +8 & \alpha - 2 + m = -1 & \alpha - 2 + m = 4 & \alpha - 2 + m = -2 \end{array}$$

$$\alpha = 13/2$$

~~X~~

$$\alpha = -5/2$$

~~X~~

$$\alpha = 5$$

~~✓~~

$$\alpha = -1$$

✓

L-8 (quadratic)

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Ques ①

$$x^2 + \alpha x + \alpha + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \alpha x + \alpha + 1 = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} a \\ b \end{matrix}$$

here, $a=1, b, c=1$

$$D = \alpha^2 - 4(\alpha + 1)$$

$$\alpha^2 - 4(\alpha + 1) = m^2 \quad \text{where } m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$(\alpha - 2)^2 - (m^2) = 8 \Rightarrow (\alpha - 2 - m)(\alpha - 2 + m) = 8$$

rej \leftarrow

	1	8	: possible cases
	8	1	
✓	2	4	
✓	4	2	
rej \leftarrow	-1	-8	
	-8	-1	
✓	-2	-4	
✓	-4	-2	

NOW,

$$\alpha - 2 - m = 1$$

$$\textcircled{+} \quad \alpha - 2 + m = 8$$

$$2\alpha = 13 \Rightarrow \alpha = 13/2 \text{ (rej)}$$

$$\alpha - 2 - m = 2$$

$$\textcircled{+} \quad \alpha - 2 + m = 4$$

$$2\alpha = 10 \Rightarrow \alpha = 5, \quad 2\alpha - 4 = -6$$

$$\alpha - 2 - m = -2$$

$$\textcircled{+} \quad \alpha - 2 + m = -4$$

$$2\alpha = -2 \Rightarrow \alpha = -1$$

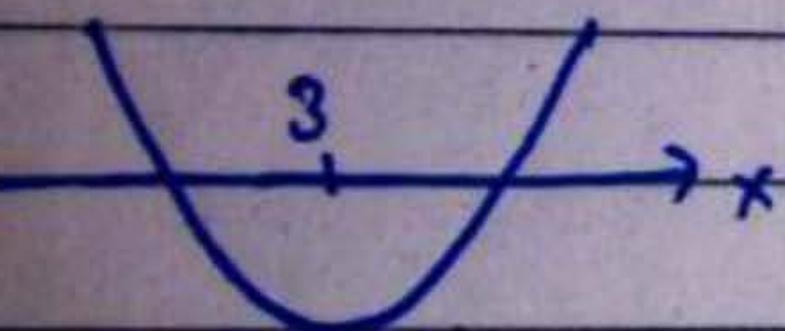
Hence, for two integral values of α i.e. 5 & -1 for which quadratic has integral roots //

QUESTION

Find the set of values of 'a' for which zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $(a^2 + a + 1)x^2 + (a - 1)x + a^2$ are located on either side of 3.

TAH02

$(a^2+a+1)x^2 + (a-1)x + a^2$ are located either side of 3



$a^2+a+1 > 0$ since coefficient of $x^2 > 0$,
 & $D < 0$

we don't need to check $D \geq 0$ cause roots are either side

$$f(3) < 0$$

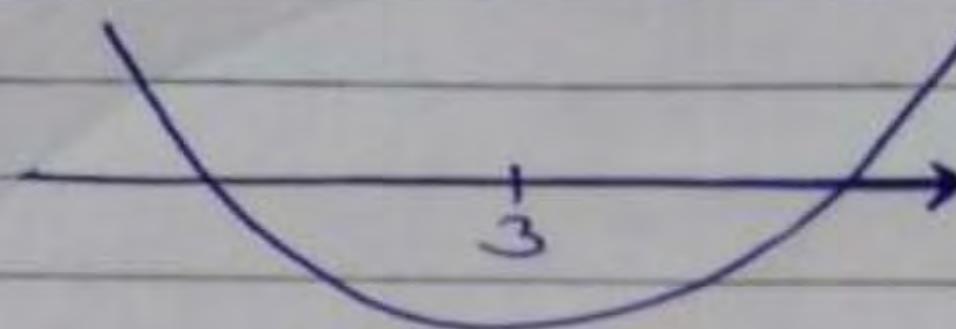
$$9a^2 + 9a + 9 + 3a - 3 + a^2 < 0$$

$$10a^2 + 12a + 6 < 0$$

$$5a^2 + 6a + 3 < 0 \text{ No such value}$$

\emptyset

TM-02



$$y = \underbrace{(a^2 + a + 1)}_{D < 0} x^2 + (a - 1)x + a^2 = 0$$

• always +ve

$$f(3) < 0$$

$$(a^2 + a + 1) 9 + (a - 1) 3 + a^2 < 0$$

$$9a^2 + 9a + 9 + 3a - 3 + a^2 < 0$$

$$10a^2 + 12a + 6 < 0$$

$$\underbrace{5a^2 + 6a + 3}_{L} < 0$$

$$\begin{matrix} 15 \\ 5 \quad 3 \end{matrix}$$

$$a > 0$$

$$D = 36 - 4(5)(3)$$

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no such values of a exist.

QUESTION [JEE Advanced 2009]

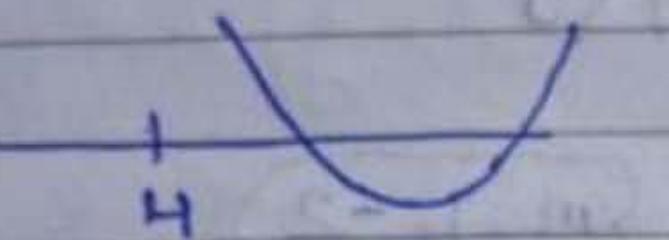


The smallest value of k , for which both the roots of the equation,
 $x^2 - 8kx + 16(k^2 - k + 1) = 0$ are real, distinct and have values at least 4, is

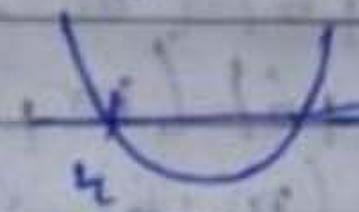
TAHS



$$x^2 - 8Kx + 16(K^2 - K + 1) = 0$$



or



(i) $\Delta > 0$

$$64K^2 - 64(K^2 - K + 1) > 0$$

$$K^2 - K^2 + K - 1 > 0$$

$K > 1$

(ii) $\frac{-b}{2a} > 4$

$$8K > 8$$

$K > 1$

(iii) $\pm(4) > 0$

$$16 - 32K + 16K^2 - 16K + 16 > 0$$

$$16K^2 - 48K + 32 > 0 \rightarrow K^2 - 3K + 2 > 0$$

$$K^2 - 2K - K + 2 > 0$$

$\text{So } (K-2)(K-1) > 0$

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$K \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [2, \infty)$

Intersection of (i), (ii) & (iii)

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$\therefore x \in [2, \infty)$ Smallest value of $K = 2$

TAHOE

SOLⁿ:

$$x^2 - 8kx + 16(k^2 - k + 1) = 0$$



① $b(cu) \geq 0$

② $-\frac{b}{2a} > 4$

③ $D > 0$

① $b(cu) \geq 0$

$$16 - 8k(cu) + 16(k^2 - k + 1) \geq 0$$

$$16 - 32k + 16k^2 - 16k + 16 \geq 0$$

$$16k^2 - 48k + 32 \geq 0$$

$$k^2 - 3k + 2 \geq 0$$

$$k^2 - 2k - k + 2 \geq 0$$

$$k(k-2) - 1(k-2) \geq 0$$

$$k(k-2)(k-1) \geq 0$$

$$k \in (-\infty, 0] \cup [2, \infty)$$

②

$$-\frac{b}{2a} > 4$$

$$\frac{8k}{2} > 4$$

$$8k > 8$$

$$k > 1 \quad k \in (1, \infty)$$

$$k \in [2, \infty)$$

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③ $D > 0$

$$64k^2 - 64k^2 + 64k + 64 > 0$$

$$64k > -64$$

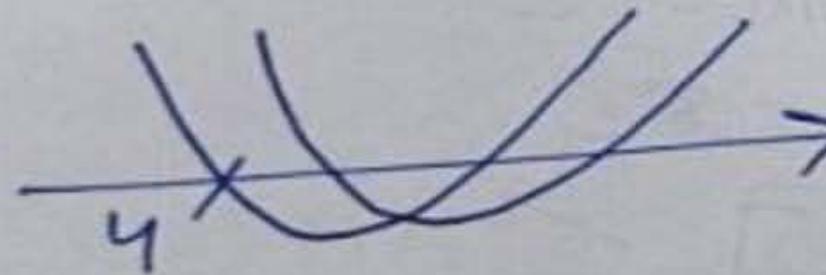
$$k > -1$$

$$k \in (-1, \infty)$$

Ans: min. value 2.

TAH-03

$$f(x) = x^2 - 8Kx + 16(K^2 - K + 1) = 0.$$



Conditions

i.) $f(4) \geq 0$

$$16 - 48(4)K + 16(K^2 - K + 1) \geq 0$$
$$16 - 32K + 16K^2 - 16K + 16 \geq 0$$

$$16K^2 - 48K + 32 \geq 0.$$

$$K^2 - 3K + 2 \geq 0.$$

$$(K-2)(K-1) \geq 0.$$

$$K \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [2, \infty).$$

(II) $\frac{P-b}{2a} > 4$

$$\frac{8K}{2} > 4.$$
$$K > 1.$$

(III) $D > 0$

$$64K^2 - 64(K^2 - K + 1) > 0.$$

$$4K^2 - K^2 + K - 1 > 0.$$

$$K > 1.$$

$$K \in [2, \infty)$$

$K=2$ ans

QUESTION

Find all the values of 'a' for which both roots of the equation $x^2 + x + a = 0$ exceed the quantity 'a'.

Ans. $(-\infty, -2)$

TAH 04

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Solⁿ:

$$a = 1 + x^2 \geq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad -x^2 \leq -1$$
$$x^2 + x + a = 0$$



$$f(a) > 0$$

$$a^2 + a + a > 0$$

$$a^2 + 2a > 0$$

$$a(a+2) > 0$$

$$x \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (0, \infty)$$

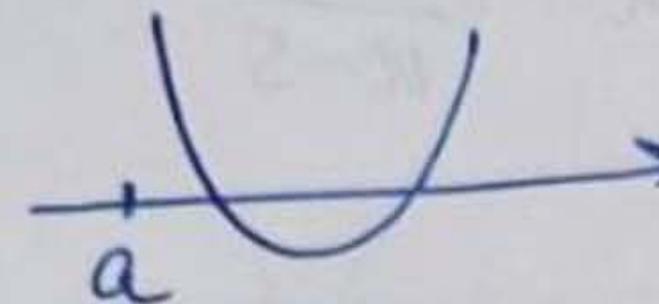
~~$x \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (0, \infty)$~~ $a \in (-\infty, \frac{1}{4})$

$$a \in (-\infty, -2)$$

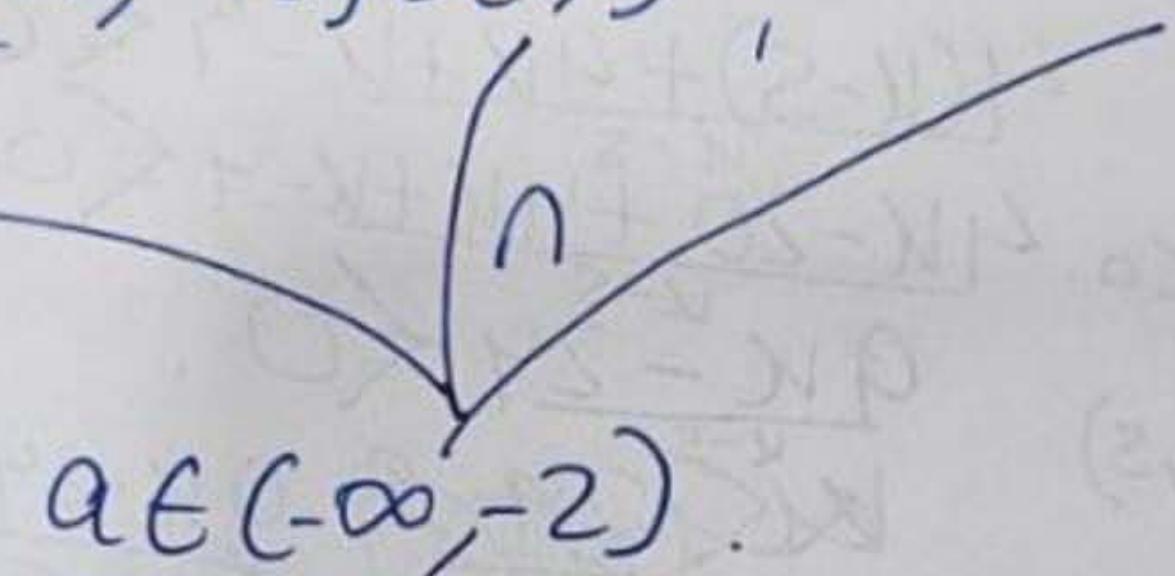
Ans: $a \in (-\infty, -2)$

ТАИ-04

$$f(x) = x^2 + x + a = 0.$$



$$\begin{array}{l|l|l} \text{(i)} \quad -\frac{b}{2a} > a & \text{(ii)} \quad f(a) \geq 0 & D \geq 0 \\ \hline & ; a^2 + a + a \geq 0 & ; 1 - 4a \geq 0 \\ & ; a^2 + 2a \geq 0 & ; 4a - 1 \leq 0 \\ & ; a(a+2) \geq 0 & ; \\ & ; a < -2 \quad \text{or} \quad a \geq 0 & ; \\ \hline & ; a \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (0, \infty) & ; \\ & ; & ; \\ & ; & ; \end{array}$$



$$a \in (-\infty, -2)$$

QUESTION

If α, β are roots of the quadratic equation $x^2 + 2(k - 3)x + 9 = 0 (\alpha \neq \beta)$.
If $\alpha, \beta \in (-6, 1)$, find k .

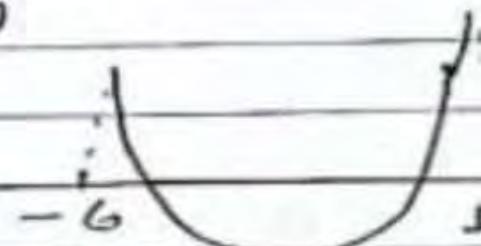
TAH ⑤

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$$x^2 + 2(k-3)x + 9 = 0 \quad \begin{array}{c} \alpha \\ \beta \end{array} \quad (\alpha \neq \beta)$$

so, roots are
distinct

$$a > 0$$



$$\alpha, \beta \in (-6, 1)$$

\rightarrow possibility //

$$f(-6) > 0 \quad -(I)$$

$$f(1) > 0 \quad -(II)$$

$$-6 < -\frac{b}{2a} < 1 \quad -(III)$$

$$D > 0 \quad -(IV)$$

Now,

$$f(-6) > 0 \quad -(I)$$

$$36 + 2(-6)(k-3) + 9 > 0$$

$$36 - 12k + 36 + 9 > 0$$

$$-12k + 81 > 0$$

$$4 \cdot 12k < 81 \cdot 27$$

$$\left[k < \frac{27}{4} \right]$$

$$f(1) > 0 \quad -(II)$$

$$1 + 2k - 6 + 9 > 0$$

$$2k > 4$$

$$\boxed{k > 2}$$

$$D > 0 \quad -(IV)$$

$$4(k-3)^2 - 4 \cdot 9 > 0$$

$$k^2 + 9 - 6k - 9 > 0$$

$$k(k-6) > 0$$

$$\begin{matrix} -9 & 6 \\ 0 & \end{matrix}$$

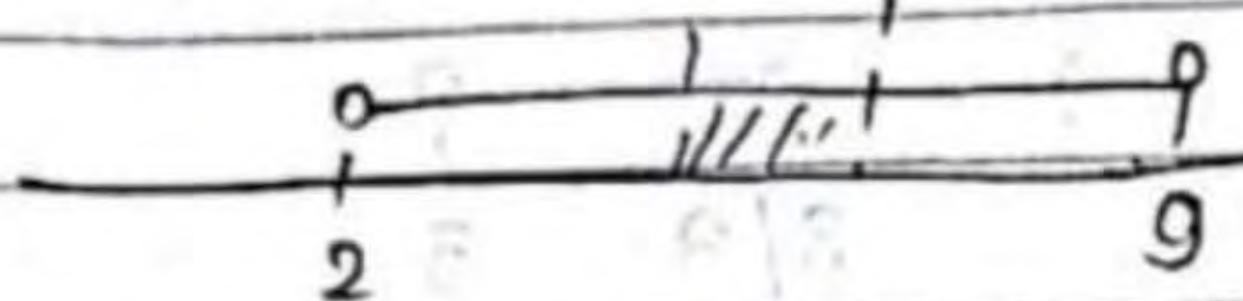
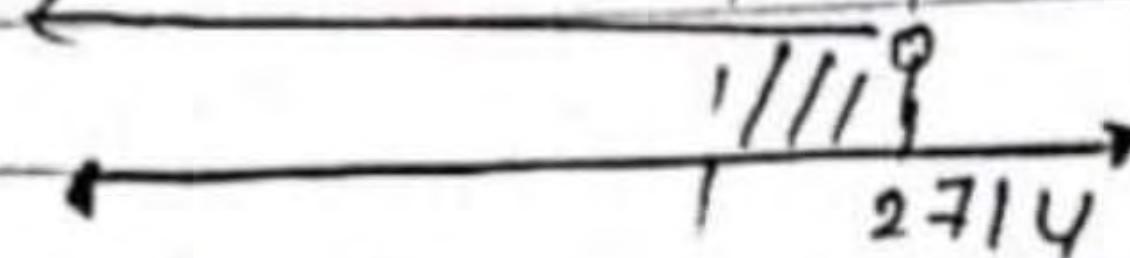
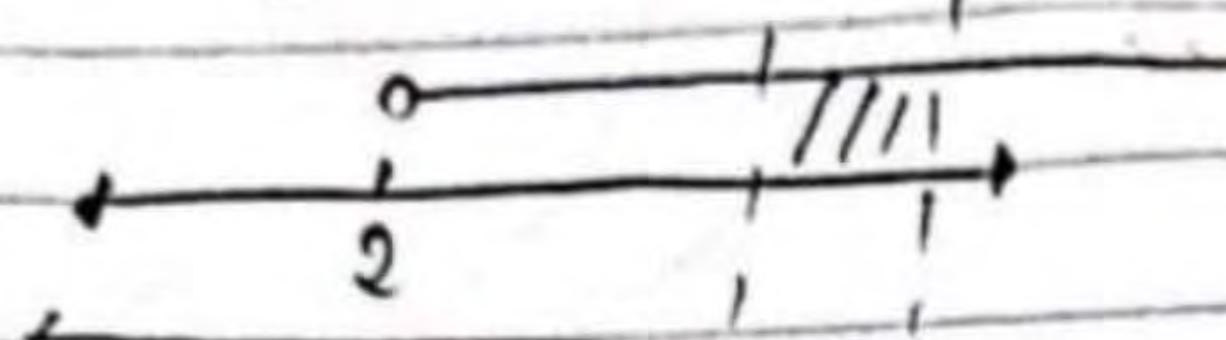
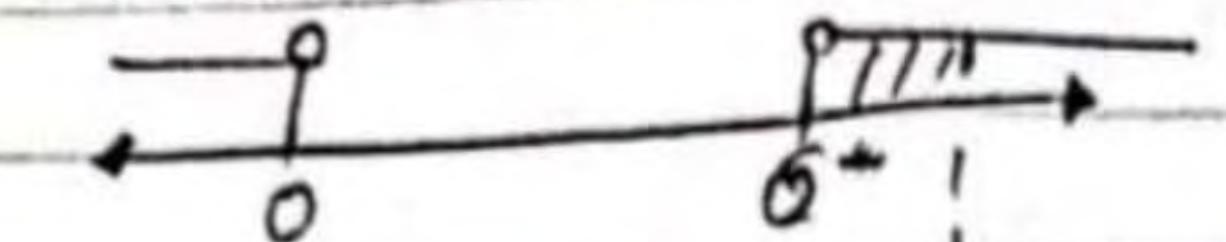
$$-6 < -\frac{b}{2a} < 1 \quad -(III)$$

$$-\frac{b}{2} < -2(k-3) < 1 \Rightarrow -4k < -2(k-3) < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 < k-3 < 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{-2 < k < 9}$$

Now, $\textcircled{I} \cap \textcircled{II} \cap \textcircled{III} \cap \textcircled{IV}$



$$\Rightarrow K \in (6, 2\frac{7}{4}) //$$

QUESTION

Find the value of k for which one root of the equation of $(k - 5)x^2 + 2kx + k - 4 = 0$ is smaller than 1 and the other root exceed 2.

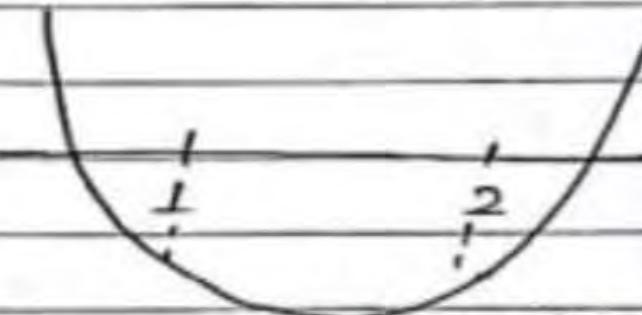
QH(6) $(K-5)x^2 + 2Kx + K-4 = 0$ where 1 root is smaller than 1 & other exceed 2

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2 + 2Kx + K-4}{K-5} = 0$$

$a > 0$

$$\alpha < 1 < \beta$$

Here $D \neq 0$



so, $f(1) < 0$ — (i)

$$f(2) < 0$$
 — (ii)

$D > 0 \rightarrow$ NO need

by logic

$$K-8+2K+K-4 < 0$$

$$4K-9 < 0$$

$$\boxed{K < 9/4}$$

$$f(2) < 0 \rightarrow (ii)$$

$$4(K-5) + 4K + K-4 < 0$$

$$4K - 20 + 4K - 4 < 0$$

$$9K < 24$$

$$\boxed{\frac{K < 8}{3}}$$

④ QH(7) $f(1) < 0$ — (i)

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{2K}{K-5} + \frac{K-4}{K-5} < 0 \Rightarrow \frac{K-5 + 3K - 4}{(K-5)} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(4K-9)}{(K-5)} < 0 \Rightarrow$$

0	+	1
9/4	5	

$$f(2) < 0$$

$$4 + \frac{4k}{k-5} + \frac{k-4}{k-5} < 0$$

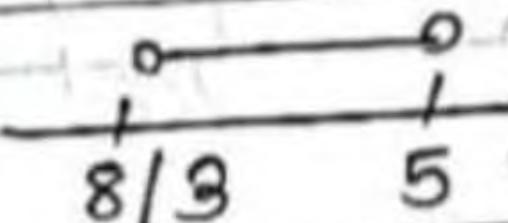
$$\frac{4K - 20 + 4K + K - 4}{K-5} <$$

$$\frac{9K - 24}{K - 5} <$$

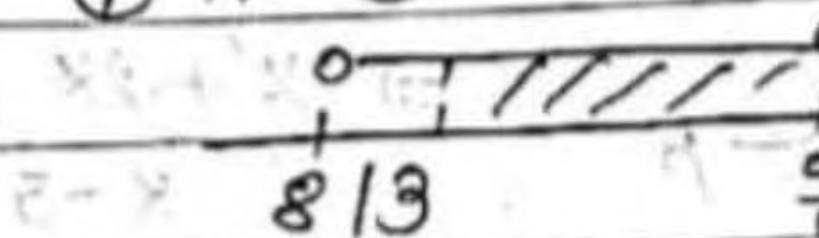
$$(\kappa - 8/3) <$$

C K-S

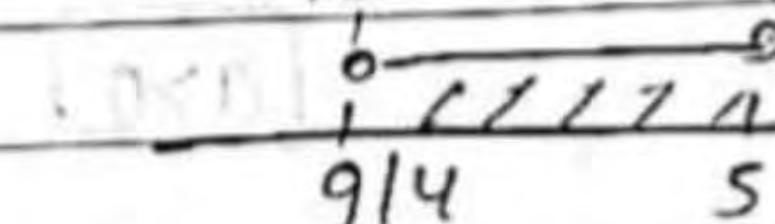
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$$\frac{1}{5} \Rightarrow \kappa \in (914, 5) //$$

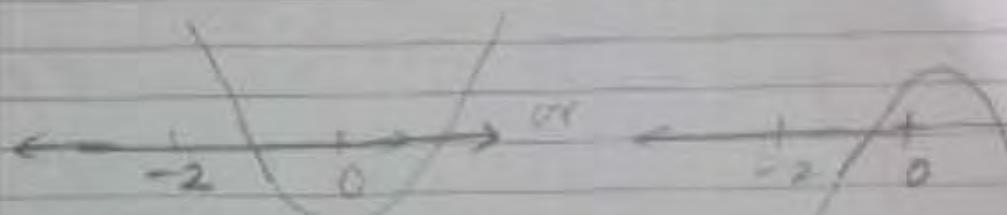


QUESTION

Find all possible values of m for which exactly one root of the equation $x^2 + mx + m^2 + 6m = 0$, lies in $(-2, 0)$.

Ques- find all possible values of m for which exactly one root of equation $x^2 + mx + m^2 + 6m = 0$, lies in $(-2, 0)$.

$$\text{Soln} \quad x^2 + mx + m^2 + 6m = 0$$



$$f(-2) > 0$$

$$f(0) < 0$$

$$a > 0$$

$$D \geq 0$$

$$f(-2) < 0$$

$$f(0) > 0$$

$$a < 0$$

$$D \geq 0$$

$$f(-2)f(0) < 0$$

$$a \neq 0$$

$$D \geq 0 \quad (\text{no need})$$

$$(i) \quad f(0)f(-2) < 0$$

$$(m^2 + 6m)(4 - 2m + m^2 + 6m) < 0$$

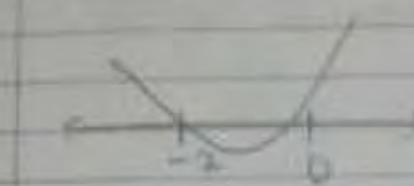
$$m(m+6)(m+2)^2 < 0$$

$$m(m+6) < 0, \quad m \neq -2$$

$$m \in (-6, 0) - \{-2\} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

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Possibilities -

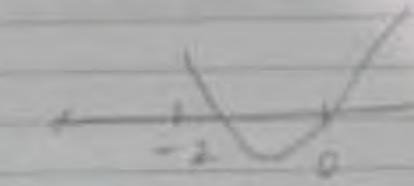


$$f(-2) = 0$$

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

$$m + 2 = 0$$

$$m = -2$$



$$f(0) = 0$$

$$m^2 + 6m = 0$$

$$m(m+6) = 0$$

$$m = 0, \quad m = -6$$

So, at $m = -2$,

$$x^2 - 2x + 4 - 12 = 0$$

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

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

$$x = 4, \quad x = -2 \quad \{\text{NP}\}$$

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$$at \quad m = 0,$$

$$x^2 = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad \{\text{NP}\}$$

Both roots will become equal

$$at \quad m = -6$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 36 - 36 = 0$$

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

$$x = 0, \quad x = 6 \quad \{\text{NP}\}$$

So, $m \in (0, 6) - \{-2\}$ final

Find all possible values for which exactly one root of the eqn
 $n^2 + mn + m^2 + 6m = 0$ lies in $(-2, 0)$

Sol

$$\begin{matrix} \cup \\ \cup \end{matrix} \rightarrow \quad \begin{matrix} \cup \\ \cup \end{matrix} \rightarrow$$

$$f(0) \cdot f(-2) < 0$$

$$(m^2 + 6m)(4 - 2m + m^2 + 6m) < 0$$

$$m(m+6)(m^2 + 4m + 4) < 0$$

$$m(m+6)(m+2)^2 < 0$$

$$m(m+6) < 0 \quad m \neq -2$$

$$\begin{array}{c} + \\ \begin{matrix} + & - & + \\ b & 0 & m \end{matrix} \end{array} \quad m \in (-\infty, -6) \cup (-2, \infty)$$

Now two Possibilities ans

Case 1

$$\begin{matrix} \cup \\ \cup \end{matrix} \rightarrow$$

$$f(0) = 0, \quad (m+2)^2 = 0$$

$$(4 - 2m + m^2 + 6m) = 0$$

$$(m+2)^2 = 0$$

$$m = -2$$

Case 2

$$\begin{matrix} \cup \\ \cup \end{matrix} \rightarrow$$

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$(m^2 + 6m) = 0$$

$$m(m+6) = 0$$

$$m=0, \quad m=-6.$$

$$m = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0$$

$$n^2 - 2n + 4 - 12 = 0$$

$$n^2 - 2n - 8 = 0$$

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

$$n=4, \quad n=-2$$

4, -2 not lies in
 $(-2, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow m = -6$$

$$n^2 - 6n + 36 - 36 = 0$$

$$n(n-6) = 0$$

$$n=0, \quad n=6$$

0, 6 not lies in $(-2, 0)$

Final Ans

$$m \in (-\infty, -6) \cup (-2, \infty) \text{ Ans}$$



Solution to Previous KTKs

QUESTION**(KTK 01)**

If $x \in \mathbb{R}$ then range of $f(x) = \frac{x^2+2x-3}{2x^2+3x-9}$ is

A $(-\infty, \infty)$

B $\mathbb{R} - \left\{\frac{1}{2}\right\}$

C $\mathbb{R} - \left\{\frac{4}{9}, \frac{1}{2}\right\}$

D $\mathbb{R} - \left\{\frac{3}{2}\right\}$

Ans. C

KTK01

SOLⁿ:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{2x^2 + 3x - 9}$$

$$y = \frac{x^2 + 3x - x - 3}{2x^2 + 6x - 3x - 9}$$

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

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

$$y = \frac{x-1}{2x-3} \quad x \neq -3$$

$$f(-3) = \frac{-3-1}{-6-3} = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$\text{Range} = R - \left\{ \frac{4}{9}, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

$$= R - \left\{ \frac{4}{9}, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

Ans:

(C)

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Range: $R - \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, \frac{4}{9} \right\}$ (C) - Ans.

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$$y = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{2x^2 + 3x - 9}$$

$$y = \frac{(x-1)(x+3)}{(x+3)(2x-3)} \quad y(-3) = \frac{-4}{-9} = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$y = \frac{x-1}{2x-3}, x \neq -3$$

QUESTION**(KTK 02)**

If the highest point on the graph of $y = -x^2 - 2kx + 3a$ is $(-1, 2)$ then the value of $(k + 6a)$ is

A 2

B 3

C 5

D 6

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x_v & \swarrow & y_v \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ -\frac{b}{2a} & & -\frac{D}{4a} \end{array}$$

KTK-2.) If the highest point on the graph of $y = -x^2 - 2kx + 3$ is $(-1, 2)$ then the value of $(k+6a)$ is

Highest point : $\left(\frac{-b}{2a}, \frac{-D}{4a} \right) = (-1, 2)$

$$\frac{-b}{2a} = -1 \Rightarrow \frac{2k}{-2} = -1$$
$$\Rightarrow [k = 1]$$

$$\frac{-D}{4a} = 2 \Rightarrow -\frac{(4k^2 - 4(-1)(3a))}{-4} = 2$$
$$= 4k^2 + 12a = 8$$

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$$= 4 + 12a = 8$$

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$$\Rightarrow 12a = 4$$
$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$k+6a \equiv 1+6\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = 1+2$$
$$= \underline{\underline{3}} \quad \textcircled{B} \quad \underline{\underline{\text{Ans.}}}$$

QUESTION**(KTK 03)**

If the quadratic polynomial $f(x) = (a - 3)x^2 - 2ax + 3a - 7$ ranges from $[-1, \infty)$ for every $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then the value of a lies in

- A** [0, 2]
- B** [3, 5]
- C** [4, 6)
- D** [5, 7]

Ans. C

QUESTION**(KTK 04)**

Find the range of values of a , such that $f(x) = \frac{ax^2+2(a+1)x+9a+4}{x^2-8x+32}$ is always negative.

$$\begin{array}{c} (?) \quad \frac{ax^2 + 2(a+1)x + 9a+4}{x^2 - 8x + 32} \quad \text{Always -ve} \\ (+) \end{array}$$

$\downarrow Q > 0, D < 0$
always +ve

$$Qx^2 + 2(a+1)x + 9a+4 < 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$Q < 0 \quad \& \quad D < 0$$



Ans. $a \in \left(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

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Sol:

$$y = \frac{ax^2 + 2(a+1)x + 9a + 4}{x^2 - 8x + 32}$$

$\rightarrow D < 0 \rightarrow +\text{VR} -$

$a < 0$ (given)

$$D < 0$$

$$4(a^2 + 2a + 1) - 4a(9a + 4) < 0$$

$$4a^2 + 8a + 4 - 36a^2 - 16a < 0$$

$$-32a^2 - 8a + 4 < 0$$

$$32a^2 + 8a - 4 > 0$$

$$8a^2 + 2a - 1 > 0$$

$$8a^2 + 4a - 2a - 1 > 0$$

$$4a(2a + 1) - 1(2a - 1) > 0$$

$$(2a + 1)(4a - 1) > 0$$

$$a \in (-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}) \cup (\frac{1}{4}, \infty)$$

Range: $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}) \cup (\frac{1}{4}, \infty)$

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Find the range of values of a such that

$$f(x) = \frac{ax^2 + 2(a+1)x + 9a + 4}{x^2 - 8x + 32} \text{ is always negative.}$$

Q:

$$f(x) = \frac{ax^2 + 2(a+1)x + 9a + 4}{x^2 - 8x + 32}$$

$a > 0, D < 0$ always true

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 4(a+1)^2 - 4a(9a+4) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow 4a^2 + 4 + 8a - 36a^2 - 16a &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow -32a^2 - 8a + 4 &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow -8a^2 - 2a + 1 &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow -(4a^2 + 2a - 1) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2a + 1)(4a - 1) &> 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{+}{-} \frac{-}{+}$$

$$a \in (-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}) \cup (\frac{1}{4}, \infty)$$

for $a < 0$

$$a \in (-\infty, -\frac{1}{2})$$

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If $\alpha^2 = 5\alpha - 3$, $\beta^2 = 5\beta - 3$ then the value of $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$ is

- A $\frac{19}{3}$
- B $\frac{25}{3}$
- C $-\frac{19}{3}$
- D None of these

KTK 05:

$$\alpha^2 = 5\alpha - 3$$

$$\beta^2 = 5\beta + 3$$

$$\gamma^2 - 5\gamma + 3 = 0 \xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} \alpha \\ \beta \end{array}}$$

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$$\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha + \beta &= 5 \\ \alpha\beta &= 3\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta} \rightarrow \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{(5)^2 - 2 \times 3}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{25 - 6}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{19}{3}$$

KTC-5.) If $\alpha^2 = 5\alpha - 3$, $\beta^2 = 5\beta - 3$ then the value of $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$ is

$$\alpha^2 = 5\alpha - 3 \rightarrow$$

$$\beta^2 = 5\beta - 3 \rightarrow \beta^2 = 5\beta - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^2 - 5\alpha + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a} = 3, \alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} = \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta} = \frac{5\alpha - 3 + 5\beta - 3}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5\alpha + 5\beta - 6}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5(5) - 6}{3} = \frac{19}{3} \text{ Ans.}$$

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