

## Exercise 1.1

1. Write the following quadratic equations in the standard form and point out pure quadratic equations.

i.  $(x+7)(x-3) = -7$

**Solution:**

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

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

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

$$x^2 + 4x - 21 + 7 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 14 = 0$$

The above equation is a quadratic equation.

ii.  $\frac{x^2+4}{3} - \frac{x}{7} = 1$

**Solution:**

$$\frac{x^2+4}{3} - \frac{x}{7} = 1$$

Multiply both sides by 21, we get

$$21 \times \frac{x^2+4}{3} - 21 \times \frac{x}{7} = 1 \times 21$$

$$7(x^2+4) - 3x = 21$$

$$7x^2 + 28 - 3x = 21$$

$$7x^2 - 3x + 28 - 21 = 0$$

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

The above equation is a quadratic equation.

$$\text{iii. } \frac{x}{x+1} + \frac{x+1}{x} = 6$$

**Solution:**

$$\frac{x}{x+1} + \frac{x+1}{x} = 6$$

$$\frac{x^2 + (x+1)^2}{x(x+1)} = 6$$

$$x^2 + x^2 + 2x + 1 = 6x(x+1)$$

$$2x^2 + 2x + 1 = 6x^2 + 6x$$

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0$$

The above equation is a quadratic equation.

$$\text{iv. } \frac{x+4}{x-2} - \frac{x-2}{x} + 4 = 0$$

**Solution:**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

$$x^2 - 1 = 0$$

The above equation is a pure quadratic equation.

$$\text{v. } \frac{x+3}{x+4} - \frac{x-5}{x} = 1$$

**Solution:**

$$\frac{x+3}{x+4} - \frac{x-5}{x} = 1$$

$$\frac{x(x+3) - (x+4)(x-5)}{x(x+4)} = 1$$

$$(x^2 + 3x) - x(x-5) - 4(x-5) = x(x+4)$$

$$x^2 + 3x - x^2 + 5x - 4x + 20 = x^2 + 4x$$

$$x^2 - x^2 + 3x + 5x - 4x + 20 = x^2 + 4x$$

$$4x + 20 = x^2 + 4x$$

$$-x^2 + 4x - 4x + 20 = 0$$

$$-x^2 - 20 = 0$$

$$-(x^2 - 20) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 20 = 0$$

The above equation is a pure quadratic equation.

$$\text{vi. } \frac{x+1}{x+2} + \frac{x+2}{x+3} = \frac{25}{12}$$

**Solution:**

$$\frac{x+1}{x+2} + \frac{x+2}{x+3} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{(x+1)(x+3) + (x+2)^2}{(x+2)(x+3)} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{x(x+3) + 1(x+3) + (x^2 + 4x + 4)}{x(x+3) + 2(x+3)} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 3x + x + 3 + x^2 + 4x + 4}{x^2 + 3x + 2x + 6} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{2x^2 + 8x + 7}{x^2 + 5x + 6} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$25(x^2 + 5x + 6) = 12(2x^2 + 8x + 7)$$

$$25x^2 + 125x + 150 = 24x^2 + 96x + 84$$

$$x^2 + 29x + 66 = 0$$

The above equation is a quadratic equation.

## Q2. Solve by factorization:

i.  $x^2 - x - 20 = 0$

**Solution:**

$$x^2 - x - 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 4x - 20 = 0$$

$$x(x - 5) + 4(x - 5) = 0$$

$$(x + 4)(x - 5) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } \begin{array}{l} x + 4 = 0 \text{ or } x - 5 = 0 \\ x = -4 \quad \quad x = 5 \end{array}$$

Thus, solution set =  $\{-4, 5\}$

ii.  $3y^2 = y(y - 5)$

**Solution:**

$$3y^2 = y(y - 5)$$

$$3y^2 = y^2 - 5y$$

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

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

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

$$\text{Either } y = 0 \text{ or } 2y + 5 = 0$$

$$2y = -5$$

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

$$\text{Thus, solution set} = \left\{ 0, -\frac{5}{2} \right\}$$

iii.  $4 - 32x = 17x^2$

**Solution:**

$$4 - 32x = 17x^2$$

or  $17x^2 + 32x - 4 = 0$

$$17x^2 + 34x - 2x - 4 = 0$$

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

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

Either  $17x - 2 = 0$  or  $x + 2 = 0$

$$17x = 2 \quad x = -2$$

$$x = \frac{2}{17}$$

$$\text{Thus, solution set} = \left\{ \frac{2}{17}, -2 \right\}$$

iv.  $x^2 - 11x = 152$

**Solution:**

$$x^2 - 11x = 152$$

$$x^2 - 11x - 152 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 19x + 8x - 152 = 0$$

$$x(x - 19) + 8(x - 19) = 0$$

$$(x + 8)(x - 19) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } (x + 8) = 0 \text{ or } (x - 19) = 0$$

$$x = -8 \quad x = 19$$

Thus, solution set =  $\{-8, 19\}$

$$\text{v. } \frac{x+1}{x} + \frac{x}{x+1} = \frac{25}{12}$$

**Solution:**

$$\frac{x+1}{x} + \frac{x}{x+1} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{(x+1)^2 + x^2}{x(x+1)} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 2x + 1 + x^2}{x^2 + x} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$\frac{2x^2 + 2x + 1}{x^2 + x} = \frac{25}{12}$$

$$25(x^2 + x) = 12(2x^2 + 2x + 1)$$

$$25x^2 + 25x = 24x^2 + 24x + 12$$

$$25x^2 - 24x^2 + 25x - 24x - 12 = 0$$

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

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

$$x(x + 4) - 3(x + 4) = 0$$

$$(x - 3)(x + 4) = 0$$

$$\text{Either } x - 3 = 0 \text{ or } x + 4 = 0$$

$$x = 3 \quad x = -4$$

$$\text{vi. } \frac{2}{x-9} = \frac{1}{x-3} - \frac{1}{x-4}$$

**Solution:**

$$\frac{2}{x-9} = \frac{1}{x-3} - \frac{1}{x-4}$$

$$\frac{2}{x-9} = \frac{(x-4) - (x-3)}{(x-3)(x-4)}$$

$$\frac{2}{x-9} = \frac{x-4-x+3}{x^2-7x+12}$$

$$\frac{2}{x-9} = \frac{-1}{x^2-7x+12}$$

$$2(x^2-7x+12) = -1(x-9)$$

$$2x^2 - 14x + 24 = -x + 9$$

$$2x^2 - 14x + x + 24 - 9 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 13x + 15 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 10x - 3x + 15 = 0$$

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

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

*Either*  $2x-3=0$  *or*  $x-5=0$

$$2x = 3 \quad x = 5$$

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

Thus solution set =  $\{5, \frac{3}{2}\}$

**Q3. Solve the following equations by completing square:**

$$\text{i. } 7x^2 + 2x - 1 = 0$$

**Solution:**

$$7x^2 + 2x - 1 = 0$$

$$7x^2 + 2x = 1$$

$$\frac{7x^2}{7} + \frac{2x}{7} = \frac{1}{7}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{2x}{7} = \frac{1}{7}$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{1}{7}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{7} + \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{1}{7}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{49}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{1}{7}\right)^2 = \frac{8}{49}$$

Takin square root on both sides, we get

$$x + \frac{1}{7} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{8}{49}}$$

$$x + \frac{1}{7} = \pm \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{7}$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{7} \pm \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{7}$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm 2\sqrt{2}}{7}$$

Thus, solution set =  $\left\{ \frac{-1 \pm 2\sqrt{2}}{7} \right\}$

ii.  $ax^2 + 4x - a = 0$ ,  $a \neq 0$

**Solution:**

$$ax^2 + 4x = a$$

$$\frac{ax^2}{a} + \frac{4x}{a} = \frac{a}{a}$$

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

$$\left(x\right)^2 + 2\left(x\right)\left(\frac{2}{a}\right) + \left(\frac{2}{a}\right)^2 = 1 + \left(\frac{2}{a}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{2}{a}\right)^2 = 1 + \frac{4}{a^2}$$

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

Taking square root on both sides, we get

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

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

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

$$\text{Thus, solution set} = \left\{ \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{a^2 + 4}}{a} \right\}$$

iii.  $11x^2 - 34x + 3 = 0$

**Solution:**

$$11x^2 - 34x + 3 = 0$$

$$11x^2 - 34x = -3$$

$$\frac{11x^2}{11} - \frac{34x}{11} = -\frac{3}{11}$$

$$x^2 - \frac{34}{11}x = -\frac{3}{11}$$

$$\left(x\right)^2 - 2\left(x\right)\left(\frac{34}{22}\right) + \left(\frac{34}{22}\right)^2 = -\frac{3}{11} + \left(\frac{34}{22}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x - \frac{34}{22}\right)^2 = -\frac{3}{11} + \frac{1156}{121}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{34}{22}\right)^2 = \frac{-132 + 1156}{484}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{34}{22}\right)^2 = \frac{1024}{484}$$

Taking square root on both sides we get

$$\left(x - \frac{34}{22}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1024}{484}}$$

$$x - \frac{34}{22} = \pm \frac{32}{22}$$

$$x = \frac{34}{22} \pm \frac{32}{22}$$

$$x = \frac{34 \pm 32}{22}$$

$$x = \frac{34 + 32}{22}, \quad x = \frac{34 - 32}{22}$$

$$= \frac{66}{22} \quad = \frac{2}{22}$$

$$= 3 \quad = \frac{1}{11}$$

Thus solution set  $\left\{3, \frac{1}{11}\right\}$

iv.  $lx^2 + mx + n = 0, l \neq 0$

**Solution:**

$$lx^2 + mx + n = 0$$

$$lx^2 + mx = -n$$

$$\frac{lx^2}{l} + \frac{mx}{l} = -\frac{n}{l}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{mx}{l} = -\frac{n}{l}$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{m}{2l}\right) + \left(\frac{m}{2l}\right)^2 = -\frac{n}{l} + \left(\frac{m}{2l}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{m}{2l}\right)^2 = -\frac{n}{l} + \frac{m^2}{4l^2}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{m}{2l}\right)^2 = \frac{-4ln + m^2}{4l^2}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{m}{2l}\right)^2 = \frac{m^2 - 4ln}{4l^2}$$

Taking square root on both sides, we get

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{m}{2l}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{m^2 - 4ln}{4l^2}}$$

$$x + \frac{m}{2l} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{m^2 - 4ln}{4l^2}}$$

$$x = -\frac{m}{2l} \pm \sqrt{\frac{m^2 - 4ln}{4l^2}}$$

$$x = \frac{-m \pm \sqrt{m^2 - 4ln}}{2l}$$

$$\text{Thus solution set} = \left\{ \frac{-m \pm \sqrt{m^2 - 4ln}}{2l} \right\}$$

v.  $3x^2 + 7x = 0$

**Solution:**

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

$$\frac{3x^2}{3} + \frac{7x}{3} = \frac{0}{3}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{7}{3}x = 0$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{7}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{7}{6}\right)^2 = 0 + \left(\frac{7}{6}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{7}{6}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{7}{6}\right)^2$$

Taking square root on both sides, we get

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{7}{6}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{7}{6}\right)^2}$$

$$x + \frac{7}{6} = \pm \frac{7}{6}$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{6} \pm \frac{7}{6}$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{6} + \frac{7}{6} \quad \text{or} \quad x = -\frac{7}{6} - \frac{7}{6}$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = -\frac{14}{6}$$

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

$$\text{Thus solution set} = \left\{0, -\frac{7}{3}\right\}$$

vi.  $x^2 - 2x - 195 = 0$

**Solution:**

$$x^2 - 2x - 195 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x = 195$$

$$(x)^2 - 2(x)(1) + (1)^2 = 195 + (1)^2$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 195 + 1$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 196$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\sqrt{(x-1)^2} = \pm \sqrt{196}$$

$$x-1 = \pm 14$$

$$x = 1 \pm 14$$

$$x = 1 + 14 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 1 - 14$$

$$= 15$$

$$= -13$$

vii.  $-x^2 + \frac{15}{2} = \frac{7}{2}x$

**Solution:**

$$-x^2 - \frac{7}{2}x = -\frac{15}{2}$$

$$-\left(x^2 + \frac{7}{2}x\right) = -\frac{15}{2}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{7}{2}x = \frac{15}{2}$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{7}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{15}{2} + \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{7}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{15}{2} + \frac{49}{16}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{7}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{120 + 49}{16}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{7}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{169}{16}$$

Taking square root on both sides, we get

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{7}{4}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{169}{16}}$$

$$x + \frac{7}{4} = \pm \frac{13}{4}$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{4} \pm \frac{13}{4}$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{4} + \frac{13}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad x = -\frac{7}{4} - \frac{13}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2} \quad x = -5$$

Thus, solution set =  $\left\{\frac{3}{2}, -5\right\}$

**Solution:**

$$x^2 + 17x = -\frac{33}{4}$$

$$(x)^2 + 2(x)\left(\frac{17}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{17}{2}\right)^2 = -\frac{33}{4} + \left(\frac{17}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{17}{2}\right)^2 = -\frac{33}{4} + \frac{289}{4}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{17}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{256}{4}$$

Taking square root on both sides,

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{17}{2}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{256}{4}}$$

$$x + \frac{17}{2} = \pm \frac{16}{2}$$

$$x = -\frac{17}{2} \pm \frac{16}{2}$$

$$x = -\frac{17}{2} + \frac{16}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = -\frac{17}{2} - \frac{16}{2}$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2} \quad x = -\frac{33}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus solution set} = \left\{ -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{33}{2} \right\}$$

$$\text{ix.} \quad 4 - \frac{8}{3x+1} = \frac{3x^2+5}{3x+1}$$

**Solution:**

$$4 - \frac{8}{3x+1} = \frac{3x^2+5}{3x+1}$$

$$\frac{4(3x+1)-8}{3x+1} = \frac{3x^2+5}{3x+1}$$

$$\frac{12x+4-8}{3x+1} = \frac{3x^2+5}{3x+1}$$

$$\frac{12x-4}{3x+1} = \frac{3x^2+5}{3x+1}$$

Multiplying both sides by  $(3x+1)$ , we get

$$12x-4 = 3x^2+5$$

$$3x^2+5-12x+4 = 0$$

$$3x^2-12x+9 = 0$$

$$3(x^2-4x+3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2-4x+3 = 0$$

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

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

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

Taking square root on both sides,

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

$$x-2 = \pm 1$$

$$x = 2 \pm 1$$

$$x = 2+1 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 2-1$$

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

Thus solution set =  $\{1, 3\}$

x.  $7(x+2a)^2 + 3a^2 = 5a(7x+23a)$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}
7(x+2a)^2 + 3a^2 &= 5a(7x+23a) \\
7(x^2 + 4ax + 4a^2) + 3a^2 &= 35ax + 115a^2 \\
7x^2 + 28ax + 28a^2 + 3a^2 &= 35ax + 115a^2 \\
7x^2 + 28ax - 35ax + 28a^2 + 3a^2 - 115a^2 &= 0 \\
7x^2 - 7ax - 84a^2 &= 0 \\
7(x^2 - ax - 12a^2) &= 0 \\
x^2 - ax - 12a^2 &= 0 \\
x^2 - ax &= 12a^2 \\
(x)^2 - 2(x)\left(\frac{a}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 &= 12a^2 + \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2 \\
\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2 &= 12a^2 + \frac{a^2}{4} \\
\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2 &= \frac{48a^2 + a^2}{4} \\
\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2 &= \frac{49a^2}{4}
\end{aligned}$$

Taking square root on both sides, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\sqrt{\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2} &= \pm \sqrt{\frac{49a^2}{4}} \\
x - \frac{a}{2} &= \pm \frac{7a}{2} \\
x &= \frac{a}{2} \pm \frac{7a}{2} \\
x &= \frac{a}{2} + \frac{7a}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{a}{2} - \frac{7a}{2} \\
&= \frac{8a}{2} \quad \quad \quad = -\frac{6a}{2} \\
&= 4a \quad \quad \quad = -3a
\end{aligned}$$

Thus solution set =  $\{-3a, 4a\}$

