

EXERCISE 4.6

If α, β are the roots of $2x^2-2x+4=0$, find the values of

1. $\frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2}$

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

3. $\alpha^4 + \beta^4$

4. $\alpha^3 + \beta^3$

5. $\frac{1}{\alpha^3} + \frac{1}{\beta^3}$

6. $\alpha^2 - \beta^2$

1.If α and β are roots of equation.

Solution:

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

$$\alpha + \beta = +\frac{2}{3}, \alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2} = \frac{\beta^2 + \alpha^2}{\alpha^2\beta^2}$$

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

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)}{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^2} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{4}{9} - \frac{8}{3}}{\frac{16}{9}} \\
 &= \frac{4 - 24}{16} \\
 &= \frac{-20}{16} \\
 &= \frac{-20 \times 3}{48} \\
 &= \frac{-60}{48} \\
 &= \frac{-5}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence; $\frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2} = -\frac{5}{4}$

2. let α and β are roots of equation.

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} &= \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta}{\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)}{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{\frac{4}{9} - \frac{8}{3}}{\frac{4}{3}} \\
 &= \frac{4 - 24}{9} + \frac{4}{3} \\
 &= \frac{-20}{9} \times \frac{3}{4} \\
 &= \frac{-5}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} = \frac{-5}{3}$

3. Let α and β are roots of equation.

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

Then $\alpha^4 + \beta^4 = (\alpha^2)^2 + (\beta^2)^2 + 2\alpha^2\beta^2 - 2\alpha^2\beta^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (\alpha^2)^2 + (\beta^2)^2 - 2(\alpha\beta)^2 \\
 &= [(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta]^2 - 2(\alpha\beta)^2 \\
 &= \left[\left(\frac{2}{3} \right)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{4}{3} \right) \right]^2 - 2 \left(\frac{4}{3} \right)^2 \\
 &= \left[\frac{4}{9} - \frac{8}{3} \right]^2 - 2 \left(\frac{16}{9} \right) \\
 &= \left[\frac{4 - 24}{9} \right]^2 - \frac{32}{9}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left[\frac{-20}{9} \right]^2 - \frac{32}{9} \\
 &= \frac{400}{81} - \frac{32}{9} \\
 &= \frac{400 - 288}{81} \\
 &= \frac{112}{81}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\alpha^4 + \beta^4 = \frac{112}{81}$

4. If Let α and β are the roots of equation.

Solution

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

Therefore

$$(\alpha^3 + \beta^3) = (\alpha + \beta) \left[(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 3\alpha\beta \right]$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \left[\left(\frac{2}{3} \right)^2 - 3 \left(\frac{4}{3} \right) \right]$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \left[\frac{4}{9} - \frac{12}{3} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[\frac{4 - 36}{9} \right]$$

$$= \frac{-64}{27}$$

Hence , $\alpha^3 + \beta^3 = \frac{-64}{27}$

5. Let α and β are the roots of equation.

Solution

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{\alpha^3} + \frac{1}{\beta^3} = \frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3}{\alpha^3\beta^3}$$

$$= \frac{(\alpha^3 + \beta^3)}{(\alpha\beta)^3}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{-64}{27}\right)}{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^3}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{-64}{27}\right)}{\left(\frac{64}{27}\right)}$$

$$= -1$$

Hence , $\frac{1}{\alpha^3} + \frac{1}{\beta^3} = -1$

6. Let α and β are roots of equation.

Solution

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

Therefore $\alpha^2 - \beta^2 = (\alpha + \beta)(\alpha - \beta)$

And $\alpha - \beta = \sqrt{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta}$

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

$$= \sqrt{\frac{4}{9} - \frac{16}{3}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{4 - 48}{9}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{-44}{9}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{-11}$$

$$\alpha^2 - \beta^2 = (\alpha + \beta)(\alpha - \beta)$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{3}\sqrt{-11}\right)$$

$$= \frac{4}{9}\sqrt{-11}$$

Hence ; $\alpha^2 - \beta^2 = \frac{4}{9}\sqrt{-11}$

2. If α, β are the roots of $x^2 - px - p - c = 0$, prove that $(1 + \alpha)(1 + \beta) = 1 - c$

Solution

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{p}{1}$$

$$\alpha\beta = -\frac{(p+c)}{1}$$

$$L.H.S = (1+\alpha)(1+\beta)$$

$$= 1 + \beta + \alpha + \alpha\beta$$

$$= 1 + (\alpha + \beta) + (\alpha\beta)$$

$$= 1 + (p) + [-(p+c)]$$

$$= 1 + p - p - c$$

$$= 1 - c$$

$$= R.H.S$$

Hence , $(1+\alpha)(1+\beta) = 1-c$

3. Find the condition that one roots of $x^2+px+q=0$ is

- i. double the other
- ii. square of the other
- iii. additive inverse of the other
- iv. multiplicative inverse of the other.

1. Let α, β are the roots of equation.

Solution

$$\alpha + \beta = -P$$

&

$$\alpha\beta = q$$

- i. double the other.

$$\alpha; 2\alpha$$

$$\alpha + 2\alpha = -P$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -\frac{-P}{3}$$

$$\text{and } (\alpha)(2\alpha) = 2\alpha^2 = q$$

$$2\left(\frac{-P}{3}\right)^2 = q$$

$$\frac{2}{9}P^2 = q$$

$$\Rightarrow 2P^2 = 9q$$

$$\text{Hence: } 2P^2 = 9q$$

ii. Square of the other

$$\alpha; \alpha^2$$

and

$$\alpha \cdot \alpha^2 = \alpha^3 = q$$

$$\Rightarrow a = (q)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$q^{\frac{1}{3}} + q^{\frac{2}{3}} = -P$$

$$\left[q^{\frac{1}{3}} + q^{\frac{2}{3}} \right]^3 = (-P)^3$$

$$q + q^2 + 3q(-P) = -P^3$$

$$q^2 + q - 3Pq + P^3 = 0$$

$$\text{Hence: } q^2 + q - 3Pq + P^3 = 0$$

iii. Additive inverse of other

$$\alpha + (-\alpha) = -P$$

and

$$(\alpha)(-\alpha) = q$$

$$\alpha - \alpha = -P$$

$$0 = -P$$

$$\Rightarrow P = 0$$

Hence; $P = 0$

iv. Multiplicative inverse of other

$$\alpha, \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$\alpha \cdot \frac{1}{\alpha} = -P$$

and

$$\alpha \frac{1}{\alpha} = q$$

$$1 = q$$

Hence; $q = 1$

If α and β are roots of equation.

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

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{4}{3}$$

4. If the roots of the equation $x^2 - px + q = 0$ differ by unity, prove that

$$P^2 = 4q + 1.$$

Solution

Let α and β be the roots of equation.

$$\alpha + \beta = P$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = q$$

roots

$$\alpha \text{ \& } \alpha - 1$$

$$\alpha + \alpha - 1 = P$$

$$2\alpha - 1 = P$$

$$2\alpha = P + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{P+1}{2}$$

and

$$\alpha(\alpha - 1) = \alpha^2 - \alpha$$

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

$$= \left(\frac{P+1}{2}\right) \left[\frac{P+1-2}{2}\right]$$

$$= \left(\frac{P+1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{P-1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{P^2 - 1}{4}$$

$$\alpha(\alpha - 1) = q$$

$$\frac{P^2 - 1}{4} = q$$

$$\Rightarrow P^2 - 1 = 4q$$

5. Find the condition that $\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} = 5$ may have roots equal in magnitude but opposite in signs.

Solution

$$\frac{a}{x-a} + \frac{b}{x-b} = 5$$

$$a(x-b) + b(x-a) = 5(x-a)(x-b)$$

$$ax - ab + bx - ab = 5(x^2 - ax - bx + ab)$$

$$ax - ab + bx - ab = 5x^2 - 5ax - 5bx + 5ab$$

$$5x^2 - 5ab - ax - 5bx - bx + 5ab - 2ab = 0$$

$$5x^2 - 6ax - 6bx + 3ab = 0$$

$$5x^2 - (6a + 6b)x + 3ab = 0$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = \left[-\frac{(6a+6b)}{5} \right] = \frac{6a+6b}{5}$$

$$\text{Product of roots} = \frac{3ab}{5}$$

Let α & β are the of equation

$$\beta = -\alpha$$

$$\alpha + \beta = \alpha + (-\alpha) = \frac{6a+6b}{5}$$

$$0 = \frac{6a+6b}{5}$$

$$a+b=0$$

Hence; condition of equation is

$$a+b=0$$

6. If the roots of $Px^2+qx+q=0$ are α and β then prove that

$$\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = 0$$

Solution

Let α and β be the roots of equation

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{-q}{p}; \alpha\beta = \frac{q}{p}$$

$$\frac{\alpha + \beta}{\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} = \frac{\frac{-q}{p}}{\sqrt{\frac{q}{p}}}$$

$$\frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} + \frac{\beta}{\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} = -\frac{\frac{q}{p}}{\sqrt{\frac{q}{p}}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} = -\sqrt{\frac{q}{p}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = 0$$

Hence proved $\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}} = 0$

7.If α, β are the roots of the equation $ax^2+bx+c=0$, from the equation whose roots are

i. α^2, β^2

ii. $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}$

iii. $\frac{1}{\alpha^2}, \frac{1}{\beta^2}$

iv. α^3, β^3

v. $\frac{1}{\alpha^3}, \frac{1}{\beta^3}$

vi. $\alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha}, \beta + \frac{1}{\beta}$

vii. $(\alpha - \beta)^2, (\alpha + \beta)^2$

viii. $-\frac{1}{\alpha^3}, -\frac{1}{\beta^3}$

Let α and β be the roots of equation

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a} \text{ \& } \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a}$$

1. $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \alpha^2 + \beta^2 \\ &= (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta \\ &= \left(-\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{c}{a}\right) \\ &= \frac{b^2}{a^2} - \frac{2c}{a} \\ &= \frac{b^2 - 2ac}{a^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$p = \alpha^2 + \beta^2 = (\alpha\beta)^2 = \left(\frac{c}{a}\right)^2 = \frac{c^2}{a^2}$$

Therefore, equation

$$x^2 + \left[-\frac{(b^2 - 2ac)}{a^2}\right]x + \frac{c^2}{a^2} = 0$$

Hence, $a^2x^2 - (b^2 - 2ac)x + c^2 = 0$

2. $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 s &= \frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \frac{-b}{\frac{c}{a}} \\
 &= \frac{-b}{c}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \cdot \frac{1}{\beta} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\frac{c}{a}} \\
 &= \frac{a}{c}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore equation

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

Hence, $cx^2 - bx + a = 0$

3. $\frac{1}{\alpha^2}, \frac{1}{\beta^2}$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 s &= \frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{(\alpha\beta)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{\frac{b^2}{a^2} - 2\frac{c}{a}}{\frac{c^2}{a^2}}$$

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

$$= \frac{b^2 - 2ac}{c^2}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{\alpha^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\beta^2}$$

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

$$= \frac{a^2}{c^2}$$

Therefore equation

$$x^2 - \left(\frac{b^2 - 2ac}{c^2}\right)x + \frac{a^2}{c^2} = 0$$

Hence, $c^2x^2 - (b^2 - 2ac)x + a^2 = 0$

4. α^3, β^3

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &= \alpha^3 + \beta^3 \\
 &= (\alpha + \beta) \left[(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 3\alpha\beta \right] \\
 &= \left(\frac{-b}{a} \right) \left[\left(\frac{-b}{a} \right)^2 - 3 \left(\frac{c}{a} \right) \right] \\
 &= \frac{-b}{a} \left[\frac{b^2}{a^2} - \frac{3c}{a} \right] \\
 &= \frac{-b}{a} \left[\frac{b^2 - 3ac}{a} \right] \\
 &= \frac{-b(b^2 - 3ac)}{a^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P = \alpha^3 \beta^3$$

$$= (\alpha\beta)^3$$

$$= \left(\frac{c}{a} \right)^3$$

$$= \frac{c^3}{a^3}$$

Therefore

$$x^2 + \frac{b(b^2 - 3ac)x}{a^3} + \frac{c^3}{a^3} = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } a^3x^3 + b(b^2 - 3ac)x + c^3 = 0$$

5. $\frac{1}{\alpha^3}, \frac{1}{\beta^3}$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &= \frac{1}{\alpha^3} + \frac{1}{\beta^3} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3}{(\alpha\beta)^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{-b(b^2 - 3ac)}{\frac{a^3}{\frac{c^3}{a^3}}}$$

$$= \frac{-b(b^2 - 3ac)}{c^3}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{\alpha^3} \cdot \frac{1}{\beta^3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\alpha\beta)^3}$$

$$= \frac{c^3}{a^3}$$

$$= \frac{c^3}{a^3}$$

Therefore

$$x^2 - \left[\frac{-b(b^2 - 3ac)}{c^3} \right] x + \frac{c^3}{a^3} = 0$$

Hence, $e^3 x^2 + b(b^2 - 3ac)x + a^3 = 0$

6. $\alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha}; \beta + \frac{1}{\beta}$

Solution

$$S = \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha} + \beta + \frac{1}{\beta}$$

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

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

$$= \left(\frac{-b}{a} \right) - \frac{b}{c}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -b \left[\frac{c+a}{ac} \right] \\
 P &= \left(\alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha} \right) \left(\beta + \frac{1}{\beta} \right) \\
 &= \alpha\beta + \frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \alpha\beta + \frac{1}{\alpha\beta} + \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \left(\frac{c}{a} \right) + \frac{1}{\left(\frac{c}{a} \right)} + \frac{[(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta]}{\alpha\beta}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{c}{a} + \frac{a}{c} + \left[\frac{\left(\frac{-b}{a} \right)^2 - 2 \frac{c}{a}}{\frac{c}{a}} \right] \\
 &= \frac{[c^2 + a^2]}{ac} + \left[\frac{b^2 - 2ac}{a^2 \frac{c}{a}} \right] \\
 &= \frac{[c^2 + a^2]}{ac} + \left[\frac{b^2 - 2ac}{2ac} \right] \\
 &= \frac{c^2 + a^2 + c^2 - 2ac}{ac} \\
 &= \frac{[a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ac]}{ac}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$x + b \frac{(c+a)}{ac} x - \frac{[a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ac]}{ac} = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } acx + b(c+a)x + (a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ac) = 0$$

$$7. (\alpha - \beta)^2, (\alpha + \beta)^2$$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &= (\alpha - \beta)^2 + (\alpha + \beta)^2 \\
 &= 2[\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - 2\alpha\beta] \\
 &= 2\left[\left(\frac{-b}{a}\right)^2 - 2\frac{c}{a}\right] \\
 &= 2\left[\frac{b^2}{a^2} - 2\frac{c}{a}\right] \\
 &= \frac{c}{a}[b^2 - 2ac]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= (\alpha - \beta)^2 \times (\alpha + \beta)^2 \\
 &= [\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - 2\alpha\beta] \left[\frac{-b^2}{a^2}\right] \\
 &= [(\alpha - \beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta] \left[\frac{-b}{a^2}\right]^2 \\
 &= \left[\frac{b^2 - 4ac}{a^4}\right] \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) \\
 P &= \frac{b^2(b^2 - 4ac)}{a^4}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$x^2 - \frac{c}{a^2}(b^2 - 2ac)x + \frac{b^2(b^2 - 4ac)}{a^4} = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } a^4x^2 - a^2c(b^2 - 2ac)x + b^2(b^2 - 4ac) = 0$$

$$8. \quad -\frac{1}{\alpha^3} - \frac{1}{\beta^3}$$

Solution

$$S = -\frac{1}{\alpha^3} - \frac{1}{\beta^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -\left[\frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3}{(\alpha\beta)^3} \right] \\
 &= -\left[\frac{-b(b^2 - 3ac)}{\frac{a^3}{\frac{c^3}{a^3}}} \right] \\
 &= \frac{b(b^2 - 3ac)}{c^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= \left(-\frac{1}{\alpha^3} \right) \left(-\frac{1}{\beta^3} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\alpha^3 \beta^3} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\frac{c^3}{a^3}} \\
 &= \frac{a^3}{c^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$x - \frac{b(b^2 - 3ac)}{c^3}x + \frac{a^3}{c^3} = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } c^3x - b(b^2 - 3ac)x + a^3 = 0$$

8. If α , β are the roots of $5x^2 - x - 2 = 0$, form the equation whose roots are $\frac{3}{\alpha}$ and $\frac{3}{\beta}$.

Solution

Let α , β are the roots of equation

$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{-1}{5}$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = \frac{-2}{5}$$

If roots are $\frac{3}{\alpha}$ and $\frac{3}{\beta}$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{3}{\alpha} + \frac{3}{\beta} \\ &= 3 \left[\frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha\beta} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= 3 \left[\frac{-1}{\frac{-2}{5}} \right]$$

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

and

$$P = \left(\frac{3}{\alpha} \right) \left(\frac{3}{\beta} \right)$$

$$= \frac{9}{\alpha\beta}$$

$$= \frac{9}{\left(\frac{-2}{5} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{-45}{2}$$

Therefore

$$x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x - \frac{45}{2} = 0$$

Hence, $2x^2 - 3x - 45 = 0$

9. If α and β are the roots of $x^2-3x+5=0$ form the equation whose roots are $\frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha}$ and $\frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta}$.

Solution

Let α and β are the roots of equation.

$$\alpha + \beta = 3$$

and

$$\alpha\beta = 5$$

If roots of equation are $\frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha} + \frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta}$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha} + \frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta} \\ &= \frac{(1+\beta)(1-\alpha) + (1+\alpha)(1-\beta)}{(1+\alpha)(1+\beta)} \\ &= \frac{1-\alpha + \beta - \alpha\beta + 1 + \alpha - \beta - \alpha\beta}{1 + \alpha + \beta + \alpha\beta} \\ &= \frac{2 - 2\alpha\beta}{1 + \alpha + \beta + \alpha\beta} \\ &= \frac{2 - 2(5)}{1 + 3 + 5} \\ &= \frac{2 - 10}{1 + 3 + 5} \\ &= \frac{-8}{9} \\ &= -\frac{8}{9} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha}\right)\left(\frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta}\right) \\ &= \frac{1-\alpha-\beta+\alpha\beta}{1+\alpha+\beta+\alpha\beta} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1 - (\alpha + \beta) + (\alpha\beta)}{1 + (\alpha + \beta) + (\alpha\beta)} \\ &= \frac{1 - 3 + 5}{1 + 3 + 5} \\ &= \frac{3}{9} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$x^2 - \left(\frac{-8}{9}\right)x + \frac{1}{3} = 0$$

Hence, $9x^2 + 8x + 3 = 0$

