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## EXERCISE 2D

Answer 1

$$g(x) = x - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\text{Then, } p(x) = x^3 - 8 = 2^3 - 8 = 0 \text{ (given } x=2)$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 2

$$g(x) = x - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } p(x) &= 2x^3 + 7x^2 - 24x - 45 = 2(3^3) + 7(3^2) - 24 \times 3 - 45 \\ &\Rightarrow 54 + 63 - 72 - 45 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 3

$$g(x) = x - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } p(x) &= 2x^4 + 9x^3 + 6x^2 - 11x - 6 = 2 \times 1^4 + 9 \times 1^3 + 6 \times 1^2 - 11 \times 1 - 6 \\ &= 2 + 9 + 6 - 11 - 6 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 4

$$g(x) = x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } p(x) &= x^4 - x^2 - 12 = (-2)^4 - (-2)^2 - 12 \\ &= 16 - 4 - 12 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 5

$$g(x) = x + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } p(x) &= 69 + 11x - x^2 + x^3 = 69 + 11(-3) - (-3)^2 + (-3)^3 \\ &\Rightarrow 69 - 33 - 9 - 27 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 6

$$g(x) = x + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } p(x) &= 2x^3 + 9x^2 - 11x - 30 = 2(-5)^3 + 9(-5)^2 - 11(-5) - 30 \\ &= -250 + 45 + 55 - 30 \\ &= -180 \end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is not factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 7

$$g(x) = 2x - 3$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } p(x) &= 2x^4 + x^3 - 8x^2 - x + 6 = 2\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^4 + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^3 - 8\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{3}{2} + 6 \\ &= \left(2 \frac{81}{16}\right) + \frac{27}{8} - \left(8 \frac{9}{4}\right) - \frac{3}{2} + 6 \\ &= \frac{81}{8} + \frac{27}{8} - \frac{144}{8} - \frac{12}{8} + \frac{48}{8} \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 8

$$\begin{aligned}g(x) &= 3x - 2 \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{2}{3}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } p(x) &= 3x^3 + x^2 - 20x + 12 = 3\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 - 20\frac{2}{3} + 12 \\ &= \left(3 \frac{8}{27}\right) + \frac{4}{9} - \left(20 \frac{2}{3}\right) + 12 \\ &= \frac{8}{9} + \frac{4}{9} - \frac{120}{9} + \frac{108}{9} \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Yes,  $g(x)$  is factor of  $p(x)$

Answer 9

$$\begin{aligned}g(x) &= x = \sqrt{2} \\ \Rightarrow x &= \sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } p(x) &= 7x^2 - 4\sqrt{2}x - 6 = 7(\sqrt{2})^2 - 4(\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}) - 6 \\ &\Rightarrow (7 \times 2) - (4 \times 2) - 6 = 14 - 8 - 6 = 0\end{aligned}$$

Answer 10

$$g(x) = x + \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\sqrt{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } p(x) &= 2\sqrt{2}x^2 + 5x + \sqrt{2} = 2\sqrt{2}(-\sqrt{2})^2 + 5 \times (-\sqrt{2}) + \sqrt{2} \\ &= 4\sqrt{2} - 5\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2} \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Answer 11

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Let } g(p) &= (p^{10} - 1) \text{ and} \\ \text{And } h(p) &= (p^{11} - 1)\end{aligned}$$

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Let  $f(p) = (p-1)$   
then,  $\Rightarrow p - 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow p = 1$

Now,  $g(1) = [(p^{10} - 1)] = (1^{10} - 1)$   
 $= (1-1) = 0$

Hence,  $f(p-1)$  is factor of  $g(p)$

$h(p) = (p^{11} - 1)$

$h(1) = [(p^{11} - 1)] = (1^{11} - 1) = (1 - 1) = 0$

hence,  $f(p-1)$  is also factor of  $h(p)$

Answer12

Here  $f(x) = x-1$

$\Rightarrow x = 1$

Now, given  $p(x) = 2x^3 + 9x^2 + x + k$   
 $\Rightarrow = 2(1)^3 + 9(1)^2 + 1 + k$   
 $k = -2 - 9 - 1 = -12$

Answer13

Here  $f(x) = x - 4$

$\Rightarrow x = 4$

Now, given  $p(x) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 18x + a$   
 $\Rightarrow = 2(4^3) - 3(4^2) - 18(4) + a$   
 $= 2 \times 64 - 48 - 72 + a$   
 $a = -8$

Answer14

Here,  $f(x) = x + 1$

$\Rightarrow x = -1$

Now, given  $p(x) = ax^3 + x^2 - 2x + 4a - 9$   
 $= a(-1)^3 + (-1)^2 - 2(-1) + 4a - 9$   
 $a - 4a = 1 + 2 - 9$   
 $\Rightarrow 3a = 6$   
 $\Rightarrow a = 2$

Answer15

Here,  $f(x) = x + 2a$

$\Rightarrow x = -2a$

Now, given  $p(x) = x^5 - 4a^2x^3 + 2x + 2a + 3$   
 $= (-2a)^5 - 4a^2(-2a)^3 + 2(-2a) + 2a + 3$   
 $= -32a^5 + 32a^5 - 4a + 2a + 3$   
 $2a = 3$   
 $a = \frac{3}{2}$

Answer16

Here,  $f(x) = 2x-1$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, given } p(x) &= 8x^4 + 4x^3 - 16x^2 + 10x + m \\ &= 8\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 + 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 - 16\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 10\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + m \end{aligned}$$

$$-m = \left(8 \times \frac{1}{16}\right) + \left(4 \times \frac{1}{8}\right) - \left(16 \times \frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(10 \times \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$-m \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - 4 + 5 = \frac{4}{2}$$

$$m = -2$$

Answer17

$$\text{Here, } f(x) = x+3$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -3$$

$$\text{Now, given } p(x) = x^4 - x^3 - 11x^2 - x + a$$

$$-a = (-3)^4 - (-3)^3 - 11(-3)^2 - (-3)$$

$$-a \Rightarrow 81 + 27 - 99 + 3 = 12$$

$$a = -12$$

Answer18

$$\text{Here, } f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 3$$

$$= (x^2 + 3x - x - 3) = (x+3)(x-1)$$

Now,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by  $f(x)$  only when it is divisible by  $(x-1)$  as well as by  $(x+3)$

$$\text{Now, } (x-1=0 \Rightarrow x=1) \text{ and } (x+3 \Rightarrow x=-3)$$

By the factor theorem,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by  $f(x)$ , if  $p(1) = 0$  and  $p(-3) = 0$

$$p(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 13x + 15$$

$$p(1) = (1)^3 - 3(1)^2 - 13(1) + 15 = 1 - 3 - 13 + 15 = 0$$

$$p(-3) = (-3)^3 - 3(-3)^2 - 13(-3) + 15 = -27 - 27 + 39 + 15 = 0$$

Answer19

$$p(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 6, g(x) = x-2 \text{ and } h(x) = x-3, \text{ then,}$$

$$g(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x-2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$h(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x-3 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3$$

$$(x-2) \text{ is factor of } p(x) \Rightarrow p(2) = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } p(2) = 0 \Rightarrow [(2)^3 + a(2)^2 + b(2) + 6] = 8 + 4a + 2b + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + 2b = -14 \dots\dots(1)$$

Since, it is given that factor  $(x-3)$  leaves the remainder 3

$$\text{Now, } p(3) = 3 \Rightarrow [(3)^3 + a(3)^2 + b(3) + 6] = 27 + 9a + 3b + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 9a + 3b = -30 \dots\dots(2)$$

Solving both equation,

$$4a + 2b = -14 \dots\dots(\text{divide each term by } 2)$$

$$9a + 3b = -30 \dots\dots(\text{divide each term by } 3)$$

$$\text{We get, } 2a + b = -7 \dots\dots(3)$$

$$3a + b = -10 \dots\dots(4)$$

On solving (3) and (4) we get,  $a = -3$  and  $b = -1$

Answer20

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Here,  $f(x) = x-1$  and  $x-2$

$\Rightarrow x = 1$  and  $x = 2$

Now,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by both  $(x-1)$  and  $(x-2)$

$$p(x) = x^3 - 10x^2 + ax + b$$

$$p(1) = (1)^3 - 10(1)^2 + a(1) + b$$

$$= (1) - 10 + a + b$$

$$a + b = 9 \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$p(2) = (2)^3 - 10(2)^2 + a(2) + b$$
$$= 8 - 40 + 2a + b$$

$$2a + b = 32 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Solving (1) and (2)

$$a + b = 9$$

$$2a + b = 32$$

By subtracting, we get

$$\Rightarrow a = 32 - 9 = 23$$

And another equation is  $\Rightarrow b = 9 - 23 = -14$

Answer 21

$$p(x) = (x^4 + ax^3 - 7x^2 - 8x + b)$$

$$g(x) = (x+2)$$

$$h(x) = (x+3)$$

since  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  both are exactly divisible, these are the factor of  $p(x)$

so,

$$p(x) = p(-2) = (-2^4) + a(-2^3) - 7(-2^2) - 8(-2) + b = 0$$

$$p(x) = 16 + a(-8) - 7(4) + 16 + b = 0$$

$$p(x) = 8a - b = 4 \dots\dots(1)$$

and now,

$$p(x) = p(-3) = (-3^4) + a(-3^3) - 7(-3^2) - 8(-3) + b = 0$$

$$p(x) = 81 - 27a - 63 + 24 + b = 0$$

$$p(x) = 27a - b = 42 \dots\dots(2)$$

on solving equation (1) and (2) we get,

$$8a - b = 4$$

$$27a - b = 42$$

On subtracting equation, we get

$$\Rightarrow 19a = 38$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{38}{19} = 2$$

$$b = 8a - 4 = 8(2) - 4 = 12$$

$$a = 2 \text{ and } b = 12$$

Answer 22

$$\text{Let } g(x) = (x-2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\text{And } h(x) = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

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

And  $p(x) = px^2 + 5x + r$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Put the value } p(2) = 0 &\Rightarrow p(2)^2 + 5(2) + r \\ &\Rightarrow 4p + r = -10 \dots\dots\dots(1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 0 &\Rightarrow p\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + r \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{p}{4} + \frac{5}{2} + r \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{p}{4} + r = -\frac{5}{2} \\ &\Rightarrow p + 4r = -10 \dots\dots\dots(2) \end{aligned}$$

Solving equation 1 and 2

$$4p + r = -10$$

$$p + 4r = -10$$

hence,  $4p + r = p + 4r$

$$\Rightarrow 3p = 3r$$

$$\Rightarrow p = r$$

Answer23

Here,  $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2$

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

Now,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by  $f(x)$  only when it is divisible by  $(x-2)$  as well as by  $(x-1)$

Now,  $(x - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2)$  and  $(x-1 \Rightarrow x = 1)$

By the factor theorem,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by  $f(x)$ , if  $p(2) = 0$  and  $p(1) = 0$

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

$$p(2) = 2(2)^4 - 5(2)^3 + 2(2)^2 - (2) + 2 = 32 - 40 + 8 - 2 + 2 = 0$$

$$p(-3) = 2(1)^4 - 5(1)^3 + 2(1)^2 - (1) + 2 = 2 - 5 + 2 - 1 + 2 = 0$$

Answer24

Here,  $f(x) = x - 2$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\text{And } p(x) = 2x^4 - 5x^3 + 2x^2 - x - 3 = 2(2)^4 - 5(2)^3 + 2(2)^2 - 2 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 32 - 40 + 8 - 2 - 3 = 5$$

Hence, 5 be added to exactly divisible.

Answer25

When, the given polynomial is divided by a quadratic polynomial, then the remainder is a linear expression, say  $(ax+b)$

$$\text{Let, } p(x) = (x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 4x + 6) - (ax+b) \text{ and } f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 3$$

$$\text{Then, } p(x) = (x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + (4 - a)x + (6 + b))$$

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

$$\text{then, } = (x^2 + 3x - x - 3) = (x + 3)(x - 1)$$

Now,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by  $f(x)$  only when it is divisible by  $(x-1)$  as well as by  $(x+3)$

Now,  $(x - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 1)$  and  $(x+3 \Rightarrow x = -3)$

By the factor theorem,  $p(x)$  will be divisible by  $f(x)$ , if  $p(1) = 0$  and  $p(-3) = 0$

$$p(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + (4 - a)x + (6 + b)$$

$$p(1) = (1)^4 + 2(1)^3 - 2(1)^2 + (4 - a)(1) + (6 + b) = 1 + 2 - 2 + 4 + 6 - a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 11 \dots\dots(1)$$

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$$p(-3) = (-3)^4 + 2(-3)^3 - 2(-3)^2 + (4-a)(-3) + (6+b) = 81 - 54 - 18 - 12 + 3a + 6 + b$$
$$\Rightarrow 3a - b = -3 \dots (2)$$

Solve 1 and 2 equations

$$a = 11 - b$$

$$\text{then, } 3(11-b) - b = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow -4b = -33 - 3 = -36$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 9$$

$$\text{And } a \Rightarrow 11 - b = 11 - 9 = 2$$

Hence, the required expression is  $(2x - 9)$

Answer 26

$$\text{Let } f(x) = (x+a)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -a$$

Then,  $p(x) = x^n + a^n$ , where  $n$  is positive odd integer

$$\text{Now, } p(-a) = 0$$

$$p(-a) \Rightarrow (-a)^n + a^n = [(-1)^n a^n + a^n] = [(-1)^n + 1] a^n$$

$$\Rightarrow (-1 + 1) a^n = 0 \dots \dots [\because n \text{ being odd, } (-1)^n = -1]$$

Hence proved.