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Graph of Quadratic Polynomial

Graph of Quadratic Polynomial $ax^2 + bx + c$

$$P(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$$

$$= a \left[x^2 + \frac{b}{a}x + \frac{c}{a} \right]$$

$$= a \left[x^2 + 2x \frac{b}{2a} + \frac{c}{a} \right]$$

$$= a \left[x^2 + 2x \frac{b}{2a} + \frac{b^2}{4a^2} - \frac{b^2}{4a^2} + \frac{c}{a} \right]$$

(Adding and subtracting $\frac{b^2}{4a^2}$)

$$= a \left[\left(x + \frac{b}{2a} \right)^2 - \frac{b^2}{4a^2} + \frac{c}{a} \right] \quad \left(\text{let } k = \frac{-b^2}{4a^2} + \frac{c}{a} \right)$$

$$= a \left[\left(x + \frac{b}{2a} \right)^2 + k \right]$$

Now Zeroes $p(x) = 0$

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

$$\left(x + \frac{b}{2a} \right)^2 = 0 \quad \text{or } k = 0$$

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

Let $p(x) = y$

Given $P(x) = y = ax^2 + bx + c$

Putting $x = \frac{-b}{2a}$

$$y = a \left(\frac{-b}{2a} \right)^2 + b \left(\frac{-b}{2a} \right) + c = \left[\frac{ab^2}{4a^2} - \frac{b^2}{2a} + c \right]$$

$$= \left[\frac{ab^2 - 2ab^2 + 4a^2c}{4a^2} \right]$$

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

(where $D = b^2 - 4ac$)

$$\therefore y = \frac{-D}{4a}$$

Hence $(x, y) = \left(\frac{-b}{2a}, \frac{-D}{4a} \right)$

Now Y- intercept

$y = ax^2 + bx + c$ {coordinate of Y-axis = $(0, y)$ }

$$y = a(0)^2 + b(0) + c = c$$

Y- intercept = $(0, c) = (0, \text{constant})$

Q. Draw the graph of the polynomial

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

Solution: - $p(x) = x^2 - 2x - 8$

1. The value of $a = 1$ is positive than parabola opens upward

$$p(x) = x^2 - 2x - 8 = x^2 - 4x + 2x - 8$$

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

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$\therefore (x - 4) = 0 \quad \text{or } (x + 2) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 4 \quad \text{or } x = -2$$

2. The parabola cuts X-axis at two distinct points $(4, 0)$ and $(-2, 0)$

3. Comparing $ax^2 + bx + c = x^2 - 2x - 8$;

$$a = 1, b = -2, c = -8$$

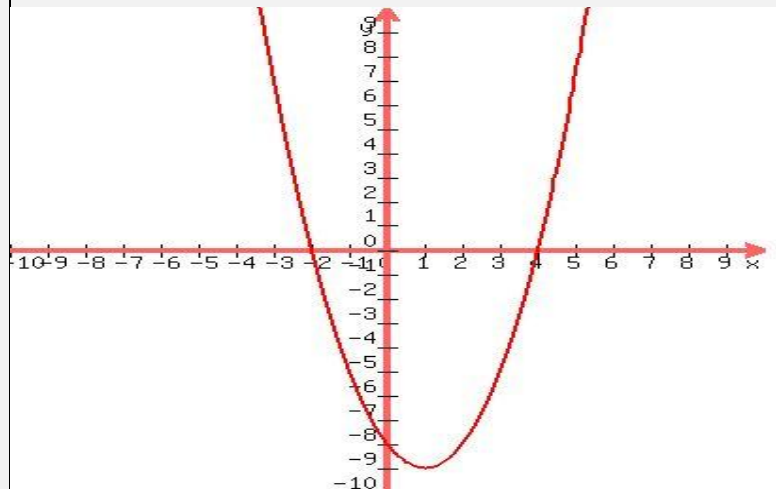
$$x = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-(-2)}{2 \times 1} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{-D}{4a} = \frac{-(b^2 - 4ac)}{4 \times 1} = - \frac{[(-2)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times -8]}{4}$$

$$= - \left[\frac{4 + 32}{4} \right] = -9$$

4. Vertex of Parabola $(x, y) = \left(\frac{-b}{2a}, \frac{-D}{4a} \right) = (1, -9)$

Y- intercept = $(0, c) = (0, \text{constant}) = (0, -8)$



Cubic Polynomial: A polynomial having highest degree of three is called a cubic polynomial. In general, a quadratic polynomial can be expressed in the form $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$, where $a \neq 0$ and a, b, c, d are real numbers.

$$P(x) = 3x^3 - x^2 - 3x + 5,$$

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Zeros of Cubic Polynomial: In general, it can be proved that if α, β, γ are the zeros of the cubic polynomial $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$, then,

Coefficient of $x^3 = a$, Coefficient of $x^2 = b$, Coefficient of $x = c$, Coefficient of x^0 (constant) = d

RELATION BETWEEN COEFFICIENT AND ZEROS

$$\text{Sum of Zeros} = \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{-\text{Coefficient of } x^2}{\text{Coefficient of } x^3} = \frac{-b}{a}$$

Sum of the products of zeros taken two at a

$$\text{time} = \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = \frac{\text{Coefficient of } x}{\text{Coefficient of } x^3} = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\text{Product of zeros } \alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{-\text{constant}}{\text{Coefficient of } x^3} = \frac{-d}{a}$$

Proof: - if α, β, γ are the zeros of the cubic polynomial $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$, then,

$$ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = k(x - \alpha)(x - \beta)(x - \gamma)$$

$$a\left(x^3 + \frac{b}{a}x^2 + \frac{c}{a}x + \frac{d}{a}\right)$$

$$= k[x^3 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)x^2 + (\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha)x - (\alpha\beta\gamma)]$$

Comparing the terms according to exponent

$$\text{Therefore } a = k, \quad x^3 = x^3,$$

$$\frac{b}{a}x^2 = -(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)x^2 \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{-b}{a}$$

$$\frac{c}{a}x = (\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha)x \Rightarrow \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\frac{d}{a} = -(\alpha\beta\gamma) \Rightarrow \alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{-d}{a}$$

If α, β, γ are the zeros, then cubic polynomial

$$= k[x^3 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)x^2 + (\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha)x - (\alpha\beta\gamma)]$$

$$= k[x^3 - (\text{Sum of Zeros})x^2 +$$

$$(\text{Sum of the products of zeros taken two at a time})x - (\text{Product of zeros})]$$

Q. Verify that $-1, \frac{-1}{3}, 3$ are the zeros of the cubic polynomial $p(x) = 3x^3 - 5x^2 - 11x - 3$, and then verify the relationship between the zeros and the coefficients.

Solution: $p(x) = 3x^3 - 5x^2 - 11x - 3$

If $-1, \frac{-1}{3}, 3$ are zeros of $p(x)$ then leaves

remainder $p(x) = 0$

$$p(x) = 3x^3 - 5x^2 - 11x - 3$$

$$p(-1) = 3(-1)^3 - 5(-1)^2 - 11(-1) - 3 \quad \text{Putting } x = -1$$

$$= -3 - 5 + 11 - 3 = 11 - 11 = 0$$

$$p\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right) = 3\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)^3 - 5\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)^2 - 11\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right) - 3 \quad \text{Putting } x = \frac{-1}{3}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{9} - \frac{5}{9} + \frac{11}{3} - 3 = \frac{-1 - 5 + 33 - 27}{9} = \frac{33 - 33}{9} = 0$$

$$p(3) = 3(3)^3 - 5(3)^2 - 11(3) - 3 \quad \text{Putting } x = 1$$

$$= 81 - 45 - 33 - 3 = 81 - 81 = 0$$

$\therefore -1, \frac{-1}{3}$ & 3 are the zeros of $p(x)$ Answer

Verify the relationship between the zeros and the coefficients.

$$ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 3x^3 - 5x^2 - 11x - 3$$

$$a = 3, \quad b = -5, \quad c = -11 \quad \& \quad d = -3$$

$$\text{Let } \alpha = -1, \beta = \frac{-1}{3} \quad \& \quad \gamma = 3$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{-b}{a} \Rightarrow -1 + \left(\frac{-1}{3}\right) + 3 = \frac{-3 - 1 + 9}{3} = \frac{5}{3}$$

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

$$\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = \frac{c}{a} \Rightarrow -1 \times \frac{-1}{3} + \left(\frac{-1}{3}\right) \times 3 + 3 \times -1$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} + (-1) - 3 = \frac{-11}{3} \quad \therefore \frac{-11}{3} = \frac{-11}{3}$$

$$\alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{-d}{a} \Rightarrow -1 \times \left(\frac{-1}{3}\right) \times 3 = \frac{3}{3} \quad \therefore 1 = 1 \quad \text{Verified}$$

Division Algorithm for Polynomials : If $p(x)$ and $g(x)$ are any two polynomials with $g(x) \neq 0$, then we can find polynomials $q(x)$ and $r(x)$ such that $p(x) = g(x) \times q(x) + r(x)$, where $r(x) = 0$ or degree of $r(x) <$ degree of $g(x)$.

Example: Divide $3x^2 - x^3 - 3x + 5$ by $x - 1 - x^2$, and verify the division algorithm.

On dividing $3x^2 - x^3 - 3x + 5$ by $x - 1 - x^2$, we get,

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x-2 \\
 -x^2+x-1 \overline{) -x^3+3x^2-3x+5} \\
 \underline{-x^3+x^2-x} \\
 2x^2-2x+5 \\
 \underline{2x^2-2x+2} \\
 3
 \end{array}$$

\therefore Quotient is $(x - 2)$ and remainder is 3. *Answer*

Now, as per the division algorithm

Q. Obtain all the zeroes of $3x^4+6x^3-2x^2-10x-5$ if two of its zeroes are $\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$ and $-\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$.

Since two zeroes are $\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$ and $-\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$ so these are the factors of the given polynomial.

$$\text{Now, } (x - \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}})(x + \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}) = x^2 - \frac{5}{3}$$

$$[\text{Rough } x^2 - \frac{5}{3} = 0, 3x^2 - 5 = 0]$$

$\Rightarrow (3x^2-5)$ is a factor of the given polynomial.

Applying the division algorithm to the given polynomial and $3x^2-5$, we have

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2+2x+1 \\
 3x^2-5 \overline{) 3x^4+6x^3-2x^2-10x-5} \\
 \underline{3x^4+6x^3-5x^2} \\
 3x^2-10x-5 \\
 \underline{3x^2+6x-5} \\
 -4x \\
 \underline{-4x} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

$$\therefore 3x^4+6x^3-2x^2-10x-5 = (3x^2-5)(x^2+2x+1) + 0$$

$$\text{Now, } x^2+2x+1 = x^2+x+x+1$$

$$= x(x+1)+1(x+1)=(x+1)(x+1)$$

So, its other zeroes are -1 and -1 .

Thus, all the zeroes of the given fourth degree

polynomial are, $-\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$, $\sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$, -1 and -1 . *Answer*

Divisor x Quotient + Remainder = Dividend

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

$$g(x) = -x^2 + x - 1, q(x) = x - 2 \text{ \& } r(x) = 3$$

$$p(x) = g(x) \times q(x) + r(x),$$

$$3x^2 - x^3 - 3x + 5 = (-x^2 + x - 1)(x - 2) + 3$$

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

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

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

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

\therefore Division algorithm is verified. *Verified*

Q. On dividing x^3-3x^2+x+2 by a polynomial $g(x)$, the quotient and remainder were $x - 2$ and $-2x + 4$ respectively. Find $g(x)$.

Solution. Since on dividing $x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2$ by a polynomial $(x - 2) \times g(x)$,

The quotient and remainder were $(x - 2)$ and $(-2x + 4)$ respectively,

Quotient \times Divisor + Remainder = Dividend

$$\Rightarrow (x-2) \times g(x) + (-2x + 4) = x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2) \times g(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 + 2x - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 2 / (x - 2) \quad \dots (1)$$

Let us divide $x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 2$ by $x-2$. We get

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2-x+1 \\
 x-2 \overline{) x^3-3x^2+3x-2} \\
 \underline{x^3-2x^2} \\
 -x^2+3x-2 \\
 \underline{-x^2+2x} \\
 x-2 \\
 \underline{x-2} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 2 / (x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(x) = (x - 2)(x^2 - x + 1) / (x - 2)$$

\therefore equation (1) gives $g(x) = x^2 - x + 1$ *Answer*

Q. Give an example of polynomial $p(x)$, $g(x)$, $q(x)$ and $r(x)$, which satisfy the division algorithm and $\deg p(x) = \deg q(x)$.

There can be several examples for

$\deg p(x) = \deg q(x)$ which satisfy the division algorithm

Example: $p(x)=2x^2-2x+19$, $g(x)=2$, $q(x)=x^2-x+7$, $r(x)=5$

By division algorithm

$$p(x) = g(x) \times q(x) + r(x),$$

$$2x^2-2x+19 = 2 \times (x^2-x+7) + 5$$

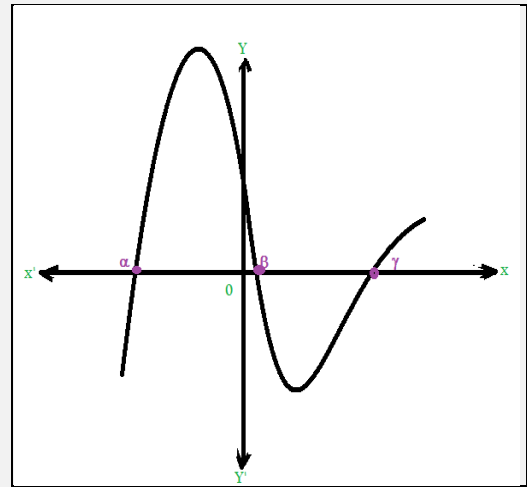
$$= 2x^2-2x+14 + 5$$

$$2x^2-2x+19 = 2x^2-2x+19$$

Satisfied **division algorithm** and also satisfied

degree of $p(x)$ = degree of $q(x)$ = 2 *Answer*

Graph of Cubic Polynomial



The graph of cubic polynomial cuts x-axis in three times which is denoted by α , β and γ .

SUBJECT ENRICHMENT

Draw Graph of Given Quadratic Polynomials

(a) $x^2 - 2x - 8$

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

(c) $3x^2 - 6x + 3$

(d) $-4x^2 + 4x - 1$

(e) $3x^2 + 2x + 1$

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

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