

QUADRATIC EXPRESSIONS-I

class: IX, Mathematics

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SOLUTIONS

TEACHING TASK

01. $x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0$

$x+1$
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0$ and $x+1 \neq 0 \Rightarrow x \neq -1$

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

$\Rightarrow x = 3$ or $x = -1$

But $x \neq -1$

\therefore solution set = $\{3\}$

Ans: C

02. $\sqrt{5x^2 - 6x + 8} - \sqrt{5x^2 - 6x - 7} = 1$

Let $5x^2 - 6x = a$

$\therefore \sqrt{a+8} - \sqrt{a-7} = 1$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{a+8} = 1 + \sqrt{a-7}$

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 $\Rightarrow a+8 = 1 + a-7 + 2\sqrt{a-7}$

$\Rightarrow 14 = 2\sqrt{a-7}$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{a-7} = 7$

$\Rightarrow a-7 = 49$

$\Rightarrow a = 56$

$\Rightarrow 5x^2 - 6x - 56 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 5x^2 - 20x + 14x - 56 = 0$

$5x(x-4) + 14(x-4) = 0$

$(x-4)(5x+14) = 0$

$x = 4$ or $-\frac{14}{5}$

Ans: B

$$03 \quad a, b, c \text{ AP} \Rightarrow 2b = a + c$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

2 is a root

$$\therefore 4a + 2b + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + a + c + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a + 2c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{c}{a} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times \beta = -\frac{5}{2} \Rightarrow \beta = -\frac{5}{4}$$

Ans: A

$$04. \quad 30^\circ + 15^\circ = 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(30^\circ + 15^\circ) = \tan 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan 30^\circ + \tan 15^\circ}{1 - \tan 30^\circ \cdot \tan 15^\circ} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-p}{1+q} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{-p}{1-q} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1+q+p = 1-q \Rightarrow q-p=1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2+q-p=3$$

Ans: D

$$05 \quad f(x) = 2x^2 - 3x - 6 = 0$$

$$\alpha^2, \beta^2 \Rightarrow f(\sqrt{x}) = 2(\sqrt{x})^2 - 3\sqrt{x} - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 3\sqrt{x} - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 6 = 3\sqrt{x}$$

$$4x^2 - 24x + 36 = 9x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 33x + 36 = 0$$

$$\alpha^2 + 2, \beta^2 + 2 \Rightarrow f(\sqrt{x} - 2) = 4(x-2)^2 - 33(x-2) + 36 = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 49x + 118 = 0$$

Ans: D

$$06 \quad \frac{1}{\alpha^3} + \frac{1}{\beta^3} = \frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3}{(\alpha\beta)^3} = \frac{(\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3\alpha\beta(\alpha + \beta)}{(\alpha\beta)^3}$$

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

$$= \frac{3abc - b^3}{c^3}$$

Ans: C

$$07 \quad x^2 - (5m-2)x + (4m^2 + 10m + 25) = 0$$

perfect square $\Rightarrow \Delta = 0$
 $\Rightarrow b^2 - 4ac = 0$

$$\left[-(5m-2)\right]^2 - 4(1)(4m^2 + 10m + 25) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{4}{3} \text{ or } 8$$

Ans: C

$$08 \quad (a^2 + b^2)x^2 + 2(bc + ad)x + (c^2 + d^2) = 0$$

roots are real $\Rightarrow \Delta \geq 0$

$$\left[2(bc + ad)\right]^2 - 4(a^2 + b^2)(c^2 + d^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ac = bd$$

$$\Rightarrow (bd)^2 = a^2 \cdot c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a, bd, c^2 \text{ are in G.P.}$$

Ans: B

09.

$$x\sqrt{x} = (\sqrt{x})^x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{\sqrt{x}} = x^{\frac{x}{2}}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{x^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x\left(1 - \frac{x}{4}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } \boxed{x = 4}$$

$x = 0$ can not possible, \uparrow

Also, by observation (4)

$x = 1$ is a root

$$\therefore \text{solution set} = \{1, 4\}$$

Ans: C

~~$$(a^2 + b^2)x^2 + 2(a+b)c x + (a-b+c) = 0$$~~

~~Now find $\Delta = b^2 - 4ac$~~

~~$$\Rightarrow [2(a+b)c]^2 - 4(a^2 + b^2)(a-b)$$~~

$$10. (a+b+c)x^2 - 2(a+b)c x + (a-b+c) = 0$$

$$\text{find } \Delta = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= [2(a+b)c]^2 - 4(a+b+c)(a-b+c)$$

$$= 4(a^2 + b^2 + 2abc) - 4(a^2 - ab + ac + ba - b^2 + bc + ca - cb + c^2)$$

$$= 4b^2 > 0$$

Hence, the roots are rational

11. $\frac{\alpha+1}{\alpha} + \frac{\beta+1}{\beta}$ (5)

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{\alpha} + 1 + \frac{1}{\beta} = 2 + \left(\frac{\alpha+\beta}{\alpha\beta}\right)$$

$$= 2 + \frac{(-3)}{-2} = 2 + \frac{3}{2} = \frac{7}{2} \text{ (or)} \frac{14}{4}$$

Ans: A, C

12. $\frac{a+b}{2} = 9$ & $\sqrt{ab} = 4$

$a+b = 18$ & $ab = 16$

$\therefore x^2 - 18x + 16 = 0$ (or)

$$2x^2 - 36x + 32 = 0$$

Ans: B, C

13. Statement I: $\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} - \frac{\beta}{\alpha}\right)^2$

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

$$= \frac{(\alpha+\beta)^2(\alpha-\beta)^2}{(\alpha\beta)^2} = \frac{(\alpha+\beta)^2 [(\alpha+\beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta]}{(\alpha\beta)^2}$$

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

$$= \frac{b^2(b^2 - 4ac)}{c^2 a^2} \quad (\text{True})$$

Statement II: (Conceptual True) Ans: A

14. Statement I: $(b-c)x^2 + 2(c-a)x + (a-b) = 0$

$$\Delta = b^2 - 4ac = [2(c-a)]^2 - 4(b-c)(a-b) \quad (6)$$

$$= 4(c^2 - 2ac + a^2) - 4(ab - b^2 - ac + bc)$$

$$= 4[c^2 - 2ac + a^2 - ab + b^2 + ac - bc]$$

$$= 4[a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca]$$

$$= 2[2a^2 + 2b^2 + 2c^2 - 2ab - 2bc - 2ca]$$

$$= 2[(a-b)^2 + (b-c)^2 + (c-a)^2] \geq 0$$

∴ Roots are real and distinct (True)

Statement II: Conceptual (True)

Ans: B

15 $x^2 - 15x + 1 = 0$

α is a root $\Rightarrow x^2 - 15x + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 15\alpha = -\alpha^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 15\beta = -\beta^2$$

Similarly

Now $(\frac{1}{\alpha} - 15)^{-2} + (\frac{1}{\beta} - 15)^{-2}$

$$= \left(\frac{1 - 15\alpha}{\alpha}\right)^{-2} + \left(\frac{1 - 15\beta}{\beta}\right)^{-2}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{(15)^2 - 2 \cdot 1}{(4)^2} = 225 - 2 = 223 \quad \text{⑦}$$

Ans: A

16 Given $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha\beta} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\left(-\frac{q}{p}\right)}{\left(\frac{r}{p}\right)} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{q}{r} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow -q = 4r$$

$$\Rightarrow -2q = 8r$$

$$\Rightarrow -(p+r) = 8r$$

$$\Rightarrow -p = 9r$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{r}{p} = \frac{-1}{9}}$$

Also $-q = 4r$

$$\Rightarrow -q = 4\left(-\frac{p}{9}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{q}{p} = \frac{4}{9}}$$

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

$$= \sqrt{\left(-\frac{q}{p}\right)^2 - 4\left(\frac{r}{p}\right)}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^2 - 4\left(\frac{-1}{9}\right)}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{16 + 36}{81}} = \frac{2\sqrt{13}}{9}$$

Ans: D

$$17. \alpha = 2 + \sqrt{3}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \beta = 2 - \sqrt{3}$$

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

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

Ans: B

$$18. x^2 - \left(-\frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{7}\right)x + \left(-\frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{7}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - \left(\frac{-14+9}{21}\right)x + \frac{2}{7} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x^2 + 5x - 6 = 0$$

Ans: D

$$19. 22^\circ + 23^\circ = 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(22^\circ + 23^\circ) = \tan 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan 22^\circ + \tan 23^\circ}{1 - \tan 22^\circ \cdot \tan 23^\circ} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-a}{1-b} = 1 \Rightarrow -a = 1-b$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = -1 \quad \text{Ans: -1}$$

$$20. |\alpha^2 - \beta^2| = (\alpha + \beta)(\alpha - \beta) = 24$$

$$= (\alpha + \beta) \sqrt{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta} = 24$$

$$= (6) \sqrt{(6)^2 - 4q} = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow 36 - 4q = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow q = 5$$

Ans: 5

21 a) $cx^2 + bx + a = 0 \rightarrow$ roots $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}$ (9)

b) $ax^2 - bx + c = 0 \rightarrow$ roots $-\alpha, \beta$

c) $a\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 + b\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + c = 0 \rightarrow$ roots $2\alpha, 2\beta$

d) $a(2x)^2 + b(2x) + c = 0 \rightarrow$ roots $\frac{\alpha}{2}, \frac{\beta}{2}$

Ans: t, s, r, q

22 a) $x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow (x-2)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x=2$
Roots are real and equal

b) $x^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$

$\Delta = 16 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 = 16 - 12 = 4 > 0$

Roots are real and distinct and rational

c) $x^2 + x - 3 = 0$

$\Delta = 1 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot (-3) = 1 + 12 = 13 > 0$

real and irrational

d) $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$

$\Delta = 1 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 = 1 - 4 = -3 < 0$

roots are imaginary

Ans: q, r, s, t

LEARNERS TASK

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CUQ'S

01. Conceptual

Ans: D

02. $(x-2)(8-x) = 0$

$$8x - x^2 - 16 + 2x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 10x + 16 = 0$$

Linear term = $-10x$

Ans: B

03 $(x-a)(x-b) = b^2$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - bx - ax + ab - b^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - (a+b)x + ab - b^2 = 0$$

$$\Delta = [-(a+b)]^2 - 4(ab - b^2)$$

$$= (a+b)^2 - 4ab + 4b^2$$

$$= (a-b)^2 + 4b^2 > 0$$

Roots real and distinct

Ans: A

04
05

$$x^2 - 15 - m(2x-8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2mx + 8m - 15 = 0$$

$$\Delta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (-2m)^2 - 4(1)(8m-15) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 - 8m + 15 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m-3)(m-5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 3 \text{ or } 5$$

Ans: D



04

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

$$\Delta = (1)^2 - 4(1)(-4)$$

$$= 1 + 16$$

$= 17 > 0$, Not perfect square

\therefore roots are Irrational Conjugate

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Ans: D

06

$$f(x) = x^2 + 11x + 13 = 0$$

$$f(x+4) = (x+4)^2 + 11(x+4) + 13 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 19x + 73 = 0$$

Ans: B

07 $3 - 2i$

Ans: A

08 α^2, β^2

Ans: B

09 $\Delta = a^2 - 4bc$

Ans: C

10. $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

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

$$\alpha + \alpha = -\frac{b}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -\frac{b}{2a}$$

$$\alpha \cdot \beta = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\alpha \cdot \alpha = \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{c}{a}}$$

Ans: D

JEE MAINS LEVEL

01. $x^2 - S_1x + S_2 = 0$

Ans: A

02. $\Delta = (c+a-b)^2 - 4(b+c-a)(a+b-c)$

$$= c^2 + a^2 + b^2 + 2ac$$

02

$$a+b+c=0$$

$$(b+c-a)x^2 + (c+a-b)x + (a+b-c) = 0 \quad (12)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$\Delta = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (-a-c)^2 - 4ac$$

$$= (a+c)^2 - 4ac = (a-c)^2 > 0.$$

roots real and distinct

Ans: B

$$03. \alpha = 3 - 2i \Rightarrow \beta = 3 + 2i$$

$$x^2 - 6x + (3-2i)(3+2i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 6x + 9 + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 6x + 13 = 0$$

Ans: C

$$04. \sin\theta + \cos\theta = \frac{-b}{a} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\sin\theta \cdot \cos\theta = \frac{c}{a} \rightarrow (2)$$

$$(1)^2 \Rightarrow 1 + 2 \cdot \frac{c}{a} = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + 2ac = b^2$$

Ans: A

05

$$\frac{-b}{a} = -1$$

$$\therefore \frac{-(2a+3)}{a+1} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a+3 = a+1$$

$$\boxed{a = -2}$$

$$\text{product} = \frac{3a+4}{a+1}$$

$$= \frac{3(-2)+4}{-2+1} = \frac{-6+4}{-2+1}$$

$$= 2$$

Ans: B



06. $a(x-1)^2 + b(x-1) + c = 0$

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$\Rightarrow a\cancel{x^2} + b\cancel{x} + c$

$\Rightarrow a(x^2 - 2x + 1) + b(x-1) + c = 0$

$\Rightarrow ax^2 - 2ax + a + bx - b + c = 0$

$\Rightarrow ax^2 + (b-2a)x + a-b+c = 0$

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

$a = 2$

$b - 2a = 8$

$b - 2 \cdot 2 = 8$

$b = 12$

$a - b + c = 2$

$2 - 12 + c = 2$

$c = 12$

$\therefore b = c$

Ans: C

07.

$x^2 + px + 12 = 0$

$4^2 + p(4) + 12 = 0$

$\Rightarrow p = -7$

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

Equal roots $\Delta = 0$

$49 - 4q = 0$

$\Rightarrow q = \frac{49}{4}$

Ans: D

08.

$x^{\frac{2}{3}} + x^{\frac{1}{3}} - 2 = 0$

Let $x^{\frac{1}{3}} = a$

$\therefore a^2 + a - 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (a+2)(a-1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow a = 1 \text{ or } -2$

$x^{\frac{1}{3}} = 1$

$x = 1$

\therefore Two roots

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

$x = -8$

Ans: B

09

$$f(x) = 4x^2 + 7x + 2 = 0$$

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$$f(\sqrt{x}) = 4(\sqrt{x})^2 + 7(\sqrt{x}) + 2 = 0$$

$$4x + 7(\sqrt{x}) + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 2 = -7\sqrt{x}$$

S.O.B.S

$$16x^2 + 16x + 4 = 49x$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x^2 - 33x + 4 = 0$$

Ans: D

10.

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

$$(x+1)(x+3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1, -3$$

Ans: B

11.

$$x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9+4}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

Ans: A, B

12.

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

$$\Delta = (1)^2 - 4(1)(-3)$$

$$= 13 > 0, \text{ Not a perfect square}$$

Ans: C, D

13. Statement I:

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

$$\Rightarrow x = 2, 2 \text{ (True)}$$

Ans: A

Statement II: Conceptual (True)14. Statement J:

$$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$f(-x) = a(-x)^2 + b(-x) + c = 0$$

$$= ax^2 - bx + c = 0 \text{ (True)}$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Sum} = 3 \text{ (False)}$$

Ans: C

Statement II:

$$15. \quad f(x) = x^2 + x + 1 = 0$$

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

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

Ans: C

$$16. \quad f(x) = 2x^2 - 3x + 6 = 0$$

$$\alpha, \beta^2 f(\sqrt{x}) = 2(\sqrt{x})^2 - 3(\sqrt{x}) - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 33x + 36 = 0$$

$$\alpha^2 + 2, \beta^2 + 2 \Rightarrow f(\sqrt{x}-2) = 4(x-2)^2 - 33(x-2) + 36x$$

$$= 4x^2 - 49x + 118 = 0$$

Ans: B

$$17. \quad x^2 + x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Delta = 1 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 = 1 - 12 = -11 < 0$$

Ans: C

18. (Conceptual) for all options $\Delta = 0$

Ans: D

$$19. \quad (a^2 - 5a + 3)x^2 + (3a - 1)x + 2 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \alpha \quad 2\alpha \\ \alpha + 2\alpha = \frac{1-3a}{a^2-5a+3} \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1-3a}{3(a^2-5a+3)}$$

$$\alpha \cdot 2\alpha = \frac{2}{a^2-5a+3}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{a^2-5a+3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{1-3a}{3(a^2-5a+3)} \right]^2 = \frac{1}{a^2-5a+3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(1-3a)^2}{9} = a^2 - 5a + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a = 2$$

Ans: 2



$$\begin{aligned}
 20. \quad \alpha^2 + \beta^2 &= (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta \\
 &= (5)^2 - 2 \cdot 6 \\
 &= 25 - 12 \\
 &= 13
 \end{aligned}$$

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Ans: 13

$$\begin{aligned}
 21 \quad a) \quad \alpha^3 + \beta^3 &= (\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3\alpha\beta(\alpha + \beta) \\
 &= \left(-\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 - 3\left(\frac{c}{a}\right)\left(-\frac{b}{a}\right) \\
 &= \frac{3abc - b^3}{a^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 c) \quad |\alpha - \beta| &= \sqrt{(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 4\alpha\beta} \\
 &= \sqrt{\left(-\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 4\left(\frac{c}{a}\right)} = \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{|a|}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$d) \quad \alpha + \beta = -\frac{b}{a}$$

Ans: t, p, s, q

$$22 \quad a) \quad k\alpha, k\beta \Rightarrow f\left(\frac{x}{k}\right) = 0$$

$$b) \quad \frac{\alpha}{k}, \frac{\beta}{k} \Rightarrow f(kx) = 0$$

$$c) \quad \alpha^2, \beta^2 \Rightarrow f(\sqrt{x}) = 0$$

$$d) \quad \alpha + k, \beta + k \Rightarrow f(x - k) = 0$$

THE ENDE Ans: s, p, q, r.

