## POLYNOMIALS.

1) Find the condition, under which, the zeroes of a quadratic polynomial are

(a) same in magnitude but have opposite sign (1 mark)

(b) reciprocals of each other (1 mark)

2) For some polynomial p(x), the graphs of y = p(x) are given below. Find the number of zeroes of the polynomials in each case.



3) Find the zeroes of the polynomial  $p(x) = x^2 - 8x + 15$ . Verify the relationship between the zeroes and the coefficients of the polynomial.

4) The sum of the zeroes of a quadratic polynomial is -6 and the product of its zeroes is 4. Form a polynomial using this information.

5) Form a quadratic polynomial whose zeroes are  $5+\sqrt{3}$  and  $5-\sqrt{3}$ .

6) Find a quadratic polynomial such that one of its zeroes is  $1 + \sqrt{2}$  and the sum of its zeroes is 2.

7) Find the value of k so that the sum of the zeroes of the polynomial  $3x^2 + (2k + 1)x - k - 5$  is equal to the product of its zeroes.

8) On dividing  $p(x) = x^6 + 1$  by a polynomial g(x), the quotient is found to be  $q(x) = x^4 - x^2 + 1$  and the remainder r(x) = 0. Find g(x).

9) The following figure shows the graph of a quadratic polynomial y = p(x). Find the sum and the product of the zeroes of the polynomial.



10) If *a* and  $\beta$  are two numbers such that  $a + \beta = 16$  and  $a - \beta = 4$ , then form a quadratic polynomial whose zeroes are *a* and  $\beta$ .

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