

## Problem Based on Different Form of Equations (Formula Method)

### VERY SHORT ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS :

**VSA.1** Solve the equation :  $x^2 - 4x + 7 = 0$

**Sol.** We have,

$$x^2 - 4x + 7 = 0$$

Here  $a = 1, b = -4, c = 7$

$$\text{Now, } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x &= \frac{-(-4) \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(1)(7)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm 2\sqrt{3}i}{2} = 2 \pm \sqrt{3}i. \end{aligned}$$

**VSA.2** Solve :  $x^2 + 2|x| - 8 = 0$ .

**Sol.** We have,

$$x^2 + 2|x| - 8 = 0.$$

$$\therefore |x|^2 + 2|x| - 8 = 0.$$

$$[\because |x|^2 = x^2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |x| &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 32}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm 6}{2} = -4, 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |x| = -4 &\text{ is impossible and } |x| = 2 \\ \Rightarrow x &= \pm 2. \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Roots are  $-2, 2$ .

**VSA.3** Solve the equation :  $5x^2 - 4ix + 9 = 0$ .

**Sol.** We have,

$$5x^2 - 4ix + 9 = 0$$

Here  $a = 5, b = -4i, c = 9$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } x &= \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \\ &= \frac{-(-4i) \pm \sqrt{(-4i)^2 - 4(5)(9)}}{2(5)} \\ &= \frac{4i \pm \sqrt{-16 - 180}}{10} \\ &= \frac{4i \pm \sqrt{-196}}{10} = \frac{4i \pm 14i}{10} \\ &= \frac{18i}{10}, -\frac{10i}{10} = \frac{9}{5}i, -i. \end{aligned}$$

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**VSA.4** Solve the following quadratic equations :

$$25x^2 - 30x + 11 = 0.$$

**Sol.** Comparing the coefficients of the equation  $25x^2 - 30x + 11 = 0$  with the general form  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ , we get,  $a = 25$ ,  $b = -30$ ,  $c = 11$ .

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \frac{-(-30) \pm \sqrt{(-30)^2 - 4 \times 25 \times 11}}{2 \times 25} = \frac{30 \pm \sqrt{900 - 1100}}{50} \\&= \frac{30 \pm 10\sqrt{2}i}{50} = \frac{3}{5} \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{5}i.\end{aligned}$$

Hence, roots of the given equation are  $\frac{3}{5} \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{5}i$ .

**VSA.5** Solve :  $ix^2 + 4x - 5i = 0$

**Sol.** We have,

$$ix^2 + 4x - 5i = 0 \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Comparing (1) with general equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ , we get  $a = i$ ,  $b = 4$ ,  $c = -5i$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{(4)^2 - 4(i)(-5i)}}{2(i)} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 20}}{2i} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{-4 + 2i}{2i} = 2i + 1 \text{ and } \beta = \frac{-4 - 2i}{2i} = 2i - 1.$$

Hence, roots of the given equation are  $2i + 1$  and  $2i - 1$ .

**VSA.6** Solve the following quadratic equation :  $2x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}x + \frac{21}{8} = 0$

**Sol.** Comparing the equation,  $2x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}x + \frac{21}{8} = 0$  with the general form

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

We get,  $a = 2$ ,  $b = -2\sqrt{3}$  and  $c = \frac{21}{8}$

$$x = \frac{-(-2\sqrt{3}) \pm \sqrt{(-2\sqrt{3})^2 - 4 \times 2 \times \frac{21}{8}}}{2 \times 2} = \frac{2\sqrt{3} \pm \sqrt{12 - 21}}{4}$$

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

$$\alpha = \frac{2\sqrt{3} + 3i}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3i}{4} \text{ and } \beta = \frac{2\sqrt{3} - 3i}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{3i}{4}$$

Hence roots are  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3i}{4}$  and  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{3i}{4}$ .

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### LONG ANSWER TYPE QUESTIONS :

**LA.1** Solve the equation :  $2x^2 - (3 + 7i)x + (9i - 3) = 0$ .

**Sol.** We have,

$$2x^2 - (3 + 7i)x + (9i - 3) = 0$$

Here  $a = 2$ ,  $b = -(3 + 7i)$ ,  $c = 9i - 3$ .

$$\text{Now, } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{3 + 7i \pm \sqrt{[-(3 + 7i)]^2 - 4(2)(9i - 3)}}{2 \times 2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 + 7i \pm \sqrt{9 + 49i^2 + 42i - 72i + 24}}{4}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{3 + 7i \pm \sqrt{-16 - 30i}}{4} \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

Let square roots of

$$-16 - 30i = a + ib.$$

$$\therefore -16 - 30i = (a + ib)^2.$$

$$\therefore -16 - 30i = (a^2 - b^2) + (2ab)i$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - b^2 = -16 \text{ and } 2ab = -30.$$

$$\text{Now, } (a^2 + b^2)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2 + (2ab)^2.$$

$$\therefore (a^2 + b^2)^2 = (-16)^2 + (-30)^2 = 1156.$$

$$\therefore a^2 + b^2 = 34.$$

[ $\because a^2 + b^2 \geq 0$ ]

$$\text{Also, } a^2 - b^2 = -16.$$

Adding, we get

$$2a^2 = 18, a^2 = 9, a = \pm 3.$$

$$a = 3 \quad \Rightarrow \quad b = \frac{-30}{2(3)} = -5$$

$$\therefore a + ib = 3 - 5i$$

$$a = -3 \quad \Rightarrow \quad b = \frac{-30}{2(-3)} = 5$$

$$\therefore a + ib = -(3 - 5i)$$

$$\therefore a + ib = \pm(3 - 5i)$$

$$\therefore \text{Square roots of } -16 - 30i = \pm(3 - 5i)$$

$\therefore$  (1) implies

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \frac{3 + 7i \pm (3 - 5i)}{4} \\ &= \frac{3 + 7i + 3 - 5i}{4}, \frac{3 + 7i - 3 + 5i}{4} \\ &= \frac{3 + i}{2}, 3i. \end{aligned}$$