

**CBSE Test Paper 05**

**CH-2 Polynomials**

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1. Which of the following expression is a monomial
  - a.  $4x^3$
  - b.  $x^6 + 2x^2 + 2$
  - c. None of these
  - d.  $3 + x$
2. The value of  $(a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3$  is
  - a.  $3(a + b)(b + c)(c + a)(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$
  - b.  $3(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$
  - c.  $3(a + b)(b + c)(c + a)$
  - d. none of these
3. The value of  $(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y})(\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{y})(x + y)(x^2 + y^2)$  is
  - a.  $(x^4 + y^4)$
  - b.  $(x^4 - y^4)$
  - c.  $(x + y)^4$
  - d.  $(x - y)^4$
4. A polynomial containing one nonzero term is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. trinomial
  - b. binomial
  - c. none of these

d. monomial

5. The value of  $(x - a)^3 + (x - b)^3 + (x - c)^3 - 3(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)$  when  $a + b + c = 3x$ , is

a. 1

b. 2

c. 3

d. 0

6. Fill in the blanks:

A polynomial containing three non-zero terms is called a \_\_\_\_\_.

7. Fill in the blanks:

The coefficient of  $x$  in the expansion of  $(x + 3)^3$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

8. Write the degree of the following polynomial:  $5t - \sqrt{7}$

9. Whether the following are zero of the polynomial, indicated against them.  $p(x) = lx + m$ ,  $x = -\frac{m}{l}$

10. Expand:  $\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{y}{3}\right)^3$

11. Find the following product:  $(2x - y + 3z)(4x^2 + y^2 + 9z^2 + 2xy + 3yz - 6xz)$

12. Determine the remainder when the polynomial  $p(x) = x^4 - 3x^2 + 2x + 1$  is divided by  $x - 1$ .

13. Simplify:  $\frac{(a^2-b^2)^3 + (b^2-c^2)^3 + (c^2-a^2)^3}{(a-b)^3 + (b-c)^3 + (c-a)^3}$

14. Factorize:  $4x^2 + 9y^2 + 16z^2 + 12xy - 24yz - 16xz$

15. If  $x - 3$  and  $x - \frac{1}{3}$  are both factors of  $px^2 + 5x + r$ , then show that  $p = r$

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**Solution**

1. (a)  $4x^3$

**Explanation:**  $4x^3$  because monomial means only one term in an expression.

2. (a)  $3(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)(a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$

**Explanation:**

$$(a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3$$

Here,

$$a^2 - b^2 + b^2 - c^2 + c^2 - a^2 = 0$$

Therefore,

$$(a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3 = 3(a^2 - b^2)(b^2 - c^2)(c^2 - a^2) \quad [\text{Since } x^3 + y^3 + z^3 = 3xyz \text{ if } x + y + z = 0]$$

$$(a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3 = 3(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)(a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$$

3. (b)  $(x^4 - y^4)$

**Explanation:**

$$\begin{aligned} & (\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y})(\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{y})(x + y)(x^2 + y^2) \\ &= [(\sqrt{x})^2 - (\sqrt{y})^2](x + y)(x^2 + y^2) \\ &= (x - y)(x + y)(x^2 + y^2) \\ &= [(x)^2 - (y)^2](x^2 + y^2) \\ &= (x^2 - y^2)(x^2 + y^2) \\ &= (x^2)^2 - (y^2)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$= x^4 - y^4$$

4. (d) monomial

**Explanation:** A polynomial containing one nonzero term is called a monomial.

Example:  $3x, 5x^2, y^3$

5. (d) 0

**Explanation:**

$$(x - a)^3 + (x - b)^3 + (x - c)^3 - 3(x - a)(x - b)(x - c)$$

$$= [x - a + x - b + x - c]$$

$$[x - a^2 + (x - b^2) + (x - c^2) - (x - a)(x - b) - (x - b)(x - c) - (x - c)(x -$$

$$= [3x - (a + b + c)]$$

$$[(x - a)^2 + (x - b)^2 + (x - c)^2 - (x - a)(x - b) - (x - b)(x - c) - (x - c)(x -$$

$$= 3x - 3x$$

$$[(x - a)^2 + (x - b)^2 + (x - c)^2 - (x - a)(x - b) - (x - b)(x - c) - (x - c)(x -$$

$$=$$

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

$$= 0$$

6. trinomial

7. 27

8. Term with the highest power of  $t = 5t$

Exponent of  $t$  in this term = 1

$\therefore$  Degree of this polynomial = 1

$$9. p\left(-\frac{m}{l}\right) = l\left(-\frac{m}{l}\right) + m = -m + m = 0$$

$\therefore -\frac{m}{l}$  is a zero of  $p(x)$ .

$$10. (x+y)^3 = x^3 + y^3 + 3x^2y + 3xy^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\frac{1}{x} + \frac{y}{3}\right]^3 &= \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^3 + 3\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^2 \frac{y}{3} + 3\frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{y}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{3}\right)^3 \\
&= \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^3 + 3 \cdot \left(\frac{1^2}{x^2}\right) \frac{y}{3} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{x} \frac{y^2}{3^2} + \frac{y^3}{3^3} \\
&= \frac{1}{x^3} + \frac{y}{x^2} + \frac{y^2}{3x} + \frac{y^3}{27}
\end{aligned}$$

11.  $(2x - y + 3z)(4x^2 + y^2 + 9z^2 + 2xy + 3yz - 6xz)$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (2x + (-y) + 3z) \{(2x)^2 + (-y)^2 + (3z)^2 - 2x \times (-y) - (-y) \times (3z) - 2x \times 3z\} \\
&= (a + b + c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca), \text{ where } a = 2x, b = -y, c = 3z \\
&= a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc \\
&= (2x)^3 + (-y)^3 + (3z)^3 - 3 \times 2x \times (-y) \times 3z \\
&= 8x^3 - y^3 + 27z^3 + 18xyz
\end{aligned}$$

12. By remainder theorem, the required remainder is equal to  $p(1)$ .

$$\text{Now, } p(x) = x^4 - 3x^2 + 2x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow p(1) = (1)^4 - 3 \times 1^2 + 2 \times 1 + 1 = 1 - 3 + 2 + 1 = 1$$

$$\text{Hence, required remainder} = p(1) = 1$$

13. We have,

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

$$\therefore (a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3 = 3(a^2 - b^2)(b^2 - c^2)(c^2 - a^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3 = 3(a - b)(a + b)(b - c)(b + c)(c - a)(c + a)$$

Similarly, we have,

$$(a - b) + (b - c) + (c - a) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - b)^3 + (b - c)^3 + (c - a)^3 = 3(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\therefore & \frac{(a^2 - b^2)^3 + (b^2 - c^2)^3 + (c^2 - a^2)^3}{(a - b)^3 + (b - c)^3 + (c - a)^3} \\
&= \frac{3(a - b)(a + b)(b - c)(b + c)(c - a)(c + a)}{3(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)} = (a + b)(b + c)(c + a)
\end{aligned}$$

14.  $4x^2 + 9y^2 + 16z^2 + 12xy - 24yz - 16xz$

The given expression can be re written as

$$(2x)^2 + (3y)^2 + (-4z)^2 + 2 \times 2x \times 3y + 2 \times 3y \times (-4z) + 2 \times (-4z) \times 2x$$

As we know,  $(a + b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$

$$(2x)^2 + (3y)^2 + (-4z)^2 + 2 \times 2x \times 3y + 2 \times 3y \times (-4z) + 2 \times (-4z) \times 2x,$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x + 3y - 4z)^2 = (2x + 3y - 4z)(2x + 3y - 4z)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 9y^2 + 16z^2 + 12xy - 24yz - 16xz = (2x + 3y - 4z)(2x + 3y - 4z)$$

15.  $\because x - 3$  and  $x - \frac{1}{3}$  are factors of

$$px^2 + 5x + r \therefore x = 3, x = \frac{1}{3}$$

zero of  $px^2 + 5x + r$

Putting  $x = 3$  in given polynomial,

$$\therefore p(3)^2 + 5 \times 3 + r = 0$$

$$9p + 15 + r = 0$$

$$9p + r = -15 \text{ ----- (1)}$$

Again putting  $x = \frac{1}{3}$  in given polynomial,

$$p\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + 5 \times \frac{1}{3} + r = 0$$

$$\frac{p}{9} + \frac{5}{3} + r = 0$$

$$\frac{p+15+9r}{9} = 0$$

$$p + 9r = -15 \text{ ----- (2)}$$

From eq.(1) and eq.(2), we have,

$$9p + r = p + 9r$$

$$9p - p = 9r - r$$

$$8p = 8r$$

$$p = r$$

Hence proved