

Are there any questions from last day's assigned work you would like to see on the board?

**3.4.2 #1-12**

## Today's Learning Goal(s):

By the end of the class, I will be able to:

- a) solve polynomial equations by selecting and applying strategies  
i.e. factoring, using the quadratic formula
- b) solve problems algebraically that involve polynomial functions & equations  
arising from real-world applications

QUIZ 1ST

## 3.5.1 Solving Polynomial Equations

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Ex. Solve

1.  $x^3 - 3x^2 = 16x - 48$     2.  $2x^3 - 18x = 0$     3.  $x^6 - 25x^4 = 0$

$$x^3 - 3x^2 - 16x + 48 = 0$$

$$x^2(x-3) - 16(x-3) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x^2-16) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-4)(x+4) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 3, 4, -4$$

4.  $x^3 = -2x^2 - 4x - 8$

5.  $x^3 - 18 = -2x^2 + 9x$

$$x^3 + 2x^2 - 9x - 18 = 0$$

$$x^2(x+2) - 9(x+2) = 0$$

$$(x+2)(x^2-9) = 0$$

$$(x+2)(x+3)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x = -2, -3, 3$$

6.  $7x^4 - 4x^3 = 0$

$$x^3(7x-4) = 0$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$x=0 \quad 7x-4=0$$

$$7x=4$$

$$x = \frac{4}{7}$$

7.  $-4x^2 + 36 = -x^3 + 9x$

$$x^3 - 4x^2 - 9x + 36 = 0$$

$$x^2(x-4) - 9(x-4) = 0$$

$$(x-4)(x^2-9) = 0$$

$$(x-4)(x-3)(x+3) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 4, 3, -3$$

8.  $x^3 + 2x^2 = 2(x^2 + 32)$

$$x^3 + 2x^2 = 2x^2 + 64$$

$$x^3 + 2x^2 - 2x^2 - 64 = 0$$

$$x^3 - 64 = 0$$

$$x^3 = 64$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{64}$$

$$x = 4$$

9.  $x(x^2 - x - 2) = 17 - x(x+2)$

## 3.5.2 Applications of Polynomial Equations

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1. A box with dimensions  $(x + 3)$ ,  $(x - 2)$ , and  $(5 - x)$  in metres has a volume of  $14 \text{ m}^3$ . Determine the dimensions of the box.

$$\text{Volume} = lwh$$

$$14 = (x+3)(x-2)(5-x)$$

$$14 = (x+3)(\underline{5x - x^2 - 10 + 2x})$$

$$14 = (x+3)(-x^2 + 7x - 10)$$

$$14 = -x^3 + 7x^2 - 10x - 3x^2 + 21x - 30$$

$$0 = -x^3 + 4x^2 + 11x - 30 - 14$$

$$0 = -x^3 + 4x^2 + 11x - 44$$

$$0 = -1(x^3 - 4x^2 - 11x + 44)$$

$$= -1[x^2(x-4) - 11(x-4)]$$

$$= -1(x-4)(x^2-11)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \downarrow \\ x-4=0 \\ x=4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow x^2-11=0 \\ x^2=11 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = +\sqrt{11} \text{ or } x = -\sqrt{11}$$

$$\approx 3.316$$

$$\approx -3.31$$

$$\approx 3.32$$

inadmissible

if  $x = 4$ 

$$l = x+3, \quad w = x-2, \quad h = 5-x$$

$$= 4+3$$

$$= 4-2$$

$$= 5-4$$

$$= 7$$

$$= 2$$

$$= 1$$

if  $x = 3.32$ 

$$l = x+3, \quad w = x-2, \quad h = 5-x$$

$$\approx 3.32+3$$

$$\approx 3.32-2$$

$$\approx 5-3.32$$

$$\approx 6.32$$

$$\approx 1.32$$

$$\approx 1.68$$

2. The area of a rectangle is given by  $A = 2x^2 + 9x + 4$ .

If the perimeter of the rectangle is 46 cm, determine the area of the rectangle.

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Answers:

- There are two possibilities for the size of the box: 2m by 7m by 1m AND 1.32m by 6.32 m by 1.68m
- 130 cm<sup>2</sup>

2. The area of a rectangle is given by  $A = 2x^2 + 9x + 4$ .

If the perimeter of the rectangle is 46 cm, determine the area of the rectangle.

$$A = 2x^2 + 9x + 4$$

$$= (2x + 1)(x + 4)$$

$$A = lw$$

$$l = 2x + 1 \quad w = x + 4$$

$$\text{if } x = 6$$

$$A = 2(6)^2 + 9(6) + 4$$

$$= 2(36) + 54 + 4$$

$$= 72 + 58$$

$$= 130 \text{ cm}^2$$

$\therefore$  the area is  $130 \text{ cm}^2$

$$\text{Also } A = (2x + 1)(x + 4)$$

$$= (2(6) + 1)((6) + 4)$$

$$= (13)(10)$$

$$P = 46 \text{ cm}$$

$$P = 2l + 2w$$

$$46 = 2l + 2w$$

$$46 = 2(2x + 1) + 2(x + 4)$$

$$46 = 4x + 2 + 2x + 8$$

$$46 = 6x + 10$$

$$46 - 10 = 6x$$

$$36 = 6x$$

$$x = \frac{36}{6}$$

$$x = 6$$