



SpeedLabs

MATHS

CBSE 9th

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1. Find the value of the polynomial $5x - 4x^2 + 3$ at

(i) $x = 0$ (ii) $x = -1$ (iii) $x = 2$

Ans - (i) Let $f(x) = 5x - 4x^2 + 3$

We need to substitute 0 in the polynomial $f(x) = 5x - 4x^2 + 3$ to get $f(0) = 5(0) - 4(0)^2 + 3$

$$= 0 - 0 + 3$$

$$= 3$$

Therefore, we conclude that at $x = 0$, the value of the polynomial $5x - 4x^2 + 3$ is 3.

(ii) Let $f(x) = 5x - 4x^2 + 3$

We need to substitute -1 in the polynomial $f(x) = 5x - 4x^2 + 3$ to get $f(-1) = 5(-1) - 4(-1)^2 + 3$

$$= -5 - 4 + 3$$

$$= -6$$

Therefore, we conclude that at $x = -1$, the value of the polynomial $5x - 4x^2 + 3$ is -6.

(iii) Let $f(x) = 5x - 4x^2 + 3$

We need to substitute 2 in the polynomial $f(x) = 5x - 4x^2 + 3$ to get $f(2) = 5(2) - 4(2)^2 + 3$

$$= 10 - 16 + 3$$

$$= -3$$

Therefore, we conclude that at $x = 2$, the value of the polynomial $5x - 4x^2 + 3$ is -3.

2. Find $p(0)$, $p(1)$ and $p(2)$ for each of the following polynomials:

(i) $p(y) = y^2 - y + 1$ (ii) $p(t) = 2 + t + 2t^2 - t^3$

(iii) $p(x) = x^3$ (iv) $p(x) = (x - 1)(x + 1)$

Ans- (i) $p(y) = y^2 - y + 1$

At $p(0)$:

$$p(0) = (0)^2 - 0 + 1 = 1$$

At $p(1)$:

$$p(1) = (1)^2 - 1 + 1 = 1 - 0 = 1$$

At $p(2)$:

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

(ii) $p(t) = 2 + t + 2t^2 - t^3$

At $p(0)$:

$$p(0) = 2 + (0) + 2(0)^2 - (0)^3 = 2$$

At^{p(1)}:

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

At^{p(0)}:

$$p(2) = 2 + (2) + 2(2)^2 - (2)^3 = 4 + 8 - 8 = 4$$

(iii) $p(x) = x^3$

At^{p(0)}:

$$p(0) = (0)^3 = 0$$

At^{p(1)}:

$$p(1) = (1)^3 = 1$$

At^{p(2)}:

$$p(2) = (2)^3 = 8$$

(iv) $p(x) = (x - 1)(x + 1)$

At^{p(0)}:

$$p(0) = (0 - 1)(0 + 1) = (-1)(1) = -1$$

At^{p(1)}:

$$p(1) = (1 - 1)(2 + 1) = (0)(3) = 0$$

At^{p(2)}:

$$p(2) = (2 - 1)(2 + 1) = (1)(3) = 3$$

3. Verify whether the following are zeroes of the polynomial, indicated against them.

(i) $p(x) = 3x + 1, x = -\frac{1}{3}$

(ii) $p(x) = 5x - \pi, x = \frac{4}{5}$

(iii) $p(x) = x^2 - 1, x = -1, 1$

(iv) $p(x) = (x + 1)(x - 2), x = -1, 2$

(v) $p(x) = x^2, x = 0$

(vi) $p(x) = lx + m, x = -\frac{m}{l}$

(vii) $p(x) = 3x^2 - 1, x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

(viii) $p(x) = 2x + 1, x = -\frac{1}{2}$

Ans - (i) $p(x) = 3x + 1, x = -\frac{1}{3}$

We need to check whether $p(x) = 3x + 1, x = -\frac{1}{3}$ is equal to zero or not.

$$p\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) = 3x + 1 = 3\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + 1 = -1 + 1 = 0$$

Therefore, we can conclude that $-\frac{1}{3}$ is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = 3x + 1$

(ii) $p(x) = 5x - \pi, x = \frac{4}{5}$

We need to check whether $p(x) = 5x - \pi, x = \frac{4}{5}$ is equal to zero or not.

Therefore, is not a zero of the polynomial .

(iii) $p(x) = x^2 - 1, x = -1, 1$

We need to check whether $p(x) = x^2 - 1$, at $x = -1, 1$ is equal to zero or not.

At $x = -1$

$$p(-1) = (-1)^2 - 1 = 1 - 1 = 0$$

At $x = 1$

$$p(1) = (1)^2 - 1 = 1 - 1 = 0$$

Therefore, $x = -1, 1$ are the zeros of the polynomial $p(x) = x^2 - 1$.

(iv) $p(x) = (x + 1)(x - 2), x = -1, 2$

We need to check whether $p(x) = (x + 1)(x - 2)$, at $x = -1, 2$ is equal to zero or not.

At $x = -1$

$$p(-1) = (-1 + 1)(-1 - 2) = (0)(-3) = 0$$

At $x = 2$

$$p(2) = (2 + 1)(2 - 2) = (3)(0) = 0$$

$$p(x) = (x + 1)(x - 2).$$

(v) $p(x) = x^2, x = 0$

We need to check whether $p(x) = x^2$, at $x = 0$ is equal to zero or not.

$$p(0) = (0)^2 = 0$$

Therefore, we can conclude that $x=0$ is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = x^2$

(vi) $p(x) = lx + m, x = -\frac{m}{l}$

We need to check whether $p(x) = lx + m$, at $x = -\frac{m}{l}$ is equal to zero or not.

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

Therefore, $x = -\frac{m}{l}$ is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = lx + m$

(vii) $p(x) = 3x^2 - 1, x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

We need to check whether $p(x) = 3x^2 - 1$, at $x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ is equal to zero or not.

At $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

$$p\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = 3\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 - 1 = 3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) - 1 = 1 - 1 = 0$$

At $x = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

$$p\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = 3\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 - 1 = 3\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) - 1 = 4 - 1 = 3$$

Therefore, we can conclude that $x = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}$ is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = 3x^2 - 1$ but $x = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

is not a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = 3x^2 - 1$

(viii) $p(x) = 2x + 1, x = -\frac{1}{2}$

We need to check whether $p(x) = 2x + 1$, at $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ is equal to zero or not.

$$p\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = 2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + 1 = -1 + 1 = 0$$

Therefore, $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = 2x + 1$

4. Find the zero of the polynomial in each of the following cases:

(i) $p(x) = x + 5$ (ii) $p(x) = x - 5$ (iii) $p(x) = 2x + 5$ (iv) $p(x) = 2x - 2$

(v) $p(x) = 3x$ (vi) $p(x) = ax, a \neq 0$ (vii) $p(x) = cx + d, c \neq 0, c, d$ are real number.

Ans - Zero of a polynomial is that value of the variable at which the value of the polynomial is obtained as 0.

(i) $p(x) = x + 5$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$x + 5 = 0$$

$$x = -5$$

Therefore, for $x = -5$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence, $x = -5$ is a zero of the given polynomial.

(ii) $p(x) = x - 5$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$x - 5 = 0$$

$$x = 5$$

Therefore, for $x = 5$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence, $x = 5$ is a zero of the given polynomial.

(iii) $p(x) = 2x + 5$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$2x + 5 = 0$$

$$2x = -5$$

$$x = -\frac{5}{2}$$

Therefore, for $x = -\frac{5}{2}$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence, $x = -\frac{5}{2}$ is a zero of the given polynomial.

(iv) $p(x) = 3x - 2$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$3x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3}$$

Therefore, for $x = \frac{2}{3}$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence, $x = \frac{2}{3}$ is a zero of the given polynomial.

(v) $p(x) = 3x$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$3x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

Therefore, for $x = 0$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence, $x = 0$ is a zero of the given polynomial.

$$\text{(vi) } p(x) = ax$$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$ax = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

Therefore, for $x = 0$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence, $x = 0$ is a zero of the given polynomial.

$$\text{(vii) } p(x) = cx + d$$

$$p(x) = 0$$

$$cx + d = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-d}{c}$$

Therefore, for $x = \frac{-d}{c}$, the value of the polynomial is 0 and hence $x = \frac{-d}{c}$, is a zero of the given polynomial.