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GRADE: X
SUBJECT: MATHEMATICS

1. If α and β are zeroes of $x^2 - 4x + 1$, then $1/\alpha + 1/\beta - \alpha\beta$ is
(a) 3 (b) 5 (c) -5 (d) -3
2. The quadratic polynomial having zeroes as 1 and -2 is
(a) $x^2 - x + 2$ (b) $x^2 - x - 2$ (c) $x^2 + x - 2$ (d) $x^2 + x + 2$
3. If α, β are zeroes of $x^2 - 6x + k$, what is the value of k if $3\alpha + 2\beta = 20$?
(a) -16 (b) 8 (c) 2 (d) -8
4. If one zero of $2x^2 - 3x + k$ is reciprocal to the other, then the value of k is
(a) 2 (b) -23 (c) -32 (d) -3
5. The quadratic polynomial whose sum of zeroes is 3 and product of zeroes is
(a) $x^2 + 3x - 2$ (b) $x^2 - 2x + 3$ (c) $x^2 - 3x + 2$ (d) $x^2 - 3x - 2$
6. If $(x + 1)$ is a factor of $x^2 - 3ax + 3a - 7$, then the value of a is
(a) 1 (b) -1 (c) 0 (d) -2
7. The value of p for which the polynomial $x^3 + 4x^2 - px + 8$ is exactly divisible by $(x - 2)$ is
(a) 0 (b) 3 (c) 5 (d) 16
8. If 1 is a zero of the polynomial $p(x) = ax^2 - 3(a - 1)x - 1$, then the value of a is
(a) 1 (b) -1 (c) 2 (d) -2
9. The degree of the polynomial $(x + 1)(x^2 - x - x^4 + 1)$ is
(a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5
10. If a and b are zeroes of the polynomial $2x^2 + 7x - 3$, then the value of $a^2 + b^2$ is
(a) $49/4$ (b) $37/4$ (c) $61/4$ (d) $61/2$

11. If 2 is a zero of the polynomials $3x^2+ax-14$ and $2x^3+bx^2+x-2$, then the value of $2 - 2b$ is
a) -1 b) 5 c) 9 d) -9
12. If $f(x) = x-9$, the value of $f(x) - f(-x)$
a) $2x$ b) $3x$ c) 15 d) 3
13. How many zeroes does a cubic polynomial have ?
a) 1 b) 3 c) 4 d) 5
14. How many zeroes does a zero polynomial have ?
(a) Infinitely many zeroes b) 5 c) 0 d) 1
15. If $x^{21} - 20$ is divided by $x+1$ then remainder is
(a) - 21 b) 25 c) 45 d) 32
16. if $x+2$ is a factor of $x^2+ax+2b$ and $a+b = 4$ then
(a) $a=1, b=3$ b) $a=3, b=1$ c) $a=-1, b=5$ d) $a=5, b=-1$
17. the product of the zeros of x^3+4x^2+x-6
(a) -4 b) 4 c) 6 d) -6
18. If $a+b+c=9$ and $ab+bc+ca= 40$, then the value of $a^2+b^2+c^2$ is
(a) 1 b) 2 c) 15 d) 20
19. \sqrt{x} is polynomial of degree
(a) 2 (b) 1 (c) 0 (d) $1/2$
20. Degree of a zero polynomial
(a) 1 b) 2 c) 0 d) not define

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