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### DAILY PRACTICE PROBLEMS

#### QUADRATIC EQUATIONS

- If  $2^{x^2} : 2^{2x} = 8^k : 1$ , then equation has only one solution if  
a)  $k=1/3$       b)  $k = -1/3$       c)  $k > 1/3$       d)  $k < -1/3$
- If  $\alpha, \beta$  are roots of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ , the equation whose roots are  $\alpha^2, \beta^2$  is given by:  
a)  $(ax+c)^2 = b^2x$       b)  $(ax-c)^2 = b^2x$       c)  $(ax-c)^2 + b^2x = 0$       d) None of these
- The number of real roots of the equation  $x^2 - x + 15x + 31 = 0$  is  
a) None      b) one      c) two      d) more than 2
- The number of real roots of the equation  $x^2 - |x| - 6 = 0$  is  
a) One      b) Two      c) Three      d) More than 2
- If  $\alpha, \beta$  are roots of the quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  the equation whose roots are  $\alpha + \frac{1}{\beta}, \beta + \frac{1}{\alpha}$  is given by  
a)  $x^2 + (a+c)bx + (a+c)^2 = 0$       b)  $acx^2 + (a+c)bx + (a+c)^2 = 0$   
c)  $acx^2 + bx + (a+c)^2 = 0$       d)  $acx^2 - (a+c)bx + (a+c)^2 = 0$
- If  $(a, b)$  are the roots of the equation  $(x+c)(x+d) = p$ , the roots of the equation  $(x-a)(x-b) + p = 0$   
a)  $c, d$       b)  $-c, -d$       c)  $p+c, p+d$       d)  $p-c, p-d$
- If  $\alpha, \beta$  are roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  such that  $\beta < \alpha < 0$ , then the quadratic equation whose roots are  $|\alpha|, |\beta|$  is given by  
a)  $|a|x^2 + |b|x + |c| = 0$       c)  $a|x|^2 + b|x| + c = 0$   
b)  $ax^2 - |b|x + c = 0$       d)  $|a|x^2 - |b|x + |c| = 0$
- The sum of real roots of the equation  $x^2 - 13x - 11 - 5 = 0$   
a) 0      b)  $\frac{5-\sqrt{33}}{2}$       c) 1      d) None of these
- If  $x = 3 + 2i$ , the value of  $x^4 - 7x^3 + 20x^2 - 19x + 14$  is  
a) -1      b) 1      c)  $4 + 2i$       d) None of these
- If  $x = 4 + 3i$  (where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ ) then the value of  $x^3 - 4x^2 - 7x + 12$  equals  
a) -88      b)  $48 + 36i$       c)  $-256 + 12i$       d) None of these
- In a triangle PQR, angle  $R = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . If  $\tan(\frac{P}{2})$  and  $\tan(\frac{Q}{2})$  are roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ), then  
a)  $a+b=c$       b)  $b+c=a$       c)  $a+c=b$       d)  $b=c$
- If  $a, b, c$  are the sides of a triangle obtuse angles at C, then the equation  $(x-a)(x-b) + c^2 = 0$  has  
a) complex roots      b) both +ve roots  
c) both -ve roots      d) both roots are of opposite sign
- The greatest integral value of 'm' for which the equation  $(2m-1)x^2 - 4x + (2m-1) = 0$  has real roots is given by  
a) 0      b) 1      c) 2      d) none of these
- If  $a+b+c > 0$  and  $a < 0 < b < c$  then the roots of the equation  $a(x-b)(x-c) + b(c-x)(x-a) + c(x-b)(x-a) = 0$  are  
a) both positive      b) both negative      c) one positive and one negative      d) complex
- If  $a, b, c$  are the sides of a triangle obtuse angled at A, then both roots of the quadratic equation  $(a-b)x^2 - 2cx + (a-b) = 0$  are

- a) positive                      b) negative                      c) real                      d) complex
16. If a, b, c are positive real numbers that are in A.P, then both the roots of the equation  $ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$  are  
a) complex                      b) real                      c) positive                      d) negative
17. Given the equation  $(m+2)x^2 + 2(m+1)x - (m-1) = 0$  with  $-4 < m < -3$ , then both roots are  
a) real                      b) positive                      c) negative                      d) complex
18. If  $a > b > c$  and  $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 3abc$ , then the quadratic Eq<sup>n</sup>  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  has roots which are  
a) both real                      b) both +ve                      c) both -ve                      d) one +ve and one -ve
19. If  $P(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$  and  $Q(x) = -ax^2 + dx + c$ ,  $ac \neq 0$  then  $P(x)Q(x) = 0$   
a) has two real roots                      b) has atleast two real roots  
c) either all roots are real or all are imaginary                      d) None of these
20. The quadratic equation  $(1 - \sin\theta)x^2 + 2(1 - \sin\theta)x - 3\sin\theta = 0$  has both roots complex for all  $\theta$  lying in the interval  
a)  $(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$                       b)  $(0, \frac{3\pi}{2})$                       c)  $(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6})$                       d)  $(\frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6})$
21. If  $m > 0$ , the quadratic equation  $(1+m)(1+x-x^2) = (1+x)(1+m-m^2)$  has both roots which are  
a) real                      b) positive                      c) negative                      d) of opposite sign
22. If k is an integer the equation  $(k-1)^2x^2 - 2(k+2)(k-1)x + (6k+7) = 0$  has complex roots for  
a) no values of k                      b) one value of k                      c) two values of k                      d) more than two values of k
23.  $(a^2 - 3a+2)x^2 + (|a| - 1)x + a^2 - 4a + 3 = 0$  will have more than two roots if 'a' equals  
a) 1                      b) -1                      c) 1, 2                      d) 1, 3
24. If p, q are distinct rational numbers then the roots of equation  $(p+q)^2x^2 - 5(p^2 - q^2)x - 2(p-q)^2 = 0$  are  
a) rational & unequal                      b) real & equal                      c) complex                      d) none of these
25. If a, b, c  $\in \mathbb{Q}$ , the roots of the equation  $abc^2x^2 + 3a^2cx + b^2cx - 6a^2 - ab + 2b^2 = 0$  re  
a) Irrational                      b) rational                      c) real & equal                      d) complex
26. If  $-\pi < \theta < \pi$ , the equation  $(\cos 3\theta + 1)x^2 + (2\cos 2\theta - 1)x + (1 - 2\cos\theta) = 0$  has more than two roots for  
a) no values of  $\theta$                       b) one value of  $\theta$                       c) two value of  $\theta$                       d) none of these
27. Roots of the equation  $x^2 - \sqrt{8}x - 14 = 0$  are  
a) real, equal and rational                      b) real, unequal and rational  
c) real, unequal and irrational                      d) complex number
28. Let  $f(x) = bx^2 + cx + d$  be a quadratic expression which is positive for real x. If  $g(x) = f(x) + f'(x) + f''(x)$   
a)  $g(x) < 0$                       b)  $g(x) > 0$                       c)  $g(x) = 0$                       d)  $g(x) \geq 0$
29. Let a, b, c be real numbers  $a \neq 0$ . If  $\alpha$  is a root of  $a^2x^2 + bx + c = 0$ ,  $\beta$  is a root of  $a^2x^2 - bx - c = 0$  and  $0 < \alpha < \beta$ , then the equation  $a^2x^2 + 2bx + 2c = 0$  has a root  $\gamma$  that always satisfies  
a)  $2\gamma = \alpha + \beta$                       b)  $\gamma - \alpha = \frac{\beta}{2}$                       c)  $\gamma = \alpha$                       d)  $\alpha < \gamma < \beta$
30. If  $\alpha$  &  $\beta$  ( $\alpha < \beta$ ) are the roots of the equation  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$  where  $c < 0 < b$ , then  
a)  $0 < \alpha < \beta$                       b)  $\alpha < 0 < \beta < |\alpha|$                       c)  $\alpha < \beta < 0$                       d)  $\alpha < 0, |\alpha| < \beta$
31. If the equation  $ax^2 + bx - 4 = 0$  doesn't have two distinct real roots, then the greatest value of  $2a + b$  is  
a) 4                      b) -4                      c) 2                      d) -2
32. If the difference of the roots of the equation  $x^2 + ax + |b| = 0$  is equal to the difference of the roots of the equation  $x^2 + bx + a = 0$  ( $a \neq b$ );  $a + b$  is equal to  
a) 4                      b) -4                      c) 2                      d) -2
33. If  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ , number of distinct real solutions of  $x^2 - |x| + a = 0$  cannot be  
a) 3                      b) 1                      c) 2                      d) 4
34. Number of real solutions of  $\frac{(x+b)(x+c)}{(b-a)(c-a)} + \frac{(x+c)(x+a)}{(c-b)(a-b)} + \frac{(x+a)(x+b)}{(a-c)(b-c)} = 1$  is (a, b, c  $\in \mathbb{R}$ )  
a) 0                      b) 1                      c) 2                      d) -2
35. No. of positive integral n for which the equation  $\frac{x-8}{n-10} = \frac{n}{x}$  has no solution is  
a) 5                      b) 6                      c) 7                      d) 8

36. The values of  $m$  for which harmonic mean of the roots of the quadratic equation  $(m-1)x^2 - 2m^2x + (m+1) = 0$  is equal to 2 are given by  
 a)  $1/2, 1$       b)  $-1/2, 1$       c)  $1/2, -1$       d) none of these
37. The greatest integral value of  $m$  for which the equation  $(2m - 3)x^2 - 4x + (2m - 3) = 0$  has both negative roots is given by  
 a) 1      b) 2      c) 3      d) None of these
38. The set of values of 'a' for which both the roots of the quadratic equation  
 a)  $(4, \infty)$       b)  $(2, \infty)$       c)  $(4/3, 0)$       d) None of these
39. The quadratic equation  $(m-2)x^2 + 2(3m - 2)x - (m + 2) = 0$  has roots of the same sign for 'm' satisfying  
 a)  $-2 < m < 2$       b)  $6/5 < m < 2$       c)  $-2 < m < 0$  or  $6/5 < m < 2$       d)  $0 < m < 2$
40. If  $\lambda$  be an integer and  $\alpha, \beta$  be roots of  $4x^2 - 16x + \lambda = 0$  such that  $1 < \alpha < 2$  and  $2 < \beta < 3$ , then possible values of  $\lambda$  are  
 a)  $\{60, 64\}$       b)  $\{61, 62, 63\}$       c)  $\{49, 50, \dots, 62, 63\}$       d) None of these
41. The set of  $\lambda$  for which one root of equation  $x^2 + (2\lambda - 4)x - \lambda^2 = 0$  is less than 4 and other greater than 4 is given by.....  
 a)  $0 < \lambda < 8$       b)  $-8 < \lambda < 0$       c)  $\lambda < 0$  or  $\lambda > 8$       d) None of these
42. The set of all real 'a' for which the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2|a + 1|x + 1 = 0$  are real is given by  
 a)  $-2 < a < 0$       b)  $a < -2$  or  $a > 0$       c)  $0 < a < 2$       d) None of these
43. The set of all  $p$  for which  $(p - 2)x^2 + 2(p + 1)x + p + 4 < 3$  for all real  $x$  is given by  
 a)  $(-\infty, 2)$       b)  $(-1, 2)$       c)  $(-\infty, -1)$       d)  $(-\infty, -2)$
44. The set of 'm' for which the roots of the equation  $(m^2 - m + 1)x^2 + 2(m+1)x + (m^2 + m - 2) = 0$  are of opposite sign is given by  
 a)  $-1 < m < 2$       b)  $-2 < m < 1$       c)  $m \in \mathbb{R}$       d) No value of  $m$
45. The values of 'a' for which  $ax^2 + 2(2 - a)x + 2a - 7 > 0$  for all  $x$  are given by  
 a)  $a < -1$  or  $a > 4$       b)  $a < 0$  or  $a > 4$       c)  $a < -1$       d)  $a > 4$
46. The values of  $m$  for which the equation  $mx^2 + (2m - 1)x + m - 1 = 0$  has roots of opposite sign are given by  
 a) Never      b) for all value of  $m$       c)  $-1 < m < 0$       d)  $0 < m < 1$
47. The values of  $k$  for which  $k(x^2 + x) + 3k + x$  is greater than  $-3$  for all real  $x$  are given by  
 a)  $-1 < k < 1/11$       b)  $-1 < k < 0$       c)  $0 < k < 1/11$       d)  $k > 1/11$
48. The values of 'm' for which the equation  $(m + 3)x^2 + (2m - 5)x + (m - 7) = 0$  has real roots of the same sign are given by  
 a)  $7 < m < 109/4$       b)  $m < -3$  or  $m > 7$       c)  $-3 < m < 109/4$       d) None of these
49. The values of 'a' for which both the roots of the equation  $(a - 6)x^2 = a(x - 3)$  are positive are given by  
 a)  $(0, 6)$       b)  $(0, \frac{72}{11})$       c)  $(6, \frac{72}{11})$       d)  $(\frac{72}{13}, 6)$
50. The set of values of  $p$  for which both the roots of the equation  $x^2 + 4px + p + 5 = 0$  are less than one is given by  
 a)  $(-1/2, \infty)$       b)  $(\frac{-6}{5}, \frac{5}{4})$       c)  $\frac{5}{4}, \infty)$       d)  $(-\frac{6}{5}, -1) \cup (\frac{5}{4}, \infty)$
51. The set values of  $a$  for which the inequality  $x^2 + ax + a^2 + 6a < 0$  is satisfied for all  $x \in (1, 2)$  lies in the interval  
 a)  $\frac{-7-\sqrt{45}}{2} \leq a \leq \frac{-7+\sqrt{45}}{2}$       b)  $-4 - 2\sqrt{3} \leq a \leq -4 + 2\sqrt{3}$   
 c)  $\frac{-7-\sqrt{45}}{2} \leq a \leq -4 + 2\sqrt{3}$       d)  $-4 - 2\sqrt{3} \leq a \leq \frac{-7+\sqrt{45}}{2}$
52. The values of 'a' for which the equation  $(1 - a^2)x^2 + 2ax - 1 = 0$  has roots belonging to  $(0, 1)$  are given by  
 a)  $\frac{-1+\sqrt{5}}{2} < a < \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$       b)  $\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} < a < 2$

c)  $a < 2$

d)  $a > 2$

53. The equations  $kx^2 + x + k = 0$  and  $kx^2 + kx + 1 = 0$  have exactly one root in common for  
 a)  $k = -\frac{1}{2}, 2$       b)  $k = 1$       c)  $k = -\frac{1}{2}$       d)  $k = \frac{1}{2}$
54. If the equations  $x^2 - 5x + a = 0$  and  $x^2 + x - 2a = 0$  have only one root in common, then their other roots are roots of the quadratic equation  
 a) 2      b) -2      c)  $k = -1/2$       d)  $k = 1/2$
55. If the equation  $ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$  and  $ax^2 + 2cx + b = 0$ , ( $a \neq 0, b \neq c$ ) have a common root, then their other roots are roots of the quadratic equation  
 a)  $a^2x^2 - 2a(b+c)x + 4bc = 0$       b)  $a^2x(x+1) + 4bc = 0$   
 c)  $a^2x(x-1) + 4bc = 0$       d) None of these
56. If one roots of the  $x^2 - px + 12 = 0$  is even prime while  $x^2 + px + q = 0$  has equal roots, then q is  
 a) 4      b) 8      c) 12      d) 16
57. The values of  $\lambda$  for which one root of the equation  $x^2 + (1 - 2\lambda)x + (\lambda^2 - \lambda - 2) = 0$  is greater than 3 and other smaller than 2 are given by  
 a)  $2 < \lambda < 5$       b)  $1 < \lambda < 4$       c)  $1 < \lambda < 5$       d) None of these
58. The value of a for which the equation  $x^3 + ax + 1 = 0$  and  $x^4 + ax^2 + 1 = 0$  have a common root is  
 a) 2      b) -2      c) 1      d) -1
59. If a, b, c  $\in \mathbb{R}$  and equations  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  and  $x^2 + 3x + 4 = 0$  have a common root then  $\frac{a+c}{b}$  is equal to  
 a) 1      b)  $5/3$       c)  $3/4$       d) Cannot determine
60. The equations  $ax^2 + bx + a = 0$ ,  $x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x - 1 = 0$  have two roots in common. Then a + b equals  
 a) at least one root in  $(-1, 0)$       b) at least one root in  $(0, 1)$   
 b) both imaginary roots      d) one root in  $(-1, 0)$  & other in  $(1, 2)$
61. If  $x^2 - x - 2 = 0$ , is a factor of  $x^4 - px^2 - q$ , then  $(p + q)$  equals  
 a) 6      b) 12      c) 8      d) cannot determined
62. If the equations  $ax^2 + bx + a = 0$ ,  $x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x - 1 = 0$  have two roots in common. Then a + b equals  
 a) 1      b) -1      c) 0      d) None of these
63. If  $a + b + c = 0$ , then the quadratic equation  $3ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$  has  
 a) at least one root in  $(-1, 0)$       b) at least one root in  $(0, 1)$   
 c) both imaginary roots      d) one root in  $(-1, 0)$  & other in  $(1, 2)$
64. If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are nonzero roots of the equation  $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$ , then the equation whose roots are  $-\alpha, -\beta, -\gamma$  is  
 a)  $ax^3 + bx^2 - cx - d = 0$       b)  $ax^3 + cx^2 + bx + d = 0$   
 c)  $dx^3 + bx^2 + cx + a = 0$       d)  $ax^3 - bx^2 + cx - d = 0$
65. If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the roots of the equation  $x^3 + 3x - 7 = 0$ , then the equation whose roots are  $2\alpha + 1, 2\beta + 1, 2\gamma + 1$  are  
 a)  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 15x - 69 = 0$       b)  $ax^3 + cx^2 + bx + d = 0$   
 c)  $dx^3 + bx^2 + cx + a = 0$       d)  $ax^3 - bx^2 + cx - d = 0$
66. If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are non zero roots of the equation  $x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 1 = 0$  then the equation whose roots are  $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}$  is  
 a)  $ax^3 + x^2 + bx + c = 0$       b)  $x^3 + bx^2 + ax + 1 = 0$   
 c)  $x^3 - bx^2 + ax - 1 = 0$       d) None of these
67.  $x^3 + ax^2 - bx - 4 = 0$  has  
 a) at least one -ve root      b) at least one positive  
 b) one + ve & one - ve root      d) all real roots
68. The number of real solutions of the equation  $\sqrt{x-1}(x^2 - 3x - 28) = 0$  is

69.  $\sqrt{x-a}(x^2-1) = 0$  has two real solutions if  
 a)  $a > -1$       b)  $a > 1$       c)  $a < -1$       d)  $a < 1$
70. The number of integral solutions of the inequality  $x + \sqrt{x} - 6 \leq 0$  is  
 a) 3      b) 4      c) 5      d) None of these
71. The solution set of the inequality  $(x^2 - x - 2)(x^2 + 5x + 4) \geq 0$  given by  
 a)  $[-\infty, -4]$       b)  $[-4, 2]$       c)  $[-\infty, 2) \cup [4, \infty]$       d) None of these
72.  $\frac{x+3}{x^2-x-2} \geq \frac{1}{4}$  for all x satisfying  
 a)  $-2 < x < 1$  or  $x > 4$       b)  $-1 < x < 2$  or  $x > 4$   
 c)  $x < -1$  or  $2 < x < 4$       d) None of these
73. The set of all x satisfying  $3^{2x} - 3^x - 6 > 0$  is given by  
 a)  $0 < x < 1$       b)  $x > 1$       c)  $x > 3^{-2}$       d) None of these
74. The inequality  $(x-1)\ln(2-x) < 0$  holds if x satisfies  
 a)  $1 < x < 2$       b)  $x > 0$       c)  $0 < x < 1$       d) None of these
75. If x is real, the expression  $\frac{x^2-3}{2x+4}$   
 a) has all real values      b) lie between  $-3$  and  $-1$   
 c) has all real values except  $-3$  and  $-1$       d) lies between  $1$  &  $3$
76. If x is real, the expression  $\frac{2x^2-3x+2}{2x^2+3x+2}$   
 a) lies between  $-1/7$  and  $7$       b) lies between  $1/7$  and  $7$   
 c) does not lie between  $-1/7$  and  $7$       d) does not lie between  $1/7$  and  $7$
77. If  $-3 < \frac{x^2-ax-2}{x^2+x+1} < 2$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , then a satisfies  
 a)  $-6 < a < 7$       b)  $-1 < a < 2$       c)  $-2 < a < 1$       d)  $-7 < a < 6$
78. If x is real, the minimum and maximum value of  $\frac{x^2-4x+2}{x^2+2x+2}$  are respectively  
 a)  $\{4 - \sqrt{14}, 4 + \sqrt{14}\}$       b)  $\{4 - 3\sqrt{2}, 4 + 3\sqrt{2}\}$   
 c)  $\{-2, 6\}$       d) None of these
79. For real values of x, the value of expression  $\frac{11x^2-12x-6}{x^2+4x+2}$  are respectively  
 a) lies between  $-17$  and  $-3$       b) does not lie between  $-17$  and  $-3$   
 c) lies between  $3$  and  $17$       d) None of these
80. If  $(2x+1)^2 - |2x+11-6| < 0$ , then  
 a)  $-1 < x < 2$       b)  $-2 < x < 1$       c)  $-2 < x < -1$       d)  $1 < x < 2$
81.  $(x+2a)(x+a-4) < 0$  for  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ , then 'a' satisfies  
 a)  $1/2 < a < 3$       b)  $-1/2 < a < 1/2$       c)  $-3 < a < -1/2$       d) None of these
82. The values of m for which the inequality  $\frac{x^2-mx-2}{x^2+mx+4} > -1$  is satisfied for all real x are given by  
 a)  $m = 0$       b)  $-2 < m < 2$       c)  $-4 < m < 4$       d) None of these
83. The curve  $y = (a+1)x^2 + 2$  intersects the curve  $y = ax + 3$  in exactly one point if a equals  
 a)  $\{-2\}$       b)  $\{2\}$       c)  $\{-2, 2\}$       d)  $\{4\}$
84. The expression  $x^2 + kxy + y^2 + 2y + 1$  can be resolved into two linear factors for  
 a) no value of k      b) one value of k      c) two values of k      d) more than 2 values of k
85. The values of k for which the expression  $x^2 + 2xy + ky^2 + 2x + k = 0$  can be resolved into linear factors is given by  
 a)  $\{0, 2\}$       b)  $\{0\}$       c)  $\{0, -2\}$       d)  $\{2\}$
86. If  $(x^2 - 4|x| + 4)(x^2 - 4|x| + 3) < 0$  then x lies in the interval  
 a)  $(-3, -1)$       b)  $(1, 3)$       c)  $(2, -1)$       d) either (a) or (b)
87. The solution set of  $\left|\frac{x}{x-1}\right| + |x| = \frac{x^2}{x-1}$  is  
 a)  $[1, \infty)$       b)  $(-1, \infty)$       c)  $(1, \infty)$       d) None of these
88. Number of real solutions of  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x-2} = 4 + \frac{1}{x-2}$  is



- c) both roots cannot be negative  
d)  $-a, c, b$  are in G.P
105. The curves  $y = a^2 x^2 + 2x - 4$  and  $y = 4x^2 - ax - a^2$  intersect in more than two points for  
a) No value of  $a$   
b) one value of ' $a$ '  
c) two values of ' $a$ '  
d) more than two values of ' $d$ '
106. If the equation  $ax^2 - 2bx + c = 0$  has real roots which are reciprocal of each other then one has  
a)  $b \leq a$   
b)  $|b| \geq |a|$   
c)  $|b| \geq |c|$   
d)  $a = c$
107. If the quadratic equation  $ax^2 - 2bx + c = 0$  has both roots negative then  
a)  $a$  and  $c$  must have opposite sign  
b)  $b$  and  $c$  must have opposite sign  
c)  $a$  and  $D$  must have opposite sign  
d)  $c$  and  $D$  must have opposite sign
108. The set of all ' $m$ ' for which  $mx^2 - 4x + m < 0$  for all real  $x$  is given by  
a)  $m > 2$   
b)  $m > -2$   
c)  $-2 < m < 2$   
d) None
109. If  $a, b, c$  are distinct negative numbers that are in H.P. then  
a) the equation  $ax^2 - 2bx + c = 0$  has distinct real roots  
b) the equation  $ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$  has atleast one (-)ve root  
c)  $ax^2 - 2bx + c < 0$  for all real  $x$   
d)  $ax^2 - 2bx + c > 0$  for all real  $x$
110. If the equation  $x^2 + px + q = 0$  has rational roots where  $p$  and  $q$  are positive integers, then both the roots of the given equation are  
a) positive integers  
b) negative integers  
c) one (+)ve and one (-)ve integer  
d) None of these
111. If  $a, b, c$  are distinct numbers in A.P. then both the roots of the quadratic equation  
a) real  
b) positive  
c) negative  
d) rational
112. If the roots  $ax^2 + 2bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) are non real complex and  $a + c < 2b$  then  
a)  $c > 0$   
b)  $c < 0$   
c)  $4a + c < 4b$   
d)  $4a + c > 4b$
113. If  $b^2 \geq 4ac$  for the equation  $ax^4 + bx^2 + c = 0$ , then all roots of the equation will be real if  
a)  $b > 0, a > 0, c > 0$   
b)  $b < 0, a > 0, c > 0$   
c)  $b > 0, a > 0, c < 0$   
d)  $b > 0, a < 0, c < 0$
114.  $5^x + (2\sqrt{3})^{2x} - 169 \leq 0$  is true in the interval  
a)  $(-\infty, 2)$   
b)  $(0, 2)$   
c)  $(2, \infty)$   
d)  $(0, 4)$