

Practice 6-5(2) Theorems About Roots of Polynomial Equations

A polynomial equation with rational coefficients has the given roots. Find two additional roots.

1. $2 + 3i$ and $\sqrt{7}$

$2 - 3i, -\sqrt{7}$

2. $3 - \sqrt{2}$ and $1 + \sqrt{3}$

$3 + \sqrt{2}, 1 - \sqrt{3}$

3. $-4i$ and $6 - i$

$4i, 6 + i$

4. $5 - \sqrt{6}$ and $-2 + \sqrt{10}$

$5 + \sqrt{6}, -2 - \sqrt{10}$

Find a fourth-degree polynomial equation with integer coefficients that has the given numbers as roots.

5. $2i$ and $4 - i$

$x^4 - 8x^3 + 21x^2 - 32x + 48 = 0$

6. $\sqrt{2}$ and $2 - \sqrt{3}$

$x^4 - 4x^3 - x^2 + 8x - 2 = 0$

7. $3i$ and $\sqrt{6}$

$x^4 + 3x^2 - 54 = 0$

8. $2 + i$ and $1 - \sqrt{5}$

$x^4 - 6x^3 + 9x^2 + 6x - 20 = 0$

Find the roots of each polynomial equation.

21. $x^3 - 2x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$

$-2, 1, 3$

22. $x^3 - 8x^2 - 200 = 0$

$10, -1 \pm i\sqrt{19}$

23. $x^3 + x^2 - 5x + 3 = 0$

$1, -3$

24. $4x^3 - 12x^2 - x + 3 = 0$

$3, \pm \frac{1}{2}$

25. $x^3 + x^2 - 7x + 2 = 0$

$2, \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$

26. $12x^3 + 31x^2 - 17x - 6 = 0$

$-3, \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{4}$

Find a third-degree polynomial equation with rational coefficients that has the given numbers as roots.

33. $3, 2 - i$

$x^3 - 7x^2 + 17x - 15 = 0$

34. $5, 2i$

$x^3 - 5x^2 + 4x - 20 = 0$

35. $-1, 3 + i$

$x^3 - 5x^2 + 4x + 10 = 0$

36. $-7, i$

$x^3 + 7x^2 + x + 7 = 0$

37. $-4, 4i$

$x^3 + 4x^2 + 16x + 64 = 0$

38. $6, 3 - 2i$

$x^3 - 12x^2 + 49x - 78 = 0$