

POLYNOMIALS WITH ONE VARIABLE

Forms are:

$$P(x) = a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$$

If $a_n \neq 0$, then we say that the degree of polynomial P is n , and a_n is "oldest" coefficient.

Example: $P(x) = 4x^3 + 6x^2 - 2x + 7$

- this is a polynomial-level 3 and the oldest coefficient is 4
- interesting is that no x-member or the so-called free member we gets when we place 0 instead of x

$$P(0) = 4 * 0^3 + 6 * 0^2 - 2 * 0 + 7 ; P(0) = 7 , [Or for polynomial P(x) = a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0 is P(0) = a_0]$$

Addition and subtraction polynomials:

Example:

$$P(x) = 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 6x - 7$$

$$Q(x) = 4x^3 - 2x^2 + 12x + 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(x) + Q(x) &= (3x^3 - 4x^2 + 6x - 7) + (4x^3 - 2x^2 + 12x + 3) \\ &= \underline{3x^3} - \underline{4x^2} + \underline{6x} - \underline{7} + \underline{4x^3} - \underline{2x^2} + \underline{12x} + \underline{3} \end{aligned}$$

[begin with the addition with the highest level and until you reach free "of" x:]

$$= 7x^3 - 6x^2 + 18x - 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(x) - Q(x) &= (3x^3 - 4x^2 + 6x - 7) - (4x^3 - 2x^2 + 12x + 3) \\ &= \underline{3x^3} - \underline{4x^2} + \underline{6x} - \underline{7} - \underline{4x^3} + \underline{2x^2} - \underline{12x} - \underline{3} \\ &= \boxed{-x^3 - 2x^2 - 6x - 10} \end{aligned}$$

It is best to underline similar monomial !

Multiplication polynomials

Example 1: $P(x) = 2x - 3$

$$Q(x) = x^2 + 4x - 7$$

$$P(x) \cdot Q(x) = (2x - 3) \cdot (x^2 + 4x - 7)$$

How to multiply?

Multiply the "each with each."

It is best to first determine the sign ($+ \cdot + = +, - \cdot - = +, + \cdot - = -, - \cdot + = -$)

Then multiply the numbers and the unknown.

Of course, $x \cdot x = x^2, x^2 \cdot x = x^3, x^2 \cdot x^2 = x^4 \dots [x^m \cdot x^n = x^{m+n}]$

Let's go back to the task:

$$P(x) \cdot Q(x) = (2x - 3) \cdot (x^2 + 4x - 7) =$$

$$(2x - 3) \cdot (x^2 + 4x - 7) = \underline{\underline{(2x - 3) \cdot (x^2 + 4x - 7)}} = 2x^3 + 8x^2 - 14x - 3x^2 - 12x + 21 = 2x^3 + 5x^2 - 26x + 21$$

Example 2:

$$A(x) = -x^2 + 4x - 7$$

$$B(x) = 2x^2 + 5x + 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} A(x) \cdot B(x) &= (-x^2 + 4x - 7) \cdot (2x^2 + 5x + 1) \\ &= -2x^4 - 5x^3 - x^2 + 8x^3 + 20x^2 + 4x - 14x^2 - 35x - 7 \\ &= \boxed{-2x^4 + 3x^3 + 5x^2 - 31x - 7} \end{aligned}$$

Division of polynomial

Remind, the first, sharing issues:

Example: $57146 : 23 = 2484$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 -46 \\
 \hline
 111 \\
 -92 \\
 \hline
 194 \\
 -184 \\
 \hline
 106 \\
 -92 \\
 \hline
 14 \text{ rest}
 \end{array}$$

We can write: $\frac{57146}{23} = 2848 + \frac{14}{23}$ or

$$\boxed{\frac{\text{dividend}}{\text{divisor}} = \text{solution} + \frac{\text{rest}}{\text{divisor}}}$$

Try now polynomial: **Example 1:**

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (2x^2 - 5x + 6) : (x - 2) = 2x - 1 \\
 (-) 2x^2 - (+) 4x \\
 \hline
 -x + 6 \\
 -_+ x + -2 \\
 \hline
 4 \rightarrow \text{rest}
 \end{array}$$

So:

$$\frac{2x^2 - 5x + 6}{x - 2} = 2x - 1 + \frac{4}{x - 2}$$

PROCEDURE

- divide "the first with the first" $\frac{2x^2}{x} = 2x$
2x enroll in the solution
- 2x multiply with dividers and put below $2x^2 - 5x$
- change signs (in the brackets)
- the first is always shorter and others gather
 $-5x + 4x = -x$
- bring down next number 6
- again share first with first $\frac{-x}{x} = -1$
- multiply with dividers
- change signs and gather

Example 2:

$$(x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x + 5) : (x + 1) = x^2 + x - 5$$

$$\begin{array}{r} (-) \ x^3 + x^2 \\ \hline x^2 - 4x \\ (-) x^2 + x \\ \hline -5x + 5 \\ (-) \ x^2 + x \\ \hline -5x - 5 \\ (+) \ x^2 + x \\ \hline 10 \end{array}$$

PROCEDURE

- divide" the first with the first" $\frac{x^3}{x} = x^2$
and enroll in the solution
- x^2 multiply with dividers and put below $x^3 + 2x^2$
- change the sign $x^3 + 2x^2$
- first be always "shorten" $2x^2 - x^2 = x^2$
- ad 4x
- again, "the first in the first" $\frac{x^2}{x} = x$
- x multiply with divider
- change the sign $x^2 + x$
- first shorten and $-4x - 4 = -5x$
- ad +5
- $\frac{-5x}{x} = -5$
- $-5 \cdot (x+1) = -5x - 5$
- $5 + 5 = 10$

So:

$$\frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x + 5}{x + 1} = x^2 + x - 5 + \frac{10}{x + 1}$$

Example 3:

$$(x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x^2 + x - 5) : (x^2 + 2x - 3) = x^2 - 5x + 15$$

$$\begin{array}{r} (-) \ x^4 + 2x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \hline -5x^3 + 5x^2 + x \\ (-) \ x^4 + 2x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \hline -5x^3 + 10x^2 + 15x \\ (-) \ x^4 + 2x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \hline 15x^2 - 14x - 5 \\ (-) \ x^4 + 2x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \hline -44x + 40 \rightarrow \text{rest} \end{array}$$

$$\text{So: } \frac{x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x^2 + x - 5}{x^2 + 2x - 3} = x^2 - 5x + 15 + \frac{-44x + 40}{x^2 + 2x - 3}$$

Example 4:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (x^4 - 1) : (x - 1) = x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 \\
 (-) \quad x^4 - x^3 \\
 \hline
 + x^3 - 1 \\
 (+) \quad + x^3 - x^2 \\
 \hline
 x^2 - 1 \\
 (-) \quad x^2 - x \\
 \hline
 x - 1 \\
 (-) \quad x - 1 \\
 \hline
 0 \text{ - no rest}
 \end{array}$$

$$\text{So: } \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1} = x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$$

Bézu theorem:

The rest of the sharing polynomial $P(x)$ with $(x-a)$ is equivalent to $P(a)$, the value of polynomial $P(x)$ in the point $x = a$. If the $P(a) = 0$, sharing is without the rest.

Example 1: Find the rest of division polynomial $x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x - 7$ with $x - 2$

$$x-2=0 \quad \text{then} \quad x=2 \quad \rightarrow \quad a=2$$

$$P(x) = x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x - 7$$

$$P(2) = 2^3 - 5 \cdot 2^2 + 6 \cdot 2 - 7$$

$$P(2) = 8 - 20 + 12 - 7$$

$$P(2) = -7 \Rightarrow$$

The rest is -7

Example 2: Find the rest of the sharing polynomial $2x^3 - 5x + 6$ with $x+1$

$$P(x) = 2x^3 - 5x + 6$$

$$P(-1) = 2 \cdot (-1)^3 - 5 \cdot (-1) + 6$$

$$P(-1) = 2 + 5 + 6$$

$$P(-1) = 13 \Rightarrow$$

The rest is 13

Example 3: Factor the polynomial: $P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6$

PROCEDURE

→ observe "free" member, it is that no x-by. Here is 6

→ it can be divided with: +1, -1, 2, -2, 3, -3, 6, -6

→ replace these numbers, while not get to $P(a) = 0$

→ we find that $a = 1$

→ devide with polynomial $(x-a) = (x-1)$

$$P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6$$

for $x=1$

$$P(x) = 1^3 - 6 \cdot 1^2 + 11 \cdot 1 - 6$$

$$P(1) = 1 - 6 + 11 - 6$$

$$P(1) = 0$$

$$(x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6) : (x-1) = x^2 - 5x + 6$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^3 - x^2 \\ (-) \quad (+) \\ \hline -5x^2 + 11x \\ -5x^2 + 5x \\ (+) \quad (-) \\ \hline 6x - 6 \\ 6x - 6 \\ (-) \quad (+) \end{array}$$

This reduce the level of polynomial, and now $x^2 - 5x + 6$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 5x + 6 &= x^2 - 2x - 3x + 6 \\ &= x(x-2) - 3(x-2) \\ &= (x-2)(x-3) \end{aligned}$$

So: $x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 66 = (x-1)(x-2)(x-3)$

Example 4: Factor the polynomial: $P(x) = x^4 - 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 4x + 4$

$$\text{For } x=1 \quad P(1) = 1^4 - 2 \cdot 1^3 - 2 \cdot 1^2 + 4 \cdot 1 + 4 = 1 - 2 - 3 + 4 + 4 \\ P(1) = 4 \neq 0$$

$$\text{For } x=-1 \quad P(-1) = (-1)^4 - 2 \cdot (-1)^3 - 2 \cdot (-1)^2 + 4 \cdot (-1) + 4 \\ P(-1) = 1 + 2 - 3 - 4 + 4 = 0$$

$$(x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x + 4) : (x+1) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 4$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^4 + x^3 \\ \hline (-) \quad (-) \\ -3x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \hline (+) \quad (+) \\ -3x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \hline 4x + 4 \\ \hline (-) \quad (-) \\ 4x + 4 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Still looking: } P_1(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 4$$

$$\text{For } x = -1 \quad P_1(-1) = (-1)^3 - 3(-1)^2 + 4 = -1 - 3 + 4 = 0$$

$$(x^3 - 3x^2 + 4) : (x+1) = x^2 - 4x + 4$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^3 + x^2 \\ \hline (-) \quad (-) \\ -4x^2 + 4 \\ \hline (+) \quad (+) \\ -4x - 4x \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$(x^3 - 3x^2 + 4) : (x+1) = x^2 - 4x + 4$$

$$\text{We know that: } x^2 - 4x + 4 = (x-2)^2$$

$$\text{So: } x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x + 4 = (x+1)(x+1)(x^2 - 4x + 4) \\ = (x+1)^2(x-2)^2$$