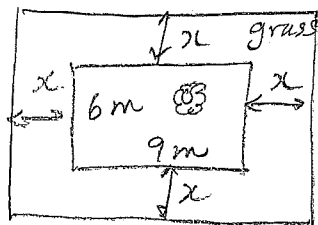


Solutions

Ch 4 Practice Test #14, 6, 7, 8, 9

p. 262 #14 Walkway Problem



$l = 6 + 2x$

$w = 9 + 2x$

Variables

let  $6 + 2x =$  length of outside of path  
 $9 + 2x =$  width of outside of path

$A =$  area

$A_{\text{flowerbed}} = 9 \times 6 = 54 \text{ m}^2$

$A_{\text{flowerbed}} = A_{\text{path}}$   
 same

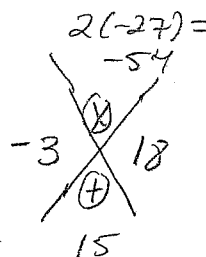
a)  $A_{\text{all}} = (9 + 2x)(6 + 2x)$   
 ~~$54 + 54 = 54 + 12x + 12x + 4x^2$~~

$4x^2 + 30x - 54 = 0$

b)  $\frac{4x^2 + 30x - 54}{2} = 0$

$2x^2 + 15x - 27 = 0$   
 decompose

$2x^2 + -3x + 18x - 27 = 0$



$x(2x - 3) + 9(2x - 3) = 0$

$(x + 9)(2x - 3) = 0$

$x + 9 = 0$  OR  $2x - 3 = 0$

$x = -9$  OR  $\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$

Reject because  $x = 1.5$   
 can't have a negative measurement

$\therefore$  the width of the path is 1.5m.

c) Perimeter = distance all around =  $2 \overset{\text{4 sides}}{[9 + 2(1.5)]} + 2[6 + 2(1.5)] = 2(12) + 2(9) = 24 + 18 = \boxed{42 \text{ m}}$

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6a  $0 = x^2 - 4x + 3$

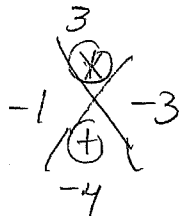
$$(x^2 + (-x)) + (-3x + 3) = 0$$

$$x(x-1) + -3(x-1) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x-3 = 0 \quad \text{OR} \quad x-1 = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = 3 \quad \text{OR} \quad x = 1}$$



b  $0 = 2x^2 - 7x - 15$

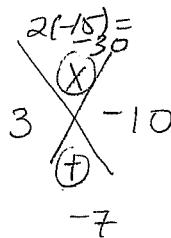
$$(2x^2 + 3x) + (-10x - 15) = 0$$

$$x(2x+3) - 5(2x+3) = 0$$

$$(x-5)(2x+3) = 0$$

$$x = 5 \quad \text{OR} \quad 2x+3 = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = 5 \quad \text{OR} \quad x = -\frac{3}{2}}$$



c  $0 = -x^2 - 2x + 3$

$$x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0 \quad a=1, b=2, c=-3$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4(1)(-3)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 12}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{16}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 4}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-2+4}{2} \quad \text{OR} \quad \frac{-2-4}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2} = 1 \quad \text{OR} \quad \frac{-6}{2} = -3$$

$$\boxed{\{1, -3\}}$$

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7. Solve by completing the square.

$$0 = 3x^2 + 5x - 1$$

$$\frac{3x^2 + 5x - 1}{3} = \frac{0}{3}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{5}{3}x - \frac{1 \times 12}{3 \times 12} = 0$$

$$\frac{b}{2} = \frac{\frac{5}{3}}{2} = \frac{5}{6} \rightarrow \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 = \frac{25}{36}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{5}{3}x + \frac{25}{36} - \frac{25}{36} - \frac{12}{36}$$

$$\left(x + \frac{5}{6}\right)^2 - \frac{37}{36} = 0$$

$\begin{matrix} +\frac{37}{36} \\ +\frac{37}{36} \end{matrix}$

$$\sqrt{\left(x + \frac{5}{6}\right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{37}{36}}$$

$$x + \frac{5}{6} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{37}}{6}$$

$\begin{matrix} -\frac{5}{6} & -\frac{5}{6} \end{matrix}$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{37}}{6}}$$

8.  $x^2 + 4x - 7 = 0$

$a = 1, b = 4, c = -7$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

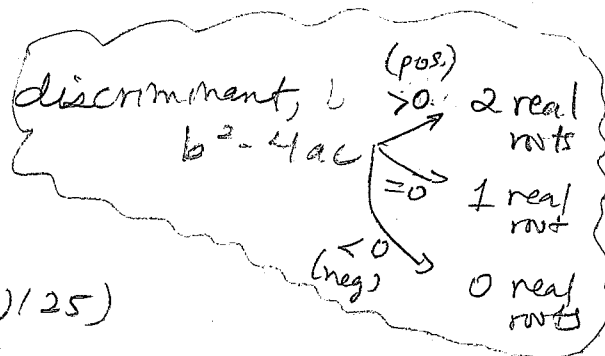
$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \overline{)11} \\ 2 \overline{)22} \\ 2 \overline{)44} \end{array}$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4(1)(-7)}}{2(1)} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 + 28}}{2} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{44}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{(2 \cdot 2)11}}{2} = \frac{-4 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{2} = \boxed{-2 \pm \sqrt{11}}$$

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9) Determine nature of roots:



a.  $x^2 + 10x + 25 = 0$

$a=1, b=10, c=25$

$b^2 - 4ac = 10^2 - 4(1)(25)$

$= 100 - 100 =$

$= 0$

∴ 1 real root

(2 equal roots)

b.  $2x^2 + x = 5$

$2x^2 + x - 5 = 0$

$a=2, b=1, c=-5$

$b^2 - 4ac = 1^2 - 4(2)(-5)$

$= 1 + 40$

$= 41 > 0$

∴ 2 real distinct roots

c.  $2x^2 + 6 = 4x$

$2x^2 - 4x + 6 = 0$

$a=2, b=-4, c=6$

$b^2 - 4ac = (-4)^2 - 4(2)(6)$

$= 16 - 48$

$= -32 < 0$

∴ 0 real roots

d.  $\left(\frac{2}{3}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x - 3\right) = 0 \times 3$

$2x \left(2x^2 + \frac{3}{2}x - 9\right) = 0 \times 2$

$4x^2 + 3x - 18 = 0$

$a=4, b=3, c=-18$

$b^2 - 4ac = 3^2 - 4(4)(-18) = 9 + 648$

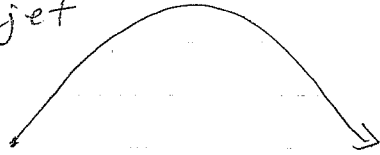
$= 657 > 0$

∴ 2 real distinct roots

Ch 4 Review

p. 260 (for 4.4 Quad Formula)

20 water jet

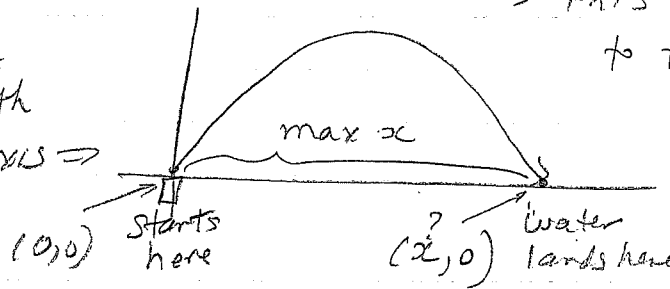


$$h(x) = -2x^2 + 6x + 1$$

↑ height in m at horizontal distance,  $x$  metres from jet

- a) What quadratic equation would you solve to determine the max. horizontal distance the water jet can reach?

Picture the water's path on  $x$ - $y$  axis  $\Rightarrow$



$\hookrightarrow$  this corresponds to the further  $x$ -intercept  $\nabla \Rightarrow$  find the roots!

$$-2x^2 + 6x + 1 = 0$$

- b) Solve to get max horizontal distance water jet can reach.

$$a = -2, \quad b = 6, \quad c = 1$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 4(-2)(1)}}{2(-2)}$$

$$= \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36+8}}{2(-2)} = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{44}}{2(-2)}$$

$$= \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{4 \cdot 11}}{4} = \frac{-6 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{11}}{2} = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{11}}{2} \quad \text{OR} \quad \frac{-3 - \sqrt{11}}{2}$$

3.2

44  
 $\sqrt{44}$   
 $2\sqrt{11}$

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Take the difference to find the distance between the 2 roots:

$$\frac{-3 + \sqrt{11}}{2} - \left( \frac{-3 - \sqrt{11}}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-3 + \sqrt{11}}{2} + \frac{3 + \sqrt{11}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{11}}{2} = \boxed{3.3 \text{ m}}$$

(book has ~~3.2m~~)

Note: Solution by completing the square.

$$\frac{-2x^2 + 6x + 1 = 0}{-2 \quad -2}$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 3x} - \frac{1}{2} = 0 \quad \frac{b}{2} = \frac{-3}{2} \rightarrow \left( \frac{-3}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\underbrace{x^2 - 3x + \frac{9}{4}} - \underbrace{\frac{9}{4} - \frac{2}{4}} = 0$$

$$\left( x - \frac{3}{2} \right)^2 - \frac{11}{4} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{\left( x - \frac{3}{2} \right)^2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{11}{4}}$$

$$x - \frac{3}{2} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{11}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{11}}{2}$$

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16  $h(t) = -5t^2 + 200t + 9750$

How long does aircraft take to return to ground,  $h(t) = 0$ ?

$$\frac{-5t^2 + 200t + 9750}{-5} = 0$$

$$t^2 + 40t - 1950 = 0$$

$$t^2 + 40t + 400 - 400 - 1950 = 0 \quad b = \frac{40}{2} = 20 \rightarrow 20^2 = 400$$

$$(t + 20)^2 - 2350 = 0$$

$$\sqrt{(t + 20)^2} = \pm \sqrt{2350}$$

$$t + 20 = \pm 5\sqrt{94}$$

$$t = -20 \pm 5\sqrt{94}$$

$$t = -20 + 5\sqrt{94} \quad \text{OR} \quad t = -20 - 5\sqrt{94}$$

To find the distance between the 2 roots, do bigger # - smaller #

$$-20 + 5\sqrt{94} - (-20 - 5\sqrt{94})$$

$$= -20 + 5\sqrt{94} + 20 + 5\sqrt{94}$$

$$t = \boxed{68.5 \text{ sec}}$$

from Beards

40 Write quadratic equation in standard form given roots:

a)  $\frac{2}{3}$  &  $-4$   $\Rightarrow$

$$\therefore x = \frac{2}{3} \text{ OR } x = -4$$

$$3x = 2 \quad x + 4 = 0$$

$$3x - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3x - 2)(x + 4) = 3x^2 + 12x - 2x - 8 = 0$$

b) 0 &  $\frac{5}{2}$  are roots

$$\therefore x = 0 \quad \text{OR} \quad x = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$(2)x = 5(2)$$

$$2x = 5$$

$$\therefore (x)(2x - 5) = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 5x = 0$$