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**SOLUTIONS OF WORKSHEET-10**  
**SUBJECT – MATHEMATICS**  
**1st - Term**

**Chapter: ALGEBRA**

**Class: XI**

**Topic: Quadratic Equations**

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Choose the correct option (1 x 15=15)

1. One root of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) is zero when—  
(A)  $a = 0$       (B)  $b = 0$       (C)  $c = 0$       (D)  $x = 0$
2. The roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are reciprocal to one another when—  
(A)  $a = c$       (B)  $a = b$       (C)  $b = c$       (D)  $a = 0$
3. If the signs of  $a$  and  $c$  are opposite to that of  $b$  then both roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are—  
(A) zero      (B) positive      (C) negative      (D) fraction
4. The roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) are equal in magnitude and opposite in signs when—  
(A)  $a = 0$       (B)  $b = 0$       (C)  $c = 0$       (D)  $a = c$
5. If  $b = c = 0$  then both roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) are—  
(A) zero      (B) positive      (C) negative      (D) imaginary
6. The maximum number of distinct roots in a quadratic equation is—  
(A) 1      (B) 2      (C) 3      (D) infinite

7. If  $a = 0$ ,  $b \neq 0$  and  $c$  is real and rational then one root of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  is real and rational and the other root is—  
 (A) zero (B) real and rational  
 (C) imaginary (D) not defined
8. If  $a = 0$  and  $b = 0$  then both roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are—  
 (A) zero (B) real and rational  
 (C) imaginary (D) not defined
9. The roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are equal when—  
 (A)  $b^2 - 4ac < 0$  (B)  $b^2 - 4ac > 0$   
 (C)  $b^2 - 4ac \geq 0$  (D)  $b^2 - 4ac = 0$
10. If  $a, b, c$  are rational numbers and  $b^2 - 4ac$  is positive but not a perfect square then both roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are—  
 (A) real (B) rational (C) irrational (D) imaginary
11. The minimum value of  $9x^2 - 6x + 1$  is—  
 (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 2 (D) 3
12. The maximum value of  $4x - x^2 - 2$  is—  
 (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 2 (D) 3
13. If 4 is a root of the equation  $x^2 + ax - 12 = 0$ , then which of the following is its other root?  
 (A)  $a - 4$  (B)  $-2$  (C) 3 (D)  $-3$
14. State which of the following is the sum of the roots of the equation  $3x^2 - 5x + 7 = 0$ ?  
 (A) 5 (B)  $-\frac{5}{3}$  (C)  $-5$  (D)  $\frac{5}{3}$

15. State which of the following is the product of the roots of the equation  $2x^2 - 3x + 7 = 0$  ?

Ⓐ  $\frac{3}{2}$

Ⓑ  $\frac{7}{2}$

Ⓒ  $-\frac{7}{2}$

Ⓓ 7

1.C, 2.A, 3.B, 4.B, 5.A, 6.B, 7.D, 8.D,  
9.D, 10.C, 11.A, 12.C, 13.D, 14.D, 15.B

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