

Vieta's Formula about the Sum of Roots of Polynomials

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Summary. In the article we formalized in the Mizar system [2] the Vieta formula about the sum of roots of a polynomial $a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$ defined over an algebraically closed field. The formula says that $x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_{n-1} + x_n = -\frac{a_{n-1}}{a_n}$, where x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n are (not necessarily distinct) roots of the polynomial [12]. In the article the sum is denoted by **SumRoots**.

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Let F be a finite sequence and f be a function from $\text{dom } F$ into $\text{dom } F$. Observe that $F \cdot f$ is finite sequence-like.

Now we state the propositions:

(1) Let us consider objects a, b . Suppose $a \neq b$. Then

(i) $\text{CFS}(\{a, b\}) = \langle a, b \rangle$, or

(ii) $\text{CFS}(\{a, b\}) = \langle b, a \rangle$.

(2) Let us consider a finite set X . Then $\text{CFS}(X)$ is an enumeration of X .

Let A be a set and X be a finite subset of A . Observe that $\text{CFS}(X)$ is A -valued.

Now we state the proposition:

(3) Let us consider a right zeroed, non empty additive loop structure L , and an element a of L . Then $2 \cdot a = a + a$.

Let L be an almost left invertible multiplicative loop with zero structure. Let us note that every element of L which is non zero is also left invertible.

Let L be an almost right invertible multiplicative loop with zero structure. Observe that every element of L which is non zero is also right invertible.

Let L be an almost left cancelable multiplicative loop with zero structure. Let us observe that every element of L which is non zero is also left mult-cancelable.

Let L be an almost right cancelable multiplicative loop with zero structure. One can verify that every element of L which is non zero is also right mult-cancelable.

Now we state the proposition:

- (4) Let us consider a right unital, associative, non trivial double loop structure L , and elements a, b of L . Suppose b is left invertible and right mult-cancelable and $b \cdot \frac{1}{b} = \frac{1}{b} \cdot b$. Then $\frac{a \cdot b}{b} = a$.

Let L be a non degenerated zero-one structure, z_0 be an element of L , and z_1 be a non zero element of L . Note that $\langle z_0, z_1 \rangle$ is non-zero and $\langle z_1, z_0 \rangle$ is non-zero.

Let us consider a non trivial zero structure L and a polynomial p over L . Now we state the propositions:

- (5) If $\text{len } p = 1$, then there exists a non zero element a of L such that $p = \langle a \rangle$.
 (6) If $\text{len } p = 2$, then there exists an element a of L and there exists a non zero element b of L such that $p = \langle a, b \rangle$.
 (7) If $\text{len } p = 3$, then there exist elements a, b of L and there exists a non zero element c of L such that $p = \langle a, b, c \rangle$.

Now we state the propositions:

- (8) Let us consider an add-associative, right zeroed, right complementable, associative, commutative, left distributive, well unital, almost left invertible, non empty double loop structure L , and elements a, b, x of L . If $b \neq 0_L$, then $\text{eval}(\langle a, b \rangle, -\frac{a}{b}) = 0_L$.
 (9) Let us consider a field L , elements a, x of L , and a non zero element b of L . Then x is a root of $\langle a, b \rangle$ if and only if $x = -\frac{a}{b}$. The theorem is a consequence of (4) and (8).

Let us consider a field L , an element a of L , and a non zero element b of L . Now we state the propositions:

- (10) $\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle) = \{-\frac{a}{b}\}$. The theorem is a consequence of (9).
 (11) $\text{multiplicity}(\langle a, b \rangle, -\frac{a}{b}) = 1$. The theorem is a consequence of (9).
 (12) $\text{BRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle) = (\{-\frac{a}{b}\}, 1)$ -bag. The theorem is a consequence of (10) and (11).
 (13) Let us consider a field L , elements a, c of L , and non zero elements b, d of L . Then $\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * \langle c, d \rangle) = \{-\frac{a}{b}, -\frac{c}{d}\}$. The theorem is a consequence

of (10).

- (14) Let us consider a field L , elements a, x of L , and a non zero element b of L . If $x \neq -\frac{a}{b}$, then $\text{multiplicity}(\langle a, b \rangle, x) = 0$. The theorem is a consequence of (10).

Let us consider a field L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , an element a of L , and a non zero element b of L . Now we state the propositions:

- (15) Suppose $-\frac{a}{b} \notin \text{Roots}(p)$. Then $\overline{\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)} = 1 + \overline{\text{Roots}(p)}$. The theorem is a consequence of (10).
- (16) Suppose $-\frac{a}{b} \notin \text{Roots}(p)$. Then $\text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(p)) \wedge \langle -\frac{a}{b} \rangle$ is an enumeration of $\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)$. The theorem is a consequence of (10).
- (17) Let us consider a field L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , an element a of L , a non zero element b of L , and an enumeration E of $\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)$. Suppose $E = \text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(p)) \wedge \langle -\frac{a}{b} \rangle$. Then
- (i) $\text{len } E = 1 + \overline{\text{Roots}(p)}$, and
 - (ii) $E(1 + \overline{\text{Roots}(p)}) = -\frac{a}{b}$, and
 - (iii) for every natural number n such that $1 \leq n \leq \overline{\text{Roots}(p)}$ holds $E(n) = (\text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(p)))(n)$.

Let L be a non empty double loop structure, B be a bag of the carrier of L , and E be a (the carrier of L)-valued finite sequence. The functor $B(++)E$ yielding a finite sequence of elements of L is defined by

- (Def. 1) $\text{len } it = \text{len } E$ and for every natural number n such that $1 \leq n \leq \text{len } it$ holds $it(n) = (B \cdot E)(n) \cdot E_n$.

Now we state the propositions:

- (18) Let us consider an integral domain L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , a bag B of the carrier of L , and an enumeration E of $\text{Roots}(p)$. If $\text{Roots}(p) = \emptyset$, then $B(++)E = \emptyset$.
- (19) Let us consider a left zeroed, add-associative, non empty double loop structure L , bags B_1, B_2 of the carrier of L , and a (the carrier of L)-valued finite sequence E . Then $B_1 + B_2(++)E = (B_1(++)E) + (B_2(++)E)$.
- (20) Let us consider a left zeroed, add-associative, non empty double loop structure L , a bag B of the carrier of L , and (the carrier of L)-valued finite sequences E, F . Then $B(++)E \wedge F = (B(++)E) \wedge (B(++)F)$.
- (21) Let us consider a left zeroed, add-associative, non empty double loop structure L , bags B_1, B_2 of the carrier of L , and (the carrier of L)-valued finite sequences E, F . Then $B_1 + B_2(++)E \wedge F = (B_1(++)E) \wedge (B_1(++)F) + (B_2(++)E) \wedge (B_2(++)F)$. The theorem is a consequence of (19) and (20).

(22) Let us consider a field L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , an element a of L , a non zero element b of L , an enumeration E of $\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)$, and a permutation P of $\text{dom } E$. Then $(\text{BRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)(++)E) \cdot P = \text{BRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)(++)E \cdot P$.

PROOF: Set $q = \langle a, b \rangle$. Set $B = \text{BRoots}(q * p)$. Reconsider $P_1 = P$ as a permutation of $\text{dom}(B(++)E)$. $(B(++)E) \cdot P_1 = B(++)E \cdot P$ by [13, (27)], [11, (29), (25)], [4, (13)]. \square

Let us consider a field L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , an element a of L , a non zero element b of L , and an enumeration E of $\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)$. Now we state the propositions:

(23) Suppose $-\frac{a}{b} \notin \text{Roots}(p)$. Then suppose $E = \text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(p)) \wedge \langle -\frac{a}{b} \rangle$. Then $(\text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)))^{-1} \cdot E$ is a permutation of $\text{dom } E$. The theorem is a consequence of (15) and (10).

(24) Suppose $-\frac{a}{b} \notin \text{Roots}(p)$. Then suppose $E = \text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(p)) \wedge \langle -\frac{a}{b} \rangle$. Then $\sum(\text{BRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)(++)E) = \sum(\text{BRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)(++) \text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p)))$.

PROOF: Set $q = \langle a, b \rangle$. Set $B = \text{BRoots}(q * p)$. Set $D = \text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(q * p))$. Reconsider $P = D^{-1} \cdot E$ as a permutation of $\text{dom } E$. $E \cdot E^{-1} \cdot D = D$ by [4, (37)], [13, (27)], [4, (35), (12)]. $(B(++)E) \cdot P^{-1} = B(++)E \cdot P^{-1}$. \square

(25) $\sum(\text{BRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle)(++)E) = -\frac{a}{b}$. The theorem is a consequence of (10), (11), and (14).

Let L be an integral domain and p be a non-zero polynomial over L . The functor $\text{SumRoots}(p)$ yielding an element of L is defined by the term

(Def. 2) $\sum(\text{BRoots}(p)(++) \text{CFS}(\text{Roots}(p)))$.

Now we state the propositions:

(26) Let us consider an integral domain L , and a non-zero polynomial p over L . If $\text{Roots}(p) = \emptyset$, then $\text{SumRoots}(p) = 0_L$. The theorem is a consequence of (2) and (18).

(27) Let us consider a field L , an element a of L , and a non zero element b of L . Then $\text{SumRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle) = -\frac{a}{b}$. The theorem is a consequence of (10), (2), and (11).

(28) Let us consider a field L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , an element a of L , and a non zero element b of L . Then $\text{SumRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle * p) = -\frac{a}{b} + \text{SumRoots}(p)$. The theorem is a consequence of (16), (17), (24), (2), (10), (11), (25), and (19).

(29) Let us consider a field L , elements a, c of L , and non zero elements b, d of L . Then $\text{SumRoots}(\langle a, b \rangle * \langle c, d \rangle) = -\frac{a}{b} - \frac{c}{d}$. The theorem is a consequence of (27) and (28).

- (30) Let us consider an algebraic closed field L , and non-zero polynomials p, q over L . Suppose $\text{len } p \geq 2$. Then $\text{SumRoots}(p * q) = \text{SumRoots}(p) + \text{SumRoots}(q)$.

PROOF: Define $\mathcal{P}[\text{natural number}] \equiv$ for every non-zero polynomial f over L such that $\$1 = \text{len } f$ holds $\text{SumRoots}(f * q) = \text{SumRoots}(f) + \text{SumRoots}(q)$. $\mathcal{P}[2]$. For every non trivial natural number k such that $\mathcal{P}[k]$ holds $\mathcal{P}[k + 1]$ by [6, (29)], [1, (11)], [8, (17), (50)]. For every non trivial natural number k , $\mathcal{P}[k]$ from [6, Sch. 2]. \square

- (31) Let us consider an algebraic closed integral domain L , a non-zero polynomial p over L , and a finite sequence r of elements of L . Suppose r is one-to-one and $\text{len } r = \text{len } p - 1$ and $\text{Roots}(p) = \text{rng } r$. Then $\sum r = \text{SumRoots}(p)$.

PROOF: Set $B = \text{BRoots}(p)$. Set $s = \text{support } B$. Set $L_1 = \text{len } r \mapsto 1$. Consider f being a finite sequence of elements of \mathbb{N} such that $\text{degree}(B) = \sum f$ and $f = B \cdot \text{CFS}(s)$. Reconsider $E = \text{CFS}(s)$ as a finite sequence of elements of L . For every natural number j such that $j \in \text{Seg len } r$ holds $f(j) \geq L_1(j)$ by [8, (52)], [4, (12)], [3, (57)]. For every natural number j such that $1 \leq j \leq \text{len } E$ holds $(B(++)E)(j) = E(j)$ by [5, (83)], [3, (57)], [9, (13)]. \square

- (32) VIETA'S FORMULA ABOUT THE SUM OF ROOTS:

Let us consider an algebraic closed field L , and a non-zero polynomial p over L . Suppose $\text{len } p \geq 2$. Then $\text{SumRoots}(p) = -\frac{p(\text{len } p - 2)}{p(\text{len } p - 1)}$.

PROOF: Define $\mathcal{P}[\text{natural number}] \equiv$ for every non-zero polynomial p over L such that $\$1 = \text{len } p$ holds $\text{SumRoots}(p) = -\frac{p(\$1 - 2)}{p(\$1 - 1)}$. $\mathcal{P}[2]$ by (6), [7, (38)], (27). For every non trivial natural number k such that $\mathcal{P}[k]$ holds $\mathcal{P}[k + 1]$ by [6, (29)], [1, (11)], [8, (17)], [10, (5)]. For every non trivial natural number k , $\mathcal{P}[k]$ from [6, Sch. 2]. \square

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