

韦达定理

设

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

如果 $f(x) = 0$ 有 n 个根 x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n (计重数)。可设

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \cdots + a_1 x + a_0 \\ &= A(x - x_1)(x - x_2) \cdots (x - x_n) \\ &= A[x^n - \sum_i x_i \times x^{n-1} + \sum_{i \neq j} x_i x_j \times x^{n-2} - \sum_{i_1, i_2, i_3 \text{互异}} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} x_{i_3} \times x^{n-3} + \cdots \\ &\quad + (-1)^{n-1} \sum_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_{n-1} \text{互异}} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} \cdots x_{i_{n-1}} \times x + (-1)^n x_1 x_2 \cdots x_n] \end{aligned}$$

对比 x^i 项的系数可得

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a_n = A \\ a_{n-1} = -\sum_i x_i \times A \\ a_{n-2} = \sum_{i \neq j} x_i x_j \times A \\ a_{n-3} = -\sum_{i_1, i_2, i_3 \text{互异}} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} x_{i_3} \times A \\ \dots \\ a_1 = (-1)^{n-1} \sum_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_{n-1} \text{互异}} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} \cdots x_{i_{n-1}} \times A \\ a_0 = (-1)^n x_1 x_2 \cdots x_n \times A \end{array} \right.$$

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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sum_i x_i = -\frac{a_{n-1}}{a_n} \\ \sum_{i \neq j} x_i x_j = \frac{a_{n-2}}{a_n} \\ \sum_{i_1, i_2, i_3 \text{互异}} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} x_{i_3} = -\frac{a_{n-3}}{a_n} \\ \dots \\ \sum_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_{n-1} \text{互异}} x_{i_1} x_{i_2} \cdots x_{i_{n-1}} = (-1)^{n-1} \frac{a_1}{a_n} \\ x_1 x_2 \cdots x_n = (-1)^n \frac{a_0}{a_n} \end{array} \right.$$