Answer on Question #50307 – Math - Algebra

xp+3yp=2(z-x2p2) solve this equation.

Solution

$$xp + yp = 2(z - x^2p^2)$$

Solve for x

(other values of y, z, p should be known in order to get a definite solution): $2p^2x^2 + px + (yp - 2z) = 0$ is a quadratic equation with respect to x, when $p \neq 0$; its discriminant is $D1 = p^2 - 4 \cdot 2p^2(yp - 2z) = p^2 - 8yp^3 + 16zp^2$

Solutions are the following:

If $p \neq 0$, then

$$x = \frac{-p \pm \sqrt{D1}}{2 \cdot 2p^2} = \frac{-p \pm p \sqrt{1 - 8yp + 16z}}{4p^2} = -\frac{1}{4p} - \frac{1}{4p} \sqrt{1 - 8yp + 16z}; -\frac{1}{4p} - \frac{1}{4p} \sqrt{1 - 8yp + 16z}.$$

If p = 0, then 0 = 2z, hence

x = C is an arbitrary real number, y = E is an arbitrary real number, z = 0.

Solve for y

(other values of x, z, p should be known in order to get a definite solution):

 $xp + yp = 2(z - x^2p^2)$ is a linear equation with respect to y.

If $p \neq 0$, then $xp + yp = 2(z - x^2p^2) \Longrightarrow |subtract xp from both sides| \Longrightarrow$

 \Rightarrow yp = 2(z - x²p²) - xp \Rightarrow |divide both sides by p| \Rightarrow

$$y = \frac{2(z - x^2 p^2) - xp}{p} = \frac{2z}{p} - 2x^2 p - x$$

If p = 0, then 0 = 2z, hence

y = E is an arbitrary real number, x = C is an arbitrary real number, z = 0.

Solve for z

(other values of x, y, p should be known in order to get a definite solution):

 $xp + yp = 2(z - x^2p^2)$ is a linear equation with respect to z;

 $\Rightarrow |add \ 2x^2p^2 \ to \ both \ sides| \Rightarrow xp + yp + 2x^2p^2 = 2z \Rightarrow |divide \ both \ sides \ by \ 2| \Rightarrow \frac{xp + yp + 2x^2p^2}{2} = z, \text{ i.e. } z = \frac{xp + yp + 2x^2p^2}{2}$

Solve for *p*

(other values of x, y, z should be known in order to get a definite solution): $2x^2p^2 + (x + y)p - 2z = 0$ is a quadratic equation with respect to p, when $x \neq 0$; its discriminant is $D2 = (x + y)^2 - 4 \cdot 2x^2 \cdot (-2z) = x^2 + y^2 + 2xy + 16x^2z$

Solutions are the following:

If $x \neq 0$, then

$$p = \frac{-(x+y)\pm\sqrt{D2}}{2\cdot 2x^2} = \frac{-(x+y)\pm\sqrt{x^2+y^2+2xy+16x^2z}}{4x^2} = \frac{-(x+y)-\sqrt{x^2+y^2+2xy+16x^2z}}{4x^2}; \frac{-(x+y)+\sqrt{x^2+y^2+2xy+16x^2z}}{4x^2}$$

If x = 0, then yp = 2z is a linear equation with respect to p, hence

If x = 0 and $y \neq 0$, then $p = \frac{2z}{y}$;

If x = 0 and y = 0 and $z \neq 0$, then the equation does not have solutions

If x = 0 and y = 0 and z = 0, then the equation has infinitely many solutions, i.e. p = K, where K is an arbitrary real constant.

Note that there are infinitely many solutions when two or less values of x, y, z, p are known, they should satisfy condition $z \ge \frac{xp+yp}{2}$.