

6. TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS - I
Class: IX . MATHEMATICS ①
FOUNDATION⁺ : SOLUTIONS

JEEMAINS LEVEL
TEACHING TASK

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Q1. Given $2\sin^2\alpha - 3\sin\alpha + 1 = 0$.

option verification technique.

A) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$, let $n=0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$= 2\sin^2\frac{\pi}{6} - 3\sin\frac{\pi}{6} + 1$$

$$= 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} + 1 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

let $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\text{LHS} = 2\sin^2\frac{\pi}{2} - 3\sin\frac{\pi}{2} + 1$$

$$= 2(1)^2 - 3(1) + 1 = 2 - 3 + 1 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

Option B: $n\pi + (-1)^n\frac{\pi}{2}$ and $n\pi + (-1)^n\frac{\pi}{6} \quad \checkmark$

Ans. B



Q2

$$\sin \theta + \cos \theta = 1$$

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$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2\theta = \sin n\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\theta = n\pi, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{let } n=0 \Rightarrow \theta = 0 \quad \text{Now, } \sin 0 + \cos 0 = 1 \checkmark$$

$$\text{let } n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad \text{Now, } \sin \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 1 + 0 = 1 \checkmark$$

$$\text{let } n=2 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi, \quad \text{Now, } \sin 2\pi + \cos 2\pi = 0 + 1 = 1 \checkmark$$

~~three~~ Two solutions

Ans: A

Q3

$$|\sin x| = \cos x$$

option verification.

$$\text{let } x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad \left| \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right| = \cos \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \checkmark$$

$$\text{let } x = \frac{7\pi}{4}, \quad \left| \sin \frac{7\pi}{4} \right| = \cos \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore \left| \sin \left(2\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right| = \cos \left(2\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| -\sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right| = \cos \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= \left| -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \checkmark$$

$\therefore$

$$\text{option: } C \left\{ \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4} \right\}$$

Ans: C

04. $\sin x > \frac{1}{2}$

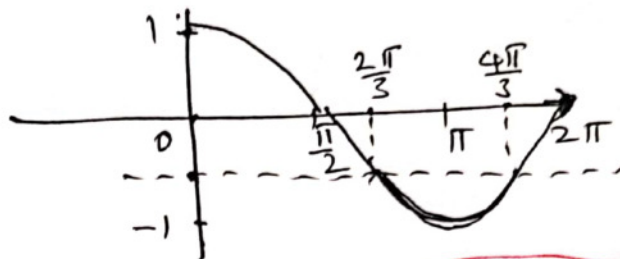
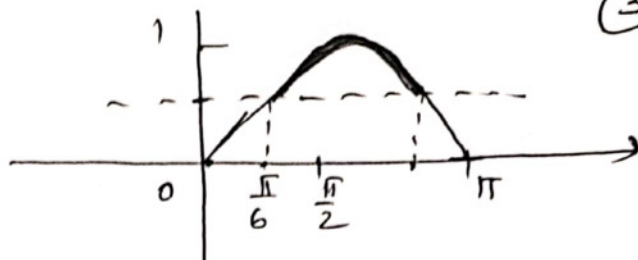
$$\Rightarrow x \in \left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$\cos x < -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \left(\frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}\right)$$

Common Interval

$$x \in \left(\frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$$



Ans —

05 Given $\tan x = \cot x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = \cos^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 2x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Ans. B

06 $2\sin x + \operatorname{cosec} x = 3$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x + 1 = 3\sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x - 3\sin x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin x - 1)(2\sin x - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = 1 \text{ or } \sin x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } \sin x = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi + (-1)^n \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } x = n\pi + (-1)^n \cdot \frac{\pi}{6} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Ans. D

07. option Verification

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$$\text{let } x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \cos 2x = \cos 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$$

$$\text{RHS} = (\sqrt{2} + 1) \left(\cos x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$= (\sqrt{2} + 1) \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = (\sqrt{2} + 1) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 0$$

Ans. D

08 $\sin^{10} x - \cos^{10} x = 1$

opt A: $\sin^{10} \left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) - \cos^{10} \left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

$$= \sin^{10} \left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) - \cos^{10} \left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \quad (\because \text{let } n=1)$$

$$= \sin^{10} \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{10} \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$= 1 - 0$$

$$= 1 \text{ RHS}$$

Ans. A

09 $x \sin \theta = \sqrt{3}$ $\Rightarrow x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sin \theta}$ $x + 4 \sin \theta = 2(\sqrt{3} + 1)$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sin \theta} + 4 \sin \theta = 2(\sqrt{3} + 1)$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} + 4 \sin^2 \theta = 2 \sin \theta (\sqrt{3} + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \sin^2 \theta - 2 \sin \theta + \sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{3} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin \theta (2 \sin \theta - 1) - \sqrt{3} (2 \sin \theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 \sin \theta - 1) (2 \sin \theta - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ or } \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ or } n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore \theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{2\pi}{3} \right\}$$

Ans. B



$$10. \quad 4\cos^2 x \cdot \sin x - 2\sin^2 x - 3\sin x = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x (4\cos^2 x - 2\sin^2 x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 4(1 - \sin^2 x) - 2\sin^2 x - 3 = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = n\pi} \quad \text{or} \quad 4\sin^2 x + 2\sin x - 1 = 0$$

$$\sin x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{4}$$

$$\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$$

$$\text{or} \quad \sin x = \frac{-1-\sqrt{5}}{4}$$

$$\sin x = \sin \frac{\pi}{10}$$

$$\boxed{x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{10}}$$

$$\sin x = \sin \left(-\frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$$

$$\boxed{x = n\pi + (-1)^n \left(-\frac{3\pi}{10}\right)}$$

Ans: D

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$$\boxed{101} \quad 2\cos^2 x - 3\cos x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2 x - 2\cos x - \cos x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos x (\cos x - 1) - 1(\cos x - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\cos x - 1)(2\cos x - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = 1$$

$$\text{or} \quad \cos x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = \cos 0^\circ$$

$$\cos x = \cos \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2n\pi \pm 0$$

$$\boxed{x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = 2n\pi}$$

$$\text{Let } n=0, \quad x = 0, \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow 2\cos^2 0 - 3\cos 0 + 1 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{3} - 3\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + 1 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{Let } n=1, \quad x = 2\pi, \left(2\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$



$$x = 2\pi, \left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}\right), \left(2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \quad (6)$$

$$2\cos^2 2\pi - 3\cos 2\pi + 1 = 2(1)^2 - 3(1) + 1 = 0 \checkmark$$

$$2\cos^2\left(2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) - 3\cos\left(2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 1$$

$$= 2\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{3} - 3\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + 1 = 0 \checkmark \quad (\text{Repeated}).$$

Here $x=0, \frac{2\pi}{3}$ treated as same
 $\therefore$ Total No. of solutions in $[0, 2\pi]$ are 3

Ans: A, B, C

02. $\sin^3 \theta + \sin \theta \cos \theta + \cos^3 \theta = 1$

A) $\frac{n\pi}{2}$, let $n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\sin^3 \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos^3 \frac{\pi}{2} = 1 + (1)(0) + 0 = 1 \checkmark$$

B) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$, let $n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = 2\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^3\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \sin\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \cos\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \cos^3\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\ = \sin^3 \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos^3 \frac{\pi}{2} = 1 \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

C) $2n\pi$, let $n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = 2\pi$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^3 2\pi + \sin 2\pi \cos 2\pi + \cos^3 2\pi \\ = (0)^3 + (0)(1) + (1)^3 = 1 \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

D) $n\pi$, let $n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^3 \pi + \sin \pi \cos \pi + \cos^3 \pi \\ = (0)^3 + (0)(-1) + (-1)^3 = -1 \times \end{aligned}$$

Ans: A, B, C

03 Statement I: $\sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$ (7)
 $\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \cdot \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (True)

Statement II: Conceptual (True) Ans: A

04 Statement I: $\frac{\tan 3x - \tan 2x}{1 + \tan 3x \cdot \tan 2x} = 1$

$\Rightarrow \tan(3x - 2x) = 1$

$\Rightarrow \tan x = 1$

$\Rightarrow \tan x = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\Rightarrow x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (False)

Statement II: Conceptual (True) Ans: D

05 Assertion: $\tan 2\theta = \cot \theta$
 $\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)$
 $\Rightarrow 2\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$
 $\Rightarrow 3\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$
 $\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{n\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6}$ (True)

Reason: Mathematically (True) Ans: A

06 Assertion: Conceptual (True)

Reason: $\cos x = -1$

$\Rightarrow \cos x = \cos \pi$

$\Rightarrow x = 2n\pi \pm \pi, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (False)

Ans: C

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Given $2\cos^2\theta - 3\cos\theta + 1 = 0$

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$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2\theta - 2\cos\theta - \cos\theta + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos\theta(\cos\theta - 1) - 1(\cos\theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\cos\theta - 1)(2\cos\theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \cos\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = \cos 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi \pm 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = 2n\pi}$$

$$\cos\theta = \cos \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$\theta = 0, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$ satisfies the above equation

: Total No. of solutions in $[0, 2\pi]$

Ans: B

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$$\cos\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = \cos \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Ans: B

09

$$(2\sin x - \cos x)(1 + \cos x) = \sin^2 x$$

$$(2\sin x - \cos x)(1 + \cos x) = 1 - \cos^2 x$$

$$(2\sin x - \cos x)(1 + \cos x) = (1 + \cos x)(1 - \cos x)$$

$$[1 + \cos x][2\sin x - \cos x - 1 + \cos x] = 0$$

$$1 + \cos x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2\sin x - 1 = 0$$

$$\cos x = -1 \quad \text{or} \quad \sin x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \pi \quad (\text{X})$$

$$\cancel{x = \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\cos x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}$$



$$3\cos\alpha - 10\cos\alpha + 3 = 0$$

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$$\Rightarrow 3\cos\alpha - 9\cos\alpha - \cos\alpha + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\cos\alpha(\cos\alpha - 3) - 1(\cos\alpha - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\cos\alpha - 3)(3\cos\alpha - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\alpha = 3 \text{ (x) or } \cos\alpha = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\boxed{\cos\beta = \frac{1}{3}}$$

Again $1 - \sin 2\alpha = \cos\alpha - \sin\alpha$

$$(\sin\alpha - \cos\alpha)^2 + (\sin\alpha - \cos\alpha) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin\alpha - \cos\alpha) [\sin\alpha - \cos\alpha + 1] = 0$$

↓ ① No need

$$\Rightarrow \sin\alpha - \cos\alpha = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\alpha = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \boxed{\cos\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}$$

Now, $\cos\alpha + \cos\beta + \cos\gamma$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{2} + 6}{6\sqrt{2}}$$

Ans: A

100. We have $\cos\alpha = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \sin\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\cos\beta = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \sin\beta = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\cos\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \sin\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{14 + 3\sqrt{2}}{6\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

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Ans: A

$$\begin{aligned} 11. \sin(\alpha - \beta) &= \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \\ &= \frac{1 - 2\sqrt{6}}{6} \end{aligned}$$

Ans: C

$$12 \text{ Given } x \in [0, 4\pi]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin x &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow \sin x &= \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow x &= n\pi + (-1)^n \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\ \text{let } n=0 &\Rightarrow x = -\frac{\pi}{2} \quad (\otimes) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{let } n=1 \Rightarrow x = \pi + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{let } n=2 \Rightarrow x = 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{let } n=3 \Rightarrow x = 3\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{7\pi}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$\therefore$ only, $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ and $\frac{7\pi}{2}$ are the solutions

Ans: 2

$$\begin{aligned} 13 \quad \cos 4x &= \cos 2(2x) = 2\cos^2 2x - 1 \\ &= 2(2\cos^2 x - 1)^2 - 1 \\ &= 2[4\cos^4 x - 4\cos^2 x + 1] - 1 \\ &= 8\cos^4 x - 8\cos^2 x + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \cos 4x = 1 - 8\cos^2 x + 8\cos^4 x$$

$$a_0 + a_1 \cos^2 x + a_2 \cos^4 x$$

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$$\therefore a_0 = 1, a_1 = -8, a_2 = 8$$

$$\text{Now, } 5a_0 + a_1 + a_2 = 5(1) - 8 + 8 = 5 \quad \text{Ans. 5}$$

14 a) $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \quad (P)$

b) $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6} \quad (Q)$

c) $\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \quad (R)$

d) $\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6} \quad (S)$

Ans. P, Q, R, S

15 a) $\tan^2 x + \cot^2 x = 2$
 $\Rightarrow (\tan x - \cot x)^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \tan x - \cot x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 x = \tan^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

No. of solutions = 4

b) $\sin^2 x - \cos x = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x - 2\cos x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(1 - \cos^2 x) - 2\cos x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 - 2\cos^2 x - 2\cos x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2 x + 2\cos x - 1 = 0$$

$$\cos x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 8}}{4}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2} \rightarrow \text{two solutions}$$

$$c) 4 \sin^2 x - 6 \cos^2 x = 10$$

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$$4 \sin^2 x - 6(1 - \sin^2 x) = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \sin^2 x - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = \frac{6}{10} \Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{5}} \approx 1.26$$

$\therefore$ no solution.

$$d) \sin x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \sin \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

No. of solutions = 1

Ans: s, l, q, r

LEARNERS TASK CUES

01. $\tan x = \text{not defined}$, $\sin x = -1$

option verification

$$B) x = (4n+3)\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{let } n=0, x = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\tan \frac{3\pi}{2} = \text{not defined}; \quad \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} = \sin\left(2\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\sin \frac{\pi}{2} = -1$$

Ans B

02. $\sec x = -\sqrt{2} \Rightarrow \cos x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \cos \frac{3\pi}{4}$

$$\therefore x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

Ans: A

3. $\sin x + \cos x = \sqrt{2}$

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option verification.

opt: A) $x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$

Let $n=1 \Rightarrow x = 2\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\therefore \text{LHS} = \sin\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \cos\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

$= \sin\frac{\pi}{4} + \cos\frac{\pi}{4}$

$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2}$

Ans: A

04 ~~opt~~ Given $\sin 3x = \cos 2x$

option verification

opt A' $x = \frac{n\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{10}$

Let $n=0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{10}$

$\text{LHS} = \sin 3x = \sin \frac{3\pi}{10} = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{2\pi}{10}\right)$

$= \cos \frac{2\pi}{10} = \cos 2x = \text{RHS}$

Ans: A

05 $a \sin x + b \cos x$ ~~$a \sin x + b \cos x$~~

We know the maximum value = $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

and minimum value = $-\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

i.e. $-\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \leq c \leq \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

$\Rightarrow c^2 \leq a^2 + b^2 \quad (\text{or})$

$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 \geq c^2$

Ans: A

06	$\cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$	(14) Ans: C
07	$\tan \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi$	Ans: A
08	Conceptual	Ans: C
09	Conceptual	Ans: B
10	Conceptual	Ans: D

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01.	Given $a \cos 2\theta + b \sin 2\theta = c$ $\Rightarrow a \left(\frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) + b \left(\frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) = c$ $\Rightarrow (a+c) \tan^2 \theta - 2b \tan \theta + (-a) = 0$ $\therefore \tan \alpha, \tan \beta$ are the roots $\therefore \tan \alpha \cdot \tan \beta = \frac{c-a}{c+a}$	Ans: C
02	$\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ or $\cos \theta = \cos \frac{5\pi}{6}$ $\Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{5\pi}{6}$	Ans: A
03	$\tan x = 1 \rightarrow [0, 3\pi]$ $\Rightarrow \tan x = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$ $\Rightarrow x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ Let $n=0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{4} \checkmark$ Let $n=1 \Rightarrow x = \pi + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{5\pi}{4} \checkmark$	Let $n=2 \Rightarrow x = 2\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{9\pi}{4} \checkmark$ Let $n=3 \Rightarrow x = 3\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \times$ Total 3 solutions Ans: C

04 $\tan^2 x = \cot^2 x$

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$$\Rightarrow \tan^4 x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^4 x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\tan^2 x - 1)(\tan^2 x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 x = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \tan^2 x = -1 \quad (\times)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan x = \pm \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Ans: B

05 $\cot x = \text{Not defined} \quad \sec x = -1$

option verification

A) $x = (2n+1)\pi$

Let $n=0 \Rightarrow x = \pi$

$\cot \pi = \text{Not defined}, \sec \pi = -1$

Ans: A

06 $\frac{\cos 3\theta}{2\cos 2\theta - 1} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta}{2(2\cos^2 \theta - 1) - 1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos \theta (4\cos^2 \theta - 3)}{4\cos^2 \theta - 3} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos \theta (4\cos^2 \theta - 3) - (4\cos^2 \theta - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4\cos^2 \theta - 3)(2\cos \theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = \frac{3}{4}, \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \quad \left| \quad \cos \theta = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \quad (16)\right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3} \quad \left| \quad \Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}\right.$$

Ans: B

07. $\tan \theta - \sec \theta - \sqrt{3} \sec \theta + \sqrt{3} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (\sec \theta - 1)(\sec \theta - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \theta = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \sec \theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \theta = \sec \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \left| \quad \sec \theta = \sec \frac{\pi}{3}\right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \left| \quad \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}\right.$$

Ans: C

08 $\sqrt{1 - \cos x} = \sin x$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \cos x = \sin^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \cos x = 1 - \cos^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x - \cos x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x (\cos x - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \cos x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\cos x = \cos 0$$

$$x = 2n\pi \pm 0$$

$$x = 2n\pi$$

Ans: A

09 $\sec \theta - \cot \theta = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Ans: D

$$10 \quad \sin 6\theta = \sin 4\theta - \sin 2\theta$$

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option verification

$\theta = 0$ satisfies this equation.

option B $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{4}$

When $n=0 \Rightarrow \theta=0$.

Ans: B

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01 Given $\sin 2x = \cos 3x$

option verification:

Substitute $n=0$ in all the options, then

A) $x = \frac{\pi}{10}$ B) $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ C) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ D) $\frac{\pi}{4}$

Now option A) $x = \frac{\pi}{10}$

$$\sin 2x = \sin \frac{2\pi}{10} = \sin \frac{\pi}{5}$$

$$\cos 3x = \cos \frac{3\pi}{10} = \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{5} \right) = \sin \frac{\pi}{5} \quad \checkmark$$

option C: $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\sin 2x = \sin 2 \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \sin \pi = 0$$

$$\cos 3x = \cos 3 \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$\therefore$ Ans: A, C

02

$$a \tan \theta + b \sec \theta = c$$

$$\Rightarrow a \tan \theta - c = -b \sec \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \tan^2 \theta - 2ac \tan \theta + c^2 = b^2 \sec^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \tan^2 \theta - 2ac \tan \theta + c^2 = b^2 (1 + \tan^2 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 - b^2) \tan^2 \theta - 2ac \tan \theta + c^2 - b^2 = 0 \quad (18)$$

$$\tan \alpha + \tan \beta = \frac{2ac}{a^2 - b^2}$$

$$\tan \alpha \cdot \tan \beta = \frac{c^2 - b^2}{a^2 - b^2}$$

$$\tan(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \cdot \tan \beta}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{2ac}{a^2 - b^2}\right)}{1 - \left(\frac{c^2 - b^2}{a^2 - b^2}\right)} = \frac{2ac}{a^2 - c^2}$$

Ans. A

03 Statement I: $f(x) = a \sin x + b \cos x$

We know, max. value = $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$
 min. value = $-\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

$$\therefore -\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \leq f(x) \leq \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$-\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \leq c \leq \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$c^2 \leq a^2 + b^2 \quad (\text{True})$$

Statement II: Conceptual (True) Ans. A

04 Statement II: $3 \sin x + 4 \cos x = 7$

$$a \quad b \quad c$$

$$c^2 = 7^2 = 49$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 9 + 16 = 25$$

$$c^2 \leq a^2 + b^2$$

$$49 \leq 25 \quad (\text{False})$$

(True)

Statement II: Conceptual (True)

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Ans. A

Q6 Assertion: $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \cdot \frac{\pi}{6} \quad (\text{True})$$

Reason: Conceptual (True)

Ans. A

Q7 Assertion: Conceptual (True)

Reasons Conceptual (False)

Ans. C

07 $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow [0, 5\pi]$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \cdot \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{let } n=0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6} \checkmark$$

$$n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{5\pi}{6} \checkmark$$

$$n=2 \Rightarrow \theta = 2\pi + \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{13\pi}{6} \checkmark$$

$$n=3 \Rightarrow \theta = 3\pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{17\pi}{6} \checkmark$$

$$n=4 \Rightarrow \theta = 4\pi + \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{25\pi}{6} \checkmark$$

$$n=5 \Rightarrow \theta = 5\pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{29\pi}{6} \checkmark$$

$\therefore$ Total No. of solutions = 6

Ans: D

08 $\tan \theta = \sqrt{3}$

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$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \tan \frac{\pi}{3}$

$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$

Ans: A

09 $2 \sin^2 \theta = \sin \theta \rightarrow (0, \pi)$

$\Rightarrow 2 \sin^2 \theta - \sin \theta = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta (2 \sin \theta - 1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = 0$ or $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi$

$\Rightarrow \theta = \pi, 2\pi$ ~~X~~

$\sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$

$\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$

$n=0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6} \checkmark$

$n=1 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6} \checkmark$
 $= \frac{5\pi}{6} \checkmark$

Ans: C

10 $\sin 2x = \sin x \rightarrow [0, 2\pi]$

$2 \sin x \cos x - \sin x = 0$

$\sin x (2 \cos x - 1) = 0$

$\sin x = 0$ or $\cos x = \frac{1}{2}$

$x = n\pi$

$x = 0 \checkmark$

$= \pi \checkmark$

$= 2\pi \checkmark$

$\cos x = \cos \frac{\pi}{3}$

$x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$

$x = \frac{\pi}{3} \checkmark$

$= 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} \checkmark$

Total = 5 solutions

Ans: C

11. $\sin x = \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow [0, 5\pi]$

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* Repeated : Q no: 7

12. $(\sqrt{3}+1)^{2x} + (\sqrt{3}-1)^{2x} = 2^{3x}$

$= (\sqrt{3}+1)^{2x} + (\sqrt{3}-1)^{2x} = (2\sqrt{2})^{2x}$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)^{2x} + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)^{2x} = 1$

$\Rightarrow (\sin 75^\circ)^{2x} + (\cos 75^\circ)^{2x} = 1$

$\Rightarrow$ This is possible only when
 $x = 1$

$\therefore$ No. of solutions = 1

Ans. 1

13. a) $\tan \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \tan \theta = \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4} (q)$

b) $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$

$= \cos \theta = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3} (r)$

c) $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6} (p)$

d) $\sec \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = 1$

$\sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{2} (s)$

Ans: q, r, p, s

14) NOTE Please avoid this question, as it has no meaning (data insufficient) (22)

ADDITIONAL PRACTICE QUESTIONS

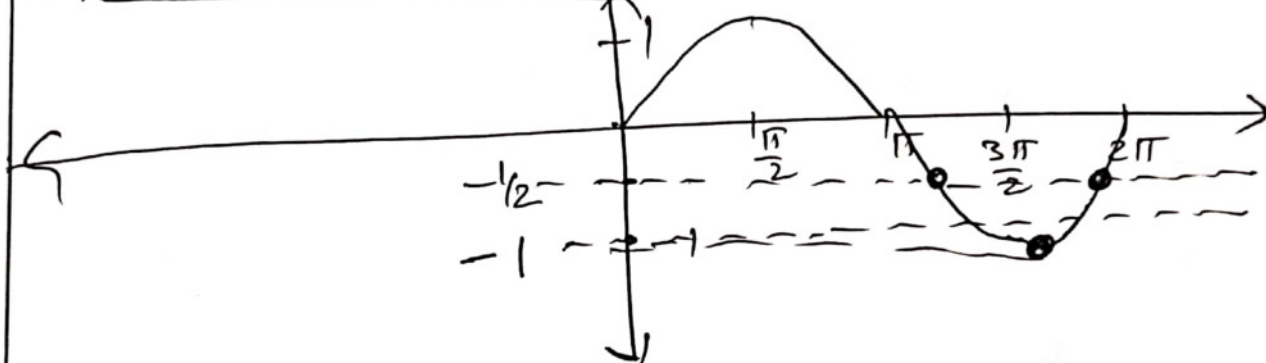
01. $2 \sin \theta + 3 \sin \theta + 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin \theta + 1)(2 \sin \theta + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = -1 \quad \text{or} \quad \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$



No. of solutions = 3

Ans: C

02. $\sin(x + 28^\circ) = \cos(3x - 78^\circ)$

$$\Rightarrow x + 28^\circ + 3x - 78^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 35^\circ$$

Also $x = 8^\circ \Rightarrow \sin 36^\circ = \cos 54^\circ$ (True)

Ans: B

03 $3 \tan(\theta - 15^\circ) = \tan(\theta + 15^\circ)$

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Let $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= 3 \tan(45^\circ - 15^\circ) \\ &= 3 \tan 30^\circ \\ &= 3 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \sqrt{3} \end{aligned} \quad \left| \quad \begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \tan(45^\circ + 15^\circ) \\ &= \tan 60^\circ \\ &= \sqrt{3} \end{aligned} \right.$$

Ans: B

04 $1 + \sin x + \sin^2 x + \dots \infty = 4 + 2\sqrt{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{1 - \sin x} &= 4 + 2\sqrt{3} \\ \Rightarrow \sin x &= \frac{3 + 2\sqrt{3}}{4 + 2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3} + 2)}{2(2 + \sqrt{3})} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

NOTE:
In G.P
 $S_\infty = \frac{a}{1 - r}$

$\therefore x = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}$

Ans: D

05 $(1 + \tan \alpha)(1 + \tan 4\alpha) = 2$
 $= 1 + \tan \alpha + \tan 4\alpha + \tan \alpha \cdot \tan 4\alpha = 2$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan 4\alpha}{1 - \tan \alpha \cdot \tan 4\alpha} = 1 \Rightarrow \tan(\alpha + 4\alpha) = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\Rightarrow 5\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{\pi}{20}$

Ans: A

$\Rightarrow$ THE END $\Leftarrow$