



Trigonometric Equations Ex 11.1 Q1(i)

We have,

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \quad \left[\because \sin \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

\Rightarrow the general solution is

$$\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}; n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \left[\because \text{if } \sin \theta = \sin \alpha \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \alpha \right]$$

Trigonometric Equations Ex 11.1 Q1(ii)

We have,

$$\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \frac{7\pi}{6} \quad \left[\because \cos \frac{7\pi}{6} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right]$$

\therefore the general solution is

$$\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{7\pi}{6}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Trigonometric Equations Ex 11.1 Q1(iii)

$$\operatorname{cosec} \theta = -\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = -\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \frac{5\pi}{4} \text{ or } \sin \theta = \sin \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$\because \sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta.$

$$\therefore \theta = n\pi + (-1)^{n+1} \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Trigonometric Equations Ex 11.1 Q1(iv)

We have,

$$\sec \theta = \sqrt{2}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

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