# TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS

#### 1. TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATION

An equation involving one or more trigonometric ratios of an unknown angle is called a trigonometric equation.

#### 2. SOLUTION OF TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATION

A solution of trigonometric equation is the value of the unknown angle that satisfies the equation.

e.g. if 
$$\sin\theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \implies \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{9\pi}{4}, \frac{11\pi}{4}, \dots$$

Thus, the trigonometric equation may have infinite number of solutions (because of their periodic nature of trigonometric ratios) and can be classified as:

(i) Principal solution

(ii) General solution.

#### 2 .1 **Principal Solutions**

The solutions of a trigonometric equation which lie in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$  are called **Principal** solutions.

e.g Find the Principal solutions of the equation  $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$ .

Solution:



$$\frac{5\pi}{6}$$

- $\therefore$  sinx =  $\frac{1}{2}$
- $\therefore$  there exists two values i. e.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  and  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$  which lie in  $[0, 2\pi)$  and whose sine is  $\frac{1}{2}$
- Principal solutions of the equation  $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$  are  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ ,  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$  **Ans.**

#### 2.2 **General Solution**

The expression involving an integer 'n' which gives all solutions of a trigonometric equation is called General solution.

General solution of some standard trigonometric equations are given below.

#### 3. GENERAL SOLUTION OF SOME STANDARD TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS

(i) If 
$$\sin \theta = \sin \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n \pi + (-1)^n \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n \pi + (-1)^n \alpha \qquad \text{where } \alpha \in \left[ -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right], n \in I.$$

(ii) If 
$$\cos \theta = \cos \alpha$$

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

where 
$$\alpha \in [0, \pi]$$
,  $n \in I$ .

(iii) If 
$$\tan \theta = \tan \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n \pi + \alpha$$

where 
$$\alpha \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$
,  $n \in I$ .

(iv) If 
$$\sin^2\theta = \sin^2\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n \pi \pm \alpha, n \in I.$$

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$$\sin^2\theta = \sin^2\alpha$$
  $\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \alpha, n \in I$ .  
If  $\cos^2\theta = \cos^2\alpha$   $\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \alpha, n \in I$ .  
If  $\tan^2\theta = \tan^2\alpha$   $\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \alpha, n \in I$ .  
Where  $\alpha \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right], n \in I$ .

(v) If 
$$\cos^2 \theta = \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\rightarrow A = n\pi + \alpha \quad n \in I$$

(vi) If 
$$tan^2\theta = tan^2\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = n \pi \pm \alpha, n \in I.$$

[ **Note:**  $\alpha$  is called the principal angle ]



## Some Important deductions:

(i) 
$$\sin\theta = 0 \implies \theta = n\pi$$
,

$$n \in I$$

(ii) 
$$\sin\theta = 1 \implies \theta = (4n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}$$
,

$$n \in \mathrm{I}$$

(iii) 
$$\sin\theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = (4n-1)\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$n \in I$$

(iv) 
$$\cos\theta = 0 \implies \theta = (2n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}$$
,

$$n\in I\,$$

(v) 
$$\cos\theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi$$
,

$$n \in I$$

(vi) 
$$\cos\theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = (2n + 1)\pi$$
,

$$n \in I$$

(vii) 
$$\tan \theta = 0 \implies \theta = n\pi$$
,

$$n \in I$$

# **IN CHAPTER EXCERCISE - 1**

## (Basic formula based questions)

1. Write the general solution of the trigonometric equation:

(A) 
$$\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

(B) 
$$\sec 2\theta = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

(C) 
$$\tan \theta = 2$$

(D) 
$$2\cot^2\theta = \cos ec^2\theta$$

(E) 
$$4 \tan^2 \theta = 3 \sec^2 \theta$$

2. What is the most general value of  $\theta$  satisfying both the equations:

(A) 
$$\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$
 and  $\tan \theta = 1$ 

(A) 
$$\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$
 and  $\tan \theta = 1$  (B)  $\cot \theta = -\sqrt{3}$  and  $\cos ec\theta = -2$ 

- If  $cos(A B) = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $sin(A + B) = \frac{1}{2}$ , find the smallest positive values of A and B and also their most 3. general values.
- If  $\tan(A-B)=1$  and  $\sec(A+B)=\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ , find the smallest positive values of A and B and also their 4. most general values.

# ANSWER KEY

- (A)  $\theta = n\pi + \left(-1\right)^n \left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  (B)  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{5\pi}{12}$  (C)  $\theta = n\pi + \tan^{-1} 2$ 1.
  - (D)  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$  (E)  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$



**2.** (A) 
$$\theta = 2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{4}$$
 (B)  $\theta = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$ 

3. 
$$105^{\circ} \& 45^{\circ}; \left(n + \frac{m}{2}\right)\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6} + (-1)^{m} \frac{\pi}{12} \& \left(\frac{m}{2} - n\right)\pi \mp \frac{\pi}{6} + (-1)^{m} \frac{\pi}{12}$$

**4.** 
$$187\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} \& 142\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}; \left(n+\frac{m}{2}\right)\pi + \frac{\pi}{8} \pm \frac{\pi}{12} \& \left(n-\frac{m}{2}\right)\pi - \frac{\pi}{8} \pm \frac{\pi}{12}$$

## 4. TYPES OF TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS

Type -1: Trigonometric equations which can be solved by factorization.

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

**Sol.** : 
$$(2\sin x - \cos x)(1 + \cos x) = \sin^2 x$$
  $\Rightarrow$   $(2\sin x - \cos x)(1 + \cos x) - \sin^2 x = 0$ 

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

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
 1 + cosx = 0 or 2sinx - 1 = 0

$$\Rightarrow$$
 cosx = -1 or sinx =  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \qquad x = (2n+1)\pi, \ n \in I \quad \text{or} \quad \sin x = \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \qquad \Rightarrow x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}, \ n \in I$$

: Solution of given equation is

$$(2n + 1)\pi$$
,  $n \in I$  or  $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ ,  $n \in I$  Ans.

**Type - 2**: Trigonometric equations which can be solved by reducing them in quadratic equations.

Ex. Solve  $2 \cos^2 x + 4 \cos x = 3 \sin^2 x$ 

**Sol.** : 
$$2\cos^2 x + 4\cos x - 3\sin^2 x = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
 5cos<sup>2</sup>x + 4cosx - 3 = 0

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \cos x - \left( \frac{-2 + \sqrt{19}}{5} \right) \right\} \left\{ \cos x - \left( \frac{-2 - \sqrt{19}}{5} \right) \right\} = 0 \qquad \dots (i)$$

$$\because \quad \cos x \in [-1, 1] \qquad \forall \ x \in \mathbb{R} \qquad \therefore \quad \cos x \neq \frac{-2 - \sqrt{19}}{5}$$

$$\therefore \qquad \text{equation (i) will be true if} \quad \cos x = \frac{-2 + \sqrt{19}}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 cosx = cos $\alpha$ , where cos $\alpha$  =  $\frac{-2 + \sqrt{19}}{5}$ 



$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 2n $\pi$  ±  $\alpha$  where  $\alpha$  = cos<sup>-1</sup>  $\left(\frac{-2+\sqrt{19}}{5}\right)$ , n  $\in$  I Ans.

**Type - 3:** Trigonometric equations which can be solved by transforming a sum or difference of trigonometric ratios into their product.

Ex. Solve 
$$\cos 3x + \sin 2x - \sin 4x = 0$$

Sol. 
$$\cos 3x + \sin 2x - \sin 4x = 0$$
 or  $\cos 3x + 2\cos 3x.\sin(-x) = 0$   
⇒  $\cos 3x - 2\cos 3x.\sin x = 0$  or  $\cos 3x (1 - 2\sin x) = 0$   
⇒  $\cos 3x = 0$  or  $1 - 2\sin x = 0$   
⇒  $3x = (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I$  or  $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$   
⇒  $x = (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$  or  $x = n\pi + (-1)^n\frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$   
∴ solution of given equation is

 $(2n + 1) \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I \quad \text{or} \quad n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I \text{ Ans.}$ 

**Type - 4 :** Trigonometric equations which can be solved by transforming a product of trigonometric ratios into their sum or difference.

### Ex. Solve $\sin 5x.\cos 3x = \sin 6x.\cos 2x$

**Sol.** 
$$\because$$
  $\sin 5x.\cos 3x = \sin 6x.\cos 2x$   $\Rightarrow$   $2\sin 5x.\cos 3x = 2\sin 6x.\cos 2x$   $\Rightarrow$   $\sin 8x + \sin 2x = \sin 8x + \sin 4x$   $\Rightarrow$   $\sin 4x - \sin 2x = 0$   $\Rightarrow$   $\sin 2x \cos 2x - \sin 2x = 0$   $\Rightarrow$   $\sin 2x (2\cos 2x - 1) = 0$   $\Rightarrow$   $\sin 2x = 0$  or  $2\cos 2x - 1 = 0$   $\Rightarrow$   $2x = n\pi, n \in I$  or  $\cos 2x = \frac{1}{2}$   $\Rightarrow$   $x = \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I$  or  $2x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in I$   $\Rightarrow x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$   $\therefore$  Solution of given equation is  $\frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I$  or  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$  Ans.

**Type - 5 :** Trigonometric Equations of the form a sinx + b cosx = c, where a, b, c  $\in$  R, can be solved by dividing both sides of the equation by  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ .

# Ex.1 Solve sinx + cosx = $\sqrt{2}$

**Sol.** : 
$$\sin x + \cos x = \sqrt{2}$$
 .....(i)  
Here,  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 1$ .

 $\therefore$  divide both sides of equation (i) by  $\sqrt{2}$ , we get

$$\sin x \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \cos x \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1$$
  $\Rightarrow$   $\sin x \cdot \sin \frac{\pi}{4} + \cos x \cdot \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = 1$ 

$$\Rightarrow \qquad \cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1 \qquad \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad x - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi, \, n \in I$$



$$\Rightarrow x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I \qquad \therefore \qquad \text{Solution of given equation is}$$
 
$$2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

**Note**: If  $x = (2n+1)\pi$ ,  $n \in I$  is not a solution of  $a \sin x + b \cos x = c$ , then this trigonometric equation can also be solved by changing sinx and cosx into their corresponding  $\tan \frac{x}{2}$  formulae.

Ex.2 Solve  $3\cos x + 4\sin x = 5$ 

**Sol.** : 
$$3\cos x + 4\sin x = 5$$
 ......(i)

$$\therefore \quad \cos x = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}} \quad \& \quad \sin x = \frac{2 \tan \frac{x}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}}$$

equation (i) becomes

$$\Rightarrow 3\left(\frac{1-\tan^2\frac{x}{2}}{1+\tan^2\frac{x}{2}}\right)+4\left(\frac{2\tan\frac{x}{2}}{1+\tan^2\frac{x}{2}}\right)=5 \qquad .....(ii)$$

Let 
$$\tan \frac{x}{2} = t$$
 equation (ii) becomes,  $3\left(\frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}\right) + 4\left(\frac{2t}{1+t^2}\right) = 5$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 4t<sup>2</sup> - 4t + 1 = 0  $\Rightarrow$  (2t - 1)<sup>2</sup> = 0

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{2} \qquad : \qquad t = \tan \frac{x}{2}$$

⇒ 
$$t = \frac{1}{2}$$
 ∴  $t = \tan \frac{x}{2}$   
⇒  $\tan \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$  ⇒  $\tan \frac{x}{2} = \tan \alpha$ , where  $\tan \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} = n\pi + \alpha \Rightarrow x = 2n\pi + 2\alpha \text{ where } \alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right), n \in I \text{ Ans.}$$

Type - 6: Trigonometric equations of the form  $P(\sin x \pm \cos x, \sin x \cos x) = 0$ , where p(y, z) is a polynomial, can be solved by using the substitution  $sinx \pm cosx = t$ .

Ex. Solve sinx + cosx = 1 + sinx.cosx

**Sol.** : 
$$\sin x + \cos x = 1 + \sin x \cdot \cos x$$
 .....(i)

Let sinx + cosx = t

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + 2 \sin x \cdot \cos x = t^2$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
 sinx. cosx =  $\frac{t^2-1}{2}$ 

Now put sinx + cosx = t and  $sinx.cosx = \frac{t^2 - 1}{2}$  in (i), we get  $t = 1 + \frac{t^2 - 1}{2}$ 



$$\Rightarrow t^2 - 2t + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 t = 1

$$\therefore$$
 t = sinx + cosx

$$\Rightarrow$$
 sinx + cosx = 1

divide both sides of equation (ii) by  $\sqrt{2}$ , we get

$$\Rightarrow \quad \sin x. \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \cos x. \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \cos \left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad x - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

- (i) if we take positive sign, we get  $x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $n \in I$  Ans.
- (ii) if we take negative sign, we get  $x = 2n\pi$ ,  $n \in I$  Ans.

**Type - 7**: Trigonometric equations which can be solved by the use of boundness of the trigonometric ratios sinx and cosx.

Ex. Solve 
$$\sin x \left(\cos \frac{x}{4} - 2\sin x\right) + \left(1 + \sin \frac{x}{4} - 2\cos x\right)\cos x = 0$$

**Sol.** : 
$$\sin x \left(\cos \frac{x}{4} - 2\sin x\right) + \left(1 + \sin \frac{x}{4} - 2\cos x\right)\cos x = 0$$
 .....(i)

$$\Rightarrow \qquad \sin x.\cos \frac{x}{4} - 2\sin^2 x + \cos x + \sin \frac{x}{4}.\cos x - 2\cos^2 x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\sin x \cdot \cos \frac{x}{4} + \sin \frac{x}{4} \cdot \cos x\right) - 2\left(\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x\right) + \cos x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \frac{5x}{4} + \cos x = 2 \qquad ......(ii)$$

Now equation (ii) will be true if

$$\sin\frac{5x}{4} = 1 \& \cos x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{4} = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I \& x = 2m\pi, m \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{(8n+2)\pi}{5}, n \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 x = 2m $\pi$ , m  $\in$  I

Now to find general solution of equation (i)

$$\frac{(8n+2)\pi}{5} = 2m\pi \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad 8n+2 = 10m \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad n = \frac{5m-1}{4}$$

if 
$$m = 1$$

if 
$$m = 5$$

$$n = 6$$

.....

if m = 4p - 3,  $p \in I$  then

$$n = 5p - 4, p \in I$$

- $\therefore$  general solution of given equation can be obtained by substituting either m= 4p 3 in equation (iv) or n = 5p 4 in equation (iii)
- ∴ general solution of equation (i) is  $(8p 6)\pi$ ,  $p \in I$  Ans.

## **IN CHAPTER EXCERCISE - 2**

## Solve the equations

1. 
$$\cos\theta + \cos^2\theta = 1$$

3. 
$$(2\sin x - \cos x)(1 + \cos x) = \sin^2 x$$

5. 
$$16^{\sin^2 x} + 16^{\cos^2 x} = 10.0 \le x < 2\pi$$

7. 
$$\sin 7\theta = \sin 3\theta + \sin \theta$$

9. 
$$\sin 3\theta = \sin 2\theta$$

11. 
$$\cos x \cos 2x \cos 3x = \frac{1}{4}$$

2. 
$$2\sin^2 x + \sqrt{3}\cos x + 1 = 0$$

4. 
$$\cos^3 x + \cos^2 x - 4\cos^2 \frac{x}{2} = 0$$

6. 
$$5\sin x + 6\sin 2x + 5\sin 3x + \sin 4x = 0$$

8. 
$$\sin 5x \cos 3x = \sin 6x \cos 2x$$

10. 
$$\cot \theta = \tan 8\theta$$

## 12. Solve the equations

(i) 
$$\sin x + \cos x = \sqrt{2}$$

(iii) 
$$\cos^{50} x - \sin^{50} x = 1$$

(v) 
$$1 + \sin x \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} = 0$$

(vii) 
$$e^{\cos x} = e^{-\cos x} + 4$$

(ii) 
$$\sqrt{3}\cos x - 3\sin x = 4\sin 2x\cos 3x$$

(iv) 
$$\cos 4\theta + \sin 5\theta = 2$$

(vi) 
$$\sin^2 x + \cos^2 y = 2 \sec^2 z \text{ for } x, y, z \in R$$

(viii) 
$$2\cos^2\frac{x^2+x}{6}=2^x+2^{-x}$$

- 13. Find the condition on 'c' for  $a \sin x + b \cos x = c$  to have a solution. Is the condition satisfied for  $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x = 1$  and hence solve the equation.
- 14. Find the number of integral values of 'n' so that  $\sin x(\sin x + \cos x) = n$  has at least one real solution.
- 15. Solve for x & y, if  $12 \sin x + 5 \cos x = 2y^2 8y + 21$

# **ANSWER KEY**

1. 
$$\theta = 2n\pi \pm \cos^{-1}(\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2})$$

3. 
$$x = (2n+1)\pi, n \in I \text{ or } n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$$

5. 
$$\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$$

7. 
$$\frac{n\pi}{3}$$
 or  $\frac{n\pi}{2} \pm \frac{\pi}{12}$ 

$$2n\pi \pm \frac{5\pi}{6}, n \in I$$

4. 
$$x = (2n+1)\pi, n \in I$$

6. 
$$\frac{n\pi}{2}$$
 or  $2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ 

8. 
$$\frac{n\pi}{2}$$
 or  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ 



9. 
$$2n\pi \text{ or } \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{5}$$

$$10. \qquad \left(n+\frac{1}{2}\right)\frac{\pi}{9}$$

11. 
$$x = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{8} \text{ or } x = m\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$

12. (i) 
$$2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$$
,

(ii) 
$$x = \frac{n\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{18} \text{ or } \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{6}$$

(iii) 
$$x = n\pi$$

(iv) 
$$\theta = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

(vi) 
$$x = (2m+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, y = n\pi, z = k\pi$$

(viii) 
$$\mathbf{x} = 0$$

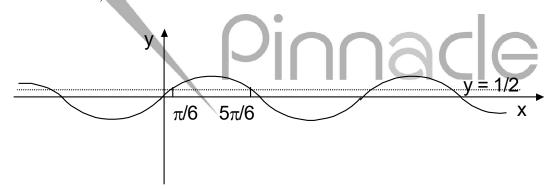
13. 
$$|c| \le \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$
, YES,  $x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$ 

15. 
$$x = 2n\pi + \cos^{-1}(\frac{5}{13}) & y = 2$$

## 5. TRIGONOMETRIC INEQUATIONS

Find the solution set of the inequation  $\sin x > 1/2$ . Solution:

When  $\sin x = 1/2$ , the two values of x between 0 and  $2\pi$  are  $\pi/6$  and  $5\pi/6$ .



From, the graph of  $y = \sin x$ , it is obvious that, between 0 and  $2\pi$ 

$$\sin x > 1/2 \text{ for } \frac{\pi}{6} < x < \frac{5\pi}{6}.$$

Hence  $\sin x > 1/2$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $2n\pi + \pi/6 < x < 2n\pi + 5\pi/6$ ;

The required solution set =  $\bigcup_{n \in I} \left( 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}, 2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{6} \right)$ 



## **IN CHAPTER EXCERCISE - 3**

### (Inequalities & graph based questions)

- 1. **Solve the following Inequalities:** 
  - $\sin x > \frac{-1}{2}$ (i)

- (ii)  $\tan x \le -\sqrt{3}$
- (iii)  $2\cos^2 x + \sin x \le 2$ , where  $\frac{\pi}{2} \le x \le \frac{3\pi}{2}$
- (iv)  $\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x > \frac{1}{2}$
- Find the number of solutions of the equation:  $\sin x = x^2 + x + 2$ 2.
- Find the number of solutions of equation  $\sin x = \frac{x}{100}$ 3.
- Prove that the least positive value of x, satisfying  $\tan x = x + 1$ , lies in the interval  $\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ 4.
- Number of solutions of the equation:  $\max\{\sin x,\cos x\} = \frac{1}{2}$  in  $x \in (-2\pi, 5\pi)$ , is equal to **5.**

# **ANSWER KEY**

- (i).  $2n\pi \frac{\pi}{6} < x < (2n+1)\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$  (ii)  $\frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2} < x \le n\pi \frac{\pi}{3}$ 1.

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

(iv)  $x = R - \left\{ \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$ 

- 2. No Solution
- 7 solutions
- 4. 1 solution 5. 7 solutions

#### SOME IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER 6.

- While solving a trigonometric equation, squaring the equation at any step should be avoided as far as possible. If squaring is necessary, check the solution for extraneous values.
- Never cancel terms containing unknown terms on the two sides, which are in product. It may cause loss of genuine solution.
- The answer should not contain such values of angles, which make any of the terms undefined.
- Domain should not be changed. If it is changed, necessary corrections must be incorporated.
- Check that the denominator is not zero at any stage while solving equations.
- Some times you may find that your answers differ from those in the package in their notations. This may be due to the different methods of solving the same problem. Whenever you come across such situation, you must check their authenticity. This will ensure that your answer is correct.



- While solving trigonometric equations you may get same set of solution repeated in your answer. It is necessary for you to exclude these repetitions, e.g.  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $(n \in I)$ forms a part of  $\frac{k\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{10}$ ,  $k \in I$  the second part of the second set of solution (you can check by putting k = 5 m + 2 (m  $\in$  I)). Hence the final answer is  $\frac{k\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{10}$ ,  $k \in$  I.
- Some times the two solution set consist partly of common values. In all such cases the common part must be presented only once.

### **Solved Problems (Subjective)**

- Solve:  $\sin x + \cos x 2\sqrt{2} \sin x \cos x = 0$ 1.
- Here  $\sin x + \cos x = 2\sqrt{2} \sin x \cos x = \sqrt{2} \sin 2x \dots (1)$ Sol.

or 
$$\sqrt{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos x \right) = \sqrt{2} \sin 2x$$
 or  $\sin \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \sin 2x$  or,  $2x = n\pi + (-1)^n \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$ 

Taking n even,  $n = 2m, m \in I, 2x = 2m \pi + x + \frac{\pi}{4}$ 

$$\therefore x = 2m\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ where } m \in I$$

Taking n odd, n = 2m + 1,  $m \in I$ ;  $2x = (2m + 1)\pi - \left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ 

$$\therefore 3x = (2m+1)\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ or } x = \frac{2m+1}{3}\pi - \frac{\pi}{12}$$

 $\therefore 3x = (2m+1)\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ or } x = \frac{2m+1}{3}\pi - \frac{\pi}{12}$ Thus,  $x = \left(2m + \frac{1}{4}\right)\pi \text{ or } \frac{1}{3}\left(2m + \frac{3}{4}\right)\pi, \text{ where } m \in I.$ 

2. Solve the equation 
$$\cos^2 \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \sin x + \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x \right) \right] - \tan^2 \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \tan^2 x \right) = 1$$

Sol. Given 
$$\cos^2 \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \sin x + \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x \right) \right] - \tan^2 \left( x + \frac{\pi}{4} \tan^2 x \right) = 1$$

or, It is possible only when

$$\sin^2\left[\frac{\pi}{4}\left(\sin x + \sqrt{2}\cos^2 x\right)\right] = 0 \qquad \dots (1)$$

and 
$$\tan^2\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\tan^2 x\right) = 0$$
 ... (2)

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from equation (1)

$$\sin^2 \left\{ \frac{\pi}{4} (\sin x + \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x) \right\} = 0$$
  $\therefore \frac{\pi}{4} (\sin x + \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x) = n\pi, n \in I$ 

or, 
$$\sin x + \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x = 4n$$

The equation has no solution for  $n \neq 0$  we consider n = 0*:*.

$$\therefore \quad \sin x + \sqrt{2} \cos^2 x = 0 \quad \text{i.e., } \sqrt{2} \sin^2 x - \sin x - \sqrt{2} = 0$$

or, 
$$(\sin x - \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{2}\sin x + 1) = 0$$

or, 
$$(\sin x - \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{2}\sin x + 1) = 0$$
;  $\sin x \neq \sqrt{2}$  :  $\sin x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = k\pi + (-1)^k (-\pi/4)$ .  $k \in I$ 

The values of x that satisfy the equation (2) is  $2k\pi - \pi/4$ .

Therefore the general solution of given equation is  $x = 2k\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $k \in I$ .

- 3. Find the general solution of the equation  $\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = \sin x \cos x$
- The given equation can be re—written as Sol.

$$4\sin^4x + 4\cos^4x = 4\sin x \cos x$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
 1 + cos<sup>2</sup>2x = sin 2x

or, 
$$1 + 1 - \sin^2 2x = \sin 2x$$

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

This relation is possible if and only if  $\sin 2x = 1$  or,  $2x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{(4n+1)\pi}{4} (n \in I)$$

$$\tan\theta + \tan(\theta + (\pi/3)) + \tan(\theta + (2\pi/3)) = 3$$

- $\tan\theta + \tan(\theta + (\pi/3)) + \tan(\theta + (2\pi/3)) = 3$ 4.
- Sol. From the given equation,

$$\tan\theta + \frac{\tan\theta + \tan(\pi/3)}{1 - \tan\theta \tan(\pi/3)} + \frac{\tan\theta + \tan(2\pi/3)}{1 - \tan\theta \tan(2\pi/3)} = 3$$

or, 
$$\tan \theta + \frac{\tan \theta + \sqrt{3}}{1 - \sqrt{3} \tan \theta} + \frac{\tan \theta - \sqrt{3}}{1 + \sqrt{3} \tan \theta} = 3$$

or, 
$$\frac{\tan \theta (1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta) + (\tan \theta + \sqrt{3}) \cdot (1 + \sqrt{3} \tan \theta) + (\tan \theta - \sqrt{3}) (1 - \sqrt{3} \tan \theta)}{(1 - \sqrt{3} \tan \theta) (1 + \sqrt{3} \tan \theta)} = 3$$

or, 
$$3\frac{3\tan\theta - \tan^3\theta}{1 - 3\tan^2\theta} = 3$$
 or,  $\tan 3\theta = 1 = \tan(\pi/4)$ 

or, 
$$3\theta = n\pi + (\pi/4)$$

or, 
$$\theta = (4n + 1) (\pi/12)$$
, where  $n \in I$ .



5. Solve x and y: 
$$4^{\sin x} + 3^{\frac{1}{\cos y}} = 11, 5.16^{\sin x} - 2.3^{\frac{1}{\cos y}} = 2$$

**Sol.** Let, 
$$4^{\sin x} = \lambda$$
,  $3^{\frac{1}{\cos y}} = \mu$ 

Then the equation becomes

$$\lambda + \mu = 11 \qquad \dots (1)$$

$$5\lambda^2 - 2\mu = 2 \qquad \dots (2)$$

On solving we get  $\lambda = 2, -\frac{12}{5}$ 

If 
$$\lambda = 2$$
,  $4^{\sin x} = 2$ ;  $\therefore 2^{2\sin x} = 2$ ;

$$\therefore \quad 2\sin x = 1; \quad \therefore \sin x = \frac{1}{2}$$

If 
$$\lambda = \frac{-12}{5}$$
, then  $4^{\sin x} = -\frac{12}{5}$  which is impossible as  $4^{\sin x} > 0$ 

When 
$$\lambda = 2$$
, we get  $\mu = 11 - 2 = 9$   $\Rightarrow 3^{\frac{1}{\cos y}} = 9 = 3^2$ 

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\cos y} = 2; \cos y = \frac{1}{2}$$

Thus we have  $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\cos y = \frac{1}{2}$ 

$$\therefore x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ and } y = 2m\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, \text{ where } m, n \in I$$

- 6. Find all values of ' $\alpha$ ' for which the equation  $\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x + \sin 2x + \alpha = 0$  has at least one solution. Also find the general solution of the equation for that  $\alpha$ .
- **Sol.** Here  $(\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x)^2 2\sin^2 x \cdot \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x + \alpha = 0$

or, 
$$1 - \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 2x + \sin 2x + \alpha = 0$$
 or,  $\sin^2 2x - 2\sin 2x - 2(1 + \alpha) = 0$ 

$$\sin 2x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 8(1 + \alpha)}}{2} = 1 \pm \sqrt{2\alpha + 3} \qquad \dots (1)$$

But sin 2x is real; so  $2\alpha + 3 \ge 0$ , i.e.,  $\alpha \ge \frac{-3}{2}$ 

Also, 
$$-1 \le \sin 2x \le 1$$
 ;  $-1 \le 1 \pm \sqrt{2\alpha + 3} \le 1$ 

As 
$$1 + \sqrt{2\alpha + 3} \ge 1$$
 ; So  $1 + \sqrt{2\alpha + 3} = 1 \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{-3}{2}$ 

Also 
$$-1 \le 1 - \sqrt{2\alpha + 3} \le 1$$
  $\Rightarrow 0 \le \sqrt{2\alpha + 3} \le 2$ 

$$\Rightarrow \quad \alpha \in \left[ \frac{-3}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right] \qquad \qquad \therefore \quad \text{from (1), } \sin 2x = 1 - \sqrt{2\alpha + 3}$$



where, 
$$\alpha \in \left[ \frac{-3}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

$$\therefore 2x = n\pi + (-1)^n\theta, n \in I \text{ and } \sin \theta = 1 - \sqrt{2\alpha + 3}$$

$$\therefore \qquad x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \sin^{-1}\left(1 - \sqrt{2\alpha + 3}\right) \text{ where } n \in I \text{ and } \alpha \in \left[-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

- 7. For  $x \in (-\pi, \pi)$ , solve the equation  $(\sqrt{3}\sin x + \cos x)^{\sqrt{(\sqrt{3}\sin 2x \cos 2x + 2)}} = 4$
- **Sol.** The given equation is

or, 
$$(\sqrt{3}\sin x + \cos x)^{\sqrt{(\sqrt{3}\sin 2x - \cos 2x + 2)}} = 4$$

or, 
$$\left[2\sin\left(x+\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right]^{\sqrt{(3\sin^2x+\cos^2x+2\sqrt{3}\sin x \times \cos x)}} = 4 \quad \text{or, } \left[2\sin\left(x+\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right]^{\left|2\sin\left(x+\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right|} = 4$$

Hence, 
$$2\sin\left(x+\frac{\pi}{6}\right)=\pm 2$$
 or,  $\sin\left(x+\frac{\pi}{6}\right)=\pm 1$  or,  $x+\frac{\pi}{6}=2n\pi\pm\frac{\pi}{2}$ 

or, 
$$x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{6}$$
, As  $x \in (-\pi, \pi)$ ,

$$\therefore$$
  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $x = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$  are the solutions of the given equation

8. Find the solution set of the system of equations,  $x + y = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $\cos x + \cos y = \frac{3}{2}$ , where x and y are real.

**Sol.** 
$$x + y = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$
,  $\cos x + \cos y = \frac{3}{2}$   $\Rightarrow 2\cos\left(\frac{x + y}{2}\right)$ .  $\cos\left(\frac{x - y}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2}$ 

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos\frac{\pi}{3} \cdot \cos\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$[x+y=\frac{2\pi}{3}]$$

$$\therefore \cos\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2} \text{ which is not possible }.$$

- 9. Find the values of x,  $0 \le x \le 2\pi$ , such that  $\sin x + \sin 2x + \sin 3x = \cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 2x$ .
- **Sol.** The given equation can be written as  $(\sin x + \sin 3x) + \sin 2x = (\cos x + \cos 3x) + \cos 2x$

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

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

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

That is, either  $\sin 2x - \cos 2x = 0$  or  $2 \cos x + 1 = 0$ .

In former case  $\tan 2x = 1 \implies 2x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \ (n \in I)$ 

$$\Rightarrow \qquad x = \frac{(4n+1)\pi}{8} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad x = \frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{5\pi}{8}, \frac{9\pi}{8}, \frac{13\pi}{8}$$



If 2 cos x + 1 = 0, then cos x = 
$$-\frac{1}{2}$$
, that is x =  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$  or  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$ 

- 10. If  $32 \tan^8 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \alpha - 3 \cos \alpha$  and  $3 \cos 2\theta = 1$ , then find the general value of  $\alpha$ .
- Given  $3\cos 2\theta = 1$  or  $\cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ Sol.

Now, 
$$\tan^2 \theta = \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{1 + \cos 2\theta} = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{3}}{1 + \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{2}$$
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Now  $32 \tan^8 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \alpha - 3 \cos \alpha$ 

or 
$$2\cos^2\alpha - 3\cos\alpha = 32\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 = 2$$

or, 
$$2\cos^2\alpha - 3\cos\alpha - 2 = 0$$

or 
$$2\cos^2 \alpha - 4\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha - 2 = 0$$
 or,  $(\cos \alpha - 2)(2\cos \alpha + 1) = 0$ 

or 
$$2\cos\alpha + 1 = 0$$
 [:  $\cos\alpha \neq 2$ ] or,  $\cos\alpha = -\frac{1}{2} = \cos\frac{2\pi}{3}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\alpha = 2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ , where  $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$ 

- For what value of k the equation  $\sin x + \cos(k + x) + \cos(k x) = 2$  has real solutions? 11.
- Given equation is  $\sin x + \cos(k + x) + \cos(k x) = 2$ Sol. or  $\sin x + 2 \cos k \cdot \cos x = 2$  or  $2\cos k \cdot \cos x + \sin x = 2$ This equation is of the form  $a \cos x + b \sin x = c$

Here  $a = 2 \cos k$ , b = 1 and c = 2

Since for real solutions,  $|c| \le \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ 

$$|2| \le \sqrt{1 + 4\cos^2 k} \quad \text{or} \quad 2 \le \sqrt{1 + 4\cos^2 k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 k \ge \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\cos^2 k \ge \frac{3}{4}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 k \le \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 k - \frac{1}{4} \le 0$$

or 
$$\left(\sin k + \frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\sin k - \frac{1}{2}\right) \le 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \le \sin k \le \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\implies \qquad n\pi - \frac{\pi}{6} \le k \le n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$$



## **Solved Problems (Objective)**

1. If  $x^2 - 4x + 5 - \sin y = 0$ ,  $y \in [0, 2\pi)$ , then

(a) 
$$x = 1$$
,  $y = 0$ 

(b) 
$$x = 1$$
,  $y = \pi/2$ 

(c) 
$$x = 2$$
,  $y = 0$ 

(a) 
$$x = 1, y = 0$$
 (b)  $x = 1, y = \pi/2$  (c)  $x = 2, y = 0$  (d)  $x = 2, y = \pi/2$ 

**Sol.** 
$$(x-2)^2 + 1 = \sin y \implies x = 2, \sin y = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 2, y = \pi/2$ 

The set of all x in  $(-\pi, \pi)$  satisfying  $|4\sin x - 1| < \sqrt{5}$  is given by 2.

(a) 
$$\left(-\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$$
 (b)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$ 

(b) 
$$\left(\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$$

(c) 
$$\left(\frac{\pi}{10}, -\frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$$
 (d) none of these

**Sol.** We have 
$$|4\sin x - 1| < \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\sqrt{5} < 4\sin x - 1 < \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\left(\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}\right) < \sin x < \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow -\sin\frac{\pi}{10} < \sin x < \cos\frac{\pi}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{10}\right) < \sin x < \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{5}\right)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$$

The values of x between 0 and  $2\pi$ , which satisfy the equation  $\sin x \sqrt{8 \cos^2 x} = 1$  are in increasing A.P. 3. with common difference

$$(a)\pi/4$$

$$(b)\pi/8$$

(c)
$$3\pi/8$$

(d)  $5\pi/8$ 

**Sol.** We have 
$$\sin x \sqrt{8\cos^2 x} = 1$$

 $\sin x |\cos x| = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ 

Case – I when  $\cos x > 0$ 

In this case sinx  $\cos x = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \qquad x = \frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{9\pi}{8}, \frac{13\pi}{8} \quad ; \text{As x lies between 0 and } 2\pi \text{ and } \cos x > 0, x = \frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

Case-II When  $\cos x < 0$ . In this case  $\sin x |\cos x| = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\sin x \cos x = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$  or  $\sin 2x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ 

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

$$\Rightarrow \qquad x = \frac{5\pi}{8}, \frac{7\pi}{8}, \frac{13\pi}{8}, \frac{15\pi}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = \frac{5\pi}{8}, \frac{7\pi}{8} \text{ as } \cos x < 0$ 



Thus the values of x satisfying the given equation which lie between 0 and  $2\pi$  are  $\frac{\pi}{8}$ ,  $\frac{3\pi}{8}$ ,  $\frac{5\pi}{8}$ ,  $\frac{7\pi}{8}$ 

These are in A.P. with common difference  $\pi/4$ .

- 4. The number of points inside or on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  satisfying  $\tan^4 x + \cot^4 x + 1 = 3 \sin^2 y$  is
  - (a) one
- (b) two
- (c) four
- (d) infinite
- **Sol.**  $\tan^4 x + \cot^4 x + 1 = (\tan^2 x \cot^2 x)^2 + 3 \ge 3$ ;  $3\sin^2 y \le 3 \Rightarrow \tan^2 x = \cot^2 x$ ,  $\sin^2 y = 1$ 
  - $\Rightarrow$  tanx =  $\pm 1$ , siny =  $\pm 1$

 $\Rightarrow$ 

$$x = \pm \pi/4, \pm 3\pi/4, \dots$$

But  $x^2 \le 4$ 

 $\Rightarrow$   $-2 \le x \le 2$ 

- $\Rightarrow$   $x = \pm \pi/4$  only.  $\sin y = \pm 1$
- $\Rightarrow$   $y = \pm \pi/2, \pm 3\pi/2, \ldots$

But  $y^2 \le 4$ 

- $\Rightarrow$  y =  $\pm \pi/2$  only. So four solutions are possible.
- 5. The equation  $3\sin^2 x + 10\cos x 6 = 0$  is satisfied if  $(n \in I)$ 
  - (a)  $x = n\pi + \cos^{-1}(1/3)$

(b)  $x = n\pi - \cos^{-1}(1/3)$ 

(c)  $x = 2n\pi \pm \cos^{-1}(1/3)$ 

- (d)  $x = \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos^{-1}(1/3)$
- **Sol.** The given equation is equivalent to  $3(1-\cos^2 x) + 10\cos x 6 = 0$ 
  - $\Rightarrow 3\cos^2 x 10\cos x + 3 = 0$
- $\Rightarrow (3\cos x 1)(\cos x 3) = 0$

Therefore  $\cos x = 1/3$  (because  $\cos x \neq 3$ ). Hence  $x = 2n\pi \pm \cos^{-1}(1/3)$ ,  $n \in I$ 

- 6. The equation  $2\sin{\frac{x}{2}}\cos^2{x} 2\sin{\frac{x}{2}}\sin^2{x} = \cos^2{x} \sin^2{x}$  has a root for which
  - (a)  $\sin 2x = 1$
- (b)  $\sin 2x = -1$
- (c)  $\cos x = 1/2$
- (d)  $\cos 2x = -1/2$
- **Sol.** The given equation can be written as  $2\sin{\frac{x}{2}}(\cos^2 x \sin^2 x) = \cos^2 x \sin^2 x$

or 
$$2\sin\frac{x}{2}\cos 2x = \cos 2x \implies \left(2\sin\frac{x}{2} - 1\right)\cos 2x = 0$$

Hence  $\cos 2x = 0$  or  $\sin (x/2) = 1/2$ . That is,  $2x = n\pi + \pi/2$  or  $x/2 = k\pi + (-1)^k \pi/6$  (n,  $k \in I$ ).

In other words,  $x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$  or  $x = 2k \pi + (-1)^k \frac{\pi}{3}$ 

If  $x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$ , then  $\sin 2x = \pm 1$ , and if  $x = 2k\pi + (-1)^k \frac{\pi}{3}$ ,

 $\cos x = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\cos 2x = \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{2}$ .

- 7. Number of solutions of the equation  $\tan x + \sec x = 2 \cos x$  lying in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  is
  - (a) 0
- (b) 1

- (c) 2
- (d) 3
- **Sol.** The given equation can be written as  $\frac{1+\sin x}{\cos x} = 2\cos x$



$$\Rightarrow$$
 1 + sin x = 2 cos<sup>2</sup> x = 2 (1 - sin<sup>2</sup>x)

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $(1 + \sin x) (2 \sin x - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin x = -1 \text{ or } 1/2$ 

Now,  $\sin x = -1$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = \frac{3\pi}{2}$  for which the given equation is not meaningful and  $x = \frac{1}{2}$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$  or  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ 

The required number of solutions are 2.

The number of solutions of x for the equation  $2^{\cos\alpha} = |\sin x|$ , where  $\alpha \in \left| -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right|$  and 8.

$$x \in [-2\pi, 2\pi]$$
 is

- (a) zero
- (b) 2
- (c)4

(d) more than four

Sol. We have  $2^{\cos\alpha} = |\sin x|$ ;

It is true only for  $|\sin x| = 1$ 

$$\therefore \sin x = \pm 1$$

So, 
$$x = 2n\pi \pm \pi/2$$
  $\therefore$   $x \in [-2\pi, 2\pi]$ 

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

Then the no. of solutions = 4.

For what and only what values of  $\alpha$  lying between 0 and  $\pi$  is the inequality, 9.  $\sin \alpha \cos^3 \alpha > \sin^3 \alpha \cos \alpha$  valid?

(a) 
$$\alpha \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

(b) 
$$\alpha \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

(c) 
$$\alpha \in \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

(a)  $\alpha \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  (b)  $\alpha \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  (c)  $\alpha \in \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  (d) none of these

Sol. We have  $\sin \alpha \cos^3 \alpha > \sin^3 \alpha \cos \alpha$ 

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\sin \alpha \cos \alpha (\cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha) > 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow \sin \alpha \cos \alpha (\cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \alpha \cos \alpha (1 - \tan^2 \alpha) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \alpha (1 - \tan^2 \alpha) > 0$$
(:  $\sin \alpha > 0$  for  $0 < \alpha < \pi$ )

$$\Rightarrow$$
 cos  $\alpha$  (1 – tan<sup>2</sup> $\alpha$ ) > 0

$$\Rightarrow$$
 cos  $\alpha$  > 0 and 1 – tan<sup>2</sup>  $\alpha$  > 0

$$\Rightarrow \cos \alpha > 0 \text{ and } 1 - \tan^2 \alpha > 0$$
  
 
$$\Rightarrow \cos \alpha < 0 \text{ and } 1 - \tan^2 \alpha < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \alpha \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \text{ or } \alpha \in \left(\frac{3\pi}{4}, \pi\right)$$

 $\tan |x| = |\tan x|$  if: 10.

(a) 
$$x \in \left[-\frac{\pi(2k+1)}{2}, -\pi k\right]$$

(b) 
$$x \in \left[\pi k, \frac{\pi (2k+1)}{2}\right]$$

(c) 
$$x \in \left(-\pi k, -\frac{\pi (2k-1)}{2}\right)$$

(d) 
$$x \in \left(\frac{\pi(2k-1)}{2}, \pi k\right), k \in N$$

R.H.S.  $\geq 0$  for all x, the given condition is true for those values of |x| which lie in the I or III Sol. quadrant and the values of x given by (a) and (b) satisfy these conditions.



- The number of solutions of the equation,  $|\cot x| = \cot x + \frac{1}{\sin x} (0 \le x \le 2\pi)$  is: 11.
  - (a) 0
- (b) 1
- (c) 2
- (d) 3

Sol. If  $\cot x \ge 0$ 

then 
$$\frac{1}{\sin x} = 0$$
 (impossible)

Now if  $\cot x < 0$ 

then 
$$-\cot x = \cot x + \frac{1}{\sin x}$$
.

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $\cos x = -\frac{1}{2}$ 

$$\therefore \qquad x=2 \ n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3} \ , \ n \in I \ and \ 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$$

$$\therefore \quad \text{then} \quad \mathbf{x} = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

- **12.** The general solution of,  $\sin x - 3 \sin 2x + \sin 3x = \cos x - 3 \cos 2x + \cos 3x$  is
  - (a)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{\varrho}$

(b)  $\frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$ 

(c)  $(-1)^n \left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right) + \frac{\pi}{8}$ 

- (d)  $2n\pi + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$
- $\sin x 3\sin 2x + \sin 3x \cos x 3\cos 2x + \cos 3x$ Sol.
  - $2\sin 2x\cos x 3\sin 2x = 2\cos 2x\cos x 3\cos 2x$
  - $(2\cos x 3)\sin 2x = \cos 2x (2\cos x 3)$  $\Rightarrow$ Pinnacle
    - $2\cos x 3 \neq 0$
  - $\tan 2x = 1$  $\Rightarrow$
  - $\therefore \qquad x = \frac{n \pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$



### EXERCISE 1 (A)

### ONLY ONE OPTION IS CORRECT

| 1. | $\sin^3 x + \sin x \cos x + \cos^3 x = 1$ , then x = |
|----|--|
| 1. | $\sin x + \sin x \cos x + \cos^2 x - 1$ , then $x -$ |

(A) 
$$n\pi$$
,  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ 

(B) 
$$2n\pi$$
,  $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

(C) 
$$n\pi$$
,  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ 

(A) 
$$n\pi$$
,  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$  (B)  $2n\pi$ ,  $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$  (C)  $n\pi$ ,  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$  (D)  $2n\pi$ ,  $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

2. The general value of '
$$\theta$$
' satisfying  $\tan \theta + \tan 2\theta + \sqrt{3} \tan \theta \tan 2\theta = \sqrt{3}$ 

(A) (n + 1) 
$$\frac{\pi}{9}$$

(B) 
$$(n+1) \frac{\pi}{3}$$

(C) 
$$(3n+1) \frac{\pi}{3}$$

(B) 
$$(n+1)\frac{\pi}{3}$$
 (C)  $(3n+1)\frac{\pi}{3}$  (D)  $(3n+1)\frac{\pi}{9}$ 

3. The equation 
$$3(\sin x + \cos x) - 2(\sin^3 x + \cos^3 x) = 8$$
 has

- (A) no solution
- (B) only one solution (C) two solutions
- (D) three solutions

4. If 
$$\sin 2x \cos 2x \cos 4x = \lambda$$
 has a solution. Then  $\lambda$  lies in the interval

$$(A)[-1/2, 1/2]$$

(B) 
$$[-1/4, 1/4]$$

$$(C)[-1/3, 1/3]$$

(D) None

5. If 
$$\tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right) + \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) = 4$$
 then  $\theta =$ 

(A) 
$$n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$$

(A) 
$$n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$$
 (B)  $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ 

(C) 
$$n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

(D) None

6. The number of distinct solutions of 
$$\sin 5\theta \cdot \cos 3\theta = \sin 9\theta \cdot \cos 7\theta$$
 in  $[0, \pi/2]$  is

- (A)4
- (B)5
- (C) 8
- (D)9

7. The number of solutions of 
$$\sin^2 \theta + 3\cos \theta = 3$$
 in  $[-\pi, \pi]$  is

- (A)4

(D) none of these

The equation  $k\cos x - 3\sin x = k + 1$  is solvable only if k belongs to the interval (A)  $[4, +\infty)$  (B) [-4, 4] (C)  $(-\infty, 4]$  (D) non 8.

$$(A) [4, +\infty)$$

(B) 
$$[-4, 4]$$

$$(C)(-\infty,4]$$

(D) none of these

9. If  $\sin^2\theta - 2\sin\theta - 1 = 0$  is to be satisfied for exactly 4 distinct values of  $\theta \in [0, n\pi]$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , then the least value of n is

- (A)2
- (B)6
- (C)4
- (D) 1

If  $2\tan^2 x - 5\sec x$  is equal to 1 for exactly 7 distinct values of  $x \in \left[0, \frac{n\pi}{2}\right], n \in \mathbb{N}$ , then the greatest 10.

value of n is

- (A)6
- (B) 12
- (C) 13
- (D) 15

The most general values of  $\theta$  satisfying  $\tan \theta + \tan \left( \frac{3\pi}{4} + \theta \right) = 2$  are 11.

(A) 
$$n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$
,  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

(B) 
$$2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

(C) 
$$2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$
,  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

(A) 
$$n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$
 (B)  $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$  (C)  $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$  (D)  $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 



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|     |   |   | ,  |   |
| 12. | _   | _   | $e^2x = \sqrt{2(1 - \tan^2 x)} \text{ are given}$  | ven by                                      |
|     | $(A) n\pi + \frac{\pi}{8}$                                      | (B) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$                  | (C) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{8}$   | (D) none of these                           |
| 13. | The most general value  | es of x for which sin x                       | $+\cos x = \min_{a \in R} \{1, a^2 - 4\}$  | $a+6$ } are given by                        |
|     | $(A) 2n\pi$   | (B) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$                   | (C) $n\pi + (-1)^n \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4}$                                  | (D) none of these                           |
| 14. | The sum of all the solu   | tions of the equation co                      | $\sin x \cdot \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{3} + x\right) \cdot \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ | $(-x) = \frac{1}{4}, x \in [0, 6\pi] i_{S}$ |
|     | (A) $15\pi$   | (Β) 30 π                                      | $(C) \frac{110\pi}{3}$   | (D) none of these                           |
| 15. | If $x \in \left[ -\frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2} \right]$ , the | e greatest positive solut                     | $ion of 1 + sin^4x = cos^2 3x$   | x is  |
|     | (Α) π   | (B) 2π  | (C) $\frac{5\pi}{2}$   | (D) none of these                           |
| 16. |   | $3\pi$ and $\cos x \sin y = 1$ th             | en the possible number   | of values of the ordered pair               |
|     | (x, y) is<br>(A) 6  | (B) 12  | (C) 8  | (D) 15                                      |
| 17. |   | R such that $2\sin\theta = r^4 - \frac{1}{2}$ | $2r^2 + 3$ then the maximu   | m number of values of the pair              |
|     | $(r, \theta)$ is $(A)$ 8  | (B) 10  | (C) 6  | (D) none of these                           |
| 18. |   | of sin x - 3 sin 2x + sin 3                   | $3x = \cos x - 3\cos 2x + \cos 2x$   | os3xis                                      |
|     | (A) $n\pi + \pi/8$<br>(C) $(-1)^n (n\pi/2 + \pi/8)$             |   | (B) $n\pi/2 + \pi/8$<br>(D) $2n\pi + \cos^{-1}(3/2)$                                     |   |
|     | (c) (1) (llm/2+m/   |   | (3) 2111 (603 (372)  |   |
| 19. | The number of real sol<br>(A) zero                              | ution of $\sin e^x \cdot \cos e^x =$ (B) one  | $2^{x-2} + 2^{-x-2}$ is (C) two  | (D) infinite                                |
| 20. | Total number of solution  | on of the equation $\sin^4 x$                 | $c + \cos^4 x = \sin x \cdot \cos x \text{ i}$   | n $[0,2\pi]$                                |
|     | (A) 2   | (B) 4   | (C) 6  | (D) none of these                           |
| 21. | If $5\cos 2\theta + 2\cos^2 \theta$                             | $2+1=0, -\pi < \theta < \pi, t$               | then θ   |   |
|     | (A) $\pi/3$   |   | (B) $\pi/3$ , $\cos^{-1}(3/5)$   |   |

22. The general solution of the equation  $\cos x \cos 6x = -1$  is

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

 $(C)\cos^{-1}(3/5)$ 

$$(B)\ x=2n\pi,\ n\in I$$

 $\pi/3$ ,  $\pi - \cos^{-1}(3/5)$ 

(C) 
$$x = (2n-1)\pi, n \in I$$

(D) none of these

(D)



- $6\sin\theta + 7\cos\theta = 9$  if 23.
  - (A)  $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$
- (B)  $\tan \theta = \frac{7}{6}$  (C)  $\tan \theta = \frac{8}{15}$  (D)  $\tan \theta = \frac{8}{17}$

- 24. If sin A = sin B and cos A = cos B then
  - $(A) A = B + n\pi, n \in I$

(B)  $A = B - n\pi$ ,  $n \in I$ 

(C)  $A = 2n \pi + B, n \in I$ 

- (D)  $A = n\pi B$ ,  $n \in I$
- The equation  $4\sin^2 x + 4\sin x + a^2 3 = 0$  possesses a solution if 'a' belongs to the interval 25.
  - (A)(-1,3)
- (B)(-3,1)
- (C)[-2,2]
- (D) R (-2, 2)

- $\frac{\sin 3\theta}{2\cos 2\theta + 1} = \frac{1}{2}$  if 26.
- (A)  $\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$  (B)  $\theta = 2n\pi \frac{\pi}{6}$  (C)  $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$  (D)  $\theta = n\pi \frac{\pi}{6}$
- 27. Total number of solutions of  $\sin^2 x - \sin x - 1 = 0$  in  $[-2\pi, 2\pi]$  is equal to
  - (A)2
- (B) 4
- (C)6
- (D) 8

- $6 \tan^2 x 2 \cos^2 x = \cos 2x \text{ if}$ 28.
  - (A)  $\cos 2x = -1$
- (B)  $\cos 2x = 1$
- (C)  $\cos 2x = -1/2$
- (D)  $\cos 2x = 1/2$
- The general solution of the trigonometrical equation  $\sin x + \cos x = 1$  for  $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$  ......is 29. given by
  - $(A) x = 2n \pi$

(B)  $x = 2n \pi + \pi/2$ 

(C)  $x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4}$ 

- (D) none of these
- 30. The complete solution of the equation  $7\cos^2 x + \sin x \cos x - 3 = 0$  is given by
  - (A)  $n\pi + \pi / 2(n \in I)$

- (C)  $n\pi + tan^{-1}(4/3)(n \in I)$
- (B)  $n\pi \pi/4(n \in I)$ (D)  $n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}, k\pi + \tan^{-1}(4/3)(k, n \in I)$
- The equation  $a \sin x + b \cos x = c$  where  $|c| > \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$  has 31.
  - (A) one solution

(B) two solution

(C) no solution

- (D) infinite number of sol.
- 32. The equation  $\cos x + \sin x = 2$  has
  - (A) only one solution

(B) two solution

(C) no solution

- (D) infinite number of solutions
- General solution of the equation  $\tan \theta + \tan 4\theta + \tan 7\theta = \tan \theta \tan 4\theta \tan 7\theta$ 33.
  - (A)  $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{12}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

(B)  $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{9}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

(C)  $\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{12}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

(D) None of these



- 34. The total number of solutions of  $\tan x + \cot x = 2 \csc x$  in  $[-2\pi, 2\pi]$  is
  - (A)2
- (B) 4
- (C)6
- (D) 8

- If  $\sin x + \cos x = \sqrt{\left(y + \frac{1}{y}\right)}$ ,  $x \in [0, \pi]$ , then 35.
  - (A)  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}, y = 1$

(B)  $x \in R, y = 1$ 

(C)  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}, y = 2$ 

- (D)  $x = \frac{3\pi}{4}, y \in R$
- If  $x, y \in [0, 2\pi]$  and  $\sin x + \sin y = 2$ , then the value of x + y is 36.
  - (A)  $\pi$
- (B)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- (C)  $3\pi$
- (D) None of these
- 37. The range of 'y' such that the equation in x,  $y + \cos x = \sin x$  has a real solution is
  - (A) [-2,2]
- (B)  $[-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}]$ 
  - (C) [-2,2]
- (D) [-2,2]

- 38. If  $3\tan(\theta-15^{\circ}) = \tan(\theta+15^{\circ})$ , then  $\theta$  is equal to
  - (A)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$
- (B)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{\Omega}$
- (C)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$
- (D) None of these

## **EXERCISE 1 (B)**

# MORE THAN ONE OPTIONS MAY BE CORRECT

- 1.
  - (A)  $n\pi$  or  $n\pi + (-1)^n \pi / 6$ ,  $n \in \Gamma$
- (B)  $n\pi$  or  $2n\pi + \pi/2$  or  $n\pi + (-1)^n \pi/6$ ,  $n \in I$

(C)  $n\pi + (-1)^n \pi / 6$ ,  $n \in I$ 

- (D)  $n\pi$ ,  $n \in I$
- If  $\frac{\sin^2 2x + 4\sin^4 x 4\sin^2 x \cos^2 x}{4 \sin^2 2x 4\sin^2 x} = \frac{1}{9}$  and  $0 < x < \pi$ , then value of x is 2.
  - (A)  $\pi/3$
- (B)  $\pi/6$
- (C)  $2\pi/3$
- (D)  $5\pi/6$

- If  $\sin 5\theta = a \sin^5 \theta + b \sin^3 \theta + c \sin \theta + d$ , then 3.
  - (A) a + b + c + d = 1 (B) a + b + c = 1
- (C) 5a + 4b = 0
- (D) b + 4c = 0
- The number of solution(s) of the equation  $\cos(\pi\sqrt{x-4})\cos(\pi\sqrt{x}) = 1$ 4.
  - (A) none
- (B) one
- (C) two
- (D) more than one



| 5. | If $\cos(\theta - \alpha)$ |               | O               | 1. 41  |
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(A) 
$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = ab - \sqrt{(1 - a^2 - b^2 + a^2b^2)}$$

(A) 
$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = ab - \sqrt{(1 - a^2 - b^2 + a^2b^2)}$$
 (B)  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = a\sqrt{(1 - b^2)} + b\sqrt{(1 - a^2)}$ 

(C) 
$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = ab + \sqrt{(1 - a^2 - b^2 + a^2b^2)}$$

(D) 
$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = a\sqrt{(1-b^2)} - b\sqrt{(1-a^2)}$$

6. A solution (x, y) of the system of equations x - y = 1/3 and  $\cos^2(\pi x) - \sin^2(\pi y) = 1/2$  is given by

(B) 
$$(2/3, 1/3)$$

$$(C)(-5/6, -7/6)$$

7. 
$$\sqrt{\cos 2x} + \sqrt{(1+\sin 2x)} = 2\sqrt{(\sin x + \cos x)}, \text{ if }$$

(A) 
$$\sin x + \cos x = 0$$
 (B)  $x = 2n\pi$ 

(B) 
$$x = 2n\pi$$

(C) 
$$x = n\pi - \pi/4$$

(D) 
$$\sin x - \cos x = 0$$

8.  $|\cos x| = \cos x - 2\sin x$  if

(A) 
$$x = n\pi$$

(B) 
$$x = 2n\pi$$

(C) 
$$x = n\pi + \pi/4$$

(D) 
$$x = (2n + 1)\pi + \pi/4$$

The number of solutions of the equation  $x^3 + x^2 + 4x + 2 \sin x = 0$  in  $0 \le x \le 2\pi$  is 9.

(B) one

The number of points of intersection of the two curves  $y = 2\sin x$  and  $y = 5x^2 + 2x + 3$ , is 10.

$$(A) \infty$$

Number of real roots of the equation  $\sec \theta + \csc \theta = \sqrt{15}$  lying between 0 and  $2\pi$  is 11.

(A) 8

(B)4

(C) 2

(D) 0

Solve:  $4\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = 1$ , then x is equal to  $(n \in \mathbb{Z})$ 12.

(B) 
$$n\pi \pm \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}$$
 (C)  $\frac{2n\pi}{3}$ 

(C) 
$$\frac{2n\pi}{3}$$

(D) 
$$2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$

13. A general solution of the equation,  $\tan^2 \theta + \cos 2\theta = 1$  is  $(n \in \mathbb{Z})$ 

(A) 
$$n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

(B) 
$$2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$$
 (C)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ 

(C) 
$$n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$$

(D) 
$$2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

 $\sin \theta + \sqrt{3} \cos \theta = 6x - x^2 - 11, 0 \le \theta \le 4\pi, x \in \mathbb{R}$ , holds for 14.

(A) No values of x and  $\theta$ 

- (B) One value of x and two value of  $\theta$
- (C) Two values of x and two values of  $\theta$
- (D) Two points of values of  $(x, \theta)$

15. For the smallest positive values of x and y the equation,  $2(\sin x + \sin y) - 2\cos(x - y) = 3$ , has a solution then which of the following is/are true

$$(A) \sin \frac{x+y}{2} = 1$$

(B) 
$$\cos\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

- (C) Number of ordered pairs (x, y) is 2
- (D) Number of ordered pairs (x, y) is 3

16. for the equation  $1 - 2x - x^2 = \tan^2(x + y) + \cot^2(x + y)$ .

- (A) Exactly one value of x exists
- (B) exactly two value of x exists

(C) 
$$y = -1 + n\pi + \pi / 4, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

(D) 
$$v = 1 + n\pi/2 + \pi/4, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$



17. If 
$$x + y = \pi / 4$$
 and  $\tan x + \tan y = 1$ , then

(A) 
$$\sin x = 0$$
 always

(B) when 
$$x = n\pi + \pi/4$$
 then  $y = -n\pi$ 

(C) when 
$$x = -n\pi$$
 then  $y = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ 

(D) when 
$$x = n\pi + \pi/4$$
 then  $y = n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$ 

18. If 
$$x + y = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$
 and  $\frac{\sin x}{\sin y} = 2$ , then

- (A) number of values of  $x \in [0, 4\pi]$  are 4
- (B) number of values of  $x \in [0, 4\pi]$  are 2
- (C) number of values of  $y \in [0, 4\pi]$  are 4
- (D) number of values of  $y \in [0, 4\pi]$  are 8

19. If 
$$\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \cos x = a$$
 has real solutions. Then

- (A) number of integral values of 'a' are 3
- (B) sum of number of integral values of 'a' is 0
- (C) when a = 1, number of solutions for  $x \in [0, 2\pi]$  are 3
- (D) when a = 1 number of solutions for  $x \in [0, 2\pi]$  are 2

### COMPREHENSION TYPE

Based upon each passage, three multiple choice questions have to be answered. Each question has four choices A,B,C and D, out of which only one is correct.

### PASSAGE - 1

Consider the cubic equation  $x^3 - (1 + \cos \theta + \sin \theta)x^2 + (\cos \theta \sin \theta + \cos \theta + \sin \theta)x - \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0$ whose roots are  $x_1, x_2 \& x_3$ 

- The value of  $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2$  equals 20.
  - (A) 1

- 21. Number of values of  $\theta$  in  $[0, 2\pi]$  for which at least two roots are equal
  - (A)3
- (B) 4
- (C)5
- (D)6
- 22. Greatest possible difference between two of the roots if  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$  is
  - (A)2
- (B) 1
- (C)  $\sqrt{2}$
- (D)  $2\sqrt{2}$

### PASSAGE - 2

Consider the equation,  $\sec \theta + \csc \theta = a, \theta \in [0, 2\pi] - \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2} \right\}$ 

- 23. If the equation has four real roots then
  - (A)  $|a| \ge 2\sqrt{2}$
- (B)  $|a| < 2\sqrt{2}$  (C)  $a \ge -2\sqrt{2}$
- (D) None of these



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| 24. | If the ear | iation has | s two real | roots then |

(A) 
$$|a| \ge 2\sqrt{2}$$

(B) 
$$a < 2\sqrt{2}$$

(C) 
$$|a| < 2\sqrt{2}$$

#### 25. If the equation has no real roots then

(A) 
$$|a| \ge 2\sqrt{2}$$

(B) 
$$a < 2\sqrt{2}$$

(C) 
$$|a| < 2\sqrt{2}$$

(D) None of these

### PASSAGE - 3

Consider the system of equations

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

- Number of values of 'a' for which the system has a solution is 26.
  - (A) 1
- (B)2
- (C)3
- (D) Infinite

#### 27. Number of values of $x \in [0, 2\pi]$ when the system has solution for permissible values of 'a'

- (A) 1
- (B)2
- (C)3
- (D) 4

#### 28. Number of values of $y \in [0, 2\pi]$ when the system has solution for permissible values of 'a'

- (A)2
- (B)3
- (C)4
- (D) 5

### PASSAGE - 4

Consider the system of equations

$$x\cos^3 y + 3x\cos y\sin^2 y = 14$$
,  $x\sin^3 y + 3x\cos^2 y\sin y = 13$ 

29. The value(s) of x are

(A) 
$$\pm 5\sqrt{5}$$

(B) 
$$\pm \sqrt{5}$$

(C) 
$$\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

(D) None of these

30. The number of values of  $y \in [0, 6\pi]$  are

- (A)5

The values of  $\sin^2 y + 2\cos^2 y$  is 31.

- (A) 4/5
- (B) 9/5
- (C)2
- (D) None of these

### **REASONING TYPE**

- If both the statements are TRUE and STATEMENT 2 is the correct explanation of STAEMENT1 **(A)**
- If both the statements are TRUE but STATEMENT 2 is NOT the correct explanation of STATEMENT1 **(B)**
- If STATEMENT 1 is TRUE and STATEMENT 2 is FALSE **(C)**
- If STATEMENT 1 is FALSE and STATEMENT 2 is TRUE **(D)**
- **Statement 1:** The value of x for which  $(\sin x + \cos x)^{1+\sin 2x} = 2$ , when  $0 \le x \le \pi$  is  $\pi/4$ 32.

**Statement 2:** The maximum value of  $\sin x + \cos x$  occurs when  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ 



- 33. **Statement 1**: Equation,  $x \sin x = 1$ , has four roots for  $x \in (-\pi, \pi)$ 
  - **Statement 2**: The graph of  $y = \sin x$  and  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  cuts exactly two times for  $x \in (0, \pi)$
- 34. **Statement 1**:  $\sin x = a$ , where -1 < a < 0, then for  $x \in [0, n\pi]$  has 2(n-1) solutions  $\forall n \in N$ 
  - Statement 2:  $\sin x$  takes value a exactly two time when we take one complete rotation covering all the quadrant starting from x = 0
- 35. **Statement 1**: Equation  $\sqrt{1-\sin 2x} = \sin x$  has 1 solution for  $x \in [0, \frac{\pi}{4}]$ 
  - **Statement 2**:  $\cos x > \sin x$  when  $x \in [0, \frac{\pi}{4}]$
- 36. **Statement 1:** General solution of  $\frac{\tan 4x \tan 2x}{1 + \tan 4x \tan 2x} = 1$  is  $x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$ ,  $n \in I$ 
  - **Statement 2:** General solution of  $\tan \alpha = 1$  is  $\alpha = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$

## **MATRIX MATCH**

37. Column I (Equation)

Column II (solution)
(P)  $x = \left\{ n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} \cup \left\{ n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6} \right\} n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

$$(A) \qquad \cos^2 2x + \cos^2 x = 1$$

 $(Q) x = \frac{2n\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

(B) 
$$\cos x + \sqrt{3}\sin x = \sqrt{3}$$

(R)  $x = (2n-1)\frac{\pi}{6}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

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

 $(S) x = \left\{2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right\} \cup \left\{2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}\right\}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

(D)  $\tan 3x - \tan 2x - \tan x = 0$ 

38. Column - I

Column - II

(A) The number of real roots of the equation  $\cos^7 x + \sin^2 x = 1 \text{ in } (-\pi, \pi) \text{ is}$ 

(P) 1

(B) The value of  $\sqrt{3} \csc 20^{\circ} - \sec 20^{\circ}$  is

(Q) 4

(C)  $4\cos 36^{\circ} - 4\cos 72^{\circ} + 4\sin 18^{\circ} \cdot \cos 36^{\circ}$  equals

(R) 3

- (D) The number of values of x where  $x \in [-2\pi, 2\pi]$ .
- (S) 2

Which satisfy  $\cos ec x = 1 + \cot x$ 



39. Column - I

Column - II

(A) If  $\sin \theta + \sin \phi = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\cos \theta + \cos \phi = 2$  then

(P) No solution

 $\cot\left(\frac{\theta+\phi}{2}\right)$ 

 $(Q) \qquad \frac{1}{3}$ 

(B)  $\sin^2 \alpha + \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{3} - \alpha \right) \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \alpha \right) = \sec \alpha$ 

- (R)
- (C) If  $\tan \theta = 3 \tan \phi$ , then maximum value of  $\tan^2 (\theta \phi)$  is
- (S) 4

## **EXERCISE 2 (A)**

### **ONLY ONE OPTION IS CORRECT**

- 1. If  $\tan(\pi \cos x) = \cot(\pi \sin x)$ , then  $\cos(\frac{\pi}{4} x)$  is equal to
  - (A)  $\pm \frac{1}{2}$
- (B) ±1
- (C)  $\pm \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$
- (D)  $\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- 2. The equation  $\tan^4 x 2\sec^2 x + a^2 = 0$  will have at least one solution if
  - (A)  $|a| \le 4$
- (B)  $|a| \leq 2$
- (C)  $|a| \le \sqrt{3}$
- (D) None of these
- 3. If the equation  $x^2 + 4 + 3\sin(ax + b) 2x = 0$  has at least one real solution where  $a, b \in [0, 2\pi]$ . Then one possible value of (a + b) can be equal to
  - (A)  $\frac{7\pi}{2}$
- (B)  $\frac{5\pi}{2}$
- (C)  $\frac{9\pi}{2}$
- (D) none of these
- 4. If  $3\sin x + 4\cos ax = 7$  has at least one solution, then 'a' has to be necessarily a
  - (A) odd integer

(B) even integer

(C) rational integer

- (D) irrational integer
- 5. Total number of solutions of  $|\cot x| = \cot x + \frac{1}{\sin x}$ ,  $x \in [0, 3\pi]$  is equal to
  - (A) 1
- (B)2
- (C)3
- (D) zero
- 6. Total number of values of x in  $(-2\pi, 2\pi)$  and satisfying  $\log_{|\cos x|} |\sin x| + \log_{|\sin x|} |\cos x| = 2$  is equal to
  - (A) 2
- (B) 4
- (C) 6
- (D) 8



17.

 $\cos x \cos y = 1/4 is$ 

(B) 1

(A)0

| 7.  | $\frac{\sin^3\theta - \cos^3\theta}{\sin\theta - \cos\theta} - \frac{\cos^3\theta}{\sqrt{1+\theta^2}}$ | $\frac{\cos\theta}{\cot^2\theta} - 2\tan\theta\cot\theta =$                      | −1 if  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|--|
|     | (A) $\theta \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$   | (B) $\theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi\right)$                                 | (C) $\theta \in \left(\pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$        | (D) $\theta \in \left(\frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi\right)$ |
| 8.  | The number of solution (A) 8   | ons of $ \cos x  = \sin x$ , $0 \le (B) 4$                                       | $\leq x \leq 4\pi$ , is (C) 2                            | (D) none of these                                  |
| 9.  | The most general solu  | ations of $2^{\sin x} + 2^{\cos x} = 2$  | $^{1-1/\sqrt{2}}$ are                                    |  |
|     | $(A) n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$   | (B) $(2n+1)\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$  | (C) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4}$                        | (D) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$                      |
| 10. | The least positive non (A) rational (B) irrational of the for  | integral solution of sin π<br>m √p   | $x(x^2+x)-\sin \pi x^2=0 \text{ is}$                     |  |
|     |  | rm $\frac{\sqrt{p-1}}{4}$ , where p is an $\frac{\sqrt{p+1}}{4}$ , where p is an |  |  |
| 11. | If the equation $2\cos x$ (A) 1  | $+\cos 2\lambda x = 3$ has only of (B) a rational number                         | one solution then $\lambda$ is (C) an irrational number  | er (D) none of these                               |
| 12. |  | = 0 has at least one solut<br>(B) $a \in [-2, 2]$                                | tion, then (C) $a \in (-\infty, -2]$                     | (D) $a \in R - (-2, 2)$                            |
| 13. | The number of real roo<br>(A) one  | ots of the equation $\cos^7 x$<br>(B) three                                      | $x + \sin^4 x = 1$ in the inter<br>(C) two               | val $(-\pi, \pi)$ are (D) four                     |
| 14. | The number of solution   | ns of the equation $\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2\pi} \right)$                        | $\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}x + 4$ |  |
|     | (A) is zero  | (B) is only one  | (C) is only two  | (D) is greater than 2                              |
| 15. | The number of pairs (x (A) 2   | x, y) satisfying the equat<br>(B) 4  | ions $\sin x + \sin y = \sin(x)$<br>(C) 6                | (x + y) and $ x  +  y  = 1$ is<br>(D) infinite     |
| 16. | The smallest positive is solution in $[0,2\pi]$ is   | ntegral value of p for wh  | ich the equation $\cos(ps)$                              | $\sin x$ ) = $\sin (p \cos x)$ in x has            |
|     | (A) 2  | (B) 1  | (C) 3  | (D) none of these                                  |

If 0 < x,  $y < 2\pi$ , the number of solutions of the system of equations  $\sin x \sin y = 3/4$  and

(C)2

(D) infinite



(A)  $m\pi + \pi/18$ 

(C)  $m\pi/3 + \pi/18$ 

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| 18. | If  sinx + cosx  =  sinx  (A) I or III  | +  cosx , then x belongs (B) II or IV | to the quadrant<br>(C) I or II                    | (D) III or IV                           |                |
| 19. | If $tan(\cot x) = \cot(\tan x)$   | $x$ ), then $\sin 2x =$               |   |   |                |
|     | $(A) (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{4}$   | $(B) \frac{4}{(2n+1)\pi}$             | (C) $(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$                         | $(D) \frac{4\pi}{(2n+1)}$               |                |
| 20  | The number of solutio   | ns of the equation sin <sup>5</sup> x | $-\cos^5 x = \frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{1}{\sin x}$ | $(\sin x \neq \cos x)_{is}$             |                |
|     | (A) 0   | (B) 1                                 | (C) infinite                                      | (D) none of these                       |                |
| 21. | The number of solution (A) 0  | ns of the equation 12 cos (B) 2       | $x^3 x - 7\cos^2 x + 4\cos x = 0$ (C) Infinite    | = 9 is<br>(D) None of these             |                |
| 22. | Which of the following  | g is not the general solution         | on of the equation $2^{\cos 2x}$                  | $+1 = 3.2^{-\sin^2 x}$                  |                |
|     | (A) <i>n</i> π  | (B) $(n+\frac{1}{2})\pi$              | (C) $(n-\frac{1}{2})\pi$                          | (D) None of these                       |                |
| 23. | The number of solution (A) 3  | n of the equation, $\sin^4 x$ (B) 4   | $-\cos^2 x \sin x + 2\sin^2 x$ (C) 5              | $+\sin x = 0 \text{ in } 0 \le x$ (D) 6 | $\leq 3\pi$ is |
| 24. | For $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , the general  | l solution of the equation            | $1(\sqrt{3}-1)\sin\theta+(\sqrt{3}+1)$            | $1)\cos\theta=2$                        |                |
|     | (A) $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{12}$                             |                                       | (B) $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4}$        | $+\frac{\pi}{12}$                       |                |
|     | (C) $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$  |                                       | (D) $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4}$        |   |                |
| 25. | $\tan\left(\frac{p\pi}{4}\right) = \cot\left(\frac{q\pi}{4}\right)$ (A) $p + q = 0$ | if $n \in Z$ (B) $p + q = 2n + 1$     | (C) $p+q=2n$                                      | (D) $p+q=2(2n+1)$                       | -1)            |
| 26. |   |                                       | $+\sin 2\theta$ ) = 1 + tan $\theta$ for          |   |                |
|     | (A) 3   | (B) 4                                 | (C) 5   | (D) None of these                       |                |
| 27. | One of the general solu   | utions of the equation, 4             | $\sin\theta\sin2\theta\sin4\theta = \sin\theta$   | $3\theta$ , is                          |                |
|     | $(A) (3n\pm 1)\frac{\pi}{12}$   | (B) $(4n \pm 1) \frac{\pi}{9}$        | (C) $(3n \pm 1) \frac{\pi}{9}$                    | (D) $(3n \pm 1)\frac{\pi}{3}$           |                |
| 28. |   |                                       | $4\sin\alpha\sin(x+\alpha)\sin(x+\alpha)$         | $-\alpha$ ) is                          |                |
|     | (A) $n\pi \pm \pi/4$  | (B) $n\pi \pm \pi/3$                  | (C) $n\pi \pm \pi/9$                              | (D) $n\pi \pm \pi / 12$                 |                |
| 29. | One of the general solu   | ution of the equation $\sqrt{3}$      | $\cos \theta - 3\sin \theta = 4\sin 2\theta$      | $\theta \cos 3\theta$ , is              |                |

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(B)  $m\pi/2 + \pi/6$ (D) None of these



- The general solution of the equation  $8\cos x \cos 2x \cos 4x = \sin 6x / \sin x$ , is 30.
  - (A)  $x = n\pi / 7 + \pi / 21$

(B)  $x = n\pi / 7 + \pi / 14$ 

(C)  $x = n\pi / 7 + \pi / 14$ 

- (D)  $x = n\pi + \pi/14$
- The total number of solutions of  $\cos x = \sqrt{1 \sin 2x}$  in  $[0, 2\pi]$  is equal to 31.
- (B)3
- (C)5
- (D) None of these
- The number of solutions of  $\sum_{r=1}^{3} \cos rx = 5$  in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$  is 32.
  - (A)0
- (B) 1
- (C)5
- (D) 10
- 33. If  $\tan 3\theta + \tan \theta = 2 \tan 2\theta$ , then  $\theta$  is equal to  $(n \in \mathbb{Z})$ 
  - (A)  $n\pi$
- (B)  $\frac{n\pi}{4}$
- (C)  $2n\pi$
- (D) None of these
- The set of all x in  $(-\pi, \pi)$  satisfying  $|4\sin x 1| < \sqrt{5}$  is given by 34.
- (A)  $\left(\frac{-\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$  (B)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}\right)$  (C)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{-3\pi}{10}\right)$  (D) None of these
- The number of solutions of the equation  $\sin^3 x \cos x + \sin^2 x \cos^2 x + \sin x \cos^3 x = 1$ , in the interval 35.  $[0, 2\pi]$ , is
  - (A)4
- (B)2
- (C) 1
- (D)0

### EXERCISE 2 (B)

## SUBJECTIVE TYPE

Find the genaral solution of the equations: - (Q.1 to Q.8)

- $\sin \theta + \sin 5\theta = \sin 3\theta$ , where  $0 \le \theta \le \pi$ . 1.
- 2.  $4 \sin x \cdot \sin 2x \cdot \sin 4x$

 $\sin^6 2x + \cos^6 2x = 7/16..$ 3.

- 4.  $\sin x + \sin 2x + \sin 3x = \frac{1}{2} \cot \frac{x}{2}$ .
- $5 \sin^2 x 7 \sin x \cos x + 16 \cos^2 x = 4$ . 5.
- 6.  $\sin^2 \theta \cos \theta = \frac{1}{4}$ , where  $0 \le \theta \le 2\pi$ .

 $\sin^4 x - \cos^7 x = 1.$ 7.

- 8.  $\sin \frac{2x+1}{x} + \sin \frac{2x+1}{3x} 3\cos^2 \frac{2x+1}{3x} = 0$ .
- 9. In a right angled  $\triangle ABC$ , the hypotenuse is four times the perpendicular distance of the opposite vertex from it. Determine the other two angles.



- 10. Solve:  $\cos 3x \cos^3 x + \sin 3x \sin^3 x = 0$ .
- 11. Solve:  $\sin 3\theta \sin \theta = 4\cos^2 \theta 2$ .
- 12. Solve the: (i)  $\sec 4\theta \sec 2\theta = 2$  (ii)  $\sin^2 n\theta \sin^2 (n-1)\theta = \sin^2 \theta$ .
- 13. Solve:  $2^{\cos 2x} = 3.2^{\cos^2 x} 4$ .
- 14. **(i)**  $\cos \frac{\sqrt{2}+1}{2}\theta \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{2}\theta = 1$  **(ii)**  $\tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) + \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} x\right) = 2$
- 15. **(i)**  $\cos(\sin\theta) = \sin(\cos\theta)$ . **(ii)**  $\tan(\frac{\pi}{2}\sin\theta) = \cot(\frac{\pi}{2}\cos\theta)$ .
- 16. **(i)**  $(2+\sqrt{3})\cos\theta = 1-\sin\theta$ .
  - (ii)  $\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\left(\sin x + \sqrt{2}\cos^2 x\right)\right) \left(\tan^2\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\tan^2 x\right)\right) = 1$
- 17. Solve for x, y, & z, if  $\tan^2 x + \cot^2 x = 2 \sin^2 y$  and  $\sin^2 y + \cos^2 z = 1$ .
- 18. Solve the following system of equations  $\cos(2\theta + 3\phi) = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\cos(3\theta + 2\phi) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .
- 19. Solve:  $\frac{\tan x}{\tan 2x} + \frac{\tan 2x}{\tan x} + 2 = 0$ .
- 20. Find the most general values of  $\theta$  which satisfies the equations  $\sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ .
- 21. Solve:  $\cos^5 x + \sin^3 x = 1$  in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$ .
- 22. Solve:  $\cos 3x + \cos 2x = \sin \frac{3x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2}$ ,  $0 \le x \le 2\pi$ .
- 23. Solve for  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  the equations are  $\sec \theta = \sqrt{2} \sec \phi$ , and  $\tan \theta = \sqrt{3} \tan \phi$ .
- 24. Solve:  $3\tan 2x 4\tan 3x = \tan^2 3x \cdot \tan 2x$ .
- 25. Show that  $1 + \sin^2 ax = \cos x$ , where a is irrational, has only one solution. Find that solution.
- 26. If  $\alpha \& \beta$  the roots of the equation  $a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta = C$ , prove that
  - (i)  $\cos \alpha + \cos \beta = \frac{2ac}{a^2 + b^2}$  (ii)  $\sin \alpha \cdot \sin \beta = \frac{c^2 a^2}{a^2 + b^2}$
- 27. Solve:  $\frac{3}{2} \sin 2x = \sqrt{9 + 10 \sin 2x}$
- 28. Solve:  $3\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} x\right) 4\sin(\pi + x)\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{2} + x\right) + 8\cos^2\frac{x}{2} = 4$ .



- 29. Solve:  $\sqrt{\sin x} + \sqrt{\cos x} > 1$ .
- 30. Determine all values of 'a' for which the equation  $\cos^4 x (a + 2)\cos^2 x (a + 3) = 0$  possesses solutions and find these solutions.
- 31. Find all values of 'a' for which the equation  $\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \cos x = a$ , has real solutions. When a=1, find all the solutions in  $(0,2\pi)$ .
- 32. Find the general values of x and y satisfying the equations  $5 \sin x \cos y = 1$ ,  $4 \tan x = \tan y$ .
- 33. Solve the equation  $2(\sin x + \sin y) 2\cos(x y) = 3$  for smallest positive values of x and y.
- 34. Find the coordinates of the points of intersection of the curves  $y = \cos x$ ,  $y = \sin 3x$ ,  $-\frac{\pi}{2} \le x \le \frac{\pi}{2}$
- 35. Find the range of y such that the equation in x,  $y + \cos x = \sin x$  has a real solution. For y = 1, find x such that  $0 < x < 2\pi$ .
- 36. Find the general solution of the equation  $1 + 2 \csc x + \frac{\sec^2(\frac{x}{2})}{2} = 0$ .
- 37. For what values of a does the equation  $\frac{a\cos x}{2\cos 2x 1} = \frac{a + \sin x}{(1 4\sin^2 x)\tan x}$  possess a solution? Also find the solution.
- 38. Find the common roots of the equations  $2 \sin^2 x + \sin^2 2x = 2$  and  $\sin 2x + \cos 2x = \tan x$ .
- 39. Find all pairs (x, y) which will satisfy  $x^2 + 2x \sin(x y) + 1 = 0$ .
- 40. Solve for x,  $(-\pi \le x \le \pi)$  the equation;  $2(\cos x + \cos 2x) + \sin 2x (1 + 2\cos x) = 2\sin x$ .
- 41. Find the sum of all the roots of the equation,  $\sin \sqrt{x} = -1$ , which are less than  $100 \pi^2$ . Also find the sum of the square roots of these roots.

Now, can we conclude that all the roots  $\cos \sqrt{x} = 0$  are also the roots of  $\sin \sqrt{x} = -1$ ? Justify your answer.



# EXERCISE 3 (A)

# **ONLY ONE OPTION IS CORRECT**

| 1. | The number of all pos $\cos 2x = 0$ holds for all                       |  | $(a_4, a_5)$ such that $a_1 + a_2$                                      | $\sin x + a_3 \cos x + a_4 \sin 2x + a_5$  |
|----|---|--|---|--|
|    | (A) zero  | (B) 1  | (C) 2   | (D) infinite   |
| 2. | Let $\theta \in [0, 4\pi]$ satisfy<br>of $\theta$ is of the form $k\pi$ |  | $+2)(\sin\theta+3)(\sin\theta+4)$                                       | = 6. If the sum of all the values  |
|    | (A) 6   | (B) 5  | (C) 4   | (D) 2  |
| 3. | If the inequality $\sin^2 x$ of $a$ is                                  | $+ a\cos x + a^2 > 1 + \cos x$   | $x \text{ holds for } x \in R  then then then then then then then then$ | ne largest negative integral value   |
|    | (A) - 4   | (B) –3   | (C) - 2   | (D)-1  |
| 4. | The values of $\cos y \cos y$   | $s\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - y\right)$ | $\int \cos x + \sin y \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{2}\right)$    | $\left(\frac{x}{x}\right) + \sin x \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - y\right)$ is zero if |
|    | (A) x = 0   | (B) $y = 0$  | (C) $x = y$   | (D) $n\pi + y - \frac{\pi}{4}$   |
| 5. | One root of the equation  | on $\cos x - x + 1/2 = 0$ li   | ies in the interval   |  |
|    | $(A)\left(0,\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$                                       | $(B)\left(-\frac{\pi}{2},0\right)$                                     | (C) $\left(\frac{\pi}{2},\pi\right)$                                    | (D) $\left(\pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$   |
| 6. | If $(1 - \tan \theta)(1 + \tan \theta)$                                 | $\sec^2 \theta + 2^{\tan^2 \theta} = 0$ , then                         | n the number of values o  | If $\theta$ in the interval $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ are       |
|    | (A) 1   | (B) 2  | (C) 3   | (D) 4  |
| 7  | The equation, $a \sin x = -\frac{1}{2}$                                 | $+\cos 2x = 2a - 7$ , posse  | sses a solution, if   | 1  |
|    | (A) a < 2   | (B) $2 \le a \le 6$  |   | (D) None of these  |
| 8  | $\sin x + \cos x = y^2 - y$   | +a has no values of $x$  | for any $y$ if $a$ belongs  | to   |
|    | $(A)\left(0,\sqrt{3}\right)$  | (B) $(-\sqrt{3},0)$  | (C) $\left(-\infty\sqrt{3}\right)$                                      | (D) $(\sqrt{3},\infty)$  |
| 9  | The solution of the equ   | nation $4\sin^2 x + \tan^2 x +$  | $\cos ec^2x + \cot^2 x - 6 = 0$   | 0 is   |
|    | (A) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$  | (B) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$  | (C) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$  | (D) $n\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$   |
| 10 | If both the distinct root b are   | ts of the equation $ \sin^2 z $  | $ x  +  \sin x  + b = 0$ in [0]   | $[0,\pi]$ are real, then the values of   |
|    | (A) $[-2,0]$  | (B) (-2,0)   | (C) [-2,0)  | (D) (-2,0]   |
| 11 | The total number of or  | dered pairs (x,y) satisfyi   | $ng  x  +  y  = 4, \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$                      | $\left(\frac{x^2}{3}\right) = 1$ ; is equal to                                     |
|    | (A) 2   | (B) 3  | (C) 4   | (D) 6  |



### EXERCISE 3 (B)

### **SUBJECTIVE TYPE**

- 1. For which values of the parameter a are the systems of equation sin(x + y) = 0,  $x^2 + y^2 = a$  and x + y = 0,  $x^2 + y^2 = a$  are equivalent.
- 2. If  $0 < \alpha$ ,  $\beta < \pi/2$  and  $\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos(\alpha + \beta) = -1/8$ , find  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .
- 3. Indicate in the coordinate plane all the points whose coordinates (x, y) are such that the expression  $\left(2\cos t + \frac{1}{2}\cos x\cos y\right)\cos x\cos y + 1 + \cos x \cos y + \cos 2t$  is positive for any value of t and depict the region formed by these points.
- 4. Solve for x & y:  $\cos x + \cos y \cos(x + y) = 3/2$ .
- 5. Solve  $\left(\sin^2 x + \frac{1}{\sin^2 x}\right)^2 + \left(\cos^2 x + \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}\right)^2 = 12 + \frac{1}{2}\sin y$ .
- 6. Find the general solution of the equations:
  - (i)  $\sin^2 x + 1/4 \sin^2 3x = \sin x \cdot \sin^2 3x$ . (iii)
    - (ii)  $\sin x + 2 \sin 2x = 3 + \sin 3x$ .

- (iii)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\sin x \cos x = \cos^2 x.$
- 7. Find all the number a such that for every root of the equation  $2 \sin^7 x (1-a) \sin^3 x + (2a^3 2a 1) \sin x = 0$  is a root of the equation  $2 \sin^6 x + \cos 2x = 1 + a 2a^3 + a \cos^2 x$ .
- For which values of a, does the equation  $4\sin(x + \pi/3)\cos(x \pi/6) = a^2 + \sqrt{3}\sin 2x \cos 2x$  have solution? Find solution for a = 0, if exists.
- 9 Find the smallest positive root of the equation  $\sqrt{\sin(1-x)} = \sqrt{\cos x}$
- 10 Prove that the equation  $2 \sin x = |x| + a$  has no solution for  $a \in \left(\frac{3\sqrt{3} \pi}{3}, \infty\right)$
- 11 Solve  $\sin x + \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \left( \sqrt{(1 \cos 2x)^2 + \sin^2 2x} \right) = 0, x \in \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}$
- 12. Find all the numbers 'a' for which any root of the equation,  $a \cos 2x + |a| \cos 4x + \cos 6x = 1$ , is a root of the equation  $\sin x \cos 2x = \sin 2x \cos 3x 1/2 \sin 5x$  and, conversely, every root of the latter equation is a root of the former.
- 13. Find all numbers 'a' for each of which every root of  $4\cos^2 x \cos 3x = a\cos x |a-4|(1+\cos 2x)$  is a root of  $2\cos x\cos 2x = 1+\cos 2x + \cos 3x$  and conversely, every root of the latter equation is a root of the former.



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- Given  $A = \sin^2 \theta + \cos^4 \theta$ , then for all real values of  $\theta$ 1.
  - (A)  $1 \le A \le 2$

- (B)  $\frac{3}{4} \le A \le 1$  (C)  $\frac{13}{16} \le A \le 1$  (D)  $\frac{3}{4} \le A \le \frac{13}{16}$
- There exists a value of  $\theta$  between 0 and  $2\pi$  that satisfies the equation  $\sin^4 \theta 2\sin^2 \theta 1 = 0$ . 2.
- If the expression  $\frac{\left[\sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + i\tan(x)\right]}{\left[1 + 2i\sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right]}$  is real, then the set of all possible values of x is.... 3.
- The set of all x in the interval  $[0, \pi]$  for which  $2\sin^2 x 3\sin x + 1 \ge 0$ , is 4.
- **5.** The general solution of (exactly one choice is correct):  $\sin x - 3 \sin 2x + \sin 3x = \cos x - 3 \cos 2x + \cos 3x \text{ is}$ :
  - (A)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{Q}$
- (B)  $\frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$  (C)  $(-1)^n \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$  (D)  $2n\pi + \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{2}$
- The equation  $(\cos p 1)x^2 + (\cos p)x + \sin p = 0$  in the variable x, has a real roots. Then p can 6. take any value in the interval
  - (A)  $(0, 2\pi)$
- (B)  $(-\pi, 0)$  (C)  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  (D)  $(0, \pi)$
- The numbers of solutions of the equation  $\tan x + \sec x = 2 \cos x$  lying in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  is 7.
  - (A)0
- (B) 1

- 8. General value of  $\theta$  satisfying the equation  $\tan^2 \theta + \sec 2\theta = 1$  is
- 9. The number of values of x in the interval  $(0, 5\pi)$ , satisfying the equation  $3\sin^2 x - 7\sin x + 2 = 0$  is
  - (A)0
- (B)5
- (C)6
- (D) 10
- 10. The number of integral values of k, for which the equation  $7 \cos x + 5 \sin x = 2 k + 1$  has a solution (A)4(B) 8(C) 10(D) 12
- Given both  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  are acute angles and  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\cos \phi = \frac{1}{3}$ , then the value of  $\theta + \phi$  belongs to 11.
- (A)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  (B)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$  (C)  $\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$  (D)  $\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}, \pi\right)$



- 12. Find all the solution of  $4\cos^2 x \sin x 2\sin^2 x = 3\sin x$ .
- 13. Find the values of  $x(-\pi, +\pi)$  which satisfy the equation  $8^{(1+|\cos x|+|\cos^2 x|+|\cos^3 x|+...)} = 4^3$ .
- 14. Solve for x and y,  $\begin{cases} x \cos^3 y + 3x \cos y \sin^2 y = 14 \\ x \sin^3 y + 3x \cos^2 y \sin y = 13 \end{cases}$
- 15. Solve the equation :  $4 \sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = 1$ .
- 16. Find all the values of  $\alpha$  for which the equation  $\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x + \sin 2x + \alpha = 0$  is valid. Also find the general solution of the equation.
- 17. The number of values of  $\theta$  in the interval  $\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  such that  $\theta \neq \frac{n\pi}{5}$  for  $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$  and  $\tan \theta = \cot 5\theta$  as well as  $\sin 2\theta = \cos 4\theta$ , is
- 18. A triangle ABC is such that  $sin(2A + B) = sin(C A) = -sin(B + 2C) = \frac{1}{2}$ . If A, B and C are in arithmetical progression, then find the values of A, B, C.
- 19. In a triangle ABC, the angle B is greater than angle A and if the values of angle A and B satisfy the equation  $3 \sin x 4 \sin^3 x K = 0$ , 0 < K < 1. Then show that the value of C is  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ .
- 20. Show that  $2 \sin x + \tan x > 3x$ , where  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .
- 21. If  $\exp \{(\sin^2 x + \sin^4 x + \sin^6 x + \dots) \log_e 2\}$  satisfies the equation  $x^2 9x + 8 = 0$ , find the value of  $\frac{\cos x}{\cos x + \sin x}$ ,  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .
- 22. Choose the correct answer from  $C_2$  to match with  $C_1$ ,  $\frac{\sin 3\alpha}{\cos 2\alpha}$  is

 $\mathbf{C}_{1}$ 

 $\mathbf{C}_{2}$ 

- (a) positive
- (i)  $\left(\frac{13\pi}{48}, \frac{14\pi}{48}\right)$
- (ii)  $\left(\frac{14\pi}{48}, \frac{18\pi}{48}\right)$

- **(b)** negative
- (iii)  $\left(\frac{18\pi}{48}, \frac{23\pi}{48}\right)$
- (iv)  $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$
- 23. Solve the equation  $\sec \theta \csc \theta = \frac{4}{3}$ .
- 24. The number of values of x in the interval  $[0, 5\pi]$  satisfying the equation  $3 \sin^2 x 7 \sin x + 2 = 0$  is
  - (A) 0
- (B) 5
- (C) 6
- (D) 10

- 25. Find the general values of x and y satisfying the equations  $5 \sin x \cos y = 1$ ,  $4 \tan x = \tan y$
- **26.** Find real values of x for which,  $27^{\cos 2x}$ .  $81^{\sin 2x}$  is minimum. Also find this minimum value.
- 27.  $\cos(\alpha \beta) = 1$  and  $\cos(\alpha + \beta) = 1/e$ , where  $\alpha, \beta \in [-\pi, \pi]$ , numbers of pairs of  $\alpha, \beta$  which satisfy both the equations is

(A)0

(B) 1

(C)2

(D) 4

28. If  $0 < \theta < 2\pi$ , then the intervals of values of  $\theta$  for which  $2\sin^2\theta - 5\sin\theta + 2 > 0$ , is

 $(A)\left(0,\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \cup \left(\frac{5\pi}{6},2\pi\right)$ 

(B)  $\left(\frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$ 

 $(C)\left(0,\frac{\pi}{8}\right) \cup \left(\frac{\pi}{6},\frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$ 

(D)  $\left(\frac{41\pi}{48},\pi\right)$ 

29. The number of solutions of the pair of equations

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

 $2\cos^2\theta - 3\sin\theta = 0$ 

in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  is

(A) zero

(B) one

(C) two

(D) four

Pinnacle



### ANSWER KEY

## EXERCISE 1 (A)

| 1. B  | 2. D  | 3. A  | 4. B  | 5. B  | 6. D  | 7. D  |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 8. C  | 9. C  | 10. D | 11. A | 12. C | 13. C | 14. B |
| 15. B | 16. A | 17. C | 18. B | 19. A | 20. A | 21. D |
| 22. A | 23. C | 24. C | 25. C | 26. C | 27. B | 28. D |
| 29. C | 30. D | 31. C | 32. C | 33. D | 34. B | 35. A |
| 36 A  | 37 B  | 38 V  |       |       |       |       |

# EXERCISE 1 (B)

## **MORE THAN ONE ARE CORRECT**

| 1. C, D  | 2. B, D    | 3. A, B, C, D | 4. B     |
|----------|------------|---------------|----------|
| 5. A, B  | 6. A, C, D | 7. A, B, C    | 8. B, D  |
| 9. B     | 10. B      | 11. B         | 12. A, B |
| 13. A, C | 14. B,D    | 15. A, B, C   | 16. A, D |
| 17. B, C | 18. A, C   | 19. A, B, D   |          |

# COMPREHENSION TYPE

| 20. B | 21. C | 22. A | 23. A | 24. C | 25. D | 26. A |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 27. B | 28. D | 29. A | 30. D | 31. B |       |       |

### **REASONING TYPE**

32. A 33. A 34. D 35. A 36. D

### **MATRIX MATCH TYPE**

37. A - S, B - S, C - P, D - Q 38. A - R, B - Q, C - R, D - S

39. A - P, B - P, C - Q

### EXERCISE 2 (A)

| 1. C  | 2. C  | 3. A  | 4. C  | 5. B  | 6. D  | 7. B  |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 8. B  | 9. B  | 10. C | 11. C | 12. C | 13. B | 14. B |
| 15.C  | 16. A | 17. C | 18. A | 19. B | 20. A | 21. C |
| 22. D | 23. B | 24. A | 25. D | 26. C | 27. C | 28. B |
| 29. C | 30. C | 31. B | 32. B | 33. A | 34. A | 35. D |



### EXERCISE 2 (B)

1. 
$$0, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{6} \& \pi$$

2. 
$$x = n\pi \text{ or } \frac{m\pi}{3} \pm \frac{\pi}{9}, n \in I$$

3. 
$$x = \frac{n\pi}{4} \pm \frac{\pi}{12}, n \in I$$

**4.** 
$$x = \frac{2n\pi}{7} + \frac{\pi}{7}, n \in I$$

**5.** 
$$n\pi + \tan^{-1} 3 \text{ or } m\pi + \tan^{-1} 4, m, n \in I$$

**6.** 
$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$$

7. 
$$x = 2n\pi + \pi, \ n \in I, \ x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, \ n \in I$$

8. 
$$x = \frac{2}{6n\pi + 3\pi - 4}$$
 or  $\frac{1}{3n\pi + 3(-1)^n \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{4} - 2}$  where  $n \in I$ 

**10.** 
$$x = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I$$

11. 
$$\theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{4} \text{ or } \theta = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

12.(i) 
$$\theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$$
 or  $\theta = (2m+1)\frac{\pi}{10}$ ,  $m, n \in I$  (ii)  $\theta = m\pi, m \in I$  or 
$$\begin{cases} \theta = \frac{k\pi}{2(n-1)}, & \text{k is even integer} \\ \theta = \frac{k\pi}{2n}, & \text{k is odd integer} \end{cases}$$
13.  $x = n\pi, n \in I$ 
14. (i) 0 (ii)  $n\pi, n \in I$ 
15. (i)  $\theta = 2n\pi \text{ or } 2n\pi + \pi, n \in I$ 

**13.** 
$$x = n\pi, n \in I$$

(ii) 
$$n\pi$$
,  $n \in I$ 

15. (i) 
$$\phi$$

(ii) 
$$\theta = 2n\pi \text{ or } 2n\pi + \pi, n \in I$$

**16.** (i) 
$$\theta = 2p\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}, p \in I$$
 (ii)  $x = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I$ 

(ii) 
$$x = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I$$

17. 
$$x = (2k+1)\frac{\pi}{4}$$
;  $y = (2\ell+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$ ;  $z = (2m+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$ ;  $\ell$ , m,  $k \in I$ 

**18.** 
$$\theta = (6m - 4n)\frac{\pi}{5} \pm \frac{\pi}{10} \mp \frac{2\pi}{15}, \ \phi = (6n - 4m)\frac{\pi}{5} \pm \frac{\pi}{5} \mp \frac{\pi}{15}$$

19.  $x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ , where n is not a multiple of 3

**20.** 
$$\theta = 2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{6}, n \in I$$

21. 
$$x = 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, 2\pi$$

21. 
$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}, \frac{\pi}{2}, 2\pi$$
 22.  $\frac{\pi}{7}, \frac{5\pi}{7}, \pi, \frac{9\pi}{7}, \frac{13\pi}{7}$ 

**23.** 
$$\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \phi = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$
 **24.**  $n\pi; n\pi \pm \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right), n \in \mathbb{Z}$ 

24. 
$$n\pi; n\pi \pm \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right), n \in I$$

27. 
$$\frac{n\pi}{2} - (-1)^n \left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) \text{ where } n \in I$$

**28.** 
$$(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I$$

**29.** 
$$x \in \left(2k\pi, 2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right), k \in I$$

**30.** 
$$-3 \le a \le -2, x = n\pi \pm \cos^{-1} \sqrt{(a+3)}, n \in I$$



**31.** 
$$-\sqrt{3} \le a \le \sqrt{3}, \cos^{-1}(1/\sqrt{3}) - \frac{\pi}{6}, 11\pi/6 - \cos^{-1}(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}})$$

32. 
$$x = (n-m)\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2}, (n-m)\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\alpha}{2}, y = (n+m)\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\alpha}{2}, (n+m)\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2}, n, m \in I$$

where  $\alpha = \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)$ 

**33.** 
$$(x,y) = (5\pi/6, \pi/6), (\pi/6, 5\pi/6)$$
 **34.**  $\left(\frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{\sqrt{\sqrt{2}+1}}{2\sqrt{2}}\right), \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right), \left(-\frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)$ 

**35.** 
$$-\sqrt{2} \le y \le \sqrt{2}, \ x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi$$
 **36.**  $2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

37. 
$$n\pi + (-1)^{-1} \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{a}{a-1}\right), -\infty < a < \frac{1}{2}$$
 38.  $\left[(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{4}, \ \forall \ n \in I\right]$ 

**39.** 
$$(x, y) = \left(\pm 1, 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$
 **40.**  $-\pi, -\frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \pi$ 

41.  $\frac{765\pi^2}{4}$ ,  $\frac{55\pi}{2}$ . All the roots of  $\cos\sqrt{x} = 0$  are not the same as thoese of  $\sin\sqrt{x} = -1$ 

## **EXERCISE 3 (A)**

- - 3. B
- 5. A
- 6. B
- 7. B

- 10. B
- 11. C
- EXERCISE 3 (B)

1. 
$$a < \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

3.  $\cos x > \cos y$ 

**4.** 
$$x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$
;  $y = 2(n-k)\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ ,  $n, k \in I$    
**5.**  $x = \frac{k\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$ ;  $y = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ;  $k, n \in I$ 

5. 
$$x = \frac{k\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}$$
;  $y = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ;  $k, n \in I$ 

**6.** (i) 
$$x = k\pi, x = k\pi + (-1)^k \frac{\pi}{6}, k \in I$$

- - (ii) no solution (iii)  $2n\pi + \pi, 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$  7. a = -1, 0

7. 
$$a = -1,0$$

**8.** 
$$-2 \le a \le 2$$
 and for  $a = 0$ ,  $x = n\pi + \pi/2$ 

9. 
$$x = \frac{7\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{2}$$

11. 
$$x = 3\pi$$

**12.** 
$$a < -1, a = 0$$

13. 
$$a = 4, a > 5$$



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2. False

3.  $x = 2n\pi$  or  $2n\pi + \alpha$ , where  $\tan^3 \frac{\alpha}{2} = 2 + \tan \left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)$ 

**4.** 
$$x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{6}\right] \cup \left[\frac{5\pi}{6}, \pi\right]$$

**5.** B

**6.** D

**7.** C

**8.** 
$$\theta = n\pi, \ m\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, \ m, n \in I$$

**9.** C

**10.** B

11. B

12. 
$$x = m\pi + (-1)^m \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{4} \right)$$
,  $x = n\pi$ ,  $m\pi + (-1)^m \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{4} \right)$ , m and n are integer

13. 
$$\pm \frac{\pi}{3}$$
,  $\pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ 

**14.** 
$$x = \pm 5\sqrt{5}$$
 and  $y = n\pi + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$ 

15. 
$$x = n\pi$$
 or  $x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\frac{1}{5}$ 

**16.** 
$$\left[ \frac{-3}{2} \le \alpha \le \frac{1}{2}, \ x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \frac{\beta}{2}, \ \beta = \sin^{-1}(1 - \sqrt{3 + 2\alpha}) \right].$$

**18.** 
$$A = 45^{\circ}$$
,  $B = 60^{\circ}$ ,  $C = 75^{\circ}$ 

**19.** C = 
$$\pi - (A + B) = \pi - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

21. 
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}$$

**22.** 
$$a \rightarrow iii, b \rightarrow i$$

23. 
$$\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4} + (-1)^n \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

**25.** 
$$y = (n-m)\frac{\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4} - (-1)^m \frac{\alpha}{2}$$
;  $x = (m+n)\frac{\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4} + (-1)^m \frac{\alpha}{2}$  where  $\alpha = \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)$ ,  $m, n \in I$ 

**26.** min. value = 
$$3^{-5}$$
 for  $x = (4n-1)\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $n \in I$ ;

max. value = 
$$3^5$$
 for  $x = (4n + 1)\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}tan^{-1}\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $n \in I$ 

**28.** A

**29.** C