



Assignment

General Solution of a Trigonometric Equations

Basic Level

1. If $\cos p\theta = \cos q\theta$, $p \neq q$, then [MP PET 1995]
- (a) $\theta = 2n\pi$ (b) $\theta = \frac{2n\pi}{p \pm q}$ (c) $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{p+q}$ (d) None of these
2. General solution of $\tan 5\theta = \cot 2\theta$ is [Karnataka CET 2000]
- (a) $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{7} + \frac{\pi}{14}$ (b) $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{7} + \frac{\pi}{5}$ (c) $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{7} + \frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{7} + \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in Z$
3. If $\tan 2\theta \tan \theta = 1$, then $\theta =$
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $(6n \pm 1)\frac{\pi}{6}$ (c) $(4n \pm 1)\frac{\pi}{6}$ (d) None of these
4. If $\tan \theta + \cot \theta = 2$, then $\theta =$
- (a) $n\pi$ (b) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$
5. If $\cot \theta + \tan \theta = 2\operatorname{cosec} \theta$, then general value of θ is [Roorkee 1971]
- (a) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ (c) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ (d) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$
6. If $1 + \cot \theta = \operatorname{cosec} \theta$, then the general value of θ is [Roorkee 1981]
- (a) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ (b) $2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}$ (c) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) None of these
7. The value of $\cos y \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - y\right) \cos x + \sin y \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) + \cos x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - y\right)$ is zero if [Kerala (Engg.) 1993]
- (a) $x = 0$ (b) $y = 0$ (c) $x = y$ (d) $x = n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4} + y (n \in I)$
8. If $\sin^2 \theta - 2 \cos \theta + \frac{1}{4} = 0$, then the general value of θ is [MP PET 1984]
- (a) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ (c) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ (d) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$
9. The general value of θ satisfying $\sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta = 2$ is [AMU 1996, 99]
- (a) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ (b) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3}$



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10. If $\sec 4\theta - \sec 2\theta = 2$, then the general value of θ is [IIT 1963]
- (a) $(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{10}$ (c) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ or $\frac{n\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{10}$ (d) None of these
11. If $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\cot\theta\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\tan\theta\right)$, then $\theta =$ [Karnataka CET 1988]
- (a) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$
12. The general solution of $\sin x - 3\sin 2x + \sin 3x = \cos x - 3\cos 2x + \cos 3x$ is [IIT 1989]
- (a) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{8}$ (b) $\frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$ (c) $(-1)^n \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}$ (d) $2n\pi + \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{2}$
13. The solution of the equation $\sec\theta - \operatorname{cosec}\theta = \frac{4}{3}$ is [Roorkee 1994]
- (a) $\frac{1}{2}\left[n\pi + (-1)^n \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\right]$ (b) $n\pi + (-1)^n \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$ (c) $\frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$ (d) None of these
14. If $4\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = 1$, then x equal to [Roorkee 1989]
- (a) $n\pi$ (b) $n\pi \pm \sin^{-1} \frac{2}{5}$ (c) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$ (d) None of these
15. If $2(\sin x - \cos 2x) + \sin 2x(1 + 2\sin x) - 2\cos x = 0$, then $x =$ [Karnataka CET 2002]
- (a) $(2n \pm 1)\pi$ (b) $(2n \pm 1)\frac{\pi}{6}$ (c) $(n \pm 1)\frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) $(n \pm 1)\frac{\pi}{6}$
16. Expression $2^{\sin\theta} + 2^{-\cos\theta}$ is minimum when $\theta = \dots\dots\dots$ and its minimum value is $\dots\dots\dots$
- (a) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I; 2$ (b) $2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{4}, n \in I; 2^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ (c) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I; 2^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ (d) None of these
17. The general solution of the equation $2^{\cos 2x} + 1 = 3 \cdot 2^{-\sin^2 x}$ is
- (a) $n\pi$ (b) $n\pi + \pi$ (c) $n\pi - \pi$ (d) None of these
18. If $\theta = \tan^{-1}(2\tan^2\theta) - \frac{1}{2}\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3\sin 2\theta}{5+4\cos 2\theta}\right)$ then the general value of θ [Roorkee 1997; WBJEE 2000]
- (a) $n\pi$ (b) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $n\pi + \tan^{-1}(-2)$ (d) All of these
19. If the expression $\frac{\sin \frac{x}{2} + \cos \frac{x}{2} - i \tan x}{1 + 2i \sin \frac{x}{2}}$ is real, then x is equal to
- (a) $2n\pi + \tan^{-1} K, K \in R, n \in Z$ (b) $2n\pi + 2 \tan^{-1} K$, where $K \in (0, 1), n \in Z$
- (b) $2n\pi + 2 \tan^{-1} K$, where $K \in (1, 2), n \in Z$ (d) $2n\pi + 2 \tan^{-1} K, K \in (2, 3), n \in Z$
20. If $\frac{1}{6}\sin x, \cos x, \tan x$ are in G.P., then x is equal to
- (a) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in Z$ (b) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in Z$ (c) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in Z$ (d) None of these

21. If $32 \tan^8 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \alpha - 3 \cos \alpha$ and $3 \cos 2\theta = 1$, then the general value of α is [Roorkee 1996]
- (a) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $2n\pi \pm \cos^{-1} 2$ (c) $2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ (d) None of these
22. If $\max_{\theta \in R} \{5 \sin \theta + 3 \sin(\theta - \alpha)\} = 7$, then the set of possible values of α is
- (a) $\left\{x \mid x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in Z\right\}$ (b) $\left\{x \mid x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}, n \in Z\right\}$ (c) $\left[\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right]$ (d) None of these
23. If $|\cos x|^{\sin^2 x - \frac{3}{2} \sin x + \frac{1}{2}} = 1$, then possible values of x are
- (a) $n\pi$ or $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$ (b) $n\pi$ or $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ or $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$
- (c) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}, n \in I$ (d) None of these
24. The general solution of $\cos^{50} x - \sin^{50} x = 1$ is
- (a) $n\pi$ (b) $2n\pi$ (c) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$
25. Let $[x]$ = the greatest integer less than or equal to x and let $f(x) = \sin x + \cos x$. Then the most general solution of $f(x) = \left[f\left(\frac{\pi}{10}\right)\right]$ are
- (a) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, n \in Z$ (b) $n\pi, n \in Z$ (c) $2n\pi, n \in Z$ (d) None of these
26. The most general values of x for which $\sin x + \cos x = \min_{a \in R} \{1, a^2 - 4a + 6\}$ are given by
- (a) $2n\pi$ (b) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ (c) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) None of these

Number of Solutions and Solutions in the Interval of a Trigonometric Equation

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27. The number of values of θ in $[0, 2\pi]$ satisfying the equation $2 \sin^2 \theta = 4 + 3 \cos \theta$ are [MP PET 1989]
- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 3
28. The equation $3 \cos x + 4 \sin x = 6$ has....solution [Orissa JEE 2002]
- (a) Finite (b) Infinite (c) One (d) No
29. The solution of the equation $\cos^2 \theta + \sin \theta + 1 = 0$, lies in the interval
- (a) $\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ (b) $\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$ (c) $\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}\right)$ (d) $\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}\right)$
30. The solution set of the system of equations $x + y = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \cos x + \cos y = \frac{3}{2}$, where x and y are real in
- (a) A finite non-empty set (b) Null set (c) Infinite (d)
31. The equation $2 \cos^2\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \sin^2 x = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}, 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ has [Kurukshetra CEE 1995]
- (a) No solution (b) One real solution (c) More than one real solution (d) None of these
32. The smallest positive root of the equation $\tan x - x = 0$ lies on

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- (a) $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ (b) $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi\right)$ (c) $\left(\pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$ (d) $\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi\right)$

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33. If a is any real number, then the number of roots of $\cot x - \tan x = a$ in the first quadrant are
 (a) 2 (b) 0 (c) 1 (d) None of these
34. The number of solutions of the equation $\sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\sqrt{3}}\right) = x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}x + 4$
 (a) Form an empty set (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) > 2
35. The number of all possible triplets (a_1, a_2, a_3) such that $a_1 + a_2 \cos 2x + a_3 \sin^2 x = 0$ for all x is
 (a) Zero (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) Infinite
36. The equation $(\cos p - 1)x^2 - (\cos p)x + \sin p = 0$, where x is a variable, has real roots. Then the interval of p may be any one of the followings [IIT 1990]
 (a) $(0, 2\pi)$ (b) $(-\pi, 0)$ (c) $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ (d) $(0, \pi)$
37. Let n be an odd integer if $\sin n\theta = \sum_{r=0}^n b_r \sin^r \theta$, for every value of θ , then [IIT 1998]
 (a) $b_0 = 1, b_1 = 3$ (b) $b_0 = 0, b_1 = 4$ (c) $b_0 = 0, b_1 = n$ (d) $b_0 = 0, b_1 = n^2 - n + 3$

Solution of Simultaneously Solving Equation

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38. The most general value of θ which will satisfy both the equations $\sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ is [UPSEAT 1980; MP PET 1980]
 (a) $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ (b) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$ (c) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ (d) None of these
39. The most general value of θ satisfying the equations $\sin \theta = \sin \alpha$ and $\cos \theta = \cos \alpha$ is [DCE 1999; IIT 1971; Karnataka CET 1999]
 (a) $2n\pi + \alpha$ (b) $2n\pi - \alpha$ (c) $n\pi + \alpha$ (d) $n\pi - \alpha$
40. If $\sin A = \sin B, \cos A = \cos B$, then the value of A in terms of B is
 (a) $n\pi + B$ (b) $n\pi + (-1)^n B$ (c) $2n\pi + B$ (d) $2n\pi - B$
41. If $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ and $\tan \theta = 1$, then the general value of θ is
 (a) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $(2n+1)\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) $n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$
42. If $\sin 2x + \sin 4x = 2 \sin 3x$, then $x =$ [EAMCET 1989]
 (a) $\frac{n\pi}{3}$ (b) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$ (c) $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ (d) None of these
43. If $\tan \theta = \sqrt{3}$ and $\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}}$, then the most general value of θ satisfying both the equations is

- (a) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $2n\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3}$ (c) $2n\pi + \frac{4\pi}{3}$ (d) None of these
44. If $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, then the general value of θ which satisfies both the equations is
 (a) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$ (d) None of these
45. General solution of $(1 + 2 \sin \theta)^2 + (\sqrt{3} \tan \theta - 1)^2 = 0$ is
 (a) $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$ (b) $2n\pi + \frac{11\pi}{6}$ (c) $2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{6}$ (d) None of these
46. If $3 \sin^2 \theta + 2 \sin^2 \phi = 1$ and $3 \sin 2\theta = 2 \sin 2\phi$, $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $0 < \phi < \frac{\pi}{2}$, then the value of $\theta + 2\phi$ is
 (a) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) 0 (d) None of these

Principal Value and Particular Values of a Trigonometrical Equations

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47. The smallest value of θ satisfying $\sqrt{3}(\cot \theta + \tan \theta) = 4$ is [EAMCET 1996]
 (a) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{12}$
48. If $\sin \theta = \sqrt{3} \cos \theta$, $-\pi < \theta < 0$, then $\theta =$ [MP PET 1992]
 (a) $-\frac{5\pi}{6}$ (b) $-\frac{4\pi}{6}$ (c) $\frac{4\pi}{6}$ (d) $\frac{5\pi}{6}$
49. If $\tan \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, then the principal value of θ will be [MP PET 1984]
 (a) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (b) $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ (c) $\frac{7\pi}{6}$ (d) $-\frac{\pi}{6}$
50. The smallest positive angle satisfying the equation $\sin^2 \theta - 2 \cos \theta + \frac{1}{4} = 0$ is
 (a) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{6}$
51. If $\sin 5x + \sin 3x + \sin x = 0$, then the value of x other than 0 lying between $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ is [MNR 1985]
 (a) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{12}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
52. The value of x satisfying the equation $\sin x + \frac{1}{\sin x} = \frac{7}{2\sqrt{3}}$ is given by
 (a) 10° (b) 30° (c) 45° (d) 60°
53. If $\sin 2\theta = \cos 3\theta$ and θ is an acute angle, then $\sin \theta$ is equal to
 (a) $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$ (b) $\frac{-\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$ (c) 0 (d) None of these
54. The values of θ satisfying $\sin 7\theta = \sin 4\theta - \sin \theta$ and $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ are



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- (a) $\frac{\pi}{9}, \frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{9}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{9}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{4}$
55. If $(2 \cos x - 1)(3 + 2 \cos x) = 0$, $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$, then $x =$ [UPSEAT 1988, 2000]
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{3}, \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)$ (d) $\frac{5\pi}{3}$
56. If $2 \cos^2 x + 3 \sin x - 3 = 0$, $0 \leq x \leq 180^\circ$, then $x =$ [MP PET 1986]
- (a) $30^\circ, 90^\circ, 150^\circ$ (b) $60^\circ, 120^\circ, 180^\circ$ (c) $0^\circ, 30^\circ, 150^\circ$ (d) $45^\circ, 90^\circ, 135^\circ$
57. If $r \sin \theta = 3$, $r = 4(1 + \sin \theta)$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$, then $\theta =$ [Roorkee 1974]
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi$
58. If $\tan(\theta + x)\tan(\theta - x) = 1$ for all x , then value of θ must be
- (a) 0° (b) 30° (c) 45° (d) 60°
59. If $2 \sin^2 \theta = 3 \cos \theta$, where $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$, then $\theta =$ [IIT 1963]
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{7\pi}{3}$ (d) None of these
60. $\cot \theta = \sin 2\theta$ ($\theta \neq n\pi$, n is integer), if $\theta =$ [Karnataka CET 1993; BIT Ranchi 1991]
- (a) 45° and 60° (b) 45° and 90° (c) 45° only (d) 90° only
61. If $\cos \theta = \frac{-1}{2}$ and $0 < \theta < 360^\circ$, then the values of θ are [Karnataka CET 2001]
- (a) 120° and 300° (b) 60° and 120° (c) 120° and 240° (d) 60° and 240°
62. If $\tan(\pi \cos \theta) = \cot(\pi \sin \theta)$, then $\sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ equals [AMU 1999]
- (a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ (c) $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ (d) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
63. If $2 \sec(2\alpha) = \tan \beta + \cot \beta$, then one of the values of $(\alpha + \beta)$ is
- (a) π (b) $n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) None of these

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64. If $3 \sin 2\theta = 2 \sin 3\theta$ and $0 < \theta < \pi$, then value of $\sin \theta$ is [T.S. Rajendra 1992]
- (a) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$ (b) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{5}}$ (c) $\frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}$ (d) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}}$
65. $2 \sin^2 x + \sin^2 2x = 2$, $-\pi < x < \pi$, then $x =$ [ISM Dhanbad 1989]
- (a) $\pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ (b) $\pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ (d) None of these
66. If $5 \cos 2\theta + 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + 1 = 0$, $-\pi < \theta < \pi$, then $\theta =$ [Roorkee 1984]

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- (a) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5}$ (c) $\cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5}$ (d) None of these
67. If $\sec x \cos 5x + 1 = 0$, where $0 < x < 2\pi$, then $x =$ [Roorkee 1978; IIT 1963]
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{5}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) None of these
68. The equation $3^{\sin 2x + 2\cos^2 x} + 3^{1 - \sin 2x + 2\sin^2 x} = 28$ is satisfied for the values of x given by
- (a) $\cos x = 0$ (b) $\tan x = -1$ (c) $\tan x = 1$ (d) Both (a) and (b)
69. If $e^{[(\sin^2 x + \sin^4 x + \sin^6 x + \dots \infty) \log_e 2]}$ satisfies the equation $x^2 - 9x + 8 = 0$, then the value of $\frac{\cos x}{\cos x + \sin x}$, $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ is [IIT 1991]
- (a) $\frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3} + 1)$ (b) $\frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3} - 1)$ (c) $\frac{1}{2}$ (d) 0
70. The value of θ lying between $\theta = 0$ and $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ and satisfying the equation $\begin{vmatrix} 1 + \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 4 \sin 4\theta \\ \cos^2 \theta & 1 + \sin^2 \theta & 4 \sin 4\theta \\ \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 1 + 4 \sin 4\theta \end{vmatrix} = 0$ is [MNR 1991]
- (a) $\frac{11\pi}{24}$ (b) $\frac{7\pi}{24}$ (c) $\frac{5\pi}{24}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{24}$
71. The smallest positive value of x and y , satisfying $x - y = \frac{\pi}{4}$ and $\cot x + \cot y = 2$ are [Roorkee 2000]
- (a) $x = \frac{\pi}{6}, y = \frac{5\pi}{2}$ (b) $x = \frac{5\pi}{12}, y = \frac{\pi}{6}$ (c) $x = \frac{\pi}{3}, y = \frac{7\pi}{12}$ (d) None of these
72. If $(1 - \tan \theta)(1 + \tan \theta)\sec^2 \theta + 2^{\tan^2 \theta} = 0$ then in the interval $\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$, the value of θ is [IIT 1996]
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) $\frac{-\pi}{4}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (d) $\frac{-\pi}{3}$

Periodic Functions

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73. Period of $\sin \theta \cos \theta$ is
- (a) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (b) π (c) 2π (d) None of these
74. Period of $\tan 3\theta$ is
- (a) 2π (b) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (d) π
75. Period of $\frac{\sin \theta + \sin 2\theta}{\cos \theta + \cos 2\theta}$ is
- (a) 2π (b) π (c) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
76. Period of $\cos(7x - 5)$ is
- (a) $\frac{2\pi - 5}{7}$ (b) $2\pi - 5$ (c) $\frac{2\pi}{7}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{7}$
77. Period of $\sin \theta + \cos \theta$ is

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- (a) π (b) 2π (c) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) None of these
78. Period of $\sin \frac{x}{2} - \cos \frac{x}{3}$ is
 (a) 2π (b) 4π (c) 8π (d) 12π
79. Period of $\cot 3x - \cos(4x + 3)$ is
 (a) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (b) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (c) π (d) 2π
80. Period of $|2 \sin 3\theta + 4 \cos 3\theta|$ is
 (a) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ (b) π (c) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
81. The period of the function $\sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)$ is [EAMCET 1990]
 (a) 4 (b) 6 (c) 12 (d) 24
82. The period of the function $|\sin \pi x|$ is [AMU 1999]
 (a) π^2 (b) 2π (c) 2 (d) 1
83. The period of $f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{n-1}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{n}\right)$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, $n > 2$ is
 (a) $2\pi(n-1)$ (b) $4\pi(n-1)$ (c) $2\pi(n-1)$ (d) None of these
84. The period of $a \sin x + b \cos x$ is
 (a) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (b) π (c) 2π (d) None of these
85. The period of $\sin 8x - \sqrt{3} \cos 8x$ is
 (a) π (b) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (c) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (d) 2π
86. The period of $118 \sin 2x - 143 \cot 4x$ is
 (a) 2π (b) π (c) 4π (d) None of these

Advance Level

87. The period of $\sin x \cdot \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right)$ is
 (a) π (b) 2π (c) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) None of these
88. The period of $\frac{7 \sin x + 5 \cos x}{7 \sin 2x + 11 \cos x}$ is
 (a) 2π (b) π (c) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) None of these
89. The period of the function $f(x) = 3 \sin(2x + 1)$ in radians is

- (a) 2π (b) π (c) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) $-\pi$

90. The function f given by $f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right) + 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{3}\right) - \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right)$ is periodic with period [EAMCET 1992]

- (a) 6 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 12

Trigonometrical Inequations

Basic Level

91. The solution set of inequality $\cos^2 \theta < \frac{1}{2}$ is

- (a) $\left\{ \theta : (8n+1)\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < (8n+3)\frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$ (b) $\left\{ \theta : (8n-3)\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < (8n-1)\frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$
 (c) $\left\{ \theta : (4n+1)\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < (4n+3)\frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$ (d) None of these

92. Let $2 \sin^2 x + 3 \sin x - 2 > 0$ and $x^2 - x - 2 < 0$ (x measured in radians) then x lies in the interval

- (a) $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$ (b) $\left(-1, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$ (c) $(-1, 2)$ (d) $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, 2\right)$

93. The number of values of $x \in [0, 4\pi]$ satisfying $|\sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x| \geq 2$ is

- (a) 2 (b) 0 (c) 4 (d) 8

94. If $4 \sin^2 x - 8 \sin x + 3 \leq 0$, $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$, then the solution set for x is

- (a) $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{6}\right]$ (b) $\left[0, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right]$ (c) $\left[\frac{5\pi}{6}, 2\pi\right]$ (d) $\left[\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}\right]$

95. The number of solutions of $|\cos x| = \sin x$, $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$, is

- (a) 8 (b) 4 (c) 2 (d) None of these

96. If $\cos x - \sin x \geq 1$ and $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ then the solution set for x is

- (a) $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right] \cup \left[\frac{7\pi}{4}, 2\pi\right]$ (b) $\left[\frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{4}\right] \cup \{0\}$ (c) $\left[\frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi\right] \cup \{0\}$ (d) None of these

97. If $|\tan x| \leq 1$ and $x \in [-\pi, \pi]$ then the solution for x is

- (a) $\left[-\pi, \frac{-3\pi}{4}\right] \cup \left[\frac{-\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right] \cup \left[\frac{3\pi}{4}, \pi\right]$ (b) $\left[\frac{-\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right] \cup \left[\frac{3\pi}{4}, \pi\right]$
 (c) $\left[\frac{-\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right]$ (d) None of these

98. The set of values of x for which $\sin x \cdot \cos^3 x > \cos x \cdot \sin^3 x$, $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ is

- (a) $(0, \pi)$ (b) $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ (c) $\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \pi\right)$ (d) None of these



Answer Sheet

Trigonometrical Equations and

Assignment (Basic & Advance Level)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
b	a	b	b	c	c	d	b	c	c	a	b	a	a	a	b	a	d	b	b
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
c	a	a	a	d	c	a	d	d	b	a	a	c	b	d	d	c	d	a	c
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
b	a	c	c	c	a	c	b	b	b	c	d	a	a	b	a	b	c	b	b
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
c	c	c	c	b	d	c	d	b	a,b	b	c,d	b	c	c	c	b	d	c	d
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98		
a	d	c	c	c	b	a	a	b	d	c	d	c	d	b	c	a	b		

