

Topic :-TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

781 (a)

We have,

$$2 \sin \theta = r^4 - 2r^2 + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin \theta = (r^2 - 1)^2 + 2$$

Clearly, LHS ≤ 2 and RHS ≥ 2

So, the equation is meaningful if each side is equal to 2

Clearly, RHS = 2 for $r^2 = 1$

For $r^2 = 1$, we have

$$2 \sin \theta = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{9\pi}{2} \quad [\because 0 \leq \theta \leq 5\pi]$$

$$\text{Also, } r^2 = 1 \Rightarrow r = \pm 1$$

Hence, the total number of pairs of the form (r, θ) is $2 \times 3 = 6$

783 (a)

We have,

$$\frac{1}{p_1^2} + \frac{1}{p_2^2} + \frac{1}{p_3^2} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{4\Delta^2}$$

Also,

$$\cot A + \cos B + \cot C = \frac{2R}{abc} (b^2 + c^2 - a^2 + c^2 + a^2 - b^2 + a^2 + b^2 - c^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot A + \cos B + \cot C = \frac{R(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)}{abc} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{4\Delta}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{1}{p_1^2} + \frac{1}{p_2^2} + \frac{1}{p_3^2} = \frac{\cot A + \cot B + \cot C}{\Delta}$$

784 (c)

We have,

$$\sin 2\theta + 2 = 4 \sin \theta + \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta - \cos \theta + 2 - 4 \sin \theta = 0$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin \theta - 1 = 0 \quad [\because \cos \theta - 2 \neq 0]$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}, 2\pi + \frac{5\pi}{6}, 4\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}, 4\pi + \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

Hence, the equation has 4 solutions

ALITER The curves $y = \sin x$ and $y = \frac{1}{2}$ intersect at 4 points in $[\pi, 5\pi]$. So, the equation has 4 solutions

785 (c)

For a triangle inscribed in a circle, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{a}{2\sin A} &= \frac{b}{2\sin B} = \frac{c}{2\sin C} = R \\ \therefore \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C &= \frac{a^2}{4R^2} + \frac{b^2}{4R^2} + \frac{c^2}{4R^2} (a^2 + b^2 + c^2)\end{aligned}$$

It is given that

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{2} &= 2(2R)^2 \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 16R^2 \\ \therefore \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C &= \frac{1}{4R^2}(16R^2) = 4\end{aligned}$$

786 (d)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}\tan 9^\circ - \tan 27^\circ - \tan 63^\circ + \tan 81^\circ &= (\tan 9^\circ + \tan 81^\circ) - (\tan 27^\circ + \tan 63^\circ) \\ &= (\tan 9^\circ + \cot 9^\circ) - (\tan 27^\circ + \cot 27^\circ) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sin 9^\circ \cos 9^\circ} - \frac{1}{\sin 27^\circ \cos 27^\circ} \\ &= \frac{2}{\sin 18^\circ} - \frac{2}{\sin 54^\circ} \\ &= 2 \frac{\sin 54^\circ - \sin 18^\circ}{\sin 54^\circ \sin 18^\circ} = 2 \frac{\cos 36^\circ - \sin 18^\circ}{\sin 18^\circ \cos 36^\circ} = 4\end{aligned}$$

787 (c)

$$\text{Given, } \sin 4A + \sin 2A = \cos 4A + \cos 2A$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin 3A \cos A = 2 \cos 3A \cos A$$

$$\therefore \tan 3A = 1 \text{ and } \cos A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{\pi}{12} \text{ and } A = \frac{\pi}{2} \notin (0, \frac{\pi}{4})$$

$$\therefore \tan 4A = \tan \frac{\pi}{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

788 (c)

We have,

$$\sin A + \sin B = \frac{a+b}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A + \sin B = \frac{\sin A + \sin B}{\sin C} \Rightarrow \sin C = 1$$

789 (a)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(\alpha + \beta) &= 1, \sin(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta &= \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ and, } \alpha - \beta = \frac{\pi}{6} \\ \Rightarrow \alpha &= \frac{\pi}{3}, \beta = \frac{\pi}{6} \\ \therefore \tan(\alpha + 2\beta) \tan(2\alpha + \beta) &= \tan\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) \tan\frac{5\pi}{6} = \left(-\cot\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\left(-\cot\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 1\end{aligned}$$

790 (c)

Let $a_0 = \cos \theta$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}a_1 &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(1+a_0)} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(1+\cos\theta)} = \cos\frac{\theta}{2} \\ a_2 &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(1+a_1)} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}\left(1+\cos\frac{\theta}{2}\right)} = \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2^2}\right)\end{aligned}$$

and so on

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now, } \frac{1-a_0^2}{a_1 a_2 a_3 \dots \text{to } \infty} &= \frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\frac{\theta}{2} \cos\frac{\theta}{2^2} \cos\frac{\theta}{2^3} \dots \text{to } \infty} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\frac{\theta}{2} \cos\frac{\theta}{2^2} \cos\frac{\theta}{2^3} \dots \text{to } \infty} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\{2^n \sin(\theta/2^n)\} \sin\theta}{\sin(2^n \times \theta/2^n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(\theta/2^n) \cdot \theta}{(\theta/2^n)} = \theta = a_0\end{aligned}$$

791 (b)

Let the angles of triangle ABC be $A = \theta, B = 2\theta$ and $C = 7\theta$. Then,

$$A + B + C = 180^\circ \Rightarrow 10\theta = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \theta = 18^\circ$$

$$\therefore A = 18^\circ, B = 36^\circ \text{ and } C = 126^\circ$$

Clearly, c is the greatest side and a is the smallest side.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{a}{\sin A} &= \frac{c}{\sin C} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{c}{a} &= \frac{\sin C}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin 126^\circ}{\sin 18^\circ} = \frac{\cos 36^\circ}{\sin 18^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{\sqrt{5}-1}\end{aligned}$$

792 (b)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}A &= \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ and } \Delta = \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{2} \text{ cm}^2 \\ \therefore \Delta &= \frac{1}{2}bc \sin A \Rightarrow \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{1}{2}bc \sin\frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow bc = 18\end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned}\cos A &= \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} \\ \Rightarrow \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} &= \frac{(b-c)^2 + 2bc - a^2}{2bc} \\ \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} &= \frac{27 + 36 - a^2}{36} \Rightarrow a^2 = 81 \Rightarrow a = 9 \text{ cm}\end{aligned}$$

793 (b)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}s &= 8k \text{ and, } \Delta = \sqrt{8k \times 3k \times 2k \times 3k} = 12k^2 \\ \therefore r &= \frac{\Delta}{s} \Rightarrow \frac{12k^2}{8k} = 6 \Rightarrow k = 4\end{aligned}$$

794 (d)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2^{\sin x} + 2^{\cos x}}{2} &\geq \sqrt{2^{\sin x} 2^{\cos x}} \quad [\because AM \geq GM] \\ \Rightarrow 2^{\sin x} + 2^{\cos x} &\geq \sqrt{2^{\sin x + \cos x}} \\ \Rightarrow 2^{\sin x} + 2^{\cos x} &\geq 2\sqrt{2^{-\sqrt{2}}} \quad [\because -\sqrt{2} \leq \sin x + \cos x \leq \sqrt{2}] \\ \Rightarrow 2^{\sin x} + 2^{\cos x} &\geq 2^{1-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}\end{aligned}$$

795 (a)

$$\text{Let } A = \frac{1}{3\sin\theta - 4\cos\theta + 7}$$

Now, A will be minimum when $3\sin\theta - 4\cos\theta + 7$ is maximum

\therefore Maximum value of

$$3\sin\theta - 4\cos\theta + 7 = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} + 7 = 12$$

\therefore Minimum value of $\frac{1}{3\sin\theta - 4\cos\theta + 7}$ is $\frac{1}{12}$

796 (b)

We have,

$$\operatorname{cosec}\theta = \frac{p+q}{p-q}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right) &= \frac{1 - \tan\frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + \tan\frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{\cos\frac{\theta}{2} - \sin\frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos\frac{\theta}{2} + \sin\frac{\theta}{2}} \\ \Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right) &= \sqrt{\frac{\left(\cos\frac{\theta}{2} - \sin\frac{\theta}{2}\right)^2}{\left(\cos\frac{\theta}{2} + \sin\frac{\theta}{2}\right)^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin\theta}{1 + \sin\theta}}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\frac{\cosec \theta - 1}{\cosec \theta + 1}} = \sqrt{\frac{\frac{p+q}{p-q}-1}{\frac{p+q}{p-q}+1}} = \sqrt{\frac{q}{p}}$$

797 (a)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin t + \cos t &= \frac{1}{5} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{2 \tan \frac{t}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{t}{2}} + \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{t}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{t}{2}} &= \frac{1}{5} \\ \Rightarrow 10 \tan \frac{t}{2} + 5 - 5 \tan^2 \frac{t}{2} &= 1 + \tan^2 \frac{t}{2} \\ \Rightarrow 6 \tan^2 \frac{t}{2} - 10 \tan \frac{t}{2} - 4 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \left(6 \tan \frac{t}{2} + 2\right)\left(\tan \frac{t}{2} - 2\right) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \tan \frac{t}{2} &= \frac{-1}{3}, 2 \text{ for } , 0 < t < \pi \\ \tan \frac{t}{2} &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

798 (a)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \alpha \cos^3 \alpha &> \sin^3 \alpha \cos \alpha \\ \Rightarrow \sin \alpha \cos \alpha (\cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow \cos \alpha (1 - \tan^2 \alpha) &> 0 \quad [\because \sin \alpha > 0 \text{ for } 0 < \alpha < \pi] \\ \Rightarrow \cos \alpha > 0 \text{ and } 1 - \tan^2 \alpha &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow \cos \alpha < 0 \text{ and } 1 - \tan^2 \alpha &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow \alpha &\in (0, \pi/4) \text{ or, } \alpha \in (3\pi/4, \pi) \end{aligned}$$

799 (a)

We have, $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \pi$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma &= \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2(\beta - \gamma) \sin(\beta + \gamma) \\ &= \sin^2 \alpha + \sin(\pi - \alpha) \sin(\beta + \gamma) \quad (\because \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \pi) \\ &= \sin^2 \alpha + \sin \alpha \sin(\beta + \gamma) \\ &= \sin \alpha [\sin \alpha + \sin(\beta + \gamma)] \\ &= \sin \alpha [\sin(\pi - (\beta - \gamma)) + \sin(\beta + \gamma)] \\ &= \sin \alpha [\sin(\beta - \gamma) + \sin(\beta + \gamma)] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sin \alpha [2 \sin \beta \cos \gamma]$$

$$= 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos \gamma$$

800 (c)

$$\sec x \cos 5x = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 5x = -\cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 2n\pi \pm (\pi - x)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{6} \text{ or } \frac{(2n-1)\pi}{6}$$

The possible values of x which lies in the interval $(0, 2\pi)$ are $\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{4}, \frac{9\pi}{6}$ and $\frac{11\pi}{6}$

ANSWER-KEY

Q.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A.	A	B	A	C	C	D	C	C	A	C
Q.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
A.	B	B	B	D	A	B	A	A	A	C

