

## Topic :- TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

1. If the equation  $\sin^4 \theta + \cos^4 \theta = a$  has a real solution then  
 a)  $a \leq \frac{1}{2}$                       b)  $a \geq \frac{1}{2}$                       c)  $\frac{1}{2} \leq a \leq 1$                       d)  $a \geq 0$
2. The general solution of the equation  $(\sqrt{3} - 1)\sin \theta + (\sqrt{3} + 1)\cos \theta = 2$  is  
 a)  $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{12}$   
 b)  $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{12}$   
 c)  $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{12}$   
 d)  $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{12}$
3. If  $\sin A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$  and  $\sin B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ , where  $A$  and  $B$  are positive acute angles, then  $A + B$  is equal to  
 a)  $\pi$                       b)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$                       c)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$                       d)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$
4. The general solution of  $\sin^2 \theta \sec \theta + \sqrt{3} \tan \theta = 0$  is  
 a)  $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^{n+1} \frac{\pi}{3}, \theta = n\pi, n \in I$                       b)  $\theta = n\pi, n \in I$   
 c)  $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^{n+1} \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in I$                       d)  $\theta = \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I$
5. If  $y + \cos \theta = \sin \theta$  has a real solution, then  
 a)  $-\sqrt{2} \leq y \leq \sqrt{2}$                       b)  $y > \sqrt{2}$                       c)  $y \leq -\sqrt{2}$                       d) None of these
6. If  $\cos(\theta - \alpha) = a$ ,  $\sin(\theta - \beta) = b$ , then  $\cos^2(\alpha - \beta) + 2ab\sin(\alpha - \beta)$  is equal to  
 a)  $4a^2b^2$                       b)  $a^2 - b^2$                       c)  $a^2 + b^2$                       d)  $-a^2b^2$
7. The equation  $8\sec^2 \theta - 6 \sec \theta + 1 = 0$  has  
 a) Exactly two roots                      b) Exactly four roots                      c) Infinitely many roots                      d) No roots
8. If the sides  $a, b, c$  of a triangle  $ABC$  are the roots of the equation  $x^3 - 13x^2 + 54x - 72 = 0$ , then the value of  $\frac{\cos A}{a} + \frac{\cos B}{b} + \frac{\cos C}{c}$  is equal to  
 a)  $\frac{169}{144}$                       b)  $\frac{61}{72}$                       c)  $\frac{61}{144}$                       d)  $\frac{169}{72}$
9.  $\cos^4 \theta - \sin^4 \theta$  is equal to  
 a)  $1 + 2\sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$                       b)  $2\cos^2 \theta - 1$                       c)  $1 - 2\sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$                       d)  $1 + 2\cos^2 \theta$
10. The value of  $\cos 15^\circ \cos 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ \sin 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ$  is  
 a)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       b)  $\frac{1}{8}$                       c)  $\frac{1}{4}$                       d)  $\frac{1}{16}$
11. If  $\theta$  lies in the second quadrant, then the value of  $\sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin \theta}{1 + \sin \theta}} + \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin \theta}{1 - \sin \theta}}$  is equal to  
 a)  $2\sec \theta$                       b)  $-2 \sec \theta$                       c)  $2 \operatorname{cosec} \theta$                       d) None of these
12. The value of  $\cos^2 A (3 - 4 \cos^2 A)^2 + \sin^2 A (3 - 4 \sin^2 A)^2$  is equal to  
 a)  $\cos 4A$                       b)  $\sin 4A$                       c)  $1$                       d) None of these

13. Let the angles  $A, B, C$  of  $\Delta ABC$  be in A.P. and let  
 a)  $75^\circ$                                       b)  $45^\circ$                                       c)  $60^\circ$                                       d)  $15^\circ$
14. If  $\tan x = \frac{b}{a}$ , then  $\sqrt{\frac{a+b}{a-b}} + \sqrt{\frac{a-b}{a+b}} =$   
 a)  $\frac{2 \sin x}{\sqrt{\sin 2x}}$                                       b)  $\frac{2 \cos x}{\sqrt{\cos 2x}}$                                       c)  $\frac{2 \cos x}{\sqrt{\sin 2x}}$                                       d)  $\frac{2 \sin x}{\sqrt{\cos 2x}}$
15. If  $\sin A + \cos A = m$  and  $\sin^3 A + \cos^3 A = n$ , then  
 a)  $m^3 - 3m + n = 0$                                       b)  $n^3 - 3n + 2m = 0$                                       c)  $m^3 - 3m + 2n = 0$                                       d)  $m^3 + 3m + 2n = 0$
16. The most general solutions of the equation  $\sec x - 1 = (\sqrt{2} - 1) \tan x$  are given by  
 a)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{8}$                                       b)  $2n\pi, 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$                                       c)  $2n\pi$                                       d) None of these
17. If  $\cos(\theta - \alpha) = a, \cos(\theta - \beta) = b$ , then  $\sin^2(\alpha - \beta) + 2ab \cos(\alpha - \beta)$  is equal to  
 a)  $a^2 + b^2$                                       b)  $a^2 - b^2$                                       c)  $b^2 - a^2$                                       d)  $-a^2 - b^2$
18. The sum  $S = \sin\theta + \sin 2\theta + \dots + \sin n\theta$  equals  
 a)  $\sin \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \sin \frac{n\theta}{2} / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$                                       b)  $\cos \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \sin \frac{n\theta}{2} / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$   
 c)  $\sin \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \cos \frac{n\theta}{2} / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$                                       d)  $\cos \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \cos \frac{n\theta}{2} / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$
19. The sides of an equilateral triangle, a square and a regular hexagon circumscribed in a circle are in  
 a) A.P.                                      b) G.P.                                      c) H.P.                                      d) None of these
20. If  $\frac{\tan 3\theta - 1}{\tan 3\theta + 1} = \sqrt{3}$ , then the general value of  $\theta$  is  
 a)  $\frac{n\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{12}$                                       b)  $n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{12}$                                       c)  $\frac{n\pi}{3} + \frac{7\pi}{36}$                                       d)  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{12}$

