

## Topic :-INVERSE TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

1 (d)

Given,  $5\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2}\right) + 7\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) - 4\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) - \tan^{-1}x = 5\pi$

$\Rightarrow 5(2\tan^{-1}x) + 7(2\tan^{-1}x) - 4(2\tan^{-1}x) - \tan^{-1}x = 5\pi$

$\Rightarrow 15\tan^{-1}x = 5\pi$

$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{3}$

$\therefore x = \sqrt{3}$

2 (c)

$\because -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1}x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1}y \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

And  $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1}z \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

Given that,  $\sin^{-1}x + \sin^{-1}y + \sin^{-1}z = \frac{3\pi}{2}$

Which is possible only when

$$\sin^{-1}x = \sin^{-1}y = \sin^{-1}z = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Or  $x = y = z = 1$

Put  $p = q = 1$

Then  $f(2) = f(1)f(1) = 2 \cdot 2 = 4$

And put  $p = 1, q = 2$

Then,  $f(3) = f(1)f(2) = 2 \cdot 2^2 = 8$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x^{f(1)} + y^{f(2)} + z^{f(3)} &= \frac{x + y + z}{x^{f(1)} + y^{f(2)} + z^{f(3)}} \\ &= 1 + 1 + 1 - \frac{3}{1 + 1 + 1} \\ &= 3 - 1 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

3 (a)

Given,  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos\alpha}}\right) - \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos\alpha}) = x$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos \alpha}} - \sqrt{\cos \alpha}}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos \alpha}} \cdot \sqrt{\cos \alpha}} \right) = x$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{cosec} x = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{1 - \cos \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)}{2 \cos^2 \left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)} = \tan^2 \left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)$$

4 (b)

$$\cot^{-1} 9 + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{41}}{4} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{9} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{41}{16} - 1}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left[ \because \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} x &= \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}} \right] \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{9} + \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{5} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{4}{5}}{1 - \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{4}{5}} \right) \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{41}{41} \right) = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

5 (a)

We have,  $\sum_{m=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2m}{m^2 + m^2 + 2} \right)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{m=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2m}{1 + (m^2 + m + 1)(m^2 - m + 1)} \right) \\ &= \sum_{m=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{(m^2 + m + 1) - (m^2 - m + 1)}{1 + (m^2 + m + 1)(m^2 - m + 1)} \right) \\ &= \sum_{m=1}^n [\tan^{-1}(m^2 + m + 1) - \tan^{-1}(m^2 - m + 1)] \\ &= (\tan^{-1} 3 - \tan^{-1} 1) + (\tan^{-1} 7 - \tan^{-1} 3) + \\ &(\tan^{-1} 13 - \tan^{-1} 7) + \dots + \\ &[\tan^{-1}(n^2 + n + 1) - \tan^{-1}(n^2 - n + 1)] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{n^2 + n + 1 - 1}{1 + (n^2 + n + 1) \cdot 1} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{n^2 + n}{2 + n^2 + n} \right)$$

6 (b)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5} - \sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5} &= \cos^{-1} x \\ \Rightarrow \sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5} - \sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5} &= \cos^{-1} x \\ \Rightarrow \cos^{-1} x = 0 &\Rightarrow x = \cos 0 = 1 \\ \therefore x &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

7 (a)

$$\text{Given, } \cot(\cos^{-1} x) = \sec\left(\tan^{-1} \frac{a}{\sqrt{b^2 - a^2}}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cot\left(\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}\right)\right) \\ = \sec\left(\sec^{-1}\frac{b}{\sqrt{b^2-a^2}}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \frac{b}{\sqrt{b^2-a^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(b^2 - a^2) = b^2 - b^2x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(2b^2 - a^2) = b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{b}{\sqrt{2b^2 - a^2}}$$

8 (b)

$$\text{Given, } \sin^{-1} x - \cos^{-1} x = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1} x - \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{6} \dots (i)$$

$$\text{But } \sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} \dots (ii)$$

On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$\sin^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ and } \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \text{ is the unique solution.}$$

9 (d)

$$\text{We have, } \theta = \sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} x$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} x = \cot^{-1} x$$

$$\text{Since, } 0 \leq x \leq 1, \text{ therefore } \frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

10 (a)

$$\therefore \cot^{-1} x + \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \tan^{-1} 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} = \tan^{-1} 1 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 3$$

11 (b)

$$\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} \right)$$

Now, put  $\frac{4}{5} = \cos 2\theta$

$$\therefore \sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \times 2\theta \right)$$

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

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 - \frac{4}{5}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{5 \times 2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$$

12 (b)

$$\text{Given, } \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{x} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{x} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{x} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{x} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{x} \right) = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 16}}{x} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{x} = \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 16}}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm 5$$

$$\therefore x = 5$$

[  $\because -5$  not satisfies the given equation ]

13 (b)

$$\because 0 \leq \cos^{-1} x \leq \pi$$

And  $0 < \cot^{-1} x < \pi$

$$\text{Given, } [\cot^{-1} x] + [\cos^{-1} x] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [\cot^{-1} x] = 0 \text{ and } [\cos^{-1} x] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < \cot^{-1} x < 1 \text{ and } 0 \leq \cos^{-1} x < 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x &\in (\cot 1, \infty) \text{ and } x \in (\cos 1, 1) \\ &\Rightarrow x \in (\cot 1, 1) \end{aligned}$$

14 (b)

$$3 \sin^{-1} \frac{2x}{1+x^2} - 4 \cos^{-1} \frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2} + 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{2x}{1-x^2} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

On putting  $x = \tan \theta$ , we get

$$3 \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) - 4 \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) + 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \sin^{-1}(\sin 2\theta) - 4 \cos^{-1}(\cos 2\theta) + 2 \tan^{-1}(\tan 2\theta) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(2\theta) - 4(2\theta) + 2(2\theta) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6\theta - 8\theta + 4\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow \tan^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \tan \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

15 (b)

Here,  $T_n = \cot^{-1} \left( n^2 + \frac{3}{4} \right)$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1 + \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( n - \frac{1}{2} \right)} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{4n^2 + 3} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) - \left( n - \frac{1}{2} \right)}{1 + \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( n - \frac{1}{2} \right)} \right]$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) - \tan^{-1} \left( n - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\therefore S_\infty = T_\infty^{-1} - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow S_\infty = \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow S_\infty = \tan^{-1}(2)$$

16 (d)

$$2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{7} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{9}} \right] + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{7} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{7}}{1 - \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{7}}\right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{25}{25}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

17 (c)

The given equation is satisfied only when  $x = 1$ ,

$$y = -1, z = 1$$

18 (d)

Let  $\cot^{-1} x = \theta \Rightarrow x = \cot \theta$

Now,  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \sqrt{1 + \cot^2 \theta} = \sqrt{1 + x^2}$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + x^2}}$$

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

$$\therefore \sin(\cot^{-1} x) = \sin\left(\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + x^2}}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + x^2}} = (1 + x^2)^{-1/2}$$

19 (c)

$$\therefore \tan^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} y = 0 \Rightarrow x = y$$

Also,  $\cos^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} y = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow 2 \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence,  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 3x^2 = \frac{3}{2}$

20 (a)

Let  $\tan^{-1} x = \theta$ . Then,  $x = \tan \theta$

Also,  $-1 < x < 1 \Rightarrow -1 < \tan \theta < 1 \Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{4}$

Now,

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) = \tan^{-1}(\tan 2\theta)$$

$$= 2\theta \left[ \because -\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2} < 2\theta < \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$$

$$= 2 \tan^{-1} x$$

**ANSWER-KEY**

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