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Trigonometric Ratios and Identities

(Solved MCQs – Set 3) :-

42. If $\sin x + \sin^2 x = 1$, then the value of $\cos^2 x + \cos^4 x + \cot^4 x - \cot^2 x$ is equal to

(A) 1

(B) 0

(C) 2

(D) None of these

43. $\sin \frac{\pi}{9} \sin \frac{2\pi}{9} \sin \frac{4\pi}{9} \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$ is equal to

(A) $\frac{3}{4}$

(B) $\frac{3}{8}$

(C) $\frac{3}{16}$

(D) None of these

44. If x, y, z are in AP, then $\frac{\sin x - \sin z}{\cos z - \cos x}$ is equal to

(A) $\tan y$

(B) $\cot y$

(C) $\sin y$

(D) $\cos y$

45. If $|\sin x + \cos x| = |\sin x| + |\cos x|$, then x belongs to the quadrant

(A) I or III

(B) II or IV

(C) I or II

(D) III or IV

46. Find the value of x if $x = \frac{1 - 4 \sin 10^\circ \sin 70^\circ}{2 \sin 10^\circ}$.

(A) 1

(B) 2

(C) 3

(D) None of these

47. Given $\frac{\pi}{2} < \alpha < \pi$, then the expression $\sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{1 - \sin \alpha}}$ is equal to

(A) $\frac{1}{\cos \alpha}$

(B) $-\frac{2}{\cos \alpha}$

(C) $\frac{2}{\cos \alpha}$

(D) None of these

48. If $\cot \alpha \cot \beta = 2$, then $\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\cos(\alpha - \beta)}$ is equal to

(A) $\frac{1}{3}$

(B) $-\frac{1}{3}$

(C) $\frac{1}{2}$

(D) $-\frac{1}{2}$

49. If $\cos(x - y)$, $\cos x$ and $\cos(x + y)$ are in HP, then $\cos x \cdot \sec \frac{y}{2}$ is equal to

(A) $\sqrt{2}$

(B) $-\sqrt{2}$

(C) $\pm\sqrt{2}$

(D) None of these

50. If $\cot \theta = \frac{\sqrt{m} + \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{m} - \sqrt{n}}$, then $(m + n) \cos 2\theta$ is equal to

(A) $2\sqrt{mn}$

(B) $\frac{m+n}{m-n}$

(C) $(\sqrt{m} + \sqrt{n})^2$

(D) None of these

51. If $\cos^2 x + \cos^4 x = 1$, then the value of $\tan^4 x + \cot^4 x + \tan^2 x - \cot^2 x$ is equal to

(A) 0

(B) 2

(C) 1

(D) None of these

52. If $\cos 25^\circ + \sin 25^\circ = k$, then $\cos 20^\circ$ is equal to

(A) $\frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}$

(B) $-\frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}$

(C) $\pm \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}$

(D) None of these

53. If $\tan \theta = n \tan \phi$, then the maximum value of $\tan^2(\theta - \phi)$ is equal to

(A) $\frac{(n-1)^2}{4n}$

(B) $\frac{(n+1)^2}{4n}$

(C) $\frac{(n+1)}{2n}$

(D) $\frac{(n-1)}{2n}$

54. If $a \leq 16 \sin x \cos x + 12 \cos^2 x - 6 \leq b$ for all $x \in R$, then
- (A) $a = -5, b = 5$ (B) $a = -4, b = 4$
 (C) $a = -10, b = 10$ (D) None of these
55. Let $f(\theta) = \frac{\cot \theta}{1 + \cot \theta}$ and $\alpha + \beta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$. Then the value of $f(\alpha) \cdot f(\beta)$ is
- (A) 2 (B) $-\frac{1}{2}$
 (C) $\frac{1}{2}$ (D) None of these
56. If $\cos \alpha = \frac{2 \cos \beta - 1}{2 - \cos \beta}$ ($0 < \alpha < \pi, 0 < \beta < \pi$), then $\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} \cot \frac{\beta}{2}$ is equal to
- (A) 1 (B) $\sqrt{2}$
 (C) $\sqrt{3}$ (D) None of these
57. The value(s) of y for which the equation $4 \sin x + 3 \cos x = y^2 - 6y + 14$ has a real solution, is (are)
- (A) 3 (B) 5
 (C) -3 (D) None of these

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42. Given $\sin x + \sin^2 x = 1$. So

$$\sin x = \cos^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = \cos^4 x$$

Now,

$$\cos^2 x + \cos^4 x + \cot^4 x - \cot^2 x$$

$$= \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x + \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - \cot^2 x = 2$$

43. We have

$$\sin 20^\circ \sin 40^\circ \sin 80^\circ \sin 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} [\sin 20^\circ \cdot \sin(60^\circ - 20^\circ) \cdot \sin(60^\circ + 20^\circ)]$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} [\sin 20^\circ \cdot (\sin^2 60^\circ - \sin^2 20^\circ)]$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left[\frac{3 \sin 20^\circ - 4 \sin^3 20^\circ}{4} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} \cdot \sin 60^\circ = \frac{3}{16}$$

44. Given x, y, z are in AP $\Rightarrow 2y = x + z$. Now

$$\frac{\sin x - \sin z}{\cos z - \cos x} = \frac{2 \cos \frac{x+z}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{x-z}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{x+z}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{x-z}{2}} = \cot y$$

45. Given $|\sin x + \cos x| = |\sin x| + |\cos x|$
Then $\sin x$ and $\cos x$ both will be positive or negative.
Hence, x belongs to I quadrant or III quadrant.

46. We have

$$x = \frac{1 - 4 \sin 10^\circ \cdot \sin 70^\circ}{2 \sin 10^\circ} = \frac{1 - 2(\sin 30^\circ - \sin 10^\circ)}{2 \sin 10^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{1 - 1 + 2 \sin 10^\circ}{2 \sin 10^\circ} = 1$$

47. We have

$$\sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{1 - \sin \alpha}} = \frac{1 - \sin \alpha + 1 + \sin \alpha}{\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \alpha}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{|\cos \alpha|} = -\frac{2}{\cos \alpha} \left(\because \frac{\pi}{2} < \alpha < \pi \right)$$

48. Given $\cot \alpha \cot \beta = 2$. So

$$\frac{\cos \alpha \cdot \cos \beta}{\sin \alpha \cdot \sin \beta} = \frac{2}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\cos(\alpha - \beta)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

49. Given $\cos(x - y)$, $\cos x$ and $\cos(x + y)$ are in HP. So

$$\frac{2}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{\cos(x - y)} + \frac{1}{\cos(x + y)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{\cos x} = \frac{2 \cos x \cdot \cos y}{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x - \sin^2 y = \cos^2 x \cdot \cos y$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x \cdot 2 \sin^2 \frac{y}{2} = 4 \sin^2 \frac{y}{2} \cdot \cos^2 \frac{y}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x \cdot \sec \frac{y}{2} = \pm \sqrt{2}$$

50. Given $\tan \theta = \frac{\sqrt{m} - \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{m} + \sqrt{n}}$. So

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

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{mn}}{2(m+n)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (m+n) \cos 2\theta = 2\sqrt{mn}$$

51. Given $\cos^2 x + \cos^4 x = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^4 x = \sin^2 x \Rightarrow \cot^4 x = \operatorname{cosec}^2 x$$

Now,

$$\tan^4 x + \cot^4 x + \tan^2 x - \cot^2 x$$

$$= \tan^2 x(1 + \tan^2 x) + \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - \cot^2 x$$

$$= \tan^2 x \cdot \sec^2 x + 1$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^4 x} + 1 = 2$$

52. Given $\cos 25^\circ + \sin 25^\circ = k$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(45^\circ - 20^\circ) + \sin(45^\circ - 20^\circ) = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos 20^\circ + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin 20^\circ + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos 20^\circ - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin 20^\circ = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 20^\circ = \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}$$

53. We have

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

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2(\theta - \phi) = \frac{(n-1)^2}{(\cot \phi + n \tan \phi)^2} = \frac{(n-1)^2}{(\cot \phi - n \tan \phi)^2 + 4n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2(\theta - \phi) \leq \frac{(n-1)^2}{4n}$$

Therefore, maximum value of $\tan^2(\theta - \phi)$ is $\frac{(n-1)^2}{4n}$.

54. We have

$$16 \sin x \cdot \cos x + 12 \cos^2 x - 6 = 8 \sin 2x + 6 \cos 2x$$

Now,

$$-\sqrt{8^2 + 6^2} \leq 8 \sin 2x + 6 \cos 2x \leq \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -10 \leq 8 \sin 2x + 6 \cos 2x \leq 10$$

Hence, $a = -10$, $b = 10$.

55. We have

$$\begin{aligned} f(\alpha) \cdot f(\beta) &= f(\alpha) \cdot f\left(\frac{5\pi}{4} - \alpha\right) \\ &= \frac{\cot \alpha}{1 + \cot \alpha} \cdot \frac{\cot\left(\frac{5\pi}{4} - \alpha\right)}{1 + \cot\left(\frac{5\pi}{4} - \alpha\right)} \\ &= \frac{\cot \alpha}{1 + \cot \alpha} \cdot \frac{\frac{\cot \alpha + 1}{\cot \alpha - 1}}{1 + \frac{\cot \alpha + 1}{\cot \alpha - 1}} \\ &= \frac{\cot \alpha}{1 + \cot \alpha} \cdot \frac{\cot \alpha + 1}{2 \cot \alpha} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

56. Given $\cos \alpha = \frac{2 \cos \beta - 1}{2 - \cos \beta}$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}} &= \frac{2 \cdot \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2}} - 1}{2 - \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2}}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1 - \tan^2(\alpha/2)}{1 + \tan^2(\alpha/2)} &= \frac{1 - 3 \tan^2(\beta/2)}{1 + 3 \tan^2(\beta/2)} \\ \Rightarrow \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} &= 3 \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \quad [\text{By Componendo and Dividendo}] \\ \Rightarrow \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} \cdot \cot \frac{\beta}{2} &= \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

57. Given equation is

$$4 \sin x + 3 \cos x = y^2 - 6y + 14$$

Now, $-5 \leq 4 \sin x + 3 \cos x \leq 5$.

Hence, $-5 \leq y^2 - 6y + 14 \leq 5$. Now

$$y^2 - 6y + 14 \leq 5$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 6y + 9 \leq 0 \Rightarrow (y - 3)^2 \leq 0$$

Hence, $y = 3$.

Again, if

$$y^2 - 6y + 14 \geq -5 \Rightarrow y^2 - 6y + 19 \geq 0$$

which is always true. Thus for $y = 3$, there exists one value of x for which equation is satisfied.

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