

3. TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

I. MCQ (2 marks each)

- 1) The principal solutions of $\sqrt{3} \sec x - 2 = 0$ are _____.
- a) $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$ b) $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$ c) $\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{11\pi}{4}$ d) $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{3}$
- 2) In ΔABC , if $\cos A = \frac{\sin B}{2 \sin C}$, then ΔABC is _____.
- a) an equilateral triangle. b) a right angled triangle.
c) an isosceles triangle. d) an isosceles right angled triangle.
- 3) $\sin^{-1} x - \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{6}$, then $x =$ _____.
- a) $\frac{1}{2}$ b) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ c) $-\frac{1}{2}$ d) $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
- 4) The principal value of $\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$ is _____.
- a) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ b) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ c) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ d) $\frac{3\pi}{2}$
- 5) The principal value of $\cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right)$ is _____.
- b) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ b) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ c) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ d) $\frac{3\pi}{2}$
- 6) In ΔABC , if $\angle A = 30^\circ$, $\angle B = 60^\circ$, then the ratio of sides is _____.
- a) $1:\sqrt{3}:2$ b) $2:\sqrt{3}:1$ c) $\sqrt{3}:1:2$ d) $\sqrt{3}:2:1$
- 7) In ΔABC , if $b^2 + c^2 - a^2 = bc$, then $\angle A =$ _____.
- a) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ b) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ c) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ d) $\frac{\pi}{6}$
- 8) If polar co-ordinates of a point are $\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)$, then its Cartesian co-ordinate are _____.
- a) $\left(\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}} \right)$ b) $\left(\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}} \right)$ c) $\left(-\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}} \right)$ d) $\left(-\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2}} \right)$

9) $\tan^{-1} \left(\tan \frac{7\pi}{6} \right) = \text{_____}.$

- a) $-\frac{\pi}{6}$ b) $\frac{\pi}{6}$ c) $\frac{13\pi}{6}$ d) $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

10) If $\sin(\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{5} \right) + \cos^{-1}(x)) = 1$, then $x = \text{_____}.$

- a) $\frac{1}{5}$ b) $-\frac{1}{5}$ c) 5 d) -5

11) If in ΔABC , $\sin \frac{A}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{C}{2} = \sin \frac{B}{2}$ and $2s$ is the perimeter of the Δ , then $s =$
A) $2b$ B) b C) $3b$ D) $4b$

II. Very Short Answers (1 mark)

- 1) Evaluate $\cot(\tan^{-1}(2x) + \cot^{-1}(2x)).$
- 2) In ΔABC , prove that $ac \cos B - bc \cos A = a^2 - b^2.$
- 3) In ΔABC , if $\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B = \sin^2 C$, then show that $a^2 + b^2 = c^2.$
- 4) Find the polar co-ordinates of point whose Cartesian co-ordinates are $(1, \sqrt{3}).$
- 5) Prove that $2 \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{24}{7} \right).$
- 6) Evaluate $\sin[\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{5} \right)].$
- 7) In ΔABC , $a = 3$, $b = 4$ and $\sin A = \frac{3}{4}$, find $\angle B.$
- 8) Find the principal solutions of $\operatorname{cosec} x = 2.$
- 9) Find the principal solutions of $\sin x - 1 = 0.$
- 10) Find the Cartesian co-ordinates of point whose polar co-ordinates are $\left(4, \frac{\pi}{3} \right).$

III. Short Answer Questions (2 marks each):

- 1) With usual notations, prove that $\frac{\cos A}{a} + \frac{\cos B}{b} + \frac{\cos C}{c} = \frac{a^2+b^2+c^2}{2abc}$.
- 2) Find the principal solutions of $\cos 2x = 1$.
- 3) In ΔABC , prove that $(b - c)^2 \cos^2\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) + (b + c)^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) = a^2$.
- 4) Find the principal solutions of $\sin x = -\frac{1}{2}$.
- 5) Find the value of $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$.
- 6) In ΔABC , if $a = 13, b = 14, c = 15$, then find the value of $\cos B$.
- 7) In ΔABC , if $\frac{\cos A}{a} = \frac{\cos B}{b}$, then show that it is an isosceles triangle.
- 8) Find the principal solution of $\tan x = -\sqrt{3}$.
- 9) Evaluate $\cos\left[\frac{\pi}{6} + \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)\right]$.
- 10) Find the general solution of the equation $\sin 2x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$.
- 11) Find the general solution of the equation $\cos 2\theta = \cos \theta$
- 12) Find the general solution of the equation $4 \tan^2 x = 3$

IV. Short Answer Questions (3 marks each):

- 1) In ΔABC , if $a \cos A = b \cos B$, then prove that ΔABC is either a right angled or an isosceles triangle.
- 2) In ΔABC , prove that $\frac{\cos 2A}{a^2} - \frac{\cos 2C}{c^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2}$.
- 3) If $\tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} y + \tan^{-1} z = \pi$, then show that $\frac{1}{xy} + \frac{1}{yz} + \frac{1}{zx} = 1$.

- 4) Prove that $\sin \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1-x^2}{2x} \right) + \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2} \right) \right] = 1$.
- 5) In ΔABC , if $\frac{2\cos A}{a} + \frac{\cos B}{b} + \frac{2\cos C}{c} = \frac{a}{bc} + \frac{b}{ca}$, then show that the triangle is a right angled.
- 6) In ΔABC , prove that $\sin \left(\frac{A-B}{2} \right) = \left(\frac{a-b}{c} \right) \cos \left(\frac{C}{2} \right)$.
- 7) If the angles A, B, C of ΔABC are in A.P. and its sides a, b, c are in G.P., then show that a^2, b^2, c^2 are in A.P.
- 8) Prove that $\cot^{-1}(7) + 2 \cot^{-1}(3) = \frac{\pi}{4}$.
- 9) Find the general solution of the equation $\tan \theta \tan 2\theta = 1$
- 10) Find the general solution of the equation $\frac{\sin 3x}{2 \cos 2x+1} = \frac{1}{2}$
- 11) Find the general solution of the equation $2 \cot \frac{\theta}{2} = (1 + \cot \theta)^2$
- 12) Find the general solution of the equation $\cos 2\theta = (\sqrt{2} + 1) \left(\cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$
- 13) Find the general solution of the equation $4\cos^2 x \sin x - 2\sin^2 x = 3 \sin x$

V. Long Answer Questions (4 marks each):

- 1) In ΔABC , prove that $\frac{\cos^2 A - \cos^2 B}{a+b} + \frac{\cos^2 B - \cos^2 C}{b+c} + \frac{\cos^2 C - \cos^2 A}{c+a} = 0$.
- 2) Show that $\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{5} \right) + \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{8}{17} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{36}{85} \right)$.
- 3) In ΔABC , prove that $\frac{a^2 \sin(B-C)}{\sin A} + \frac{b^2 \sin(C-A)}{\sin B} + \frac{c^2 \sin(A-B)}{\sin C} = 0$.
- 4) In ΔABC , prove that $\frac{b^2 - c^2}{a} \cos A + \frac{c^2 - a^2}{b} \cos B + \frac{a^2 - b^2}{c} \cos C = 0$.
- 5) Prove that $2 \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{8} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{7} \right) + 2 \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{5} \right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$.
- 6) In ΔABC , if $\angle A = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then prove that $\sin(B - C) = \frac{b^2 - c^2}{b^2 + c^2}$.
- 7) If $\cos^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} y - \cos^{-1} z = 0$, then show that

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2xyz = 1.$$

- 8) Find the general solution of the equation $\cos \theta + \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- 9) Find the general solution of $\tan x + \tan 2x + \sqrt{3} \tan x \tan 2x = \sqrt{3}$
- 10) In a ΔABC , if $a = 25, b = 52, c = 63$ then
Find the values of i) $\cos C$ ii) $\sin \frac{C}{2}$ iii) $\tan \frac{C}{2}$ iv) $A(\Delta ABC)$
- 11) In ΔABC , prove that $\left(\cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} \right) \left(a \cdot \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} + b \cdot \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \right) = c \cot \frac{C}{2}$
- 12) In ΔABC , prove that $\frac{1}{a} \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + \frac{1}{b} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + \frac{1}{c} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} = \frac{s^2}{abc}$