

CH-TRIGONOMETRIC EQUATIONS

① Trig. Identity $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$ $x \in \mathbb{R}$ (Infinite solution)	Trig. Equation. $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ where, $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{2\pi+\pi}{6}, \frac{2\pi+5\pi}{6}$ Infinite solution, but not all
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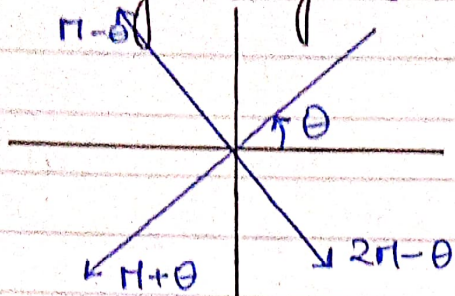
② Particular solutions Δ Principal solutions:-
 Eg:- Let for $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$,
 Particular solutions $\Rightarrow \theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{13\pi}{6}, \frac{-17\pi}{6}, \dots \right\}$
 Δ Principal solutions $\Rightarrow \theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6} \right\}$
 ($0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$)

Eg:- Let for $\sin \theta = 0$
 Particular solutions $\Rightarrow \theta \in \{0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, -\pi, -2\pi, \dots\}$
 Δ Principal solutions:- $\theta \in \{0, \pi\}$
 Also,
 General solutions:- $\theta = n\pi$; $n \in \mathbb{Z}$
 (compact form of particular solutions)

Eg:- Let for $\sin \theta = 1$
 Particular solutions:- $\theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{9\pi}{2}, \dots \right\}$
 ; Principal solution:- $\theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$
 ; General solution:- $\theta \in (4n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}$; $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

Eg:- Let for $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$
 Particular solutions:- $\theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}, \dots \right\}$
 Principal solutions:- $\theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3} \right\}$

③ For finding angles in II, III & IV Quadrant:-



Eg:- for principal solⁿ of $\tan \theta = +1$

$$\theta \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{4}, \pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$$

Eg:- Principal solutions of $\tan \theta = -1/\sqrt{3}$
 $\theta \in \left\{ \pi - \frac{\pi}{6}, 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{6} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\{ \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6} \right\}$

④ General Solutions for $\sin \theta$; $\cos \theta$; $\tan \theta$:-

(A) $\sin \theta$:-

General solution = $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \alpha$; $n \in \mathbb{Z}$
Least principal value

Eg:- And general solutions of $\sin \theta = 1/2$
 $\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \alpha = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$

$\therefore \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \rightarrow$ general solution for $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$

Eg. :- And general solution of $\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 $\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \alpha = \sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} \right) = \sin \left(\frac{5\pi}{3} \right)$

$\therefore \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{4\pi}{3} \rightarrow$ general solⁿ for $\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Eg. :- And general solution of $\sin \theta = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \alpha = \sin 0^\circ$

$\therefore \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n (0) = \underline{n\pi}$; $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

(B) $\cos \theta$:-

general solution :- $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \alpha$; $n \in \mathbb{Z}$
least principal value

eg. :- Find ~~the~~ general solution for $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 $\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \alpha = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

$$\therefore \boxed{\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}}$$
 general for $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
SOM

eg. :- Find general solution for $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$
 $\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \alpha = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$

$$\therefore \boxed{\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}}$$

eg. :- Find general solution for $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
 $\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos \alpha = \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$

$$\therefore \boxed{\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{4}}$$

(C) $\tan \theta$:-

general solution :- $\theta = n\pi + \alpha$; $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

eg. :- Find general solutions for $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
 $\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \tan \alpha = \tan \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$\therefore \boxed{\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

eg. :- $\tan \theta = -\sqrt{3}$:-

$$\tan \theta = \tan \alpha = \tan \frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = 2\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3}}$$

Q. And the general solutions of $\cos^2 x - \sin x - \frac{1}{4} = 0$

Sol. $(1 - \sin^2 x) - \sin x - \frac{1}{4} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow -\sin^2 x - \sin x + \frac{3}{4} = 0 \Rightarrow \sin^2 x + \sin x - \frac{3}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\sin^2 x + 4\sin x - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow 4\sin^2 x + 6\sin x - 2\sin x - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin x (2\sin x + 3) - 1(2\sin x + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\sin x - 1)(2\sin x + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sin \alpha = \sin x = \frac{1}{2} = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

Q. And general solutions of $\tan 6\theta - \tan 4\theta = 0$

Sol. $\tan(6\theta) = \tan(4\theta)$ $\Rightarrow \omega = n\pi + \phi$

$$\Rightarrow 6\theta = n\pi + 4\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\theta = n\pi \Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = \frac{n\pi}{2}}$$

Q. And general solutions of $-2\cos 6x + \cos 9x = 2$

Sol. $\cos 3(3x) - 2 \cdot \cos 2 \cdot (3x) = 2$

$$\Rightarrow 4\cos^3 3x - 3\cos 3x - 2(2\cos^2 3x - 1) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\cos^3 3x - 3\cos 3x - 4\cos^2 3x + 2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 3x (4\cos^2 3x - 4\cos 3x - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\cos 3x = 0}$$

$$\cos 3x = \cos \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{2n\pi}{3} \pm \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

(or)

$$4\cos^2 3x - 4\cos 3x - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\cos 3x + 1)(2\cos 3x - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\cos 3x = -\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos 2x = -\frac{1}{2} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{2n\pi}{3} + \frac{2\pi}{9}}$$

Q. Find general solutions for $\sin 2\theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Sol. $\sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{3}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \sin 2\theta$

$$\Rightarrow 2\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \left(\frac{4\pi}{3}\right) \Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)}$$

Q. Find principal solution for $\cos \theta = \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$.

Sol. $\cos \theta = -\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right) = -\cos 75^\circ = \cos (180^\circ - 75^\circ)$
 $= \cos (105^\circ)$

\therefore Other principal solution = $\cos (180^\circ + 75^\circ)$
 $= \cos 255^\circ$

Q. Find general solutions of $4 \sin x \cdot \cos x = \sqrt{3}$

Sol. $4 \sin x \cos x = \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow 2 \sin 2x = \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{\sin 2x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore 2x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

Q. Find general solutions of $\cos 2\theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4}$.

Sol. $\cos 2\theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4} = \cos 36^\circ = \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{5}\right)$

$$\Rightarrow 2\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{5} \Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{10}}$$

Q. Find principal solutions of $2 + \cos x = 0$.

Sol. $\cos x = -2 \Rightarrow \sin x = -\frac{1}{2} = \sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)$

\therefore Principal solution = $\left\{ \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6} \right\} = \sin\left(\frac{11\pi}{6}\right)$

Q. The set of values of 'x' for which

* $\frac{\tan 3x - \tan 2x}{1 + \tan 3x \tan 2x} = 1$ is _____ ??

$1 + \tan 3x \tan 2x$

Sol. $\frac{\tan 3x - \tan 2x}{1 + \tan 3x \tan 2x} = \tan(3x - 2x) = \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1$

$\therefore \boxed{x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}}$

But, at $\tan 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \Rightarrow$ not defined

$\therefore \boxed{x \in \phi}$

Q. If $\tan 5x = \cot 3x$, then $x \in$ _____ ?

Sol. $\tan 5x = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3x\right)$

$\Rightarrow 5x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} - 3x \Rightarrow \boxed{x \in \frac{n\pi}{8} + \frac{\pi}{16}}$

Q. $\sin 2\theta = \cos 3\theta \in$ Find general solution

Sol. $\boxed{M-1}$ $\sin 2\theta = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3\theta\right)$

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

Case-I) If $n = \text{odd} \Rightarrow n = 2m+1$

$\theta = -\frac{(4m+1)\pi}{2}$ $\theta = -\frac{(4m-3)\pi}{2}$

Case-II) If $n \rightarrow$ even, i.e. $n = 2m$

$$2\theta = 2m\pi + \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3\theta\right) \Rightarrow \boxed{\theta = \frac{2m\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{10}}$$

Q. Find general solution for $\sin 5x \cdot \cos 3x = \sin 6x \cdot \cos 2x$
Soln.

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \sin 5x \cdot \cos 3x &= 2 \sin 6x \cdot \cos 2x \\ \Rightarrow \cancel{\sin 3x} + \sin 2x &= \cancel{\sin 3x} + \sin 4x \\ \Rightarrow \sin 2x &= \sin 4x \\ \Rightarrow \boxed{4x} &= n\pi + (-1)^n 2x \end{aligned}$$

Case-I) $n = \text{odd}$, $n = 2m+1$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = (2m+1) \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

Case-II) $n = \text{even}$, $n = 2m$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = m\pi}$$

Also, $\sin 4x = \sin 2x \Rightarrow \sin 4x - \sin 2x = 0$
 $\Rightarrow 2 \cos 3x \cdot \sin x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 3x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{2n\pi}{3} \pm \frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \sin x = 0 \\ \boxed{x = n\pi} \end{array} \right\}$$

Q. And general solutions for $\sqrt{2} \sec \theta + \tan \theta = 1$?

Soln. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{\sqrt{2} = \cos \theta - \sin \theta}$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2} = \sqrt{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta \right) \Rightarrow 1 = \left(\cos \left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right) = \cos$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta + \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi \pm 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Q. $\sin 2\theta + 5\sin\theta + 5\cos\theta + 1 = 0 \in$ find general solⁿ.
 solⁿ. $2\sin\theta \cos\theta + 5(\sin\theta + \cos\theta) + 1 = 0$ — (1)

Now, let $\sin\theta + \cos\theta = t$
 $\Rightarrow (\sin\theta + \cos\theta)^2 = t^2$
 $= \sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta + 2\sin\theta \cdot \cos\theta = t^2$
 $\Rightarrow 2\sin\theta \cos\theta = t^2 - 1$

So, eqn. (1) can be written as,

$$\Rightarrow t^2 - 1 + 5t + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t(t+5) = 0$$

$$\boxed{t=0} \quad \boxed{\cancel{t=-5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin\theta + \cos\theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin\theta = -\cos\theta \Rightarrow \boxed{\tan\theta = -1} = \tan\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\boxed{\theta = n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4} = n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

Q. If $\sin\theta \cdot \cos\phi = 1$, find the ordered pairs of (θ, ϕ) in $[0, 2\pi]$?

solⁿ. (Case-I) $\sin\theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi/2$
 $\cos\phi = 1 \Rightarrow \phi = 0, 2\pi$

(Case-II) $\sin\theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = 3\pi/2$
 $\cos\phi = -1 \Rightarrow \phi = \pi$

∴ Ordered pairs = $\left\{ \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right), \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 2\pi\right), \left(\frac{3\pi}{2}, \pi\right) \right\}$

* Q. Find $\theta = ?$ for which $\cos \theta \cdot \cos 4\theta = -1$?
 in $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$.

Solⁿ Case-I) $\cos \theta = 1 \rightarrow \theta = 0, 2\pi$
 $\cos 4\theta = -1 \rightarrow 4\theta = \pi \Rightarrow \theta = \pi/4$
 $4\theta = 3\pi \Rightarrow \theta = 3\pi/4$
 $4\theta = 5\pi \Rightarrow \theta = 5\pi/4$
 $4\theta = 7\pi \Rightarrow \theta = 7\pi/4$

$\therefore \theta \in \emptyset$ (No solution)

Case-II) $\cos \theta = -1 \rightarrow \theta = \pi$
 $\cos 4\theta = 1 \rightarrow 4\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 0$
 $4\theta = 2\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \pi/2$
 $4\theta = 4\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \pi$
 $4\theta = 8\pi \Rightarrow \theta = 2\pi$
 $4\theta = 6\pi \Rightarrow \theta = 3\pi/2$

$\therefore \theta = \pi$

* Q. And $\theta = ?$ for which $\cos \theta \cdot \cos 6\theta = -1$
 in $\theta \in [-\pi, \pi]$?

Solⁿ Case-I) $\cos \theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = \pi, -\pi$
 $\cos \theta = \cos 6\theta = 1 \Rightarrow 6\theta = 2n\pi \pm 0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{n\pi}{3}$

So,

$n=0$	\rightarrow	$\theta = 0$
$n=1$	\rightarrow	$\theta = \pi/3$
$n=-1$	\rightarrow	$\theta = -\pi/3$
$n=2$	\rightarrow	$\theta = 2\pi/3$
$n=-2$	\rightarrow	$\theta = -2\pi/3$
$n=3$	\rightarrow	$\theta = \pi$
$n=-3$	\rightarrow	$\theta = -\pi$

$\therefore \theta \in \pi \& -\pi$

Case-II) $\cos \theta = +1$
 $\theta = 0$

$\cos 6\theta = -1 = \cos \pi$
 $\theta = \frac{(2n \pm 1)\pi}{6}$

$\therefore \theta \in \phi$ (no solution)

Q. Find 'x' & 't' for which $12 \sin x + 5 \cos x = 2t^2 - 4t + 15$?

Solⁿ $(12 \sin x + 5 \cos x)$

$[-13, 13]$

[max. = 13]

$2t^2 - 4t + 15$

$2[t^2 - 2t + 1 - 1] + 15$

$= 2(t-1)^2 + 13$

[Min. = 13]

$\Rightarrow 12 \sin x + 5 \cos x = 13$

$\Rightarrow \frac{12}{13} \sin x + \frac{5}{13} \cos x = 1$

$\Rightarrow \cos x = \cos \alpha + \sin \alpha \cdot \sin x = 1$

$\Rightarrow \cos(x - \alpha) = \cos \theta = \cos 0$

$\Rightarrow x - \alpha = 2n\pi$

$\Rightarrow x = 2n\pi + \alpha$

where, $\cos \alpha = \frac{5}{13}$

$2t^2 - 4t + 15 = 13$

$2t^2 - 4t + 2 = 0$

$t^2 - 2t + 1 = 0$

$(t-1)^2 = 0$

$t = 1$

Q. Find general solutions of $\tan \theta + \cot 2\theta = 0$

Solⁿ $\tan \theta = -\cot 2\theta$

$\tan \theta = \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta \right)$

$\Rightarrow \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta$

~~$\theta = -n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$~~

$\therefore \theta \in \phi$ (no solⁿ)