

Chapter 3&4: Trigonometric Functions and Identities

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9. (a) Prove that

$$\sec 2A + \tan 2A \equiv \frac{\cos A + \sin A}{\cos A - \sin A} \quad A \neq \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{4} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (5)$$

(b) Hence solve, for $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

$$\sec 2\theta + \tan 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

Give your answers to 3 decimal places.

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5. (a) Use the substitution $t = \tan x$ to show that the equation

$$12 \tan 2x + 5 \cot x \sec^2 x = 0$$

can be written in the form

$$5t^4 - 24t^2 - 5 = 0$$

(4)

- (b) Hence solve, for $0 \leq x < 360^\circ$, the equation

$$12 \tan 2x + 5 \cot x \sec^2 x = 0$$

Show each stage of your working and give your answers to one decimal place.

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9. $f(\theta) = 5 \cos \theta - 4 \sin \theta \quad \theta \in \mathbb{R}$

(a) Express $f(\theta)$ in the form $R \cos(\theta + \alpha)$, where R and α are constants, $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$. Give the exact value of R and give the value of α , in radians, to 3 decimal places.

(3)

The curve with equation $y = \cos \theta$ is transformed onto the curve with equation $y = f(\theta)$ by a sequence of two transformations.

Given that the first transformation is a stretch and the second a translation,

- (b) (i) describe fully the transformation that is a stretch,
 (ii) describe fully the transformation that is a translation.

(2)

Given

$$g(\theta) = \frac{90}{4 + (f(\theta))^2} \quad \theta \in \mathbb{R}$$

(c) find the range of g .

(2)

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1. Solve, for $0 \leq x < 360^\circ$, the equation

$$2\cos 2x = 7\cos x$$

giving your solutions to one decimal place.

(Solutions based entirely on graphical or numerical methods are not acceptable.)

(5)

A series of horizontal lines for working out the solution to the equation.

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2. (a) Show that

$$\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2 \sin 2x} \equiv k \tan x \quad x \neq (90n)^\circ \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

where k is a constant to be found.

(3)

(b) Hence solve, for $0 < \theta < 90^\circ$

$$\frac{9(1 - \cos 2\theta)}{2 \sin 2\theta} = 2 \sec^2 \theta$$

giving your answers to one decimal place.

(Solutions based entirely on graphical or numerical methods are not acceptable.)

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- 9. (a) Express $12 \sin x - 5 \cos x$ in the form $R \sin(x - \alpha)$, where R and α are constants, $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$. Give the exact value of R and give the value of α in radians, to 3 decimal places.

(3)

The function g is defined by

$$g(\theta) = 10 + 12 \sin\left(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) - 5 \cos\left(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \quad \theta > 0$$

Find

- (b) (i) the minimum value of $g(\theta)$
- (ii) the smallest value of θ at which the minimum value occurs.

(3)

The function h is defined by

$$h(\beta) = 10 - (12 \sin \beta - 5 \cos \beta)^2$$

- (c) Find the range of h .

(2)

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4. In this question you should show detailed reasoning.

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

(a) Show that the equation

$$2 \sin(\theta - 30^\circ) = 5 \cos \theta$$

can be written in the form

$$\tan \theta = 2\sqrt{3}$$

(4)

(b) Hence, or otherwise, solve for $0 \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

$$2 \sin(x - 10^\circ) = 5 \cos(x + 20^\circ)$$

giving your answers to one decimal place.

(3)

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8. A curve C has equation $y = f(x)$, where

$$f(x) = \arcsin\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right) \quad -2 \leq x \leq 2 \quad -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

- (a) Sketch C .

(1)

2. (a) Show that the equation

$$8 \cos \theta = 3 \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

can be written in the form

$$\sin 2\theta = k$$

where k is a constant to be found.

(3)

- (b) Hence find the smallest positive solution of the equation

$$8 \cos \theta = 3 \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

giving your answer, in degrees, to one decimal place.

(2)

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7. **In this question you must show all stages of your working.**

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

(a) Show that the equation

$$2 \sin \theta (3 \cot^2 2\theta - 7) = 13 \sec \theta$$

can be written as

$$3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 2\theta - 13 \operatorname{cosec} 2\theta - 10 = 0$$

(4)

(b) Hence solve, for $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$, the equation

$$2 \sin \theta (3 \cot^2 2\theta - 7) = 13 \sec \theta$$

giving your answers to 3 significant figures.

(4)

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8. In this question you must show all stages of your working.

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

- (a) Express $8 \sin x - 15 \cos x$ in the form $R \sin(x - \alpha)$, where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$

Give the exact value of R , and give the value of α , in radians, to 4 significant figures.

(3)

$$f(x) = \frac{15}{41 + 16 \sin x - 30 \cos x} \quad x > 0$$

(b) Find

- (i) the minimum value of $f(x)$
 (ii) the smallest value of x at which this minimum value occurs.

(4)

(c) State the y coordinate of the minimum points on the curve with equation

$$y = 2f(x) - 5 \quad x > 0$$

(1)

(d) State the smallest value of x at which a maximum point occurs for the curve with equation

$$y = -f(2x) \quad x > 0$$

(1)

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9. In this question you must show all stages of your working.

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

Given that $\cos 2\theta - \sin 3\theta \neq 0$

(a) prove that

$$\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\cos 2\theta - \sin 3\theta} \equiv \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{1 - 2\sin \theta - 4\sin^2 \theta} \tag{4}$$

(b) Hence solve, for $0 < \theta \leq 360^\circ$

$$\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\cos 2\theta - \sin 3\theta} = 2 \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

Give your answers to one decimal place. (5)

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5. **In this question you must show all stages of your working.**
Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

(a) Prove that

$$\cot^2 x - \tan^2 x \equiv 4 \cot 2x \operatorname{cosec} 2x \quad x \neq \frac{n\pi}{2} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (4)$$

(b) Hence solve, for $-\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$4 \cot 2\theta \operatorname{cosec} 2\theta = 2 \tan^2 \theta$$

giving your answers to 2 decimal places.

(5)

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5. **In this question you must show all stages of your working.**

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

(i) Solve, for $0 < x < \pi$

$$(x - 2)(\sqrt{3} \sec x + 2) = 0 \quad (3)$$

(ii) Solve, for $0 < \theta < 360^\circ$

$$10 \sin \theta = 3 \cos 2\theta \quad (4)$$

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9. In this question you must show all stages of your working.

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

(a) Show that

$$\frac{\cos 2x}{\sin x} + \frac{\sin 2x}{\cos x} \equiv \operatorname{cosec} x \quad x \neq \frac{n\pi}{2} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (3)$$

(b) Hence solve, for $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\left(\frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos \theta} \right)^2 = 6 \cot \theta - 4$$

giving your answers to 3 significant figures as appropriate. (5)

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9. **In this question you must show all stages of your working.**

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

(a) Show that the equation

$$\frac{3\sin\theta\cos\theta}{\cos\theta + \sin\theta} = (2 + \sec 2\theta)(\cos\theta - \sin\theta)$$

can be written in the form

$$3\sin 2\theta - 4\cos 2\theta = 2 \tag{3}$$

(b) Hence solve for $\pi < x < \frac{3}{2}\pi$

$$\frac{3\sin x\cos x}{\cos x + \sin x} = (2 + \sec 2x)(\cos x - \sin x)$$

giving the answer to 3 significant figures.

(5)

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4. $f(x) = 8 \sin x \cos x + 4 \cos^2 x - 3$

(a) Write $f(x)$ in the form

$$a \sin 2x + b \cos 2x + c$$

where a, b and c are integers to be found.

(3)

(b) Use the answer to part (a) to write $f(x)$ in the form

$$R \sin(2x + \alpha) + c$$

where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$

Give the exact value of R and give the value of α in radians to 3 significant figures.

(3)

(c) Hence, or otherwise,

(i) state the maximum value of $f(x)$

(ii) find the **second** smallest positive value of x at which a maximum value of $f(x)$ occurs. Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

(3)

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