

Q1: NTA Test 01 (Single Choice)

Number of roots of the equation $\cos^2 x + \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2}\sin x - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} - 1 = 0$ which lie in the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ is

- (A) 2 (B) 4
(C) 6 (D) 8

Q2: NTA Test 02 (Single Choice)

If the equation $x^2 + 4 + 3 \sin(ax + b) - 2x = 0$ has atleast one real solution, where $a, b \in [0, 2\pi]$, then one possible value of $(a + b)$ can be equal to

- (A) $\frac{7\pi}{2}$ (B) $\frac{5\pi}{2}$
(C) $\frac{9\pi}{2}$ (D) None of these

Q3: NTA Test 03 (Numerical)

The number of solutions, the equation $\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = \sin x \cos x$ has, in $[\pi, 5\pi]$ is/are

Q4: NTA Test 04 (Single Choice)

If $1 + \sin \theta + \sin^2 \theta + \sin^3 \theta + \dots \infty = 4 + 2\sqrt{3}$, $0 < \theta < \pi$, then

- (A) $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ (B) $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$
(C) $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ or $\frac{\pi}{6}$ (D) $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ or $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

Q5: NTA Test 05 (Single Choice)

If $\frac{1}{6} \sin \theta$, $\cos \theta$ and $\tan \theta$ are in geometric progression, then the complete solution set of θ is

- (A) $\{\theta : \theta = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right), n \in I\}$ (B) $\{\theta : \theta = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right), n \in I\}$
(C) $\{\theta : \theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right), n \in I\}$ (D) $\{\theta : \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in I\}$

Q6: NTA Test 06 (Single Choice)

The number of values of $\theta \in \left[-\frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{4\pi}{3}\right]$ which satisfies the system of equations $2 \sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 2\theta = 2$ and $\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta = \tan \theta$ is

- (A) 2 (B) 4
(C) 6 (D) 8

Q7: NTA Test 07 (Single Choice)

If $\tan(k+1)\theta = \tan \theta$, then the set of all the values of θ is

- (A) $\{n\pi : n \in I\}$ (B) $\left\{\frac{n\pi}{2} : n \in I\right\}$
(C) $\left\{\frac{n\pi}{k} : n \in I\right\}$ (D) $\left\{\frac{n\pi}{4} : n \in I\right\}$

Q8: NTA Test 08 (Single Choice)

General solution of the equation $\tan^2 \theta + \sec 2\theta = 1$ is

- (A) $m\pi, n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}, m \in I, n \in I$ (B) $m\pi, n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, m \in I, n \in I$
(C) $m\pi, n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}, m \in I, n \in I$ (D) None of these

Q9: NTA Test 09 (Single Choice)

The general solution of the system of equations $\sin^3 x + \sin^3 \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + x\right) + \sin^3 \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} + x\right) + \frac{3}{4} \cos 2x = 0$ and $\cos x \neq 0$ is

- (A) $x = \frac{(2k+1)\pi}{10}, k \in Z$ (B) $x = \frac{(2k+1)\pi}{5}, k \in Z$
(C) $x = \frac{(4k+1)\pi}{10}, k \in Z$

$$(D) x = \left(\frac{4k+1}{5} \right) \pi, k \in Z$$

Q10: NTA Test 10 (Single Choice)

The set $\{x \in R : \cos 2x + 2 \cos^2 x = 2\}$ is equal to

$$(A) \left\{ 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3} : n \in Z \right\}$$

$$(B) \left\{ n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6} : n \in Z \right\}$$

$$(C) \left\{ n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3} : n \in Z \right\}$$

$$(D) \left\{ 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{3} : n \in Z \right\}$$

Q11: NTA Test 11 (Numerical)

Number of solutions of $2^{\sin(|x|)} = 3^{|\cos x|}$ in $[-\pi, \pi]$, is equal to

Q12: NTA Test 12 (Numerical)

Consider the equation $\log_{\sqrt{2}\sin x} (1 + \cos x) = 2$, $x \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}\right]$. If the sum of the roots is $\frac{p\pi}{q}$, where G.C.D $(p, q) = 1$, then the value of $p^2 + q^2$ is

Q13: NTA Test 14 (Single Choice)

If the expression $(1 + \tan x + \tan^2 x)(1 - \cot x + \cot^2 x)$ is positive, then the complete set of values of x is

$$(A) \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

$$(B) [0, \pi]$$

$$(C) R - \left\{ x = \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I \right\}$$

$$(D) [0, \infty]$$

Q14: NTA Test 15 (Single Choice)

The number of ordered pairs (x, y) satisfying the equations $y = 2 \sin x$ and $y = 5x^2 + 2x + 3$ is/are

$$(A) 0$$

$$(B) 1$$

$$(C) 2$$

$$(D) \text{Infinite}$$

Q15: NTA Test 16 (Single Choice)

If x and y are the solutions of the equation $5 + 8\sin^2 x = 2y^2 - 8y + 21$, then the least possible value of $x^2 y^3$ is

$$(A) 2\pi^2$$

$$(B) 4\pi^2$$

$$(C) 9\pi^2$$

$$(D) \pi^2$$

Q16: NTA Test 17 (Single Choice)

In the interval $(0, 2\pi)$, sum of all the roots of the equation $\sin \left(\pi \log_3 \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) \right) = 0$ is

$$(A) \frac{3}{2}$$

$$(B) 4$$

$$(C) \frac{9}{2}$$

$$(D) \frac{13}{3}$$

Q17: NTA Test 18 (Numerical)

If $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$, then the number of real values of x satisfying the equation $81^{\sin^2 x} + 81^{\cos^2 x} = 30$ is

Q18: NTA Test 23 (Single Choice)

If $\cos x - \sin x = -\frac{5}{4}$, where $\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{3\pi}{4}$, then $\cot \frac{x}{2}$ is equal to

$$(A) \frac{4-\sqrt{7}}{9}$$

$$(B) 8$$

$$(C) -8$$

$$(D) \frac{4+\sqrt{7}}{9}$$

Q19: NTA Test 24 (Numerical)

The number of solutions of the equation $|\cot x| = \cot x + \operatorname{cosec} x$ in $[0, 10\pi]$ is/are

Q20: NTA Test 27 (Single Choice)

The set of all values of a for which the equation $\cos 2x + a \sin x = 2a - 7$ has a solution is

- (A) $(-\infty, 2)$ (B) $[2, 6]$
 (C) $(6, \infty)$ (D) $(-\infty, \infty)$

Q21: NTA Test 29 (Single Choice)

If $\cot(\alpha + \beta) = 0$, then $\sin(\alpha + 2\beta)$ is equal to

- (A) $\sin \alpha$ (B) $\cos \alpha$
 (C) $\sin \beta$ (D) $\cos 2\beta$

Q22: NTA Test 31 (Numerical)

The sum of the roots of the equation $|\sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x| = 2$ in $[0, 4\pi]$ is $k\pi$, then the value of $6k$ is

Q23: NTA Test 32 (Single Choice)

The total number of solution(s) of the equation $2x + 3 \tan x = \frac{5\pi}{2}$ in $x \in [0, 2\pi]$ is/are equal to

- (A) 1 (B) 2
 (C) 3 (D) 4

Q24: NTA Test 34 (Single Choice)

If $\log_{\cos x} \sin x \geq 2$ and $0 \leq x \leq 3\pi$, then the value of $\sin x$ lies in the interval

- (A) $\left[\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}, 1\right]$ (B) $\left(0, \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}\right]$
 (C) $\left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right]$ (D) None of these

Q25: NTA Test 35 (Single Choice)

The number of roots of the equation $\tan x + \sec x = 2 \cos x$ in $[0, 4\pi]$ is

- (A) 2 (B) 4
 (C) 6 (D) 0

Q26: NTA Test 37 (Single Choice)

For $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$, the number of points of intersection of curves $y = \cos x$ and $y = \sin 3x$ is

- (A) 0 (B) 1
 (C) 2 (D) 3

Q27: NTA Test 38 (Single Choice)

If $0 < A < B < \pi$, $\sin A - \sin B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ and $\cos A - \cos B = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$, then the value of $A + B$ is equal to

- (A) $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ (B) $\frac{5\pi}{6}$
 (C) π (D) $\frac{4\pi}{3}$

Q28: NTA Test 38 (Single Choice)

$\operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta (\cos^2 \theta - 3 \cos \theta + 2) \geq 1$, if θ belongs to

- (A) $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ (B) $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi\right)$
 (C) $\left(\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ (D) $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

Q29: NTA Test 39 (Single Choice)

Let $f(x) = \frac{25^x}{25^x + 5}$, then the number of solution(s) of the equation $f(\sin^2 \theta) + f(\cos^2 \theta) = \tan^2 \theta$, $\theta \in [0, 10\pi]$ is/are

- (A) 10
(C) 40

- (B) 2
(D) 20

Q30: NTA Test 39 (Numerical)

If x and y are the solutions of the equation $12 \sin x + 5 \cos x = 2y^2 - 8y + 21$, then the value of $12 \cot \left(\frac{xy}{2} \right)$ is (Given, $|x| < \pi$)

Q31: NTA Test 45 (Single Choice)

The sum of the roots of the equation $\cos 4x + 6 = 7 \cos 2x$ in the interval $[0, 314]$ is $\lambda\pi$, then the numerical value of λ is

- (A) 4950
(C) 9900
- (B) 2475
(D) 4945

Q32: NTA Test 46 (Single Choice)

If α and β are the solutions of $\sin x = -\frac{1}{2}$ in $[0, 2\pi]$ and α and γ are the solutions of $\cos x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ in $[0, 2\pi]$, then the value of $\frac{\alpha+\beta}{|\beta-\gamma|}$ is equal to

- (A) 1
(C) 3
- (B) 2
(D) 4

Q33: NTA Test 48 (Single Choice)

If α and β are the solutions of $\cot x = -\sqrt{3}$ in $[0, 2\pi]$ and α and γ are the solutions of $\operatorname{cosec} x = -2$ in $[0, 2\pi]$, then the value of $\frac{|\alpha-\beta|}{\beta+\gamma}$ is equal to

- (A) $\frac{1}{2}$
(C) $\frac{1}{3}$
- (B) 2
(D) 3

Answer Keys

Q1: (B)	Q2: (A)	Q3: 4
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Q7: (C)	Q8: (B)	Q9: (C)
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Q16: (C)	Q17: 8	Q18: (D)
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Q28: (C)	Q29: (D)	Q30: 5
Q31: (A)	Q32: (C)	Q33: (A)

Solutions

Q1: (B) 4

Given equation is

$$1 - \sin^2 x + \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2} \sin x - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x - \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2} \sin x + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = 0; 4\sin^2 x - 2\sqrt{3} \sin x - 2 \sin x + \sqrt{3} = 0$$

$$2 \sin x (2 \sin x - \sqrt{3}) - (2 \sin x - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 \sin x - 1) (2 \sin x - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

$$\text{On solving we get } \sin x = \frac{1}{2} ; \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6} ; \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{Q2: (A) } \frac{7\pi}{2}$$

$$(x-1)^2 + 3 + 3 \sin(ax+b) = 0$$

$$(x-1)^2 + 3 = -3 \sin(ax+b)$$

$$L.H.S \geq 3, R.H.S \in [-3, 3] \text{ now } \sin(ax+b) = -1$$

$$\therefore x = 1 \quad \sin(b+a) = -1$$

$$\text{Q3: 4}$$

$$\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = \sin x \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x)^2 - 2\sin^2 x \cos^2 x = \sin x \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x \cos^2 x + \sin x \cos x - 1 = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2x = 1 \dots (i)$$

$$x \in [\pi, 5\pi] \Rightarrow 2x \in [2\pi, 10\pi]$$

$$\text{from (i), } 2x = \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{9\pi}{2}, \frac{13\pi}{2}, \frac{17\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{9\pi}{4}, \frac{13\pi}{4}, \frac{17\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{The number of solutions} = 4$$

$$\text{Q4: (D) } \theta = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{Given, } 1 + \sin \theta + \sin^2 \theta + \sin^3 \theta + \dots \infty = 4 + 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1-\sin \theta} = 4 + 2\sqrt{3} \quad \left[\because 0 < \sin \theta < 1 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \sin \theta = \frac{4-2\sqrt{3}}{16-12} = 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{Q5: (B) } \left\{ \theta : \theta = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{3} \right), n \in I \right\}$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = \left(\frac{1}{6} \sin \theta \right) (\tan \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6\cos^3 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 6\cos^3 \theta + \cos^2 \theta - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in I.$$

Q6: (C) 6

First equation is $4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = 0 \text{ or } \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I \text{ or } \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I$$

Second equation is not satisfied by $\theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I$ but satisfied by $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I$

So $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in I$

$\therefore$ In $\left[-\frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{4\pi}{3}\right]$, the values of θ are

$$\frac{-5\pi}{4}, \frac{-3\pi}{4}, \frac{-\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

Q7: (C) $\left\{ \frac{n\pi}{k} : n \in I \right\}$

As we know the general solution of the equation

$$\tan x = \tan \alpha \text{ is given by } x = n\pi + \alpha, n \in I$$

$$\text{Hence the solution of the equation, } \tan(k+1)\theta = \tan\theta$$

$$\text{is given by } (k+1)\theta = n\pi + \theta \Rightarrow k\theta = n\pi, n \in I$$

$$\therefore \theta \in \frac{n\pi}{k} : n \in I$$

Q8: (B) $m\pi, n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, m \in I, n \in I$

$$\text{Using, } \sec 2\theta = \frac{1}{\cos 2\theta} = \frac{1+\tan^2\theta}{1-\tan^2\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{We can write the given equation as } \tan^2\theta + \frac{1+\tan^2\theta}{1-\tan^2\theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2\theta(1-\tan^2\theta) + 1 + \tan^2\theta = 1 - \tan^2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\tan^2\theta - \tan^4\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \tan^2\theta(3 - \tan^2\theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\theta = 0 \text{ or } \tan^2\theta = 3 = (\sqrt{3})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = m\pi, m \in I$$

$$\text{or } \tan^2\theta = \tan^2\frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in I$$

Q9: (C) $x = \frac{(4k+1)\pi}{10}, k \in Z$

$$\therefore \sin 3x = 3\sin x - 4 \sin^3 x \Rightarrow \sin^3 x = \frac{1}{4} [3\sin x - \sin 3x]$$

The given equation reduces to

$$\frac{1}{4} (3\sin x - \sin 3x) + \frac{1}{4} \left(3 \sin \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + x \right) - \sin (2\pi + 3x) \right) + \frac{1}{4} \left(3 \sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} + x \right) - \sin (4\pi + 3x) \right) + \frac{3}{4} \cos 2x = 0$$

$$3 \left\{ \sin x + \sin \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + x \right) + \sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} + x \right) \right\} - \left\{ \sin 3x + \sin (2\pi + 3x) + \sin (4\pi + 3x) \right\} + 3 \cos 2x = 0$$

$$3 \left\{ \sin x + 2 \sin x \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} \right\} - 3 \sin 3x + 3 \cos 2x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 3x = \cos 2x \Rightarrow \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3x \right) = \cos 2x \Rightarrow 2x = 2k\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3x \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} = (4k+1) \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \forall k \in Z \text{ or } x = -2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad \forall k \in Z$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (4k+1) \frac{\pi}{10}, \quad \forall k \in Z \quad \{\cos x \neq 0\}$$

$$\text{Q10: (B)} \left\{ n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6} : n \in Z \right\}$$

$$\text{Given, } 2\cos^2 x - 1 + 2\cos^2 x = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cos^2 x = \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6} : n \in Z$$

Q11: 4

In the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ all the values of $\sin |x|$ are positive as well as $|\cos x|$

Hence in $[-\pi, \pi]$, equation gets reduced to,

$$2^{\sin x} = 3^{\cos x}$$

Taking log on both sides,

$$\sin x \log 2 = \cos x \log 3$$

$\Rightarrow |\tan x| = \log 3 / \log 2$, value of $\tan x$ are positive in 1st and 3rd quadrant and negative in 2nd and 4th quadrant but positive for $|\tan x|$ in all the values of x in $[-\pi, \pi]$.

Hence, $\tan x$ will repeat its value in all 4 quadrants, so the number of solutions are 4.

Q12: 10

$$\log_{\sqrt{2}\sin x} (1 + \cos x) = 2 \dots (i)$$

$$\sqrt{2}\sin x \neq 1, \sqrt{2}\sin x > 0, 1 + \cos x > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x \neq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \sin x > 0 \text{ and } x \neq 0 \text{ or a multiple of } \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (0, \pi) - \left\{ \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4} \right\} \text{ (feasible region)}$$

Hence, from (i), we get,

$$(\sqrt{2}\sin x)^2 = 1 + \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x = 1 + \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2 x + \cos x - 1 = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = \frac{1}{2} \dots [\cos x + 1 > 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 1, q = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 + q^2 = 10$$

$$\text{Q13: (C)} R - \left\{ x = \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I \right\}$$

$$\frac{(1 + \tan x + \tan^2 x)(1 + \tan^2 x - \tan x)}{\tan^2 x} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(1+\tan^2 x)^2 - \tan^2 x}{\tan^2 x} > 0$$

Since, $1 + \tan^2 x > \tan^2 x$, $\forall x \in R - \left\{x = \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I\right\}$

Hence, given expression is positive for all values of $x \in R - \left\{x = \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in I\right\}$

Q14: (A) 0

$$2 \sin x = 5x^2 + 2x + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin x = 4x^2 + (x+1)^2 + 2$$

But, $2 \sin x \leq 2$

and $4x^2 + (x+1)^2 + 2 > 2$, so it has no solution

Q15: (A) $2\pi^2$

$$\because 5 + 8\sin^2 x \in [5, 13]$$

$$\text{Also, } 2y^2 - 8y + 21 = 2(y-2)^2 + 13 \geq 13$$

So, equality should hold true if,

$$5 + 8\sin^2 x = 13 \text{ and } 2y^2 - 8y + 21 = 13$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \pm 1, y = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, y = 2$$

For least value, $x = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\text{Hence, } x^2 y^3 = \frac{\pi^2}{4} \cdot 8 = 2\pi^2$$

Q16: (C) $\frac{9}{2}$

$$\pi \log_3 \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) = k\pi, k \in I$$

$$\log_3 \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) = k \Rightarrow x = 3^{-k}$$

Possible values of k are $-1, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$S = (3+1) + \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{3^3} + \dots \infty \right)$$

$$= 4 + \frac{(1/3)}{1-(1/3)} = 4 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{9}{2}$$

Q17: 8

$$\text{Let } 81^{\sin^2 x} = t,$$

$$\text{then, } 81^{\cos^2 x} = 81^{1-\sin^2 x} = \frac{81}{t}$$

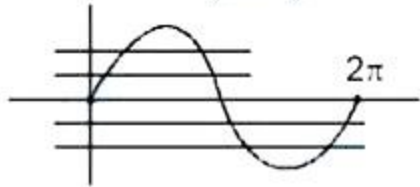
$$\text{So, the given equation is } t + \frac{81}{t} = 30$$

$$t^2 - 30t + 81 = 0 \Rightarrow t = 3 \text{ or } 27$$

$$81^{\sin^2 x} = 3 \text{ or } 27$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^{4\sin^2 x} = 3^1 \text{ or } 3^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = \frac{1}{4} \text{ or } \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow \sin x = \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$



Hence, there are 8 solutions between 0 and 2π .

Q18: (D) $\frac{4+\sqrt{7}}{9}$

Given, $4(\cos x - \sin x) = -5$

$$4 \left(\frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}} - \frac{2 \tan \frac{x}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}} \right) = -5$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 4\tan^2 \frac{x}{2} - 8 \tan \frac{x}{2} = -5 - 5\tan^2 \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 \frac{x}{2} - 8 \tan \frac{x}{2} + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 \cot^2 \frac{x}{2} - 8 \cot \frac{x}{2} + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \frac{x}{2} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{7}}{9}$$

Since, $\frac{\pi}{4} < \frac{x}{2} < \frac{3\pi}{8} \Rightarrow \sqrt{2} - 1 < \cot \frac{x}{2} < 1$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \frac{x}{2} = \frac{4 + \sqrt{7}}{9}$$

Q19: 5

If x lies in 1st or 3rd quadrant then $|\cot x| = \cot x$, thus equation becomes

$$\cot x = \cot x + \frac{1}{\sin x} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin x} = 0, \text{ not possible}$$

If x lies in 2nd or 4th quadrant, then $|\cot x| = -\cot x$, thus equation becomes

$$-\cot x = \cot x + \frac{1}{\sin x}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin x (1 + 2 \cos x) = 0 \Rightarrow \cos x = -\frac{1}{2} (\because \sin x \neq 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ is the only solution}$$

(In 2nd quad.)

In $[0, 2\pi]$ there is only one solution

In $[0, 10\pi]$, we get, five solutions

Q20: (B) $[2, 6]$

$$\cos 2x + a \sin x = 2a - 7$$

i.e. $2\sin^2 x - a \sin x + 2a - 8 = 0$

$$\sin x = \frac{a \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 8(2a - 8)}}{4} = \frac{a \pm (a - 8)}{4}$$

$$\sin x = \frac{a-4}{2} \text{ or } 2$$

Hence, $-1 \leq \frac{(a-4)}{2} \leq 1$

The range of a is $[2, 6]$

Q21: (A) $\sin \alpha$

Given, $\cot(\alpha + \beta) = 0 \Rightarrow \cos(\alpha + \beta) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in I$$

$$\therefore \sin(\alpha + 2\beta) = \sin(2\alpha + 2\beta - \alpha)$$

$$= \sin[(2n+1)\pi - \alpha]$$

$$= \sin(2n\pi + \pi - \alpha)$$

$$= \sin(\pi - \alpha) = \sin \alpha$$

Q22: 56

$$\sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x = \pm 2$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos x - \frac{1}{2} \sin x = \pm 1$$

$$\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{\pi}{6} = n\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pi - \frac{\pi}{6}, 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}, 3\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}, 4\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

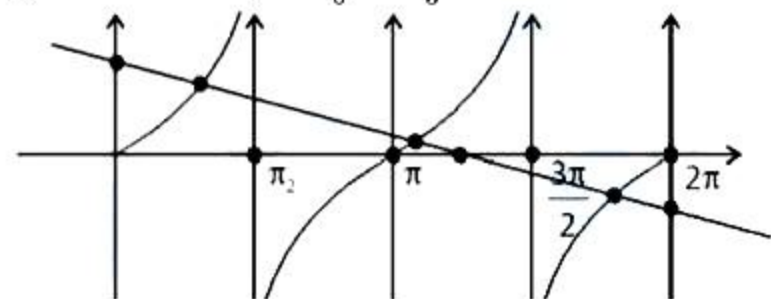
$$\Rightarrow \text{The sum of roots is } 10\pi - \frac{2\pi}{3} = \frac{28}{3}\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow 6k = 6 \times \frac{28}{3} = 56$$

Q23: (C) 3

$$2x + 3 \tan x = \frac{5\pi}{2} \Rightarrow \tan x = -\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$y = \tan x \text{ and } y = \frac{5\pi}{6} - \frac{2x}{3}$$



Both the graphs meet exactly three times in $[0, 2\pi]$.

Thus, there are 3 solutions.

Q24: (B) $\left(0, \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}\right]$

Since, $\sin x > 0$, $\cos x > 0$, $\cos x \neq 1$

So, $\sin x \leq \cos^2 x$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x + \sin x - 1 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\sin x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{5}{4} \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left|\sin x + \frac{1}{2}\right| \leq \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin x + \frac{1}{2} \in \left[-\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}\right]$$

(As, $\sin x > 0$)

$$\therefore 0 < \sin x \leq \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$$

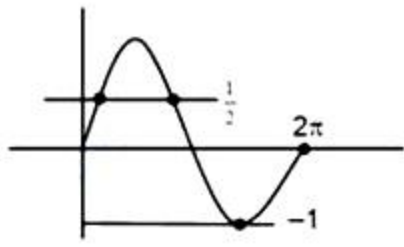
Q25: (B) 4

$$\tan x + \sec x = 2 \cos x$$

Multiplying by $\cos x$,

$$\sin x + 1 = 2\cos^2 x = 2 - 2\sin^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 x + \sin x - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \sin x = -1, \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\sin x = \frac{1}{2} \text{ at}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6} \text{ in } [0, 2\pi]$$

$$\sin x = \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \text{four times in } [0, 4\pi]$$

$$\sin x = -1 \Rightarrow x = \frac{3\pi}{2} \text{ for which } \tan x \text{ and } \sec x \text{ are not defined}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = -1 \text{ is not possible}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Number of roots in } [0, 4\pi] \text{ is 4.}$$

Q26: (D) 3

$$y = \cos x; y = \sin 3x$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3x \right) \Rightarrow x = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3x \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, -2x = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{8}, x = k\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (4n+1)\frac{\pi}{8}, x = (4k+1)\frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$n=0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{8}, k=0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$n=-1 \Rightarrow x = \frac{-3\pi}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-3\pi}{8}, \frac{\pi}{8} \text{ and } \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Q27: (D) $\frac{4\pi}{3}$

$$(\sin A - \sin B)^2 + (\cos A - \cos B)^2 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 - 2(\sin A \sin B + \cos A \cos B) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(B - A) = 0 \Rightarrow B - A = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow B = A + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\sin A - \sin B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \sin A - \cos A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \cos A \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \left(A - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

$$A + B = A + A + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{5\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

Q28: (C) $\left(\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

$$\cos^2 \theta - 3 \cos \theta + 2 \geq \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta} = \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\cos^2 \theta - 3 \cos \theta + 2 \geq 1 - \cos^2 \theta$$

$$2\cos^2 \theta - 3 \cos \theta + 1 \geq 0$$

$$(2 \cos \theta - 1)(\cos \theta - 1) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta \leq \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \cos \theta \geq 1$$

$$\text{So, } \theta \in \left(\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \text{ of the given intervals.}$$

Q29: (D) 20

$$f(\sin^2 \theta) + f(1 - \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$\text{Let, } \sin^2 \theta = t$$

$$\therefore f(t) + f(1-t)$$

$$= \frac{25^t}{25^t+5} + \frac{25^{1-t}}{25^{1-t}+5} = \frac{25^t}{25^t+5} + \frac{25}{25+5(25^t)}$$

$$= \frac{25^t+5}{25^t+5} = 1$$

$$\text{Therefore, the given equation will become } \tan^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \pm 1 \Rightarrow \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Hence, the number of solutions are

$$4 \times 5 = 20$$

{ $\therefore$ 4 solutions in $[0, 2\pi]$ }

Q30: 5

$$\text{LHS} = 12 \sin x + 5 \cos x \in \left[-\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2}, \sqrt{12^2 + 5^2} \right]$$

i.e. $[-13, 13]$ i.e.

maximum value of LHS is 13

$$\text{RHS} = 2(y^2 - 4y + 4) + 13$$

$$= 2(y - 2)^2 + 13$$

$$\text{RHS} \geq 13$$

Roots of the equation exist if $\text{LHS} = \text{RHS} = 13$.

$$\text{RHS} = 13 \text{ when } y = 2$$

$$\text{LHS} = 13 \Rightarrow 12 \sin x + 5 \cos x = 13$$

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

$$\sin(x + \alpha) = 1, \text{ where } \tan \alpha = \frac{5}{12}$$

$$x + \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{12} = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = \pi - 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{12} \Rightarrow \frac{5}{12} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{xy}{2}\right) = \cot\left(\frac{xy}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 12 \cot\left(\frac{xy}{2}\right) = 5$$

Q31: (A) 4950

$$(2 \cos^2 2x - 1) + 6 = 7 \cos 2x$$

On putting $\cos 2x = t$, we get,

$$2t^2 - 1 + 6 = 7t$$

$$2t^2 - 7t + 5 = 0$$

$$(2t - 5)(t - 1) = 0$$

$$t = \frac{5}{2}, 1$$

$$t = \frac{5}{2} \text{ (not possible)}$$

$$t = 1 \Rightarrow \cos 2x = 1 \Rightarrow 2x = 2n\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow x = n\pi$$

The roots in $[0, 314]$ are

$$\pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, \dots, 99\pi \{100\pi > 314\}$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} = \pi + 2\pi + 3\pi + \dots + 99\pi = 4950\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 4950$$

Q32: (C) 3

$$\sin x = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

$$\cos x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \beta = \frac{11\pi}{6}, \gamma = \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = \frac{7\pi}{6} + \frac{11\pi}{6} = 3\pi, \beta - \gamma = \frac{11\pi}{6} - \frac{5\pi}{6} = \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha + \beta}{|\beta - \gamma|} = \frac{3\pi}{\pi} = 3$$

Q33: (A) $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\cot x = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6} \text{ and}$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} x = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{So, } \alpha = \frac{11\pi}{6}, \beta = \frac{5\pi}{6}, \gamma = \frac{7\pi}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha - \beta = \pi \text{ and } \beta + \gamma = 2\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|\alpha - \beta|}{\beta + \gamma} = \frac{\pi}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2}$$