

CLASS X Math - Previous Year Question
Trigonometry

Q1. If $\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, the value of $\sec^2 \theta + \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$ is **[2021]**

- (a) 1 (b) $\frac{40}{9}$ (c) $\frac{38}{9}$ (d) $5\frac{1}{3}$

Q2. In $\triangle ABC$ right angled at B, $\sin A = \frac{7}{25}$, then the value of $\cos C$ is **[2021]**

- (a) $\frac{7}{25}$ (b) $\frac{24}{25}$ (c) $\frac{7}{24}$ (d) $\frac{24}{7}$

Q3. Given that $\sec \theta = \sqrt{2}$, the value of $\frac{1+\tan \theta}{\sin \theta}$ is **[2021]**

- (a) $2\sqrt{2}$ (b) $\sqrt{2}$ (c) $3\sqrt{2}$ (d) 2

Q4. If θ is an acute angle and $\tan \theta + \cot \theta = 2$, then the value of $\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta$ is **[2021]**

- (a) 1 (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ (c) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ (d) $\sqrt{2}$

Q5. If $a \cot \theta + b \operatorname{cosec} \theta = p$ and $b \cot \theta + a \operatorname{cosec} \theta = q$, then $p^2 - q^2 =$ **[2021]**

- (a) $a^2 - b^2$ (b) $b^2 - a^2$ (c) $a^2 + b^2$ (d) $b - a$

Q6. The value of $(1 + \tan^2 \theta)(1 - \sin \theta)(1 + \sin \theta) =$ **[2020]**

Q7. If $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = p$, then $\tan \theta$ is **[2021]**

- (a) $\frac{p^2+1}{2p}$ (b) $\frac{p^2-1}{2p}$ (c) $\frac{p^2-1}{p^2+1}$ (d) $\frac{p^2+1}{p^2-1}$

Q8. If A and B are acute angles such that $\sin(A - B) = 0$ and $2 \cos(A + B) - 1 = 0$, then find angles A and B. **[2023]**

Q9. $\sec \theta$ when expressed in terms of $\cot \theta$, is equal to: **[2023]**

- (a) $\frac{1+\cot^2 \theta}{\cot \theta}$ (b) $\sqrt{1 + \cot^2 \theta}$ (c) $\frac{\sqrt{1+\cot^2 \theta}}{\cot \theta}$ (d) $\frac{\sqrt{1-\cot^2 \theta}}{\cot \theta}$

Q10. If $\tan \alpha = \sqrt{3}$ and $\tan \beta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, $0 < \alpha, \beta < 90^\circ$ then find the value of $\cot(\alpha + \beta)$. [2017]

Q11. Prove that: $\sec A (1 - \sin A)(\sec A + \tan A) = 1$ [2023]

Q12. Prove that

$$(1 + \cot A - \operatorname{cosec} A)(1 + \tan A + \sec A) = 2 \quad [2019]$$

Q13. If $\sin \theta - \cos \theta = 0$, then find the value of $\sin^4 \theta + \cos^4 \theta$. [2017]

Q14. Prove that: $\frac{\tan \theta + \sec \theta - 1}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1} = \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$ [2017]

Q15. Find the value of $\cos 60^\circ$ geometrically. Hence find $\operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ$. [2017]

Q16. If $4 \tan \theta = 3$, evaluate $\left(\frac{4 \sin \theta - \cos \theta + 1}{4 \sin \theta + \cos \theta - 1} \right)$ [2018]

Q17. Prove that: $\frac{\sin A - 2 \sin^3 A}{2 \cos^3 A - \cos A} = \tan A$ [2018]

Q18. Prove that

$$(\sin \theta + \operatorname{cosec} \theta)^2 + (\cos \theta + \sec \theta)^2 = 7 + \tan^2 \theta + \cot^2 \theta. \quad [2019]$$

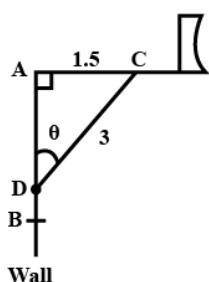
Q19. Prove that $\frac{\sin A - \cos A + 1}{\sin A + \cos A - 1} = \frac{1}{\sec A - \tan A}$ [2019]

Q20. Prove that $\frac{\tan^2 A}{\tan^2 A - 1} + \frac{\operatorname{cosec}^2 A}{\sec^2 A - \operatorname{cosec}^2 A} = \frac{1}{1 - 2 \cos^2 A}$ [2019]

Q21. If $\sec \theta = x + \frac{1}{4x}$, $x \neq 0$, find $(\sec \theta + \tan \theta)$ [2019]

Q22. The value of $\left(\sin^2 \theta + \frac{1}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) =$ [2020]

Q23. The rod AC of a TV disc antenna is fixed at right angle to the wall AB and a rod CD is supporting the disc as shown in Fig., If AC = 1.5 m long and CD = 3 m, find (i) $\tan \theta$ (ii) $\sec \theta + \operatorname{cosec} \theta$. [2020]



Q24. If $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = \sqrt{3}$, then prove that $\tan \theta + \cot \theta = 1$ [2020]

Q25. Prove that: $2(\sin^6 \theta + \cos^6 \theta) - 3(\sin^4 \theta + \cos^4 \theta) + 1 = 0$ [2020]

Q26. Evaluate: $\frac{5 \cos^2 60^\circ + 4 \sec^2 30^\circ - \tan^2 45^\circ}{\sin^2 30^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ}$ [2023]

Q27. Prove that: $\frac{\sin A - 2 \sin^3 A}{2 \cos^3 A - \cos A} = \tan A$ [2023]

Q28. If $\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$ and $\frac{x}{a} \sin \theta - \frac{y}{b} \cos \theta = 1$, prove that $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ [2017]

Q29. If $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{3}$, then $\sec \theta$ is equal to: [2024]

- (a) $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$ (b) $\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}$ (c) 3 (d) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Q30. For what value of θ , $\sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta + \cos^2 \theta$ is equal to 2? [2024]

- (a) 45° (b) 0° (c) 90° (d) 30°

Q31. Evaluate: $\sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$, if $A = 30^\circ$ and $B = 45^\circ$. [2024]

Q32. Prove that $(\cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta)^2 = \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$. [2024]