

3.8 Further Trigonometry

Question Paper

Course	DPIB Maths
Section	3. Geometry & Trigonometry
Topic	3.8 Further Trigonometry
Difficulty	Hard

Time allowed: 80
Score: /60
Percentage: /100

Question 1

Solve the following equations in the given intervals.

(i)

$$\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2} \quad -\pi \leq x \leq \pi$$

(ii)

$$\frac{2 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x} = -\sqrt{3} \quad 0 \leq x \leq \pi$$

[7 marks]

Question 2a

(a)

Show that $\frac{5 \sin(\pi + x)}{\tan x} \equiv -5 \cos x \quad x \neq \frac{n\pi}{2}$.

[3 marks]

Question 2b

(b)

Hence find the exact value of $\sin x$ when $\frac{5 \sin(\pi + x)}{\tan x} = 4$ for $\frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \pi$.

[3 marks]**Question 3a**

(a)

Show that $\cos x - \sqrt{3} \sin x \equiv 2 \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$.

[3 marks]**Question 3b**

(b)

Hence solve the equation $2 \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \sqrt{3} \cos x \sin x - 1$ for the interval $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$. Show each step of your working.

[4 marks]

Question 4

Show that $2 \cos \theta - 5 \sin \theta$ can be written in the form $R \cos(\theta + \alpha)$, where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$.

Give R in the form \sqrt{k} where k is an integer.

[5 marks]

Question 5

Given that $\cos x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{5}$ and $\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$, find the exact value of $\tan(2x)$.

[6 marks]

Question 6

Prove that $2 \sin 2\theta(2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) \equiv \sin 4\theta$.

[4 marks]

Question 7

Solve the equation $\frac{1}{\cos^2 2x} = 1 + \tan 2x$ for the interval $-\pi < x < 0$.

[7 marks]

Question 8a

(a)

Prove the identity $\frac{1 - \sin 2\theta}{2 \cos 2\theta} \equiv \frac{1 - \tan \theta}{2(1 + \tan \theta)}$.**[4 marks]****Question 8b**

(b)

Solve the equation $\frac{1 - \sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} = 2\sqrt{2}$ for $-\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi$.**[3 marks]**

Question 9

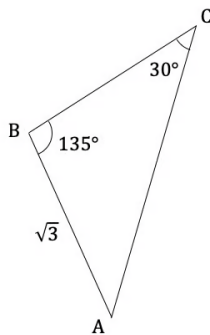
Determine the value of the following expression

$$\cos 55^\circ \cos 5^\circ - \cos 85^\circ \cos 35^\circ.$$

[5 marks]

Question 10

The following diagram shows the triangle ABC where $AB = \sqrt{3}$, $\widehat{ABC} = 135^\circ$ and $\widehat{BCA} = 30^\circ$.



Find the length AC giving your answer in its simplest form.

[6 marks]