

# Further trig review [107 marks]

1. Find the least positive value of  $x$  for which  $\cos\left(\frac{x}{2} + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ . [5 marks]

Let  $\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$ , where  $\theta$  is acute.

2a. Find  $\cos \theta$ . [3 marks]

2b. Find  $\cos 2\theta$ . [2 marks]

3a. Show that  $\log_9 (\cos 2x + 2) = \log_3 \sqrt{\cos 2x + 2}$ . [3 marks]

3b. Hence or otherwise solve  $\log_3 (2 \sin x) = \log_9 (\cos 2x + 2)$  for  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ . [5 marks]

Consider the functions  $f(x) = \sqrt{3} \sin x + \cos x$  where  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$  and  $g(x) = 2x$  where  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

4a. Find  $(f \circ g)(x)$ . [2 marks]

4b. Solve the equation  $(f \circ g)(x) = 2 \cos 2x$  where  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ . [5 marks]

5a. Show that  $\sin 2x + \cos 2x - 1 = 2 \sin x(\cos x - \sin x)$ . [2 marks]

5b. Hence or otherwise, solve  $\sin 2x + \cos 2x - 1 + \cos x - \sin x = 0$  for  $0 < x < 2\pi$ . [6 marks]

6a. Show that the equation  $2 \cos^2 x + 5 \sin x = 4$  may be written in the form  $2 \sin^2 x - 5 \sin x + 2 = 0$ . [1 mark]

6b. Hence, solve the equation  $2 \cos^2 x + 5 \sin x = 4$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [5 marks]

7. It is given that  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{3}{2}$ , where  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$ . Find the exact value of  $\cot \theta$ . [4 marks]

8. Solve the equation  $2 \cos^2 x + 5 \sin x = 4$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [7 marks]

9. Let  $f(x) = 4 \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + 1$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 6\pi$ . Find the values of  $x$  for which  $f(x) > 2\sqrt{2} + 1$ . [8 marks]

10.  $A$  and  $B$  are acute angles such that  $\cos A = \frac{2}{3}$  and  $\sin B = \frac{1}{3}$ . [7 marks]

Show that  $\cos(2A + B) = -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{27} - \frac{4\sqrt{5}}{27}$ .

11. Given that  $\sin x = \frac{1}{3}$ , where  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ , find the value of  $\cos 4x$ . [6 marks]

12. Let  $f(x) = \tan(x + \pi) \cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  where  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ . [5 marks]

Express  $f(x)$  in terms of  $\sin x$  and  $\cos x$ .

13. Solve  $\log_2(2 \sin x) + \log_2(\cos x) = -1$ , for  $2\pi < x < \frac{5\pi}{2}$ . [7 marks]

14. Solve the equation  $\sec^2 x + 2 \tan x = 0$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [5 marks]

15a. Show that  $\cot 2\theta = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{2 \tan \theta}$ . [1 mark]

15b. Verify that  $x = \tan \theta$  and  $x = -\cot \theta$  satisfy the equation  $x^2 + (2 \cot 2\theta)x - 1 = 0$ . [7 marks]

15c. Hence, or otherwise, show that the exact value of  $\tan \frac{\pi}{12} = 2 - \sqrt{3}$ . [5 marks]

15d. Using the results from parts (b) and (c) find the exact value of

[6 marks]

$$\tan \frac{\pi}{24} - \cot \frac{\pi}{24}.$$

Give your answer in the form  $a + b\sqrt{3}$  where  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

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