

Mixed Practice



1 Given that $\sec \theta = 3$, find the exact value of $\cos 2\theta$.



2 a Show that $\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \equiv \sqrt{2} \cos x$.

b Hence solve the equation $\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sqrt{2} \sin x$ for $0 \leq x < \pi$.



3 a Show that

$$\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \equiv \sqrt{3} \cos x.$$

b Hence solve the equation

$$\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin x$$

for $0 < x < 2\pi$.



4 An acute angle θ has $\tan \theta = 3$. Find the exact value of

a $\tan 2\theta$

b $\sec \theta$.



5 Given that $\cos A = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\cos B = \frac{1}{3}$, find the exact value of $\cos(A + B)$.



6 Solve the equation $(\arcsin x)^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{9}$.



7 Find the exact value of $\tan 105^\circ$.

8 Solve the equation

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

for $0 < x < 2\pi$.



9 Find all solutions to the equation $\tan x + \tan 2x = 0$ where $0^\circ \leq x < 360^\circ$.

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10 a Given that $\arctan \frac{1}{2} - \arctan \frac{1}{3} = \arctan a$, $a \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, find the value of a .

b Hence, or otherwise, solve the equation $\arcsin x = \arctan a$.

Mathematics HL November 2011 Paper 2 Q4



11 a Use the formulae for $\sin 2\theta$ and $\cos 2\theta$ to derive a formula for $\tan 2\theta$ in terms of $\tan \theta$.

b Hence find the exact value of $\tan 112.5^\circ$.

12 Solve the equation $\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 3 \cos x$ for $0 \leq x \leq \pi$.

13 Given that $\cos y = \sin(x + y)$, show that $\tan y = \sec x - \tan x$.

14 Prove that $\cot 2x = \frac{\cot^2 x - 1}{2 \cot x}$.



15 a Prove that $\operatorname{cosec} 2x - \cot 2x \equiv \tan x$.

b Hence find the exact value of $\tan\left(\frac{3}{8}\pi\right)$.



16 a Prove the following identities:

i $\cos^4 \theta - \sin^4 \theta = \cos 2\theta$

ii $\sin^2 2\theta(\cot^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta) \equiv 4(\cos^4 \theta - \sin^4 \theta)$.

b Hence solve the equation $\sin^2 2\theta(\cot^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta) = 2$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.



17 a Write $3\sin x + \sqrt{3}\cos x$ in the form $R\sin(x + \theta)$ where $R > 0$ and $\theta \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$.

b Hence solve the equation $3\sin x + \sqrt{3}\cos x = 3$ for $-\pi < x < \pi$.



18 If x satisfies the equation $\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 2\sin x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$, show that $11 \tan x = a + b\sqrt{3}$, where $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

Mathematics HL May 2010 Paper 1 TZ2 Q6

19 Let $f(x) = \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin x} - \frac{\cos 3x}{\cos x}$.

a For what values of x does $f(x)$ not exist?

b Simplify the expression $\frac{\sin 3x}{\sin x} - \frac{\cos 3x}{\cos x}$.

Mathematics HL May 2012 Paper 1 TZ1 Q5



20 a Show that $\cos(x + y) + \cos(x - y) = 2\cos x \cos y$.

b Hence solve the equation $\cos 3x + \cos x = 3\cos 2x$ for $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$.



21 Find the exact value of:

a $\tan(\arctan 3 - \arctan 2)$

b $\tan\left(2\arctan\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$.



22 Let θ be the acute angle between the lines with equations $y = x$ and $y = 2x$. Find the exact value of $\tan \theta$.

23 a Use the identity for $\tan(A + B)$ to express $\tan 3x$ in terms of $\tan x$.

b Hence solve the equation $\tan x + \tan 3x = 0$ for $-\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$.



24 a Show that $\sin\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \equiv \cos 2x$.

b Hence solve the equation $\sin 3x = \cos 2x$ for $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.

c Show that $\sin 3x \equiv 3\sin x - 4\sin^3 x$ and hence express $\cos 2x - \sin 3x$ in terms of $\sin x$.

Let $f(s) = 4s^3 - 2s^2 - 3s + 1$.

d Show that $(s - 1)$ is a factor of $f(s)$ and factorize $f(s)$ completely.

e Hence find the exact value of $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{10}\right)$.

25 Compactness is a measure of how compact an enclosed region is. The compactness, C , of an enclosed region can be defined by $C = \frac{4A}{\pi d^2}$ where A is the area of the region and d is the maximum distance between any two points in the region.

For a circular region, $C = 1$.

Consider a regular polygon of n sides constructed such that its vertices lie on the circumference of a circle of diameter x units.

a If $n > 2$ and even, show that $C = \frac{n}{2\pi} \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$.

If $n > 1$ and odd, it can be shown that $C = \frac{n \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\pi \left(1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{n}\right)}$.

b Find the regular polygon with the least number of sides for which the compactness is more than 0.99.

c Comment briefly on whether C is a good measure of compactness.

Mathematics HL November 2014 Paper 2 Q9

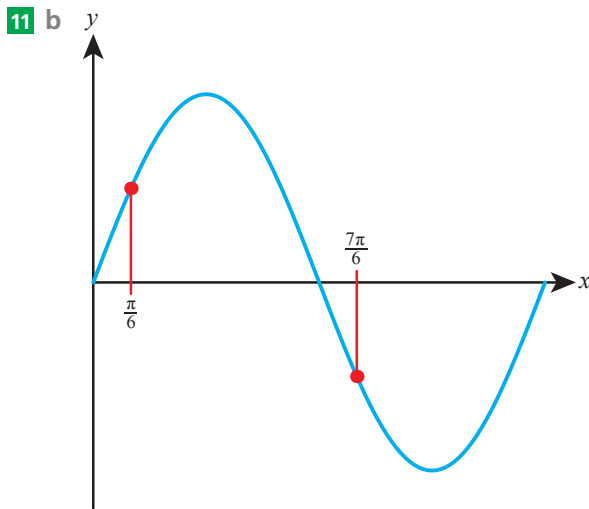


26 a Given that $\arctan\left(\frac{1}{5}\right) + \arctan\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) = \arctan\left(\frac{1}{p}\right)$, where $p \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, find p .

b Hence find the value of $\arctan\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \arctan\left(\frac{1}{5}\right) + \arctan\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)$.

Mathematics HL May 2013 Paper 1 T22 Q10

- 3 a $\frac{\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2}}{4}$ b $\frac{-\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2}}{4}$
 4 a $\frac{\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2}}{4}$ b $\frac{\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2}}{4}$
 5 a $2-\sqrt{3}$ b $-2+\sqrt{3}$
 6 a $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ b 1
 7 a $-2-\sqrt{3}$ b $2+\sqrt{3}$
 8 a $-\sin x$ b $\cos x$
 9 a $\cos x$ b $\sin x$
 10 a $-\tan x$ b $\tan x$



- 14 a $\sqrt{2} \cos x$ b $60^\circ, 300^\circ$
 17 a $\frac{3}{4}$ b $\frac{13}{9}$
 18 3
 19 a $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$ b $\frac{6\sqrt{2}-4}{15}$
 20 $\frac{16}{65}$
 21 $4-\sqrt{3}$
 22 $\tan y = \frac{\tan x - 2}{1 + 2 \tan x}$
 23 $3, -\frac{1}{3}$
 24 $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 25 $\sqrt{2}$

- 27 a $2 \sin x \cos x$
 b $0, \pi, 2\pi, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$
 28 $\sqrt{2}-1$
 29 b $-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{3}$
 30 b $0, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \pi$
 32 a $\sqrt{58}$ b $\frac{3}{10-\sqrt{58}}$
 33 a $2\sqrt{3} \sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ b $\frac{3-\sqrt{3}}{12}$ for $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$
 34 $\frac{3}{11}$

Chapter 3 Mixed Practice

- 1 $-\frac{7}{9}$
 2 b $\frac{\pi}{4}$
 3 b $\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}$
 4 a $-\frac{3}{4}$ b $\sqrt{10}$
 5 $\frac{1 \pm 2\sqrt{6}}{6}$
 6 $\pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 7 $-2-\sqrt{3}$
 8 $\frac{\pi}{2}$ or $\frac{3\pi}{2}$
 9 $0^\circ, 60^\circ, 120^\circ, 180^\circ, 240^\circ, 300^\circ$
 10 a $\frac{1}{7}$ b $\frac{1}{\sqrt{50}}$
 11 b $-\sqrt{2}-1$
 12 $\frac{\pi}{3}$
 15 b $1+\sqrt{2}$
 16 b $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$
 17 a $2\sqrt{3} \sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ b $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}$
 18 $a = 6, b = 1$

- 19 a $\frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ b 2
- 20 b $\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$
- 21 a $\frac{1}{7}$ b $\frac{4}{3}$
- 22 $\frac{1}{3}$
- 23 a $\frac{3 \tan x - \tan^3 x}{1 - 3 \tan^2 x}$ b $-\frac{\pi}{4}, 0, \frac{\pi}{4}$
- 24 b $\frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{\pi}{2}$
 $1 - 3 \sin x - 2 \sin^2 2x + 4 \sin^3 x$
 d $(s-1)\left(2s + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)\left(2s + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$
 e $\frac{-1 + \sqrt{5}}{4}$
- 25 b 21⁴
 c e.g. As n increases, the compactness of a polygon with n sides gets closer to that of a circle ($c = 1$).
- 26 a $p = 3$ b $\frac{\pi}{4}$

Chapter 4 Prior Knowledge

- 1 $\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{3}}{3}$
- 2 $5 - 2\sqrt{5}$
- 3 a $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ b $-\frac{1}{2}$
- 4 a $\sin \frac{3\pi}{10}$ b $\frac{5\pi}{24}$
- 5 $e^{(\ln 4)^x}$
- 6 $a(x-3)(x+5)$
- 7 $\frac{1}{1-x}$

Exercise 4A

- 1 a i b -1
- 2 a 4i b 5
- 3 a -9 b -8i
- 4 a 1 b -1
- 5 a $x = \pm 3i$ b $x = \pm 6i$
- 6 a $x = \pm 2\sqrt{2}i$ b $x = \pm 5\sqrt{3}i$
- 7 a $x = 1 \pm 2i$ b $x = 2 \pm 3i$
- 8 a $x = -1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i$ b $x = \frac{1}{3} \pm \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}i$

- 9 a $11 + 4i$ b $-4 + 4i$
- 10 a $1 - 2i$ b $-6 + 10i$
- 11 a $8 - i$ b $16 + 2i$
- 12 a $8 + 6i$ b $7 - 24i$
- 13 a $4 - 2i$ b $-3 + 3i$
- 14 a $4 + 3i$ b $1 - i$
- 15 a $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i$ b $-\frac{2}{13} - \frac{23}{13}i$
- 16 a $a = 5, b = 7$ b $a = -3, b = 9$
- 17 a $a = -\frac{3}{2}, b = \frac{31}{2}$ b $a = \frac{1}{2}, b = -8$
- 18 a $z = -4 - i$ b $z = 1 + 2i$
- 19 a $z = \frac{2}{3} + 7i$ b $z = -\frac{5}{3} + \frac{1}{3}i$

