

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS
WORKSHEET ON INVERSE TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS (WS - 4)
CLASS - 12

ONE MARK QUESTIONS

- Find the principal value of the following:
a) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ b) $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ c) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$ d) $\operatorname{cosec}^{-1}(-2)$ e) $\sec^{-1}\left(-\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$
- Find the value of the following:
a) $\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\frac{3\pi}{5}\right)$ b) $\cos^{-1}\left(\cos\frac{13\pi}{6}\right)$ c) $\tan^{-1}\left(\tan\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)$ d) $\operatorname{cosec}^{-1}\left(\operatorname{cosec}\frac{\pi}{8}\right)$ e) $\sec^{-1}\left(\sec\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$.
- Evaluate the following:
a) $\sin\left\{\frac{\pi}{3} - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)\right\}$ b) $\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\frac{4}{5}\right)$ c) $\tan\frac{1}{2}\left(\cos^{-1}\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}\right)$.
- Evaluate: $\cos\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{3}{5} + \cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13}\right)$.
- Show that: $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{x}) = \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right)$.

FOUR MARKS QUESTIONS

- Prove that $\tan^{-1}\left\{\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2} + \sqrt{1-x^2}}{\sqrt{1+x^2} - \sqrt{1-x^2}}\right\} = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}x^2$.
- Prove that $\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{4} + \tan^{-1}\frac{2}{9} = \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\frac{3}{5}$.
- Prove that $\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{ab+1}{a-b}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{bc+1}{b-c}\right) + \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{ca+1}{c-a}\right) = 0$.
- Prove that $\tan^{-1}\frac{3}{4} + \tan^{-1}\frac{3}{5} - \tan^{-1}\frac{8}{19} = \frac{\pi}{4}$.
- Prove that $\cos^{-1}\frac{4}{5} + \cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13} = \cos^{-1}\frac{33}{65}$.
- Solve for x: $\sin^{-1}(1-x) - 2\sin^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2}$.
- If $\cos^{-1}\frac{x}{a} + \cos^{-1}\frac{y}{b} = \theta$, then prove that $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{2xy}{ab}\cos\theta + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \sin^2\theta$.
- Prove that $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\frac{a}{b}\right) + \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\frac{a}{b}\right) = \frac{2b}{a}$.
- Solve for x: $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x^2-1}{x^2+1}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{x^2-1}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$.
- Solve for x: $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x-1}{x-2}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+1}{x+2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$.