

**EXERCISE - 1 [A]**

1. (A)  
Since  $\sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
And  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
So  $\sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x + \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \pi$
2. (D)  
Since domain of  $\sin^{-1} x$  &  $\cos^{-1} x$  is  $[-1, 1]$  but since  $x > 0$   
so  $2\pi + x > 1$  so the given terms is not defined
3. (D)  
Given  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \sec^{-1}(-2)\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{-2}\right)\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \cos^{-1}(\pi) = -1$
4. (A)  
Given,  $\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{23\pi}{7}\right)\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{39\pi}{7}\right)\right)$   
Given  $\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{23\pi}{7}\right)\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(2\pi + \frac{9\pi}{7}\right)\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{9\pi}{7}\right)\right) = -\frac{9\pi}{7} + \pi$   
So  $\cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{39\pi}{7}\right)\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(4\pi + \frac{11\pi}{7}\right)\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{11\pi}{7}\right)\right) = -\frac{11\pi}{7} + 2\pi$   
So  $\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{23\pi}{7}\right)\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{39\pi}{7}\right)\right) = -\frac{9\pi}{7} + \pi - \frac{11\pi}{7} + 2\pi = \frac{\pi}{7}$
5. (D)  
 $\cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(-\frac{17}{15}\pi\right)\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{17}{15}\pi\right)\right) = -\frac{17}{15}\pi + 2\pi = \frac{13\pi}{15}$
6. (C)  
 $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$
7. (A)  
 $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0$
8. (C)  
 $\tan\left(90^\circ - \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\right) = \cot\left(\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\right) = \frac{1}{3}$

9. (A)

$$\sin\left(\cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13}\right) \text{ let } \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{12}{13}\right) = \theta, \cos\theta = \frac{12}{13}, \text{ so } \sin\theta = \frac{5}{13}$$

10. (D)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^{-1}\left(\cos\frac{33\pi}{5}\right) &= \sin^{-1}\left(\cos\left(6\pi + \frac{3\pi}{5}\right)\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\cos\frac{3\pi}{5}\right) = \sin^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{10}\right)\right) \\ &= \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{10}\right)\right) = \frac{\pi}{10}\end{aligned}$$

11. (B)

$$\text{Given } \sin^{-1}x + \sin^{-1}y = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{So } \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1}x\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1}y\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{Or } \cos^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}y = \pi - \frac{2\pi}{3} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

12. (B)

13. (C)

Here  $\theta = 10$  rad doesn't lie between  $-\pi^2$  and  $\pi^2$

But,  $3\pi - \theta$  lies between  $-\pi^2$  and  $\pi^2$

$$\text{Also, } \sin(3\pi - 10) = \sin 10$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1}(\sin 10) = \sin^{-1}(\sin(3\pi - 10)) = 3\pi - 10$$

14. (B)

$$\text{Let } y = \cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{1+\cos x}{2}}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\sqrt{\frac{2\cos^2\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2}}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left[\cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right] = \frac{x}{2}$$

15. (A)

$$\text{Let } \frac{1}{2}\cos^{-1}\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} = \theta \Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$$

$$\text{But } \cos 2\theta = \frac{1-\tan^2\theta}{1+\tan^2\theta} \Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} = \frac{1-\tan^2\theta}{1+\tan^2\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5}\tan^2\theta = 3 - 3\tan^2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sqrt{5} + 3)\tan^2\theta = 3 - \sqrt{5} \Rightarrow \tan^2\theta = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{3 + \sqrt{5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2\theta = \frac{(3 - \sqrt{5})^2}{4} \Rightarrow \tan\theta = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\text{On rationalizing } \Rightarrow \tan\theta = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \times \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{3 + \sqrt{5}} = \frac{2}{3 + \sqrt{5}}$$

16. (B)

Given expression is:  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{a-b}{1+ab}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b-c}{1+bc}\right)$

Let,  $y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{a-b}{1+ab}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b-c}{1+bc}\right) \dots$

We know that:  $\tan^{-1}a - \tan^{-1}b = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{a-b}{1+ab}\right) \dots$

So, applying equation (2) in equation (1) we get:

$$\begin{aligned}y &= (\tan^{-1}a - \tan^{-1}b) + (\tan^{-1}b - \tan^{-1}c) \\ &= \tan^{-1}a - \tan^{-1}b + \tan^{-1}b - \tan^{-1}c \\ &= \tan^{-1}a - \tan^{-1}c\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the expression reduces to  $\tan^{-1}a - \tan^{-1}c$ .

17. (C)

Given that,  $\sin^{-1}\frac{1}{3} + \sin^{-1}\frac{2}{3} = \sin^{-1}x$

Now using the identity,  $\sin^{-1}a + \sin^{-1}b = \sin^{-1}\left[a\sqrt{1-b^2} + b\sqrt{1-a^2}\right]$ .

Here,  $a = \frac{1}{3}, b = \frac{2}{3}$

Substituting values we get:

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^{-1}\frac{1}{3} + \sin^{-1}\frac{2}{3} &= \sin^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{1-\frac{4}{9}} + \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{1-\frac{1}{9}}\right] \\ &= \sin^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{\frac{5}{9}} + \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}\right] = \sin^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{9}\sqrt{5} + \frac{4}{9}\sqrt{2}\right] = \sin^{-1}\left[\frac{\sqrt{5} + 4\sqrt{2}}{9}\right]\end{aligned}$$

18. (B)

Given  $\tan^{-1}2x + \tan^{-1}3x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}\frac{2x+3x}{1-2x \times 3x} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{1-6x^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x^2 + 5x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (6x - 1)(x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{6}, -1$$

19. (A)

L.H.S

$$= \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{xy+1}{x-y} \right) + \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{yz+1}{y-z} \right) + \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{zx+1}{z-x} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x-y}{xy+1} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y-z}{yz+1} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{z-x}{zx+1} \right)$$

$$= [\tan^{-1}x - \tan^{-1}y] + [\tan^{-1}y - \tan^{-1}z]$$

$$+ [\tan^{-1}z - \tan^{-1}x]$$

( since  $0 < xy, yz, zx < 1$  )

$$= 0$$

= RHS

20. (B)

$$y = \cot^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x}) - \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})$$

$$y = \frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x}) - \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})$$

$$y = \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} - y = 2\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - y\right) = \cos\left(2\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})\right)$$

Now apply,  $\cos 2A = \frac{1 - \tan^2 A}{1 + \tan^2 A}$  on R.H.S.

$$\sin y = \frac{1 - \tan^2[\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})]}{1 + \tan^2[\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{\cos x})]}$$

$$\sin y = \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 + \cos x}$$

$$\sin y = \frac{2\sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{2\cos^2 \frac{x}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin y = \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}$$

## EXERCISE - 1 [B]

1. (C)

The above expression is true for

$$\alpha = 1, \beta = 1 \text{ and } \gamma = 1$$

$$\text{Since } \frac{-\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1}(x) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Hence

$$\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha$$

$$= (1) + (1) + (1)$$

$$= 3$$

2. (B)

$$\frac{-2\pi}{5}$$

$$= -\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}\right)\right)$$

$$= \sin^{-1}\left(-\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}\right)\right)$$

$$= \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\pi + \frac{2\pi}{5}\right)\right)$$

$$= \sin^{-1}\left(\sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{5}\right)\right)$$

3. (C)

$$\cos^{-1}\left(-\sin\frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

4. (C)

$$\tan^{-1}(1) + \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{2\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3\pi + 8\pi - 2\pi}{12} = \frac{9\pi}{12} = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

5. (A)

$$\text{Since } \tan^{-1}x + \cot^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\tan^{-1}x + \cot^{-1}x + \sin^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1}x$$

$$\text{As } -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1}x \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow 0 \leq \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1}x \leq \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \tan^{-1}x + \cot^{-1}x + \sin^{-1}x \leq \pi$$

$$\therefore a = 0, b = \pi$$

6. (A)

$$\text{If } \sin^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}x = y \text{ } (-1 < x < 1) \text{ then } y = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

7. (B)  
 We have  
 $\sin^{-1}x - \cos^{-1}x = \pi/6$   
 $\Rightarrow \sin^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}x - 2 \cdot \cos^{-1}x = \pi/6$   
 $\Rightarrow \pi/2 - 2 \cdot \cos^{-1}x = \pi/6$   
 $\Rightarrow -2 \cdot \cos^{-1}x = \pi/6 - \pi/2$   
 $\Rightarrow -2 \cdot \cos^{-1}x = \frac{\pi - 3\pi}{6}$   
 $\Rightarrow -2 \cdot \cos^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{3\pi}{6}$   
 $\Rightarrow 2 \cdot \cos^{-1}x = 2\pi/6$   
 $\Rightarrow \cos^{-1}x = \frac{2\pi}{6.2}$   
 $\Rightarrow \cos^{-1}x = \pi/6$   
 $\Rightarrow x = \cos\pi/6$
8. (C)  
 The formula  
 $\tan^{-1}[\tan(a)] = a$   
 Works for  $a \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}; \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$   
 In our case  $\frac{5\pi}{7} > \frac{\pi}{2}$  but we can use the periodicity of tan:  
 $\tan\left(\frac{5\pi}{7}\right) = \tan\left(\frac{5\pi}{7} - \pi\right) = \tan\left(-\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)$   
 $\tan^{-1}\left[\tan\left(\frac{5\pi}{7}\right)\right] = \tan^{-1}\left[\tan\left(-\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)\right] = -\frac{2\pi}{7}$
9. (D)  
 The number of positive integral solutions of  $\cos^{-1}\left(4x^2 - 8x + \frac{7}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$  is None of the above
10. (D)  
 Given  $a\sin^{-1}x - b\cos^{-1}x = c$   
 $\Rightarrow a\sin^{-1}x - b\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}x\right) = c$   
 $\Rightarrow (a + b)\sin^{-1}x = c + \frac{b\pi}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow \sin^{-1}x = \frac{2c + b\pi}{2(a + b)}$   
 $a\sin^{-1}x + b\cos^{-1}x = a\sin^{-1}x + b\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}x\right)$   
 $= (a - b)\sin^{-1}x + b\frac{\pi}{2}$   
 $= \frac{(a - b)(2c + b\pi)}{2(a + b)} + \frac{b\pi}{2}$   
 $= \frac{2c(a - b) + b\pi(a - b + a + b)}{2(a + b)}$   
 $= \frac{c(a - b) + ab\pi}{(a + b)}$

11. (B)

$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1+x^2}{2x}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2} + (\sin^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1+x^2}{2x}\right) = \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1+x^2}{2x}\right) = \cos \pi = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 1 + 2x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$

12. (C)

We have  $\cos^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}(2x) = -\pi$ , which is not possible as  $\cos^{-1}x$  and  $\cos^{-1}2x$  never take negative values

13. (B)

The given equation is  $ax^2 + \sin^{-1}\left((x-1)^2 + 1\right) + \cos^{-1}\left((x-1)^2 + 1\right) = 0$ .

$$\text{Now, } -1 \leq (x-1)^2 + 1 \leq 1 \Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\text{So, we have } a + \frac{\pi}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow a = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

14. (C)

$$\text{Put } \sin^{-1}\frac{5}{x} = A \Rightarrow \frac{5}{x} = \sin A$$

$$\sin^{-1}\frac{12}{x} = B \Rightarrow \frac{12}{x} = \sin B \Rightarrow A + B = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - B\right) = \cos B = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{x} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{144}{x^2}} \Rightarrow \frac{169}{x^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 169 \Rightarrow x = 13 \quad [\because x = -13 \text{ does not satisfy the given equation}]$$

15. (D)

$$\sin\left(2\sin^{-1}(0.8)\right) = \sin\left(\sin^{-1}\left(2 \times 0.8 \sqrt{1 - (0.8)^2}\right)\right) = \sin\left(\sin^{-1}0.96\right) = 0.96$$

16. (B)

$$\text{Let } x = \sin \theta \text{ where } -\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq 1 \Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{6} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{Then } f(x) = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{1-x^2}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta \right) \\
&= \sin^{-1} \left( \sin \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) \right) \\
&= \theta - \frac{\pi}{6} = \sin^{-1} x - \frac{\pi}{6} \quad \left[ \because \theta - \frac{\pi}{6} \in \left( \frac{-\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

17. (C)

$$\sin^{-1} x = 2 \sin^{-1} a$$

$$\text{Now } -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1} x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq 2 \sin^{-1} a \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \sin^{-1} a \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \leq a \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow |a| \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

18. (C)

$$\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{r} - \sqrt{r-1}}{\sqrt{r(r+1)}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{r} - \sqrt{r+1}}{1 + \sqrt{r(r-1)}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^n \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{r} - \sqrt{r-1}}{\sqrt{r(r+1)}} \right) = \sum_{r=1}^n \left( \tan^{-1} \sqrt{r} - \tan^{-1} \sqrt{r-1} \right) = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{n}$$

19. (B)

$$x = \sin(\theta + \beta) \text{ and } y = \sin(\theta - \beta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + xy = 1 + \sin(\theta + \beta) \sin(\theta - \beta) = 1 + \sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \beta = \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \beta$$

20. (B)

$$\tan \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{a}{b} \right] + \tan \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{a}{b} \right]$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{a}{b} = \theta \Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\tan \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right] + \tan \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right] = \frac{1 + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} + \frac{1 - \tan \theta}{1 + \tan \theta}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \tan^2 \theta + 2 \tan \theta + 1 + \tan^2 \theta - 2 \tan \theta}{(1 - \tan^2 \theta)} = \frac{2}{\cos 2\theta} = \frac{2b}{a}$$



21. (D)

$$\begin{aligned}\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan x}{4}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3 \sin 2x}{5 + 3 \cos 2x}\right) &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan x}{4}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\frac{6 \tan x}{1 + \tan^2 x}}{5 + \frac{3(1 - \tan^2 x)}{1 + \tan^2 x}}\right) \\ &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan x}{4}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6 \tan x}{8 + 2 \tan^2 x}\right) \\ &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan x}{4}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3 \tan x}{4 + \tan^2 x}\right) \\ &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\frac{\tan x}{4} + \frac{3 \tan x}{4 + \tan^2 x}}{1 - \frac{3 \tan^2 x}{4(4 + \tan^2 x)}}\right) \\ &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{16 \tan x + \tan^3 x}{16 + \tan^2 x}\right) \\ &= \tan^{-1}(\tan x) = x\end{aligned}$$

## EXERCISE - 1 [C]

1. (0)

$$\text{Let } y = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)$$

We know that

$$\sin^{-1}(-x) = -\sin^{-1}x$$

$$y = -\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \quad \text{Since } \sin\frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = -\frac{\pi}{6} \quad \frac{\pi}{6} = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0$$

2. (9)

$$9 \cot\left(\cot^{-1}\frac{1}{3}\right) = 9 \times \frac{1}{3} = 3$$

3. (18)

$$\sin\left(\cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13}\right) = \sin\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{5}{13}\right) = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$5 + 13 = 18$$

4. (0)

$$\text{Given, } \sin^{-1}x + \sin^{-1}y + \sin^{-1}z = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{This will happen only when } \sin^{-1}x = \sin^{-1}y = \sin^{-1}z = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{Since } \sin^{-1}x \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

$$\text{then } \sin\frac{\pi}{2} = 1 \Rightarrow x = y = z = 1$$

$$\text{Hence desired value is } = 1 + 1 + 1 + -\frac{9}{1+1+1} = 3 - \frac{9}{3} = 0$$

5. (15)

$$\sec^2(\tan^{-1}2) + \csc^2(\cot^{-1}3)$$

$$= 1 + \tan^2(\tan^{-1}2) + 1 + \cot^2(\cot^{-1}3)$$

$$= 1 + [\tan(\tan^{-1}2)]^2 + 1 + [\cot(\cot^{-1}3)]^2 = 1 + 2^2 + 1 + 3^2 = 15$$

6. (9)

$$\sin^{-1} \sin 15 + \cos^{-1} \cos 20 + \tan^{-1} \tan 25 = 30 - 9\pi$$

$$\text{So } k = 9$$

7. (1)

$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = \cos^{-1}x$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = \cos^{-1}x$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{5}\right) = \cos^{-1}x$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1}1 = \cos^{-1}x$$

$$\text{or, } \cos^{-1}x = 0$$

$$\text{or, } x = 1.$$

8. (0)

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{a(a+b+c)}{bc}} + \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{b(a+b+c)}{ac}} + \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{c(a+b+c)}{ab}}$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{a(a+b+c)}{bc}}, \beta = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{b(a+b+c)}{ac}}, \gamma = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{c(a+b+c)}{ab}}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{a(a+b+c)}{bc}}, \tan \beta = \sqrt{\frac{b(a+b+c)}{ac}}, \tan \gamma = \sqrt{\frac{c(a+b+c)}{ab}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \alpha + \tan \beta + \tan \gamma &= \sqrt{\frac{a(a+b+c)}{bc}} + \sqrt{\frac{b(a+b+c)}{ac}} + \sqrt{\frac{c(a+b+c)}{ab}} \\ &= \frac{(a+b+c)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{3bc}} \\ &= \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma \\ &= \tan \theta = \left[ \frac{(\tan \alpha + \tan \beta + \tan \gamma) - \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta - \tan \beta \tan \gamma - \tan \gamma \tan \alpha} \right] \\ &= \tan \theta = 0 \end{aligned}$$

9. (2)

$$3\sqrt{5} \tan \left\{ \left( \cos^{-1} \left( -\frac{2}{7} \right) - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right\} = -3\sqrt{5} \tan \left\{ \left( \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2}{7} \right) \right) \right\} = -3\sqrt{5} \tan \left\{ \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2}{3\sqrt{5}} \right) \right) \right\} = 2$$

10. (7)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) &= -\frac{\pi}{6} \\ \tan^{-1}(1) &= \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \cos^{-1} \left( \cos \left( -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right) &= \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \sin^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) + \tan^{-1}(1) + \cos^{-1} \left( \cos \left( -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right) &= \frac{7\pi}{12} \\ k &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

11. (2)

$$\sin \left[ \cot^{-1} \left( \cot \frac{17\pi}{3} \right) \right] = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, k = 2$$

12. (20)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^{-1} x_i &= \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ so } x_i = 1 \\ \text{So } \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_i &= 20 \end{aligned}$$

13. (2)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } \tan^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} \frac{y}{\sqrt{1-y^2}} &= \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \text{or } \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{y} \right) &= \tan^{-1}(3) \\ \text{or } \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{y} \right) &= \tan^{-1} 3 - \tan^{-1}(x) \\ \text{or } \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{y} \right) &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{3-x}{1+3x} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{or } y = \frac{1+3x}{3-x}$$

14. (0)

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{We have, } \sin^{-1} \left\{ \cot \left( \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{4}} + \cos^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{12}}{4} + \sec^{-1} \sqrt{2} \right) \right\} \\ &= \sin^{-1} \left\{ \cot \left( \sin^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}} + \cos^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \sec^{-1} \sqrt{2} \right) \right\} \\ &= \sin^{-1} \left\{ \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right\} \\ &= \sin^{-1} \left( \cot \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\ &= \sin^{-1} 0 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

15. (2)

We know that  $\cos^{-1} x \in [0, \pi]$

$\therefore \cos^{-1}(a) + \cos^{-1}(b) + \cos^{-1}(c) = 3\pi$  is possible iff  $a = b = c = -1$

Now,  $f(1) = 2$  and  $f(x+y) = f(x) \cdot f(y)$

Put  $x = y = 1$ , we get

$$f(2) = f(1) \cdot f(1) = 4$$

Put  $x = 2, y = 1$ , we get

$$f(3) = f(2) \cdot f(1) = 4 \times 2 = 8$$

$$\therefore a^{2f(1)} + b^{2f(2)} + c^{2f(3)} + \frac{a+b+c}{a^{2f(1)}+b^{2f(2)}+c^{2f(3)}}$$

$$= 1 + 1 + 1 - \frac{3}{1+1+1}$$

$$= 2$$

1. (A)

Since,  $x, y, z$  are in A.P.

Also, we have

$$2 \tan^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} (z)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2y}{1-y^2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x+z}{1-xz} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x+z}{1-y^2} = \frac{x+z}{1-xz} \quad (\because 2y = x+z)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = xz \text{ or } x+z=0$$

$$\Rightarrow x=y=z=0$$

2. (C)

$$\text{Consider, } \tan^{-1} \left[ \cot \frac{43\pi}{4} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left[ \cot \left( 10\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) \right]$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left[ \cot \frac{3\pi}{4} \right] \quad [\because \cot(2n\pi + \theta) = \cot \theta]$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left[ \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) \right] = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi - 3\pi}{4} = \frac{-\pi}{4}$$

3. (C)

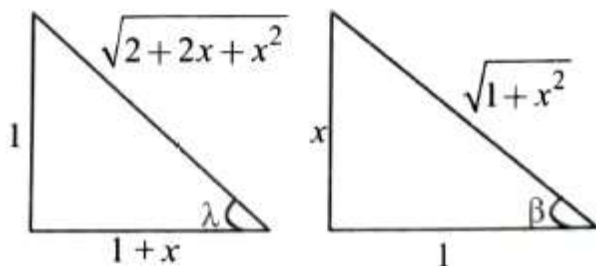
$$\text{Given that, } \tan^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{2x}{1-x^2} \right]$$

$$= \tan^{-1} x + 2 \tan^{-1} x = 3 \tan^{-1} x$$

$$\tan^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{3x-x^3}{1-3x^2} \right] \Rightarrow y = \frac{3x-x^3}{1-3x^2}$$

4. (A)

$$\sin \left[ \cot^{-1} (1+x) \right] = \cos \left( \tan^{-1} x \right)$$



$$\text{Let } \cot \lambda = 1+x, \tan \beta = x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \lambda = \cos \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+2x+2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2+2x+2 = x^2+1 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

5. (A)

$$\text{Let } x^2 = \cos 2\theta \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} - \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right] = \left[ \frac{\sqrt{1+\cos 2\theta}}{\sqrt{1+\cos 2\theta}} - \frac{\sqrt{1-\cos 2\theta}}{\sqrt{1-\cos 2\theta}} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{1+\tan \theta}{1-\tan \theta} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left[ \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} x^2$$

6. (D)

$$\because \cos \alpha = \frac{3}{5}, \text{ then } \sin \alpha = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{4}{3} \text{ and } \tan \beta = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\because \tan(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \alpha \cdot \tan \beta}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{3}}{1 + \frac{4}{9}} = \frac{\frac{3}{3}}{\frac{13}{9}} = \frac{9}{13}$$

$$\therefore \alpha - \beta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{9}{13} \right) = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{9}{5\sqrt{10}} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{13}{5\sqrt{10}} \right)$$

7. (D)

$$x = \sin^{-1}(\sin 10)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 3\pi - 10 \quad \begin{cases} 3\pi - \frac{\pi}{2} < 10 < 3\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \Rightarrow 3\pi - x = 10 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{and } y = \cos^{-1}(\cos 10) \quad \begin{cases} 3\pi < 10 < 4\pi \\ \Rightarrow 4\pi - x = 10 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4\pi - 10$$

$$\therefore y - x = (4\pi - 10) - (3\pi - 10) = \pi$$

8. (C)

$$\therefore f(x) = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{|x|+5}{x^2+1}\right)$$

$$\therefore -1 \leq \frac{|x|+5}{x^2+1} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |x|+5 \leq x^2+1 \quad [\because x^2+1 \neq 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - |x| - 4 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(|x| - \frac{1-\sqrt{17}}{2}\right) \left(|x| - \frac{1+\sqrt{17}}{2}\right) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \left(-\infty, -\frac{1+\sqrt{17}}{2}\right] \cup \left[\frac{1+\sqrt{17}}{2}, \infty\right)$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{1+\sqrt{17}}{2}$$

9. (C)

$$-1 \leq \frac{x-1}{x+1} \leq 1 \Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{x+1} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{x+1} \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \in (-1, \infty) \quad \dots (i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x-1}{x+1} \geq -1 \Rightarrow \frac{2x}{x+1} \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, -1) \cup [0, \infty) \quad \dots (ii)$$

$$\text{from (i) and (ii), } x \in [0, \infty) \quad \dots (iii)$$

$$\text{Now, } -1 \leq \frac{3x^2+x-1}{(x-1)^2} \leq 1 \Rightarrow \frac{3x^2+x-1}{(x-1)^2} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x^2+3x-2}{(x-1)^2} \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2x-1)(x+2)}{(x-1)^2} \leq 0 \Rightarrow x \in \left[-2, \frac{1}{2}\right] \quad \dots (iv)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{3x^2+x-1}{(x-1)^2} \geq -1 \Rightarrow \frac{x(4x-1)}{(x-1)^2} \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, 0] \cup \left[\frac{1}{4}, \infty\right) \quad \dots (v)$$

$$\text{From (iv) and (v); } x \in [-2, 0] \cup \left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right] \quad \dots (vi)$$

$$\text{From (iii) and (vi); } x \in \{0\} \cup \left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

10. (A)

$$\text{Let } \frac{1}{4} \sin^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{63}}{8} = \theta \Rightarrow \sin 4\theta = \frac{\sqrt{63}}{8}$$

$$\text{or } \cos 4\theta = \frac{1}{8} \quad \left[ \because \cos \theta = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2 2\theta - 1 = \frac{1}{8} \quad \left[ \because \cos 2\theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 2\theta = \frac{9}{16} \Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2 \theta - 1 = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = \frac{7}{8} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \quad \left[ \because \sin \theta = \sqrt{\sec^2 \theta - 1} \right]$$

11. (A)

$$0 \leq x^2 - x + 1 \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - x \leq 0 \Rightarrow x \in [0, 1]$$

$$\text{Also, } 0 < \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2x-1}{2} \right) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < \frac{2x-1}{2} \leq 1 \Rightarrow 0 < 2x-1 \leq 2$$

$$1 < 2x \leq 3 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} < x \leq \frac{3}{2}$$

From (i) and (ii), we get

$$x \in \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right] \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{2}, \beta = 1$$

$$\text{So, } \alpha + \beta = \frac{3}{2}$$

12. (C)

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x^2 + 2x + 7} \right)$$

Now, take domain of  $\sin^{-1}$

$$\frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x^2 + 2x + 7} \geq -1 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x^2 + 2x + 7} \leq 1$$

$$2x^2 - x + 9 \geq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 5x \geq -5 \Rightarrow x \geq -1$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}$$

Hence, Domain  $x \in [-1, \infty)$ .



13. (D)

$$-1 \leq \frac{2 \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{4x^2 - 1} \right)}{\pi} \leq 1$$

$$-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{4x^2 - 1} \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

On solving inequalities we get

$$\text{Always } -1 \leq \frac{1}{4x^2 - 1} \leq 1$$

$$x \in \left( -\infty, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \cup \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \infty \right) \cup \{0\}$$

14. (B)

$$\left| \frac{x^2 - 4x + 2}{x^2 + 3} \right| \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 4x + 2)^2 \leq (x^2 + 3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 4x + 2)^2 - (x^2 + 3)^2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 - 4x + 5)(-4x - 1) \leq 0$$

$$-4x - 1 \leq 0 \Rightarrow x \geq \frac{-1}{4}$$

15. (A)

We are given that

$$\cos^{-1} x - 2 \sin^{-1} x = \cos^{-1} 2x \quad \dots \text{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1} x - 2 \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} x \right) = \cos^{-1} 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1} x - \pi + 2 \cos^{-1} x = \cos^{-1} 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \cos^{-1} x = \pi + \cos^{-1} 2x \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(3 \cos^{-1} x) = \cos(\pi + \cos^{-1} 2x) \quad \left[ \because 3 \cos^{-1} x = \cos^{-1}(4x^3 - 3x) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^3 - 3x = -2x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^3 = x \Rightarrow x = 0, \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

Here all values of x satisfy the eqn. (A)

$$\therefore \text{Sum of all the solutions of the eqn.} = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + 0 = 0$$

16. (C)

Given functions is

$$f(x) = \sin^{-1} [2x^3 - 3] + \log_2 \left( \log_{\frac{1}{2}} (x^2 - 5x + 5) \right)$$

Take angle of  $\sin^{-1}$  as  $T_1$ . Which lies between  $-1$  and  $1$

$$T_1: -1 \leq [2x^2 - 3] < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq 2x^2 - 3 < 2 \Rightarrow 2 < 2x^2 < 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 < x^2 < \frac{5}{2} \Rightarrow T_1: x \in \left(-\frac{5}{2}, -1\right) \cup \left(1, \frac{5}{2}\right)$$

Similarly,

$$T_2: x^2 - 5x + 5 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x - \left(\frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{2}\right)\right) \left(x - \left(\frac{5 + \sqrt{5}}{2}\right)\right) > 0$$

$$T_3: \log_{\frac{1}{2}}(x^2 - 5x + 5) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 5x - 5 < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 5x + 4 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow T_3: x \in (1, 4)$$

Now, take intersection of  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$ , &  $T_3$ ,

$$T_1 \cap T_2 \cap T_3 = \left(1, \frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$$

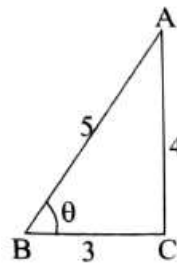
17. (C)

$$\text{Let } \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3} = \theta \Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{10} \cos \theta + \frac{2}{5} \sin \theta \right)$$

$$= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{3}{5} + \frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{5} \right)$$

$$= \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{9}{50} + \frac{8}{25} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{25}{50} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$



18. (D)

Given function domain is  $[-1, 1]$ .

$$-1 \leq \frac{x^2 - 5x + 6}{x^2 - 9} \leq 1$$

Take maximum value and subtract 1 both sides.

$$\frac{x^2 - 5x + 6}{x^2 - 9} - 1 \leq 0, \frac{1}{x + 3} \geq 0$$

$$x \in (-3, \infty) \quad \dots (i)$$

Take minimum value and add 1 both sides.

$$\frac{x^2 - 5x + 6}{x^2 - 9} + 1 \geq 0, \frac{2x + 1}{x + 3} \geq 0$$

$$x \in (-\infty, -3) \cup \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \infty\right) \quad \dots (ii)$$

Now, take the intersection of two equations (i) and (ii)

$$x \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \infty\right)$$

Now, take  $x^2 - 3x + 2 > 0$ ,  $x \in (-\infty, 1) \cup (2, \infty)$

$$x^2 - 3x + 2 \neq 1, x \neq \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

Take intersection of all the solutions.

$$\left[-\frac{1}{2}, 1\right) \cup (2, \infty) - \left\{\frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}\right\}$$

19. (B)

Given line is  $\frac{\sin^{-1} x}{\alpha} = \frac{\cos^{-1} x}{\beta} = k$

$$\sin^{-1} x = k\alpha \Rightarrow \cos^{-1} x = k\beta$$

$$k = \frac{\pi}{2(\alpha + \beta)}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{2\pi\alpha}{\alpha + \beta}\right) = \sin(4\sin^{-1} x)$$

$$2\sin(2\sin^{-1} x)\cos(2\sin^{-1} x)$$

$$= 4x\sqrt{1-x^2}(1-2x^2)$$

20. (A)

We have  $f(x) = \sin^{-1} 2x + \sin 2x + \cos^{-1} 2x + \cos 2x$

$$= \sin(2x) + \cos(2x) + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Now,  $f(0) = 1 + \frac{\pi}{2}(m)$  and  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right) = \sqrt{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}(M)$

$$\text{Now, } m + M = 1 + \sqrt{2} + \pi$$

21. (A)

Given equation is

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\sin \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{7\pi}{6}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\tan \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\sin \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \pi - \frac{2\pi}{3} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = 2\pi - \frac{7\pi}{3} = \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\tan \frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = \tan^{-1}(-1) = \tan^{-1}\left(\tan\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) = -\frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1}\left(\sin \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) + \cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{7\pi}{6}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\tan \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{5\pi}{6} - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{4\pi + 10\pi - 3\pi}{12} = \frac{11\pi}{12}$$

22. (A)

$$\text{Take function } \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{1+n+n^2} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{(n+1)-n}{1+n(n+1)} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}(n+1) - \tan^{-1} n$$

$$\text{So, } \sum_{n=1}^{50} (\tan^{-1}(n+1) - \tan^{-1} n)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} 51 - \tan^{-1} 1$$

Take cot both sides,

$$\cot \left( \sum_{n=1}^{50} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1+n+n^2} \right) \right) = \cot (\tan^{-1} 51 + \tan^{-1} 1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\tan (\tan^{-1} 51 - \tan^{-1} 1)} = \frac{1+51 \times 1}{51-1} = \frac{52}{50} = \frac{26}{25}$$

23. (D)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \frac{\sin(\cos^{-1} x) - x}{1 - \tan(\cos^{-1} x)}$$

Let  $x = \cos y$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1}(x) = \sin^{-1} \sqrt{1-x^2}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \frac{\sin(\sin^{-1} \sqrt{1-x^2}) - x}{1 - \tan \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x} \right) \right)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2} - x}{1 - \left( \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x} \right)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} (-x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

24. (B)

Given equation is  $\tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\cos\left(\frac{15\pi}{4}\right) - 1}{\sin\frac{\pi}{4}} \right]$

$$\tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\cos\left(4\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) - 1}{\sin\frac{\pi}{4}} \right] \Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\cos\frac{\pi}{4} - 1}{\sin\frac{\pi}{4}} \right)$$

$$\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1 - \sqrt{2}}{1} \right) = -\frac{\pi}{8}$$

25. (130)

Given curves are

$$x = \sin\left(2 \tan^{-1} \alpha\right) = \frac{2\alpha}{1+\alpha^2} \text{ and } y = \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3}\right) = \sin\left(\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

We have set with relation  $y^2 = 1 - x$

$$\frac{1}{5} = 1 - \frac{2\alpha}{1+\alpha^2} \dots \quad \{\text{from value of } x \text{ and } y\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \alpha^2 = 5 + 5\alpha^2 - 10\alpha \Rightarrow 2\alpha^2 - 5\alpha + 2 = 0$$

$$\text{So, } \alpha = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Take, } \sum_{\alpha \in S} 16\alpha^3 = 16 \times 2^3 + 16 \times \frac{1}{2^3} = 130$$

26. (29)

$$\begin{aligned} & 50 \tan \left( 3 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + 2 \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \right) + 4\sqrt{2} \tan \left( \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} (2\sqrt{2}) \right) \\ &= 50 \tan \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + 2 \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + \tan^{-1} (2) \right) \right) + 4\sqrt{2} \tan \left( \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} (2\sqrt{2}) \right) \\ &= 50 \tan \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \right) + 4\sqrt{2} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ &= 50 \left( \tan \left( \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \right) \right) + 4 = 25 + 4 = 29 \end{aligned}$$