

## TRIGO – I (SOLUTION)

### EXERCISE – 1(A)

1. (B)

$$\pi \text{ radian} = 180 \text{ degree} \Rightarrow 1 \text{ radian} = \frac{180}{\pi} \text{ degree} \approx 57.3 \text{ degree, hence } \sin 1^\circ > 1^\circ.$$

2. (B)

Length of arc of circle of radius  $r$  subtending  $\theta$  at the center  $= r\theta$ .

$$\text{Hence } 15 = r \times \frac{3}{4} \text{ or } r = 20 \text{ cm}$$

3. (D)

In second quadrant  $\sin A > 0$ ,  $\cos A < 0$  &  $\tan A < 0$ .

$$\text{Given } \tan A = -\frac{4}{3}, \text{ hence } \sin A = \frac{4}{5} \text{ \& } \cos A = -\frac{3}{5}$$

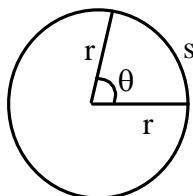
$$\text{Now } 2 \cot A - 5 \cos A + \sin A = -2 \times \frac{3}{4} \times \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right) + \frac{4}{5} = \frac{23}{10}$$

4. (D)

$$S + 2r = mr$$

$$\Rightarrow S = (m - 2)r$$

$$\therefore \theta = \frac{S}{r} = (m - 2)^\circ$$



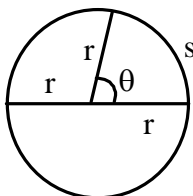
5. (C)

$$\sin 15^\circ \cos 15^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

6. (C)

$$\pi r = S + 2r$$

$$\Rightarrow S = (\pi - 2)r$$



7. (B)

$$\frac{\cot \theta + \operatorname{cosec} \theta - 1}{\cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta + 1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta} - 1 \quad (\because (\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta)(\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta) = 1)$$

$$= \frac{1 - \operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta}{(\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta)(\cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta + 1)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta} = \operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta$$

$$= \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta}$$

8. (A)

$$\tan(90^\circ - \theta) = \cot \theta \Rightarrow \tan 89^\circ = \cot 1^\circ, \tan 88^\circ = \cot 2^\circ, \tan 87^\circ = \cot 3^\circ, \dots \text{etc}$$

$$\text{Also } \tan \theta \times \cot \theta = 1, \text{ hence } \tan 1^\circ \tan 2^\circ \tan 3^\circ \dots \tan 89^\circ = 1$$

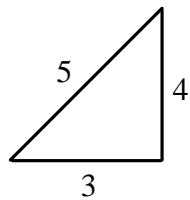
9. (C)

$$\tan A = -\frac{4}{3}$$

$$\cot A = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cos A = -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$\sin A = \frac{4}{5}$$



( $\because$  In 2<sup>nd</sup> quadrant  $\sin A > 0$ ,  $\cos A < 0$ ,  $\tan A < 0$ ,  $\cot A < 0$ )

$$\therefore 2 \cot A - 5 \cos A + \sin A = -\frac{6}{4} + 3 + \frac{4}{5}$$

10. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \theta - \cos \theta = 1 &\Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta - 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 1 \\ &\Rightarrow \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0 \end{aligned}$$

11. (C)

$$\frac{5 \sin \theta - 3 \cos \theta}{5 \sin \theta + 2 \cos \theta} = \frac{5 \tan \theta - 3}{5 \tan \theta + 2}$$

$$5 \tan \theta = 4 \Rightarrow \frac{5 \tan \theta - 3}{5 \tan \theta + 2} = \frac{4 - 3}{4 + 2} = \frac{1}{6}$$

12. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin x + \operatorname{cosec} x = 2 &\Rightarrow \sin^2 x - 2 \sin x + 1 = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow \sin x = 1 \Rightarrow \sin^n x + \operatorname{cosec}^n x = 2 \end{aligned}$$

13. (C)

$$x \sin 45^\circ \cos^2 60^\circ = \frac{\tan^2 60^\circ \operatorname{cosec} 30^\circ}{\sec 45^\circ \cot^2 30^\circ} \Rightarrow x \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{(\sqrt{3})^2 (2)}{(\sqrt{2})(\sqrt{3})^2} \Rightarrow x = 8$$

14. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} 90^\circ < 130^\circ < 135^\circ \text{ hence } \sin A > 0 \text{ \& } \cos A < 0 \text{ \& } |\sin A| > |\cos A| \\ &\Rightarrow \sin A + \cos A > 0 \end{aligned}$$

15. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\cos 17^\circ + \sin 17^\circ}{\cos 17^\circ - \sin 17^\circ} &= \frac{1 + \tan 17^\circ}{1 - \tan 17^\circ} \\ &= \tan(45^\circ + 17^\circ) = \tan 62^\circ \end{aligned}$$

16. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \tan 75^\circ - \cot 75^\circ &= -2 \cot 150^\circ \\ &= 2 \tan 60^\circ = 2\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

17. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2(\alpha + 120^\circ) + \cos^2(\alpha - 120^\circ) \\ = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{2} + \frac{1 + \cos 2(\alpha + 120^\circ)}{2} + \frac{1 + \cos 2(\alpha - 120^\circ)}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{3 + \cos 2\alpha + 2 \cos 2\alpha \cos 120^\circ}{2} = \frac{3 + \cos 2\alpha - \cos 2\alpha}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

18. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} & \cos 24^\circ + \cos 5^\circ + \cos 175^\circ + \cos 204^\circ + \cos 300^\circ \\ &= \cos 24^\circ + \cos 5^\circ + \cos(180^\circ - 5^\circ) + \cos(180^\circ + 24^\circ) + \cos(360^\circ - 60^\circ) \\ &= \cos 24^\circ + \cos 5^\circ - \cos 5^\circ - \cos 24^\circ + \cos 60^\circ \\ &= \cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

19. (B)

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 A - \sin^2 B &= \cos(A+B)\cos(A-B) \\ \Rightarrow \cos^2 48^\circ - \sin^2 12^\circ &= \cos 60^\circ \cos 36^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{8} \end{aligned}$$

20. (B)

$$\sin \alpha + \sin \beta = a \Rightarrow 2 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} = a \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\& \cos \alpha - \cos \beta = b \Rightarrow 2 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} = -b \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{From (i) \& (ii) } \tan \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} = -\frac{b}{a}$$

21. (D)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right) &= \cos 2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right) \\ &= \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta \right) = -\sin 2\theta \end{aligned}$$

22. (D)

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \alpha + \cos \beta = 0 &\Rightarrow \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta = -2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \\ \&\sin \alpha + \sin \beta = 0 &\Rightarrow \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta = -2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \\ \text{Now } \cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta &= 2(\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta - 1) = 2(1 - \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta) \\ \Rightarrow \cos \alpha + \cos \beta &= 2(-2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta - 1) \quad \dots(i) \\ \&\cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta = 2(1 + 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta) \quad \dots(ii) \\ (i) + (ii) &\Rightarrow \cos \alpha + \cos 2\beta = 2 \cos(\alpha + \beta) \end{aligned}$$

23. (B)

$$\tan(A+B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} \Rightarrow \tan(A+B) = \frac{-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(A+B) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow A+B = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

24. (A)

$$\frac{\sin 3\theta - \cos 3\theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} + 1 = \frac{2\sin \theta - 4\sin^2 \theta - 4\cos^3 \theta + 3\cos \theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} + 1$$

$$= 4 \frac{\sin \theta + \cos \theta - \sin^3 \theta - \cos^3 \theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$$

$$= 4 \frac{\sin \theta + \cos \theta - (\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta)(1 - \sin \theta \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$$

$$= 4 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 2 \sin 2\theta$$

25. (A)

$$\cos A = m \cos B \Rightarrow \frac{\cos A}{\cos B} = m$$

Apply componendo to get  $\frac{\cos A + \cos B}{\cos A - \cos B} = \frac{m+1}{m-1}$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{2\cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}}{2\sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}} = \frac{m+1}{m-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \frac{A+B}{2} = \frac{m+1}{m-1} \tan \frac{B-A}{2}$$

26. (D)

$$\tan 45^\circ = \tan(180^\circ + 45^\circ) \Rightarrow \tan 225^\circ = \tan(100^\circ + 125^\circ)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan 100^\circ + \tan 125^\circ}{1 - \tan 100^\circ \tan 125^\circ} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 100^\circ + \tan 125^\circ + \tan 100^\circ \tan 125^\circ = 1$$

27. (D)

As A & B are the acute angles hence,

$$\sin A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \text{ \& \ } \sin B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \Rightarrow \cos B = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Now  $\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(A+B) = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow A+B = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

28. (B)

$$\sin 50^\circ - \sin 70^\circ + \sin 10^\circ = -2 \cos 60^\circ \sin 10^\circ + \sin 10^\circ = 0$$

29. (C)

$$\sin 12^\circ \sin 48^\circ \sin 54^\circ = \sin(60^\circ - 12^\circ) \sin 12^\circ \sin(60^\circ + 12^\circ) \frac{\sin 54^\circ}{\sin 72^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\sin 36^\circ \sin 54^\circ}{4 \sin 72^\circ} = \frac{\sin 36^\circ \sin 54^\circ}{8 \sin 36^\circ \cos 36^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\sin 54^\circ}{8 \cos 36^\circ}, \text{ but } \sin 54^\circ = \sin(90^\circ - 36^\circ) = \cos 36^\circ$$

$$\therefore \sin 12^\circ \sin 48^\circ \sin 54^\circ = \frac{1}{8}$$

30. (C)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sin 3\theta + \sin 5\theta + \sin 7\theta + \sin 9\theta}{\cos 3\theta + \cos 5\theta + \cos 7\theta + \cos 9\theta} &= \frac{(\sin 3\theta + \sin 9\theta) + (\sin 5\theta + \sin 7\theta)}{(\cos 3\theta + \cos 9\theta) + (\cos 5\theta + \cos 7\theta)} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin 6\theta \cos 3\theta + 2 \sin 6\theta \cos \theta}{2 \cos 6\theta \cos 3\theta + 2 \cos 6\theta \cos \theta} = \tan 6\theta \end{aligned}$$

31. (B)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sin(B+A) + \cos(B-A)}{\sin(B-A) + \cos(B+A)} &= \frac{\sin(B+A) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - (B-A)\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - (B-A)\right) + \cos(B+A)} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + A\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - B\right)}{2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + A\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - B\right)} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + A\right) \\ &= \frac{1 + \tan A}{1 - \tan A} = \frac{\cos A + \sin A}{\cos A - \sin A} \end{aligned}$$

32. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sin 2x}{\sin 2y} = n &\Rightarrow \frac{\sin 2x + \sin 2y}{\sin 2x - \sin 2y} = \frac{n+1}{n-1} \quad \{\text{By componendo \& dividendo}\} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{2 \sin(x+y) \cos(x-y)}{2 \cos(x+y) \sin(x-y)} = \frac{n+1}{n-1} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{\tan(x+y)}{\tan(x-y)} = \frac{n+1}{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

33. (D)

$$2 \cos^2 \theta - 2 \sin^2 \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \therefore \theta = 60^\circ$$

34. (C)

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 A (3 - 4 \cos^2 A)^2 + \sin^2 A (3 - 4 \sin^2 A)^2 &= (3 \cos A - 4 \cos^3 A)^2 + (3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A)^2 \\ &= \cos^2 3A + \sin^2 3A = 1 \end{aligned}$$

35. (C)

$$\begin{aligned} &2 \sin^2 \beta + 4 \cos(\alpha + \beta) \sin \alpha \sin \beta + \cos 2(\alpha + \beta) \\ &= 2 \sin^2 \beta + 2 \cos(\alpha + \beta) (\cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(\alpha + \beta)) + \cos 2(\alpha + \beta) \\ &= 2 \sin^2 \beta + 2 \cos(\alpha + \beta) \cos(\alpha - \beta) - 2 \cos^2(\alpha + \beta) + \cos 2(\alpha + \beta) \\ &2 \sin^2 \beta + 2 \cos^2 \alpha - 2 \sin^2 \beta - 2 \cos^2(\alpha + \beta) + 2 \cos^2(\alpha + \beta) - 1 \\ &= 2 \cos^2 \alpha - 1 = \cos 2\alpha \end{aligned}$$

36. (C)

$$\frac{3 \cos \theta + \cos 3\theta}{3 \sin \theta - \sin 3\theta} = \frac{3 \cos \theta + (4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta)}{3 - \sin \theta - (3 \sin \theta - 4 \sin^3 \theta)} = \cot^3 \theta$$

37. (B)

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \sin A \cos^3 A - 2 \sin^3 A \cos A &= 2 \sin A \cos A (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A) \\ &= \sin 2A \cos 2A = \frac{\sin 4A}{2} \end{aligned}$$

38. (C)

$$\begin{aligned} 32 \sin\left(\frac{A}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{5A}{2}\right) &= 16(\cos 2A - \cos 3A) \\ &= 16(2 \cos^2 A - 1 - 4 \cos^3 A + 3 \cos A) \\ &= 16\left(2 \times \frac{9}{16} - 1 - 4 \times \frac{27}{64} + 3 \times \frac{3}{4}\right) = 11 \end{aligned}$$

39. (D)

$$\begin{aligned} -\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} + 8 \leq 3 \cos x + 4 \sin x + 8 \leq \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} + 8 \\ \Rightarrow 3 \leq 3 \cos x + 4 \sin x + 8 \leq 13 \end{aligned}$$

40. (B)

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} &= \cos\left(\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -\cos \frac{\pi}{3}, \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} = \cos\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -\cos \frac{\pi}{3} \\ \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} &= \cos\left(\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -\cos \frac{\pi}{3}, \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} = \cos\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -\cos \frac{\pi}{3} \\ \Rightarrow x &= y \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} = z \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} \Rightarrow x = -\frac{y}{1} = -\frac{z}{2} \Rightarrow y = z = -2x \\ \text{Now } xy + yz + zx &= x(-2x) + (-2x)(-2x) + (-2x)x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

41. (C)

$\sin \theta < 0$  &  $\tan \theta > 0 \Rightarrow \theta$  lies in 3<sup>rd</sup> quadrant.

42. (A)

$$\begin{aligned} 8x^2 - 26x + 15 = 0 \Rightarrow \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} + \tan \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{13}{4} \text{ \& } \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} \tan \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{15}{8} \\ \text{Now } \tan \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} &= \frac{\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} + \tan \frac{\beta}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} \tan \frac{\beta}{2}} \Rightarrow \tan \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = \frac{\frac{13}{4}}{1 - \frac{15}{8}} = -\frac{26}{7} \\ \text{Further } \cos(\alpha + \beta) &= \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}} \Rightarrow \cos(\alpha + \beta) = -\frac{627}{725} \end{aligned}$$

43. (C)

$$\begin{aligned} \tan 9^\circ - \tan 27^\circ - \tan 63^\circ + \tan 81^\circ &= \tan 9^\circ - \tan 27^\circ - \tan(90^\circ - 27^\circ) + \tan(90^\circ - 9^\circ) \\ &= \tan 9^\circ + \cot 9^\circ - \tan 27^\circ - \cot 27^\circ = 2(\operatorname{cosec} 18^\circ - \operatorname{cosec} 54^\circ) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2 \frac{\sin 54^\circ - \sin 18^\circ}{\sin 54^\circ \sin 18^\circ} = \frac{4 \sin 18^\circ \cos 36^\circ}{\sin 54^\circ \sin 18^\circ} \\
&= \frac{4 \cos 36^\circ}{\sin(90^\circ - 36^\circ)} = 4
\end{aligned}$$

44. (A)

$$\begin{aligned}
(1 + \cos \alpha)(1 + \cos 3\alpha)(1 + \cos 5\alpha)(1 + \cos 7\alpha) &= 16 \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos^2 \frac{3\alpha}{2} \cos^2 \frac{5\alpha}{2} \cos^2 \frac{7\alpha}{2} \\
&= \left(2 \cos \frac{\pi}{16} \cos \frac{7\pi}{16}\right)^2 \left(2 \cos \frac{3\pi}{16} \cos \frac{5\pi}{16}\right)^2 \\
&= \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{8}\right)^2 \left(2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos \frac{\pi}{8}\right)^2 \\
&= \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{8} \cos \frac{3\pi}{8}\right)^2 = \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{8} \sin \frac{\pi}{8}\right)^2 \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{8}
\end{aligned}$$

45. (C)

$$\begin{aligned}
\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cosec} 20^\circ - \sec 20^\circ &= \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos 20^\circ - \frac{1}{2} \sin 20^\circ}{\frac{1}{2} \cos 20^\circ \sin 20^\circ} \\
&= \frac{4 \sin(60^\circ - 20^\circ)}{2 \cos 20^\circ \sin 20^\circ} = \frac{4 \sin 40^\circ}{\sin 40^\circ} = 4
\end{aligned}$$

46. (C)

$$\begin{aligned}
\sin 20^\circ \sin 40^\circ \sin 60^\circ \sin 80^\circ &= (\sin(60^\circ - 80^\circ) \sin 20^\circ \sin(60^\circ + 20^\circ)) \sin 60^\circ \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \sin(3 \times 20^\circ) \sin 60^\circ = \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 60^\circ = \frac{3}{16}
\end{aligned}$$

47. (D)

$$\begin{aligned}
\cos 20^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 80^\circ &= \frac{2 \sin 20^\circ \cos 20^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 80^\circ}{2 \sin 20^\circ} \\
&= \frac{2 \sin 40^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 80^\circ}{4 \sin 20^\circ} = \frac{2 \sin 80^\circ \cos 80^\circ}{8 \sin 20^\circ} \\
&= \frac{\sin 160^\circ}{8 \sin 20^\circ}, \text{ but } \sin 160^\circ = \sin(180^\circ - 20^\circ) = \sin 20^\circ, \text{ hence} \\
\cos 20^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 80^\circ &= \frac{1}{8}
\end{aligned}$$

Alternately

$$\begin{aligned}
\cos 20^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 80^\circ &= \cos(60^\circ - 20^\circ) \cos 20^\circ \cos(60^\circ + 20^\circ) \\
\frac{1}{4} \cos(3 \times 20^\circ) &= \frac{1}{8}
\end{aligned}$$

48. (A)

$$\sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \text{ acquires maximum at } \alpha + \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ i.e. } \theta = \frac{\pi}{12}$$

49. (D)  
 $5 \sin^2 \theta + 4 \cos^2 \theta = 4 + \sin^2 \theta \geq 4$
50. (B)  
 $x + \frac{1}{x} = 2 \cos \theta$  &  $x^3 + \frac{1}{x^3} = \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^3 - 3\left(x\right)\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)$   
 $\Rightarrow x^3 + \frac{1}{x^3} = 8 \cos^3 \theta - 6 \cos \theta = 2 \cos 3\theta$
51. (B)  
 $0 < 2 < \pi, \pi < 3 < 2\pi$  &  $\pi < 5 < 2\pi$   
 $\Rightarrow \sin 2 > 0, \sin 3 < 0, \sin 5 < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \sin 2 \sin 3 \sin 5 > 0$
52. (A)  
 $(\sec A - \tan A)(\sec B - \tan B)(\sec C - \tan C) = X$  &  
 $(\sec A + \tan A)(\sec B + \tan B)(\sec C + \tan C) = X$   
 $\Rightarrow X^2 = (\sec^2 A - \tan^2 A)(\sec^2 B - \tan^2 B)(\sec^2 C - \tan^2 C) = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow X = \pm 1$