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Level 2 Further Maths



Trigonometric Equations Corbettmaths

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Guidance

1. Read each question carefully before you begin answering it.
2. Check your answers seem right.
3. Always show your workings

Revision for this topic

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1. Solve $\sin\theta = 0.75$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$

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2. Solve $\tan\theta = 1.4$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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3. Solve $\cos\theta = -0.9$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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4. Solve $2\tan\theta = 1.44$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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5. Solve $3\cos\theta = 1$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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6. Solve $2 + \sin\theta = 1.05$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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7. Solve $8\sin\theta - 5 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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8. Solve $\cos^2 x = \frac{1}{4}$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

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9. Solve $64\sin^2x = 25$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

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10. Solve $3\tan^2\theta - 1 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$

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11. Solve $5\sin x = 4\cos x$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

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12. Solve $10\cos\theta + 4\sin\theta = 0$ for $90^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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13. Solve $-\cos x = 8\sin x$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

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14. Solve $\tan^2 x - 2\tan x = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

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15. Solve $4\cos^2\theta - 3\cos\theta = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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16. Solve $2\cos^2\theta - \cos\theta - 1 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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17. Solve $4\sin^2\theta + 4\sin\theta - 3 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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18. Solve $5\tan^2\theta - 6\tan\theta = -1$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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19. (a) Prove $\cos^2 x - 2\sin^2 x \equiv 3\cos^2 x - 2$

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(b) Hence, work out the values of x between 0° and 360° for which

$$\cos^2 x - 2\sin^2 x = 0$$

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20. (a) Show that $2\cos^2\theta \equiv 2 - 2\sin^2\theta$

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(b) Hence solve $2\cos^2\theta - \sin\theta = 1$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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21. Show that $3\cos^2\theta \equiv 3 - 3\sin^2\theta$

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(b) Hence solve $3\cos^2\theta - 5\sin\theta = 1$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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22. Solve $6\sin^2\theta + 7\cos\theta - 8 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

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