

Section 2: Trigonometric equations

Exercise level 1

1. Solve the following equations for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$.
 - (i) $\sin x = 0.3$
 - (ii) $\tan x = 1.5$
 - (iii) $\cos x = -0.7$
 - (iv) $\sin x = -0.6$
2. Find all of the values for x between -180° and 180° such that
 - (i) $\sin x = 0.6$
 - (ii) $\cos x = 0.8$
 - (iii) $\tan x = -0.6$
 - (iv) $\cos x = -0.3$
3. Without using a calculator find values for x between 0° and 360° such that
 - (i) $\sin x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
 - (ii) $\sin x = -\frac{1}{2}$
 - (iii) $\cos x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 - (iv) $\cos x = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
4. Solve, for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$
 - (i) $\cos x + \frac{3}{2} = 2$
 - (ii) $\tan^2 x = 3$
 - (iii) $2\sin^2 x - 1 = \frac{1}{2}$
 - (iv) $\cos^2 x + 2 = \frac{5}{4}$