

12. (a) Solve, for $-180^\circ \leq x < 180^\circ$, the equation

$$3 \sin^2 x + \sin x + 8 = 9 \cos^2 x$$

giving your answers to 2 decimal places.

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(b) Hence find the smallest positive solution of the equation

$$3\sin^2(2\theta - 30^\circ) + \sin(2\theta - 30^\circ) + 8 = 9 \cos^2(2\theta - 30^\circ)$$

giving your answer to 2 decimal places.

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