

**問題**  $\frac{1}{\tan \frac{\pi}{24}} - \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6}$  は整数である。その値を求めよ。

**解答**  $\frac{\pi}{24} = \theta$  とすると  $2\theta = \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{よって } \sin 2\theta &= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ &= \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2\theta &= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ &= \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ゆえに } \frac{1}{\tan \frac{\pi}{24}} &= \frac{1}{\tan \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{2\cos^2 \theta}{2\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{1+\cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right) \times \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}-1} = \frac{2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3}-1} \\ &= \frac{(2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} + 1)(\sqrt{3} + 1)}{(\sqrt{3}-1)(\sqrt{3}+1)} = \frac{2\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{2} + 4}{3-1} \\ &= \sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2} + 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{したがって } \frac{1}{\tan \frac{\pi}{24}} - \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6} = 2$$