

Practice the following Assignment

1. Find the minimum and maximum values of the following :

(a) $3 \sin^2 \theta + 5 \cos^2 \theta + 3 \cos \theta \sin \theta$

(b) $4 \sin^6 \theta + 2 \sin^4 \theta + 3 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \cos^2 \theta + 2 \cos^4 \theta + 4 \cos^6 \theta$

(c) $a \sin^2 \theta + b \cos^2 \theta + c$ (d) $\sqrt{\tan^2 \theta + 2 \sin^2 \theta} + \sqrt{5 \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}$

(e) $\sin^4 \theta + \cos^2 \theta$ (f) $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^4 \theta$ (g) $\sin^8 \theta + \cos^8 \theta$

(h) $2^{\sin x} + 2^{\cos x}$ (i) $9 \tan^2 \theta + 4 \cot^2 \theta$

(j) $\sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} + \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}$

2. Find the value of :

(a) $\sin 10^\circ - \sin 15^\circ + \sin 20^\circ - \sin 25^\circ - \dots - \infty =$

(b) $\cos 10^\circ - \cos 15^\circ + \cos 20^\circ - \cos 25^\circ - \dots - \infty =$

(c) $\tan 2^\circ + 2 \tan 4^\circ + 4 \tan 8^\circ + 8 \tan 16^\circ + \dots - 128 \tan 256^\circ =$

(d) $\sec^2 1^\circ + 4 \sec^2 2^\circ + 16 \sec^2 4^\circ + \dots + 65536 \sec^2 256^\circ =$

(e) $(\tan 9^\circ \tan 63^\circ \tan 81^\circ \tan 87^\circ - 1) \sin 3^\circ \cos 63^\circ =$

(g) $\sqrt{1 - \cos \alpha} + \sqrt{1 - \cos 2\alpha} + \sqrt{1 - \cos 3\alpha} + \dots + \sqrt{1 - \cos n\alpha} =$

(h) $\sin \frac{\pi}{7} \cdot \sin \frac{2\pi}{7} \cdot \sin \frac{3\pi}{7} =$

(i) $\left(1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{9}\right) \left(1 + \cos \frac{3\pi}{9}\right) \left(1 + \cos \frac{5\pi}{9}\right) \left(1 + \cos \frac{7\pi}{9}\right)$

(j) $\sin 55^\circ - \sin 19^\circ + \sin 53^\circ - \sin 17^\circ = \cos 1^\circ$ [Prove it]

(k) $\cos^4 \frac{\pi}{8} + \cos^4 \frac{3\pi}{8} + \cos^4 \frac{5\pi}{8} + \cos^4 \frac{7\pi}{8}$ (l) $\sin^4 \frac{\pi}{8} + \sin^4 \frac{3\pi}{8} + \sin^4 \frac{5\pi}{8} + \sin^4 \frac{7\pi}{8}$

(m) $\cos \frac{\pi}{15} \cos \frac{2\pi}{15} \cos \frac{3\pi}{15} \dots (7 \text{ factors}) = \frac{1}{2^7}$ (n) $\sin \frac{\pi}{14} \sin \frac{3\pi}{14} \dots (7 \text{ factors}) = \frac{1}{2^6}$

(o) $\cos \text{ec} \theta + \cos \text{ec} 2\theta + \cos \text{ec} 4\theta + \dots + \cos \text{ec} 8\theta = \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \cot 8\theta$ [this is an important result]

(p) $\sin \alpha - \sin 2\alpha + \sin 3\alpha \dots n \text{ terms}$ (q) $\sum_{r=1}^{10} \cos^3 \frac{r\pi}{3}$ (r) $\sum_{r=1}^9 \sin^2 \frac{r\pi}{18}$

(s) $\sqrt{1 + \sin 2\alpha} + \sqrt{1 + \sin 4\alpha} + \sqrt{1 + \sin 6\alpha} + \dots 20 \text{ terms}$

(t) Prove that : $\sin^2 12^\circ + \sin^2 21^\circ + \sin^2 39^\circ + \sin^2 48^\circ = 1 + \sin^2 9^\circ + \sin^2 18^\circ$

3. Prove that :

(a) $(1 + \sec 2\theta)(1 + \sec 2^2 \theta)(1 + \sec 2^3 \theta) \dots (1 + \sec 2^n \theta) = \tan 2^n \theta \cot \theta$

(b) If $xy + yz + zx = 1$, show that

$$\frac{x}{1-x^2} + \frac{y}{1-y^2} + \frac{z}{1-z^2} = \frac{4xyz}{(1-x^2)(1-y^2)(1-z^2)}$$

TrigonometrySome important results

$$* \sin^2 A = \frac{1 - \cos 2A}{2}$$

$$* \cos^2 A = \frac{1 + \cos 2A}{2}$$

$$* \tan^2 A = \frac{1 - \cos 2A}{1 + \cos 2A}$$

$$* \sin^3 A = \frac{3 \sin A - \sin 3A}{4}$$

$$* \cos^3 A = \frac{3 \cos A - \cos 3A}{4}$$

$$\rightarrow \sin^4 A + \cos^4 A = 1 - 2 \sin^2 A \cos^2 A$$

$$\rightarrow \sin^6 A + \cos^6 A = 1 - 3 \sin^2 A \cos^2 A$$

$$* \frac{\cos^4 \theta}{a} + \frac{\sin^4 \theta}{b} = \frac{1}{a+b} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{a+b}}; \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{b}}{\sqrt{a+b}}; \tan \theta = \frac{\sqrt{b}}{\sqrt{a}}$$

$$* \frac{\cos^8 \theta}{a^3} + \frac{\sin^8 \theta}{b^3} = \frac{1}{(a+b)^3} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{a+b}}; \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{b}}{\sqrt{a+b}}; \tan \theta = \frac{\sqrt{b}}{\sqrt{a}}$$

These results are generally important a short tricks :-

Example 1 : $\frac{\cos^4 \theta}{5} + \frac{\sin^4 \theta}{3} = \frac{1}{8}$. Find $\cos 2\theta = ?$

Solution : $\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = \frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$

Example 2 : $8 \cos^8 \theta + \sin^8 \theta = \frac{8}{27}$; Find $\sin 3\theta = ?$

Solution : $\cos^8 \theta + \frac{\sin^8 \theta}{2^3} = \frac{1}{(1+2)^3} \Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{3}; \sin^2 \theta = \frac{2}{3}$

$$\sin 3\theta = 3 \sin \theta - 4 \sin^3 \theta = \sin \theta (3 - 4 \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(3 - 4 \times \frac{2}{3} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{3}} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

Example 3 : Find the value of $\cot 7 \frac{1}{2}^\circ$.

Solution : $\cot 7 \frac{1}{2}^\circ = \cot \left(\frac{15^\circ}{2} \right) = \cot \left(\frac{45^\circ - 30^\circ}{2} \right)$

$$\cot 15^\circ = \frac{\cot 45^\circ \cot 30^\circ + 1}{\cot 30^\circ - \cot 45^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1} \Rightarrow \cos 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cot 7 \frac{1}{2}^\circ = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos 15^\circ}{1 - \cos 15^\circ}} = \sqrt{\frac{2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - 1}} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

Note : Whenever we have to calculate any trigonometric function $\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$.

Use : $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1+\cos\theta}{2}}$; $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos\theta}{2}}$; $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos\theta}{1+\cos\theta}}$;

Also we should remember following values.

$$0^\circ, 15^\circ, 18^\circ, 30^\circ, 36^\circ, 37^\circ, 45^\circ, 53^\circ, 54^\circ, 60^\circ, 72^\circ, 75^\circ, 90^\circ$$

$$\cos 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\tan 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+1}$$

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