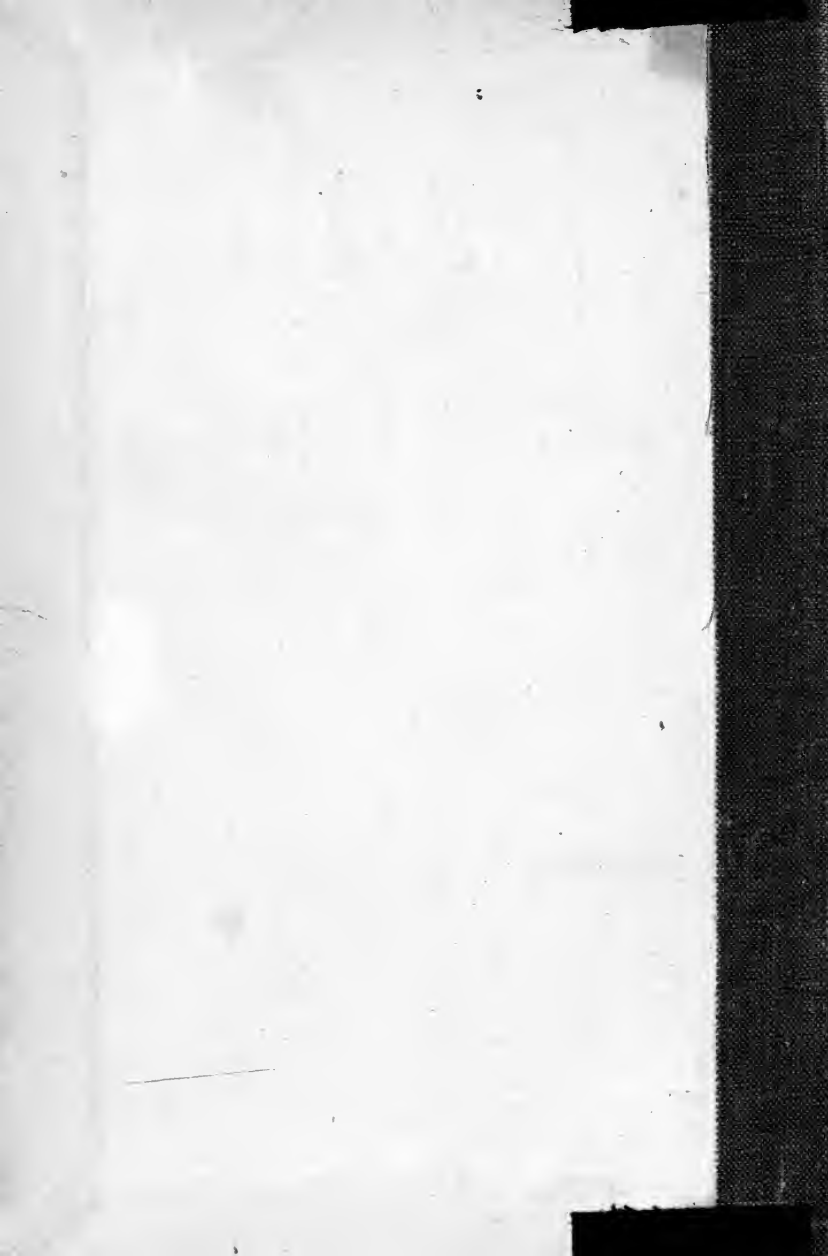
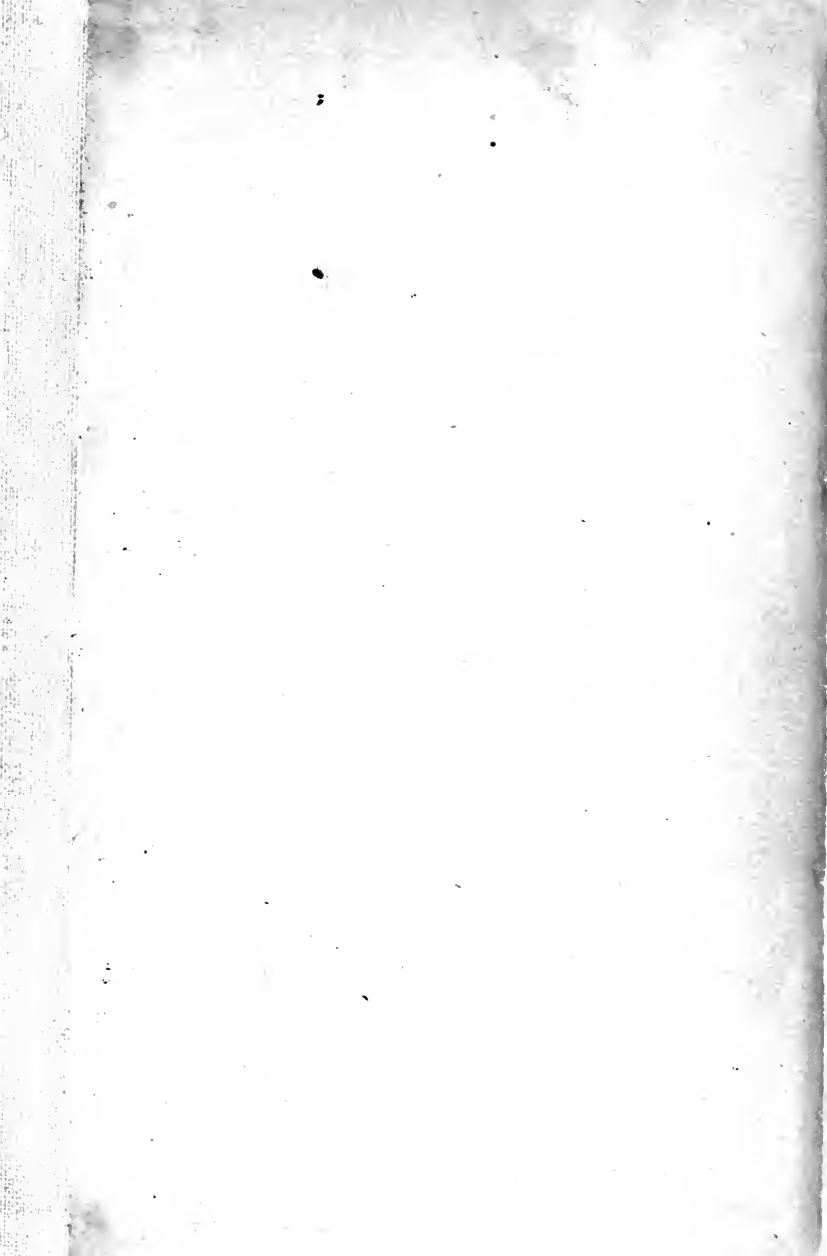


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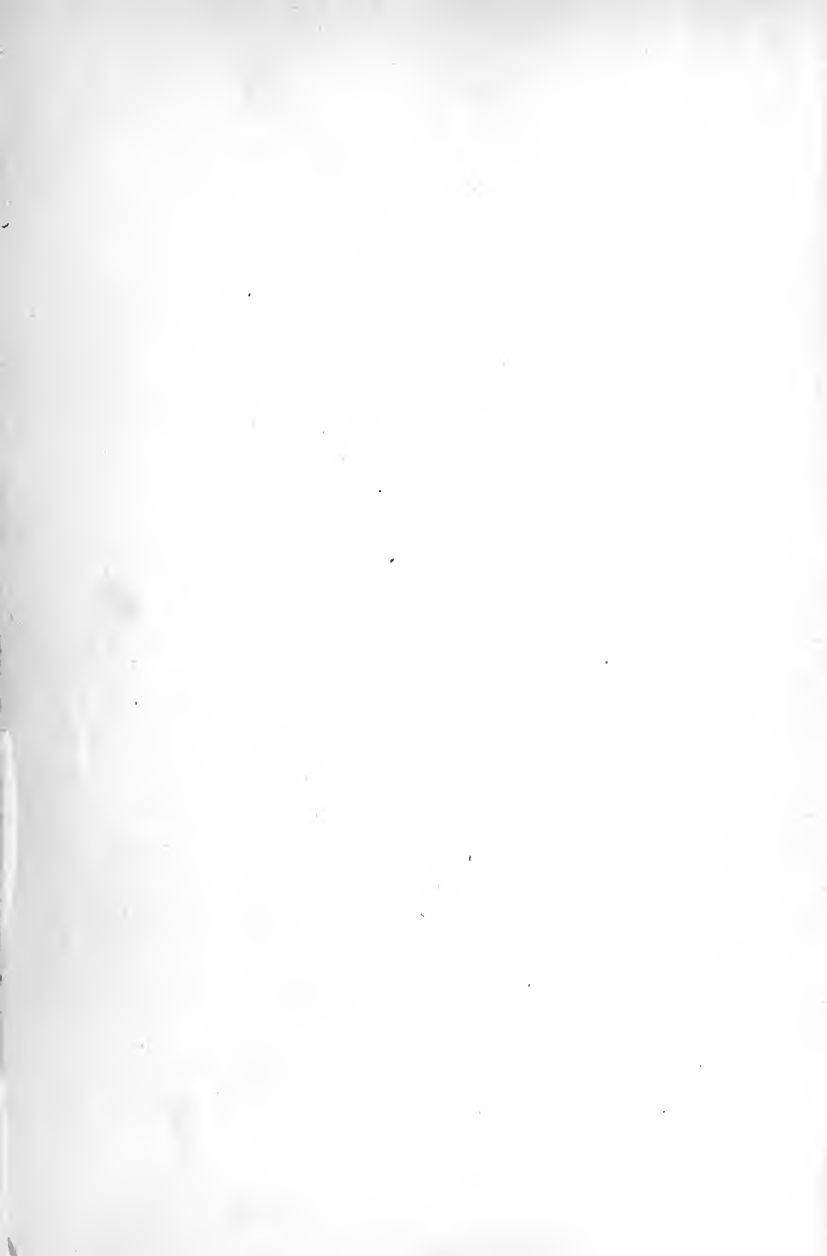
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# KEY

TO

## PLANE TRIGONOMETRY.

### CHAPTER I.

1. Let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in the larger angle, and  $y$  the number of degrees in the smaller angle. Then, since 10 grades are equal to 9 degrees,  $x - y = 9$ ; also  $x + y = 45$ : hence we obtain  $x = 27$  and  $y = 18$ .

2. In two-thirds of a right angle there are 60 degrees; let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in one part, then  $60 - x$  denotes the number of degrees in the other part, therefore the number of grades in this part is  $\frac{10}{9}(60 - x)$ . Hence

$$x : \frac{10}{9}(60 - x) :: 3 : 10; \text{ therefore } 10x = \frac{30}{9}(60 - x);$$

therefore  $9x = 3(60 - x)$ ; therefore  $12x = 180$ ; therefore  $x = 15$ .

3. In half a right angle there are 45 degrees; let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in one part, then  $45 - x$  denotes the number of degrees in the other part, therefore the number of grades in this part is  $\frac{10}{9}(45 - x)$ . Hence

$$x : \frac{10}{9}(45 - x) :: 9 : 5; \text{ therefore } 5x = 10(45 - x);$$

therefore  $15x = 450$ ; therefore  $x = 30$ .

4.  $1' 5'' = .0105$  of a grade;  $\frac{9}{10}$  of  $.0105 = .00945$ .

5. Let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in one part; then  $n - x$  denotes the number of degrees in the other part. In  $x$  degrees there are  $60x$  English minutes. In  $n - x$  degrees there are  $\frac{10}{9}(n - x)$  grades, and therefore  $\frac{10}{9} \times 100(n - x)$  French minutes. Therefore

$$60x = \frac{1000}{9}(n - x);$$

therefore  $1540x = 1000n$ ; therefore  $77x = 50n$ ;

therefore  $x = \frac{50n}{77}$ , and  $n - x = \frac{27n}{77}$ .

6. In one-third of a right angle there are 30 degrees; if this be taken as the unit of measurement an angle of 75 degrees must be denoted by  $\frac{75}{30}$ , that is by  $\frac{5}{2}$ , that is by  $2\frac{1}{2}$ .

7. Let  $x$  denote the number of grades in the unit. Then an angle of  $66\frac{2}{3}$  grades is denoted by  $\frac{66\frac{2}{3}}{x}$ ; and this is equal to 20. Therefore

$$20x = 66\frac{2}{3} = \frac{200}{3}; \text{ therefore } x = \frac{10}{3}.$$

Hence the number of degrees in the unit is  $\frac{9}{10} \times \frac{10}{3}$ , that is 3.

8. Let  $3x$  denote the number of sides in the equiangular polygon which has the greater number of sides; then  $2x$  denotes the number of sides in the other equiangular polygon. All the angles of the polygon of  $2x$  sides are equal to  $(4x-4)$  right angles, that is to  $(4x-4)100$  grades; therefore each angle contains  $\frac{(4x-4)100}{2x}$  grades. All the angles of the polygon of  $3x$  sides are equal to  $(6x-4)$  right angles, that is to  $(6x-4)90$  degrees; therefore each angle contains  $\frac{(6x-4)90}{3x}$  degrees; therefore

$$\frac{(4x-4)100}{2x} = \frac{(6x-4)90}{3x};$$

therefore  $(4x-4)5 = (6x-4)3$ ; therefore  $2x=8$ ; therefore  $x=4$ . Thus one polygon has 8 sides and the other polygon has 12 sides.

9. It is shewn in Art. 9 that an angle expressed in centesimal seconds is transformed to English seconds by multiplying by  $\frac{81}{250}$ ; and  $\frac{81}{250} = \frac{324}{1000}$ .

10. Suppose one angle to contain  $x$  English seconds, and another to contain  $x$  French minutes. The second angle then contains  $100x$  French seconds, and therefore  $\frac{81}{250} \times 100x$  English seconds. Hence the ratio of the former angle to the latter is that of 1 to  $\frac{8100}{250}$ , or of 1 to  $\frac{162}{5}$ , or of 5 to 162.

$$\begin{array}{r} 11. \quad 60 \mid 3\cdot00 \\ 60 \mid 10\cdot05 \\ \hline \cdot1675 \end{array}$$

Thus  $35^{\circ} 10' 3'' = 35^{\circ}\cdot1675$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 35\cdot1675 \\ 3\cdot9075 \\ \hline 39\cdot0750 \end{array}$$

And  $39^{\circ}\cdot0750 = 39^{\circ} 7' 50''$ .

$$12. \quad 69^{\circ} 22' 50'' = 69^{\circ}\cdot225.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 69\cdot225 \\ 6\cdot9225 \\ \hline 62\cdot3025 \\ 60 \\ \hline 18\cdot1500 \\ 60 \\ \hline 9\cdot00 \end{array}$$

## CHAPTER II.

1. It is shewn in Art. 8 that  $\frac{D}{90} = \frac{G}{100}$ ; and it is shewn in Art. 22 that  $\frac{D}{180} = \frac{C}{\pi}$ , so that  $\frac{D}{90} = \frac{2C}{\pi}$ . Therefore  $\frac{D}{90} = \frac{G}{100} = \frac{2C}{\pi}$ .

In fact the three expressions denote the same thing, namely the ratio of the angle considered to a right angle.

2. The circular measure of the angle is  $\frac{9}{10 \times 12}$ , that is  $\frac{3}{40}$ . Therefore, by Art. 22, the number of degrees in the angle is  $\frac{3}{40}$  of  $\frac{180}{\pi}$ .

3.  $5^{\circ} 37' 30'' = 337\frac{1}{2}$  minutes. Thus the circular measure

$$= \frac{337\frac{1}{2}}{180 \times 60} \pi = \frac{675}{180 \times 60 \times 2} \pi = \frac{135}{180 \times 12 \times 2} \pi$$

$$= \frac{27}{36 \times 12 \times 2} \pi = \frac{\pi}{32}.$$

4. The angle contains 1.01 grades; therefore, by Art. 24, the circular measure is  $\frac{1.01}{200} \pi$ , that is  $\pi \times .00505$ .

5. Let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in the first angle,  $y$  the number in the second, and  $z$  the number in the third.

The circular measure of the first angle is  $\frac{x\pi}{180}$ , and the circular measure of the second is  $\frac{y\pi}{180}$ ; therefore  $\frac{x\pi}{180} - \frac{y\pi}{180} = \frac{\pi}{10}$ ; therefore  $x - y = 18$ .

The number of grades in the second angle is  $\frac{10y}{9}$ , and the number of grades in the third is  $\frac{10z}{9}$ ; therefore  $\frac{10y}{9} + \frac{10z}{9} = 30$ ; therefore  $y + z = 27$ .

Also  $x + y = 36$ .

From these three equations we have  $x = 27$ ,  $y = 9$ ,  $z = 18$ .

6. The circular measure of a right angle is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; and therefore the circular measure of five-sixteenths of a right angle is  $\frac{5}{16}$  of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , that is  $\frac{5\pi}{32}$ .

The number of degrees is  $\frac{5}{16}$  of 90, that is  $\frac{450}{16}$ , that is 28.125.

The number of grades is  $\frac{5}{16}$  of 100, that is  $\frac{500}{16}$ , that is 31.25.

7. Let the numbers of degrees in the three angles be denoted respectively by  $x-y$ ,  $x$ , and  $x+y$ . Then  $x-y+x+x+y=180$ , that is  $3x=180$ ; therefore  $x=60$ .

Also  $x+y=2(x-y)$ ; therefore  $3y=x=60$ ; therefore  $y=20$ .

Hence in degrees the angles are denoted by 40, 60, and 80. Therefore in grades they will be denoted by  $\frac{400}{9}$ ,  $\frac{600}{9}$ , and  $\frac{800}{9}$ . And in circular measure they will be denoted by  $\frac{40\pi}{180}$ ,  $\frac{60\pi}{180}$ , and  $\frac{80\pi}{180}$ ; that is by  $\frac{2\pi}{9}$ ,  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ , and  $\frac{4\pi}{9}$ .

8. Let the numbers of degrees in the three angles be denoted respectively by  $x-y$ ,  $x$ , and  $x+y$ . Then  $x-y+x+x+y=180$ , that is  $3x=180$ ; therefore  $x=60$ .

The circular measure of the greatest angle is  $\frac{(x+y)\pi}{180}$ ; thus

$$x-y : \frac{(x+y)\pi}{180} :: 60 : \pi; \text{ therefore } (x-y)\pi = \frac{(x+y)\pi}{3};$$

therefore  $3(x-y)=x+y$ ; therefore  $y=\frac{x}{2}=30$ .

Thus the angles are  $30^\circ$ ,  $60^\circ$ , and  $90^\circ$ .

9. All the angles of the polygon are equal to  $(2n-4)$  right angles, that is to  $(2n-4)\frac{\pi}{2}$  in circular measure, that is to  $(n-2)\pi$ . Hence the circular measure of each angle is  $\frac{(n-2)\pi}{n}$ .

10. During the quarter of an hour since twelve the long hand has described one-fourth of four right angles, that is a right angle. The short hand has described one-twelfth of this, that is  $\frac{1}{12}$  of a right angle. Hence the angle between the hands at a quarter past twelve is  $\frac{11}{12}$  of a right angle.

$$\text{The measure in degrees} = \frac{11}{12} \text{ of } 90 = \frac{11 \times 15}{2} = \frac{165}{2} = 82\frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{The measure in grades} = \frac{11}{12} \text{ of } 100 = \frac{11 \times 25}{3} = \frac{275}{3} = 91\frac{2}{3}.$$

$$\text{The circular measure} = \frac{11}{12} \text{ of } \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{11\pi}{24}.$$

## CHAPTER III.

1. Let  $\sin A = \frac{3}{5}$ . Then we have

$$\cos A = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 A} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}} = \frac{4}{5};$$

$$\tan A = \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} = \frac{3}{5} \div \frac{4}{5} = \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{5}{4} = \frac{3}{4};$$

$$\cot A = \frac{1}{\tan A} = \frac{4}{3};$$

$$\sec A = \frac{1}{\cos A} = \frac{5}{4}; \quad \operatorname{cosec} A = \frac{1}{\sin A} = \frac{5}{3};$$

$$\operatorname{vers} A = 1 - \cos A = 1 - \frac{4}{5} = \frac{1}{5}.$$

2. Let  $\tan A = \frac{4}{3}$ . Then we have

$$\sin A = \frac{\tan A}{\sqrt{1 + \tan^2 A}} = \frac{\frac{4}{3}}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{16}{9}}} = \frac{4}{3} \div \frac{5}{3} = \frac{4}{5};$$

$$\cos A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \tan^2 A}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{16}{9}}} = 1 \div \frac{5}{3} = \frac{3}{5};$$

$$\sec A = \frac{1}{\cos A} = \frac{5}{3}; \quad \operatorname{cosec} A = \frac{1}{\sin A} = \frac{5}{4};$$

$$\operatorname{vers} A = 1 - \cos A = 1 - \frac{3}{5} = \frac{2}{5}.$$

3. Let  $\cos A = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$ . Then we have

$$\sin A = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 A} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{2}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}};$$

$$\tan A = \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \div \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}};$$

$$\cot A = \frac{1}{\tan A} = \sqrt{2};$$

$$\sec A = \frac{1}{\cos A} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}; \quad \operatorname{cosec} A = \frac{1}{\sin A} = \sqrt{3};$$

$$\operatorname{vers} A = 1 - \cos A = 1 - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}.$$

$$4. \quad \sec^2 \theta \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = (1 + \tan^2 \theta)(1 + \cot^2 \theta) = 1 + \tan^2 \theta + \cot^2 \theta + (\tan \theta \cot \theta)^2 \\ = 1 + \tan^2 \theta + \cot^2 \theta + 1 = \tan^2 \theta + \cot^2 \theta + 2.$$

$$5. \quad \sin^2 \theta \tan \theta + \cos^2 \theta \cot \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos^3 \theta}{\sin \theta} + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ = \frac{\sin^4 \theta + \cos^4 \theta + 2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)^2}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} \\ = \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \tan \theta + \cot \theta.$$

$$6. \quad 2(\sin^6 \theta + \cos^6 \theta) = 2(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)(\sin^4 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \cos^4 \theta) \\ = 2(\sin^4 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \cos^4 \theta);$$

therefore  $2(\sin^6 \theta + \cos^6 \theta) - 3(\sin^4 \theta + \cos^4 \theta) + 1$

$$= -2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta - \sin^4 \theta - \cos^4 \theta + 1 \\ = 1 - (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)^2 = 1 - 1 = 0.$$

$$7. \quad \sin^2 \theta = \frac{3}{2} \cos \theta; \quad \text{therefore } 1 - \cos^2 \theta = \frac{3}{2} \cos \theta;$$

therefore  $\cos^2 \theta + \frac{3}{2} \cos \theta = 1.$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$  or  $-2$ ; but only the former value is applicable, for  $\cos \theta$  cannot be numerically greater than unity. Hence  $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , and therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

8.  $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = 1$ ; therefore  $\cos \theta = 1 - \sin \theta$ ; therefore  $\cos^2 \theta = (1 - \sin \theta)^2$ , therefore  $1 - \sin^2 \theta = (1 - \sin \theta)^2$ , that is  $(1 - \sin \theta)(1 + \sin \theta) = (1 - \sin \theta)^2$ . Therefore either  $1 - \sin \theta = 0$ , or  $1 + \sin \theta = 1 - \sin \theta$ . (?)

Take  $1 - \sin \theta = 0$ ; thus  $\sin \theta = 1$ , therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Next take  $1 + \sin \theta = 1 - \sin \theta$ ; thus  $\sin \theta = 0$ , therefore  $\theta = 0$ .

$$9. \quad \cot \theta = 2 \cos \theta; \quad \text{therefore } \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = 2 \cos \theta.$$

Therefore either  $\cos \theta = 0$ , or  $\frac{1}{\sin \theta} = 2$ . (?)

Take  $\cos \theta = 0$ ; then  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Next take  $\frac{1}{\sin \theta} = 2$ ; thus  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ ;

therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ .



10.  $\sin^2 \theta - 2 \cos \theta + \frac{1}{4} = 0$ ; therefore  $1 - \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos \theta + \frac{1}{4} = 0$ ; therefore  $\cos^2 \theta + 2 \cos \theta = \frac{5}{4}$ . By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain  $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , or  $-\frac{5}{2}$ ; but only the former value is applicable; therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

11.  $3 \sec^4 \theta + 8 = 10 \sec^2 \theta$ ; therefore  $3 \sec^4 \theta - 10 \sec^2 \theta + 8 = 0$ . By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain  $\sec^2 \theta = 2$  or  $\frac{4}{3}$ ; therefore  $\sec \theta = \sqrt{2}$  or  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ ; therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$  or  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ .

12.  $\tan \theta + \cot \theta = 2$ ; therefore  $\tan \theta + \frac{1}{\tan \theta} = 2$ ;  
therefore  $\tan^2 \theta - 2 \tan \theta + 1 = 0$ , that is  $(\tan \theta - 1)^2 = 0$ ;  
therefore  $\tan \theta = 1$ , therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

13.  $\sin(A - B) = \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $A - B = 30^\circ$ ,

$\cos(A + B) = \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $A + B = 60^\circ$ ;

from these two equations we obtain  $A = 45^\circ$ , and  $B = 15^\circ$ .

14.  $\tan(A + B) = \sqrt{3}$ ; therefore  $A + B = 60^\circ$ ,

$\tan(A - B) = 1$ ; therefore  $A - B = 45^\circ$ ;

from these two equations we obtain  $A = 52\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ ,  $B = 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ .

#### CHAPTER IV.

1.  $585^\circ = 360^\circ + 225^\circ$ . Thus the Trigonometrical Ratios are the same as for an angle of  $225^\circ$ .

$$\sin 225^\circ = \sin(180^\circ + 45^\circ) = -\sin 45^\circ = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}},$$

$$\cos 225^\circ = \cos(180^\circ + 45^\circ) = -\cos 45^\circ = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

2.  $690^\circ = 360^\circ + 330^\circ$ . Thus the Trigonometrical Ratios are the same as for an angle of  $330^\circ$ .

$$\sin 330^\circ = \sin(180^\circ + 150^\circ) = -\sin 150^\circ = -\sin 30^\circ = -\frac{1}{2},$$

$$\cos 330^\circ = \cos(180^\circ + 150^\circ) = -\cos 150^\circ = \cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

3.  $930^\circ = 720^\circ + 210^\circ$ . Thus the Trigonometrical Ratios are the same as for an angle of  $210^\circ$ .

$$\sin 210^\circ = \sin (180^\circ + 30^\circ) = -\sin 30^\circ = -\frac{1}{2};$$

$$\cos 210^\circ = \cos (180^\circ + 30^\circ) = -\cos 30^\circ = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

4.  $6420^\circ = 17 \times 360^\circ + 300^\circ$ . Thus the Trigonometrical Ratios are the same as for an angle of  $300^\circ$ .

$$\sin 300^\circ = \sin (180^\circ + 120^\circ) = -\sin 120^\circ = -\sin 60^\circ = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2},$$

$$\cos 300^\circ = \cos (180^\circ + 120^\circ) = -\cos 120^\circ = \cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}.$$

5. The smallest angle is  $45^\circ$ ; the other angles are found by increasing successively by  $180^\circ$ : thus all the angles are  $45^\circ, 225^\circ, 405^\circ, 585^\circ, 765^\circ$ .

6. Since  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , we have  $\cos \theta = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ .

Take the upper sign; then the smallest value is  $45^\circ$ , and the others are  $360^\circ - 45^\circ, 360^\circ + 45^\circ, 720^\circ - 45^\circ, 720^\circ + 45^\circ$ .

Take the lower sign; then the smallest value is  $135^\circ$ , and the others are  $360^\circ - 135^\circ, 360^\circ + 135^\circ, 720^\circ - 135^\circ, 720^\circ + 135^\circ$ .

7.  $\text{vers} \frac{n\pi}{4} = 1 - \cos \frac{n\pi}{4}$ .

Suppose  $n=0$ ; then we have  $1 - \cos 0$ , that is  $1 - 1$ , that is  $0$ ; next suppose  $n=1$ , then we have  $1 - \cos \frac{\pi}{4}$ , that is  $1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ ; next suppose  $n=2$ , then we have  $1 - \cos \frac{\pi}{2}$ , that is  $1 - 0$ , that is  $1$ ; next suppose  $n=3$ , then we have  $1 - \cos \frac{3\pi}{4}$ ; that is  $1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ ; next suppose  $n=4$ , then we have  $1 - \cos \pi$ , that is  $1 + 1$ , that is  $2$ . Then the values begin to recur in the inverse order; for  $\cos \frac{5\pi}{4} = \cos \frac{3\pi}{4}$ ,  $\cos \frac{6\pi}{4} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{4}$ ,  $\cos \frac{7\pi}{4} = \cos \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $\cos \frac{8\pi}{4} = \cos 2\pi = \cos 0$ .

Then the whole series recurs. For  $\cos \frac{9\pi}{4} = \cos \frac{\pi}{4}$ , and so on.

8. Suppose  $n=0$ , then we have  $\sin \frac{\pi}{6}$ , that is  $\frac{1}{2}$ ; next suppose  $n=1$ , then we have  $\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$ , that is  $\sin \frac{\pi}{3}$ , that is  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ ; next suppose  $n=2$ , then we have  $\sin \left( \pi + \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$ , that is  $-\sin \frac{\pi}{6}$ , that is  $-\frac{1}{2}$ ; next suppose  $n=3$ ,

then we have  $\sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ , that is  $-\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ , that is  $-\sin\frac{\pi}{3}$ , that is  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

Then the values recur; for suppose  $n=4$ ; then we have  $\sin\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ , that is  $\sin\frac{\pi}{6}$ , and so on.

9.  $\sin^3\theta = -\cos^3\theta$ . Extract the cube root of both sides; thus  $\sin\theta = -\cos\theta$ , therefore  $\frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\theta} = -1$ , that is  $\tan\theta = -1$ ; therefore  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

10.  $2\sin^2\theta - 5\cos\theta - 4 = 0$ ; therefore  $2(1 - \cos^2\theta) - \cos\theta - 4 = 0$ ; therefore  $2\cos^2\theta + 5\cos\theta + 2 = 0$ . By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\cos\theta = -\frac{1}{2}$  or  $-2$ ; but only the former value is applicable; therefore  $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

11. When  $\theta=0$  we have  $\cos\theta=1$  and  $\sin\theta=0$ , so that  $\cos\theta - \sin\theta=1$ . Let  $\theta$  change from 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , then  $\cos\theta$  changes from 1 to 0, and  $\sin\theta$  from 0 to 1; therefore  $\cos\theta - \sin\theta$  changes from 1 to  $-1$ , vanishing when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ , then  $\cos\theta$  changes from 0 to  $-1$  and  $\sin\theta$  from 1 to 0; thus  $\cos\theta - \sin\theta$  remains negative. It has its greatest numerical value, namely  $-\sqrt{2}$ , when  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ . For we have

$$(\cos\theta + \sin\theta)^2 + (\cos\theta - \sin\theta)^2 = 2(\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta) = 2;$$

and thus  $(\cos\theta - \sin\theta)^2$  has its greatest value when  $\cos\theta + \sin\theta$  vanishes, that is when  $\tan\theta = -1$ , that is when  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\pi$  to  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ ; then  $\cos\theta - \sin\theta$  goes through the same numerical values, with a *contrary* sign, as when  $\theta$  changes from 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ : this follows from Art. 50.

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  to  $2\pi$ ; then  $\cos\theta - \sin\theta$  goes through the same numerical values, with a *contrary* sign, as when  $\theta$  changes from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ : this follows from Art. 50.

12. Let  $\theta$  change from 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; then  $\cos^2\theta$  changes from 1 to 0, and  $\sin^2\theta$  from 0 to 1; therefore  $\cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta$  changes from 1 to  $-1$ .

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ ; then  $\cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta$  changes from  $-1$  to  $1$ .

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\pi$  to  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ ; then  $\cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta$  goes through the same values as when  $\theta$  changes from  $0$  to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  to  $2\pi$ ; then  $\cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta$  goes through the same values as when  $\theta$  changes from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ .

13.  $\tan\theta + \cot\theta = \tan\theta + \frac{1}{\tan\theta}$ . Let  $\theta$  change from  $0$  to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; then  $\tan\theta$  changes from  $0$  to infinity. Thus  $\tan\theta + \frac{1}{\tan\theta}$  is always positive, and is infinite both when  $\theta = 0$ , and when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . The least value is when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ; for we have

$$\left(\tan\theta + \frac{1}{\tan\theta}\right)^2 = \left(\tan\theta - \frac{1}{\tan\theta}\right)^2 + 4,$$

and thus the least value is when  $\tan\theta - \frac{1}{\tan\theta}$  vanishes, that is when  $\tan^2\theta = 1$ . Thus  $\tan\theta + \cot\theta$  diminishes from infinity to  $2$ , as  $\theta$  changes from  $0$  to  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ ; and then increases from  $2$  to infinity, as  $\theta$  changes from  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ ; then  $\tan\theta + \cot\theta$  goes in reverse order through the same numerical values, with a *contrary* sign, as when  $\theta$  changes from  $0$  to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; this follows from Art. 48.

Let  $\theta$  change from  $\pi$  to  $2\pi$ ; then  $\tan\theta + \cot\theta$  goes through the same values as when  $\theta$  changes from  $0$  to  $\pi$ ; this follows from Art. 50.

14. We know by Algebra that if  $a$  and  $b$  are unequal  $2ab$  is less than  $a^2 + b^2$ , and therefore  $4ab$  is less than  $a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$ , that is  $4ab$  is less than  $(a+b)^2$ . Therefore  $\frac{4ab}{(a+b)^2}$  is less than unity; and cannot be equal to the secant of any angle, for a secant is never less than unity.

$$15. \tan(A+90^\circ) = \frac{\sin(A+90^\circ)}{\cos(A+90^\circ)} = \frac{\cos A}{-\sin A}, \text{ by Art. 52,} = -\cot A,$$

$$\cot(A+90^\circ) = \frac{1}{\tan(A+90^\circ)} = -\frac{1}{\cot A} = -\tan A,$$

$$\sec(A + 90^\circ) = \frac{1}{\cos(A + 90^\circ)} = \frac{1}{-\sin A}, \text{ by Art. 52,} = -\operatorname{cosec} A,$$

$$\operatorname{cosec}(A + 90^\circ) = \frac{1}{\sin(A + 90^\circ)} = \frac{1}{\cos A}, \text{ by Art. 52,} = \sec A,$$

$$\operatorname{vers}(A + 90^\circ) = 1 - \cos(A + 90^\circ) = 1 + \sin A, \text{ by Art. 52.}$$

$$16. \quad \sin(270^\circ - A) = -\sin(90^\circ - A), \text{ by Art. 50,} = -\cos A.$$

$$\cos(270^\circ - A) = -\cos(90^\circ - A), \text{ by Art. 50,} = -\sin A.$$

$$17. \quad \sin(270^\circ + A) = -\sin(90^\circ + A), \text{ by Art. 50,}$$

$$= -\cos A, \text{ by Art. 52.}$$

$$\cos(270^\circ + A) = -\cos(90^\circ + A), \text{ by Art. 50,}$$

$$= -(-\sin A), \text{ by Art. 52,} = \sin A.$$

$$18. \quad \sin(360^\circ - A) = -\sin(180^\circ - A), \text{ by Art. 50,}$$

$$= -\sin A, \text{ by Art. 48.}$$

$$\cos(360^\circ - A) = -\cos(180^\circ - A), \text{ by Art. 50,}$$

$$= -(-\cos A), \text{ by Art. 48,} = \cos A.$$

### CHAPTER V.

1.  $\tan \theta = 1$ ; the smallest value of  $\theta$  is  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ , and the general value is  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ , by Art. 68.

2.  $\sin \theta = 1$ ; the smallest value of  $\theta$  is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , and the general value is  $n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{2}$ , by Art. 66. This expression may be simplified; for first suppose  $n$  even, denote it by  $2m$ , so that we have  $2m\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ; next suppose  $n$  odd, denote it by  $2m + 1$ , so that we have  $(2m + 1)\pi - \frac{\pi}{2}$ , that is  $2m\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Hence both cases are included in the expression  $2m\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ , that is  $(4m + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

3.  $\cos \theta = 1$ ; the smallest value of  $\theta$  is 0, and the general value is  $2n\pi$ , by Art. 67.

4.  $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$ ; the smallest value of  $\theta$  is  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ , and the general value is  $2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ , by Art. 67.

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5.  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \alpha$ ; therefore  $\sin \theta = \pm \sin \alpha$ . Take the upper sign, then the simplest solution is  $\theta = \alpha$ , and the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \alpha$ . Take the lower sign, then the simplest solution is  $\theta = -\alpha$ , and the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi - (-1)^n \alpha$ . The two expressions are included in the single expression  $\theta = n\pi \pm \alpha$ .

This might also be obtained from a diagram in the manner of Arts. 66, 67, and 68.

6. Since  $\operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = \frac{4}{3}$  we have  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{3}{4} = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{3}$ ; hence, by Example 5, the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

7.  $\cos^2 \theta = \cos^2 \alpha$ ; therefore  $\cos \theta = \pm \cos \alpha$ . Take the upper sign, then the simplest solution is  $\theta = \alpha$ , and the general solution is  $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \alpha$ . Take the lower sign, then the simplest solution is  $\theta = \pi - \alpha$ , and the general solution is  $\theta = 2n\pi \pm (\pi - \alpha)$ . The two expressions are included in the single expression  $\theta = m\pi \pm \alpha$ .

It will be seen that the result is the same as for Example 5, and this should be the case; for if  $\cos^2 \theta = \cos^2 \alpha$ , then  $1 - \cos^2 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \alpha$ , that is  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \alpha$ .

8. Since  $\sec^2 \theta = 2$ , we have  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} = \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$ ; hence, by Example 7, the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

9.  $\tan^2 \theta = \tan^2 \alpha$ ; therefore  $\tan \theta = \pm \tan \alpha$ . Take the upper sign, then the simplest solution is  $\theta = \alpha$ , and the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi + \alpha$ . Take the lower sign, then the simplest solution is  $\theta = -\alpha$ , and the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi - \alpha$ . The two expressions are included in the single expression  $\theta = n\pi \pm \alpha$ .

The result is the same as for Example 7, and this should be the case; for if  $\tan^2 \theta = \tan^2 \alpha$  then  $1 + \tan^2 \theta = 1 + \tan^2 \alpha$ ; therefore  $\sec^2 \theta = \sec^2 \alpha$ , by Art. 34; therefore  $\cos^2 \theta = \cos^2 \alpha$ .

10.  $\tan^2 \theta = \frac{1}{3} = \tan^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$ ; hence, by Example 9, the general solution is  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

11. All the angles included in the expression  $2n\pi \pm \alpha$  have the same cosine as  $\alpha$ , by Art. 67.

Now by Art. 45  $\sin(2n\pi + \alpha) = \sin \alpha$ ; and  $\sin(2n\pi - \alpha) = \sin(-\alpha) = -\sin \alpha$ . Thus the angles which have both the same sine and the same cosine as  $\alpha$  are all comprised in the expression  $2n\pi + \alpha$ .

$$12. \quad -\frac{1}{2} = \sin\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin \frac{7\pi}{6}, \quad \text{and} \quad -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \cos\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \cos \frac{7\pi}{6};$$

hence, by Example 11, the required general value is  $\theta = 2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{6}$ .

## CHAPTER VI.

1. 
$$\frac{\cos A + \sin A}{\cos A - \sin A} = \frac{(\cos A + \sin A)^2}{(\cos A - \sin A)(\cos A + \sin A)}$$

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

$$= \frac{\sin 2A}{\cos 2A} + \frac{1}{\cos 2A} = \tan 2A + \sec 2A.$$
2. 
$$2 \sin^2 A \sin^2 B + 2 \cos^2 A \cos^2 B$$

$$= \frac{(1 - \cos 2A)(1 - \cos 2B)}{2} + \frac{(1 + \cos 2A)(1 + \cos 2B)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \cos 2A - \cos 2B + \cos 2A \cos 2B}{2} + \frac{1 + \cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2A \cos 2B}{2}$$

$$= 1 + \cos 2A \cos 2B.$$
3. 
$$\tan(45^\circ + A) - \tan(45^\circ - A)$$

$$= \frac{\tan 45^\circ + \tan A}{1 - \tan 45^\circ \tan A} - \frac{\tan 45^\circ - \tan A}{1 + \tan 45^\circ \tan A} = \frac{1 + \tan A}{1 - \tan A} - \frac{1 - \tan A}{1 + \tan A}$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \tan A)^2 - (1 - \tan A)^2}{1 - \tan^2 A} = \frac{4 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A} = 2 \tan 2A.$$
4. 
$$\sin 3A \operatorname{cosec} A - \cos 3A \sec A$$

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

$$= 3 - 4 \sin^2 A - (4 \cos^2 A - 3) = 6 - 4(\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A) = 6 - 4 = 2.$$
5. 
$$3 \sin A - \sin 3A = 3 \sin A - (3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A)$$

$$= 4 \sin^3 A = 2 \sin A \times 2 \sin^2 A = 2 \sin A (1 - \cos 2A).$$
6. 
$$\frac{\sin A + 2 \sin 3A + \sin 5A}{\sin 3A + 2 \sin 5A + \sin 7A} = \frac{\sin A + \sin 5A + 2 \sin 3A}{\sin 3A + \sin 7A + 2 \sin 5A}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin 3A \cos 2A + 2 \sin 3A}{2 \sin 5A \cos 2A + 2 \sin 5A}, \text{ by Art. 84,}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin 3A (1 + \cos 2A)}{2 \sin 5A (1 + \cos 2A)} = \frac{\sin 3A}{\sin 5A}.$$
7. 
$$\frac{\sin(2A + B)}{\sin A} - 2 \cos(A + B) = \frac{\sin(A + B + A) - 2 \sin A \cos(A + B)}{\sin A}$$

$$= \frac{\sin(A + B) \cos A + \cos(A + B) \sin A - 2 \sin A \cos(A + B)}{\sin A}$$

$$= \frac{\sin(A + B) \cos A - \cos(A + B) \sin A}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin(A + B - A)}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin B}{\sin A}.$$

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$$8. \quad 4 \sin A \cos^3 A - 4 \cos A \sin^3 A = 4 \sin A \cos A (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A) \\ = 2 \sin 2A \cos 2A = \sin 4A.$$

$$9. \quad \frac{\cos A - \cos 3A}{\sin 3A - \sin A} = \frac{2 \sin 2A \sin A}{2 \cos 2A \sin A}, \text{ by Art. 84,} \\ = \frac{\sin 2A}{\cos 2A} = \tan 2A.$$

$$10. \quad \frac{\cos 2A - \cos 4A}{\sin 4A - \sin 2A} = \frac{2 \sin 3A \sin A}{2 \cos 3A \sin A}, \text{ by Art. 84,} \\ = \frac{\sin 3A}{\cos 3A} = \tan 3A.$$

$$11. \quad \operatorname{cosec} 2A + \cot 4A = \frac{1}{\sin 2A} + \frac{\cos 4A}{\sin 4A} \\ = \frac{2 \cos 2A}{2 \cos 2A \sin 2A} + \frac{\cos 4A}{\sin 4A} = \frac{2 \cos 2A + \cos 4A}{\sin 4A} \\ = \frac{2 \cos 2A + 2 \cos^2 2A - 1}{\sin 4A} = \frac{2 \cos 2A (1 + \cos 2A) - 1}{\sin 4A} \\ = \frac{2 \cos 2A (1 + \cos 2A)}{2 \sin 2A \cos 2A} - \frac{1}{\sin 4A} = \frac{1 + \cos 2A}{\sin 2A} - \frac{1}{\sin 4A} \\ = \frac{2 \cos^2 A}{2 \sin A \cos A} - \frac{1}{\sin 4A} = \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} - \frac{1}{\sin 4A} = \cot A - \operatorname{cosec} 4A.$$

$$12. \quad \cos^2 (A - B) + \cos^2 B - 2 \cos (A - B) \cos A \cos B \\ = \cos (A - B) \{ \cos (A - B) - \cos A \cos B \} \\ \quad + \cos B \{ \cos B - \cos (A - B) \cos A \} \\ = \cos (A - B) \sin A \sin B \\ \quad + \cos B \{ \cos (A - A - B) - \cos (A - B) \cos A \} \\ = \cos (A - B) \sin A \sin B + \cos B \sin A \sin (A - B) \\ = \sin A \{ \cos (A - B) \sin B + \sin (A - B) \cos B \} \\ = \sin A \sin (A - B + B) = \sin A \sin A = \sin^2 A.$$

$$13. \quad \sin^2 (A - B) + \sin^2 B + 2 \sin (A - B) \sin B \cos A \\ = \sin (A - B) \{ \sin (A - B) + \sin B \cos A \} \\ \quad + \sin B \{ \sin B + \sin (A - B) \cos A \} \\ = \sin (A - B) \sin A \cos B \\ \quad + \sin B \{ \sin (A - A - B) + \sin (A - B) \cos A \} \\ = \sin (A - B) \sin A \cos B + \sin B \sin A \cos (A - B) \\ = \sin A \{ \sin (A - B) \cos B + \cos (A - B) \sin B \} \\ = \sin A \sin (A - B + B) = \sin A \sin A = \sin^2 A.$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 14. \quad \frac{1 - \tan^2(45^\circ - A)}{1 + \tan^2(45^\circ - A)} &= \frac{1 - \frac{\sin^2(45^\circ - A)}{\cos^2(45^\circ - A)}}{1 + \frac{\sin^2(45^\circ - A)}{\cos^2(45^\circ - A)}} \\
 &= \frac{\cos^2(45^\circ - A) - \sin^2(45^\circ - A)}{\cos^2(45^\circ - A) + \sin^2(45^\circ - A)} = \frac{\cos 2(45^\circ - A)}{1} \\
 &= \cos(90^\circ - 2A) = \sin 2A.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 15. \quad \frac{4 \tan A (1 - \tan^2 A)}{(1 + \tan^2 A)^2} &= \frac{\frac{4 \sin A}{\cos A} \left(1 - \frac{\sin^2 A}{\cos^2 A}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{\sin^2 A}{\cos^2 A}\right)^2} \\
 &= \frac{4 \sin A \cos A (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A)}{(\cos^2 A + \sin^2 A)^2} = 2 \sin 2A \cos 2A \\
 &= \sin 4A.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 16. \quad \sin A (1 + \tan A) + \cos A (1 + \cot A) \\
 &= \sin A \left(1 + \frac{\sin A}{\cos A}\right) + \cos A \left(1 + \frac{\cos A}{\sin A}\right) \\
 &= \sin A + \frac{\sin^2 A}{\cos A} + \cos A + \frac{\cos^2 A}{\sin A} \\
 &= \sin A + \frac{1 - \cos^2 A}{\cos A} + \cos A + \frac{1 - \sin^2 A}{\sin A} \\
 &= \sin A + \frac{1}{\cos A} - \cos A + \cos A + \frac{1}{\sin A} - \sin A \\
 &= \frac{1}{\cos A} + \frac{1}{\sin A} = \sec A + \operatorname{cosec} A.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 17. \quad \frac{\sin 3A + \cos 3A}{\sin 3A - \cos 3A} &= \frac{3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A + 4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A}{3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A - 4 \cos^3 A + 3 \cos A} \\
 &= \frac{3(\sin A - \cos A) - 4(\sin^3 A - \cos^3 A)}{3(\sin A + \cos A) - 4(\sin^3 A + \cos^3 A)} \\
 &= \frac{\sin A - \cos A}{\sin A + \cos A} \times \frac{3 - 4(\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A + \sin A \cos A)}{3 - 4(\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A - \sin A \cos A)} \\
 &= \frac{\sin A - \cos A}{\sin A + \cos A} \times \frac{-1 - 4 \sin A \cos A}{-1 + 4 \sin A \cos A} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} - 1}{\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} + 1} \cdot \frac{1 + 2 \sin 2A}{1 - 2 \sin 2A}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\tan A - 1}{\tan A + 1} \frac{1 + 2 \sin 2A}{1 - 2 \sin 2A} \\ &= \tan (A - 45^\circ) \frac{1 + 2 \sin 2A}{1 - 2 \sin 2A}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 18. \quad & \cos A + \cos (120^\circ - A) + \cos (120^\circ + A) \\ &= \cos A + \cos 120^\circ \cos A + \sin 120^\circ \sin A + \cos 120^\circ \cos A - \sin 120^\circ \sin A \\ &= \cos A + 2 \cos 120^\circ \cos A = \cos A - \cos A = 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 19. \quad & 4 \sin A \sin (60^\circ - A) \sin (60^\circ + A) \\ &= 4 \sin A (\sin^2 60^\circ - \sin^2 A), \text{ by Art. 83,} \\ &= 4 \sin A \left( \frac{3}{4} - \sin^2 A \right) \\ &= 3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A = \sin 3A. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 20. \quad & 4 \cos A \cos (60^\circ + A) \cos (60^\circ - A) \\ &= 4 \cos A (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 60^\circ), \text{ by Art. 83,} \\ &= 4 \cos A \left( \cos^2 A - \frac{3}{4} \right) \\ &= 4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A = \cos 3A. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 21. \quad & \tan A \tan (60^\circ + A) \tan (120^\circ + A) \\ &= \frac{\sin A \sin (60^\circ + A) \sin (120^\circ + A)}{\cos A \cos (60^\circ + A) \cos (120^\circ + A)} \\ &= - \frac{\sin A \sin (60^\circ + A) \sin (60^\circ - A)}{\cos A \cos (60^\circ + A) \cos (60^\circ - A)}, \text{ by Art. 48,} \\ &= - \frac{\sin 3A}{\cos 3A}, \text{ by Examples 19 and 20, } = - \tan 3A. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 22. \quad & \tan A + \tan (60^\circ + A) + \tan (120^\circ + A) \\ &= \tan A + \tan (60^\circ + A) - \tan (60^\circ - A), \text{ by Art. 48,} \\ &= \tan A + \frac{\tan 60^\circ + \tan A}{1 - \tan 60^\circ \tan A} - \frac{\tan 60^\circ - \tan A}{1 + \tan 60^\circ \tan A} \\ &= \tan A + \frac{(\tan 60^\circ + \tan A)(1 + \tan 60^\circ \tan A) - (\tan 60^\circ - \tan A)(1 - \tan 60^\circ \tan A)}{1 - \tan^2 60^\circ \tan^2 A} \\ &= \tan A + \frac{2 \tan^2 60^\circ \tan A + 2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 60^\circ \tan^2 A} \\ &= \tan A + \frac{8 \tan A}{1 - 3 \tan^2 A} = \frac{9 \tan A - 3 \tan^3 A}{1 - 3 \tan^2 A} \\ &= 3 \tan 3A. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
23. \quad & \cot A + \cot (60^\circ + A) + \cot (120^\circ + A) \\
&= \frac{1}{\tan A} + \frac{1}{\tan (60^\circ + A)} - \frac{1}{\tan (60^\circ - A)} \\
&= \frac{1}{\tan A} + \frac{1 - \tan 60^\circ \tan A}{\tan 60^\circ + \tan A} - \frac{1 + \tan 60^\circ \tan A}{\tan 60^\circ - \tan A} \\
&= \frac{1}{\tan A} + \frac{(1 - \tan 60^\circ \tan A)(\tan 60^\circ - \tan A) - (1 + \tan 60^\circ \tan A)(\tan 60^\circ + \tan A)}{\tan^2 60^\circ - \tan^2 A} \\
&= \frac{1}{\tan A} - \frac{2 \tan^2 60^\circ \tan A + 2 \tan A}{\tan^2 60^\circ - \tan^2 A} \\
&= \frac{1}{\tan A} - \frac{8 \tan A}{3 - \tan^2 A} = \frac{3 - 9 \tan^2 A}{3 \tan A - \tan^3 A} \\
&= \frac{3}{\tan 3A} = 3 \cot 3A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
24. \quad & \cot A \cot (60^\circ + A) + \cot (60^\circ + A) \cot (120^\circ + A) + \cot (120^\circ + A) \cot A \\
&= \frac{1}{\tan A \tan (60^\circ + A)} + \frac{1}{\tan (60^\circ + A) \tan (120^\circ + A)} + \frac{1}{\tan (120^\circ + A) \tan A} \\
&= \frac{\tan (120^\circ + A) + \tan A + \tan (60^\circ + A)}{\tan A \tan (60^\circ + A) \tan (120^\circ + A)} \\
&= \frac{3 \tan 3A}{-\tan 3A}, \text{ by Examples 21 and 22, } = -3.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
25. \quad \sin^3 A &= \frac{1}{4} \{3 \sin A - \sin 3A\}, \\
\sin^3 (120^\circ + A) &= \frac{1}{4} \{3 \sin (120^\circ + A) - \sin 3(120^\circ + A)\} \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \{3 \sin (120^\circ + A) - \sin 3A\}, \\
\sin^3 (240^\circ + A) &= \frac{1}{4} \{3 \sin (240^\circ + A) - \sin 3(240^\circ + A)\} \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \{3 \sin (240^\circ + A) - \sin 3A\}.
\end{aligned}$$

By addition we obtain

$$\frac{3}{4} \{\sin A + \sin (120^\circ + A) + \sin (240^\circ + A)\} - \frac{3}{4} \sin 3A,$$

that is  $-\frac{3}{4} \sin 3A$ ; for

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sin A + \sin (120^\circ + A) + \sin (240^\circ + A) \\
&= \sin A + \sin (60^\circ - A) - \sin (60^\circ + A) \\
&= \sin A + \sin 60^\circ \cos A - \cos 60^\circ \sin A - \sin 60^\circ \cos A - \cos 60^\circ \sin A \\
&= \sin A - 2 \cos 60^\circ \sin A = \sin A - \sin A = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
26. \quad & \sin 3A \sin^2 A + \cos 3A \cos^2 A \\
&= (3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A) \sin^2 A + (4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A) \cos^2 A \\
&= 3(\sin^4 A - \cos^4 A) - 4 \sin^6 A + 4 \cos^6 A \\
&= 3(\sin^4 A - \cos^4 A)(\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A) - 4 \sin^6 A + 4 \cos^6 A \\
&= \cos^6 A - 3 \cos^4 A \sin^2 A + 3 \cos^2 A \sin^4 A - \sin^6 A \\
&= (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A)^3 = \cos^3 2A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
27. \quad & \frac{\cos^3 A \sin 3A}{3} + \frac{\sin^3 A \cos 3A}{3} \\
&= \frac{1}{12} (3 \cos A + \cos 3A) \sin 3A + \frac{1}{12} (3 \sin A - \sin 3A) \cos 3A \\
&= \frac{1}{4} (\sin 3A \cos A + \cos 3A \sin A) \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \sin (3A + A) = \frac{1}{4} \sin 4A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
28. \quad & \cos nA \cos (n+2)A = \cos \{(n+1)A - A\} \cos \{(n+1)A + A\} \\
&= \cos^2 (n+1)A - \sin^2 A, \text{ by Art. 83;}
\end{aligned}$$

therefore  $\cos nA \cos (n+2)A - \cos^2 (n+1)A + \sin^2 A = 0.$

$$\begin{aligned}
29. \quad & \frac{\sin A \pm \sin nA + \sin (2n-1)A}{\cos A \pm \cos nA + \cos (2n-1)A} \\
&= \frac{\sin A + \sin (2n-1)A \pm \sin nA}{\cos A + \cos (2n-1)A \pm \cos nA} \\
&= \frac{2 \sin nA \cos (n-1)A \pm \sin nA}{2 \cos nA \cos (n-1)A \pm \cos nA}, \text{ by Art. 84,} \\
&= \frac{\sin nA \{2 \cos (n-1)A \pm 1\}}{\cos nA \{2 \cos (n-1)A \pm 1\}} = \frac{\sin nA}{\cos nA} = \tan nA.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
30. \quad & \sin nA \operatorname{cosec}^2 A \sec A - \cos nA \sec^2 A \operatorname{cosec} A \\
&= \frac{\sin nA}{\cos A \sin^2 A} - \frac{\cos nA}{\cos^2 A \sin A} \\
&= \frac{\sin nA \cos A - \cos nA \sin A}{\sin^2 A \cos^2 A} = \frac{4 \sin (nA - A)}{4 \sin^2 A \cos^2 A} \\
&= \frac{4 \sin (nA - A)}{\sin^2 2A} = 4 \sin (nA - A) \operatorname{cosec}^2 2A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
31. \quad & \cos 10A + \cos 8A + 3 \cos 4A + 3 \cos 2A \\
&= 2 \cos 9A \cos A + 6 \cos 3A \cos A, \text{ by Art. 84,} \\
&= 2 \cos A (\cos 9A + 3 \cos 3A) \\
&= 2 \cos A (4 \cos^3 3A - 3 \cos 3A + 3 \cos 3A) \\
&= 8 \cos A \cos^3 3A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
32. \quad \cot A + \cot 2A + \cot 4A &= \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{\cos 2A}{\sin 2A} + \frac{\cos 4A}{\sin 4A} \\
&= \frac{2 \cos^2 A}{2 \sin A \cos A} + \frac{\cos 2A}{\sin 2A} + \frac{\cos 4A}{\sin 4A} = \frac{1 + 2 \cos 2A}{\sin 2A} + \frac{\cos 4A}{\sin 4A} \\
&= \frac{2 \cos 2A (1 + 2 \cos 2A)}{2 \sin 2A \cos 2A} + \frac{\cos 4A}{\sin 4A} \\
&= \frac{1}{\sin 4A} \{2 \cos 2A + 4 \cos^2 2A + \cos 4A\} \\
&= \frac{1}{\sin 4A} \{2 \cos 2A + 2(1 + \cos 4A) + \cos 4A\} \\
&= \operatorname{cosec} 4A \{2 + 2 \cos 2A + 3 \cos 4A\}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
33. \quad \frac{2 \sin 2A + 2 \cos 2A}{\cos A - \sin A - \cos 3A + \sin 3A} &= \frac{2(\sin 2A + \cos 2A)}{\cos A - \cos 3A + \sin 3A - \sin A} \\
&= \frac{2(\sin 2A + \cos 2A)}{2 \sin 2A \sin A + 2 \cos 2A \sin A}, \text{ by Art. 84,} \\
&= \frac{2(\sin 2A + \cos 2A)}{2(\sin 2A + \cos 2A) \sin A} = \frac{1}{\sin A}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
34. \quad (\cos A - \sin 3A)^2 + 2 \cos A \sin 3A (\cos A - \sin A)^2 \\
&= \cos^2 A + \sin^2 3A - 2 \cos A \sin 3A + 2 \cos A \sin 3A (1 - 2 \sin A \cos A) \\
&= \cos^2 A + \sin^2 3A - 2 \cos A \sin 3A \sin 2A \\
&= \cos A \{\cos A - \sin 3A \sin 2A\} + \sin 3A \{\sin 3A - \cos A \sin 2A\} \\
&= \cos A \{\cos (3A - 2A) - \sin 3A \sin 2A\} \\
&\quad + \sin 3A \{\sin (2A + A) - \cos A \sin 2A\} \\
&= \cos A \cos 3A \cos 2A + \sin 3A \sin A \cos 2A \\
&= \cos 2A \{\cos 3A \cos A + \sin 3A \sin A\} \\
&= \cos 2A \cos (3A - A) = \cos 2A \cos 2A = \cos^2 2A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
35. \quad \cos^6 A - \sin^6 A &= (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A) (\cos^4 A + \sin^4 A + \sin^2 A \cos^2 A) \\
&= \cos 2A (\cos^4 A + \sin^4 A + \sin^2 A \cos^2 A) \\
&= \cos 2A \{(\cos^2 A + \sin^2 A)^2 - \sin^2 A \cos^2 A\} \\
&= \cos 2A \{1 - \sin^2 A \cos^2 A\} = \cos 2A \left\{1 - \frac{\sin^2 2A}{4}\right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
36. \quad \sin 5A &= \sin (3A + 2A) = \sin 3A \cos 2A + \cos 3A \sin 2A \\
&= (3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A)(1 - 2 \sin^2 A) + (4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A) 2 \sin A \cos A \\
&= (3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A)(1 - 2 \sin^2 A) + (4 \cos^2 A - 3) 2 \sin A \cos^2 A \\
&= (3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A)(1 - 2 \sin^2 A) + (1 - 4 \sin^2 A) 2 \sin A (1 - \sin^2 A) \\
&= 5 \sin A - 20 \sin^3 A + 16 \sin^5 A.
\end{aligned}$$

$$37. \quad \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right) + \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right) = 4;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)} + \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)} = 4;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right) + \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right) = 4 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 1 = 2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta\right) = 2 \cos 2\theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3},$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

38.  $\sin 4\theta + \sin \theta = 0$ , therefore  $2 \sin \frac{5\theta}{2} \cos \frac{3\theta}{2} = 0$  by Art. 84; therefore either  $\sin \frac{5\theta}{2} = 0$ , or  $\cos \frac{3\theta}{2} = 0$ . The former gives  $\frac{5\theta}{2} = n\pi$ ; and the latter gives  $\frac{3\theta}{2} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$ , which may be expressed more simply as  $\frac{3\theta}{2} = m\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Or we might proceed thus:  $\sin 4\theta = -\sin \theta$ , therefore  $\sin 4\theta = \sin(\pi + \theta)$ . Thus  $4\theta$  and  $\pi + \theta$  must be angles which have the same sine; and therefore all the solutions are contained in  $4\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n(\pi + \theta)$ .

39.  $\sin 7\theta - \sin \theta = \sin 3\theta$ ; therefore  $2 \sin 3\theta \cos 4\theta = \sin 3\theta$ ; therefore either  $\sin 3\theta = 0$ , or  $2 \cos 4\theta = 1$ . The former gives  $3\theta = n\pi$ ; and the latter gives  $4\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

$$40. \quad \sin \theta + \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}; \text{ therefore } \frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{2}; \text{ therefore } \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

41. By Example 36 we have

$$\sin 5\theta = 5 \sin \theta - 20 \sin^3 \theta + 16 \sin^5 \theta.$$

Thus  $5 \sin \theta - 20 \sin^3 \theta + 16 \sin^5 \theta = 16 \sin^5 \theta$ ,  
 therefore  $5 \sin \theta - 20 \sin^3 \theta = 0$ ,  
 therefore either  $\sin \theta = 0$  or  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4}$ .

The former gives  $\theta = n\pi$ ; the latter gives  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$ ; and therefore  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ , by Example V. 5.

42.  $\cos 3\theta + \cos 2\theta + \cos \theta = 0$ , therefore  $\cos 2\theta + 2 \cos \theta \cos \theta = 0$ , therefore either  $\cos 2\theta = 0$ , or  $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$ . The former gives  $2\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ , as in Example 38; and the latter gives  $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

43.  $\sin 3\theta + \sin 2\theta + \sin \theta = 0$ , therefore  $\sin 2\theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0$ , therefore either  $\sin 2\theta = 0$ , or  $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$ . The former gives  $2\theta = n\pi$ ; and the latter gives  $\theta = 2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

44.  $\tan \theta + \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) = 2$ ; therefore  $\tan \theta + \frac{1 + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} = 2$ ,  
 therefore  $\tan \theta - \tan^2 \theta + 1 + \tan \theta = 2 - 2 \tan \theta$ ,  
 therefore  $\tan^2 \theta - 4 \tan \theta + 1 = 0$ ,  
 therefore  $\frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} - \frac{4 \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + 1 = 0$ ,  
 therefore  $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 4 \sin \theta \cos \theta$ ,  
 therefore  $1 = 4 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 2 \sin 2\theta$ ,  
 therefore  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , therefore  $2\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

45.  $\tan 2\theta + \cot \theta = 8 \cos^2 \theta$ ; therefore  $\frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = 8 \cos^2 \theta$ ,  
 therefore  $\sin 2\theta \sin \theta + \cos 2\theta \cos \theta = 8 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta \cos 2\theta$ ,  
 therefore  $\cos(2\theta - \theta) = 8 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta \cos 2\theta$ ;  
 therefore either  $\cos \theta = 0$ , or  $1 = 8 \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos 2\theta$ .

The former gives  $\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ; the latter gives

$1 = 4 \sin 2\theta \cos 2\theta = 2 \sin 4\theta$ ,  
 so that  $\sin 4\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , and  $4\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

$$46. \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) = 3 \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right),$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) = 3 \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) = \frac{3}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)},$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) = 3 = \tan^2\frac{\pi}{3},$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\pi}{4} + \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, \text{ by Example V. 9.}$$

## CHAPTER VII.

1. Here  $\frac{A}{2}$  lies between  $225^\circ$  and  $315^\circ$ ; thus  $\sin \frac{A}{2}$  is negative, and is numerically greater than  $\cos \frac{A}{2}$ ; hence

$$\sin \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{A}{2} = -\sqrt{1 + \sin A}, \quad \sin \frac{A}{2} - \cos \frac{A}{2} = -\sqrt{1 - \sin A};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} = -\sqrt{1 + \sin A} - \sqrt{1 - \sin A}.$$

2. Here  $\frac{A}{2}$  lies between  $405^\circ$  and  $495^\circ$ ; thus  $\sin \frac{A}{2}$  is positive, and is numerically greater than  $\cos \frac{A}{2}$ ; hence

$$\sin \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{1 + \sin A}, \quad \sin \frac{A}{2} - \cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{1 - \sin A};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2 \cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{1 + \sin A} - \sqrt{1 - \sin A}.$$

3. Here  $\frac{A}{2}$  lies between  $-45^\circ$  and  $-135^\circ$ ; thus  $\sin \frac{A}{2}$  is negative, and is numerically greater than  $\cos \frac{A}{2}$ ; hence

$$\sin \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{A}{2} = -\sqrt{1 + \sin A}, \quad \sin \frac{A}{2} - \cos \frac{A}{2} = -\sqrt{1 - \sin A};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} = -\sqrt{1 + \sin A} - \sqrt{1 - \sin A}.$$

4. The proposed formula must have arisen from

$$\sin A + \cos A = -\sqrt{1 + \sin 2A}, \quad \sin A - \cos A = \sqrt{1 - \sin 2A};$$

the former shews that  $A$  must lie between  $2n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{4}$ , and the



latter shews that  $A$  must lie between  $2m\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$  and  $2m\pi + \frac{5\pi}{4}$ ; hence, by combining these results, it follows that  $A$  must lie between  $2n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{4}$ . See Art. 101.

5. The proposed formula must have arisen from

$$\sin A + \cos A = -\sqrt{(1 + \sin 2A)}, \quad \sin A - \cos A = -\sqrt{(1 - \sin 2A)};$$

the former shews that  $A$  must lie between  $2n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{4}$ , and the latter shews that  $A$  must lie between  $2m\pi + \frac{5\pi}{4}$  and  $2m\pi + \frac{9\pi}{4}$ ; hence, by combining these results, it follows that  $A$  must lie between  $2n\pi + \frac{5\pi}{4}$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{7\pi}{4}$ .

6. The proposed formula must have arisen from

$$\sin A + \cos A = \sqrt{(1 + \sin 2A)}, \quad \sin A - \cos A = -\sqrt{(1 - \sin 2A)};$$

the former shews that  $A$  must lie between  $2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}$ , and the latter shews that  $A$  must lie between  $2m\pi + \frac{5\pi}{4}$  and  $2m\pi + \frac{9\pi}{4}$ , that is, between  $2(m+1)\pi - \frac{3\pi}{4}$  and  $2(m+1)\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ ; hence, by combining these results, it follows that  $A$  must lie between  $2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

7. Let  $A$  denote the given angle, and  $m$  the given ratio. Let  $x$  denote one of the two parts, and therefore  $A - x$  the other. Then  $\sin x = m \sin(A - x)$ ; thus  $\sin x = m(\sin A \cos x - \cos A \sin x)$ . Divide by  $\cos x$ ; thus

$$\tan x = m(\sin A - \cos A \tan x),$$

therefore

$$\tan x = \frac{m \sin A}{1 + m \cos A}.$$

Thus  $\tan x$  is known, and therefore  $x$  is known.

8. Let  $A$  denote the given angle, and  $m$  the given ratio. Let  $x$  denote one of the two parts, and therefore  $A - x$  the other. Then  $\cos x = m \cos(A - x)$ ; thus  $\cos x = m(\cos A \cos x + \sin A \sin x)$ . Divide by  $\cos x$ ; thus

$$1 = m(\cos A + \sin A \tan x),$$

therefore

$$\tan x = \frac{1 - m \cos A}{m \sin A}.$$

Thus  $\tan x$  is known, and therefore  $x$  is known.

9. Let  $A$  denote the given angle, and  $m$  the given ratio. Let  $x$  denote one of the two parts, and therefore  $A - x$  the other. Then  $\tan x = m \tan(A - x)$ ;

$$\text{thus } \tan x = \frac{m(\tan A - \tan x)}{1 + \tan A \tan x};$$

therefore  $\tan x(1 + \tan A \tan x) = m(\tan A - \tan x)$ .

Thus we have a quadratic equation from which the value of  $\tan x$  may be found.

Or we may proceed thus,

$$\tan x = m \tan(A - x), \text{ therefore } \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{m \sin(A - x)}{\cos(A - x)},$$

therefore  $2 \sin x \cos(A - x) = 2m \sin(A - x) \cos x$ ,

therefore  $\sin A + \sin(2x - A) = m \{\sin A + \sin(A - 2x)\}$   
 $= m \{\sin A - \sin(2x - A)\}$ ,

therefore  $(m + 1) \sin(2x - A) = (m - 1) \sin A$ .

Thus  $\sin(2x - A)$  is known, and therefore  $2x - A$  is known, and therefore  $x$  is known.

$$\begin{aligned} 10. \text{ By Art. 87, } \sin A &= \frac{2 \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{2(2 - \sqrt{3})}{1 + (2 - \sqrt{3})^2} \\ &= \frac{2(2 - \sqrt{3})}{1 + 4 + 3 - 4\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2(2 - \sqrt{3})}{4(2 - \sqrt{3})} = \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$11. \sin 105^\circ + \cos 105^\circ = \sqrt{1 + \sin 210^\circ},$$

and  $\sin 105^\circ - \cos 105^\circ = \sqrt{1 - \sin 210^\circ}$ ;

therefore  $2 \cos 105^\circ = \sqrt{1 + \sin 210^\circ} - \sqrt{1 - \sin 210^\circ}$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{2}} - \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}};$$

thus  $2 \cos 105^\circ = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}$ , and  $\cos 105^\circ = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$ .

$$12. \tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}; \text{ thus } \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A} = -\frac{24}{7};$$

therefore  $14 \tan A = -24(1 - \tan^2 A)$ ; therefore  $24 \tan^2 A - 14 \tan A = 24$ .

By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain

$$\tan A = \frac{4}{3}, \text{ or } -\frac{3}{4}.$$

Also  $\sin A = \frac{\tan A}{\sqrt{1 + \tan^2 A}}$ , and  $\cos A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \tan^2 A}}$ .

If  $\tan A = \frac{4}{3}$  we get  $\sin A = \pm \frac{4}{5}$ , and  $\cos A = \pm \frac{3}{5}$ .

If  $\tan A = -\frac{3}{4}$  we get  $\sin A = \pm \frac{3}{5}$ , and  $\cos A = \mp \frac{4}{5}$ .

13.  $\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$ . Let  $2A = 330^\circ$ , then  $\tan 2A = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ ;

therefore 
$$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A},$$

therefore  $-1 + \tan^2 A = 2\sqrt{3} \tan A$ , therefore  $\tan^2 A - 2\sqrt{3} \tan A = 1$ .

By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain  $\tan A = \sqrt{3} \pm 2$ . But  $\tan 165^\circ$  must be a negative quantity, and is therefore equal to  $\sqrt{3} - 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 14. \quad \frac{2 \sin A - \sin 2A}{2 \sin A + \sin 2A} &= \frac{2 \sin A - 2 \sin A \cos A}{2 \sin A + 2 \sin A \cos A} = \frac{2 \sin A (1 - \cos A)}{2 \sin A (1 + \cos A)} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos A}{1 + \cos A} = \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{A}{2}}{2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} = \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 15. \quad 2 \operatorname{vers} \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ + A) \operatorname{vers} \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ - A) \\ &= 2 \left\{ 1 - \cos \left( 90^\circ + \frac{A}{2} \right) \right\} \left\{ 1 - \cos \left( 90^\circ - \frac{A}{2} \right) \right\} \\ &= 2 \left( 1 + \sin \frac{A}{2} \right) \left( 1 - \sin \frac{A}{2} \right) = 2 \left( 1 - \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \right) = 2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

and  $\operatorname{vers} (180^\circ - A) = 1 - \cos (180^\circ - A) = 1 + \cos A = 2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2}$ .

Thus the proposed expressions are equal.

$$\begin{aligned} 16. \quad (\cos A + \cos B)^2 + (\sin A + \sin B)^2 \\ &= \cos^2 A + \cos^2 B + 2 \cos A \cos B + \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + 2 \sin A \sin B \\ &= 2 + 2 (\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) = 2 + 2 \cos (A - B) \\ &= 2 \{ 1 + \cos (A - B) \} = 4 \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} (A - B). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 17. \quad (\cos A - \cos B)^2 + (\sin A - \sin B)^2 \\ &= \cos^2 A + \cos^2 B - 2 \cos A \cos B + \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B - 2 \sin A \sin B \\ &= 2 - 2 (\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) = 2 - 2 \cos (A - B) \\ &= 2 \{ 1 - \cos (A - B) \} = 4 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} (A - B). \end{aligned}$$

18.  $2 \sin^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = 1 - \cos 45^\circ$ ; therefore

$$4 \sin^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = 2 - 2 \cos 45^\circ = 2 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = 2 - \sqrt{2},$$

therefore

$$2 \sin 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = \sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}.$$

And  $2 \cos^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = 1 + \cos 45^\circ$ ; therefore

$$4 \cos^2 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = 2 + 2 \cos 45^\circ = 2 + \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = 2 + \sqrt{2},$$

therefore

$$2 \cos 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2}}.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sin 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ}{\cos 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ} &= \frac{\sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}}{\sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2}}} = \frac{\sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}}{\sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2}}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}}{\sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}} \\ &= \frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{4 - 2}} = \frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2} - 1, \end{aligned}$$

that is

$$\tan 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ = \sqrt{2} - 1.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 19. \quad (\tan A + \cot A) 2 \tan \frac{A}{2} \left(1 - \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}\right) &= \left(\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} + \frac{\cos A}{\sin A}\right) 2 \tan \frac{A}{2} \left(1 - \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A}{\sin A \cos A} \cdot \frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2}} \cdot \frac{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{A}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sin A \cos A} \cdot \frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2}} \cdot \frac{\cos A}{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2}}{\sin A \cos^3 \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{A}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos^4 \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{1}{\cos^4 \frac{A}{2}} \\ &= \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2}} \right\}^2 = \left(1 + \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}\right)^2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 20. \quad \tan^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{A}{2}\right) &= \left\{ \frac{1 + \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{A}{2}} \right\}^2 = \left\{ \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} - \sin \frac{A}{2}} \right\}^2 \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} - 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{1 + \sin A}{1 - \sin A} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos A} + \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} = \frac{\sec A + \tan A}{\sec A - \tan A}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 21. \quad & \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) \\
 &= \sin\frac{\pi}{4} \cos\frac{\theta}{2} - \cos\frac{\pi}{4} \sin\frac{\theta}{2} + \cos\frac{\pi}{4} \cos\frac{\theta}{2} + \sin\frac{\pi}{4} \sin\frac{\theta}{2} \\
 &= 2 \sin\frac{\pi}{4} \cos\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{2 \cos\frac{\theta}{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2 \sin\frac{\theta}{2} \cos\frac{\theta}{2}}{\sqrt{2} \sin\frac{\theta}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\sin\theta}{\sqrt{(2 \sin^2\frac{\theta}{2})}} = \frac{\sin\theta}{\sqrt{1 - \cos\theta}} = \frac{\sin\theta}{\sqrt{(\text{vers } \theta)}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 22. \quad & 4 \sin^2\frac{\theta}{4} \left(1 - \sin\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = 4 \sin^2\frac{\theta}{4} \left(\sin^2\frac{\theta}{4} + \cos^2\frac{\theta}{4} - 2 \sin\frac{\theta}{4} \cos\frac{\theta}{4}\right) \\
 &= 4 \sin^2\frac{\theta}{4} \left(\sin\frac{\theta}{4} - \cos\frac{\theta}{4}\right)^2 \\
 &= \left(2 \sin^2\frac{\theta}{4} - 2 \sin\frac{\theta}{4} \cos\frac{\theta}{4}\right)^2 \\
 &= \left(1 - \cos\frac{\theta}{2} - \sin\frac{\theta}{2}\right)^2.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{And } \sqrt{1 + \sin\theta} = \sqrt{\left(\sin^2\frac{\theta}{2} + \cos^2\frac{\theta}{2} + 2 \sin\frac{\theta}{2} \cos\frac{\theta}{2}\right)} = \sin\frac{\theta}{2} + \cos\frac{\theta}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore } \{1 - \sqrt{1 + \sin\theta}\}^2 = \left(1 - \sin\frac{\theta}{2} - \cos\frac{\theta}{2}\right)^2.$$

$$23. \quad 2 \cos^2\frac{\theta}{2} = 1 + \cos\theta; \text{ therefore}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 4 \cos^4\frac{\theta}{2} &= (1 + \cos\theta)^2 = 1 + 2 \cos\theta + \cos^2\theta \\
 &= 1 + 2 \cos\theta + \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2} (3 + 4 \cos\theta + \cos 2\theta);
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos^4\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{8} (3 + 4 \cos\theta + \cos 2\theta).$$

Use this formula for each of the terms; thus

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \cos^4\frac{\pi}{8} + \cos^4\frac{3\pi}{8} + \cos^4\frac{5\pi}{8} + \cos^4\frac{7\pi}{8} \\
 &= \frac{12}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{4} + \cos\frac{3\pi}{4} + \cos\frac{5\pi}{4} + \cos\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{8} \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{2} + \cos\frac{3\pi}{2} + \cos\frac{5\pi}{2} + \cos\frac{7\pi}{2}\right) \\
 &= \frac{3}{2}; \text{ see Art. 50.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 24. \quad \tan 7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} &= \frac{\sin 15^{\circ}}{1 + \cos 15^{\circ}} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}}{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}+1} \\
 &= \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)(2\sqrt{2}+1-\sqrt{3})}{(2\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{3}+1)(2\sqrt{2}+1-\sqrt{3})} = \frac{2\sqrt{6}-2\sqrt{2}-4+2\sqrt{3}}{6+4\sqrt{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2}-2+\sqrt{3}}{3+2\sqrt{2}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Multiply both numerator and denominator by  $3-2\sqrt{2}$ ; then we obtain unity for denominator, and for numerator  $\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{2}-2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 25. \quad \tan 142\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} &= \frac{\sin 285^{\circ}}{1 + \cos 285^{\circ}} = -\frac{\sin 105^{\circ}}{1 - \cos 105^{\circ}} = -\frac{\cos 15^{\circ}}{1 + \sin 15^{\circ}} \\
 &= -\frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}}{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}-1+\sqrt{3}} \\
 &= -\frac{(\sqrt{3}+1)(2\sqrt{2}-1-\sqrt{3})}{(2\sqrt{2}-1+\sqrt{3})(2\sqrt{2}-1-\sqrt{3})} \\
 &= -\frac{\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2}-2-\sqrt{3}}{3-2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2+\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{6}}{3-2\sqrt{2}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Multiply both numerator and denominator by  $3+2\sqrt{2}$ ; then we obtain unity for denominator, and for numerator  $2+\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{6}$ .

$$26. \quad \tan x = \frac{3 \tan \frac{x}{3} - \tan^3 \frac{x}{3}}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \frac{x}{3}};$$

and since this is equal to  $(2+\sqrt{3}) \tan \frac{x}{3}$  we obtain

$$\frac{3 - \tan^2 \frac{x}{3}}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \frac{x}{3}} = 2 + \sqrt{3};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 3 - \tan^2 \frac{x}{3} = (2 + \sqrt{3}) \left( 1 - 3 \tan^2 \frac{x}{3} \right);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (6 + 3\sqrt{3} - 1) \tan^2 \frac{x}{3} = 2 + \sqrt{3} - 3;$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \frac{x}{3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{5+3\sqrt{3}} = \frac{(\sqrt{3}-1)(5-3\sqrt{3})}{(5+3\sqrt{3})(5-3\sqrt{3})}$$

$$= \frac{8\sqrt{3}-14}{25-27} = 7-4\sqrt{3};$$

therefore 
$$\tan \frac{x}{3} = \sqrt{7-4\sqrt{3}} = \pm(2-\sqrt{3}).$$

Hence 
$$\tan x = \pm(2+\sqrt{3})(2-\sqrt{3}) = \pm 1.$$

27. 
$$\tan \alpha + \cot \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} + \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha} = \frac{1}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha} = \frac{2}{\sin 2\alpha}.$$

Put for  $\alpha$  its value; then the expression

$$= \frac{2}{\sin 2 \left( n + \frac{1}{4} \pm \frac{1}{6} \right) \pi} = \frac{2}{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \pm \frac{\pi}{3} \right)} = \frac{2}{\cos \frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$$= 2 \div \frac{1}{2} = 4.$$

28. 
$$\frac{\cos \alpha \cos 13\alpha}{\cos 3\alpha + \cos 5\alpha} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos 13\alpha}{2 \cos \alpha \cos 4\alpha} = \frac{\cos 13\alpha}{2 \cos 4\alpha} = -\frac{1}{2};$$

for  $13\alpha + 4\alpha = \pi$ , and therefore  $\cos 13\alpha = -\cos 4\alpha$ .

29.  $\sec(\phi + \alpha) + \sec(\phi - \alpha) = 2 \sec \phi$ , therefore

$$\frac{1}{\cos(\phi + \alpha)} + \frac{1}{\cos(\phi - \alpha)} = \frac{2}{\cos \phi};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\cos(\phi - \alpha) + \cos(\phi + \alpha)}{\cos(\phi + \alpha) \cos(\phi - \alpha)} = \frac{2}{\cos \phi};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{2 \cos \phi \cos \alpha}{\cos^2 \phi - \sin^2 \alpha} = \frac{2}{\cos \phi};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \phi \cos \alpha = \cos^2 \phi - \sin^2 \alpha;$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \phi = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{1 - \cos \alpha} = \frac{1 - \cos^2 \alpha}{1 - \cos \alpha} = 1 + \cos \alpha = 2 \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \phi = \sqrt{2 \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}.$$

30.  $\tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1+c}{1-c} \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}$ ; therefore

$$\frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{1 - \frac{1+c}{1-c} \cdot \frac{\sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}}{1 + \frac{1+c}{1-c} \cdot \frac{\sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}} = \frac{(1-c) \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - (1+c) \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}{(1-c) \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + (1+c) \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}};$$

therefore, by Art. 87,

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - c \left( \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \right)}{\cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - c \left( \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \right)} = \frac{\cos \phi - c}{1 - c \cos \phi}.$$

#### CHAPTER VIII.

1. By Art. 113 we have

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma - \cos \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma - \cos \beta \sin \gamma \sin \alpha - \cos \gamma \sin \alpha \sin \beta;$$

divide both sides by  $\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma$ ; thus

$$\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma} = 1 - \tan \beta \tan \gamma - \tan \gamma \tan \alpha - \tan \alpha \tan \beta.$$

2. By Art. 113 we have

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma + \sin \beta \cos \gamma \cos \alpha + \sin \gamma \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma;$$

divide both sides by  $\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma$ ; thus

$$\frac{\sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma)}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos \gamma} = \tan \alpha + \tan \beta + \tan \gamma - \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \quad \sin(\alpha - \beta) + \sin(\beta - \gamma) &= 2 \sin \frac{\alpha - \gamma}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha - 2\beta + \gamma}{2} \\ &= -2 \sin \frac{\gamma - \alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha - 2\beta + \gamma}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\sin(\gamma - \alpha) = 2 \sin \frac{\gamma - \alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\gamma - \alpha}{2};$$



$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{therefore } \sin(a - \beta) + \sin(\beta - \gamma) + \sin(\gamma - a) \\
& = 2 \sin \frac{\gamma - a}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{\gamma - a}{2} - \cos \frac{a - 2\beta + \gamma}{2} \right\} \\
& = 2 \sin \frac{\gamma - a}{2} 2 \sin \frac{\gamma - \beta}{2} \sin \frac{a - \beta}{2} \\
& = -4 \sin \frac{a - \beta}{2} \sin \frac{\beta - \gamma}{2} \sin \frac{\gamma - a}{2} ;
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{therefore } \sin(a - \beta) + \sin(\beta - \gamma) + \sin(\gamma - a) \\
& + 4 \sin \frac{a - \beta}{2} \sin \frac{\beta - \gamma}{2} \sin \frac{\gamma - a}{2} = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
4. \quad & 4 \sin(\theta - \alpha) \sin(m\theta - \alpha) \cos(\theta - m\theta) \\
& = 2 \cos(\theta - m\theta) \{ \cos(\theta - m\theta) - \cos(\theta + m\theta - 2\alpha) \}, \text{ by Art. 84,} \\
& = 2 \cos^2(\theta - m\theta) - 2 \cos(\theta - m\theta) \cos(\theta + m\theta - 2\alpha) \\
& = 1 + \cos 2(\theta - m\theta) - \{ \cos(2\theta - 2\alpha) + \cos(2m\theta - 2\alpha) \} \\
& = 1 + \cos 2(\theta - m\theta) - \cos(2\theta - 2\alpha) - \cos(2m\theta - 2\alpha).
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
5. \quad & \sin(a + \beta) \cos \beta = \sin(a + \beta + \gamma - \gamma) \cos \beta \\
& = \{ \sin(a + \beta + \gamma) \cos \gamma - \cos(a + \beta + \gamma) \sin \gamma \} \cos \beta, \\
& \sin(a + \gamma) \cos \gamma = \sin(a + \beta + \gamma - \beta) \cos \gamma \\
& = \{ \sin(a + \beta + \gamma) \cos \beta - \cos(a + \beta + \gamma) \sin \beta \} \cos \gamma ;
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{therefore } \sin(a + \beta) \cos \beta - \sin(a + \gamma) \cos \gamma \\
& = \cos(a + \beta + \gamma) \{ \sin \beta \cos \gamma - \sin \gamma \cos \beta \} \\
& = \cos(a + \beta + \gamma) \sin(\beta - \gamma).
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
6. \quad & \cos(a + \beta + \gamma) + \cos(a + \beta - \gamma) = 2 \cos(a + \beta) \cos \gamma, \\
& \cos(a - \beta + \gamma) + \cos(\beta + \gamma - a) = 2 \cos(a - \beta) \cos \gamma ;
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{hence } \quad \text{the sum} = 2 \cos \gamma \{ \cos(a + \beta) + \cos(a - \beta) \} \\
& = 4 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
7. \quad & \cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta = 2 \cos(a + \beta) \cos(a - \beta), \\
& \cos 2\gamma + \cos 2(a + \beta + \gamma) = 2 \cos(2\gamma + a + \beta) \cos(a + \beta) ;
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{hence } \quad \text{the sum} = 2 \cos(a + \beta) \{ \cos(a - \beta) + \cos(2\gamma + a + \beta) \} \\
& = 2 \cos(a + \beta) 2 \cos(a + \gamma) \cos(\beta + \gamma) \\
& = 4 \cos(a + \beta) \cos(\beta + \gamma) \cos(\gamma + a).
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
8. \quad & \text{Reduce the three fractions to have the common denominator} \\
& \sin(a - \beta) \sin(\beta - \gamma) \sin(\gamma - a) ;
\end{aligned}$$

then the whole numerator

$$\begin{aligned}
& = -\sin a \sin(\beta - \gamma) - \sin \beta \sin(\gamma - a) - \sin \gamma \sin(a - \beta) \\
& = -\frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(a - \beta + \gamma) - \cos(a + \beta - \gamma) \} - \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(\beta + a - \gamma) - \cos(\beta + \gamma - a) \} \\
& \quad - \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(\gamma - a + \beta) - \cos(\gamma + a - \beta) \} = 0.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 9. \quad & \cos(a + \beta) \sin \beta - \cos(a + \gamma) \sin \gamma \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(a + \beta + \beta) - \sin(a + \beta - \beta) \} - \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(a + \gamma + \gamma) - \sin(a + \gamma - \gamma) \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sin(a + 2\beta) - \frac{1}{2} \sin(a + 2\gamma);
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sin(a + \beta) \cos \beta - \sin(a + \gamma) \cos \gamma \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(a + \beta + \beta) + \sin(a + \beta - \beta) \} - \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(a + \gamma + \gamma) + \sin(a + \gamma - \gamma) \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sin(a + 2\beta) - \frac{1}{2} \sin(a + 2\gamma).
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the two expressions are equal.

$$\begin{aligned}
 10. \quad & \sin(a + \beta - 2\gamma) \cos \beta - \sin(a + \gamma - 2\beta) \cos \gamma \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(a + 2\beta - 2\gamma) + \sin(a - 2\gamma) - \sin(a + 2\gamma - 2\beta) - \sin(a - 2\beta) \};
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sin(\beta - \gamma) \{ \cos(\beta + \gamma - a) + \cos(a + \gamma - \beta) + \cos(a + \beta - \gamma) \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(2\beta - a) + \sin(a - 2\gamma) \} + \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin a + \sin(2\beta - 2\gamma - a) \} \\
 & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \{ -\sin a + \sin(2\beta - 2\gamma + a) \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(2\beta - a) + \sin(a - 2\gamma) + \sin(2\beta - 2\gamma - a) + \sin(2\beta - 2\gamma + a) \}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the two expressions are equal.

$$11. \quad \sin(a + \beta + \gamma) \sin \beta = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(a + \gamma) - \cos(a + 2\beta + \gamma) \},$$

$$\sin(a + \beta) \sin(\beta + \gamma) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(a - \gamma) - \cos(a + 2\beta + \gamma) \},$$

$$\sin a \sin \gamma = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(a - \gamma) - \cos(a + \gamma) \}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Hence} \quad & \sin(a + \beta) \sin(\beta + \gamma) - \sin a \sin \gamma \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(a + \gamma) - \cos(a + 2\beta + \gamma) \} \\
 &= \sin(a + \beta + \gamma) \sin \beta.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$12. \quad \sin a \sin \beta \sin(\beta - a) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(a - \beta) - \cos(a + \beta) \} \sin(\beta - a)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cos(\beta - a) \sin(\beta - a) - \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin 2\beta - \sin 2a \}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sin 2(\beta - a) - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\beta + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2a.$$

Similarly we may transform  $\sin \beta \sin \gamma \sin (\gamma - \beta)$  and  $\sin \gamma \sin \alpha \sin (\alpha - \gamma)$ .

Also, by Example 3, we have

$$\sin (\beta - \alpha) \sin (\gamma - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \gamma) = \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin 2 (\alpha - \beta) + \sin 2 (\beta - \gamma) + \sin 2 (\gamma - \alpha) \}.$$

Hence the sum of the four expressions is zero.

$$13. \quad \cos (\alpha + \beta) \sin (\alpha - \beta) = \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2\alpha - \sin 2\beta),$$

$$\cos (\beta + \gamma) \sin (\beta - \gamma) = \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2\beta - \sin 2\gamma),$$

$$\cos (\gamma + \delta) \sin (\gamma - \delta) = \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2\gamma - \sin 2\delta),$$

$$\cos (\delta + \alpha) \sin (\delta - \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2\delta - \sin 2\alpha);$$

hence the sum of the four expressions is zero.

$$14. \quad \sin (\delta - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \gamma) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\alpha + \beta - \gamma - \delta) - \cos (\alpha - \beta - \gamma + \delta) \},$$

$$\sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\alpha - \delta) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\alpha - \beta + \gamma - \delta) - \cos (\alpha + \beta - \gamma - \delta) \},$$

$$\sin (\gamma - \delta) \sin (\alpha - \beta) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\alpha - \beta - \gamma + \delta) - \cos (\alpha - \beta + \gamma - \delta) \};$$

hence the sum of the three expressions is zero.

$$15. \quad \cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} = \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{B}{2}}{\sin \frac{B}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} (A+B)}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}};$$

$$\frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}} + \cot \frac{C}{2} = \cos \frac{C}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}} + \frac{1}{\sin \frac{C}{2}} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}} \left\{ \sin \frac{C}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \right\} \\
&= \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}} \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B) + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \right\} \\
&= \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}} = \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$16. \quad \sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(A+B) \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = 2 \cos \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B)$$

$$\sin C = 2 \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = 2 \cos \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B);$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{therefore } \sin A + \sin B + \sin C &= 2 \cos \frac{C}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B) + \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B) \right\} \\
&= 2 \cos \frac{C}{2} \cdot 2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \\
&= 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$17. \quad \sin A + \sin C = 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(A+C) \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-C) = 2 \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-C),$$

$$\sin B = 2 \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} = 2 \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+C);$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{therefore } \sin A - \sin B + \sin C &= 2 \cos \frac{B}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-C) - \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+C) \right\} \\
&= 2 \cos \frac{B}{2} \cdot 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \\
&= 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$18. \quad \cos 2A + \cos 2B = 2 \cos(A+B) \cos(A-B) = -2 \cos C \cos(A-B)$$

$$\cos 2C = 2 \cos^2 C - 1 = -2 \cos C \cos(A+B) - 1;$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{therefore } \cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C &= -2 \cos C \{ \cos(A-B) + \cos(A+B) \} - 1 \\
&= -2 \cos C \cdot 2 \cos A \cos B - 1 \\
&= -4 \cos A \cos B \cos C - 1,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C + 4 \cos A \cos B \cos C + 1 = 0.$$

$$19. \quad \cos 4A + \cos 4B = 2 \cos 2(A+B) \cos 2(A-B) = 2 \cos 2C \cos 2(A-B),$$

$$\cos 4C = 2 \cos^2 2C - 1 = 2 \cos 2C \cos 2(A+B) - 1;$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos 4A + \cos 4B + \cos 4C = 2 \cos 2C \{ \cos 2(A-B) + \cos 2(A+B) \} - 1$$

$$= 2 \cos 2C \cdot 2 \cos 2A \cos 2B - 1$$

$$= 4 \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C - 1;$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos 4A + \cos 4B + \cos 4C + 1 = 4 \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C.$$

$$20. \quad \text{Let } \alpha = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - A), \quad \beta = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B), \quad \gamma = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - C);$$

$$\text{therefore } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{1}{2}(3\pi - A - B - C) = \frac{1}{2}2\pi = \pi;$$

hence, by Example 16,

$$\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma = 4 \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\gamma}{2},$$

$$\text{that is } \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} = 4 \cos \frac{\pi - A}{4} \cos \frac{\pi - B}{4} \cos \frac{\pi - C}{4}.$$

$$21. \quad \text{Let } \alpha = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - A), \quad \beta = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B), \quad \gamma = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - C);$$

$$\text{therefore } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{1}{2}(3\pi - A - B - C) = \frac{1}{2}2\pi = \pi;$$

hence, by Example 17,

$$\sin \alpha - \sin \beta + \sin \gamma = 4 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2},$$

$$\text{that is } \cos \frac{A}{2} - \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} = 4 \sin \frac{\pi - A}{4} \cos \frac{\pi - B}{4} \sin \frac{\pi - C}{4}.$$

$$22. \quad \text{Let } \alpha = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - A), \quad \beta = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B), \quad \gamma = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - C);$$

$$\text{therefore } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{1}{2}(3\pi - A - B - C) = \frac{1}{2}2\pi = \pi;$$

hence, by Art. 114,

$$\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma - 1 = 4 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2},$$

$$\text{that is } \sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} - 1 = 4 \sin \frac{\pi - A}{4} \sin \frac{\pi - B}{4} \sin \frac{\pi - C}{4}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 23. \quad \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C &= \frac{1}{2} \{1 - \cos 2A + 1 - \cos 2B + 1 - \cos 2C\} \\
 &= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \{\cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C\} \\
 &= \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \{1 + 4 \cos A \cos B \cos C\}, \text{ by Example 18,} \\
 &= 2 + 2 \cos A \cos B \cos C;
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C - 2 \cos A \cos B \cos C = 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 24. \quad \sin^2 2A + \sin^2 2B + \sin^2 2C &= \frac{1}{2} \{3 - \cos 4A - \cos 4B - \cos 4C\} \\
 &= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \{4 \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C - 1\}; \text{ by Example 19,} \\
 &= 2 - 2 \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C;
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $\sin^2 2A + \sin^2 2B + \sin^2 2C + 2 \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C = 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 25. \quad \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{C}{2} \tan \frac{A}{2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2}} + \frac{1}{\cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}} + \frac{1}{\cot \frac{C}{2} \cot \frac{A}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2}}{\cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}} = 1, \text{ by Example 15.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$26. \quad \sin A + \sin B - \sin C = 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}, \text{ by Example 17;}$$

$$\sin A + \sin B + \sin C = 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}, \text{ by Example 16;}$$

therefore, by division,

$$\frac{\sin A + \sin B - \sin C}{\sin A + \sin B + \sin C} = \frac{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}} = \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 27. \quad \cos A \sin B \sin C + \cos B \sin A \sin C + \cos C \sin A \sin B \\
 &= \sin C (\cos A \sin B + \cos B \sin A) + \cos C \sin A \sin B \\
 &= \sin C \sin (A + B) + \cos C \sin A \sin B \\
 &= \sin^2 C + \cos C \sin A \sin B \\
 &= 1 - \cos^2 C + \cos C \sin A \sin B \\
 &= 1 + \cos C \{\cos (A + B) + \sin A \sin B\} \\
 &= 1 + \cos C \cos A \cos B.
 \end{aligned}$$

28. Take Example 27, and divide by  $\sin A \sin B \sin C$ ;

$$\text{therefore } \frac{1}{\sin A \sin B \sin C} + \frac{\cos A \cos B \cos C}{\sin A \sin B \sin C} = \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{\cos B}{\sin B} + \frac{\cos C}{\sin C};$$

thus we obtain the required result.

29. By Example 17 we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(\sin B + \sin C - \sin A)(\sin C + \sin A - \sin B)}{4 \sin A \sin B} \\ &= \frac{16 \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}}{16 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}} = \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 30. \quad \cot A + \frac{\sin A}{\sin B \sin C} &= \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{\sin A}{\sin B \sin C} \\ &= \frac{\cos A \sin B \sin C + \sin^2 A}{\sin A \sin B \sin C} = \frac{1 - \cos^2 A + \cos A \sin B \sin C}{\sin A \sin B \sin C} \\ &= \frac{1 + \cos A \{\cos(B+C) + \sin B \sin C\}}{\sin A \sin B \sin C} = \frac{1 + \cos A \cos B \cos C}{\sin A \sin B \sin C}. \end{aligned}$$

We have thus an expression which involves  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  symmetrically; and we shall in the same manner obtain the same result if in the original expression any two of the quantities  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  be interchanged.

31. By Art. 114,  $\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C$ ;

$$\text{by Example 16, } \sin A + \sin B + \sin C = 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2};$$

therefore, by division,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\tan A + \tan B + \tan C}{(\sin A + \sin B + \sin C)^2} &= \frac{\tan A \tan B \tan C}{16 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}} \\ &= \frac{8 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}{16 \cos A \cos B \cos C \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{\tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2}}{2 \cos A \cos B \cos C}. \end{aligned}$$

$$32. \quad \sin nA + \sin nB = 2 \sin \frac{n}{2} (A+B) \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B)$$

$$= 2 \sin \frac{n}{2} (\pi - C) \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B)$$

$$= 2 \left\{ \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2} - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \right\} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B)$$

$$= 2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B); \text{ since } \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } \sin nC &= 2 \sin \frac{nC}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{n}{2} (\pi - A - B) \cos \frac{nC}{2} \\ &= 2 \left\{ \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A+B) - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{n}{2} (A+B) \right\} \cos \frac{nC}{2} \\ &= 2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A+B) \cos \frac{nC}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore } \sin nA + \sin nB + \sin nC \\ &= 2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B) + \cos \frac{n}{2} (A+B) \right\} \\ &= 4 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{nA}{2} \cos \frac{nB}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

33. Proceed as in Example 32. Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \sin nA + \sin nB &= 2 \left\{ \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2} - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \right\} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B) \\ &= -2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B); \text{ since } \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } \sin nC &= 2 \sin \frac{nC}{2} \cos \frac{nC}{2} = 2 \cos \frac{n}{2} (\pi - A - B) \sin \frac{nC}{2} \\ &= 2 \left\{ \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A+B) + \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{n}{2} (A+B) \right\} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \\ &= 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \cos \frac{n}{2} (A+B). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore } \sin nA + \sin nB + \sin nC \\ &= -2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{n}{2} (A-B) - \cos \frac{n}{2} (A+B) \right\} \\ &= -4 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin \frac{nC}{2} \sin \frac{nA}{2} \sin \frac{nB}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

34. By Example 20,

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} &= 4 \cos \frac{\pi-A}{4} \cos \frac{\pi-B}{4} \cos \frac{\pi-C}{4} \\ &= 4 \cos \frac{B+C}{4} \cos \frac{C+A}{4} \cos \frac{A+B}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35. \frac{\tan B}{\tan A} + \frac{\tan C}{\tan A} &= \frac{1}{\tan A} \left( \frac{\sin B}{\cos B} + \frac{\sin C}{\cos C} \right) = \frac{\sin(B+C)}{\tan A \cos B \cos C} \\ &= \frac{\sin A}{\tan A \cos B \cos C} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos B \cos C}. \end{aligned}$$



In this way we see that the given expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\cos A}{\cos B \cos C} + \frac{\cos B}{\cos C \cos A} + \frac{\cos C}{\cos A \cos B} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 A + \cos^2 B + \cos^2 C}{\cos A \cos B \cos C} = \frac{3 - \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B - \sin^2 C}{\cos A \cos B \cos C} \\ &= \frac{1 - 2 \cos A \cos B \cos C}{\cos A \cos B \cos C}, \text{ by Example 23,} \\ &= \sec A \sec B \sec C - 2. \end{aligned}$$

36. Suppose  $A + B + C + D = 180^\circ$ ; then  $A + B = 180^\circ - C - D$ ;

therefore  $\tan(A + B) = -\tan(C + D)$ , by Art. 48;

therefore  $\frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} = -\frac{\tan C + \tan D}{1 - \tan C \tan D}$ ;

therefore  $(\tan A + \tan B)(1 - \tan C \tan D) = -(\tan C + \tan D)(1 - \tan A \tan B)$ ,

therefore  $\tan A + \tan B + \tan C + \tan D$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\tan A + \tan B) \tan C \tan D + (\tan C + \tan D) \tan A \tan B \\ &= \tan B \tan C \tan D + \tan A \tan C \tan D + \tan A \tan B \tan D \\ &\quad + \tan A \tan B \tan C. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 37. \quad \frac{\sin^2 C}{\sin^2 A} &= 1 - \frac{\tan(A - B)}{\tan A} = 1 - \frac{\sin(A - B) \cos A}{\cos(A - B) \sin A} \\ &= \frac{\sin A \cos(A - B) - \cos A \sin(A - B)}{\cos(A - B) \sin A} = \frac{\sin\{A - (A - B)\}}{\cos(A - B) \sin A} \\ &= \frac{\sin B}{\cos(A - B) \sin A}; \text{ therefore } \sin^2 C = \frac{\sin A \sin B}{\cos(A - B)}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence} \quad \cos^2 C &= 1 - \sin^2 C = 1 - \frac{\sin A \sin B}{\cos(A - B)} \\ &= \frac{\cos(A - B) - \sin A \sin B}{\cos(A - B)} = \frac{\cos A \cos B}{\cos(A - B)}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \frac{\sin^2 C}{\cos^2 C} = \frac{\sin A \sin B}{\cos(A - B)} \cdot \frac{\cos A \cos B}{\cos(A - B)} = \frac{\sin A \sin B}{\cos A \cos B},$$

that is

$$\tan^2 C = \tan A \tan B.$$

$$38. \quad \frac{\tan^2 \alpha}{\tan^2 \beta} = \frac{\cos \beta (\cos x - \cos \alpha)}{\cos \alpha (\cos x - \cos \beta)},$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\cos x - \cos \alpha}{\cos x - \cos \beta} = \frac{\tan^2 \alpha \cos \alpha}{\tan^2 \beta \cos \beta} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin^2 \beta \cos \alpha};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } \cos x &= \frac{\sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta}{\sin^2 \beta \cos \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \cos \beta} \\ &= \frac{(1 - \cos^2 \beta) \cos^2 \alpha - (1 - \cos^2 \alpha) \cos^2 \beta}{(1 - \cos^2 \beta) \cos \alpha - (1 - \cos^2 \alpha) \cos \beta} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \beta}{(\cos \alpha - \cos \beta)(1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta)} = \frac{\cos \alpha + \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 + \cos x} = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha - \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha + \cos \beta} = \frac{(1 - \cos \alpha)(1 - \cos \beta)}{(1 + \cos \alpha)(1 + \cos \beta)};$$

$$\text{therefore } \tan^2 \frac{x}{2} = \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2}, \text{ by Art. 82.}$$

$$39. \quad \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\tan^2 \theta'} = \frac{\tan^2 \alpha}{\tan^2 \alpha'}; \text{ but } \tan^2 \theta = \frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha}{\cos \alpha},$$

$$\text{and } \tan^2 \theta' = \frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta'}{\cos^2 \theta'} = \frac{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha'}{\cos \alpha'};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha}{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha'} \cdot \frac{\cos \alpha'}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{\tan^2 \alpha}{\tan^2 \alpha'};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha}{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha'} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha \cos \alpha'}{\sin^2 \alpha' \cos \alpha},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } \cos \beta &= \frac{\sin^2 \alpha' \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \alpha'}{\sin^2 \alpha' \cos \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \cos \alpha'} \\ &= \frac{(1 - \cos^2 \alpha') \cos^2 \alpha - (1 - \cos^2 \alpha) \cos^2 \alpha'}{(1 - \cos^2 \alpha') \cos \alpha - (1 - \cos^2 \alpha) \cos \alpha'} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \alpha'}{(\cos \alpha - \cos \alpha')(1 + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha')} = \frac{\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha'}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha'}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{1 - \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \beta} = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' - \cos \alpha - \cos \alpha'}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' + \cos \alpha + \cos \alpha'} = \frac{(1 - \cos \alpha)(1 - \cos \alpha')}{(1 + \cos \alpha)(1 + \cos \alpha')};$$

$$\text{therefore } \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2} = \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \tan^2 \frac{\alpha'}{2}.$$

$$40. \quad \cos \phi = \frac{\cos \alpha}{\cos \beta}, \quad \cos \phi' = \frac{\cos \alpha}{\cos \beta'};$$

$$\text{therefore } 1 - \cos \phi = \frac{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha}{\cos \beta}, \quad 1 - \cos \phi' = \frac{\cos \beta' - \cos \alpha}{\cos \beta'};$$

$$\text{therefore } 2 \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} = \frac{\cos \beta - \cos \alpha}{\cos \beta}, \quad 2 \sin^2 \frac{\phi'}{2} = \frac{\cos \beta' - \cos \alpha}{\cos \beta'};$$

$$\text{therefore } 4 \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\phi'}{2} = \frac{(\cos \beta - \cos \alpha)(\cos \beta' - \cos \alpha)}{\cos \beta \cos \beta'}.$$

Thus 
$$\sin^2 \alpha = \frac{(\cos \beta - \cos \alpha)(\cos \beta' - \cos \alpha)}{\cos \beta \cos \beta'};$$

therefore  $\cos \beta \cos \beta' \sin^2 \alpha = \cos \beta \cos \beta' - \cos \alpha (\cos \beta + \cos \beta') + \cos^2 \alpha,$

therefore  $\cos \beta \cos \beta' \cos^2 \alpha = \cos \alpha (\cos \beta + \cos \beta') - \cos^2 \alpha;$

therefore  $\cos \alpha (1 + \cos \beta \cos \beta') = \cos \beta + \cos \beta';$

therefore 
$$\cos \alpha = \frac{\cos \beta + \cos \beta'}{1 + \cos \beta \cos \beta'}.$$

Hence 
$$\frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha} = \frac{(1 - \cos \beta)(1 - \cos \beta')}{(1 + \cos \beta)(1 + \cos \beta')};$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \tan^2 \frac{\beta'}{2}.$$

41. The proposed result is true if

$$\cot \beta - \cot (\alpha + \theta) = \cot \theta + \cot (\alpha - \beta),$$

that is if

$$\frac{\cos \beta}{\sin \beta} - \frac{\cos (\alpha + \theta)}{\sin (\alpha + \theta)} = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\cos (\alpha - \beta)}{\sin (\alpha - \beta)},$$

that is if

$$\frac{\sin (\alpha + \theta) \cos \beta - \cos (\alpha + \theta) \sin \beta}{\sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \theta)} = \frac{\sin (\alpha - \beta) \cos \theta + \cos (\alpha - \beta) \sin \theta}{\sin \theta \sin (\alpha - \beta)},$$

that is if

$$\frac{\sin (\alpha + \theta - \beta)}{\sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \theta)} = \frac{\sin (\alpha - \beta + \theta)}{\sin \theta \sin (\alpha - \beta)},$$

that is if

$$\sin \theta \sin (\alpha - \beta) = \sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \theta);$$

and this is true by supposition.

42. 
$$\left( \frac{\tan \alpha - \cos \theta \tan \beta}{\sin \theta} \right)^2 = \tan^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \beta;$$
 therefore

$$(\tan \alpha - \cos \theta \tan \beta)^2 = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) (\tan^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \beta);$$

therefore

$$\tan^2 \alpha - 2 \cos \theta \tan \alpha \tan \beta + \cos^2 \theta \tan^2 \beta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) (\tan^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \beta);$$

therefore  $\tan^2 \beta - 2 \cos \theta \tan \alpha \tan \beta + \cos^2 \theta \tan^2 \alpha = 0,$

that is  $(\tan \beta - \cos \theta \tan \alpha)^2 = 0;$

therefore  $\tan \beta - \cos \theta \tan \alpha = 0;$  therefore  $\cos \theta = \frac{\tan \beta}{\tan \alpha}.$

43.  $\cos \theta = \frac{\tan \phi}{\tan \alpha};$  therefore  $\tan^2 \theta = \frac{\tan^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \phi}{\tan^2 \phi};$

therefore 
$$\frac{\tan^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \phi}{\tan^2 \phi} = \frac{\tan^2 \alpha'}{\sin^2 \phi};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\cos^2 \phi \tan^2 a - \sin^2 \phi}{\sin^2 \phi} = \frac{\tan^2 a'}{\sin^2 \phi};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \phi \tan^2 a - (1 - \cos^2 \phi) = \tan^2 a';$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \phi = \frac{1 + \tan^2 a'}{1 + \tan^2 a} = \frac{\cos^2 a}{\cos^2 a'};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \phi = \pm \frac{\cos a}{\cos a'}.$$

Take the upper sign; thus  $\cos \phi = \frac{\cos a}{\cos a'}$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 - \cos \phi}{1 + \cos \phi} &= \frac{\cos a' - \cos a}{\cos a' + \cos a} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(a - a') \sin \frac{1}{2}(a + a')}{2 \cos \frac{1}{2}(a - a') \cos \frac{1}{2}(a + a')} \\ &= \tan \frac{1}{2}(a - a') \tan \frac{1}{2}(a + a'). \end{aligned}$$

44. 
$$\begin{aligned} 1 - \cos^2 a - \cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \gamma + 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \\ &= 1 - (\cos a - \cos \beta \cos \gamma)^2 + \cos^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma - \cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \gamma \\ &= (1 - \cos^2 \beta)(1 - \cos^2 \gamma) - (\cos a - \cos \beta \cos \gamma)^2 \\ &= \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma - (\cos a - \cos \beta \cos \gamma)^2 \\ &= (\sin \beta \sin \gamma - \cos a + \cos \beta \cos \gamma)(\sin \beta \sin \gamma + \cos a - \cos \beta \cos \gamma) \\ &= \{-\cos a + \cos(\beta - \gamma)\} \{\cos a - \cos(\beta + \gamma)\} \\ &= 4 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta - \gamma}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha - \beta + \gamma}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{2} \sin \frac{\beta + \gamma - \alpha}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence in order that the proposed expression may be zero one of the four sines last written must be zero, and thus one of the four angles must be zero or a multiple of two right angles.

45. Let  $\frac{1}{k}$  denote the common value of the three fractions; so that

$$x = k \tan(\theta + \alpha), \quad y = k \tan(\theta + \beta), \quad z = k \tan(\theta + \gamma).$$

Then 
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x+y}{x-y} \sin^2(\alpha - \beta) &= \frac{\tan(\theta + \alpha) + \tan(\theta + \beta)}{\tan(\theta + \alpha) - \tan(\theta + \beta)} \sin^2(\alpha - \beta) \\ &= \frac{\sin(\theta + \alpha) \cos(\theta + \beta) + \sin(\theta + \beta) \cos(\theta + \alpha)}{\sin(\theta + \alpha) \cos(\theta + \beta) - \sin(\theta + \beta) \cos(\theta + \alpha)} \sin^2(\alpha - \beta) \\ &= \frac{\sin(2\theta + \alpha + \beta)}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} \sin^2(\alpha - \beta) = \sin(2\theta + \alpha + \beta) \sin(\alpha - \beta) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{\cos(2\theta + 2\beta) - \cos(2\theta + 2\alpha)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly  $\frac{y+z}{y-z} \sin^2(\beta - \gamma) = \frac{1}{2} \{\cos(2\theta + 2\gamma) - \cos(2\theta + 2\beta)\},$

and  $\frac{z+x}{z-x} \sin^2(\gamma - \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} \{\cos(2\theta + 2\alpha) - \cos(2\theta + 2\gamma)\}.$

Thus the sum of the three terms is zero.

46. From the second given equation

$$\sin^2 \phi = \frac{\sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \alpha},$$

therefore  $\tan^2 \phi = \frac{\sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta}.$

Substitute in the first given equation; thus

$$\frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\tan^2 \alpha} + \frac{\cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta} = 1;$$

therefore  $\frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\tan^2 \alpha} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta}$   
 $= \frac{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta};$

therefore  $\frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \alpha}{(1 - \sin^2 \theta) \sin^2 \alpha} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta};$

therefore

$$\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \alpha (\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \theta) = (\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \theta) (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \sin^2 \alpha;$$

therefore

$$\sin^4 \theta (\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta) - \sin^2 \theta (\cos^2 \alpha \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^4 \alpha) + \sin^4 \alpha = 0;$$

therefore  $\sin^4 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta) - 2 \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^4 \alpha = 0.$

By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1 \pm \cos \alpha \cos \beta}{1 - \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta} \sin^2 \alpha = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{1 \mp \cos \alpha \cos \beta}.$$

47.

$$\frac{\sin \{\theta - \beta - (\alpha - \beta)\}}{\sin(\theta - \beta)} = \frac{a}{b},$$

therefore  $\frac{\sin(\theta - \beta) \cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(\theta - \beta) \sin(\alpha - \beta)}{\sin(\theta - \beta)} = \frac{a}{b};$

therefore  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) - \sin(\alpha - \beta) \cot(\theta - \beta) = \frac{a}{b}.$

Again,

$$\frac{\cos \{\theta - \beta - (\alpha - \beta)\}}{\cos (\theta - \beta)} = \frac{a'}{b'}$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\cos (\theta - \beta) \cos (\alpha - \beta) + \sin (\theta - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \beta)}{\cos (\theta - \beta)} = \frac{a'}{b'}$$
;

therefore 
$$\cos (\alpha - \beta) + \tan (\theta - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \beta) = \frac{a'}{b'}$$
.

Hence 
$$\sin (\alpha - \beta) \cot (\theta - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \beta) \tan (\theta - \beta)$$

$$= \left\{ \cos (\alpha - \beta) - \frac{a}{b} \right\} \left\{ \frac{a'}{b'} - \cos (\alpha - \beta) \right\};$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 (\alpha - \beta) = -\frac{aa'}{bb'} + \left( \frac{a}{b} + \frac{a'}{b'} \right) \cos (\alpha - \beta) - \cos^2 (\alpha - \beta);$$

therefore 
$$1 + \frac{aa'}{bb'} = \left( \frac{a}{b} + \frac{a'}{b'} \right) \cos (\alpha - \beta);$$

therefore 
$$\cos (\alpha - \beta) = \frac{aa' + bb'}{ab' + a'b}$$
.

48. 
$$\tan \phi = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\phi}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}; \text{ thus}$$

$$\frac{2 \tan \frac{\phi}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}} = \frac{\sin \theta \cos \theta'}{\sin \theta' + \cos \theta};$$

therefore 
$$2 \tan \frac{\phi}{2} (\sin \theta' + \cos \theta) = (1 - \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}) \sin \theta \cos \theta';$$

therefore 
$$\sin \theta \cos \theta' \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + 2 \tan \frac{\phi}{2} (\sin \theta' + \cos \theta) = \sin \theta \cos \theta'.$$

By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain

$$\tan \frac{\phi}{2} = \frac{-(\sin \theta' + \cos \theta) \pm (1 + \sin \theta' \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta \cos \theta'}$$

Take the upper sign; thus 
$$\tan \frac{\phi}{2} = \frac{(1 - \sin \theta')(1 - \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta \cos \theta'}$$
.

Now 
$$\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}} = \tan \frac{\theta}{2},$$

and similarly 
$$\frac{1 - \sin \theta'}{\cos \theta'} = \frac{1 - \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta' \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta' \right)} = \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta'}{2} \right);$$

thus 
$$\tan \frac{\phi}{2} = \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta'}{2} \right).$$

In like manner with the lower sign we shall find that

$$\tan \frac{\phi}{2} = -\cot \frac{\theta}{2} \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta'}{2} \right).$$

The product of the two values of  $\tan \frac{\phi}{2}$  is  $-1$ , as it should be by the nature of quadratic equations.

49.  $\cos \theta = \cos \alpha \cos \beta;$

therefore 
$$\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta};$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta}.$$

Similarly 
$$\tan^2 \frac{\theta'}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha' \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \alpha' \cos \beta}.$$

Hence 
$$\frac{(1 - \cos \alpha \cos \beta)(1 - \cos \alpha' \cos \beta)}{(1 + \cos \alpha \cos \beta)(1 + \cos \alpha' \cos \beta)} = \tan^2 \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \beta};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{1 - (\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha') \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' \cos^2 \beta}{1 + (\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha') \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' \cos^2 \beta} = \frac{1 - \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \beta};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{(\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha') \cos \beta}{1 + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' \cos^2 \beta} = \cos \beta;$$

therefore 
$$\cos \alpha + \cos \alpha' = 1 + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' (1 - \sin^2 \beta);$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \beta \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' &= 1 - \cos \alpha - \cos \alpha' + \cos \alpha \cos \alpha' \\ &= (1 - \cos \alpha)(1 - \cos \alpha'); \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \beta &= \left( \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{1}{\cos \alpha'} - 1 \right) \\ &= (\sec \alpha - 1)(\sec \alpha' - 1). \end{aligned}$$

50. Here

$$\sin(C + A - B) - \sin(B + C - A) = \sin(A + B - C) - \sin(C + A - B);$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin(A - B) \cos C = 2 \sin(B - C) \cos A;$$

therefore 
$$(\sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B) \cos C = (\sin B \cos C - \cos B \sin C) \cos A.$$

Divide by  $\cos A \cos B \cos C$ ; thus

$$\tan A - \tan B = \tan B - \tan C;$$

therefore  $\tan A$ ,  $\tan B$ , and  $\tan C$  are in Arithmetical Progression.

51. Suppose  $\sin A$ ,  $\sin B$ , and  $\sin C$  to be in Arithmetical Progression, so that  $\sin B - \sin A = \sin C - \sin B$ .

$$\text{Thus} \quad 2 \sin \frac{B-A}{2} \cos \frac{B+A}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{C-B}{2} \cos \frac{C+B}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \frac{B-A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = \sin \frac{C-B}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad & \left( \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} - \cos \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2} \right) \sin \frac{C}{2} \\ & = \left( \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} - \cos \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \right) \sin \frac{A}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Divide by  $\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$ ; thus

$$\cot \frac{A}{2} - \cot \frac{B}{2} = \cot \frac{B}{2} - \cot \frac{C}{2};$$

thus  $\cot \frac{C}{2}$ ,  $\cot \frac{B}{2}$  and  $\cot \frac{A}{2}$  are in Arithmetical Progression.

$$52. \text{ Suppose} \quad \cos^2 A + \cos^2 B + \cos^2 C = 1;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 3 - \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B - \sin^2 C = 1;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C = 2;$$

therefore by Example 23 we have  $\cos A \cos B \cos C = 0$ ; therefore one of the three angles is a right angle, and this will be the largest angle. Suppose it to be  $A$ , so that  $A = 90^\circ$ ; therefore  $B + C = 90^\circ = A$ ; therefore  $A - C = B$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 53. \quad \sin \left( A + \frac{C}{2} \right) &= \sin \left( A + \frac{180^\circ - A - B}{2} \right) \\ &= \sin \left( 90^\circ - \frac{B-A}{2} \right) = \cos \frac{B-A}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and} \quad \sin \frac{C}{2} = \cos \frac{A+B}{2};$$

$$\text{thus} \quad \cos \frac{B-A}{2} = n \cos \frac{A+B}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} = n \left( \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} - \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \right);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (n+1) \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} = (n-1) \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2};$$



therefore 
$$\frac{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}} = \frac{n-1}{n+1},$$

therefore 
$$\tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} = \frac{n-1}{n+1}.$$

54. Suppose  $\frac{1}{k}$  to denote the value of  $\frac{\sin A}{x}$ ,  $\frac{\sin B}{y}$  and  $\frac{\sin C}{z}$ ; then

$$x = k \sin A, \quad y = k \sin B, \quad z = k \sin C.$$

Therefore  $(x-y) \cot \frac{C}{2} = k (\sin A - \sin B) \cot \frac{C}{2}$

$$= 2k \sin \frac{1}{2} (A - B) \cos \frac{1}{2} (A + B) \cot \frac{C}{2}$$

$$= 2k \sin \frac{1}{2} (A - B) \sin \frac{C}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}$$

$$= 2k \sin \frac{1}{2} (A - B) \cos \frac{C}{2}$$

$$= 2k \sin \frac{1}{2} (A - B) \sin \frac{1}{2} (A + B)$$

$$= 2k \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A - \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} B \right\}, \text{ by Art. 83.}$$

Similarly  $(y-z) \cot \frac{A}{2} = 2k \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} B - \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} C \right\},$

and  $(z-x) \cot \frac{B}{2} = 2k \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} C - \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \right\}.$

Thus the sum of the three terms is zero.

55.  $\tan (A + B + C) = \tan m\pi = 0$ ; and therefore, by Art. 113,

$$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C - \tan A \tan B \tan C = 0.$$

56.  $\sin (2\alpha + x) + \sin (2\beta + x) = 2 \sin (\alpha + \beta + x) \cos (\alpha - \beta),$

$$\sin (2\gamma + x) - \sin (2\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma + 3x) = -2 \sin (\alpha + \beta + x) \cos (\alpha + \beta + 2\gamma + 2x);$$

$$2 \sin (\alpha + \beta + x) \{ \cos (\alpha - \beta) - \cos (\alpha + \beta + 2\gamma + 2x) \}$$

$$= 2 \sin (\alpha + \beta + x) 2 \sin (\beta + \gamma + x) \sin (\alpha + \gamma + x)$$

$$= 4 \sin (\alpha + \beta + x) \sin (\beta + \gamma + x) \sin (\gamma + \alpha + x).$$

57. If  $x=0$  we have

$$\sin 2\alpha + \sin 2\beta + \sin 2\gamma - \sin (2\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma) = 4 \sin (\alpha + \beta) \sin (\beta + \gamma) \sin (\gamma + \alpha).$$

If then  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \pi$  we have  $\sin (2\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma) = 0$ ;

also  $\sin (\alpha + \beta) = \sin \gamma, \quad \sin (\beta + \gamma) = \sin \alpha, \quad \sin (\gamma + \alpha) = \sin \beta,$

so that  $\sin 2\alpha + \sin 2\beta + \sin 2\gamma = 4 \sin \gamma \sin \alpha \sin \beta.$

If  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta + \cos 2\gamma + \cos (2\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma) \\ = 4 \cos (\alpha + \beta) \cos (\beta + \gamma) \cos (\gamma + \alpha). \end{aligned}$$

If then  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{\pi}{2}$  we have  $\cos (2\alpha + 2\beta + 2\gamma) = -1$ ,

also  $\cos (\alpha + \beta) = \sin \gamma$ ,  $\cos (\beta + \gamma) = \sin \alpha$ ,  $\cos (\gamma + \alpha) = \sin \beta$ ,  
so that  $\cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta + \cos 2\gamma - 1 = 4 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 58. \quad 4 \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} &= 2 \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha - \beta) + \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha + \beta) \right\} \\ &= \cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma + \alpha - \beta) + \cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma + \beta - \alpha) + \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) + \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha + \beta - \gamma). \end{aligned}$$

Thus the left-hand member of the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma - \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) - \cos \frac{1}{2} (\beta + \gamma - \alpha) \\ &\quad - \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha + \gamma - \beta) - \cos \frac{1}{2} (\alpha + \beta - \gamma). \end{aligned}$$

Again

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \pi}{4} \cos \frac{3\alpha - \beta - \gamma + \pi}{4} &= \sin \alpha + \sin \frac{\beta + \gamma - \alpha - \pi}{2} \\ &= \sin \alpha - \cos \frac{\beta + \gamma - \alpha}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so also } 2 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \pi}{4} \cos \frac{3\beta - \alpha - \gamma + \pi}{4} = \sin \beta - \cos \frac{\alpha + \gamma - \beta}{2},$$

$$2 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \pi}{4} \cos \frac{3\gamma - \alpha - \beta + \pi}{4} = \sin \gamma - \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta - \gamma}{2},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } 2 \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \pi}{4} \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \pi}{4} &= \sin \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \pi}{2} \\ &= -\cos \frac{\alpha + \beta + \gamma}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus the result is established.

$$\begin{aligned} 59. \quad \cos 5\theta &= \cos (3\theta + 2\theta) = \cos 3\theta \cos 2\theta - \sin 3\theta \sin 2\theta \\ &= (4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta) (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) - (3 \sin \theta - 4 \sin^3 \theta) 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= (4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta) (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) - 2 \sin^2 \theta (3 - 4 \sin^2 \theta) \cos \theta \\ &= (4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta) (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) - 2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta) (4 \cos^2 \theta - 1) \cos \theta \\ &= 8 \cos^5 \theta - 10 \cos^3 \theta + 3 \cos \theta - 2 (-4 \cos^4 \theta + 5 \cos^2 \theta - 1) \cos \theta \\ &= 16 \cos^5 \theta - 20 \cos^3 \theta + 5 \cos \theta. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 60. \quad \sin 6\theta &= 2 \sin 3\theta \cos 3\theta = 2(3 \sin \theta - 4 \sin^3 \theta)(4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta) \\
 &= 2 \sin \theta (3 - 4 \sin^2 \theta) (4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta) \\
 &= 2 \sin \theta (4 \cos^2 \theta - 1) (4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta) \\
 &= 2 \sin \theta (16 \cos^5 \theta - 16 \cos^3 \theta + 3 \cos \theta).
 \end{aligned}$$

## CHAPTER IX.

1. Let  $PCB = A$ , so that  $BPM = \frac{1}{2}A$  and  $PAM = \frac{1}{2}A$ . Then

$$\frac{MB}{PM} = \tan \frac{1}{2}A, \text{ and } \frac{PM}{AM} = \tan \frac{1}{2}A,$$

so that 
$$\tan^2 \frac{1}{2}A = \frac{MB}{PM} \cdot \frac{PM}{AM} = \frac{MB}{AM} = \frac{CB - CM}{CA + CM}$$

$$= \frac{CP - CM}{CP + CM} = \frac{1 - \frac{CM}{CP}}{1 + \frac{CM}{CP}} = \frac{1 - \cos A}{1 + \cos A}.$$

2.  $\cos \theta = \frac{a \cos \phi - b}{a - b \cos \phi}$ ; therefore

$$\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} = \frac{a - b \cos \phi - a \cos \phi + b}{a - b \cos \phi + a \cos \phi - b} = \frac{(a+b)(1 - \cos \phi)}{(a-b)(1 + \cos \phi)};$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{a+b}{a-b} \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{a+b} = \frac{\tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}{a-b}.$$

3.  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{1 + 2 \tan^2 \phi + 1} = \frac{1}{2(1 + \tan^2 \phi)} = \frac{1}{2} \cos^2 \phi;$

and  $\cos 2\theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 = \cos^2 \phi - 1 = -\sin^2 \phi,$

therefore  $\cos 2\theta + \sin^2 \phi = 0.$

4.  $\sec 2\theta = 2 \sec \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{\cos 2\theta} = \frac{2}{\cos \theta \sin \theta};$

therefore 
$$1 = \frac{2 \cos 2\theta}{\cos \theta \sin \theta};$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{\sin 2\theta} &= \frac{2 \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta \cos \theta \sin \theta} = \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} - \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta}.\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\operatorname{cosec} 2\theta = \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta - \sec^2 \theta.$

$$5. \quad \tan(\theta - \phi) = \frac{\tan \theta - \tan \phi}{1 + \tan \theta \tan \phi} = \frac{(n-1) \tan \phi}{1 + n \tan^2 \phi} = \frac{n-1}{\cot \phi + n \tan \phi};$$

therefore  $\tan^2(\theta - \phi) = \frac{(n-1)^2}{\cot^2 \phi + 2n + n^2 \tan^2 \phi} = \frac{(n-1)^2}{(n \tan \phi - \cot \phi)^2 + 4n}.$

The greatest value of this fraction is when the denominator is least, that is when the term  $n \tan \phi - \cot \phi$  vanishes.

$$\begin{aligned}6. \quad \sin \theta + \sin \phi - \cos \theta \sin(\theta + \phi) &= 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \cos \frac{1}{2}(\theta - \phi) - 2 \cos \theta \sin \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \cos \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \\ &= 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \left\{ \cos \frac{1}{2}(\theta - \phi) - \cos \theta \cos \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \right\} \\ &= 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \left\{ \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \right) - \cos \theta \cos \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \right\} \\ &= 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) \sin \theta \sin \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi) = 2 \sin \theta \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(\theta + \phi).\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}7. \quad \frac{\sin \beta \cos \alpha (\tan \alpha + \tan \beta)}{1 - \cos(\alpha + \beta)} &= \frac{\sin \beta \cos \alpha}{2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)} \left\{ \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} + \frac{\sin \beta}{\cos \beta} \right\} \\ &= \frac{\sin \beta \cos \alpha}{2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)} \cdot \frac{\sin(\alpha + \beta)}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \beta \cdot 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)}{2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \beta \cos \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta};\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\frac{\sin \beta \cos \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta} + \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha - \beta)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} - \beta \right) + \sin \beta \cos \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta) \cos \beta} = 1.$$

8. Let  $x$  denote the height in yards; then  $\frac{x}{1760} = \tan 1'$ , therefore  $x = 1760 \tan 1'$ . The value of  $\tan 1'$  is approximately equal to the circular measure of  $1'$ , that is to  $\frac{\pi}{180 \times 60}$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{1760\pi}{180 \times 60}$  approximately.

9. Let  $x$  denote the distance in inches; then  $\frac{3}{x} = \tan \frac{1}{4}^\circ$ ; and taking the tangent as approximately equal to the circular measure we have

$$\frac{3}{x} = \frac{\pi}{180 \times 4}; \text{ therefore } x = \frac{12 \times 180}{\pi}.$$

10. We have  $3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A = n \sin A$ ; as we suppose that  $A$  is not zero nor a multiple of two right angles we may divide by  $\sin A$ ; thus  $3 - 4 \sin^2 A = n$ ; therefore  $\sin^2 A = \frac{3-n}{4}$ , and as this must lie between zero and unity,  $n$  must lie between 3 and  $-1$ .

If  $n = 2$  we have  $\sin^2 A = \frac{1}{4} = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$ ; therefore  $A = m\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ , where  $m$  is zero or any integer.

$$11. \tan(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$$

$$= \frac{\tan \alpha - \frac{n \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}{1 - n \sin^2 \alpha}}{1 + \tan \alpha \cdot \frac{n \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}{1 - n \sin^2 \alpha}}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \alpha (1 - n \sin^2 \alpha) - n \sin \alpha \cos^2 \alpha}{\cos \alpha (1 - n \sin^2 \alpha) + n \sin^2 \alpha \cos \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \alpha - n \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{(1-n) \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = (1-n) \tan \alpha.$$

12. All the angles which have the same sine as  $3\theta$  are included in the formula  $n\pi + (-1)^n 3\theta$ . Therefore any expression which gives the value of  $\tan \theta$  in terms of  $\sin 3\theta$  may be expected to give the value of the tangent of every angle included in the formula  $\tan \frac{1}{3} \{n\pi + (-1)^n 3\theta\}$ .

Now  $n$  must be of one of the following forms:

$$6m, 6m+1, 6m+2, 6m+3, 6m+4, 6m+5.$$

The corresponding values of  $\tan \frac{1}{3} \{n\pi + (-1)^n 3\theta\}$  are, by Art. 45,

$$\tan \theta, \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \theta\right), \tan \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \theta\right), \tan(\pi - \theta),$$

$$\tan \left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta\right), \tan \left(\pi + \frac{2\pi}{3} - \theta\right).$$

Thus we have six distinct values. They may also by Arts. 48 and 50 be expressed thus:

$$\pm \tan \theta, \pm \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \theta\right), \pm \tan \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \theta\right).$$

13.  $\cos^2 A = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2A)$ ; therefore

$$\cos^4 A = \frac{1}{4}(1 + 2 \cos 2A + \cos^2 2A)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2A + \frac{1 + \cos 4A}{8}$$

$$= \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2A + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4A.$$

Similarly

$$\sin^2 A = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2A);$$

therefore

$$\sin^4 A = \frac{1}{4}(1 - 2 \cos 2A + \cos^2 2A)$$

$$= \frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2A + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4A.$$

Therefore  $\cos^8 A + \sin^8 A$

$$= \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2A + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4A\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2A + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4A\right)^2$$

$$= 2 \left\{ \left(\frac{3}{8}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2} \cos 2A\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{8} \cos 4A\right)^2 + 2 \cdot \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{1}{8} \cos 4A \right\}$$

$$= 2 \left\{ \frac{9}{64} + \frac{1}{4} \cos^2 2A + \frac{1}{64} \cos^2 4A + \frac{3}{32} \cos 4A \right\}$$

$$= \frac{9}{32} + \frac{1}{4}(1 + \cos 4A) + \frac{1}{64}(1 + \cos 8A) + \frac{3}{16} \cos 4A$$

$$= \frac{1}{64} \{ \cos 8A + 28 \cos 4A + 35 \}.$$

$$14. \cos \theta \cos \phi = -1.$$

As the cosine of an angle is never numerically greater than unity, we must have  $\cos \theta$  and  $\cos \phi$  both numerically equal to unity, one being positive and the other negative. Hence one of the angles must be zero or an even multiple of  $\pi$ , and the other must be an odd multiple of  $\pi$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 15. \quad & \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta - 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos (\alpha - \beta) \\ &= \sin \alpha \{ \sin \alpha - \sin \beta \cos (\alpha - \beta) \} + \sin \beta \{ \sin \beta \cdot \sin \alpha \cos (\alpha - \beta) \} \\ &= \sin \alpha \{ \sin (\alpha - \beta + \beta) - \sin \beta \cos (\alpha - \beta) \} \\ & \quad + \sin \beta \{ \sin (\alpha - \overline{\alpha - \beta}) - \sin \alpha \cos (\alpha - \beta) \} \\ &= \sin \alpha \sin (\alpha - \beta) \cos \beta - \sin \beta \cos \alpha \sin (\alpha - \beta) \\ &= \sin (\alpha - \beta) \{ \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \beta \cos \alpha \} = \sin^2 (\alpha - \beta). \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad \sin^2 (\alpha - \beta) = n^2 \sin^2 (\alpha + \beta);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin (\alpha - \beta) = \pm n \sin (\alpha + \beta);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta = \pm n (\sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta);$$

$$\text{divide by } \cos \alpha \cos \beta; \text{ thus } \tan \alpha - \tan \beta = \pm n (\tan \alpha + \tan \beta);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (1 \mp n) \tan \alpha = (1 \pm n) \tan \beta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{1 \pm n}{1 \mp n} \tan \beta.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 16. \quad & \frac{\sin 4\theta \cot \theta}{\text{vers } 2\theta \cot^2 2\theta} = \frac{\sin 4\theta \sin^2 2\theta \cos \theta}{(1 - \cos 2\theta) \cos^2 2\theta \sin \theta} = \frac{2 \sin^3 2\theta \cos 2\theta \cos \theta}{2 \sin^3 \theta \cos^2 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{2 (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)^3 \cos \theta}{2 \sin^3 \theta \cos 2\theta} = \frac{8 \cos^4 \theta}{\cos 2\theta}. \end{aligned}$$

When  $\theta=0$  the value is therefore 8.

$$17. \sin \theta + \cos \theta = \sqrt{2}; \quad \text{therefore} \quad \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{2}} = 1;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = 1; \quad \text{therefore} \quad \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi.$$

$$18. \sqrt{3} \sin \theta - \cos \theta = \sqrt{2}; \quad \text{therefore} \quad \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \left( \theta + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \theta + \frac{\pi}{3} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{4}.$$

19.  $\sin 2\theta = \cos \theta$ ; therefore  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta\right) = \cos \theta$ ;

therefore  $\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta$  and  $\theta$  are angles having the same cosine; therefore all the solutions are contained in  $\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta = 2n\pi \pm \theta$ .

20.  $\cos \theta - \cos 2\theta = \sin 3\theta$ ; therefore

$$2 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2} \cos \frac{3\theta}{2};$$

therefore either  $\sin \frac{3\theta}{2} = 0$ , or  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}$ .

If  $\sin \frac{3\theta}{2} = 0$ , then  $\frac{3\theta}{2} = n\pi$ .

If  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}$ , then  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}$ ;

and therefore  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\theta}{2}$ .

21.  $(4 - \sqrt{3})(\sec \theta + \operatorname{cosec} \theta) = 4(\sin \theta \tan \theta + \cos \theta \cot \theta)$ ;

therefore  $(4 - \sqrt{3})\left(\frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1}{\sin \theta}\right) = 4\left(\frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta}\right)$ ;

therefore  $(4 - \sqrt{3})(\sin \theta + \cos \theta) = 4(\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta)$   
 $= 4(\sin \theta + \cos \theta)(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta)$ ;

therefore either  $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = 0$ ,

or  $4 - \sqrt{3} = 4(1 - \sin \theta \cos \theta)$ .

If  $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = 0$ , then  $\sin \theta = -\cos \theta$ ; therefore  $\tan \theta = -1$ ;

therefore  $\theta = n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

If  $4 - \sqrt{3} = 4(1 - \sin \theta \cos \theta)$ , then  $\sqrt{3} = 4 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 2 \sin 2\theta$ ;

therefore  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ ; therefore  $2\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

22.  $\cot \theta - \tan \theta = \cos \theta + \sin \theta$ ; therefore  $\frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \cos \theta + \sin \theta$ ;

therefore  $\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = \sin \theta \cos \theta (\cos \theta + \sin \theta)$ ;

therefore either  $\cos \theta + \sin \theta = 0$ , or  $\cos \theta - \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cos \theta$ .



If  $\sin \theta + \cos \theta = 0$ , then  $\sin \theta = -\cos \theta$ ; therefore  $\tan \theta = -1$ ;

therefore 
$$\theta = n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}.$$

If  $\cos \theta - \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cos \theta$ , then by squaring

$$1 - 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta;$$

therefore 
$$1 - \sin 2\theta = \frac{\sin^2 2\theta}{4}.$$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\sin 2\theta = -2 \pm 2\sqrt{2}$ ; the upper sign must be taken, for the lower sign would make  $\sin 2\theta$  numerically greater than unity.

23.  $2 \sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 2\theta = 2$ ; therefore  $\sin^2 2\theta = 2 - 2 \sin^2 \theta = 2(1 - \sin^2 \theta)$ ;

therefore 
$$4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta;$$

therefore either  $\cos^2 \theta = 0$ , or  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ .

If  $\cos^2 \theta = 0$ , then 
$$\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

If  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , then 
$$\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{4};$$

therefore 
$$\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

24.  $\tan \theta + 2 \cot 2\theta = \sin \theta \left(1 + \tan \theta \tan \frac{\theta}{2}\right)$ ; therefore

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{2 \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \sin \theta \left(1 + \frac{\sin \theta \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2}}\right);$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos 2\theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \sin \theta \cdot \frac{\cos \left(\theta - \frac{\theta}{2}\right)}{\cos \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta};$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos 2\theta = \sin^2 \theta; \quad \text{therefore } \cos 2\theta = 0;$$

therefore 
$$2\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

25.  $\sin^2 2\theta + \sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{4}$ ; therefore

$$4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4};$$

therefore  $4 \sin^2 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) - \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4};$

therefore  $4 \sin^4 \theta - 3 \sin^2 \theta + \frac{1}{4} = 0.$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{8}.$$

Taking the upper sign we have  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{3\pi}{10}$ , and therefore

$$\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{10}.$$

Taking the lower sign we have  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{10}$ , and therefore

$$\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{10}.$$

26.  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\theta}{2};$  therefore  $\frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \frac{1}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}};$

therefore  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \sin \theta;$  therefore  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2};$

therefore either  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 0,$  or  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2}.$

If  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 0,$  then  $\frac{\theta}{2} = n\pi.$

If  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{2},$  then  $\frac{\theta}{2} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}.$

27.  $\cos \theta \cos 3\theta = \cos 5\theta \cos 7\theta;$  therefore

$$\cos 4\theta + \cos 2\theta = \cos 12\theta + \cos 2\theta;$$

therefore  $\cos 4\theta = \cos 12\theta;$  therefore  $12\theta = 2n\pi \pm 4\theta;$

taking the upper sign we obtain  $\theta = \frac{2n\pi}{8} = \frac{n\pi}{4},$

and taking the lower sign we obtain  $\theta = \frac{2n\pi}{16} = \frac{n\pi}{8}.$

It is obvious however that the second expression includes the first.

28.  $\sin \theta \sin 3\theta = \frac{1}{2};$  therefore  $\sin \theta (3 \sin \theta - 4 \sin^3 \theta) = \frac{1}{2};$

therefore  $4 \sin^4 \theta - 3 \sin^2 \theta + \frac{1}{2} = 0.$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{3 \pm 1}{8} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \frac{1}{4}.$$

If  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , then  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$ , and  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

If  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4}$ , then  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$ , and  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

See Example 5 of Chapter V.

29.  $4 \sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 2\theta = 3$ ; therefore  $4 \sin^2 \theta + 4 \sin^2 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) = 3$ ;  
therefore  $4 \sin^4 \theta - 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3 = 0$ .

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}$  or  $\frac{3}{2}$ ;  
and only the former value is admissible. Thus  $\sin^2 \theta = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$ ; therefore  
 $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

30.  $(1 - \tan \theta)(1 + \sin 2\theta) = 1 + \tan \theta$ ;

therefore  $\left(1 - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}\right)(\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^2 = 1 + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$ ;

therefore  $(\cos \theta - \sin \theta)(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2 = \cos \theta + \sin \theta$ ;

therefore either  $\cos \theta + \sin \theta = 0$ , or  $(\cos \theta - \sin \theta)(\cos \theta + \sin \theta) = 1$ .

If  $\cos \theta + \sin \theta = 0$ , then  $\sin \theta = -\cos \theta$ ;

therefore  $\tan \theta = -1$ ;

therefore  $\theta = n\pi + \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

If  $(\cos \theta - \sin \theta)(\cos \theta + \sin \theta) = 1$ , then  $\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = 1$ ;

therefore  $\cos 2\theta = 1$ ;

therefore  $2\theta = 2n\pi$ .

31.  $\sin \theta + \sin 2\theta + \sin 3\theta + \sin 4\theta = 0$ ;

therefore  $\sin \theta + \sin 4\theta + \sin 2\theta + \sin 3\theta = 0$ ;

therefore  $2 \sin \frac{5\theta}{2} \cos \frac{3\theta}{2} + 2 \sin \frac{5\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$ ;

therefore  $2 \sin \frac{5\theta}{2} \left( \cos \frac{3\theta}{2} + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = 0$ ;

therefore  $4 \sin \frac{5\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \theta = 0$ .

Thus there are three cases :

$$\text{If } \sin \frac{5\theta}{2} = 0, \text{ then } \frac{5\theta}{2} = n\pi,$$

$$\text{If } \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 0, \text{ then } \frac{\theta}{2} = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2},$$

$$\text{If } \cos \theta = 0, \text{ then } \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$32. \quad \sin \theta - \cos \theta = 4 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \theta - 4 \sin \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) = \cos \theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 4 \sin^3 \theta - 3 \sin \theta = \cos \theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \theta = -\sin 3\theta = \cos \left( 3\theta + \frac{\pi}{2} \right);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 3\theta + \frac{\pi}{2} = 2n\pi \pm \theta.$$

$$33. \quad (\cot \theta - \tan \theta)^2 (2 - \sqrt{3}) = 4 (2 + \sqrt{3});$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \left( \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \right)^2 = \frac{4(2 + \sqrt{3})}{2 - \sqrt{3}};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta} \right)^2 = \frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{2 - \sqrt{3}} = \frac{(2 + \sqrt{3})^2}{(2 - \sqrt{3})(2 + \sqrt{3})};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \left( \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} \right)^2 = (2 + \sqrt{3})^2;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cot^2 2\theta = \cot^2 \frac{\pi}{12};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{12}.$$

$$34. \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) (1 + \sin \theta) = 1 + \cos 2\theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) (1 + \sin \theta) = 2 \cos^2 \theta = 2 (1 - \sin^2 \theta);$$

$$\text{therefore either } 1 + \sin \theta = 0, \text{ or } \sqrt{2} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) = 1 - \sin \theta.$$

If  $1 + \sin \theta = 0$ , then  $\sin \theta = -1$ ; therefore  $\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{3\pi}{2}$ , which may be expressed more simply as  $(4m+3) \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$\text{If } \sqrt{2} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) = 1 - \sin \theta, \text{ then } \sqrt{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta \right) = 1 - \sin \theta;$$

therefore  $2 \sin \theta = 1 - \cos \theta$ ;

therefore  $4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ ;

therefore either  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$ , or  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = 2$ .

If  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$ , then  $\frac{\theta}{2} = n\pi$ .

If  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = 2$ , then  $\frac{\theta}{2} = n\pi + \alpha$ , where  $\alpha$  is such that  $\tan \alpha = 2$ .

35.  $\sin 9\theta + \sin 5\theta + 2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$ ; therefore

$$2 \sin 7\theta \cos 2\theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta = \cos 2\theta;$$

therefore either  $\cos 2\theta = 0$ , or  $\sin 7\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ .

If  $\cos 2\theta = 0$ , then  $2\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

If  $\sin 7\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , then  $7\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

## CHAPTER X.

1. Let  $x$  denote the required logarithm; then

$$128 = (\sqrt[3]{4})^x, \text{ that is } 2^7 = 4^{\frac{x}{3}} = 2^{\frac{2x}{3}};$$

therefore  $\frac{2x}{3} = 7$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{21}{2}$ .

2. Let  $x$  denote the required logarithm; then

$$243 \sqrt[3]{9} = (\sqrt{3})^x, \text{ that is } 3^5 \sqrt[3]{9} = 3^{\frac{x}{2}}, \text{ that is } 3^{5+\frac{2}{3}} = 3^{\frac{x}{2}};$$

therefore  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{17}{3}$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{34}{3}$ .

3. Let  $x$  denote the logarithm of 2187 to the base 3; then  $2187 = 3^x$ , that is  $3^7 = 3^x$ ; therefore  $x = 7$ .

Let  $x$  denote the logarithm of .0001 to the base 10; then  $.0001 = 10^x$ , that is  $\frac{1}{10^4} = 10^x$ , that is  $10^{-4} = 10^x$ ; therefore  $x = -4$ .

Let  $x$  denote the logarithm of  $\cos 45^\circ$  to the base 2; then  $\cos 45^\circ = 2^x$ , that is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 2^x$ , that is  $2^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 2^x$ ; therefore  $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ .

4.  $5^{6-4x} = 2^{x+3}$ ; therefore  $(6-4x) \log 5 = (x+3) \log 2$ ;

therefore  $(6-4x) \log \frac{10}{2} = (x+3) \log 2$ ;

therefore  $(6-4x)(1-\log 2) = (x+3) \log 2$ ;

therefore  $x(4-3 \log 2) = 6-9 \log 2$ ;

therefore  $x = \frac{6-9 \log 2}{4-3 \log 2} = \frac{3 \cdot 29073}{3 \cdot 09691} = 1 \cdot 06 \dots$

5. Here  $a = \log \cdot 224 = \log \frac{224}{1000} = \log \frac{7 \times 32}{1000} = \log 7 + 5 \log 2 - 3$ ;

$$b = \log 125 = \log \frac{1000}{8} = 3 - 3 \log 2.$$

From the second equation we have  $\log 2 = \frac{1}{3}(3-b)$ ; and then substituting in the first equation we have  $\log 7 = a + 3 - \frac{5}{3}(3-b)$ .

6. 725 lies between  $6^3$  and  $6^4$ ; and therefore the characteristic of the logarithm of 725 to the base 6 is 3.

Then  $\log \sqrt[5]{\cdot 0725} = \frac{1}{5} \log \cdot 0725 = \frac{1}{5} \log \frac{725}{10000}$ ;

and  $\frac{725}{10000}$  lies between  $\frac{1}{6}$  and  $\frac{1}{36}$ , that is between  $6^{-1}$  and  $6^{-2}$ . Hence  $\frac{1}{5} \log \frac{725}{10000}$  to the base 6 lies between  $-\frac{1}{5}$  and  $-\frac{2}{5}$ ; and thus the characteristic will be  $-1$ , since by supposition the decimal part of a logarithm is positive.

7.  $\log 405 = \log (81 \times 5) = \log \left( 81 \times \frac{10}{2} \right) = \log \frac{3^4 \times 10}{2} = 4 \log 3 + 1 - \log 2$ ;

therefore  $4 \log 3 = \log 405 + \log 2 - 1 = 8 \cdot 908485$ ;

therefore  $\log 3 = \cdot 477121$ .

8.  $\log 98 = \log (2 \times 7^2) = \log 2 + 2 \log 7 = \cdot 301030 + 1 \cdot 690196 = 1 \cdot 991226$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} \log \left( \frac{4}{343} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} &= \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{4}{343} = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{2^2}{7^3} = \frac{1}{2} (2 \log 2 - 3 \log 7) \\ &= - \cdot 966617 = \bar{1} \cdot 033383. \end{aligned}$$

9.  $\log (\cdot 0020736)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{3} \log \cdot 0020736 = \frac{1}{3} \log \frac{20736}{10^7}$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \log \frac{3^4 \times 2^8}{10^7} = \frac{1}{3} \{ 4 \log 3 + 8 \log 2 - 7 \}$$

$$= - \cdot 89443 = \bar{1} \cdot 10557.$$

$$10. \quad \frac{2}{\underline{3}} = \frac{1}{\underline{2}} - \frac{1}{\underline{3}}, \quad \frac{4}{\underline{5}} = \frac{1}{\underline{4}} - \frac{1}{\underline{5}}, \quad \frac{6}{\underline{7}} = \frac{1}{\underline{6}} - \frac{1}{\underline{7}}, \dots$$

thus we see that the series  $= \frac{1}{\underline{2}} - \frac{1}{\underline{3}} + \frac{1}{\underline{4}} - \frac{1}{\underline{5}} + \dots = e^{-1}$ .

$$11. \quad \frac{1}{\underline{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1 \cdot 2}{\underline{2}} = \frac{1}{2},$$

$$\frac{1+2}{\underline{3}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2 \cdot 3}{\underline{3}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1},$$

$$\frac{1+2+3}{\underline{4}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3 \cdot 4}{\underline{4}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\underline{2}},$$

$$\frac{1+2+3+4}{\underline{5}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{4 \cdot 5}{\underline{5}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\underline{3}},$$

and generally  $\frac{1+2+3+\dots+n}{\underline{n+1}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n(n+1)}{\underline{n+1}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\underline{n-1}}$ .

Thus we see that the series  $= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{\underline{1}} + \frac{1}{\underline{2}} + \frac{1}{\underline{3}} + \dots \right\} = \frac{e}{2}$ .

$$12. \quad 4 \sin x \sin (x-a) = 2 \cos a - 1;$$

therefore  $2 \{ \cos a - \cos (2x-a) \} = 2 \cos a - 1;$

therefore  $\cos (2x-a) = \frac{1}{2};$

therefore  $2x-a = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}.$

$$13. \quad \cos \beta \sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)} = x \sin \beta - a \sin a;$$

therefore  $\cos^2 \beta (a^2 - x^2) = x^2 \sin^2 \beta - 2xa \sin \beta \sin a + a^2 \sin^2 a;$

therefore  $x^2 - 2xa \sin \beta \sin a = a^2 \cos^2 \beta - a^2 \sin^2 a;$

therefore  $(x - a \sin \beta \sin a)^2 = a^2 \cos^2 \beta - a^2 \sin^2 a + a^2 \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 a$   
 $= a^2 \cos^2 \beta - a^2 \sin^2 a \cos^2 \beta = a^2 \cos^2 \beta \cos^2 a;$

therefore  $x - a \sin \beta \sin a = \pm a \cos \beta \cos a;$

therefore  $x = a (\sin \beta \sin a \pm \cos \beta \cos a) = a \cos (\beta - a)$  or  $-a \cos (\beta + a).$

$$14. \quad \sin a + \sin (x-a) + \sin (2x+a) = \sin (x+a) + \sin (2x-a);$$

therefore  $\sin a = \sin (x+a) - \sin (x-a) + \sin (2x-a) - \sin (2x+a)$   
 $= 2 \sin a \cos x - 2 \sin a \cos 2x;$

therefore  $1 = 2 \cos x - 2 \cos 2x = 2 \cos x - 2(2 \cos^2 x - 1)$ ;

therefore  $4 \cos^2 x - 2 \cos x - 1 = 0$ .

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\cos x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{4}$ .

Taking the upper sign we have  $\cos x = \cos \frac{\pi}{5}$ , and therefore  $x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{5}$ .

Taking the lower sign we have  $\cos x = \cos \frac{3\pi}{5}$ , and therefore  $x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{5}$ .

15.  $\cos\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right) \alpha + \cos\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right) \alpha = \sin \alpha$ ;

therefore  $2 \cos(x+1) \alpha \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} = \sin \alpha = 2 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}$ ;

therefore  $\cos(x+1) \alpha = \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right)$ .

Hence all the solutions are contained in

$$(x+1) \alpha = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right).$$

16.  $x^2 \cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right) + x \cos(\alpha - \beta) = 2 \cos \frac{\beta}{2}$ ;

therefore 
$$x^2 + \frac{x \cos(\alpha - \beta)}{\cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)} = \frac{2 \cos \frac{\beta}{2}}{\cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}$$
;

therefore 
$$\left\{x + \frac{\cos(\alpha - \beta)}{2 \cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}\right\}^2 = \frac{2 \cos \frac{\beta}{2}}{\cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)} + \frac{\cos^2(\alpha - \beta)}{4 \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2(\alpha - \beta) + 8 \cos \alpha \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}{4 \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2(\alpha - \beta) + 4 \cos \alpha \{\cos \alpha + \cos(\alpha - \beta)\}}{4 \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\{\cos(\alpha - \beta) + 2 \cos \alpha\}^2}{4 \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}$$
;

therefore 
$$x + \frac{\cos(\alpha - \beta)}{2 \cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)} = \pm \frac{\cos(\alpha - \beta) + 2 \cos \alpha}{2 \cos \alpha \cos\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}$$
.



Taking the upper sign we have

$$x = \frac{2 \cos \alpha}{2 \cos \alpha \cos \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)} = \sec \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right).$$

Taking the lower sign we have

$$\begin{aligned} x &= - \frac{\cos \alpha + \cos \left( \alpha - \beta \right)}{\cos \alpha \cos \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)} \\ &= - \frac{2 \cos \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right) \cos \frac{\beta}{2}}{\cos \alpha \cos \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)} = - 2 \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \sec \alpha. \end{aligned}$$

Or we may write the proposed equation in this form

$$x \cos \alpha \left\{ x \cos \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right) - 1 \right\} + 2 \left\{ x \cos \left( \alpha - \frac{\beta}{2} \right) - 1 \right\} \cos \frac{\beta}{2} = 0;$$

and then the two values of  $x$  which satisfy it are obvious.

$$17. \quad \cot 2^{x-1} \alpha - \cot 2^x \alpha = \operatorname{cosec} 3\alpha;$$

put  $y$  for  $2^{x-1} \alpha$ ; thus  $\cot y - \cot 2y = \operatorname{cosec} 3\alpha$ ;

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\cos y}{\sin y} - \frac{\cos 2y}{\sin 2y} = \operatorname{cosec} 3\alpha;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\sin (2y - y)}{\sin y \sin 2y} = \operatorname{cosec} 3\alpha = \frac{1}{\sin 3\alpha};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin 2y = \sin 3\alpha, \text{ that is } \sin 2^x \alpha = \sin 3\alpha.$$

Thus the general solution is  $2^x \alpha = n\pi + (-1)^n 3\alpha$ .

$$18. \quad m \operatorname{vers} \theta = n \operatorname{vers} (\alpha - \theta);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad m (1 - \cos \theta) = n \{1 - \cos (\alpha - \theta)\};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2m \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 2n \sin^2 \frac{\alpha - \theta}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \frac{\alpha - \theta}{2} = \left( \frac{m}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \frac{\theta}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \left( \frac{m}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}.$$

Divide by  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2}$ ; thus we obtain a simple equation for finding  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ .

$$19. \cos n\theta + \cos(n-2)\theta = \cos\theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2 \cos(n-1)\theta \cos\theta = \cos\theta;$$

$$\text{therefore either } \cos\theta = 0, \text{ or } \cos(n-1)\theta = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{If } \cos\theta = 0, \text{ then } \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$\text{If } \cos(n-1)\theta = \frac{1}{2}, \text{ then } (n-1)\theta = 2m\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$20. \sin\theta + \sin 3\theta = \sin 2\theta + \sin 4\theta;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad 2 \sin 2\theta \cos\theta = 2 \sin 3\theta \cos\theta;$$

$$\text{therefore either } \cos\theta = 0, \text{ or } \sin 2\theta = \sin 3\theta.$$

$$\text{If } \cos\theta = 0, \text{ then } \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$\text{If } \sin 2\theta = \sin 3\theta, \text{ then } \sin 2\theta - \sin 3\theta = 0; \text{ therefore } 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{5\theta}{2} = 0;$$

$$\text{therefore either } \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 0, \text{ or } \cos \frac{5\theta}{2} = 0: \text{ taking } \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 0 \text{ we have } \frac{\theta}{2} = n\pi,$$

$$\text{and taking } \cos \frac{5\theta}{2} = 0 \text{ we have } \frac{5\theta}{2} = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

The seven values greater than 0 and less than  $2\pi$  are

$$\frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{3\pi}{5}, \frac{5\pi}{5}, \frac{7\pi}{5}, \frac{9\pi}{5}, \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ and } \frac{3\pi}{2}.$$

$$21. \tan x = \tan \beta \tan(x+\alpha) = \frac{\tan \beta (\tan x + \tan \alpha)}{1 - \tan x \tan \alpha};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan x (1 - \tan x \tan \alpha) = \tan \beta (\tan x + \tan \alpha);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan^2 x \tan \alpha + (\tan \beta - 1) \tan x + \tan \alpha \tan \beta = 0.$$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain the values of  $\tan x$ . It is known by the theory of quadratic equations that for the values to be real we must have  $(\tan \beta - 1)^2 - 4 \tan^2 \alpha \tan \beta$  positive or zero.

And  $(\tan \beta - 1)^2 - 4 \tan^2 \alpha \tan \beta$ .

$$= \tan^2 \beta - 2 \tan \beta - 4 \tan^2 \alpha \tan \beta + 1$$

$$= \{\tan \beta - (1 + 2 \tan^2 \alpha)\}^2 + 1 - (1 + 2 \tan^2 \alpha)^2$$

$$= \left\{ \tan \beta - \frac{1 + \sin^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha} \right\}^2 - \frac{4 \sin^2 \alpha}{\cos^4 \alpha}$$

$$= \left\{ \tan \beta - \frac{1 + \sin^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha} - \frac{2 \sin \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha} \right\} \left\{ \tan \beta - \frac{1 + \sin^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha} + \frac{2 \sin \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha} \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ \tan \beta - \left( \frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \right)^2 \right\} \left\{ \tan \beta - \left( \frac{1 - \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \right)^2 \right\}.$$

This expression then must be positive or zero, and therefore  $\tan \beta$  must not lie between  $\left(\frac{1 - \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha}\right)^2$  and  $\left(\frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha}\right)^2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 22. \quad & \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right) + \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) \\
 &= \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)} + \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)} \\
 &= \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)} \\
 &= \frac{\sin\frac{\pi}{2}}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)} = \frac{1}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)} \\
 &= \frac{2}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta\right)} = \frac{2}{\cos 2\theta}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus 
$$\frac{2}{\cos 2\theta} = \left(\frac{8\sqrt{2}}{1 + \sqrt{2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\cos 2\theta}{2} = \left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{8\sqrt{2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 2\theta = \frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{2}};$$

therefore 
$$2 \cos^2 2\theta - 1 = \frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} - 1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}};$$

therefore 
$$\cos 4\theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \cos \frac{\pi}{4};$$

therefore the least value of  $\theta$  is given by  $4\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

23. 
$$\sin^2(n+1)\theta = \sin^2 n\theta + \sin^2(n-1)\theta;$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2(n+1)\theta - \sin^2(n-1)\theta = \sin^2 n\theta;$$

therefore 
$$\sin 2n\theta \sin 2\theta = \sin^2 n\theta \quad (\text{Art. 83.})$$

But

$$(n+1)\theta + (n-1)\theta + n\theta = \pi;$$

therefore

$$3n\theta = \pi; \quad \text{therefore } n\theta = \frac{\pi}{3};$$

therefore

$$\sin 2\theta \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} = \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{3};$$

therefore

$$\sin 2\theta = \sin \frac{\pi}{3};$$

thus  $2\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ ; therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ . But  $n\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ ; and therefore  $n=2$ .

$$24. \quad \cos^2 \theta - \cos^2 \alpha = 2 \cos^2 \theta (\cos \theta - \cos \alpha) - 2 \sin^2 \theta (\sin \theta - \sin \alpha);$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 \theta - \cos^2 \alpha &= \frac{\cos 3\theta + 3 \cos \theta}{2} (\cos \theta - \cos \alpha) \\ &\quad - \frac{3 \sin \theta - \sin 3\theta}{2} (\sin \theta - \sin \alpha); \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $2(\cos^2 \theta - \cos^2 \alpha) = \cos 3\theta \cos \theta + \sin 3\theta \sin \theta - \cos 3\theta \cos \alpha - \sin 3\theta \sin \alpha$

$$+ 3 \cos^2 \theta - 3 \sin^2 \theta - 3 \cos \theta \cos \alpha + 3 \sin \theta \sin \alpha;$$

therefore  $\cos(3\theta - \theta) - \cos(3\theta - \alpha) - 3 \cos(\theta + \alpha) = 3 \sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $\cos 2\theta - \cos(3\theta - \alpha) - 3 \cos(\theta + \alpha) = 3 - 4 \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos^2 \alpha$

$$= 3 - 2(1 + \cos 2\theta) - (1 + \cos 2\alpha)$$

$$= -2 \cos 2\theta - \cos 2\alpha;$$

therefore

$$3 \cos 2\theta - 3 \cos(\theta + \alpha) - \cos(3\theta - \alpha) + \cos 2\alpha = 0;$$

therefore

$$3 \sin \frac{3\theta + \alpha}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha - \theta}{2} + \sin \frac{3\theta + \alpha}{2} \sin \frac{3\theta - 3\alpha}{2} = 0;$$

therefore

$$\sin \frac{3\theta + \alpha}{2} \left\{ \sin \frac{3(\theta - \alpha)}{2} - 3 \sin \frac{\theta - \alpha}{2} \right\} = 0;$$

therefore

$$4 \sin \frac{3\theta + \alpha}{2} \sin^3 \frac{\theta - \alpha}{2} = 0.$$

Hence either  $\sin \frac{3\theta + \alpha}{2} = 0$ , or  $\sin \frac{\theta - \alpha}{2} = 0$ ; the former gives  $\frac{3\theta + \alpha}{2} = n\pi$ ,

and the latter gives  $\frac{\theta - \alpha}{2} = n\pi$ .

25. Let  $\theta$  denote an angle having the same sine as  $\alpha$ , so that  $\sin \theta = \sin \alpha$ ; thus  $\cos\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha\right)$ ; therefore all the solutions are comprised in  $\theta - \frac{\pi}{2} = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha\right)$ .

26. Let  $\theta$  denote an angle having the same cosine as  $a$ , so that  $\cos \theta = \cos a$ ; thus  $\sin\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin\left(a - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ ; therefore all the solutions are comprised in  $\theta - \frac{\pi}{2} = n\pi + (-1)^n\left(a - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ .

27. By Art. 101 it follows that the upper sign ought to be taken if  $\frac{A}{2}$  lies between  $n360^\circ + 225^\circ$  and  $n360^\circ + 405^\circ$ ; in this case  $A$  lies between  $2n360^\circ + 450^\circ$  and  $2n360^\circ + 810^\circ$ , and  $A + 270^\circ$  lies between  $2n360^\circ + 720^\circ$  and  $2n360^\circ + 1080^\circ$ , and therefore  $\frac{A + 270^\circ}{360^\circ}$  lies between  $2n + 2$  and  $2n + 3$ : thus the integral part of this fraction is an *even* number, so that denoting it by  $m$  we have  $(-1)^m$  positive.

In precisely the same manner we find that the present example agrees with Art. 101 for the case in which  $m$  is *odd*.

28. First suppose the number of degrees in  $A$  to lie between  $n360$  and  $n360 + 90$ ; then  $\tan A$  and  $\tan \frac{A}{2}$  are both positive, and therefore the upper sign must be taken in the ambiguity. Also in this case  $\frac{A + 90}{180}$  lies between  $\frac{n360 + 90}{180}$  and  $\frac{n360 + 180}{180}$ , that is between  $2n + \frac{1}{2}$  and  $2n + 1$ ; so that  $m$  is *even*.

Next suppose the number of degrees in  $A$  to lie between  $n360 + 90$  and  $n360 + 180$ ; then  $\tan A$  is negative, and  $\tan \frac{A}{2}$  is positive; and therefore the lower sign must be taken in the ambiguity. Also in this case  $\frac{A + 90}{180}$  lies between  $2n + 1$  and  $2n + 2$ , so that  $m$  is *odd*.

Similarly we may proceed if the number of degrees in  $A$  lies between  $n360 + 180$  and  $n360 + 270$ , or between  $n360 + 270$  and  $n360 + 360$ .

It will be observed that in this and the preceding example the *greatest integer* in a certain expression means that integer which with a *positive* proper fraction constitutes the whole expression.

Or we might treat the example thus:

$$\pm\sqrt{(1 + \tan^2 A)} = \pm\sqrt{\frac{1}{\cos^2 A}} = \pm\frac{1}{\cos A};$$

but 
$$\tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos A}{\sin A} = \frac{1}{\tan A} - 1;$$

hence the ambiguity in  $\pm\sqrt{(1 + \tan^2 A)}$  must be so taken as to ensure that the *sign is the same as the sign* of  $\cos A$ , and it is easy to shew that  $(-1)^m$  is of the same sign as  $\cos A$  when  $m$  has the prescribed value.

29.  $\tan(\cot x) = \cot(\tan x);$

therefore  $\tan(\cot x) = \tan\left\{\frac{\pi}{2} - \tan x\right\};$

therefore, by Art. 68, all the possible solutions are comprised in

$$\cot x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} - \tan x;$$

therefore  $\cot x + \tan x = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2};$

therefore  $\frac{\cos x}{\sin x} + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2};$

therefore  $\frac{1}{\sin x \cos x} = \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2};$

therefore  $\sin x \cos x = \frac{2}{(2n+1)\pi};$

therefore  $\sin 2x = \frac{4}{(2n+1)\pi}.$

The value  $n = -1$  would make  $\sin 2x$  greater than unity.

30.  $2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = 1 + \cos A;$

therefore  $4 \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = 2 + 2 \cos A;$

therefore  $2 \cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos A}.$

Again  $2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{4} = 1 + \cos \frac{A}{2};$

therefore  $4 \cos^2 \frac{A}{4} = 2 + 2 \cos \frac{A}{2};$

therefore  $2 \cos \frac{A}{4} = \sqrt{\left(2 + 2 \cos \frac{A}{2}\right)} = \sqrt{\{2 + \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos A}\}}.$

Similarly  $2 \cos \frac{A}{8} = \sqrt{[2 + \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos A}}]};$

and this process may be continued to any extent.

31. Change  $x$  successively to  $\frac{\pi}{4} - x$  and  $\frac{\pi}{4} + x$ ; thus

$$\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \left\{1 + \cos\left(2x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right\}} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin 2x}{2}},$$

$$\text{and } \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2x\right) \right\}} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin 2x}{2}}.$$

Then putting for  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right)$  and  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right)$  their values we have

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin 2x}{2}} \dots\dots\dots (1),$$

$$\text{and } \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin 2x}{2}} \dots\dots\dots (2).$$

Hence by subtraction we find the required expression for  $\sin x$ . In (1) the upper or lower sign must be taken according as  $\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  is positive or negative, that is according as  $x - \frac{\pi}{4}$  lies between  $2n\pi - \frac{1}{2}\pi$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{1}{2}\pi$ , or between  $2n\pi + \frac{1}{2}\pi$  and  $2n\pi + \frac{3}{2}\pi$ . Similarly we can determine the sign to be taken in (2).

32. Let  $k$  denote the value which the expression retains for all values of  $\theta$ , so that

$$\frac{A \cos(\theta + \alpha) + B \sin(\theta + \beta)}{A' \sin(\theta + \alpha) + B' \cos(\theta + \beta)} = k;$$

$$\text{then } A \cos(\theta + \alpha) + B \sin(\theta + \beta) = k \{ A' \sin(\theta + \alpha) + B' \cos(\theta + \beta) \};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } & \cos \theta (A \cos \alpha + B \sin \beta) + \sin \theta (B \cos \beta - A \sin \alpha) \\ & = k \cos \theta (A' \sin \alpha + B' \cos \beta) + k \sin \theta (A' \cos \alpha - B' \sin \beta); \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } & \cos \theta \{ A \cos \alpha + B \sin \beta - k (A' \sin \alpha + B' \cos \beta) \} \\ & + \sin \theta \{ B \cos \beta - A \sin \alpha - k (A' \cos \alpha - B' \sin \beta) \} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Now this is to be true for *all values* of  $\theta$ . Put for  $\theta$  in succession 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; thus we obtain the following two results:

$$A \cos \alpha + B \sin \beta = k (A' \sin \alpha + B' \cos \beta),$$

$$B \cos \beta - A \sin \alpha = k (A' \cos \alpha - B' \sin \beta);$$

and it is obvious that if these hold the original expression does always retain the same value.

By cross multiplication we obtain

$$(A \cos \alpha + B \sin \beta) (A' \cos \alpha - B' \sin \beta) = (A' \sin \alpha + B' \cos \beta) (B \cos \beta - A \sin \alpha);$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } & AA' \cos^2 \alpha - BB' \sin^2 \beta + (A'B - AB') \cos \alpha \sin \beta \\ & = BB' \cos^2 \beta - AA' \sin^2 \alpha + (A'B - AB') \sin \alpha \cos \beta; \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{therefore } AA' - BB' = (A'B - AB') \sin(\alpha - \beta).$$

33. Let  $A$  denote the sum of the two angles  $x$  and  $y$ . Then

$$\sin x + \sin y = 2 \sin \frac{x+y}{2} \cos \frac{x-y}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{x-y}{2};$$

and the numerically greatest value of this expression is when  $\cos \frac{x-y}{2}$  is greatest, that is when  $x-y=0$ , that is when  $x=y$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Again} \quad \tan x + \tan y &= \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin y}{\cos y} = \frac{\sin(x+y)}{\cos x \cos y} \\ &= \frac{\sin A}{\cos x \cos y} = \frac{2 \sin A}{2 \cos x \cos y} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin A}{\cos(x-y) + \cos(x+y)} = \frac{2 \sin A}{\cos(x-y) + \cos A}; \end{aligned}$$

and if  $\cos A$  is positive the numerically least value of this is when

$$\cos(x-y) = 1, \text{ that is when } x=y.$$

34. By Art. 114 we have

$$\tan A \tan B + \tan B \tan C + \tan C \tan A = 1;$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad \tan^2 A + \tan^2 B + \tan^2 C &= 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\tan A - \tan B)^2 \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}(\tan B - \tan C)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\tan C - \tan A)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Hence the least value of the expression is when  $\tan A - \tan B$ ,  $\tan B - \tan C$ , and  $\tan C - \tan A$  all vanish; and the value is then unity.

35. By Art. 114 we have

$$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{1}{\cot A} + \frac{1}{\cot B} + \frac{1}{\cot C} = \frac{1}{\cot A \cot B \cot C};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cot B \cot C + \cot A \cot C + \cot A \cot B = 1;$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad &\cot^2 A + \cot^2 B + \cot^2 C \\ &= 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\cot A - \cot B)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\cot B - \cot C)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\cot C - \cot A)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Hence the least value of the expression is when  $\cot A - \cot B$ ,  $\cot B - \cot C$ , and  $\cot C - \cot A$  all vanish; and the value is then unity.



$$\begin{aligned}
 36. \quad \cot B + \cot C - \operatorname{cosec} A &= \frac{\cos B}{\sin B} + \frac{\cos C}{\sin C} - \frac{1}{\sin A} \\
 &= \frac{\sin(B+C)}{\sin B \sin C} - \frac{1}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin A}{\sin B \sin C} - \frac{1}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin^2 A - \sin B \sin C}{\sin A \sin B \sin C}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Proceeding in this way we find that the difference of the two given expressions is equivalent to a fraction with the denominator  $\sin A \sin B \sin C$ , while the numerator is

$$\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C - \sin B \sin C - \sin C \sin A - \sin A \sin B,$$

$$\text{that is} \quad \frac{1}{2}(\sin A - \sin B)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\sin B - \sin C)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\sin C - \sin A)^2.$$

This expression is never negative.

37. Suppose  $A, B, C$  to be three acute angles such that

$$\cos^2 A + \cos^2 B + \cos^2 C = 1,$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
 \cos^2 A &= 1 - \cos^2 C - \cos^2 B = \sin^2 C - \cos^2 B \\
 &= -\cos(C-B)\cos(C+B).
 \end{aligned}$$

This shews that  $C+B$  must be greater than a right angle. Now if we take  $A' = 180^\circ - C - B$  we shall have  $\cos^2 A'$  numerically equal to  $\cos^2(B+C)$ , and therefore numerically less than  $\cos(C-B)\cos(C+B)$ ; for we may suppose  $C$  not less than  $B$ , and then  $C-B$  is less than  $180^\circ - C - B$ . Hence  $\cos^2 A$  is greater than  $\cos^2 A'$ , and  $A$  is less than  $A'$ , and therefore  $A+B+C$  is less than  $180^\circ$ .

38. By Art. 113 we have  $\sin A + \sin B + \sin C - \sin(A+B+C)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sin A(1 - \cos B \cos C) + \sin B(1 - \cos C \cos A) + \sin C(1 - \cos A \cos B) \\
 &\quad + \sin A \sin B \sin C;
 \end{aligned}$$

and as  $A, B,$  and  $C$  are acute this expression is necessarily positive.

39. Let  $u = \left(\cos \frac{\alpha}{n}\right)^{n^2}$ ;

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{therefore} \quad \log u &= n^2 \log \cos \frac{\alpha}{n} = \frac{n^2}{2} \log \left(1 - \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n}\right) \\
 &= -\frac{n^2}{2} \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^4 \frac{\alpha}{n} + \frac{1}{3} \sin^6 \frac{\alpha}{n} + \dots \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Now  $n \sin \frac{\alpha}{n} = a \frac{\sin \frac{\alpha}{n}}{\frac{\alpha}{n}}$ , and this is equal to  $a$  when  $n$  is indefinitely

increased; and therefore  $n^2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n}$  is equal to  $a^2$ .

Then  $n^2 \sin^4 \frac{\alpha}{n} = n^2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n} \times \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n}$ ; and this vanishes when  $n$  is indefinitely increased. Similarly the other terms in  $\log u$  vanish, and as in Art. 150 their sum vanishes also; and thus  $\log u = -\frac{\alpha^2}{2}$  ultimately.

Therefore  $u = e^{-\frac{\alpha^2}{2}}$ .

40. Let  $u = \left(\cos \frac{\alpha}{n}\right)^{n^3}$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \log u &= n^3 \log \cos \frac{\alpha}{n} = \frac{n^3}{2} \log \left(1 - \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n}\right) \\ &= -\frac{n^3}{2} \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^4 \frac{\alpha}{n} + \frac{1}{3} \sin^6 \frac{\alpha}{n} + \dots \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Now we have shewn in solving the preceding Example that  $n^2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n} = \alpha^2$  ultimately; hence  $n^3 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{n} = n\alpha^2$ , and so becomes infinite. Thus the logarithm of  $u$  is negative infinity, and therefore  $u$  vanishes ultimately.

41.  $\sin \theta - (\tan \theta - \frac{1}{2} \tan^3 \theta) = \sin \theta - \tan \theta + \frac{1}{2} \tan^3 \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin \theta - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{\cos^3 \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos^3 \theta} \left\{ \cos^3 \theta - \cos^2 \theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \theta \right\} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{2 \cos^3 \theta} \{ 2 \cos^3 \theta - 2 \cos^2 \theta + 1 - \cos^2 \theta \} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta)}{2 \cos^3 \theta} \{ 1 + \cos \theta - 2 \cos^2 \theta \} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta) (1 - \cos \theta) (1 + 2 \cos \theta)}{2 \cos^3 \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta)^2 (1 + 2 \cos \theta)}{2 \cos^3 \theta}, \text{ which is positive.} \end{aligned}$$

42. Let  $u = \left(\frac{x-1}{x}\right)^x$ ; then

$$\begin{aligned} \log u &= x \log \frac{x-1}{x} = x \log \left(1 - \frac{1}{x}\right) \\ &= -x \left\{ \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2x^2} + \frac{1}{3x^3} + \dots \right\} \\ &= -\left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{2x} + \frac{1}{3x^2} + \dots \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus the logarithm is always negative, and as  $x$  increases the logarithm diminishes numerically, and so  $u$  increases; when  $x$  is infinite  $\log u = -1$ ; and therefore  $u = e^{-1}$ .

CHAPTER XI.

$$1. \quad \begin{array}{r} 4.0948553 \\ 4.0948204 \\ \hline .0000349 \end{array} \quad 1 : .35 :: .0000349 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0000122;$

therefore  $\log 12440.35 = 4.0948326.$

$$2. \quad \begin{array}{r} .0288558 \\ .0288152 \\ \hline .0000406 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} .0288355 \\ .0288152 \\ \hline .0000203 \end{array} \quad .0000406 : .0000203 :: .0001 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .00005;$

therefore  $\log 1.06865 = .0288355.$

$$3. \quad \begin{array}{r} 4.3702725 \\ 4.3702540 \\ \hline .0000185 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 185 \\ 370 \\ 555 \\ 740 \\ 925 \\ 1110 \\ 1295 \\ 1480 \\ 1665 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \log 23456 = 4.3702540 \\ \text{add for } 3 \quad 555 \\ \quad 8 \quad 1480 \\ \hline 4.370261030 \end{array}$$

therefore retaining 7 places of decimals

$$\log 23456.38 = 4.3702610, \text{ and } \log .2345638 = \bar{1}.3702610.$$

$$4. \quad - (1.8753145) = \bar{2}.1246855.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} .1246998 \\ .1246672 \\ \hline .0000326 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} .1246855 \\ .1246672 \\ \hline .0000183 \end{array} \quad .0000326 : .0000183 :: .0001 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .000056;$

therefore  $\log 1.332556 = .1246855,$

therefore  $\log .01332556 = \bar{2}.1246855.$

$$5. \quad \begin{array}{r} .5860356 \\ .5860244 \\ \hline .0000112 \end{array} \quad .0001 : .00004 :: .0000112 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0000045;$

therefore  $\log 3.85504 = .5860289;$

therefore  $\log .00385504 = \bar{3}.5860289;$

$$\text{therefore } \log (.00385504)^{\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{1}{4} (\bar{3}.5860289) = \frac{1}{4} (-4 + 1.5860289) = \bar{1}.3965072.$$

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6.  $\log(24)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \log 24 = \cdot 6901056.$

<u>·6901074</u>	·6901056	
<u>·6900986</u>	·6900986	
·0000088	·0000070	·0000088 : ·0000070 :: ·0001 : x;

this gives  $x = \cdot 000079;$

therefore  $\log 4\cdot 898979 = \cdot 6901056;$

therefore  $(24)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 4\cdot 898979.$

7.  $\log(142\cdot 71)^{\frac{1}{7}} = \frac{1}{7} \times 2\cdot 1544544 = \cdot 3077792.$

<u>·3077954</u>	·3077792	
<u>·3077741</u>	·3077741	
·0000213	·0000051	·0000213 : ·0000051 :: 1 : x;

this gives  $x = \cdot 24;$

therefore  $\log 20313\cdot 24 = 4\cdot 3077792;$

therefore  $\log 2\cdot 031324 = \cdot 3077792;$

therefore  $(142\cdot 71)^{\frac{1}{7}} = 2\cdot 031324.$

8.  $\log(\cdot 07)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \frac{1}{5} \log \cdot 07 = \frac{1}{5} (\bar{2}\cdot 8450980) = \frac{1}{5} (-5 + 3\cdot 8450980) = \bar{1}\cdot 7690196.$

<u>·7690227</u>	·7690196	
<u>·7690153</u>	·7690153	
·0000074	·0000043	·0000074 : ·0000043 :: 1 : x;

this gives  $x = \cdot 58;$

therefore  $\log 58751\cdot 58 = 4\cdot 7690196;$

therefore  $\log \cdot 5875158 = \bar{1}\cdot 7690196;$

therefore  $(\cdot 07)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \cdot 5875158.$

9.  $\log(\cdot 0625)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \log\left(\frac{625}{10000}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \log\left(\frac{125}{2000}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \log\left(\frac{25}{400}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}}$   
 $= \log\left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}} = -\frac{1}{5} \log 16 = -\frac{4}{5} \log 2 = -\cdot 2408240$   
 $= \bar{1}\cdot 7591760 = \log \cdot 5743491;$

therefore  $(\cdot 0625)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \cdot 5743491.$

10.  $\log(27)^{-\frac{1}{5}} = -\frac{1}{5} \log 27 = -\frac{1}{5} (1\cdot 4313638) = -\cdot 2862728$   
 $= \bar{1}\cdot 7137272 = \log \cdot 5172818;$

therefore  $(27)^{-\frac{1}{5}} = \cdot 5172818.$

$$11. \log 71968.6 = 4.8571394 + \frac{6}{10} \text{ of } .0000060 = 4.8571430;$$

$$\log (.0719686)^{\frac{1}{8}} = \frac{1}{8} (\bar{2}.8571430) = \frac{1}{8} (-8 + 6.8571430) = \bar{1}.8571429.$$

But  $\log .719686 = \bar{1}.8571430$ ; therefore  $(.0719686)^{\frac{1}{8}} = .719686$ .

$$12. \log (1.03)^{-10} = -10 \times .0128372 = -.128372 = \bar{1}.871628 = \log .7440942;$$

therefore  $(1.03)^{-10} = .7440942$ .

$$13. \log (1.05)^{-20} = -20 \times .0211893 = -.423786 = \bar{1}.576214 = \log .37689;$$

therefore  $(1.05)^{-20} = .37689$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad 64 \{1 - (1.05)^{-20}\} &= 64 \{1 - .37689\} \\ &= 64 \times .62311 = 39.87904. \end{aligned}$$

14. Denote it by  $u$ ; then  $\log u = \sqrt{5} \log 5 = 2 \sqrt{5} \log \sqrt{5}$ ;

therefore  $\log (\log u) = \log 2 + \log \sqrt{5} + \log (\log \sqrt{5})$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now} \quad \log \sqrt{5} &= \frac{1}{2} \log 5 = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{10}{2} = \frac{1}{2} (1 - \log 2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (1 - .301030) = \frac{1}{2} (.698970) = .349485, \end{aligned}$$

$$\log (\log \sqrt{5}) = \log .349485 = \bar{1}.543428.$$

Therefore  $\log (\log u) = .301030 + .349485 + \bar{1}.543428 = .193943$ .

Therefore  $\log u = 1.562944$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} .563006 \\ .562887 \\ \hline .000119 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} .562944 \\ .562887 \\ \hline .000057 \end{array} \quad .000119 : .000057 :: .001 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .00048$ ; therefore  $u = 36.5548$ .

$$15. \log 144 = \log 12^2 = 2 \log 12 = 2.1583624;$$

$$\log (1.44)^{-6} = -6 \log 1.44 = -.6 (.1583624) = -.09501744$$

$$= \bar{1}.0498256 = \log .1121568;$$

therefore  $(1.44)^{-6} = .1121568$ .

$$\log (1.44)^{-12} = -12 \log 1.44 = -12 (.1583624) = -1.9003488$$

$$= \bar{2}.0996512 = \log .01257915;$$

therefore  $(1.44)^{-12} = .01257915$ ;

therefore  $(1.44)^{-6} - (1.44)^{-12} = .1121568 - .01257915 = .09957765$ .

$$16. \quad \log \frac{1}{(1.05)^{13}} = -13 \log 1.05 = -13 (.0211893) = -.2754609 \\ = \bar{1}.7245391 = \log .5303214;$$

therefore  $\frac{1}{(1.05)^{13}} = .5303214;$

$$\log \frac{1}{(1.05)^{20}} = -20 \log 1.05 = -20 (.0211893) = -.422786 \\ = \bar{1}.576214 = \log .3768894;$$

therefore  $\frac{1}{(1.05)^{20}} = .3768894;$

therefore  $\frac{1}{.05} \left\{ \frac{1}{(1.05)^{13}} - \frac{1}{(1.05)^{20}} \right\} = 20 \{ .5303214 - .3768894 \} \\ = 20 \times .153432 = 3.06864.$

$$17. \quad \begin{array}{r} .7431448 \\ .7313537 \\ \hline .0117911 \end{array} \quad 60' : 1' :: .0117911 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0001965;$

therefore  $\sin 47^{\circ} 1' = .7313537 + .0001965 = .7315502.$

$$18. \quad \begin{array}{r} .1270646 \\ .1267761 \\ \hline .0002885 \end{array} \quad 60'' : 25'' :: .0002885 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0001202;$

therefore  $\sin 7^{\circ} 17' 25'' = .1267761 + .0001202 = .1268963.$

$$19. \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.4663483 \\ 9.4659353 \\ \hline .0004130 \end{array} \quad 60'' : 12'' :: .0004130 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0000826;$

therefore  $L \sin 17^{\circ} 0' 12'' = 9.4659353 + .0000826 = 9.4660179.$

$$20. \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.6482582 \\ 9.6480038 \\ \hline .0002544 \end{array} \quad 60'' : 12'' :: .0002544 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0000509;$

therefore  $L \sin 26^{\circ} 24' 12'' = 9.6480038 + .0000509 = 9.6480547.$

$$21. \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.5052891 \\ 9.5048538 \\ \hline .0004353 \end{array} \quad 60'' : 35'' :: .0004353 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0002539;$

therefore  $L \cot 72^{\circ} 15' 35'' = 9.5052891 - .0002539 = 9.5050352.$

$$22. \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.1604569 \\ 9.1603493 \\ \hline .0001076 \end{array} \quad .0001486 : .0001076 :: 10 : x;$$

this gives  $x=7$ ; therefore the required angle is  $81^{\circ} 46' 7''$ .

$$23. \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.9713383 \\ 9.9713351 \\ \hline .0000032 \end{array} \quad .0000079 : .0000032 :: 10 : x;$$

this gives  $x=4$ ; therefore the required angle is  $20^{\circ} 35' 20'' - 4''$ , that is  $20^{\circ} 35' 16''$ . For as the  $L$  cosine increases the angle diminishes.

$$24. \quad 60'' : 26'' :: .0000865 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0000375$ ;

$$\text{therefore } L \cos 34^{\circ} 24' 25'' = 9.9165137 - .0000375 = 9.9164762.$$

$$\text{Again} \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.9165646 \\ 9.9165137 \\ \hline .0000509 \end{array} \quad .0000865 : .0000509 :: 60 : x;$$

this gives  $x=35$ ; therefore the required angle is  $34^{\circ} 24' - 35''$ , that is  $34^{\circ} 23' 25''$ .

25. Since  $\sec \theta \times \cos \theta = 1$ , we have  $\log \sec \theta + \log \cos \theta = 0$ ;

therefore  $L \sec \theta + L \cos \theta - 20 = 0$ ; therefore  $L \sec \theta = 20 - L \cos \theta$ .

We shall first find  $L \cos 37^{\circ} 19' 47''$ .

$$60'' : 47'' :: .0000963 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0000754$ ;

$$\text{therefore } L \cos 37^{\circ} 19' 47'' = 9.9005294 - .0000754 = 9.9004540.$$

$$\text{Then } L \sec 37^{\circ} 19' 47'' = 20 - 9.9004540 = 10.0995460.$$

Next find  $L \sin 37^{\circ} 19' 47''$ .

$$60'' : 47'' :: .0001657 : x;$$

this gives  $x = .0001298$ ;

$$\text{therefore } L \sin 37^{\circ} 19' 47'' = 9.7826301 + .0001298 = 9.7827599.$$

$$\text{Then } \tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}; \text{ therefore } \log \tan \theta = \log \sin \theta - \log \cos \theta;$$

$$\text{therefore } L \tan \theta - 10 = L \sin \theta - 10 - (L \cos \theta - 10) = L \sin \theta - L \cos \theta;$$

$$\text{therefore } L \tan \theta = 10 + L \sin \theta - L \cos \theta.$$

$$\text{Thus } L \tan 37^{\circ} 19' 47'' = 10 + 9.7827599 - 9.9004540 = 9.8823059.$$

$$26. \quad 60'' : 24'' \cdot 6 :: \cdot 0001998 : x;$$

$$\text{this gives} \quad x = \cdot 0000819;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad L \sin 32^\circ 18' 24'' \cdot 6 = 9 \cdot 7278277 + \cdot 0000819 = 9 \cdot 7279096.$$

$$60'' : 24'' \cdot 6 :: \cdot 0000799 : x;$$

$$\text{this gives} \quad x = \cdot 0000328;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad L \cos 32^\circ 18' 24'' \cdot 6 = 9 \cdot 9269913 - \cdot 0000328 = 9 \cdot 9269585.$$

$$\text{And} \quad L \tan 32^\circ 18' 24'' \cdot 6 = 10 + L \sin 32^\circ 18' 24'' \cdot 6 - L \cos 32^\circ 18' 24'' \cdot 6 \\ = 9 \cdot 8009511.$$

## CHAPTER XII.

1. Let  $ABCD$  denote the rectangle. From  $A$  draw  $AP$  perpendicular to the diagonal  $BD$ ; and from  $P$  draw  $PM$  perpendicular to  $BC$ , and  $PV$  perpendicular to  $CD$ .

Let the angle  $DBA$  be denoted by  $\alpha$ ; then

$$AB = c \cos \alpha, \quad BP = AB \cos \alpha = c \cos^2 \alpha,$$

$$PM = BP \cos BPM = BP \cos \alpha = c \cos^3 \alpha.$$

Thus denoting  $PM$  by  $p$  we have  $p = c \cos^3 \alpha$ .

Similarly  $AD = c \sin \alpha$ ,  $PD = AD \sin PAD = AD \sin \alpha = c \sin^3 \alpha$ ,

$$PN = PD \sin PDN = PD \sin \alpha = c \sin^3 \alpha.$$

Thus  $q = c \sin^3 \alpha$ .

$$\text{Therefore} \quad p^{\frac{2}{3}} + q^{\frac{2}{3}} = (c \cos^3 \alpha)^{\frac{2}{3}} + (c \sin^3 \alpha)^{\frac{2}{3}} = c^{\frac{2}{3}} (\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha) = c^{\frac{2}{3}}.$$

2. Let  $a$  denote the radius of the larger circle, and  $b$  the radius of the smaller circle. Let  $x$  denote the distance of the point of intersection of the two common tangents from the centre of the larger circle; therefore  $x - a - b$  denotes the distance of this point from the centre of the smaller circle.

$$\text{Then} \quad \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{a}{x}, \quad \text{and also} \quad \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{b}{x - a - b};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad x = \frac{a}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}, \quad \text{and} \quad x - a - b = \frac{b}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore, by subtraction,} \quad a + b = \frac{a - b}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{a - b}{a + b}; \quad \text{therefore} \quad \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{2\sqrt{ab}}{a + b};$$

$$\text{and} \quad \sin \theta = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{4(a - b)\sqrt{ab}}{(a + b)^2}.$$



3.  $\sec a \sec \theta + \tan a \tan \theta = \sec \beta;$

therefore  $\sec a \sec \theta = \sec \beta - \tan a \tan \theta;$

therefore  $\sec^2 a \sec^2 \theta = (\sec \beta - \tan a \tan \theta)^2;$

therefore  $\sec^2 a (1 + \tan^2 \theta) = \sec^2 \beta - 2 \sec \beta \tan a \tan \theta + \tan^2 a \tan^2 \theta;$

therefore  $(\sec^2 a - \tan^2 a) \tan^2 \theta + 2 \sec \beta \tan a \tan \theta = \sec^2 \beta - \sec^2 a;$

therefore  $\tan^2 \theta + 2 \sec \beta \tan a \tan \theta = \sec^2 \beta - \sec^2 a;$

therefore  $(\tan \theta + \tan a \sec \beta)^2 = \sec^2 \beta - \sec^2 a + \tan^2 a \sec^2 \beta$   
 $= \sec^2 \beta \sec^2 a - \sec^2 a = \tan^2 \beta \sec^2 a;$

therefore  $\tan \theta + \tan a \sec \beta = \pm \tan \beta \sec a;$

therefore  $\tan \theta = -\tan a \sec \beta \pm \tan \beta \sec a$   
 $= -\frac{\sin a}{\cos a \cos \beta} \pm \frac{\sin \beta}{\cos \beta \cos a} = \frac{-\sin a \pm \sin \beta}{\cos a \cos \beta}.$

4.  $\frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos 2\theta}{\text{vers } \theta \cot \theta} = \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos 2\theta \sin \theta}{\text{vers } \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos 2\theta}{(1 - \cos \theta) \cos \theta}$   
 $= \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos 2\theta}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \theta} = \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos 2\theta}{\cos \theta};$

and the value of this is unity when  $\theta=0$ .

$$\frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\sec 2\theta - 1} = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta (\sec 2\theta - 1)} = \frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos 2\theta}{\cos^2 \theta (1 - \cos 2\theta)}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos 2\theta}{2 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{\cos 2\theta}{2 \cos^2 \theta};$$

and the value of this is  $\frac{1}{2}$  when  $\theta=0$ .

5.  $\cot \frac{\theta}{2} - (1 + \cot \theta) = \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \cot \theta - 1 = \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}} - \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - 1$   
 $= \frac{\sin \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \theta \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \theta} - 1 = \frac{\sin \left( \theta - \frac{\theta}{2} \right)}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \theta} - 1 = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - 1;$

now this is always positive as  $\theta$  changes from 0 to  $\pi$ , except when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , and then it is zero.

$$6. \quad \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\tan \theta + c - 1}{\tan \theta + c + 1};$$

therefore  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} (\tan \theta + c + 1) = \tan \theta + c - 1;$

therefore  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} \left( \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} + c + 1 \right) = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} + c - 1;$

therefore  $2 \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + (c + 1) \left( 1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$   
 $= 2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2} + (c - 1) \left( 1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right);$

therefore  $(c + 1) \tan^3 \frac{\theta}{2} - (1 + c) \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + (1 - c) \tan \frac{\theta}{2} + (c - 1) = 0;$

therefore  $(c + 1) \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} (\tan \frac{\theta}{2} - 1) = (c - 1) (\tan \frac{\theta}{2} - 1);$

therefore either  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} - 1 = 0$ , or  $(c + 1) \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = c - 1$ .

Thus  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = 1$ , or  $\pm \sqrt{\frac{c - 1}{c + 1}}$ .

7.  $a \sec^2 \theta - b \cos \theta = 2a$ , therefore  $a - b \cos^3 \theta = 2a \cos^2 \theta;$

therefore  $b \cos^3 \theta = a - 2a \cos^2 \theta;$

again  $b \cos^2 \theta - a \sec \theta = 2b$ , therefore  $b \cos^3 \theta = 2b \cos \theta + a;$

thus  $a - 2a \cos^2 \theta = 2b \cos \theta + a;$

therefore  $-a \cos \theta = b;$  therefore  $\cos \theta = -\frac{b}{a}.$

Substitute this value of  $\cos \theta$  in either of the given equations, for instance the first; thus  $\frac{a^3}{b^2} + \frac{b^3}{a} = 2a;$  therefore  $a^4 + b^4 - 2a^2b^2 = 0;$  therefore  $a^2 = b^2.$

8.  $a^2 + b^2 = (\sin a \cos \beta \sin \theta + \cos a \cos \theta)^2 + (\sin a \cos \beta \cos \theta - \cos a \sin \theta)^2$   
 $= \sin^2 a \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 a;$

$$\frac{c^2}{\sin^2 \theta} = \sin^2 a \sin^2 \beta;$$

therefore 
$$a^2 + b^2 + \frac{c^2}{\sin^2 \theta} = \sin^2 a \cos^2 \beta + \sin^2 a \sin^2 \beta + \cos^2 a$$

$$= \sin^2 a + \cos^2 a = 1.$$

9.  $b + c \cos a = u \cos (a - \theta), \quad b + c \cos \beta = u \cos (\beta - \theta),$

therefore  $2b + c (\cos a + \cos \beta) = u \cos (a - \theta) + u \cos (\beta - \theta);$

therefore  $b + c \cos \frac{a+\beta}{2} \cos \frac{a-\beta}{2} = u \cos \left( \frac{a+\beta}{2} - \theta \right) \cos \frac{a-\beta}{2};$

therefore  $b \sec \frac{a-\beta}{2} = u \cos \left( \frac{a+\beta}{2} - \theta \right) - c \cos \frac{a+\beta}{2} \dots \dots \dots (1).$

Again from the first two equations, by subtraction,

$$c (\cos a - \cos \beta) = u \cos (a - \theta) - u \cos (\beta - \theta);$$

therefore  $c \sin \frac{\beta-a}{2} \sin \frac{a+\beta}{2} = u \sin \frac{\beta-a}{2} \sin \left( \frac{a+\beta}{2} - \theta \right);$

therefore  $0 = u \sin \left( \frac{a+\beta}{2} - \theta \right) - c \sin \frac{a+\beta}{2} \dots \dots \dots (2).$

Square and add (1) and (2); thus

$$b^2 \sec^2 \delta = u^2 + c^2 - 2uc \left\{ \cos \left( \frac{a+\beta}{2} - \theta \right) \cos \frac{a+\beta}{2} + \sin \left( \frac{a+\beta}{2} - \theta \right) \sin \frac{a+\beta}{2} \right\}$$

$$= u^2 + c^2 - 2uc \cos \theta.$$

10.  $a \tan^2 \theta - x = \frac{2a \tan \theta \tan 2a \tan 2a'}{\tan 2a + \tan 2a'},$

$$a - x = \frac{2a \tan \theta}{\tan 2a + \tan 2a'};$$

therefore, by subtraction,

$$a (1 - \tan^2 \theta) = \frac{2a \tan \theta (1 - \tan 2a \tan 2a')}{\tan 2a + \tan 2a'};$$

therefore  $\frac{\tan 2a + \tan 2a'}{1 - \tan 2a \tan 2a'} = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta};$

therefore  $\tan (2a + 2a') = \tan 2\theta.$

11.  $\sin \theta + \sin \phi = a, \quad \cos \theta + \cos \phi = b;$

square and add; thus

$$2 + 2 (\cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi) = a^2 + b^2;$$

therefore  $2 + 2 \cos (\theta - \phi) = a^2 + b^2;$

therefore  $2 + 2c = a^2 + b^2.$

12.  $x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = a$ ,  $x \cos (\theta + 2\phi) - y \sin (\theta + 2\phi) = a$  ;  
therefore, by subtraction,

$$x \{ \cos \theta - \cos (\theta + 2\phi) \} + y \{ \sin \theta + \sin (\theta + 2\phi) \} = 0 ;$$

therefore  $x \sin (\theta + \phi) \sin \phi + y \sin (\theta + \phi) \cos \phi = 0$  ;

therefore  $x \sin \phi + y \cos \phi = 0$  ..... (1).

Again, by addition,

$$x \{ \cos \theta + \cos (\theta + 2\phi) \} + y \{ \sin \theta - \sin (\theta + 2\phi) \} = 2a ;$$

therefore  $x \cos (\theta + \phi) \cos \phi - y \cos (\theta + \phi) \sin \phi = a$  ;

therefore  $x \cos \phi - y \sin \phi = \frac{a}{\cos (\theta + \phi)}$  ..... (2).

Square and add (1) and (2) : thus

$$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{a^2}{\cos^2 (\theta + \phi)} = \frac{a^2}{1 - \sin^2 (\theta + \phi)} = \frac{a^2}{1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \phi} ;$$

therefore  $(x^2 + y^2) \left( 1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \phi \right) = a^2$ .

But from (1)  $x^2 \sin^2 \phi = y^2 \cos^2 \phi = y^2 (1 - \sin^2 \phi)$  ;

therefore  $\sin^2 \phi = \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ .

Therefore  $(x^2 + y^2) \left\{ 1 - \frac{a^2 y^2}{b^2 (x^2 + y^2)} \right\} = a^2$  ;

therefore  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 + \frac{a^2 y^2}{b^2}$ .

13.  $\tan c = \tan (x + y) = \frac{\tan x + \tan y}{1 - \tan x \tan y}$ .

Now  $\tan x + \tan y = a$ , and  $\cot x + \cot y = b$  ;

therefore  $\frac{1}{\tan x} + \frac{1}{\tan y} = b$  ;

therefore  $\tan x + \tan y = b \tan x \tan y$  ;

therefore  $a = b \tan x \tan y$  ; therefore  $\tan x \tan y = \frac{a}{b}$  ;

therefore  $\tan c = \frac{a}{1 - \frac{a}{b}} = \frac{ab}{b - a}$  ;

therefore  $\cot c = \frac{b - a}{ab} = \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b}$ .

$$14. \quad \frac{x}{a} = \frac{\sec^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta}{\sec^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{1 - \cos^4 \theta}{1 + \cos^4 \theta},$$

$$\frac{2b}{y} = \sec^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = \frac{1 + \cos^4 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta};$$

therefore  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \left( \frac{1 - \cos^4 \theta}{1 + \cos^4 \theta} \right)^2 + \frac{4 \cos^4 \theta}{(1 + \cos^4 \theta)^2} = \left( \frac{1 + \cos^4 \theta}{1 + \cos^4 \theta} \right)^2 = 1.$

$$15. \quad (a + b) \tan (\theta - \phi) = (a - b) \tan (\theta + \phi),$$

therefore  $(a + b) \sin (\theta - \phi) \cos (\theta + \phi) = (a - b) \sin (\theta + \phi) \cos (\theta - \phi);$

therefore  $b \{ \sin (\theta + \phi) \cos (\theta - \phi) + \sin (\theta - \phi) \cos (\theta + \phi) \}$   
 $= a \{ \sin (\theta + \phi) \cos (\theta - \phi) - \sin (\theta - \phi) \cos (\theta + \phi) \};$

therefore  $b \sin 2\theta = a \sin 2\phi,$

and  $b \cos 2\theta = c - a \cos 2\phi;$

square and add; thus  $b^2 = c^2 + a^2 - 2ac \cos 2\phi.$

$$16. \quad x = \frac{z \sin (\theta + \theta')}{\sin 2\theta}, \quad y = \frac{z \sin (\theta - \theta')}{\sin 2\theta}.$$

Square and substitute in the first given equation; thus

$$\frac{z^2 \sin^2 (\theta + \theta')}{a^2 \sin^2 2\theta} \cos \theta = \frac{z^2 \sin^2 (\theta - \theta')}{a^2 \sin^2 2\theta} \cos \theta + \frac{z^2}{b^2} \cos^2 \theta';$$

therefore  $\frac{\sin^2 (\theta + \theta') \cos \theta - \sin^2 (\theta - \theta') \cos \theta}{a^2 \sin^2 2\theta} = \frac{\cos \theta'}{b^2};$

therefore  $\frac{(\sin \theta \cos \theta' + \cos \theta \sin \theta')^2 - (\sin \theta \cos \theta' - \cos \theta \sin \theta')^2}{4a^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} \cos \theta = \frac{\cos \theta'}{b^2};$

therefore  $\frac{4 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta' \cos \theta'}{4a^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta'}{b^2};$

therefore  $\frac{\sin \theta'}{\sin \theta} = \frac{a^2}{b^2}.$

$$17. \quad y \cos \phi - x \sin \phi = a \cos 2\phi \dots\dots\dots (1),$$

$$y \sin \phi + x \cos \phi = 2a \sin 2\phi \dots\dots\dots (2).$$

Multiply (1) by  $\cos \phi$ , and (2) by  $\sin \phi$ , and add; thus

$$y = a \cos 2\phi \cos \phi + 2a \sin 2\phi \sin \phi$$

$$= a \cos \phi (\cos 2\phi + 4 \sin^2 \phi) = a \cos \phi (\cos^2 \phi + 3 \sin^2 \phi).$$

Again multiply (2) by  $\cos \phi$ , and (1) by  $\sin \phi$ , and subtract: thus

$$x = 2a \sin 2\phi \cos \phi - a \cos 2\phi \sin \phi$$

$$= a \sin \phi (4 \cos^2 \phi - \cos 2\phi) = a \sin \phi (3 \cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi).$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Thus } x + y &= a (\sin^3 \phi + \cos^3 \phi + 3 \sin^2 \phi \cos \phi + 3 \cos^2 \phi \sin \phi) \\ &= a (\sin \phi + \cos \phi)^3;\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{and } x - y &= a (\sin^3 \phi - 3 \sin^2 \phi \cos \phi + 3 \cos^2 \phi \sin \phi - \cos^3 \phi) \\ &= a (\sin \phi - \cos \phi)^3.\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } (x + y)^{\frac{2}{3}} + (x - y)^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}} \{(\sin \phi + \cos \phi)^2 + (\sin \phi - \cos \phi)^2\} = 2a^{\frac{2}{3}}.$$

$$18. \quad \cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi = \sin \beta \sin \gamma;$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi = (\sin \beta \sin \gamma - \cos \theta \cos \phi)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } (1 - \cos^2 \theta) (1 - \cos^2 \phi) = (\sin \beta \sin \gamma - \cos \theta \cos \phi)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } \left(1 - \frac{\sin^2 \beta}{\sin^2 \alpha}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\sin^2 \gamma}{\sin^2 \alpha}\right) = \left(\sin \beta \sin \gamma - \frac{\sin \beta \sin \gamma}{\sin^2 \alpha}\right)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } (\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta) (\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \gamma) = \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma (\sin^2 \alpha - 1)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin^4 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha (\sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma) = \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma (\sin^4 \alpha - 2 \sin^2 \alpha);$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta - \sin^2 \gamma = \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma (\sin^2 \alpha - 2);$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin^2 \alpha (1 - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma) = \sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma;$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin^2 \alpha = \frac{\sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}{1 - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma};$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos^2 \alpha = \frac{1 - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma - \sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma - \cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}{1 - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}$$

$$= \frac{(\sin^2 \beta + \cos^2 \beta) (\sin^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \gamma) - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma - \sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma - \cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}{1 - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma}{1 - \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}.$$

$$\text{Therefore } \tan^2 \alpha = \frac{\sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}{\cos^2 \beta \cos^2 \gamma}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 \beta}{\cos^2 \beta} + \frac{\sin^2 \gamma}{\cos^2 \gamma} = \tan^2 \beta + \tan^2 \gamma.$$

$$19. \quad m = \operatorname{cosec} \theta - \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \sin \theta = \frac{1 - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta},$$

$$n = \sec \theta - \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} - \cos \theta = \frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta};$$

$$\text{therefore } mn = \frac{\cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = \cos \theta \sin \theta;$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin \theta = \frac{mn}{\cos \theta}, \text{ and } \cos \theta = \frac{mn}{\sin \theta};$$

therefore 
$$m = \frac{\cos^3 \theta}{mn}, \text{ and } n = \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{mn};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \theta = (m^2 n)^{\frac{1}{3}}, \text{ and } \sin \theta = (mn^2)^{\frac{1}{3}};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = (m^2 n)^{\frac{2}{3}} + (mn^2)^{\frac{2}{3}};$$

therefore 
$$1 = (mn)^{\frac{2}{3}} \{m^{\frac{2}{3}} + n^{\frac{2}{3}}\}.$$

20. 
$$(x \sin \theta - y \cos \theta)^2 = x^2 + y^2;$$

therefore 
$$x^2 + y^2 - (x \sin \theta - y \cos \theta)^2 = 0;$$

therefore 
$$x^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2xy \sin \theta \cos \theta + y^2 \sin^2 \theta = 0;$$

therefore 
$$(x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta)^2 = 0;$$

therefore 
$$x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\tan \theta = -\frac{x}{y}.$$

Hence we obtain  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$  and  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + y^2}.$

Substitute in the second given equation: thus

$$\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} \left( \frac{y^2}{a^2} + \frac{x^2}{b^2} \right) = \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{y^2}{a^2} + \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

21. 
$$a \sin^2 \theta + a' \cos^2 \theta = b;$$

therefore 
$$a \sin^2 \theta + a' (1 - \sin^2 \theta) = b;$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{b - a'}{a - a'};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{a - b}{a - a'};$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \theta = \frac{b - a'}{a - b}.$$

Similarly we find 
$$\tan^2 \theta' = \frac{b' - a}{a' - b'}.$$

But 
$$a^2 \tan^2 \theta = a'^2 \tan^2 \theta';$$

therefore 
$$a^2 \frac{b - a'}{a - b} = a'^2 \frac{b' - a}{a' - b'};$$

therefore  $a^2(b-a')(b'-a') = a'^2(b'-a)(b-a)$ ;

therefore  $a^2\{bb' - a'(b+b')\} = a'^2\{bb' - a(b+b')\}$ ;

therefore  $bb'(a^2 - a'^2) = aa'(a-a')(b+b')$ ;

therefore  $bb'(a+a') = aa'(b+b')$ .

Divide by  $aa'bb'$ ; thus  $\frac{1}{a'} + \frac{1}{a} = \frac{1}{b'} + \frac{1}{b}$ .

22.  $y^2 \cos^2 \theta + x^2 \sin^2 \theta = \frac{x^2 y^2}{a^2} = \frac{a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{a^2} = b^2 \sin^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $\frac{y^2}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta) + \frac{x^2}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta) = b^2 \sin^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $x^2 + y^2 + (y^2 - x^2) \cos 2\theta = 2b^2 \sin^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $a^2 + b^2 + \{(y^2 + x^2)^2 - 4y^2 x^2\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos 2\theta = 2b^2 \sin^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $a^2 + b^2 + \{(a^2 + b^2)^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos 2\theta = 2b^2 \sin^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $\cos 2\theta = \frac{2b^2 \sin^2 \alpha - b^2 - a^2}{\{(a^2 + b^2)^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha\}^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ ;

therefore  $\sin^2 2\theta = \frac{-4a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha + 4b^2 \sin^2 \alpha (b^2 + a^2) - 4b^4 \sin^4 \alpha}{(a^2 + b^2)^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha}$   
 $= \frac{4b^4 \sin^2 \alpha (1 - \sin^2 \alpha)}{(a^2 + b^2)^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha}$ ;

therefore  $\pm \sin 2\theta = \frac{2b^2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}{\{(a^2 + b^2)^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \alpha\}^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ .

Hence by division

$$\begin{aligned} \pm \cot 2\theta &= \frac{2b^2 \sin^2 \alpha - b^2 - a^2}{2b^2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha} = -\frac{a^2 + b^2 \cos 2\alpha}{b^2 \sin 2\alpha} \\ &= -\cot 2\alpha - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \operatorname{cosec} 2\alpha, \end{aligned}$$

which we may also express thus

$$\pm \cot 2\theta = \cot 2\alpha + \frac{a^2}{b^2} \operatorname{cosec} 2\alpha.$$

23. Let  $\frac{\cos x}{a_1}$ ,  $\frac{\cos 2x}{a_2}$ , and  $\frac{\cos 3x}{a_3}$  each be equal to  $\frac{1}{k}$ ; then

$$a_1 = k \cos x, \quad a_2 = k \cos 2x, \quad \text{and} \quad a_3 = k \cos 3x.$$

Therefore  $\frac{2a_2 - a_1 - a_3}{4a_2} = \frac{2 \cos 2x - \cos x - \cos 3x}{4 \cos 2x}$   
 $= \frac{2 \cos 2x - 2 \cos 2x \cos x}{4 \cos 2x} = \frac{1 - \cos x}{2} = \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}.$



24. Let  $\frac{\sin x}{a_1}$ ,  $\frac{\sin 3x}{a_3}$ , and  $\frac{\sin 5x}{a_5}$  each be equal to  $\frac{1}{k}$ ; then

$$a_1 = k \sin x, \quad a_3 = k \sin 3x, \quad \text{and} \quad a_5 = k \sin 5x.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore} \quad \frac{a_1 - 2a_3 + a_5}{a_3} &= \frac{\sin x - 2 \sin 3x + \sin 5x}{\sin 3x} = \frac{2 \sin 3x \cos 2x - 2 \sin 3x}{\sin 3x} \\ &= 2 (\cos 2x - 1) = -4 \sin^2 x; \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{a_3 - 3a_1}{a_1} = \frac{\sin 3x - 3 \sin x}{\sin x} = \frac{3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x - 3 \sin x}{\sin x} = -4 \sin^2 x.$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad \frac{a_1 - 2a_3 + a_5}{a_3} = \frac{a_3 - 3a_1}{a_1}.$$

25. Let  $\frac{1}{k}$  denote the value of the fractions which are given equal; thus

$$a_1 = k \cos x, \quad a_2 = k \cos (x + \theta), \quad a_3 = k \cos (x + 2\theta), \quad a_4 = k \cos (x + 3\theta);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{a_1 + a_3}{a_2} = \frac{\cos x + \cos (x + 2\theta)}{\cos (x + \theta)} = \frac{2 \cos (x + \theta) \cos \theta}{\cos (x + \theta)} = 2 \cos \theta,$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{a_2 + a_4}{a_3} = \frac{\cos (x + \theta) + \cos (x + 3\theta)}{\cos (x + 2\theta)} = \frac{2 \cos (x + 2\theta) \cos \theta}{\cos (x + 2\theta)} = 2 \cos \theta;$$

thus the required result is established.

$$26. \quad \sin^2 \phi = \frac{\cos 2a \cos 2a'}{\cos^2 (a + a')};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad \cos^2 \phi &= \frac{\cos^2 (a + a') - \cos 2a \cos 2a'}{\cos^2 (a + a')} \\ &= \frac{1 + \cos 2(a + a') - \cos 2(a + a') - \cos 2(a - a')}{2 \cos^2 (a + a')} = \frac{\sin^2 (a - a')}{\cos^2 (a + a')}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \phi = \pm \frac{\sin (a - a')}{\cos (a + a')}.$$

Take the upper sign; then  $\cos \phi = \frac{\sin (a - a')}{\cos (a + a')}$ ; therefore

$$\frac{1 - \cos \phi}{1 + \cos \phi} = \frac{\cos (a + a') - \sin (a - a')}{\cos (a + a') + \sin (a - a')} = \frac{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - a - a' \right) - \sin (a - a')}{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - a - a' \right) + \sin (a - a')}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2 \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - a \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - a' \right)}{2 \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - a' \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - a \right)} = \frac{\tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - a \right)}{\tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - a' \right)}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2} = \frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a\right)}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a'\right)}.$$

Take the lower sign; then  $\cos \phi = -\frac{\sin(a - a')}{\cos(a + a')}$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 - \cos \phi}{1 + \cos \phi} &= \frac{\cos(a + a') + \sin(a - a')}{\cos(a + a') - \sin(a - a')} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - a - a'\right) + \sin(a - a')}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - a - a'\right) - \sin(a - a')} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a'\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a'\right)} = \frac{\cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a\right)}{\cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - a'\right)} = \frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + a\right)}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + a'\right)}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2} = \frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + a\right)}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + a'\right)}.$$

27. 
$$\frac{\sin(\theta - \beta) \cos \alpha}{\sin(\phi - \alpha) \cos \beta} + \frac{\cos(\alpha + \theta) \sin \beta}{\cos(\phi - \beta) \sin \alpha} = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin(\theta - \beta) \cos \alpha}{\cos(\alpha + \theta) \cos \beta} + \frac{\sin(\phi - \alpha) \sin \beta}{\cos(\phi - \beta) \sin \alpha} = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{(\sin \theta \cos \beta - \cos \theta \sin \beta) \cos \alpha}{(\cos \alpha \cos \theta - \sin \alpha \sin \theta) \cos \beta} + \frac{(\sin \phi \cos \alpha - \cos \phi \sin \alpha) \sin \beta}{(\cos \phi \cos \beta + \sin \phi \sin \beta) \sin \alpha} = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{(\tan \theta \cos \beta - \sin \beta) \cos \alpha}{(\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha \tan \theta) \cos \beta} + \frac{(\tan \phi \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha) \sin \beta}{(\cos \beta + \tan \phi \sin \beta) \sin \alpha} = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\tan \theta - \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \theta} + \frac{\tan \phi \cot \alpha - 1}{\cot \beta + \tan \phi} = 0;$$

therefore  $(\tan \theta - \tan \beta)(\cot \beta + \tan \phi) + (\tan \phi \cot \alpha - 1)(1 - \tan \alpha \tan \theta) = 0;$

therefore  $\tan \theta(\cot \beta + \tan \alpha) + \tan \phi(\cot \alpha - \tan \beta) = 2.$

But  $\tan \theta = -\tan \phi \cdot \frac{\tan \beta \cos(\alpha - \beta)}{\tan \alpha \cos(\alpha + \beta)}$ ; therefore

$$-\tan \phi \cdot (\cot \beta + \tan \alpha) \frac{\tan \beta \cos(\alpha - \beta)}{\tan \alpha \cos(\alpha + \beta)} + \tan \phi(\cot \alpha - \tan \beta) = 2;$$

therefore  $-\tan \phi(\cot \alpha + \tan \beta) \cos(\alpha - \beta) + \tan \phi(\cot \alpha - \tan \beta) \cos(\alpha + \beta) = 2 \cos(\alpha + \beta);$

therefore  $\tan \phi \{ \cot \alpha [\cos (\alpha + \beta) - \cos (\alpha - \beta)] - \tan \beta [\cos (\alpha + \beta) + \cos (\alpha - \beta)] \}$   
 $= 2 \cos (\alpha + \beta) ;$

therefore  $\tan \phi \{ \cot \alpha \sin \alpha \sin \beta + \tan \beta \cos \alpha \cos \beta \} = -\cos (\alpha + \beta) ;$

therefore  $\tan \phi = -\frac{\cos (\alpha + \beta)}{2 \cos \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{1}{2} (\tan \alpha - \cot \beta) ;$

and  $\tan \theta = -\tan \phi \frac{\tan \beta \cos (\alpha - \beta)}{\tan \alpha \cos (\alpha + \beta)}$   
 $= \frac{\cos (\alpha - \beta)}{2 \sin \alpha \cos \beta} = \frac{1}{2} (\cot \alpha + \tan \beta).$

28.  $\frac{2}{1+x} = \frac{\sin \beta \sin \theta}{\cos (\beta - \theta)} = \frac{\sin \beta \sin \theta}{\cos \beta \cos \theta + \sin \beta \sin \theta} = \frac{1}{\cot \beta \cot \theta + 1} ;$

therefore  $\cot \beta \cot \theta + 1 = \frac{1+x}{2} ;$

therefore  $\cot \beta \cot \theta = \frac{1+x}{2} - 1 = \frac{x-1}{2} \dots \dots \dots (1).$

Again  $\frac{2}{1+x} = \frac{\tan (\theta - \alpha)}{\cot \beta} = \frac{(\tan \theta - \tan \alpha) \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \theta \tan \alpha} ;$

therefore  $2(1 + \tan \theta \tan \alpha) = (1+x)(\tan \theta - \tan \alpha) \tan \beta ;$

therefore  $\tan \theta = \frac{2 + (1+x) \tan \alpha \tan \beta}{(1+x) \tan \beta - 2 \tan \alpha} \dots \dots \dots (2).$

From (1) and (2) by multiplication

$$\cot \beta = \frac{2 + (1+x) \tan \alpha \tan \beta}{(1+x) \tan \beta - 2 \tan \alpha} \cdot \frac{x-1}{2} ;$$

therefore  $2 \cot \beta \{ (1+x) \tan \beta - 2 \tan \alpha \} = 2(x-1) + (x^2-1) \tan \alpha \tan \beta ;$

therefore  $2(1+x) - 4 \cot \beta \tan \alpha = 2(x-1) + (x^2-1) \tan \alpha \tan \beta ;$

therefore  $x^2 \tan \alpha \tan \beta = 4 - 4 \cot \beta \tan \alpha + \tan \alpha \tan \beta ;$

therefore  $x^2 = 4 \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 4 \cot^2 \beta + 1$   
 $= 2 \left( \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} - \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) \cot \beta - 4 \cot^2 \beta + 1$   
 $= \left( \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} - 2 \cot \beta \right) \left( \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} + 2 \cot \beta \right).$

29.  $\sin \theta \sin \phi = \sin \alpha \sin \beta ;$  therefore  $2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \phi} ;$

therefore  $4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - 4 \sin^4 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta}{\sin^2 \phi} ;$

therefore 
$$4 \sin^4 \frac{\theta}{2} - 4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + 1 = 1 - \frac{\sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta}{\sin^2 \phi},$$

but 
$$\sin^2 \phi = \frac{\cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}{\cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \cos^2 \beta};$$

therefore 
$$4 \sin^4 \frac{\theta}{2} - 4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + 1 = 1 - \frac{\sin^2 \alpha \left( \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \cos^2 \beta \right) \sin^2 \beta}{\cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$= 1 - 4 \sin^4 \frac{\alpha}{2} \left( \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + \cos^2 \beta \right) \sin^2 \beta$$

$$= 1 - 4 \sin^4 \frac{\alpha}{2} \left( \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + 1 - \sin^2 \beta \right) \sin^2 \beta$$

$$= 1 - 4 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin^2 \beta + 4 \sin^4 \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin^4 \beta;$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - 1 = \pm \left( 1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin^2 \beta \right).$$

Taking the lower sign we have  $\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \sin^2 \beta.$

30.  $\sin \phi = n \sin \theta;$  therefore  $\cos \phi = \sqrt{1 - n^2 \sin^2 \theta};$

therefore 
$$\tan \phi = \frac{n \sin \theta}{\sqrt{1 - n^2 \sin^2 \theta}}.$$

Hence we have 
$$\frac{n \sin \theta}{\sqrt{1 - n^2 \sin^2 \theta}} = 2 \tan \theta = \frac{2 \sin \theta}{\cos \theta};$$

therefore 
$$n \cos \theta = 2 \sqrt{1 - n^2 \sin^2 \theta};$$

therefore 
$$n^2 (1 - \sin^2 \theta) = 4 (1 - n^2 \sin^2 \theta);$$

therefore 
$$2n^2 \sin^2 \theta = 4 - n^2; \text{ therefore } \sin^2 \theta = \frac{4 - n^2}{3n^2}.$$

This must lie between 0 and 1, so that  $4 - n^2$  must lie between 0 and  $3n^2$ , therefore 4 must lie between  $n^2$  and  $4n^2$ ; therefore  $n^2$  must lie between 1 and 4.

31. Assume  $x = \tan A$  and  $y = \tan B$ ; then by Art. 114 we have  $z = \tan C$ , where  $A + B + C = 180^\circ.$

Therefore  $2A + 2B + 2C = 360^\circ$ ; therefore  $\tan(2A + 2B + 2C) = 0$ ;  
and therefore, as in Art. 114,

$$\tan 2A + \tan 2B + \tan 2C = \tan 2A \tan 2B \tan 2C;$$

therefore

$$\frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A} + \frac{2 \tan B}{1 - \tan^2 B} + \frac{2 \tan C}{1 - \tan^2 C}$$

$$= \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A} \cdot \frac{2 \tan B}{1 - \tan^2 B} \cdot \frac{2 \tan C}{1 - \tan^2 C}.$$

32.  $v \sin c = \sin z = \sin (2\pi - x - y) = -\sin (x + y)$   
 $= -\sin x \cos y - \cos x \sin y = -v \sin a \cos y - v \sin b \cos x.$

Therefore either  $v = 0$ ; or  $\sin c = -\sin a \cos y - \sin b \cos x.$

Take the latter, thus  $\sin a \cos y = -\sin c - \sin b \cos x$ ;

$$\text{but } \sin a \sin y = \sin b \sin x;$$

square and add, thus  $\sin^2 a = \sin^2 b + \sin^2 c + 2 \sin b \sin c \cos x$ ;

therefore  $\cos x = \frac{\sin^2 a - \sin^2 b - \sin^2 c}{2 \sin b \sin c}.$

Similarly  $\cos y$  and  $\cos z$  may be found, and then  $v.$

If  $v = 0$ , we have  $\sin x = 0$ ,  $\sin y = 0$ , and  $\sin z = 0$ . This will give us three solutions;  $x = 0$ ,  $y = \pi$ ,  $z = \pi$ ;  $x = \pi$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $z = \pi$ ;  $x = \pi$ ,  $y = \pi$ ,  $z = 0$ ; and also three solutions,  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $z = 2\pi$ ;  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 2\pi$ ,  $z = 0$ ;  $x = 2\pi$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $z = 0$ .

33. Let  $u = (\cos ax)^{\operatorname{cosec}^2 \beta x}$ ; therefore

$$\log u = \operatorname{cosec}^2 \beta x \log \cos ax = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \beta x \log (1 - \sin^2 ax)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2 \sin^2 \beta x} \left\{ \sin^2 ax + \frac{1}{2} \sin^4 ax + \frac{1}{3} \sin^6 ax + \dots \right\}.$$

Now

$$\frac{\sin ax}{\sin \beta x} = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \cdot \frac{\sin ax}{ax} \cdot \frac{\beta x}{\sin \beta x};$$

when  $x$  is zero the value of  $\frac{\sin ax}{ax}$  is unity, and so also is the value of  $\frac{\beta x}{\sin \beta x}$ ;  
 thus  $\frac{\sin ax}{\sin \beta x} = \frac{\alpha}{\beta}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\sin^2 ax}{\sin^2 \beta x} = \frac{\alpha^2}{\beta^2}.$

The limit of  $\frac{\sin^4 ax}{\sin^2 \beta x}$  is zero, and so also the other terms in  $\log u$  vanish, and as in Art. 150 their sum vanishes also. Hence  $\log u = -\frac{\alpha^2}{2\beta^2}$ , and therefore  $u = e^{-\frac{\alpha^2}{2\beta^2}}.$

34. By Art. 188 if  $h$  is very small we have  $\tan (\theta + h) - \tan \theta = h \sec^2 \theta$ ;  
 thus if  $\theta$  be nearly equivalent to  $60^\circ$  we have approximately

$$\tan (\theta + h) - \tan \theta = 4h.$$

Since the tables extend to 7 places of decimals it follows that we can discriminate angles which are near  $60^\circ$ , by means of their tangents, when the circular measure  $h$  of the difference is such that  $4h = \cdot 0000001$ . Thus  $h = \frac{1}{4}$  of  $\frac{1}{10^7}$ ; the corresponding value in seconds is  $\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{10^7} \times \frac{180}{\pi} \times 60 \times 60$ , that is  $\frac{18 \times 9}{10000\pi}$ , that is about  $\frac{1}{200}$ .

35. By Art. 196 if  $h$  is very small we have

$$L \sin(\theta + h) - L \sin \theta = \mu h \cot \theta = \frac{h}{(\log_e 10) \tan \theta};$$

thus if  $\theta$  be nearly equivalent to  $64^\circ 36'$  we have approximately

$$L \sin(\theta + h) - L \sin \theta = \frac{h}{4 \cdot 8492}.$$

Since the tables extend to 7 places of decimals it follows that we can discriminate angles which are near  $64^\circ 36'$  by means of their  $L$  sines, when the circular measure of the difference is such that  $\frac{h}{4 \cdot 8492} = \cdot 0000001$ . Thus  $h = \frac{4 \cdot 8492}{10^7}$ ; the corresponding value in seconds is  $\frac{4 \cdot 8492}{10^7} \times \frac{180}{\pi} \times 60 \times 60$ : this will be found to be about  $\frac{1}{10}$ .

$$36. \quad 1 - \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}} = \frac{\cos \alpha}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}},$$

$$1 - \tan^2 \frac{\alpha}{4} = \frac{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{4} - \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{4}}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{4}} = \frac{\cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{4}},$$

and so on.

In this way we find that the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2^2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2^3} \dots}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2^2} \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2^3} \dots} \\ &= \frac{\cos \alpha}{\cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2^2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2^3} \dots} \\ &= \cos \alpha \div \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} = \frac{\alpha}{\tan \alpha}. \quad \text{See Art. 129.} \end{aligned}$$

37. We have universally

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2(A+B) &= (\sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B)^2 \\ &= \sin^2 A \cos^2 B + \cos^2 A \sin^2 B + 2 \sin A \cos A \sin B \cos B \\ &= \sin^2 A (1 - \sin^2 B) + \sin^2 B (1 - \sin^2 A) + 2 \sin A \cos A \sin B \cos B \\ &= \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + 2 \sin A \sin B \{ \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B \} \\ &= \sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + 2 \sin A \sin B \cos(A+B) \dots\dots\dots (1). \end{aligned}$$

Also in the present case

$$\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B = 1 - \sin^2 C = \cos^2 C \dots\dots\dots (2).$$

If  $A + B$  is greater than  $90^\circ$ , then *a fortiori*  $A + B + C$  is greater than  $90^\circ$ .

If  $A + B$  is less than  $90^\circ$ , then  $\sin^2(A+B)$  is greater than  $\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B$  by (1), and therefore greater than  $\cos^2 C$  by (2); and therefore  $A + B$  is greater than  $90^\circ - C$ , so that  $A + B + C$  is greater than  $90^\circ$ .

38. Take the diagram of Art. 71. Let  $\alpha$  be the angle  $PAB$ . Suppose a circle having its centre  $O$  within the space bounded by  $PB$ ,  $BT$ , and  $TP$ ; let it touch the arc  $PB$ , the tangent  $BT$ , and the secant  $APT$ . Let  $\rho$  denote the radius of this circle, and  $r$  the radius of the original circle.

$OT$  will bisect the angle  $ATB$ , and  $OA$  will pass through the point of contact of the circles. Let  $N$  be the point of contact of the secant  $APT$  and the circle with centre  $O$ . Then

$$NT = \rho \cot \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha \right); \quad OA = r + \rho;$$

therefore  $AN = \sqrt{(r + \rho)^2 - \rho^2} = \sqrt{r^2 + 2r\rho}.$

Hence  $\sqrt{r^2 + 2r\rho} + \rho \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) = AT = r \sec \alpha;$

therefore  $\sqrt{r^2 + 2r\rho} = r \sec \alpha - \rho \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right).$

By squaring we obtain a quadratic equation for determining  $\rho$ . The reason why we have a quadratic equation is that another circle can also be drawn, which may be said to fulfil the conditions. For produce  $PA$  through  $A$  to meet the original circle again at  $p$ ; then we may have a circle outside the arc  $Bp$ , touching this arc, touching  $TB$  produced through  $B$ , and touching  $Tp$  produced through  $p$ . The corresponding equation would be

$$\rho \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) - \sqrt{r^2 + 2r\rho} = r \sec \alpha;$$

this differs from the former only in the sign of the radical, and therefore leads to the same quadratic equation.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Suppose } \rho=r; \text{ then } \pm\sqrt{3} &= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - \frac{\cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}}{\cos \frac{\alpha}{2} - \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - \frac{\left(\cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}\right)^2}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - \frac{1 + \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = -\tan \alpha.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence taking  $\sqrt{3} = \tan \alpha$  we have  $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

39. Let  $x$  denote the value of  $l \sin(\theta - \beta) - m \sin(\theta - \alpha)$ ; so that  $l \cos(\theta - \beta) - m \cos(\theta - \alpha) = n$ ,  $l \sin(\theta - \beta) - m \sin(\theta - \alpha) = x$ .

Square and add; thus

$$l^2 + m^2 - 2lm \{ \cos(\theta - \beta) \cos(\theta - \alpha) + \sin(\theta - \beta) \sin(\theta - \alpha) \} = n^2 + x^2,$$

that is

$$l^2 + m^2 - 2lm \cos(\alpha - \beta) = n^2 + x^2;$$

therefore

$$x = \sqrt{l^2 + m^2 - n^2 - 2lm \cos(\alpha - \beta)}.$$

40.  $\theta - \sin \theta$  is less than  $\tan \theta - \theta$  if  $2\theta$  is less than  $\sin \theta + \tan \theta$ , that is if  $2\theta$  is less than  $\tan \theta(1 + \cos \theta)$ , that is if  $2\theta$  is less than

$$\frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \times \frac{2}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}, \text{ that is if } \frac{\theta}{2} \text{ is less than } \frac{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^4 \frac{\theta}{2}}; \text{ and this is}$$

obviously the case, because  $\frac{\theta}{2}$  is less than  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ .

### XIII.

1. The greatest angle is opposite to the greatest side; thus the cosine

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{(x^2 - 1)^2 + (2x + 1)^2 - (x^2 + x + 1)^2}{2(x^2 - 1)(2x + 1)} \\
 &= \frac{x^4 - 2x^2 + 1 + 4x^2 + 4x + 1 - (x^4 + x^2 + 1 + 2x^3 + 2x^2 + 2x)}{2(x^2 - 1)(2x + 1)} \\
 &= \frac{-2x^3 - x^2 + 2x + 1}{2(2x^3 + x^2 - 2x - 1)} = -\frac{1}{2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the angle is  $120^\circ$ .



2.  $2 \sin C \cos B = \sin A = \sin(B+C) = \sin B \cos C + \cos B \sin C$ ;  
 therefore  $\sin C \cos B = \sin B \cos C$ ;  
 therefore  $\sin(C-B) = 0$ ; therefore  $B = C$ .

3. We have  $\cos A = \frac{b}{c}$ ,  $\sin A = \frac{a}{c}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{1 + \cos A}{\sin A} = \frac{c+b}{a}$ ; therefore  $\cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{c+b}{a}$ .

4.  $a \tan A + b \tan B = (a+b) \tan \frac{A+B}{2}$ ;

therefore  $a \left( \tan A - \tan \frac{A+B}{2} \right) = b \left( \tan \frac{A+B}{2} - \tan B \right)$ ;

therefore 
$$\frac{a \left( \sin A \cos \frac{A+B}{2} - \cos A \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \right)}{\cos A \cos \frac{A+B}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{b \left( \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos B - \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \sin B \right)}{\cos B \cos \frac{A+B}{2}};$$

therefore  $\frac{a \sin \frac{A-B}{2}}{\cos A} = \frac{b \sin \frac{A-B}{2}}{\cos B}$ ; therefore  $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos B}$ .

But  $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{\sin A}{\sin B}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\sin A}{\sin B} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos B}$ ;

therefore  $\tan A = \tan B$ ; therefore  $A = B$ .

5. Let  $2\alpha$  denote the least angle; then the other angles are  $4\alpha$  and  $8\alpha$  respectively; therefore  $2\alpha + 4\alpha + 8\alpha = \pi$ ; therefore  $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{14}$ .

Then by Art. 214 the ratio of the greatest side to the perimeter

$$= \frac{\sin 8\alpha}{\sin 2\alpha + \sin 4\alpha + \sin 8\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{\sin 8\alpha}{\sin 2\alpha + \sin 4\alpha + \sin 6\alpha} = \frac{2 \sin 4\alpha \cos 4\alpha}{2 \sin 3\alpha \cos \alpha + 2 \sin 3\alpha \cos 3\alpha};$$

but  $4\alpha + 3\alpha = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , therefore  $\cos 4\alpha = \sin 3\alpha$ ; hence this expression

$$= \frac{\sin 4\alpha}{\cos \alpha + \cos 3\alpha} = \frac{2 \sin 2\alpha \cos 2\alpha}{2 \cos \alpha \cos 2\alpha} = \frac{\sin 2\alpha}{\cos \alpha} = 2 \sin \alpha.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
6. \quad & 2bc \text{ vers } A' + 2ca \text{ vers } B' + 2ab \text{ vers } C' \\
& = 2bc(1 - \cos A') + 2ca(1 - \cos B') + 2ab(1 - \cos C') \\
& = 2bc(1 + \cos A) + 2ca(1 + \cos B) + 2ab(1 + \cos C) \\
& = 4bc \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + 4ca \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + 4ab \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} \\
& = 4s(s-a) + 4s(s-b) + 4s(s-c) \\
& = 4s(3s-a-b-c) = 4s^2 = (2s)^2 = (a+b+c)^2.
\end{aligned}$$

7. Let  $AD=p$ . Suppose the angles  $B$  and  $C$  to be acute, as in the left-hand diagram of Art. 214. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
AE &= p \cos(90^\circ - B) = p \sin B, \\
DE &= p \sin(90^\circ - B) = p \cos B, \\
EB &= DE \cot B = p \cos B \cot B;
\end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$AE \cdot EB = p^2 \cos^2 B.$$

Similarly

$$AF \cdot FC = p^2 \cos^2 C.$$

Therefore

$$AE \cdot EB \cos^2 C = AF \cdot FC \cos^2 B.$$

Next suppose one of the angles  $B$  and  $C$  to be obtuse, say the angle  $C$ , as in the right-hand diagram of Art. 214.

Then  $AE \cdot EB = p^2 \cos^2 B$  as before,

$$\begin{aligned}
AF &= p \cos(C - 90^\circ) = p \sin C, \\
DF &= p \sin(C - 90^\circ) = -p \cos C, \\
FC &= DF \cot(180^\circ - C) = -DF \cot C = p \cos C \cot C;
\end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$AF \cdot FC = p^2 \cos^2 C, \text{ as before.}$$

$$8. \quad \frac{\sin 2\theta + \sin 4\theta}{\sin 3\theta} = \frac{a+c}{b}; \text{ therefore } 2 \cos \theta = \frac{a+c}{b}; \text{ therefore } \cos \theta = \frac{a+c}{2b};$$

$$\text{therefore } \tan^2 \theta = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} - 1 = \left( \frac{2b}{a+c} \right)^2 - 1.$$

9. Since  $C$  is obtuse,  $A+B$  is less than  $90^\circ$ ; therefore  $\cos(A+B)$  is positive, therefore  $\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$  is positive; therefore  $\sin A \sin B$  is less than  $\cos A \cos B$ ; therefore  $\frac{\sin A \sin B}{\cos A \cos B}$  is less than unity, that is  $\tan A \tan B$  is less than unity.

10. Since  $a, b, c$  are in Arithmetical Progression, so are  $\sin A, \sin B, \sin C$ ; hence  $\sin A + \sin C = 2 \sin B$ ;

therefore  $\sin \frac{A+C}{2} \cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{A+C}{2}$  ;

therefore  $\cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{B}{2}$  .

Again  $a \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} + c \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{a}{2} (1 + \cos C) + \frac{c}{2} (1 + \cos A)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} (a+c) + \frac{1}{2} (a \cos C + c \cos A) = \frac{1}{2} (a+c) + \frac{b}{2}$ , by Art. 216,  
 $= b + \frac{b}{2}$ , by hypothesis,  $= \frac{3b}{2}$  .

11. From the triangle  $ABD$  we have

$$\frac{\sin ADB}{\sin BAD} = \frac{AB}{BD} = \frac{2c}{a}$$

Put  $\phi$  for  $BAD$ ; thus

$$\frac{\sin(\phi + B)}{\sin \phi} = \frac{2c}{a} = \frac{2 \sin C}{\sin A}$$
 ;

therefore  $\frac{\sin \phi \cos B + \cos \phi \sin B}{\sin \phi} = \frac{2 \sin C}{\sin A}$  ;

therefore  $\cot B + \cot \phi = \frac{2 \sin C}{\sin A \sin B} = \frac{2 \sin(A+B)}{\sin A \sin B}$   
 $= 2 \cot A + 2 \cot B$  ;

therefore  $\cot \phi - \cot B = 2 \cot A$  .

12. Let the angle  $A$  of a triangle be divided into two parts by a straight line  $AD$ ; denote  $BAD$  by  $\phi$  and  $CAD$  by  $\psi$ , and suppose that  $\frac{\sin \phi}{\sin \psi} = \frac{c}{b}$  .

Thus  $\frac{\sin(A-\psi)}{\sin \psi} = \frac{c}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{\sin B}$  ;

therefore  $\sin A \cot \psi - \cos A = \frac{\sin C}{\sin B}$  ;

therefore  $\cot \psi = \cot A + \frac{\sin(A+B)}{\sin A \sin B} = 2 \cot A + \cot B$  .

Similarly  $\cot \phi = 2 \cot A + \cot C$  .

Therefore  $\cot \psi - \cot \phi = \cot B - \cot C$  .

13. Suppose  $\cot A + \cot C = 2 \cot B$  ;

thus  $\frac{\cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{\cos C}{\sin C} = \frac{2 \cos B}{\sin B}$  ;

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin(A+C)}{\sin A \sin C} = \frac{2 \cos B}{\sin B};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin^2 B}{\sin A \sin C} = 2 \cos B;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{b^2}{ac} = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{ac};$$

therefore 
$$2b^2 = a^2 + c^2.$$

Thus  $a^2$ ,  $b^2$ ,  $c^2$  are in Arithmetical Progression.

14. Let a perpendicular  $AD$  be drawn from the angle  $A$  of a triangle on the base  $BC$ . Let  $BAD = \phi$ , and  $CAD = \psi$ . Let  $m$  denote the ratio of the base  $BC$  to the perpendicular  $AD$ .

Then in the case of the left-hand diagram of Art. 214 we have

$$\tan \phi = \frac{BD}{AD}, \quad \tan \psi = \frac{CD}{AD};$$

therefore 
$$\tan \phi + \tan \psi = \frac{BD + CD}{AD} = \frac{BC}{AD} = m \dots\dots\dots (1).$$

Also  $\phi + \psi = A$ ; thus

$$\tan A = \tan(\phi + \psi) = \frac{\tan \phi + \tan \psi}{1 - \tan \phi \tan \psi} \dots\dots\dots (2).$$

Hence from (1) and (2) we can find  $\tan \phi$  and  $\tan \psi$ .

Similarly in the case of the right-hand diagram of Art. 214 we have

$$\tan \phi - \tan \psi = m,$$

and 
$$\tan A = \tan(\phi - \psi) = \frac{\tan \phi - \tan \psi}{1 + \tan \phi \tan \psi}.$$

15. Let the base  $BC$  of a triangle be divided at  $D$  and  $E$ , so that  $BD = DE = EC$ . Let the angle  $BAD$  be denoted by  $\phi_1$ , the angle  $DAE$  by  $\phi_2$ , and the angle  $EAC$  by  $\phi_3$ .

Then from the triangle  $AEB$  we have  $\frac{\sin(\phi_1 + \phi_2)}{\sin AEB} = \frac{BE}{AB} = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{a}{c}$ , and from

the triangle  $AEC$  we have 
$$\frac{\sin \phi_3}{\sin AEC} = \frac{EC}{AC} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{a}{b};$$

therefore by division 
$$\frac{\sin(\phi_1 + \phi_2)}{\sin \phi_3} = \frac{2b}{c}.$$

In the same manner we see that

$$\frac{\sin(\phi_3 + \phi_2)}{\sin \phi_1} = \frac{2c}{b}.$$

Therefore 
$$\frac{\sin(\phi_1 + \phi_2) \sin(\phi_3 + \phi_2)}{\sin \phi_1 \sin \phi_3} = 4 = 4(\sin^2 \phi_2 + \cos^2 \phi_2);$$

therefore  $(\cos \phi_2 + \sin \phi_2 \cot \phi_1)(\cos \phi_2 + \sin \phi_2 \cot \phi_3) = 4(\sin^2 \phi_2 + \cos^2 \phi_2);$

therefore  $(\cot \phi_2 + \cot \phi_1)(\cot \phi_2 + \cot \phi_3) = 4(1 + \cot^2 \phi_2).$

16. Suppose that  $\sin A + \sin C = 2 \sin B$ ,

$$\text{then } 2 \sin \frac{A+C}{2} \cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 4 \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} = 4 \cos \frac{A+C}{2} \sin \frac{A+C}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos \frac{A-C}{2} = 2 \cos \frac{A+C}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = 2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} - 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore } 3 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore } \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2} = \frac{1}{3}.$$

17. Denote  $ADB$  by  $\phi$ . From the triangle  $ABD$  we have

$$\frac{\sin BAD}{\sin ADB} = \frac{BD}{AB} = \frac{a}{2c};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{\sin(\phi+B)}{\sin \phi} = \frac{a}{2c};$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos B + \sin B \cot \phi = \frac{a}{2c};$$

$$\text{therefore } \cot \phi = \frac{\frac{a}{2c} - \cos B}{\sin B};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } \tan \phi &= \frac{2c \sin B}{a - 2c \cos B} = \frac{2ac \sin B}{a^2 - (a^2 + c^2 - b^2)} \\ &= \frac{2ac \sin B}{b^2 - c^2} = \frac{2bc \sin A}{b^2 - c^2}. \end{aligned}$$

18. Here  $\cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} = 2 \cot \frac{B}{2}$ ;

$$\text{therefore } \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{2 \cos \frac{B}{2}}{\sin \frac{B}{2}} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{A+C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A+C}{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{\sin \frac{A+C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{A+C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A+C}{2}};$$

$$\text{therefore } \cos \frac{A+C}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2};$$

therefore  $\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} - \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2};$

therefore  $\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = 3 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2};$

therefore  $\cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} = 3.$

19. First suppose that  $\frac{\sin DAC}{\sin DAB} = \frac{1}{n},$

and that  $\frac{\sin DBC}{\sin DBA} = \frac{1}{n}.$

We have  $\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DBC} = \frac{BD}{DC},$

and  $\frac{\sin DBC}{\sin DBA} = \frac{1}{n};$

therefore  $\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DBA} = \frac{BD}{DC} \cdot \frac{1}{n}.$

Similarly  $\frac{\sin DCA}{\sin DAB} = \frac{AD}{DC} \cdot \frac{1}{n}.$

Therefore  $\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DCA} \cdot \frac{\sin DAB}{\sin DBA} = \frac{BD}{DA};$

therefore  $\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DCA} \cdot \frac{DB}{DA} = \frac{BD}{DA};$

therefore  $\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DCA} = 1.$

In this case the angle  $C$  is bisected by  $DC$ .

Next suppose that  $\frac{\sin DAC}{\sin DAB} = \frac{1}{n},$

and that  $\frac{\sin DBA}{\sin DBC} = \frac{1}{n};$

thus the angle  $B$  is divided into two parts equal to the two former, but differently situated.

Then proceeding as before we have

$$\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DBC} = \frac{BD}{DC},$$

and  $\frac{\sin DBC}{\sin DBA} = n;$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DBA} = \frac{n \cdot BD}{DC}.$$

Also 
$$\frac{\sin DCA}{\sin DAB} = \frac{AD}{DC} \frac{1}{n}.$$

Hence we find that

$$\frac{\sin DCB}{\sin DCA} = n^2.$$

20. Let the straight line which bisects the angle  $A$  of a triangle meet the base at  $D$ . Then

the angle  $ADC =$  the angle  $B +$  the angle  $BAD$ ;

thus 
$$\sin \theta = \sin \left( B + \frac{A}{2} \right).$$

Hence 
$$s \left( \sin \theta - \sin \frac{A}{2} \right) = s \left\{ \sin \left( B + \frac{A}{2} \right) - \sin \frac{A}{2} \right\}$$

$$= 2s \cos \frac{B+A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} = 2s \sin \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2};$$

put for  $\sin \frac{C}{2}$  and  $\sin \frac{B}{2}$  their values by Art. 217; thus we have

$$2s \sin \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} = \frac{2s}{a} (s-a) \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{bc}}$$

$$= \frac{2s(s-a)}{a} \sin \frac{A}{2} = \frac{2bc}{a} \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2}$$

$$= \frac{bc}{a} \cos \frac{A}{2} \sin A.$$

Again  $l \sin \theta =$  the perpendicular from  $A$  on  $BC$   
 $= b \sin C.$

Therefore 
$$l \sin \theta \cos \frac{A}{2} = b \sin C \cos \frac{A}{2}$$

$$= \frac{bc}{a} \sin A \cos \frac{A}{2}, \text{ by Art. 214.}$$

Therefore 
$$s \left( \sin \theta - \sin \frac{A}{2} \right) = l \sin \theta \cos \frac{A}{2}.$$

21. The third angle of the triangle will be  $\pi - \theta - \phi$ ; and as the sines of the angles must be in Arithmetical Progression, we have

$$\sin \theta + \sin \phi = 2 \sin (\pi - \theta - \phi) = 2 \sin (\theta + \phi);$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} = 4 \sin \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \cos \frac{\theta + \phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$2 \cos \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} = \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$2 \left( \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\phi}{2} - \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\phi}{2} \right) = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\phi}{2} + \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\phi}{2} = 3 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} &= 9 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \\ &= 9 \left( 1 - \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \left( 1 - \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \right); \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} &8 \left( 1 - \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \left( 1 - \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \right) \\ &= \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - \left( 1 - \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \left( 1 - \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \right) \\ &= \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} - 1 = \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$8 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} = \cos \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} 4 (1 - \cos \theta) (1 - \cos \phi) &= 2 \cos \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} \\ &= \cos \theta + \cos \phi. \end{aligned}$$

Or thus,  $\cos \theta = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$ , and  $b = \frac{a+c}{2}$ ; therefore

$$\cos \theta = \frac{a-c}{a} + \frac{b}{2a} = \frac{a-c}{a} + \frac{a+c}{4a} = \frac{5a-3c}{4a}.$$

Similarly 
$$\cos \phi = \frac{5c-3a}{4c}.$$

Hence 
$$4 (1 - \cos \theta) (1 - \cos \phi) = \frac{(3c-a)(3a-c)}{4ac} = \frac{10ac - 3a^2 - 3c^2}{4ac};$$

and 
$$\cos \theta + \cos \phi = \frac{5a-3c}{4a} + \frac{5c-3a}{4c} = \frac{10ac - 3a^2 - 3c^2}{4ac}.$$



22. Draw from  $A, B, C$  respectively straight lines to meet the opposite sides at  $D, E, F$ , so that the angle  $BAD =$  the angle  $CBE =$  the angle  $ACF = \alpha$ . Let  $LMN$  be the triangle formed by the straight lines thus drawn: so that  $A, L, M, D$  are in one straight line;  $B, M, N, E$  on another; and  $C, N, L, F$  on a third. Then will the triangle  $LMN$  be similar to the triangle  $ABC$ .

For the angle  $MLN =$  the angle  $MAC +$  the angle  $LCA = A - \alpha + \alpha = A$ ; similarly the angle  $NML = B$ , and the angle  $LMN = C$ . Thus the triangle  $LMN$  is equiangular to the original triangle, and therefore similar to it.

$$\text{Again} \quad \frac{BN}{BC} = \frac{\sin BCN}{\sin BNC} = \frac{\sin(C - \alpha)}{\sin(\pi - C)} = \frac{\sin(C - \alpha)}{\sin C};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad BN = \frac{a \sin(C - \alpha)}{\sin C},$$

$$\text{and} \quad \frac{BM}{BA} = \frac{\sin BAM}{\sin BMA} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin(\pi - B)} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin B};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad BM = \frac{c \sin \alpha}{\sin B}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence} \quad MN &= \frac{a \sin(C - \alpha)}{\sin C} - \frac{c \sin \alpha}{\sin B} \\ &= a \cos \alpha - a \cot C \sin \alpha - \frac{a \sin C}{\sin A \sin B} \sin \alpha \\ &= a \cos \alpha - a \cot C \sin \alpha - \frac{a \sin(A + B)}{\sin A \sin B} \sin \alpha \\ &= a \cos \alpha - a \sin \alpha (\cot C + \cot B + \cot A). \end{aligned}$$

The ratio of this to  $a$  is the same as the ratio of  $\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha (\cot A + \cot B + \cot C)$  to unity.

$$23. \quad ab \cos C - ac \cos B = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2} - \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2} = b^2 - c^2.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 24. \quad a(\cos B \cos C + \cos A) &= a \{ \cos B \cos C - \cos(B + C) \} \\ &= a \sin B \sin C = \frac{a}{\sin A} \sin A \sin B \sin C. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly} \quad b(\cos A \cos C + \cos B) = \frac{b}{\sin B} \sin A \sin B \sin C;$$

$$\text{and} \quad c(\cos A \cos B + \cos C) = \frac{c}{\sin C} \sin A \sin B \sin C.$$

Thus the three expressions are equal by Art. 214.

$$\begin{aligned} 25. \quad (b + c - a) \tan \frac{A}{2} &= 2(s - a) \tan \frac{A}{2} = 2(s - a) \sqrt{\frac{(s - b)(s - c)}{s(s - a)}} \\ &= \frac{2\sqrt{(s - a)(s - b)(s - c)}}{\sqrt{s}}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly the other two proposed expressions reduce to the same symmetrical form.

$$\begin{aligned}
 26. \quad b \cos B + c \cos C &= \frac{a \sin B}{\sin A} \cos B + \frac{a \sin C}{\sin A} \cos C \\
 &= \frac{a}{2 \sin A} (\sin 2B + \sin 2C) \\
 &= \frac{2a \sin (B+C) \cos (B-C)}{2 \sin (B+C)} = a \cos (B-C).
 \end{aligned}$$

27. By Art. 216

$$c \cos B + b \cos C = a, \quad a \cos C + c \cos A = b, \quad b \cos A + a \cos B = c;$$

therefore by addition

$$c (\cos B + \cos A) + b (\cos A + \cos C) + a (\cos C + \cos B) = a + b + c.$$

28. Let  $k$  stand for  $\frac{a}{\sin A}$ ,  $\frac{b}{\sin B}$ , and  $\frac{c}{\sin C}$  which we know are all equal. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\alpha^2 - b^2) \cot C + (b^2 - c^2) \cot A + (c^2 - a^2) \cot B \\
 &= k^2 \{ (\sin^2 A - \sin^2 B) \cot C + (\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C) \cot A \\
 &\quad + (\sin^2 C - \sin^2 A) \cot B \} \\
 &= k^2 \{ \sin (A+B) \sin (A-B) \cot C + \sin (B+C) \sin (B-C) \cot A \\
 &\quad + \sin (C+A) \sin (C-A) \cot B \} \\
 &= k^2 \{ \sin (A-B) \cos C + \sin (B-C) \cos A + \sin (C-A) \cos B \} \\
 &= -k^2 \{ \sin (A-B) \cos (A+B) + \sin (B-C) \cos (B+C) \\
 &\quad + \sin (C-A) \cos (C+A) \} \\
 &= -\frac{k^2}{2} \{ \sin 2A - \sin 2B + \sin 2B - \sin 2C + \sin 2C - \sin 2A \} \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

29. Let  $k$  have the same meaning as in the preceding solution; then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a-b) \cot \frac{C}{2} + (c-a) \cot \frac{B}{2} + (b-c) \cot \frac{A}{2} \\
 &= k \left\{ (\sin A - \sin B) \cot \frac{C}{2} + (\sin C - \sin A) \cot \frac{B}{2} + (\sin B - \sin C) \cot \frac{A}{2} \right\} \\
 &= 2k \left\{ \sin \frac{A-B}{2} \sin \frac{A+B}{2} + \sin \frac{C-A}{2} \sin \frac{C+A}{2} + \sin \frac{B-C}{2} \sin \frac{B+C}{2} \right\} \\
 &= 2k \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \right\} \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 30. \quad 1 - \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} &= 1 - \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)}} \times \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-c)}{s(s-b)}} \\
 &= 1 - \frac{s-c}{s} = 1 - \frac{a+b-c}{a+b+c} = \frac{2c}{a+b+c}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
31. \quad & (a+b+c)(\cos A + \cos B + \cos C) \\
&= a \cos A + b \cos B + c \cos C \\
&\quad + a \cos B + b \cos A + a \cos C + c \cos A + b \cos C + c \cos B \\
&= a \cos A + b \cos B + c \cos C + c + b + a, \text{ by Art. 216,} \\
&= a(1 + \cos A) + b(1 + \cos B) + c(1 + \cos C) \\
&= 2a \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + 2b \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + 2c \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}.
\end{aligned}$$

32. Let  $k$  have the same meaning as in the solution of Example 28; then

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\cos A \cos B}{ab} + \frac{\cos A \cos C}{ac} + \frac{\cos B \cos C}{bc} \\
&= \frac{1}{k^2} \left\{ \frac{\cos A \cos B}{\sin A \sin B} + \frac{\cos A \cos C}{\sin A \sin C} + \frac{\cos B \cos C}{\sin B \sin C} \right\} \\
&= \frac{1}{k^2} \{ \cot A \cot B + \cot A \cot C + \cot B \cot C \} \\
&= \frac{1 \tan A + \tan B + \tan C}{k^2 \tan A \tan B \tan C} = \frac{1}{k^2}, \text{ by Art. 114,} \\
&= \frac{\sin^2 A}{a^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
33. \quad & a \cos A + b \cos B + c \cos C = a \cos A + \frac{a \sin B}{\sin A} \cos B + \frac{a \sin C}{\sin A} \cos C \\
&= a \cos A + \frac{a(\sin 2B + \sin 2C)}{2 \sin A} = a \cos A + \frac{2a \sin(B+C) \cos(B-C)}{2 \sin A} \\
&= a \cos A + a \cos(B-C) = -a \cos(B+C) + a \cos(B-C) \\
&= 2a \sin B \sin C.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
34. \quad & \frac{2a \sin B \sin C}{a+b+c} = \frac{2 \sin B \sin C}{1 + \frac{b}{a} + \frac{c}{a}} = \frac{2 \sin B \sin C}{1 + \frac{\sin B}{\sin A} + \frac{\sin C}{\sin A}} \\
&= \frac{2 \sin A \sin B \sin C}{\sin A + \sin B + \sin C} = \frac{2 \sin A \sin B \sin C}{4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}, \text{ by Example VIII. 16,} \\
&= 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = \cos A + \cos B + \cos C - 1, \text{ by Art. 114;}
\end{aligned}$$

therefore  $\cos A + \cos B + \cos C = 1 + \frac{2a \sin B \sin C}{a+b+c}.$

$$\begin{aligned}
 35. \quad a^2 - 2ab \cos(60^\circ + C) &= a^2 - 2ab(\cos 60^\circ \cos C - \sin 60^\circ \sin C) \\
 &= a^2 - ab \cos C + 2ab \sin 60^\circ \sin C \\
 &= a^2 - \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2} + 2cb \sin 60^\circ \sin A \\
 &= c^2 - \frac{c^2 + b^2 - a^2}{2} + 2bc \sin 60^\circ \sin A \\
 &= c^2 - bc \cos A + 2bc \sin 60^\circ \sin A \\
 &= c^2 - 2bc \cos(60^\circ + A).
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 36. \quad \frac{b+c-a}{2a} &= \frac{\sin B + \sin C - \sin A}{2 \sin A} \\
 &= \frac{2 \sin \frac{B+C}{2} \cos \frac{B-C}{2} - 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\cos \frac{B-C}{2} - \sin \frac{A}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{B-C}{2} - \cos \frac{B+C}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Again  $\cot \frac{A}{4} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2} = \frac{\cos \frac{A}{4}}{\sin \frac{A}{4}} - \frac{1}{\sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{A}{4} - 1}{\sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}};$

and  $\cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{\cos \frac{B}{2}}{\sin \frac{B}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{B+C}{2}}{\sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}};$

therefore  $\frac{\cot \frac{A}{4} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}}{\cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}}{\sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{b+c-a}{2a}.$

37.  $4\Sigma \left( \Sigma - \cos \frac{A}{2} \right) \left( \Sigma - \cos \frac{B}{2} \right) \left( \Sigma - \cos \frac{C}{2} \right)$  = the product of

$$\frac{1}{4} \left( \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} \right) \left( \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} - \cos \frac{A}{2} \right)$$

into  $\left( \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} - \cos \frac{B}{2} \right) \left( \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} - \cos \frac{C}{2} \right).$

Now substitute for the trinomial expressions results given by Examples VIII. 20 and 21; thus we obtain

$$\left\{ 8 \cos \frac{\pi-A}{4} \cos \frac{\pi-B}{4} \cos \frac{\pi-C}{4} \cos \frac{\pi+A}{4} \cos \frac{\pi+B}{4} \cos \frac{\pi+C}{4} \right\}^2,$$

that is  $\left\{ 8 \cos \frac{\pi-A}{4} \cos \frac{\pi-B}{4} \cos \frac{\pi-C}{4} \sin \frac{\pi-A}{4} \sin \frac{\pi-B}{4} \sin \frac{\pi-C}{4} \right\}^2,$

that is  $\left\{ \sin \frac{\pi-A}{2} \sin \frac{\pi-B}{2} \sin \frac{\pi-C}{2} \right\}^2,$

that is  $\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}.$

38. The perimeter  $= a + b + c = \frac{c \sin A}{\sin C} + \frac{c \sin B}{\sin C} + c$

$$= \frac{c(\sin A + \sin B + \sin C)}{\sin C} = \frac{4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin C}, \text{ by Example VIII. 16,}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}}{\sin \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}}{\cos \frac{A+B}{2}}$$

$$= 2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \sec \frac{A+B}{2}.$$

39. Let  $h = y \sin^2 A + x \sin^2 B = z \sin^2 B + y \sin^2 C = x \sin^2 C + z \sin^2 A.$

Thus  $h(\sin^2 C - \sin^2 A) = x \sin^2 B \sin^2 C - z \sin^2 A \sin^2 B,$

and  $h = x \sin^2 C + z \sin^2 A;$

therefore  $h(\sin^2 C - \sin^2 A) + h \sin^2 B = 2x \sin^2 B \sin^2 C,$

therefore  $h \sin(C-A) \sin(C+A) + h \sin^2 B = 2x \sin^2 B \sin^2 C;$

therefore  $h \sin(C-A) + h \sin(C+A) = 2x \sin B \sin^2 C;$

therefore  $x \sin B \sin^2 C = h \sin C \cos A,$

therefore  $x = \frac{h \cos A}{\sin B \sin C} = \frac{h \sin 2A}{2 \sin A \sin B \sin C}.$

Similarly  $y = \frac{h \sin 2B}{2 \sin A \sin B \sin C},$  and  $z = \frac{h \sin 2C}{2 \sin A \sin B \sin C}.$

40. Since  $A + B + C = \pi$ , we may shew that  $8 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$  has its greatest value when  $A, B,$  and  $C$  are all equal.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} &= \sin \left( \frac{A+B}{4} + \frac{A-B}{4} \right) \sin \left( \frac{A+B}{4} - \frac{A-B}{4} \right) \\ &= \sin^2 \frac{A+B}{4} - \sin^2 \frac{A-B}{4}; \end{aligned}$$

thus, whatever may be the value of  $C$ , it follows that  $\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2}$  has its greatest value when  $A=B$ ; for  $\sin \frac{A+B}{4}$  does not change while  $A$  and  $B$  change in such a manner as to leave  $C$  unchanged. In this way we see that the greatest value of the expression is when all the angles are equal, and the value then is  $8 \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$ , that is 1.

41. Let  $k$  have the same meaning as in the solution of Example 28; then

$$\begin{aligned} a \sin(B-C) \cos(B+C-A) &= k \sin A \sin(B-C) \cos(180^\circ - 2A) \\ &= -k \sin(B+C) \sin(B-C) \cos 2A = k(\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C)(2 \sin^2 A - 1) \\ &= 2k \sin^2 A (\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C) - k(\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly the other two terms of the proposed expression may be transformed; and then the whole vanishes because

$$\sin^2 A (\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C) + \sin^2 B (\sin^2 C - \sin^2 A) + \sin^2 C (\sin^2 A - \sin^2 B) = 0,$$

$$\text{and } \sin^2 B - \sin^2 C + \sin^2 C - \sin^2 A + \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 42. \quad \frac{\sin A}{\cos B} + \frac{\sin B}{\cos A} &= \frac{\sin A \cos A + \sin B \cos B}{\cos A \cos B} = \frac{\sin 2A + \sin 2B}{2 \cos A \cos B} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin(A+B) \cos(A-B)}{2 \cos A \cos B} = \frac{\sin C}{\cos A \cos B} (\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) \\ &= \sin C + \cos C \tan A \tan B \tan C. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{\sin B}{\cos C} + \frac{\sin C}{\cos B} = \sin A + \cos A \tan A \tan B \tan C,$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\sin C}{\cos A} + \frac{\sin A}{\cos C} = \sin B + \cos B \tan A \tan B \tan C.$$

Hence by addition we obtain the required result.

#### CHAPTER XIV.

$$1. \quad \sin A = \frac{\alpha}{b} \sin B = \frac{5}{2.5} \cdot 25 = \frac{1}{2}; \text{ therefore } A = 30^\circ \text{ or } 150^\circ.$$

2. Suppose  $c = \frac{1}{2}b$ , and  $A = 60^\circ$ ; then, by Art. 229,

$$\tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = \frac{b-c}{b+c} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1-\frac{1}{2}}{1+\frac{1}{2}} \cot 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}};$$

therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(B-C) = 30^\circ$ ; and  $\frac{1}{2}(B+C) = 60^\circ$ .

Hence  $B = 90^\circ$  and  $C = 30^\circ$ .

3. Let  $a, b, c$  denote these sides in order. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \cos A &= \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{6 + (1 + \sqrt{3})^2 - 4}{2(1 + \sqrt{3})\sqrt{6}} = \frac{6 + 2\sqrt{3}}{2(1 + \sqrt{3})\sqrt{6}} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}(1 + \sqrt{3})}{(1 + \sqrt{3})\sqrt{6}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}; \text{ therefore } A = 45^\circ. \end{aligned}$$

$$\cos B = \frac{a^2 + c^2 - b^2}{2ac} = \frac{4 + (1 + \sqrt{3})^2 - 6}{4(1 + \sqrt{3})} = \frac{2 + 2\sqrt{3}}{4(1 + \sqrt{3})} = \frac{1}{2};$$

therefore  $B = 60^\circ$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \cos C &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \frac{4 + 6 - (1 + \sqrt{3})^2}{4\sqrt{6}} = \frac{6 - 2\sqrt{3}}{4\sqrt{6}} = \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{6}} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2\sqrt{2}}; \text{ therefore } C = 75^\circ. \end{aligned}$$

4.  $\sin B = \frac{b}{a} \sin A = \frac{100}{40} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{4}$ ; but this is impossible, for a sine cannot be greater than unity.

$$\begin{aligned} 5. \quad \sin B &= \frac{b}{a} \sin A = \frac{4 + \sqrt{(80)}}{4} \sin 18^\circ = (1 + \sqrt{5}) \sin 18^\circ \\ &= \frac{(1 + \sqrt{5})(\sqrt{5} - 1)}{4} = 1; \text{ therefore } B = 90^\circ. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $C = 72^\circ$ ; and  $c^2 = b^2 - a^2 = \{4 + \sqrt{(80)}\}^2 - 16$   
 $= 80 + 8\sqrt{(80)} = 16(5 + 2\sqrt{5})$ ;

therefore  $c = 4\sqrt{(5 + 2\sqrt{5})}$ .

$$6. \quad \sin B = \frac{b}{a} \sin A = \frac{4 + \sqrt{48}}{4} \sin 15^\circ = (1 + \sqrt{3}) \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}};$$

therefore

$$B = 45^\circ \text{ or } 135^\circ.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } B = 45^\circ, \text{ then } C = 120^\circ; \text{ and } c &= \frac{a \sin C}{\sin A} = 4 \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}-1} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ &= \frac{4\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{3}-1} = \frac{4\sqrt{6}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2} = 2\sqrt{6}(\sqrt{3}+1). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } B = 135^\circ, \text{ then } C = 30^\circ; \text{ and } c &= \frac{a \sin C}{\sin A} = 4 \cdot \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}-1} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}-1} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{2} = 2\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3}+1). \end{aligned}$$

7. With the first diagram of Art. 234 we may put  $c = AB$  and  $c' = AB'$ ; thus

$$c = b \cos A - a \cos CBB', \text{ and } c' = b \cos A + a \cos CBB';$$

therefore

$$c + c' = 2b \cos A,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} cc' &= b^2 \cos^2 A - a^2 \cos^2 CBB' = b^2 \cos^2 A - a^2 \cos^2 B \\ &= b^2 (1 - \sin^2 A) - a^2 (1 - \sin^2 B) = b^2 - a^2. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(c + c')^2 = 4b^2 \cos^2 A,$$

$$4cc' \cos^2 A = 4(b^2 - a^2) \cos^2 A;$$

therefore

$$c^2 + 2cc' + c'^2 - 4cc' \cos^2 A = 4a^2 \cos^2 A,$$

that is

$$c^2 - 2cc' \cos 2A + c'^2 = 4a^2 \cos^2 A.$$

8. With the notation of the preceding solution the area of the smaller triangle is  $\frac{c}{2} b \sin A$ , and the area of the larger triangle is  $\frac{c'}{2} b \sin A$ ; hence

$$\text{the sum of the areas} = \frac{1}{2} (c + c') b \sin A = b^2 \sin A \cos A.$$

9. With the notation of the two preceding solutions we have

$$\frac{\sin C_1}{\sin B_1} = \frac{c}{b} \text{ and } \frac{\sin C_2}{\sin B_2} = \frac{c'}{b};$$

therefore

$$\frac{\sin C_1}{\sin B_1} + \frac{\sin C_2}{\sin B_2} = \frac{c + c'}{b} = \frac{2b \cos A}{b} = 2 \cos A.$$

10. As in the solution of Example 8, we have

$$\frac{1}{2} c' b \sin A = \frac{n}{2} c b \sin A;$$

therefore  $c' = nc$ .



And as in the solution of Example 7,

$$\frac{c' + c}{c' - c} = \frac{2b \cos A}{2a \cos CBB'};$$

therefore

$$\frac{b}{a} = \frac{n+1}{n-1} \cdot \frac{\cos CBB'}{\cos A};$$

but the angle  $CBB'$  is greater than  $A$ , and therefore  $\frac{\cos CBB'}{\cos A}$  is less than

unity. Hence  $\frac{b}{a}$  is less than  $\frac{n+1}{n-1}$ .

$$11. \quad \sin B = \frac{b}{a} \sin A; \quad \text{therefore } L \sin B - 10 = \log b + L \sin A - 10 - \log a.$$

Thus if  $\log a + 10 = \log b + L \sin A$  we have  $L \sin B - 10 = 0$ ; therefore  $L \sin B = 10$ , therefore  $\log \sin B = 0$ , therefore  $\sin B = 1$ , therefore  $B = 90^\circ$ , and the triangle is not ambiguous.

$$12. \quad \frac{a+b}{c} = \frac{\sin A + \sin B}{\sin C} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(A+B) \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B)}{2 \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}C};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{(a+b) \sin \frac{C}{2}}{c}.$$

Now assume  $\cos \theta = \frac{a-b}{c}$ ; therefore

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{c^2 - (a-b)^2}{c^2} = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C - (a-b)^2}{c^2}$$

$$= \frac{2ab(1 - \cos C)}{c^2} = \frac{4ab}{c^2} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\sin \theta = \frac{2\sqrt{ab}}{c} \sin \frac{C}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{(a+b) \sin \theta}{2\sqrt{ab}}.$$

And 
$$\sin \theta = \frac{2\sqrt{ab}}{c} \sin \frac{C}{2} = \frac{2\sqrt{ab}}{c} \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B);$$

therefore 
$$\cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B) = \frac{c \sin \theta}{2\sqrt{ab}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 13. \quad c^2 &= a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \left( 1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \right) \\
 &= (a-b)^2 + 4ab \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} = (a-b)^2 + (a-b)^2 \tan^2 \phi \\
 &= (a-b)^2 \{ 1 + \tan^2 \phi \} = (a-b)^2 \sec^2 \phi.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$14. \text{ Here } \quad s=30, \quad s-a=12, \quad s-b=10, \quad s-c=8.$$

$$\tan \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)}} = \sqrt{\frac{10 \times 8}{30 \times 12}} = \sqrt{\frac{8}{36}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{9}};$$

$$\text{therefore } L \tan \frac{A}{2} = 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{2}{9}} = 10 + \frac{1}{2} \log 2 - \log 3 = 9.6733937.$$

15. The greatest angle is opposite to the side 66; denote this angle by  $C$ . Then

$$\cot \frac{C}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{(s-a)(s-b)}}.$$

$$\text{Here } \quad s=69, \quad s-a=37, \quad s-b=29, \quad s-c=3;$$

$$\text{therefore } \quad \cot \frac{C}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{69 \times 3}{37 \times 29}} = \sqrt{\frac{207}{1073}};$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{therefore } \quad L \cot \frac{C}{2} &= 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{207}{1073}} \\
 &= 10 + \frac{1}{2} (\log 207 - \log 1073) = 9.6426853.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 9.6426853 \\
 9.6424342 \\
 \hline
 .0002511
 \end{array}
 \quad .0003431 : .0002511 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=44$ ; therefore  $\frac{C}{2} = 66^\circ 18' - 44'' = 66^\circ 17' 16''$ ;

$$\text{therefore } \quad C = 132^\circ 34' 32''.$$

$$16. \text{ Here } \quad s = \frac{15}{2}, \quad s-a = \frac{7}{2}, \quad s-b = \frac{5}{2}, \quad s-c = \frac{3}{2}.$$

$$\cos \frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{ac}} = \sqrt{\frac{15 \times 5}{8 \times 12}} = \sqrt{\frac{25}{32}} = \sqrt{\frac{100}{2^7}};$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{therefore } \quad L \cos \frac{B}{2} &= 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{100}{2^7}} = 10 + \frac{1}{2} (\log 100 - \log 2^7) \\
 &= 10 + 1 - \frac{7}{2} \log 2 = 9.9463950.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.9464040 \\ 9.9463950 \\ \hline .0000090 \end{array} \quad .0000669 : .0000090 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=8$ ; therefore  $\frac{B}{2} = 27^{\circ} 53' 8''$ ; therefore  $B = 55^{\circ} 46' 16''$ .

17. Here  $a=7$ ,  $s=9$ ,  $s-a=2$ ; therefore

$$\cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{9 \times 2}{5 \times 6}} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{5}} = \sqrt{\frac{6}{10}};$$

therefore  $L \cos \frac{A}{2} = 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{6}{10}} = 10 + \frac{1}{2}(\log 6 - \log 10)$

$$= 10 + \frac{1}{2} \log 6 - \frac{1}{2} = 9.8890756.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.8890756 \\ 9.8890644 \\ \hline .0000112 \end{array} \quad .0001032 : .0000112 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=6.5$ ; therefore  $\frac{A}{2} = 39^{\circ} 14' - 6''.5 = 39^{\circ} 13' 53''.5$ ; therefore  $A = 78^{\circ} 27' 47''$ .

18. As in Art. 229 we have

$$\tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = \frac{18-2}{18+2} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{8}{10} \cot 27^{\circ} 30';$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = L \cot 27^{\circ} 30' + \log 8 - \log 10$

$$= L \cot 27^{\circ} 30' + 3 \log 2 - 1 = 10.1866133.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10.1866133 \\ 10.1863769 \\ \hline .0002364 \end{array} \quad .0002763 : .0002364 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=51$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(B-C) = 56^{\circ} 56' 51''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(B+C) = 62^{\circ} 30'$ ; therefore  $B = 119^{\circ} 26' 51''$ ,  $C = 5^{\circ} 33' 9''$ .

19.  $\tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = \frac{9-7}{9+7} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{8} \cot 32^{\circ} 6';$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = L \cot 32^{\circ} 6' - \log 8$

$$= L \tan 57^{\circ} 54' - 3 \log 2 = 9.2994355.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.2999804 \\ 9.2993216 \\ \hline .0006588 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.2994355 \\ 9.2993216 \\ \hline .0001139 \end{array} \quad .0006588 : .0001139 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=10$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(B-C)=11^{\circ} 16' 10''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(B+C)=57^{\circ} 54'$ ; therefore  $B=69^{\circ} 10' 10''$ ,  $C=46^{\circ} 37' 50''$ .

$$20. \quad \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{70-35}{70+35} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{1}{3} \cot 18^{\circ} 26' 6'';$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = L \cot 18^{\circ} 26' 6'' - \log 3 = 10$ ;

therefore  $\log \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = 0$ ;

therefore  $\tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = 1$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(A-B) = 45^{\circ}$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(A+B) = 71^{\circ} 33' 54''$ ; therefore  $A = 116^{\circ} 33' 54''$ ,  $B = 26^{\circ} 33' 54''$ .

$$21. \quad \tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = \frac{9-7}{9+7} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{8} \cot 23^{\circ} 42' 30'';$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = L \cot 23^{\circ} 42' 30'' - \log 8$   
 $= L \tan 66^{\circ} 17' 30'' - 3 \log 2 = 9.4543042$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.4543042 \\ 9.4541479 \\ \hline .0001563 \end{array} \quad .0004797 : .0001563 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=20''$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(B-C) = 15^{\circ} 53' 20''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(B+C) = 66^{\circ} 17' 30''$ ; therefore  $B = 82^{\circ} 10' 50''$ ,  $C = 50^{\circ} 24' 10''$ .

$$22. \quad \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{30-20}{30+20} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{2}{10} \cot 11^{\circ};$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = L \cot 11^{\circ} + \log 2 - \log 10$   
 $= L \cot 11^{\circ} + \log 2 - 1 = 10.0123777$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 10.0123821 \\ 10.0121294 \\ \hline .0002527 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 10.0123777 \\ 10.0121294 \\ \hline .0002483 \end{array} \quad .0002527 : .0002483 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=59$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(A-B) = 45^{\circ} 48' 59''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(A+B)=79^\circ$ ; therefore  $A=124^\circ 48' 59''$ ,  $B=33^\circ 11' 1''$ .

$$23. \quad \tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = \frac{b-c}{b+c} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{3}{25} \cot 30^\circ = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{25};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } L \tan \frac{1}{2}(B-C) &= 10 + \log \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{25} = 10 + \frac{3}{2} \log 3 - \log 25 \\ &= 10 + \frac{3}{2} \log 3 - \log \frac{100}{4} = 10 + \frac{3}{2} \log 3 - 2 + 2 \log 2 = 9.31774; \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = 11^\circ 44' 29''.$$

And  $\frac{1}{2}(B+C)=60^\circ$ ; therefore  $B=71^\circ 44' 29''$ .

24. Let  $a=7$ ,  $b=8$ ,  $c=9$ ; then  $s=12$ ,  $s-a=5$ ,  $s-b=4$ ,  $s-c=3$ .

$$\tan \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)}} = \sqrt{\frac{4 \times 3}{12 \times 5}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{5}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{10}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} L \tan \frac{A}{2} &= 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{2}{10}} = 10 + \frac{1}{2}(\log 2 - \log 10) \\ &= 10 + \frac{1}{2}(\log 2 - 1) = 9.6505150. \end{aligned}$$

9.6505634	9.6505150	
9.6505069	9.6505069	.0000565 : .0000081 :: 10'' : x'';
.0000565	.0000081	

this gives  $x=1.5$ ; therefore  $\frac{A}{2}=24^\circ 5' 41''.5$ ; therefore  $A=48^\circ 11' 23''$ .

$$\tan \frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-c)}{s(s-b)}} = \sqrt{\frac{5 \times 3}{12 \times 4}} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{16}} = \sqrt{\frac{10}{32}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} L \tan \frac{B}{2} &= 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{10}{32}} = 10 + \frac{1}{2}(\log 10 - \log 32) \\ &= 10 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{5}{2} \log 2 = 9.7474250. \end{aligned}$$

9.7474677	9.7474250	
9.7474183	9.7474183	.0000494 : .0000067 :: 10'' : x'';
.0000494	.0000067	

this gives  $x=1.5$ ; therefore  $\frac{B}{2}=29^\circ 12' 21''.5$ ; therefore  $B=58^\circ 24' 43''$ .

Hence  $C=180^\circ - 48^\circ 11' 23'' - 58^\circ 24' 43'' = 73^\circ 23' 54''$ .

25. As in Art. 238 we have

$$\begin{aligned}\sin\left(45^\circ - \frac{B}{2}\right) &= \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin B}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}\left(1 - \frac{3}{6953}\right)} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{6950}{6953}} = \sqrt{\frac{3475}{6953}};\end{aligned}$$

therefore  $L \sin\left(45^\circ - \frac{B}{2}\right) = 10 + \log \sqrt{\frac{3475}{6953}}$

$$\begin{aligned}&= 10 + \frac{1}{2} \log(3475 - \log 6953) \\ &= 10 - \frac{1}{2}(\cdot 3012174) = 9\cdot 8493913.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9\cdot 8493913 \\ 9\cdot 8493902 \\ \hline \cdot 0000011 \end{array} \quad \cdot 0000021 : \cdot 0000011 : 1'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x = \cdot 5$ ; therefore  $45^\circ - \frac{B}{2} = 44^\circ 59' 15'' \cdot 5$ ; therefore  $\frac{B}{2} = 44'' \cdot 5$ ;  
therefore  $B = 1' 29''$ .

26. Let  $b = 100$ ,  $c = 80$ ;

$$\tan \frac{1}{2}(B - C) = \frac{b - c}{b + c} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{9} \cot 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9} = 3^{-\frac{3}{2}};$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(B - C) = 10 + \log 3^{-\frac{3}{2}} = 10 - \frac{3}{2} \log 3 = 9\cdot 28432$ ;

therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(B - C) = 10^\circ 53' 36''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(B + C) = 60^\circ$ ; therefore  $B = 70^\circ 53' 36''$ ,  $C = 49^\circ 6' 24''$ .

27. Let  $b = 5$ ,  $c = 3$ ;

$$\tan \frac{1}{2}(B - C) = \frac{b - c}{b + c} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{4} \cot 60^\circ = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{48}};$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(B - C) = 10 + \log \frac{1}{\sqrt{48}} = 10 - \frac{1}{2} \log 48$

$$= 10 - \frac{1}{2}(1\cdot 6812412) = 9\cdot 1593794.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9\cdot 1593794 \\ 9\cdot 1586706 \\ \hline \cdot 0007088 \end{array} \quad \cdot 0008940 : \cdot 0007088 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x = 48$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(B - C) = 8^\circ 12' 48''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(B+C)=30^\circ$ ; therefore  $B=38^\circ 12' 48''$  and  $C=21^\circ 47' 12''$ .

28. Let  $ABCD$  denote the square base,  $P$  the vertex. From  $P$  suppose a perpendicular  $PQ$  drawn to the ground, and from  $Q$  draw  $QR$  perpendicular to  $AB$ . Let  $\phi$  denote the required inclination; then  $\tan \phi = \frac{PQ}{QR}$ .

Now  $QR=100$ . Also  $PQ^2 + QR^2 = PR^2$ , and  $PR^2 + AR^2 = AP^2$ ; thus

$$PQ^2 = PR^2 - QR^2 = AP^2 - AR^2 - QR^2 = (150)^2 - (100)^2 - (100)^2 = 2500;$$

therefore  $PQ=50$ . Therefore  $\tan \phi = \frac{50}{100} = \frac{1}{2}$ .

Hence  $L \tan \phi = 10 + \log \frac{1}{2} = 10 - \log 2 = 9.69897$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.69900 \\ 9.69868 \\ \hline .00032 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.69897 \\ 9.69868 \\ \hline .00029 \end{array} \quad .00032 : .00029 :: 60'' : x';$$

this gives  $x=54$ ; therefore  $\phi=26^\circ 33' 54''$ .

$$29. \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{1\frac{2}{3}-1}{1\frac{2}{3}+1} \cot 30^\circ = \frac{1}{10} \cot 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{10};$$

therefore  $L \tan \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = 10 + \log \frac{\sqrt{3}}{10} = 10 + \frac{1}{2} \log 3 - 1 = 9.2385606$ .

Now  $L \cot 9^\circ 49' = 10.7618797$ ; and as  $\tan \theta \times \cot \theta = 1$ , we have

$$\log \tan \theta + \log \cot \theta = 0;$$

therefore  $L \tan \theta - 10 + L \cot \theta - 10 = 0$ ;

therefore  $L \tan \theta = 20 - L \cot \theta$ .

Thus  $L \tan 9^\circ 49' = 9.2381203$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.2385606 \\ 9.2381203 \\ \hline .0004403 \end{array} \quad .0007514 : .0004403 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=35$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}(A-B)=9^\circ 49' 35''$ .

And  $\frac{1}{2}(A+B)=60^\circ$ ; therefore  $A=69^\circ 49' 35''$ ,  $B=50^\circ 10' 25''$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 30. \sin C &= \frac{c}{a} \sin A; & L \sin C &= L \sin A + \log c - \log a \\ & & &= L \sin A + \log 3 - \log 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 9.5228787 + .4771213 - \log 2 = 10 - \log 2;$$

therefore  $\log \sin C = -\log 2 = \log \frac{1}{2}$ ;

therefore  $\sin C = \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $C = 30^\circ$  or  $150^\circ$ .

31. Let  $c$  be the given base and let  $h$  denote the given height. With the left-hand diagram of Art. 214 we have

$$\cot B = \frac{BD}{h} \text{ and } \cot C = \frac{CD}{h};$$

therefore  $\cot B + \cot C = \frac{BD + CD}{h} = \frac{c}{h} \dots\dots\dots (1).$

Also  $B - C$  is supposed given, so that  $\cot(B - C)$  is known; call it  $m$ : thus

$$\frac{\cot B - \cot C}{1 + \cot B \cot C} = m \dots\dots\dots (2).$$

From (1) and (2) we can find  $\cot A$  and  $\cot B$ .

32. Let  $a, b, c$  denote the sides; and  $l, m, n$  the perpendiculars on them respectively from the opposite angles. Then  $al = bm = cn$ ; for each of these expressions denotes twice the area of the triangle. Hence the sides  $a, b, c$  are respectively inversely proportional to  $l, m, n$ . Thus the ratios of the sides are known; and hence the angles of the triangle can be calculated by Art. 217. Then the actual lengths of the sides can be found; for  $l = c \sin B$ , and  $l$  and  $B$  are known, so that  $c$  can be found; and then  $a$  and  $b$  can be deduced as the ratios of the sides are already known.

CHAPTER XV.

1. Take the diagram of Art. 240. The angle  $PBC = 60^\circ$ , the angle  $PAC = 30^\circ$ ; therefore the angle  $APB = 30^\circ$ . Also  $AB = 40$  feet.

Since the angle  $PAB =$  the angle  $APB$ , we have  $BP = AB = 40$ . Then

$$PC = BP \sin 60^\circ = 40 \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 20\sqrt{3};$$

and  $BC = BP \cos 60^\circ = 40 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 20.$

2. Let  $AC$  produced through  $C$  meet the horizontal plane which contains  $B$  at  $D$ . Then the angle  $ABD = 60^\circ$ , and the angle  $CBD = 30^\circ$ ; therefore the angle  $ABC = 30^\circ$ . The angle  $ACB = 135^\circ$ . Hence

$$\text{the angle } BAC = 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 135^\circ = 15^\circ,$$

$$\frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{\sin ACB}{\sin BAC} = \frac{\sin 135^\circ}{\sin 15^\circ} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \div \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}-1};$$

therefore  $AB = \frac{2 \times 1760}{\sqrt{3}-1}$  yards.



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{The height of the mountain} &= AB \sin 60^\circ = AB \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\
 &= \frac{1760 \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}-1} = \frac{1760 \sqrt{3} (\sqrt{3}+1)}{(\sqrt{3}-1)(\sqrt{3}+1)} \\
 &= \frac{1760 \sqrt{3} (\sqrt{3}+1)}{2} = 880 (3 + \sqrt{3}).
 \end{aligned}$$

3. Let  $h$  denote the height of the tower in yards; then

$$\frac{h}{100} = \tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}; \text{ therefore } h = \frac{100}{\sqrt{3}}.$$

4. Let  $h$  denote the height of the tower,  $x$  the distance of the foot from  $A$ , and  $y$  the distance of the foot from  $B$ . Then

$$x = h \cot 30^\circ, \text{ and } y = h \cot 18^\circ.$$

But  $y^2 - x^2 = a^2$ ; therefore  $h^2 (\cot^2 18^\circ - \cot^2 30^\circ) = a^2$ ;

therefore 
$$h^2 \left\{ \frac{10 + 2\sqrt{5}}{(\sqrt{5}-1)^2} - 3 \right\} = a^2;$$

therefore 
$$h^2 \left\{ \frac{5 + \sqrt{5}}{3 - \sqrt{5}} - 3 \right\} = a^2;$$

therefore 
$$4h^2 (\sqrt{5} - 1) = a^2 (3 - \sqrt{5});$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned}
 h^2 &= \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{4(\sqrt{5} - 1)} a^2 = \frac{(3 - \sqrt{5})(3 + \sqrt{5})}{4(\sqrt{5} - 1)(3 + \sqrt{5})} \\
 &= \frac{4a^2}{4(2 + 2\sqrt{5})} = \frac{a^2}{2 + 2\sqrt{5}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

5. Let  $A$  denote the eye of the spectator, and  $B$  the centre of the balloon. The angle  $\alpha$  is formed by straight lines drawn from  $A$  in the vertical plane which contains  $B$ , so as to touch the balloon. Hence

$$\frac{r}{AB} = \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}; \text{ therefore } AB = r \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\alpha}{2}.$$

And the height of the centre of the balloon  $= AB \sin \beta = r \sin \beta \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\alpha}{2}$ .

6. Let  $O$  denote the station which is in the same straight line as  $A$  and  $B$ ; let  $P$  be the station which is in the same straight line as  $A$  and  $C$ ; and let  $Q$  be the station which is in the same straight line as  $B$  and  $C$ . Then  $O$ ,  $P$ , and  $Q$  are in a straight line which is at right angles to  $AB$ . Let  $OP = p$ ,  $OQ = q$ ; let  $\angle APO = \alpha$ , and  $\angle BQO = \beta$ . Then  $OA = p \tan \alpha$ , and  $OB = q \tan \beta$ . Thus  $AB = q \tan \beta - p \tan \alpha$ . And the angles of the triangle  $ABC$  are known; for  $\angle ABQ = \frac{\pi}{2} - \beta$ , and  $\angle CAP = \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha$ . Hence  $AC$  and  $BC$  can be found.

7. The tangent of the angle which  $AB$  subtends at  $E$  is  $\frac{AB}{AE}$ ; and the tangent of the angle which  $CD$  subtends at  $E$  is  $\frac{CD}{CE}$ ; therefore  $\frac{AB}{AE} = \frac{CD}{CE}$ ;

therefore  $CE = \frac{AE \cdot CD}{AB}$ ;      therefore  $CE^2 = \frac{AE^2 \cdot CD^2}{AB^2}$ ;

therefore  $CA^2 + AE^2 = \frac{AE^2 \cdot CD^2}{AB^2}$ ;

but  $CA^2 = AB^2$ ;      therefore  $AE^2 = \frac{AB^4}{CD^2 - AB^2}$ .

Again.  $\cos DEA = \frac{EA}{ED}$ ; and  $\cos BEC = \frac{EB^2 + EC^2 - BC^2}{2EB \cdot EC}$

$$= \frac{EA^2 + AB^2 + EA^2 + AC^2 - (AB^2 + AC^2)}{2EB \cdot EC} = \frac{EA^2}{EB \cdot EC}.$$

But by hypothesis the cosine of  $BEA$  is equal to the cosine of  $DEC$ , that is  $\frac{EA}{EB} = \frac{EC}{ED}$ ; therefore  $EA \cdot ED = EB \cdot EC$ ; therefore  $\frac{EA^2}{EB \cdot EC} = \frac{EA}{ED}$ .

8. Let  $A$  be the top of the flag staff,  $B$  the top of the tower,  $C$  the foot of the tower,  $E$  the eye. From  $E$  draw a perpendicular  $ED$  on the horizontal plane which contains  $C$ . Then the angle  $BEC$  is to be equal to the angle  $BEA$ .

Now  $\frac{\sin BEC}{\sin ECB} = \frac{BC}{EC}$ , and  $\frac{\sin BEA}{\sin EBA} = \frac{AB}{AE}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{BC}{EC} = \frac{AB}{AE}$ .

This coincides with Euclid vi. 3.

Let  $CD = x$ ; then  $EC = \sqrt{(h^2 + x^2)}$ ,  $EA = \sqrt{(a + b - h)^2 + x^2}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{b}{\sqrt{h^2 + x^2}} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{(a + b - h)^2 + x^2}}$ ;

therefore  $\{(a + b - h)^2 + x^2\} b^2 = (h^2 + x^2) a^2$ ;

therefore  $x^2 = \frac{b^2 (a + b - h)^2 - h^2 a^2}{a^2 - b^2}$ ;

therefore  $EC^2 = \frac{h^2 (a^2 - b^2) + b^2 (a + b - h)^2 - h^2 a^2}{a^2 - b^2}$

$$= \frac{b^2 \{(a + b - h)^2 - h^2\}}{a^2 - b^2} = \frac{b^2 (a + b) (a + b - 2h)}{a^2 - b^2} = \frac{b^2 (a + b - 2h)}{a - b};$$

therefore  $EC = b \left( \frac{a + b - 2h}{a - b} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

9. Let  $P$  denote the top of the tower; from  $P$  draw  $PQ$  perpendicular to the ground; then  $PQ=h$ . Let  $x$  denote the distance of  $Q$  from the base of the tower;  $x+a$  is the distance of  $Q$  from one point of observation, and  $x+b$  is the distance of  $Q$  from the other point of observation.

$$\text{Thus} \quad \cot \theta = \frac{x}{h}, \quad \cot \alpha = \frac{x+a}{h}, \quad \cot \beta = \frac{x+b}{h};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad h \cot \alpha = x+a, \quad h \cot \beta = x+b;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad h = \frac{b-a}{\cot \beta - \cot \alpha};$$

$$\text{and} \quad x = h \cot \alpha - a = \frac{(b-a) \cot \alpha}{\cot \beta - \cot \alpha} - a = \frac{b \cot \alpha - a \cot \beta}{\cot \beta - \cot \alpha}.$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad \tan \theta = \frac{h}{x} = \frac{b-a}{b \cot \alpha - a \cot \beta}.$$

10. Let  $x$  denote the required height; and suppose  $\theta$  the angle which the tower subtends: then

$$x = b \tan \theta, \quad x+a = b \tan (\theta + \gamma);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad x+a = \frac{b (\tan \theta + \tan \gamma)}{1 - \tan \theta \tan \gamma} = \frac{x+b \tan \gamma}{1 - \frac{x \tan \gamma}{b}};$$

thus we have a quadratic equation for finding  $x$ .

11. Let  $x$  denote the breadth of the river in feet; let  $\alpha$  denote the angle subtended by the column, and  $\beta$  the angle subtended by the column and statue.

$$\text{Thus} \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{200}{x}, \quad \text{and} \quad \tan \beta = \frac{230}{x};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan (\beta - \alpha) = \frac{\frac{230}{x} - \frac{200}{x}}{1 + \frac{200 \times 230}{x^2}} = \frac{30x}{x^2 + 46000}.$$

But, by hypothesis,  $\tan (\beta - \alpha) = \frac{6}{x}$ ; therefore

$$\frac{6}{x} = \frac{30x}{x^2 + 46000}; \quad \text{therefore} \quad x^2 + 46000 = 5x^2;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad x^2 = 11500; \quad \text{therefore} \quad x = 10 \sqrt{115}.$$

12. The part of the house above the horizontal straight line subtends an angle of  $60^\circ$ , and thus the height of the top of the house above the window is  $30 \tan 60^\circ$  feet. The part of the house below the horizontal straight line subtends an angle of  $30^\circ$ , and thus the depth of the foot of the house below the window is  $30 \tan 30^\circ$  feet. Hence the distance from the foot of the house to the top of the house in feet

$$= 30 (\tan 60^\circ + \tan 30^\circ) = 30 \left( \sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} 30 = 40 \sqrt{3}.$$

13. Let  $x$  denote the height of each chimney in feet, and  $y$  the distance between them. The distance of the first point of observation from the nearer chimney is  $x \cot 60^\circ$ , and therefore the distance of the second point of observation is  $\sqrt{(80)^2 + x^2 \cot^2 60^\circ}$ . Thus

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt{(80)^2 + x^2 \cot^2 60^\circ}} = \tan 45^\circ = 1;$$

therefore  $x^2 = (80)^2 + x^2 \cot^2 60^\circ = (80)^2 + \frac{x^2}{3}$ ; therefore  $2x^2 = 3(80)^2$ ;

therefore  $x^2 = 6(40)^2$ ; therefore  $x = 40\sqrt{6}$ .

The distance of the first point of observation from the further chimney is  $y - x \cot 60^\circ$ , and therefore the distance of the second point of observation is  $\sqrt{(80)^2 + (y - x \cot 60^\circ)^2}$ . Thus

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt{(80)^2 + (y - x \cot 60^\circ)^2}} = \tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}};$$

therefore  $3x^2 = (80)^2 + (y - x \cot 60^\circ)^2$ ; therefore  $14(40)^2 = (y - x \cot 60^\circ)^2$ ;

therefore  $y = x \cot 60^\circ + 40\sqrt{14} = 40(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{14})$ .

14. Let  $P$  be the object,  $PQ$  the perpendicular from  $P$  on the horizontal plane which contains  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ .

Let  $PQ = x$ ,  $CQ = y$ . Suppose  $\theta$  the angle  $PAQ$ , then  $PBQ = 2\theta$ , and  $PCQ = 3\theta$ . Thus

$$\tan \theta = \frac{x}{y + a + b}, \quad \tan 2\theta = \frac{x}{y + b}, \quad \tan 3\theta = \frac{x}{y};$$

therefore  $y + a + b = x \cot \theta$ ,  $y + b = x \cot 2\theta$ ,  $y = x \cot 3\theta$ ;

therefore  $a = x(\cot \theta - \cot 2\theta)$ ,  $b = x(\cot 2\theta - \cot 3\theta)$ ;

therefore  $a = x \left( \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} \right) = \frac{x \sin(2\theta - \theta)}{\sin \theta \sin 2\theta} = \frac{x}{\sin 2\theta}$ ,

and  $b = x \left( \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} - \frac{\cos 3\theta}{\sin 3\theta} \right) = \frac{x \sin(3\theta - 2\theta)}{\sin 2\theta \sin 3\theta} = \frac{x \sin \theta}{\sin 2\theta \sin 3\theta}$   
 $= \frac{x}{\sin 2\theta (3 - 4 \sin^2 \theta)}$ .

Thus  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{x}{a}$ , and  $3 - 4 \sin^2 \theta = \frac{x}{b \sin 2\theta} = \frac{a}{b}$ ;

therefore  $3 - 2(1 - \cos 2\theta) = \frac{a}{b}$ ; therefore  $\cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{a}{b} - 1 \right)$ .

Hence  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{a}{b} - 1 \right)^2 = 1$ ;

therefore  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} = 1 - \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{a}{b} - 1 \right)^2 = \frac{4b^2 - (a - b)^2}{4b^2} = \frac{3b^2 + 2ab - a^2}{4b^2} = \frac{(3b - a)(a + b)}{4b^2}$ ;

therefore  $x = \frac{a}{2b} \sqrt{(a + b)(3b - a)}$ .

If  $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{3}$ , then  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{1}{3}}{1 + \frac{1}{9}} = \frac{\frac{2}{3}}{\frac{10}{9}} = \frac{3}{5}$ , and  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{x}{a}$ ; thus

$$\frac{3}{5} = \frac{\sqrt{(a+b)(3b-a)}}{2b};$$

therefore  $36b^2 = 25(a+b)(3b-a) = 25(3b^2 + 2ab - a^2)$ ;

therefore  $39b^2 + 50ab - 25a^2 = 0$ ;

therefore  $(13b - 5a)(3b + 5a) = 0$ ; therefore  $13b - 5a = 0$ .

15. Let  $x$  denote the height of the tower in yards; then the distance from  $A$  to the foot of the tower is  $x \cot 15^\circ$ . The observer moves so that the tower always subtends the same angle, hence he must describe the arc of a circle having its centre at the foot of the tower; and as the bearing of the tower changes from north to north-east he must describe one-eighth part of the circumference; therefore

$$\frac{2\pi x \cot 15^\circ}{8} = 100; \text{ therefore } x = \frac{400 \tan 15^\circ}{\pi}.$$

16. Let  $A$  denote the object which is further from the road,  $B$  that which is nearer to the road,  $C$  the point where  $AB$  subtends the greatest angle,  $D$  the second point of observation.

It is known that the point  $C$  is such that a circle described round  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  will touch  $CD$  at  $C$ ; see *Notes on Euclid*, page 308. Therefore the angle  $BCD$  is equal to the angle  $BAC$ ; denote it by  $\theta$ . Then the angle  $ABC = \theta + \beta$ , and also  $= \pi - \theta - \alpha$ ; therefore  $2\theta = \pi - \alpha - \beta$ .

Now  $\frac{BC}{CD} = \frac{\sin \beta}{\sin(\theta + \beta)}$ , therefore  $BC = \frac{c \sin \beta}{\sin(\theta + \beta)}$ , and  $\frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin \theta}$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } AB &= \frac{c \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \theta \sin(\theta + \beta)} = \frac{2c \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\cos \beta - \cos(2\theta + \beta)} \\ &= \frac{2c \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\cos \beta - \cos(\pi - \alpha)} = \frac{2c \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\cos \beta + \cos \alpha}. \end{aligned}$$

17. Let  $A$  denote the fortress,  $B$  the first position of the ship,  $C$  the second; produce  $BC$  through  $C$  to any point  $E$ . Then the angle  $ABC = 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ , and the angle  $ACE = 67\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ ; therefore the angle  $BAC = 45^\circ$ .

$$\frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{\sin ACB}{\sin BAC} = \frac{\sin(180^\circ - 67\frac{1}{2}^\circ)}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}{2} \div \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{2+\sqrt{2}}{2}};$$

therefore  $AB = 4 \sqrt{\frac{2+\sqrt{2}}{2}} = \sqrt{(16+8\sqrt{2})}$ .

$$\text{And } \frac{AC}{BC} = \frac{\sin ABC}{\sin BAC} = \frac{\sin 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}}{\sin 45^{\circ}} = \frac{\sqrt{(2-\sqrt{2})}}{2} \div \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}};$$

therefore  $AC = 4 \sqrt{\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}} = \sqrt{(16-8\sqrt{2})}$ . See Example VII, 18.

18. Let  $P$  be the first position of the ship,  $A$  the nearer lighthouse, and  $B$  the further lighthouse; let  $Q$  be the second position of the ship. Then the angle  $BQP = 45^{\circ}$ , and the angle  $AQP = 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ ; therefore the angle  $QAP = 67\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ .

$$\frac{BQ}{BA} = \frac{\sin BAQ}{\sin BQA} = \frac{\sin(180^{\circ} - 67\frac{1}{2}^{\circ})}{\sin 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}} = \frac{\sin 67\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}}{\sin 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}} = \frac{\cos 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}}{\sin 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}} = \cot 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} \\ = \sqrt{2} + 1, \text{ by Example VII, 18; therefore } BQ = 8(\sqrt{2} + 1).$$

$$\text{And } PQ = BQ \sin 45^{\circ} = \frac{8(\sqrt{2} + 1)}{\sqrt{2}} = 8 + 4\sqrt{2}.$$

19. Let  $A$  denote the top of the lighthouse,  $P$  the top of the mast at the first observation,  $C$  the centre of the earth. Draw a straight line from  $P$  to  $A$  and let it touch the earth at  $B$ .

Let  $r$  denote the radius of the earth in feet; then

$$PB = \sqrt{PC^2 - BC^2} = \sqrt{(r+64)^2 - r^2} = \sqrt{2r \times 64 + (64)^2} = \sqrt{2r \times 64} \text{ very nearly,} \\ \text{for } r \text{ is very large compared with } (64)^2.$$

In precisely the same manner if  $Q$  denote the deck of the ship at the second observation,  $QB = \sqrt{2r \times 16}$ .

Now, since  $PCB$  is a very small angle, we may, by the principle that  $\tan \theta$  is nearly equal to  $\theta$  when  $\theta$  is very small, consider the straight line  $PB$  to be equal to the arc which measures the distance of the ship from  $B$  at the first observation; and similarly we may consider  $QB$  to be equal to the arc which measures the distance of the ship from  $B$  at the second observation. Thus between the two observations the ship has sailed over  $\sqrt{2r \times 64} - \sqrt{2r \times 16}$ , that is,  $4\sqrt{2r}$ ; that is, in half-an-hour it has sailed over  $4\sqrt{8000 \times 5280}$  feet, so that the rate is  $8\sqrt{8000 \times 5280}$  feet per hour, that is,  $\frac{8\sqrt{8000 \times 5280}}{5280}$  miles per hour, that is,  $8\sqrt{\frac{800}{528}}$  miles per hour, that is,  $8\sqrt{\frac{50}{33}}$  miles per hour; this is very nearly  $8\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$  miles per hour.

20. Let  $A$  denote the summit of the mountain,  $B$  the base,  $BC$  the first part of the path,  $CA$  the second part. From  $A$  draw  $AE$  perpendicular to the horizontal plane which contains  $B$ ; then  $AE = n$ .

The following are the angles:

$$BAE = \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma, \quad CBE = \alpha, \quad CAE = \frac{\pi}{2} - \beta;$$

$$\text{therefore } BAC = \beta - \gamma, \quad ABC = \gamma - \alpha, \quad ACB = \pi + \alpha - \beta.$$

$$AB = \frac{AE}{\sin \gamma} = \frac{n}{\sin \gamma},$$

$$\frac{BC}{AB} = \frac{\sin BAC}{\sin ACB} = \frac{\sin(\beta - \gamma)}{\sin(\beta - \alpha)},$$

$$\frac{AC}{AB} = \frac{\sin ABC}{\sin ACB} = \frac{\sin(\gamma - \alpha)}{\sin(\beta - \alpha)};$$

therefore  $\frac{BC + AC}{AB} = \frac{\sin(\beta - \gamma) + \sin(\gamma - \alpha)}{\sin(\beta - \alpha)}$

$$= \frac{2 \sin \frac{\beta - \alpha}{2} \cos \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} - \gamma \right)}{\sin(\beta - \alpha)} = \frac{\cos \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} - \gamma \right)}{\cos \frac{\beta - \alpha}{2}};$$

therefore  $BC + AC = \frac{n}{\sin \gamma} \cdot \frac{\cos \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} - \gamma \right)}{\cos \frac{\beta - \alpha}{2}}.$

21. Let  $O$  denote the foot of the object; and let  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  denote the three points of observation. Let  $x$  denote the height of the object; then  $OA = x \cot \alpha$ ,  $OB = x \cot \beta$ , and  $OC = x \cot \gamma$ .

From the triangle  $AOC$  we have

$$x^2 \cot^2 \alpha = x^2 \cot^2 \gamma + a^2 - 2ax \cot \gamma \cos ACO,$$

and from the triangle  $BOC$  we have

$$x^2 \cot^2 \beta = x^2 \cot^2 \gamma + b^2 - 2bx \cot \gamma \cos BCO.$$

Multiply the first equation by  $b$  and the second by  $a$ , and add; thus

$$x^2 (b \cot^2 \alpha + a \cot^2 \beta) = ab(a + b) + x^2 (a + b) \cot^2 \gamma;$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 &= \frac{ab(a + b) \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}{a(\cos^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma - \cos^2 \gamma \sin^2 \beta) \sin^2 \alpha + b(\cos^2 \alpha \sin^2 \gamma - \cos^2 \gamma \sin^2 \alpha) \sin^2 \beta} \\ &= \frac{ab(a + b) \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta \sin^2 \gamma}{a(\sin^2 \gamma - \sin^2 \beta) \sin^2 \alpha + b(\sin^2 \gamma - \sin^2 \alpha) \sin^2 \beta}. \end{aligned}$$

22. Let  $P$  be the summit of the lower hill,  $Q$  the summit of the higher hill; let  $A$  be the first point of observation,  $B$  the second,  $C$  the third. From  $P$  and  $Q$  draw  $PM$  and  $QN$ , respectively perpendicular to the horizontal plane which contains  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ .

Let  $PM = h$ , and  $QN = h'$ .

Then  $AM = h \cot \alpha$ , and  $AM = AB + BC + CM = c + 1 + h \cot \beta$ ;

therefore  $h \cot \alpha = c + 1 + h \cot \beta$ ; therefore  $h(\cot \alpha - \cot \beta) = c + 1$ ;

$$\text{therefore} \quad h = \frac{(c+1) \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin(\beta - \alpha)}.$$

And by similar triangles

$$\frac{h'}{h} = \frac{QN}{PM} = \frac{BN}{BM} = \frac{AN - AB}{AM - AB} = \frac{h' \cot \alpha' - c}{h \cot \alpha - c};$$

thus since  $h$  is known we can find  $h'$ .

23. Let  $h$  be the height of the tower in feet,  $\alpha$  the altitude of the sun at noon. The distance between the foot of the tower and the edge of the moat is  $h \cot 60^\circ$ ; hence the distance between the foot of the tower and the extremity of the shadow is  $h \cot 60^\circ + 45$  at noon, and  $h \cot 60^\circ + 120$  when the sun is due west. The directions of the shadows include a right angle;

therefore  $(h \cot 60^\circ + 45)^2 + (h \cot 60^\circ + 120)^2 = (375)^2$ .

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \frac{2h^2}{3} + \frac{2h}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot 165 + (45)^2 + (120)^2 = (375)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{2h^2}{3} + \frac{2h}{\sqrt{3}} 165 = 124200.$$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $h = 180\sqrt{3}$  or  $-345\sqrt{3}$ ; only the positive value is applicable. Then  $h \cot \alpha - h \cot 60^\circ = 45$ ;

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cot \alpha = \cot 60^\circ + \frac{45}{h} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{45}{180\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}} = \frac{5}{4\sqrt{3}};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{5}.$$

24. Let  $P$  denote the top of the tower. Then  $\phi$  is the angle between  $PA$  and  $CA$  produced through  $A$ . Thus the angle  $CPA = \phi - \alpha$ , and the angle  $DPC = \alpha - \beta$ .

$$\text{Then} \quad \frac{DC}{CP} = \frac{\sin DPC}{\sin CDP} = \frac{\sin(\alpha - \beta)}{\sin \beta},$$

$$\frac{CA}{CP} = \frac{\sin CPA}{\sin CAP} = \frac{\sin(\phi - \alpha)}{\sin(\pi - \phi)} = \frac{\sin(\phi - \alpha)}{\sin \phi};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\sin(\alpha - \beta)}{\sin \beta} = \frac{\sin(\phi - \alpha)}{\sin \phi};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin \alpha \cot \beta - \cos \alpha = \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha \cot \phi;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cot \phi = 2 \cot \alpha - \cot \beta.$$

Now let  $\alpha'$ ,  $\beta'$ , and  $\phi'$  correspond to observations made in another straight line  $AC'D'$ ; then  $\cot \phi' = 2 \cot \alpha' - \cot \beta'$ ; but by supposition  $2 \tan \beta' = \tan \alpha'$ ; therefore  $\cot \phi' = 0$ ; therefore  $\phi' = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Thus  $AC'D'$  makes a right angle with  $AP$ ; and therefore  $AC'D'$  is a horizontal straight line.



From  $D$  draw  $DM$  perpendicular to  $AD'$ , and from  $M$  draw  $MN$  perpendicular to the horizontal plane which contains  $D$ ; and produce  $PA$  through  $A$  to meet the same plane at  $Q$ .

$$\text{Then} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{MN}{MD}, \quad \sin \gamma = \frac{DM}{DA}, \quad \cos \phi = \frac{AQ}{AD} = \frac{MN}{AD};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \phi = \sin \theta \sin \gamma.$$

$$25. \quad \sin B = \frac{b}{a} \sin A = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{3} \sin A = \sqrt{3} \sin A;$$

thus if  $A = \frac{\pi}{6}$  we have  $\sin B = \sqrt{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $B = \frac{\pi}{3}$  or  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

Suppose however that  $A = \frac{\pi}{6} \pm h$ , where  $h$  is the circular measure of  $2''$ ; then  $\sin B = \sqrt{3} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{6} \pm h \right) = \sqrt{3} \left\{ \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \pm h \cos \frac{\pi}{6} \right\}$  very nearly. Suppose that  $B = \frac{\pi}{3} \pm k$ ; then approximately  $\sin \frac{\pi}{3} \pm k \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = \sqrt{3} \left\{ \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \pm h \cos \frac{\pi}{6} \right\}$ ;

therefore  $\pm k \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = \pm h \sqrt{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{6}$ ; therefore  $k = h \sqrt{3} \cdot \cot \frac{\pi}{6} = 3h$ .

In the same way if  $B = \frac{2\pi}{3} \pm k$  we find that  $k = -3h$ . Thus the approximate error in  $B$  is 6 seconds.

26. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be the two objects on the opposite bank of the river; and suppose  $P$  and  $Q$  two points on this bank, such that  $PQ = AB$ ; and let  $P$  correspond to  $A$  and  $Q$  to  $B$ , so that  $AP$  is equal and parallel to  $BQ$ . Let  $AQ$  and  $BP$  intersect at  $C$ .

Then  $\alpha =$  the angle  $APB$ , and  $\beta =$  the angle  $AQB =$  the angle  $PAQ$ .

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \frac{PC}{PA} = \frac{\sin \beta}{\sin (\alpha + \beta)}, \quad \frac{AC}{PA} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin (\alpha + \beta)};$$

but  $PQ^2 = PC^2 + QC^2 - 2PC \cdot QC \cdot \cos PCQ$ ; and  $QC = AC$ ;

$$\text{therefore} \quad c^2 = PA^2 \frac{\sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \alpha - 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin^2 (\alpha + \beta)}.$$

Let  $x$  denote the breadth of the river; then the area of the triangle  $APB = \frac{1}{2} xc$ ; and this area is also equal to

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} PA \cdot PB \sin APB &= PA \cdot PC \sin \alpha = \frac{PA^2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin (\alpha + \beta)} \\ &= \frac{c^2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \alpha - 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos (\alpha + \beta)}. \end{aligned}$$

27. Let  $AB$  denote a side of the fort,  $C$  the position due south of  $A$ ; let  $D$  be the second position, so that  $CD=a$ , and the angle  $ACD=90^\circ$ ; also  $A, B, D$ , and  $C$  will lie on the circumference of a circle. Let  $E$  be the third position, so that  $E$  is on  $CD$  produced through  $D$ , and  $DE=b$ ; and the angle  $BED$  is a right angle.

Let  $\phi$  be the angle between  $AB$  produced through  $B$  and  $CE$  produced through  $E$ . Then  $a+b=AB \cos \phi$ ; therefore  $AB=(a+b) \sec \phi$ .

And  $BE=EC \tan BCE$ , and  $=ED \tan BDE$ ;

therefore  $(a+b) \tan (90^\circ - \alpha) = b \tan BAC = b \tan (90^\circ - \phi)$ . (Euclid III. 22.)

28. From  $A$  draw  $AM$  perpendicular to the horizontal plane which contains the road, and draw  $AN$  perpendicular to the straight road.

Then  $\sin \alpha = \frac{AM}{AB}$ , and  $\sin \beta = \frac{AN}{AB}$ .

Similarly from  $A'$  draw  $A'M'$  perpendicular to the horizontal plane, and  $A'N'$  perpendicular to the straight road.

Then  $\sin \alpha' = \frac{A'M'}{A'B'}$  and  $\sin \beta' = \frac{A'N'}{A'B'}$ .

Thus we have to shew that  $\frac{AM}{AB} \cdot \frac{A'N'}{A'B'} = \frac{A'M'}{A'B'} \cdot \frac{AN}{AB}$ ,

or that  $AM \cdot A'N' = A'M' \cdot AN$ , or that  $\frac{AM}{AN} = \frac{A'M'}{A'N'}$ .

Now if  $A$  is just hidden by  $A'$  at some point of the road, the straight line  $A'A$  if produced through  $A$  will intersect the road; and then  $AA'$  and the road will lie in one plane; the sine of the inclination of this plane to the horizontal plane is expressed by  $\frac{AM}{AN}$  and also by  $\frac{A'M'}{A'N'}$ ; so that these are equal.

29. There are two cases. Suppose the angles  $APQ$  and  $BPR$  to be on the same sides of  $AP$  and  $BP$  respectively; then the angle  $QPR$  = the angle  $APB = \alpha$ . Suppose the angles  $APQ$  and  $BPR$  not to fall on the same sides of  $AP$  and  $BP$  respectively; then the angle  $RPQ = \pi - \alpha$ . In both cases  $AB = RQ$ ; for the diameter of the circle which goes round the five points  $A, B, P, Q$ , and  $R = \frac{AB}{\sin APB}$  and also  $= \frac{RQ}{\sin RPQ}$ .

In the former case  $AB = \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos \alpha)}$ , and in the latter case  $AB = \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 + 2ab \cos \alpha)}$ .

30. Suppose both straight lines  $OC$  and  $O'C$  to fall within the angle  $ACB$ . Let  $AC = a$ ,  $ACO = \phi$ ; then from the triangles  $ACO$  and  $BCO$  we get

$$OC = \frac{a \sin (\phi + \alpha)}{\sin \alpha} \text{ and } OC = \frac{a \cos (\phi - \beta)}{\sin \beta};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad OC \sin \alpha &= a (\sin \phi \cos \alpha + \cos \phi \sin \alpha), \\ OC \sin \beta &= a (\cos \phi \cos \beta + \sin \phi \sin \beta). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence} \quad a \sin \phi &= \frac{OC \sin \alpha (\cos \beta - \sin \beta)}{\cos (\alpha + \beta)}, \\ a \cos \phi &= \frac{OC \sin \beta (\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha)}{\cos (\alpha + \beta)}. \end{aligned}$$

Square and add; thus

$$\begin{aligned} a^2 \cos^2 (\alpha + \beta) &= OC^2 \{ \sin^2 \alpha (\cos \beta - \sin \beta)^2 + \sin^2 \beta (\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha)^2 \} \\ &= OC^2 \{ \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta - 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \beta) \}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad OC^2 = \frac{a^2 \cos^2 (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta - 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \beta)}.$$

A similar expression will be found for  $O'C^2$  in terms of  $\alpha'$  and  $\beta'$ . Then  $O'C^2 = OC^2 + d^2$ . This finds  $\alpha$ ; and then  $AB = a\sqrt{2}$ .

Similarly the problem may be solved for any other positions of the lines  $OC, O'C$ .

$$31. \text{ Let } \alpha \text{ denote the Sun's altitude; then } \tan \alpha = \frac{150}{75} = 2;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad L \tan \alpha = 10 + \log 2 = 10.3010300.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10.3013153 \\ 10.3009994 \\ \hline .0003159 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 10.3010300 \\ 10.3009994 \\ \hline .0000306 \end{array} \quad .0003159 : .0000306 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=6$ ; therefore  $\alpha = 63^\circ 26' 6''$ .

32. Take the diagram of Art. 240. Here  $PBC = 55^\circ$ ,  $PAC = 48^\circ$ ,  $AB = 30$  feet.

$$\frac{PB}{BA} = \frac{\sin PAB}{\sin APB} = \frac{\sin 48^\circ}{\sin 7^\circ}; \text{ therefore } PB = \frac{30 \sin 48^\circ}{\sin 7^\circ};$$

$$BC = BP \cos PBC = BP \cos 55^\circ = BP \sin 35^\circ = \frac{30 \sin 48^\circ \sin 35^\circ}{\sin 7^\circ};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log BC &= \log 30 + L \sin 48^\circ - 10 + L \sin 35^\circ - 10 - (L \sin 7^\circ - 10) \\ &= 1.47712 + 9.87107 + 9.75859 - 9.08589 - 10 = 2.02089; \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $BC = 104.93$ .

$$33. \text{ Let } \alpha \text{ denote the inclination; then } \sin \alpha = \frac{100}{196} = \frac{100}{4 \times 49};$$

$$\text{therefore } L \sin \alpha = 10 + \log 100 - \log (4 \times 49) = 12 - 2 \log 2 - 2 \log 7 = 9.70774.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.70782 \\ 9.70761 \\ \hline .00021 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 9.70774 \\ 9.70761 \\ \hline .00013 \end{array} \quad .00021 : .00013 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x=37$ ; therefore  $\alpha = 30^\circ 40' 37''$ .

34. Let  $A$  be the point of intersection of the hills,  $B$  the point of observation on the hill,  $P$  the top of the object,  $C$  the bottom. Produce  $PB$  through  $B$  to meet at  $D$  the horizontal straight line which contains  $A$ ; produce  $DA$  through  $A$  to any point  $E$ . Then  $AB=64$  feet; and the following are the given angles:

$$CAE=60^{\circ}, \quad BAD=40^{\circ}, \quad BDA=70^{\circ}, \quad BPC=90^{\circ}-70^{\circ}=20^{\circ};$$

Therefore  $BAC=80^{\circ}, \quad BCA=20^{\circ}, \quad PBC=30^{\circ};$

$$\frac{BC}{BA} = \frac{\sin BAC}{\sin BCA} = \frac{\sin 80^{\circ}}{\sin 20^{\circ}},$$

$$\frac{PC}{BC} = \frac{\sin PBC}{\sin BPC} = \frac{\sin 30^{\circ}}{\sin 20^{\circ}}; \text{ therefore } \frac{PC}{BA} = \frac{\sin 80^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ}}{\sin^2 20^{\circ}};$$

$$\text{therefore } PC = \frac{64 \sin 80^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ}}{\sin^2 20^{\circ}} = \frac{64 \sin 40^{\circ} \cos 40^{\circ}}{\sin^2 20^{\circ}} = \frac{128 \cos 40^{\circ}}{\tan 20^{\circ}};$$

$$\text{therefore } \log PC = 7 \log 2 + L \cos 40^{\circ} - L \tan 20^{\circ} = 2.4303981;$$

$$\text{therefore } PC = 269.40031.$$

35. Let  $A, B, C$  be the three successive positions of the ship from which the observations are made; let  $P, Q, R$  be the corresponding positions of the other ship.

Then the straight line  $ABC$  is parallel to the straight line  $PQR$ ; also  $AB=BC$ , and  $PQ=QR$ .

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the North direction and the direction of sailing.

From  $B$  draw a straight line parallel to  $AP$ , meeting  $PQ$  at  $M$ ; then

$$\frac{QM}{BM} = \frac{\sin QBM}{\sin BQM} = \frac{\sin QBM}{\sin BQP} = \frac{\sin(\beta - \alpha)}{\sin(\theta - \beta)}.$$

Again, from  $C$  draw a straight line parallel to  $AP$ , meeting  $QR$  at  $N$ ; then

$$\frac{RN}{CN} = \frac{\sin RCN}{\sin CRN} = \frac{\sin RCN}{\sin CRP} = \frac{\sin(\gamma - \alpha)}{\sin(\theta - \gamma)}.$$

But  $BM=CN$ ; and  $RN=2QM$ , for  $RN$  is the difference of the paths of the ships in two hours, and  $QM$  is the difference in one hour.

$$\text{Therefore } \frac{2 \sin(\beta - \alpha)}{\sin(\theta - \beta)} = \frac{\sin(\gamma - \alpha)}{\sin(\theta - \gamma)};$$

$$\text{therefore } 2 \sin(\theta - \gamma) \sin(\beta - \alpha) = \sin(\gamma - \alpha) \sin(\theta - \beta),$$

therefore

$$2(\sin \theta \cos \gamma - \cos \theta \sin \gamma) \sin(\beta - \alpha) = (\sin \theta \cos \beta - \cos \theta \sin \beta) \sin(\gamma - \alpha).$$

Divide by  $\cos \theta$ ; thus we obtain the value of  $\tan \theta$ .

36. If  $\alpha + \beta + C = \pi$ , then  $x + y = \pi$ ; therefore  $\sin x = \sin y$ ; therefore  $\tan \phi = 1$ .

We might as in Art. 242 say that

$$\frac{\sin x - \sin y}{\sin x + \sin y} = \tan \left( \phi - \frac{\pi}{4} \right),$$

that is

$$\frac{2 \sin \frac{x-y}{2} \cos \frac{x+y}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{x+y}{2} \cos \frac{x-y}{2}} = \tan \left( \phi - \frac{\pi}{4} \right).$$

But as  $\cos \frac{x+y}{2}$  is now zero we cannot divide both numerator and denominator of the last fraction by it, and thus we cannot proceed further. In fact in this case a circle would go round  $P$ ,  $A$ ,  $C$ , and  $B$ , and  $P$  may be at any point of the arc between  $A$  and  $B$ .

## XVI.

1. Here  $s=36$ ,  $s-a=12$ ,  $s-b=6$ ,  $s-c=18$ .

The area of the triangle =  $\sqrt{36 \times 12 \times 6 \times 18} = \sqrt{36 \times 36 \times 36} = 6^3 = 216$ .

2. The third angle of the triangle =  $180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$ .

One of the containing sides =  $\frac{10 \times \sin 15^\circ}{\sin 120^\circ}$ , and the other =  $\frac{10 \times \sin 45^\circ}{\sin 120^\circ}$ .

Hence the area

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{(10)^2 \sin 15^\circ \sin 45^\circ}{\sin^2 120^\circ} \sin 120^\circ = \frac{50 \sin 15^\circ \sin 45^\circ}{\sin 120^\circ} = \frac{50(\sqrt{3}-1)}{2\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{25(\sqrt{3}-1)}{\sqrt{3}}. \end{aligned}$$

3. The area of the triangle =  $\frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 12 \times \sin 30^\circ = \frac{36}{4} = 9$ .

Let  $x$  denote the hypotenuse of the right-angled triangle; then each of the equal sides is  $\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}}$ , and the area is  $\frac{1}{2} \times \left( \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2$ , that is  $\frac{x^2}{4}$ . Hence  $\frac{x^2}{4} = 9$ ; therefore  $x^2 = 36$ ; therefore  $x = 6$ .

4. From the angle  $C$  of a triangle draw a perpendicular  $CD$  to the side  $AB$ , or  $AB$  produced.

First suppose  $A$  and  $B$  acute, so that  $D$  is between  $A$  and  $B$ . Then  $CD = b \sin A$ ,  $AD = b \cos A$ ; thus the area of  $ACD = \frac{1}{2} b^2 \sin A \cos A = \frac{1}{4} b^2 \sin 2A$ .

Similarly the area of  $BCD = \frac{1}{2} a^2 \sin B \cos B = \frac{1}{4} a^2 \sin 2B$ .

Therefore the area of the whole triangle =  $\frac{1}{4} (a^2 \sin 2B + b^2 \sin 2A)$ .

Next suppose the angle  $B$  obtuse, so that  $D$  falls on  $AB$  produced through  $D$ . Then as before the area of  $ACD = \frac{1}{4} b^2 \sin 2A$ . And the area of  $CBD = \frac{1}{2} a^2 \sin (180^\circ - B) \cos (180^\circ - B) = \frac{a^2}{4} \sin (360^\circ - 2B)$ .

Therefore the area of  $ABC$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \{b^2 \sin 2A - a^2 \sin (360^\circ - 2B)\} = \frac{1}{4} (b^2 \sin 2A + a^2 \sin 2B).$$

This mode of solution shews the geometrical meaning of the two parts of the expression. We may proceed more briefly thus:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4} (a^2 \sin 2B + b^2 \sin 2A) \\ = & \frac{1}{2} (a \sin B a \cos B + b \sin A b \cos A) = \frac{1}{2} a \sin B (a \cos B + b \cos A), \text{ by Art. 214,} \\ = & \frac{1}{2} ac \sin B, \text{ by Art. 216, = the area of the triangle by Art. 247.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5. \quad & \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2} \frac{\sin A \sin B}{\sin (A - B)} = \frac{\sin A \sin B}{2 \sin (A - B)} \left\{ \frac{c^2 \sin^2 A}{\sin^2 C} - \frac{c^2 \sin^2 B}{\sin^2 C} \right\} \\ = & \frac{c^2 \sin A \sin B (\sin^2 A - \sin^2 B)}{2 \sin (A - B) \sin^2 C} = \frac{c^2 \sin A \sin B \sin (A + B) \sin (A - B)}{2 \sin (A - B) \sin^2 C} \\ = & \frac{c^2 \sin A \sin B}{2 \sin C} = \text{area of the triangle, by Art. 247.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6. \quad & \frac{2abc}{a+b+c} \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = \frac{2abc}{2s} \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{bc}} \times \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{ac}} \times \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{ab}} \\ = & \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = S = \text{the area of the triangle.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 7. \quad & \text{Here } 2s = gh (k^2 + l^2) + kl (g^2 + h^2) + (hk + gl) (hl - gk) \\ & = gh (k^2 + l^2) + kl (g^2 + h^2) + h^2 kl + ghl^2 - hgk^2 - klg^2 \\ & = 2ghl^2 + 2h^2 kl; \text{ therefore } s = ghl^2 + kllh^2 = hl (gl + hk); \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad & s - a = kllh^2 - ghk^2 = kh (lh - gk), \\ & s - b = ghl^2 - klg^2 = gl (lh - gk), \\ & s - c = hgk^2 + klg^2 = kg (hk + lg). \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c) = g^2 h^2 k^2 l^2 (lh - gk)^2 (hk + lg)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } S = ghkl (lh - gk) (hk + lg).$$

Therefore by Art. 218 the sines of the angles of the triangle are rational quantities; and by Art. 215 the cosines of the angles are rational quantities.

8. Let  $a, b, c$  be in Arithmetical Progression; then  $2b = a + c$ . Thus the perimeter  $= 3b$ , and the side of an equilateral triangle of equal perimeter is  $b$ .

$$\text{Thus } \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} b^2 \sin 60^\circ = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{20} b^2,$$

$$\text{that is } \sqrt{(a+b+c)(b+c-a)(a+c-b)(a+b-c)} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{5} b^2,$$

$$\text{that is } \sqrt{3b^2(b+c-a)(a+b-c)} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{5} b^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } \sqrt{(b+c-a)(b+a-c)} = \frac{3}{5} b,$$

$$\text{therefore } \sqrt{\frac{3c-a}{2} \times \frac{3a-c}{2}} = \frac{3}{10} (a+c);$$

$$\text{therefore } (3c-a)(3a-c) = \frac{9}{25} (a+c)^2;$$

$$\text{therefore } 10ac - 3(a^2 + c^2) = \frac{9}{25} (a^2 + 2ac + c^2);$$

$$\text{therefore } 84(a^2 + c^2) - 232ac = 0,$$

$$\text{therefore } 21 \left( \frac{a^2}{c^2} + 1 \right) = 58 \frac{a}{c}.$$

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\frac{a}{c} = \frac{7}{3}$  or  $\frac{3}{7}$ .

Take  $\frac{a}{c} = \frac{7}{3}$ ; thus  $a, b$ , and  $c$  are proportional to 7, 5, and 3 respectively.

$$\text{Then } \cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{5^2 + 3^2 - 7^2}{2 \times 5 \times 3} = -\frac{1}{2}; \text{ therefore } A = 120^\circ.$$

9. Let  $A, B, C, D, E$  be five consecutive angles of the hexagon; draw  $AC, BD, CE$ ; let  $AC$  and  $BD$  intersect at  $P$ , and let  $BD$  and  $CE$  intersect at  $Q$ . Then  $PQ$  is the side of the second regular hexagon.

The angle  $DBC$  is half of the angle which  $DC$  would subtend at the centre of the circle circumscribing the regular hexagon, and is therefore  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ . Similarly the angle  $ACB$  is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ .

$$\text{Then } \frac{PC}{BC} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}}{\sin \left( \pi - \frac{2\pi}{6} \right)} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}}{\sin \frac{2\pi}{6}} = \frac{1}{2 \cos \frac{\pi}{6}}; \text{ therefore } PC = \frac{BC}{2 \cos \frac{\pi}{6}}.$$

$$\text{And } PQ = 2PC \sin \frac{1}{2} PCQ = 2PC \sin \frac{\pi}{6} = BC \tan \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

Thus  $PQ = \frac{BC}{\sqrt{3}}$ . And the areas of similar polygons are as the squares of their homologous sides; so that if  $S$  denote the area of the first hexagon the area of the second is  $\frac{S}{3}$ . In like manner the area of the next hexagon is  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  $\frac{S}{3}$ , that is  $\frac{S}{9}$ ; and so on. Hence the sum of the areas of all the derived figures is  $\frac{S}{3} + \frac{S}{9} + \frac{S}{27} + \dots$ , that is  $\frac{1}{3} \frac{S}{1 - \frac{1}{3}}$ , that is  $\frac{S}{2}$ .

10. Suppose that the original figure instead of being a hexagon is a regular polygon of  $n$  sides. Proceed as before and we have

$$\frac{PC}{BC} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{n}}{\sin \left( \pi - \frac{2\pi}{n} \right)} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{n}}{\sin \frac{2\pi}{n}} = \frac{1}{2 \cos \frac{\pi}{n}}.$$

Then  $PQ = 2PC \sin \frac{1}{2} PCQ$ ;

and the angle  $PCQ = (n-4) \frac{\pi}{n}$ ; therefore  $PQ = 2PC \sin (n-4) \frac{\pi}{2n}$

$$= 2PC \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{2\pi}{n} \right) = 2PC \cos \frac{2\pi}{n} = BC \frac{\cos \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\cos \frac{\pi}{n}}.$$

Thus the area of the second polygon is  $\frac{S \cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n}}$ ;

and  $\Sigma = S \{ m + m^2 + m^3 + \dots \}$  where  $m$  stands for  $\frac{\cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n}}$ ;

$$\text{thus } \Sigma = \frac{Sm}{1-m} = \frac{S \cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n} - \cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{n}} = \frac{S \cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\sin^2 \frac{2\pi}{n} - \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{n}} = \frac{S \cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\sin \frac{3\pi}{n} \sin \frac{\pi}{n}}.$$

If  $n=3$  this becomes infinite; for  $\sin \pi = 0$ ; in this case the original figure is a triangle, and the second figure is the *same* triangle, and so on: thus the sum of the areas is infinite.



If  $n=4$  the expression vanishes; for  $\cos \frac{2\pi}{4}=0$ ; in this case the original figure is a square, and the second figure is only a point, and so on: thus the sum of the areas is zero.

11. Let  $ABC$  denote the right-angled isosceles triangle where  $C$  is the right angle. Let  $F$  be the middle point of  $AB$ ; let  $D$  be on  $BC$ , and  $E$  on  $AC$ , such that  $DE$  is parallel to  $AB$ , and the triangle  $DEF$  is equilateral.

Then the angle  $DEC=45^\circ$ , and the angle  $DEF=60^\circ$ ; therefore the angle  $AEF=75^\circ$ . Now  $\frac{FE}{FA} = \frac{\sin FAE}{\sin FEA} = \frac{\sin 45^\circ}{\sin 75^\circ}$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } FE &= \frac{FA \sin 45^\circ}{\sin 75^\circ} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sin 45^\circ}{\cos 15^\circ} = \frac{a}{2} \frac{1}{\cos 15^\circ} = \frac{a \sin 15^\circ}{2 \cos 15^\circ \sin 15^\circ} \\ &= \frac{a \sin 15^\circ}{\sin 30^\circ} = 2a \sin 15^\circ. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the area of the equilateral triangle

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2a \sin 15^\circ)^2 \sin 60^\circ = 2a^2 \sin^2 15^\circ \sin 60^\circ.$$

$$12. \quad r_1 r_2 r_3 = \frac{S^3}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}, \quad r^3 = \frac{S^3}{s^3};$$

therefore  $\frac{r_1 r_2 r_3}{r^3} = \frac{s^3}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$ ;

and  $\cot^2 \frac{A}{2} \cot^2 \frac{B}{2} \cot^2 \frac{C}{2} = \frac{s(s-a)}{(s-b)(s-c)} \times \frac{s(s-b)}{(s-a)(s-c)} \times \frac{s(s-c)}{(s-a)(s-b)}$

$$= \frac{s^3}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)};$$

therefore  $\frac{r_1 r_2 r_3}{r^3} = \cot^2 \frac{A}{2} \cot^2 \frac{B}{2} \cot^2 \frac{C}{2}$ .

13. Let  $C'A'$  intersect  $AB$  at  $E$  and  $CB$  at  $F$ .

The angle  $A'FC$  is equal to the sum of the angles  $FC'C$  and  $FCC'$ , that is to the sum of the angles  $A'AC$  and  $FCC'$ , that is to  $\frac{1}{2}A + \frac{1}{2}C$ ; the angle  $BCA' =$  the angle  $BAA' = \frac{1}{2}A$ .

Thus  $\frac{FA'}{CA'} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(A+C)} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\cos \frac{1}{2}B}$ .

Let  $R$  be the radius of the circle; then

$$A'C = 2R \sin \frac{1}{2}A; \text{ therefore } FA' = \frac{2R \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}A}{\cos \frac{1}{2}B}.$$

In the same manner 
$$EC' = \frac{2R \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{B}{2}}.$$

And 
$$A'C' = 2R \sin \frac{1}{2}(A+C) = 2R \cos \frac{B}{2}.$$

Therefore 
$$EF = 2R \cos \frac{B}{2} - \frac{2R \left( \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \right)}{\cos \frac{B}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{2R}{\cos \frac{B}{2}} \left\{ \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \right\} = \frac{R}{\cos \frac{B}{2}} \{1 + \cos B - (1 - \cos A) - (1 - \cos C)\}$$

$$= \frac{R}{\cos \frac{B}{2}} (\cos A + \cos B + \cos C - 1) = \frac{2R}{\cos \frac{B}{2}} \times 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}, \text{ by Art. 114.}$$

14. Let  $a$  denote one side of the right-angled triangle, and  $a+h$  the other side; then the hypotenuse  $= \sqrt{a^2 + (a+h)^2} = \sqrt{h^2 + 2a(a+h)}$ .

But  $S = \text{half the product of the sides} = \frac{1}{2} a(a+h)$ ; therefore  $4S = 2a(a+h)$ . Thus the hypotenuse  $= \sqrt{h^2 + 4S}$ ; and the hypotenuse is a diameter of the circumscribing circle.

15. 
$$r = \frac{S}{s}, \quad R = \frac{abc}{4S}; \quad \text{therefore } \frac{R}{r} = \frac{abc}{4S^2}.$$

Now  $s=7$ ,  $s-a=4$ ,  $s-b=2$ ,  $s-c=1$ ; therefore  $S = \sqrt{7 \times 4 \times 2}$ ; thus

$$\frac{R}{r} = \frac{7 \times 3 \times 5 \times 6}{4 \times 7 \times 4 \times 2} = \frac{45}{16}.$$

16. The angle  $ABO = \text{the angle } BAO = \frac{\pi}{2} - C$ ; and therefore the angle  $BOD = \pi - 2C$ ; the angle  $OBD = \frac{\pi}{2} - A$ ;

therefore the angle  $BDO = 2C + A - \frac{\pi}{2} = A + C + B + C - B - \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} + C - B$ .

Thus 
$$\frac{DO}{BO} = \frac{\sin DBO}{\sin BDO} = \frac{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + C - B \right)} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos (C - B)},$$

and  $BO = AO$ ; therefore  $DO \cos (B - C) = AO \cos A$ .

17. Take the diagram of Art. 248; draw  $FD$ ,  $DE$ , and  $EF$ .

The angle  $FDB = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B)$ , the angle  $EDC = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - C)$ ; therefore the angle  $FDE = \frac{1}{2}(B + C)$ . Similarly the angle  $DEF = \frac{1}{2}(C + A)$ , and the angle  $EFD = \frac{1}{2}(A + B)$ .

Suppose  $A, B, C$  in ascending order of magnitude; then

$$\frac{1}{2}(A + B), \quad \frac{1}{2}(A + C), \quad \frac{1}{2}(B + C),$$

are in ascending order of magnitude; and

$$\frac{1}{2}(B + C) - \frac{1}{2}(A + B) = \frac{1}{2}(C - A).$$

Thus the difference between the greatest and least angles of the first derived triangle is *half* the difference between the greatest and least angles of the original triangle. In like manner the difference between the greatest and least angles of the second derived triangle is *half* the difference between the greatest and least angles of the first derived triangle, and therefore a *fourth* of the difference between the greatest and least angles of the original triangle. Proceeding in this way we see that the triangles thus formed ultimately become equilateral.

$$\begin{aligned} 18. \quad a \cot A + b \cot B + c \cot C &= \frac{a}{\sin A} \cos A + \frac{b}{\sin B} \cos B + \frac{c}{\sin C} \cos C \\ &= 2R(\cos A + \cos B + \cos C) = 2R + 2R(\cos A + \cos B + \cos C - 1) \\ &= 2R + 8R \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}, \text{ by Art. 114,} \\ &= 2R + 8R \cdot \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{bc}} \times \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-c)}{ac}} \times \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-b)}{ab}} \\ &= 2R + \frac{8R}{abc} \frac{S^2}{s} = 2R + \frac{2S}{s} = 2R + 2r. \end{aligned}$$

19. From  $A$  draw  $AD$  perpendicular to  $BC$ , and produce  $AD$  to meet the circumference of the circle at  $L$ .

Then the angle  $ALB =$  the angle  $ACB = C$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} a = DL &= BD \cot ALB = BD \cot C \\ &= \frac{c \cos B \cos C}{\sin C} = \frac{a \cos B \cos C}{\sin A}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\frac{a}{\alpha} = \frac{\sin A}{\cos B \cos C} = \frac{\sin(B+C)}{\cos B \cos C} = \tan B + \tan C.$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{b}{\beta} = \tan A + \tan C, \text{ and } \frac{c}{\gamma} = \tan C + \tan A.$$

Therefore 
$$\frac{a}{\alpha} + \frac{b}{\beta} + \frac{c}{\gamma} = 2(\tan A + \tan B + \tan C).$$

20. The area of the inscribed circle is to the area of the triangle as  $\pi r^2$  is to  $S$ , that is, as  $\pi$  is to  $\frac{S}{r^2}$ . Thus we have to shew that

$$\frac{S}{r^2} = \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}.$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} &= \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{(s-b)(s-c)}} \times \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{(s-a)(s-c)}} \times \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{(s-a)(s-b)}} \\ &= \frac{s\sqrt{s}}{\sqrt{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}} = \frac{s^2}{S} = S \times \frac{s^2}{S^2} = \frac{S}{r^2}. \end{aligned}$$

21. Let the triangle constructed on  $BC$  have its vertex at  $L$ , let that constructed on  $CA$  have its vertex at  $M$ , and that constructed on  $AB$  have its vertex at  $N$ .

Take the diagram of Art. 252. The triangle  $CLB$  will be equal to the triangle  $COB$  in all respects; therefore the angle  $BCL =$  the angle  $OCB = \frac{\pi}{2} - A$ .

In the same manner the angle  $ACM = \frac{\pi}{2} - B$ ;

therefore the angle  $LCM = \frac{\pi}{2} - A + \frac{\pi}{2} - B + C = 2C$ .

Then  $(LM)^2 = R^2 + R^2 - 2R^2 \cos 2C = 2R^2(1 - \cos 2C) = 4R^2 \sin^2 C$ ;

therefore  $LM = 2R \sin C = c$ .

In a similar manner we find that  $MN = a$ , and  $NL = b$ . Thus the triangle  $LMN$  is in all respects equal to the triangle  $ABC$ .

22.  $a \cos A + b \cos B + c \cos C = 2R \sin A \cos A + 2R \sin B \cos B + 2R \sin C \cos C$   
 $= R(\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C) = 4R \sin A \sin B \sin C$ , by Art. 114.

$$\begin{aligned}
 23. \quad OD^2 &= R^2 \cos^2 A = \frac{a^2}{4 \sin^2 A} \cos^2 A = \frac{a^2}{4} \cot^2 A, \\
 OE^2 &= R^2 \cos^2 B = \frac{b^2}{4 \sin^2 B} \cos^2 B = \frac{b^2}{4} \cot^2 B, \\
 OF^2 &= R^2 \cos^2 C = \frac{c^2}{4 \sin^2 C} \cos^2 C = \frac{c^2}{4} \cot^2 C;
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $4(OD^2 + OE^2 + OF^2) = a^2 \cot^2 A + b^2 \cot^2 B + c^2 \cot^2 C$ .

24. Take the diagram of Art. 248. The circle which is to be drawn will have its centre, and its point of contact with the circle already drawn, on the straight line  $OA$ . Thus the length of  $OA = r + r_a + r_a \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}$ ; and this distance also  $= r \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
 r_a \left(1 + \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}\right) &= r \left(\operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2} - 1\right); \\
 r \left(1 - \sin \frac{A}{2}\right) &= r \left(\cos \frac{A}{4} - \sin \frac{A}{4}\right)^2 \\
 \text{therefore } r_a &= \frac{r \left(1 - \sin \frac{A}{2}\right)}{1 + \sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{r \left(\cos \frac{A}{4} - \sin \frac{A}{4}\right)^2}{\left(\cos \frac{A}{4} + \sin \frac{A}{4}\right)^2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

25. By Example 24 we have

$$r_a r_b = \frac{r^2 \left(\cos \frac{A}{4} - \sin \frac{A}{4}\right)^2 \left(\cos \frac{B}{4} - \sin \frac{B}{4}\right)^2}{\left(\cos \frac{A}{4} + \sin \frac{A}{4}\right)^2 \left(\cos \frac{B}{4} + \sin \frac{B}{4}\right)^2};$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{therefore } \sqrt{(r_a r_b)} &= \frac{r \left(\cos \frac{A}{4} - \sin \frac{A}{4}\right) \left(\cos \frac{B}{4} - \sin \frac{B}{4}\right)}{\left(\cos \frac{A}{4} + \sin \frac{A}{4}\right) \left(\cos \frac{B}{4} + \sin \frac{B}{4}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{r \left(\cos \frac{A}{4} - \sin \frac{A}{4}\right) \left(\cos \frac{B}{4} - \sin \frac{B}{4}\right) \left(\cos \frac{C}{4} + \sin \frac{C}{4}\right)}{\left(\cos \frac{A}{4} + \sin \frac{A}{4}\right) \left(\cos \frac{B}{4} + \sin \frac{B}{4}\right) \left(\cos \frac{C}{4} + \sin \frac{C}{4}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{r \cos \frac{A+\pi}{4} \cos \frac{B+\pi}{4} \cos \frac{C-\pi}{4}}{\cos \frac{A-\pi}{4} \cos \frac{B-\pi}{4} \cos \frac{C-\pi}{4}} \\
 &= \frac{r \left(\cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} - \cos \frac{C}{2}\right)}{\cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2}}, \text{ by Examples VIII. 20 and 21.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Similar expressions can be found for  $\sqrt{(r_b r_c)}$  and  $\sqrt{(r_c r_a)}$ ; and the sum of the three expressions =  $r$ .

26. Suppose  $A$  to be acute; then  $AB' = c \cos A$ ,  $AC' = b \cos A$ , and

$$\begin{aligned}(B'C')^2 &= AB'^2 + AC'^2 - 2AC' \cdot AB' \cos A \\ &= \cos^2 A (c^2 + b^2 - 2bc \cos A) \\ &= a^2 \cos^2 A ;\end{aligned}$$

therefore  $B'C' = a \cos A = 2R \sin A \cos A = R \sin 2A$ .

If  $A$  is obtuse we find that  $AB' = c \cos(\pi - A)$ ,  $AC' = b \cos(\pi - A)$ , and  $(B'C')^2 = a^2 \cos^2 A$  as before.

27. Let  $P$  denote the point of intersection of  $AD$  and  $BE$ .

Then since  $PEC$  and  $PDC$  are right angles a circle would go round  $PECD$ ; therefore the angle  $PDE =$  the angle  $PCE = \frac{\pi}{2} - A$ . Similarly  $PDF = \frac{\pi}{2} - A$ . Therefore  $FDE = \pi - 2A$ .

$$R_1 = \frac{FE}{2 \sin FDE} = \frac{FE}{2 \sin 2A} = \frac{R \sin 2A}{2 \sin 2A}, \text{ by Example 26, } = \frac{1}{2} R.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{And } r_1 &= \frac{\text{area of } FDE}{\text{semiperimeter of } FDE} = \frac{FD \cdot ED \sin 2A}{R(\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C)} \\ &= \frac{R \sin 2A \sin 2B \sin 2C}{\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C}, \text{ by Example 26,} \\ &= \frac{R \sin 2A \sin 2B \sin 2C}{4 \sin A \sin B \sin C}, \text{ by Art. 114, } = 2R \cos A \cos B \cos C.\end{aligned}$$

$$28. \frac{rr_1}{r_2 r_3} = \frac{S^2}{s(s-a)} \div \frac{S^2}{(s-b)(s-c)} = \frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{s(s-a)} = \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}.$$

$$29. \frac{1}{\sqrt{A}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(\pi r^2)}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{s}{S}.$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{1}{\sqrt{A_1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{s-a}{S}, \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{A_2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{s-b}{S}, \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{A_3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{s-c}{S};$$

therefore

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{A_1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{A_2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{A_3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left( \frac{s-a}{S} + \frac{s-b}{S} + \frac{s-c}{S} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{3s-a-b-c}{S} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{s}{S}.$$

30. Suppose  $a, b, c$  to be in Arithmetical Progression; so that  $2b = a + c$ . The perpendicular on the mean side from the opposite angle

$$= a \sin C = \frac{ab \sin C}{b} = \frac{2S}{b}.$$

The radius of the circle which touches the mean side and the other two sides produced =  $\frac{S}{s-b} = \frac{2S}{a+c-b} = \frac{2S}{b}$ .

The radius of the inscribed circle =  $\frac{S}{s} = \frac{2S}{a+b+c} = \frac{2S}{3b}$ .

The first and the second of these are each three times the third.

31. Let  $O$  denote the centre of the inscribed circle, and  $P$  the centre of the escribed circle which is opposite to the angle  $A$ . Then  $O$  and  $P$  are both on the straight line which bisects the angle  $A$ .

$$\text{The angle } OBP = \frac{1}{2}B + \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B) = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Thus 
$$OP = \frac{OB}{\cos BOP} = \frac{OB}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B)} = \frac{OB}{\sin \frac{1}{2}C};$$

and 
$$OB = \frac{AB \sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\sin \left( \pi - \frac{A}{2} - \frac{B}{2} \right)} = \frac{c \sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\sin \frac{A+B}{2}} = \frac{c \sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\cos \frac{1}{2}C}.$$

Therefore 
$$OP = \frac{c \sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\sin \frac{1}{2}C \cos \frac{1}{2}C} = \frac{2c \sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\sin C} = \frac{2a \sin \frac{1}{2}A}{\sin A} = \frac{a}{\cos \frac{1}{2}A}.$$

32. Let  $a_1, b_1, c_1$  be the sides of one triangle,  $S_1$  its area; let  $a_2, b_2, c_2$  be the sides of the other triangle,  $S_2$  its area.

Then, by hypothesis,  $\frac{S_1}{b_1+c_1-a_1} = \frac{S_2}{a_2+c_2-b_2}$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{S_1}{S_2} &= \frac{b_1+c_1-a_1}{a_2+c_2-b_2} = \frac{a_1 \frac{\sin B}{\sin A} + \frac{a_1 \sin C}{\sin A} - a_1}{a_2 + \frac{a_2 \sin C}{\sin A} - \frac{a_2 \sin B}{\sin A}} \\ &= \frac{a_1}{a_2} \cdot \frac{\sin B + \sin C - \sin A}{\sin A + \sin C - \sin B}. \end{aligned}$$

But the areas of similar triangles are as the squares of their homologous sides; thus  $\frac{S_1}{S_2} = \frac{a_1^2}{a_2^2}$ ; therefore, finally,

$$\frac{a_1}{a_2} = \frac{\sin B + \sin C - \sin A}{\sin A + \sin C - \sin B}.$$

33. The points  $O_2$ ,  $O_3$ , and  $A$  are in a straight line; similarly  $O_3$ ,  $O_1$ , and  $B$  are in a straight line; and  $O_1$ ,  $O_2$ , and  $C$  are in a straight line.

The triangle  $O_1O_2O_3$  consists of four parts; namely  $ABC$ ,  $O_1BC$ ,  $O_2CA$ , and  $O_3AB$ .

$$\text{The area of } O_1BC = \frac{1}{2}ar_1 = \frac{aS}{2(s-a)} = \frac{aS}{b+c-a}.$$

Similar expressions hold for the areas of  $O_2CA$  and  $O_3AB$ .

$$\text{Thus the area of } O_1O_2O_3 = S \left( 1 + \frac{a}{b+c-a} + \frac{b}{a+c-b} + \frac{c}{a+b-c} \right).$$

34. Here we have another expression for the area of the triangle considered in the preceding solution.

$$\text{We have } \frac{O_1C}{BC} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(B+C)} = \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}B}{\cos \frac{1}{2}A};$$

$$\text{therefore } O_1C = \frac{a \cos \frac{1}{2}B}{\cos \frac{1}{2}A} = \frac{2R \sin A \cos \frac{1}{2}B}{\cos \frac{1}{2}A} = 4R \sin \frac{1}{2}A \cos \frac{1}{2}B.$$

$$\text{Similarly } O_2C = 4R \sin \frac{1}{2}B \cos \frac{1}{2}A;$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } O_1O_2 &= 4R \left( \sin \frac{1}{2}A \cos \frac{1}{2}B + \sin \frac{1}{2}B \cos \frac{1}{2}A \right) \\ &= 4R \sin \frac{1}{2}(A+B) = 4R \cos \frac{1}{2}C. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{In like manner } O_1O_3 = 4R \cos \frac{1}{2}B.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then area of } O_1O_2O_3 &= \frac{1}{2} O_1O_2 \times O_1O_3 \times \sin O_2O_1O_3 \\ &= 8R^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}C \cos \frac{1}{2}B \sin \frac{1}{2}(B+C) = 8R^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}A \cos \frac{1}{2}B \cos \frac{1}{2}C. \\ &= 8R^2 \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{bc}} \times \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{ac}} \times \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{ab}} \\ &= \frac{8R^2sS}{abc} = \frac{abcS}{2S} = \frac{abc}{2r}. \end{aligned}$$



35. We have

$$r' = \frac{\text{area of } A'B'C'}{\text{semiperimeter of } A'B'C'} = \frac{\frac{abc}{2r}}{2R \left( \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} \right)},$$

by the solution of the preceding Example,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\frac{abc}{4Rr \left( \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} \right)}}{\frac{S}{r \left( \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} \right)}} \\ &= \frac{s}{\cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{s^2}{S} = \frac{s}{r};$$

(see the solution of Example 20),

therefore

$$r' = \frac{r \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2}}.$$

36. We have  $r' = \frac{\text{area of } A'B'C'}{s'}$ ; therefore

$$r's' = \text{area of } A'B'C' = \frac{abc}{2r}, \text{ by Example 34.}$$

Again,

$$rs = \text{area of } ABC = S.$$

Therefore

$$\frac{rs}{r's'} = \frac{2rS}{abc} = \frac{2S^2}{abc}.$$

And  $2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} = 2 \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{bc} \times \frac{(s-c)(s-a)}{ac} \times \frac{(s-a)(s-b)}{ab}}$

$$= \frac{2S^2}{abc} = \frac{rs}{r's'}.$$

37. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= r \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}, & \alpha_1 &= r_1 \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}, \\ \beta &= r \operatorname{cosec} \frac{B}{2}, & \beta_1 &= r_2 \operatorname{cosec} \frac{B}{2}, \\ \gamma &= r \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2}, & \gamma_1 &= r_3 \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } a\beta\gamma\alpha_1\beta_1\gamma_1 &= r^3 r_1 r_2 r_3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{A}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{B}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{C}{2} \\ &= \frac{S^3}{s^3} \times \frac{S^3}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} \times \frac{bc}{(s-c)(s-b)} \times \frac{ca}{(s-a)(s-c)} \times \frac{ab}{(s-a)(s-b)} \\ &= \frac{S^6 \alpha^2 \beta^2 \gamma^2}{S^6} = \alpha^2 \beta^2 \gamma^2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 38. \quad \frac{bc}{\alpha_1^2} + \frac{ca}{\beta_1^2} + \frac{ab}{\gamma_1^2} &= \frac{bc \sin^2 \frac{A}{2}}{r_1^2} + \frac{ca \sin^2 \frac{B}{2}}{r_2^2} + \frac{ab \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}}{r_3^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2} \left\{ bc \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + ca \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + ab \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} \right\}, \text{ by Art. 251,} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2} \{s(s-a) + s(s-b) + s(s-c)\} = \frac{1}{s} (s-a + s-b + s-c) \\ &= \frac{1}{s} (3s - a - b - c) = 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 39. \quad \alpha^2 \left( \frac{1}{c} - \frac{1}{b} \right) + \beta^2 \left( \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{c} \right) + \gamma^2 \left( \frac{1}{b} - \frac{1}{a} \right) \\ &= \frac{r^2 (b-c)}{bc \sin^2 \frac{A}{2}} + \frac{r^2 (c-a)}{ca \sin^2 \frac{B}{2}} + \frac{r^2 (a-b)}{ab \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}} \\ &= \frac{r^2}{abc} \left\{ \frac{a(b-c)}{\sin^2 \frac{A}{2}} + \frac{b(c-a)}{\sin^2 \frac{B}{2}} + \frac{c(a-b)}{\sin^2 \frac{C}{2}} \right\} \\ &= \frac{4Rr^2}{abc} \left\{ (b-c) \cot \frac{A}{2} + (c-a) \cot \frac{B}{2} + (a-b) \cot \frac{C}{2} \right\} \\ &= 0, \text{ by Example XIII. 29.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 40. \quad \frac{b-c}{a\alpha_1^2} + \frac{c-a}{b\beta_1^2} + \frac{a-b}{c\gamma_1^2} \\ &= \frac{b-c}{ar_1^2} \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \frac{c-a}{br_2^2} \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} + \frac{a-b}{cr_3^2} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2} \left\{ \frac{b-c}{a} \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + \frac{c-a}{b} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + \frac{a-b}{c} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} \right\}, \text{ by Art. 251,} \\ &= \frac{1}{4Rs^2} \left\{ (b-c) \cot \frac{A}{2} + (c-a) \cot \frac{B}{2} + (a-b) \cot \frac{C}{2} \right\} \\ &= 0, \text{ by Example XIII. 29.} \end{aligned}$$

41. In order that it may be possible to inscribe a circle within a quadrilateral the sum of one pair of opposite sides must be equal to the sum of the other pair. Now if we take the point  $O$  of the diagram of Art. 248, we see that the condition is satisfied for  $OFAE$ ,  $OECD$ , and  $ODBF$ ; since  $OE + AF = OF + AE$ , and so on. We have then to shew that no other point but  $O$  can be taken.

Take any other point  $P$ ; from it draw  $PM$  perpendicular to  $AC$  and  $PN$  perpendicular to  $AB$ . The centre of a circle inscribed within  $PMAN$  must be on the straight line which bisects the angle  $A$ ; and also on the straight line which bisects the angle  $NPM$ ; but unless  $P$  is on  $AO$ , the latter straight line will be parallel to  $AO$ , the former straight line, and therefore cannot meet it. Thus  $P$  must be on  $AO$ ; similarly it must be on  $BO$  and on  $CO$ .

Then take the circle inscribed in  $OFAE$ , and draw perpendiculars from the centre on the sides of the quadrilateral. Thus we have

$$\rho_1 (AF + FO + OE + EA) = \text{twice the area of } OFAE;$$

therefore 
$$\rho_1 \left\{ \rho + \rho \cot \frac{A}{2} \right\} = \rho^2 \cot \frac{A}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\rho_1 = \frac{\rho \cot \frac{A}{2}}{1 + \cot \frac{A}{2}}; \text{ therefore } \frac{1}{\rho_1} = \frac{1 + \cot \frac{A}{2}}{\rho \cot \frac{A}{2}}.$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{1}{\rho_2} = \frac{1 + \cot \frac{B}{2}}{\rho \cot \frac{B}{2}}.$$

Thus 
$$\left( \frac{1}{\rho_1} - \frac{1}{\rho} \right) \left( \frac{1}{\rho_2} - \frac{1}{\rho} \right) = \frac{1}{\rho^2 \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2}} = \frac{1}{\rho^2} \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2}.$$

In this manner we find that the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{\rho^2} \left\{ \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{C}{2} \tan \frac{A}{2} \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{\rho^2}, \text{ by Example VIII. 25.} \end{aligned}$$

42. As in Example 24 we shall find that the radii of the circles successively inscribed in the angle  $A$  are  $lr, l^2r, l^3r, \dots$  where

$$l = \frac{1 - \sin \frac{A}{2}}{1 + \sin \frac{A}{2}}.$$

Hence the sum of the areas of all these circles is  $\pi(l^2r^2 + l^4r^2 + l^6r^2 + \dots)$ ;

$$\text{that is } \frac{\pi l^2 r^2}{1-l^2}, \quad \text{that is } \frac{\pi \left(1 - \sin \frac{A}{2}\right)^2 r^2}{4 \sin \frac{A}{2}},$$

$$\text{that is } \frac{\pi \left(1 - \cos \frac{B+C}{2}\right)^2 r^2}{4 \sin \frac{A}{2}}, \quad \text{that is } \pi r^2 \sin^4 \frac{B+C}{4} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2}.$$

Similarly we find the areas of the circles inscribed within the angles  $B$  and  $C$ . Thus the sum of all the areas is

$$\pi r^2 \left\{ \sin^4 \frac{B+C}{4} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2} + \sin^4 \frac{C+A}{4} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{B}{2} + \sin^4 \frac{A+B}{4} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2} \right\}.$$

$$43. \quad R_a = \frac{BC}{2 \sin BOC} = \frac{a}{2 \sin 2A};$$

$$\text{similarly } R_b = \frac{b}{2 \sin 2B}, \quad \text{and } R_c = \frac{c}{2 \sin 2C}.$$

$$\text{Thus } \frac{a}{R_a} + \frac{b}{R_b} + \frac{c}{R_c} = 2(\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C)$$

$$= 8 \sin A \sin B \sin C, \text{ by Art. 114, } = \frac{a}{R} \times \frac{b}{R} \times \frac{c}{R} = \frac{abc}{R^3}.$$

Again,

$$r_a = \frac{BC}{2 \sin BO'C} = \frac{a}{2 \sin \left(\pi - \frac{1}{2}B - \frac{1}{2}C\right)} = \frac{a}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(B+C)} = \frac{a}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}};$$

$$\text{similarly } r_b = \frac{b}{2 \cos \frac{B}{2}}, \quad \text{and } r_c = \frac{c}{2 \cos \frac{C}{2}}.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{r_a r_b r_c}{abc} &= \frac{1}{8 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{1}{2(\sin A + \sin B + \sin C)}, \text{ by Example VIII. 16,} \\ &= \frac{R}{2R \sin A + 2R \sin B + 2R \sin C} = \frac{R}{a+b+c}. \end{aligned}$$

44. Since the angles at  $B'$  and  $C'$  are right angles it will follow that  $A$  will be on the circumference of the circle which is described round  $PB'C'$ , and that  $PA$  is a diameter of the circle. Let  $O_1$  denote the centre of the circle, then  $PO_1 = \frac{1}{2}PA$ .

In a similar manner if  $O_2$  is the centre of the circle round  $PC'A'$ , and  $O_3$  the centre of the circle round  $PA'B'$ , we have

$$PO_2 = \frac{1}{2}PB, \text{ and } PO_3 = \frac{1}{2}PC.$$

Then in the triangle  $PO_2O_3$  we have

$$O_2O_3^2 = PO_2^2 + PO_3^2 - 2PO_2PO_3 \cos O_2PO_3;$$

and in the triangle  $PBC$  we have

$$BC^2 = PB^2 + PC^2 - 2PB \cdot PC \cos BPC.$$

Hence  $O_2O_3 = \frac{1}{2}BC$ . Or this might be obtained by Euclid vi. 2, and vi. 4.

Similarly  $O_3O_1 = \frac{1}{2}CA$ , and  $O_1O_2 = \frac{1}{2}AB$ . Thus the area of  $O_1O_2O_3$  is one-fourth of the area of  $ABC$ .

45. Let  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  denote the radii of the circles; then the sides of the triangle are respectively  $r_2 + r_3, r_3 + r_1$ , and  $r_1 + r_2$ . Thus

$$s = r_1 + r_2 + r_3, \quad s - a = r_1, \quad s - b = r_2, \quad s - c = r_3.$$

Therefore

$$S^2 = (r_1 + r_2 + r_3) r_1 r_2 r_3.$$

46. Suppose  $a, b, c$  in Geometrical Progression, so that  $b^2 = ac$ ; let  $p_1, p_2, p_3$  denote the perpendiculars from the opposite angles on  $a, b, c$  respectively.

Then  $\frac{1}{2}p_1a = S$ , so that  $p_1 = \frac{2S}{a}$ ; similarly  $p_2 = \frac{2S}{b}$ , and  $p_3 = \frac{2S}{c}$ .

Let  $A_1, B_1, C_1$  be the angles opposite  $p_1, p_2, p_3$  respectively in the new triangle.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \cos A_1 &= \frac{p_2^2 + p_3^2 - p_1^2}{2p_2p_3} = \frac{\frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} - \frac{1}{a^2}}{\frac{2}{bc}} = \frac{\frac{b^2 + c^2}{b^2c^2} - \frac{1}{a^2}}{\frac{2}{bc}} \\ &= \frac{a^2(b^2 + c^2) - b^2c^2}{2a^2bc} = \frac{b^2(a^2 - c^2) + a^2c^2}{2a^2bc} = \frac{a^2 - c^2 + ac}{2ab} \\ &= \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \cos C. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $A_1 = C$ . Similarly  $C_1 = A$ . Therefore  $B_1 = B$ .

47. Here  $a = \frac{a}{c \sin B} = \frac{\sin A}{\sin B \sin C}$ .

Similarly  $\beta = \frac{\sin B}{\sin C \sin A}$ , and  $\gamma = \frac{\sin C}{\sin A \sin B}$ .

Therefore  $2(\beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha + \alpha\beta) - \alpha^2 - \beta^2 - \gamma^2 =$  the product of  $\frac{1}{\sin^2 A \sin^2 B \sin^2 C}$  into  $\{2 \sin^2 B \sin^2 C + 2 \sin^2 C \sin^2 A + 2 \sin^2 A \sin^2 B - \sin^4 A - \sin^4 B - \sin^4 C\}$ .

The expression within brackets is equal to  $(\sin A + \sin B + \sin C)(\sin A + \sin B - \sin C)(\sin A - \sin B + \sin C)(\sin B + \sin C - \sin A)$ , as we know from a similar process in Art. 218.

Then, by Examples VIII. 16 and 17, we obtain

$$4^4 \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2}, \text{ that is, } 4 \sin^2 A \sin^2 B \sin^2 C.$$

Hence  $2(\beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha + \alpha\beta) - \alpha^2 - \beta^2 - \gamma^2 = 4,$   
and therefore  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 - 2(\beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha + \alpha\beta) + 4 = 0.$

48. Let  $P, Q, R$  be the centres of the equilateral triangles described on  $BC, CA, AB$  respectively.

Then  $PQ^2 = PC^2 + QC^2 - 2PC \cdot QC \cos PCQ;$

also  $PC = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}},$  and  $QC = \frac{b}{\sqrt{3}}.$

Thus  $3PQ^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos(C + 60^\circ)$   
 $= a^2 + b^2 - 2ab(\cos C \cos 60^\circ - \sin C \sin 60^\circ)$   
 $= a^2 + b^2 - ab \cos C + ab \sin C \sqrt{3}$   
 $= a^2 + b^2 - \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2} + ab \sin C \sqrt{3}$   
 $= \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{2} + 2S \sqrt{3}.$

We shall obtain the same symmetrical expression for  $3QR^2$  and  $3RP^2$ . Thus  $PQ = QR = RP$ .

49. We have  $\tan \frac{1}{2}(B - C) = \frac{b - c}{b + c} \cot \frac{A}{2};$

therefore  $\cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{65 + 25}{65 - 25} \tan 30^\circ = \frac{9}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4};$

therefore  $L \cot \frac{A}{2} = 10 + \frac{3}{2} \log 3 - 2 \log 2 = 10.1136219.$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10.1137122 \\ 10.1134508 \\ \hline .0002614 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10.1136219 \\ 10.1134508 \\ \hline .0001711 \end{array}$$

$$.0002614 : .0001711 :: 60'' : x'';$$

this gives  $x = 39$ ; therefore  $\frac{A}{2} = 37^\circ 36' - 39'' = 37^\circ 35' 21''$ . Therefore  $A = 75^\circ 10' 42''$ . Thus  $B + C = 180^\circ - 75^\circ 10' 42''$ ; and  $B - C = 60^\circ$ . Therefore  $B = 82^\circ 24' 39''$  and  $C = 22^\circ 24' 39''$ .

50. In the solution of Example 26 it is shewn that the sides of the new triangle are  $a \cos A$ ,  $b \cos B$ , and  $c \cos C$  respectively.

In the solution of Example 27 it is shewn that the angles of the new triangle are  $\pi - 2A$ ,  $\pi - 2B$ , and  $\pi - 2C$  respectively. Then, by Art. 215,

$$\cos(\pi - 2A) = \frac{b^2 \cos^2 B + c^2 \cos^2 C - a^2 \cos^2 A}{2bc \cos B \cos C};$$

but  $\cos(\pi - 2A) = -\cos 2A$ . Therefore

$$\cos 2A = \frac{a^2 \cos^2 A - b^2 \cos^2 B - c^2 \cos^2 C}{2bc \cos B \cos C}.$$

51. Let  $\rho_1$  denote the radius of the circle which touches  $BD$ ,  $BF$  and the arc  $DF$  in the diagram of Art. 250. Let  $\rho_2$  denote the radius of the circle which touches  $CD$ ,  $CE$ , and the arc  $DE$ .

The angle  $DBF = \pi - B$ . Hence, by the method of Example 24, we have

$$\rho_1 = r_1 \frac{1 - \sin \frac{\pi - B}{2}}{1 + \sin \frac{\pi - B}{2}} = r_1 \frac{1 - \cos \frac{B}{2}}{1 + \cos \frac{B}{2}} = r_1 \tan^2 \frac{B}{4}.$$

Similarly  $\rho_2 = r_1 \tan^2 \frac{C}{4}$ .

In this way we see that the product of three of the radii

$$= r_1 \tan^2 \frac{B}{4} \times r_2 \tan^2 \frac{C}{4} \times r_3 \tan^2 \frac{A}{4};$$

and the product of the other three

$$= r_1 \tan^2 \frac{C}{4} \times r_2 \tan^2 \frac{A}{4} \times r_3 \tan^2 \frac{B}{4}.$$

The two products are equal.

$$52. \frac{AB'}{AP} = \frac{\sin APB'}{\sin AB'P}; \text{ therefore } AB' = \frac{AP \sin APB'}{\sin AB'P}.$$

$$\text{Similarly } BC' = \frac{BP \sin BPC'}{\sin BC'P}, \text{ and } CA' = \frac{CP \sin CPA'}{\sin CA'P}.$$

$$\text{Thus } AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = \frac{AP \cdot BP \cdot CP \sin APB' \sin BPC' \sin CPA'}{\sin AB'P \cdot \sin BC'P \cdot \sin CA'P}.$$

In like manner

$$AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB' = \frac{AP \cdot BP \cdot CP \sin APC' \cdot \sin BPA' \cdot \sin CPB'}{\sin AC'P \cdot \sin BA'P \cdot \sin CB'P}.$$

The two expressions are obviously equal; for  $\sin APB' = \sin BPA'$ ,  $\sin BPC' = \sin B'PC$ , and  $\sin CPA' = \sin C'PA$ . Also,  $\sin AB'P = \sin CB'P$ , and so on.

53. Let  $P$  denote the intersection of  $AA'$  and  $BB'$ ; then, if  $CC'$  does not pass through  $P$ , let a straight line be drawn from  $C$  through  $P$ , and let it meet  $AB$  at  $C_1$ .

Then, by the Example, we have

$$AB' \cdot BC_1 \cdot CA' = AC_1 \cdot BA' \cdot CB'.$$

But by hypothesis,

$$AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB'.$$

Therefore

$$\frac{BC_1}{BC'} = \frac{AC_1}{AC'};$$

therefore

$$\frac{BC' - C_1C'}{BC'} = \frac{AC' + C_1C'}{AC'},$$

therefore

$$-\frac{C_1C'}{BC'} = \frac{C_1C'}{AC'};$$

therefore

$$C_1C' = 0;$$

therefore  $C_1$  must coincide with  $C'$ .

54. Let the feet of the perpendiculars from  $A, B, C$  be denoted by  $A', B', C'$  respectively. If all the angles are acute, we have

$$AB' = c \cos A, \quad BC' = a \cos B, \quad CA' = b \cos C,$$

$$AC' = b \cos A, \quad BA' = c \cos B, \quad CB' = a \cos C;$$

thus

$$AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB'.$$

Therefore, by Example 53, the straight lines  $AA', BB',$  and  $CC'$  meet at a point.

Next suppose one angle obtuse, say  $C$ . Then

$$CA' = b \cos(180^\circ - C), \text{ and } CB' = a \cos(180^\circ - C);$$

the other expressions remain as before, and the result holds as before.

55. Let the straight lines which bisect the angles  $A, B, C$  respectively meet the opposite sides at  $A', B', C'$  respectively. Then

$$\frac{AB'}{BB'} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} B}{\sin A}, \quad \frac{BC'}{CC'} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} C}{\sin B}, \quad \frac{CA'}{AA'} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} A}{\sin C};$$

therefore  $AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = AA' \cdot BB' \cdot CC' \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} A \sin \frac{1}{2} B \sin \frac{1}{2} C}{\sin A \sin B \sin C};$

the same value may be obtained for  $AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB'.$

Therefore, by Example 53, the straight lines  $AA', BB',$  and  $CC'$  meet at a point.



56. Let  $A', B', C'$  denote the middle points of  $BC, CA, AB$  respectively. Then

$$AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = \frac{1}{2} b \times \frac{1}{2} c \times \frac{1}{2} a = \frac{1}{8} abc.$$

Similarly  $AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB' = \frac{1}{8} abc.$

Therefore, by Example 53, the straight lines  $AA', BB',$  and  $CC'$  meet at a point.

57. Let the points of contact opposite to  $A, B, C$  respectively be denoted by  $A', B', C'$  respectively.

Then  $AB' = r \cot \frac{A}{2}, \quad BC' = r \cot \frac{B}{2}, \quad CA' = r \cot \frac{C}{2}.$

Thus  $AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = r^3 \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}.$

Similarly  $AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB' = r^3 \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}.$

Therefore, by Example 53, the straight lines  $AA', BB',$  and  $CC'$  meet at a point.

58. Let the points of contact opposite to  $A, B, C$  respectively be denoted by  $A', B', C'$  respectively.

Then  $AB' = r_2 \cot \frac{1}{2}(\pi - A) = r_2 \tan \frac{1}{2} A,$

$$BC' = r_3 \tan \frac{1}{2} B,$$

$$CA' = r_1 \tan \frac{1}{2} C;$$

therefore  $AB' \cdot BC' \cdot CA' = r_1 r_2 r_3 \tan \frac{1}{2} A \tan \frac{1}{2} B \tan \frac{1}{2} C.$

Similarly  $AC' \cdot BA' \cdot CB' = r_1 r_2 r_3 \tan \frac{1}{2} A \tan \frac{1}{2} B \tan \frac{1}{2} C.$

Therefore, by Example 53, the straight lines  $AA', BB',$  and  $CC'$  meet at a point.

59. Here  $AE = AF, CE = CD, BD = BF$ ; therefore

$$AE \cdot BF \cdot CD = AF \cdot BD \cdot CE.$$

Therefore, by Example 53, the straight lines  $AD, BE,$  and  $CF$  meet at a point.

60. Let  $ABCD$  be the quadrilateral figure. Then, denoting by  $A, B, C,$  and  $D$  the internal angles of the figure, we have

$$r_a \left( \cot \frac{\pi - B}{2} + \cot \frac{\pi - C}{2} \right) = BC;$$

therefore 
$$r_a \left( \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{C}{2} \right) = BC.$$

Again, in like manner we have

$$r \left( \cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{D}{2} \right) = DA,$$

that is 
$$r \left( \tan \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \right) = DA,$$

for  $A + C = \pi$ , and  $B + D = \pi$ , by Euclid III. 22.

Hence 
$$\frac{r_a}{r} = \frac{BC}{DA}.$$

In the same manner we can shew that

$$\frac{r_b}{r} = \frac{CD}{AB}, \quad \frac{r_c}{r} = \frac{AD}{BC}, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{r_d}{r} = \frac{AB}{DC}.$$

Therefore 
$$\frac{r_a r_c}{r^2} = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{r_b r_d}{r^2} = 1;$$

therefore 
$$r_a r_b r_c r_d = r^4.$$

## XVII.

1. Here  $r = -4, q = 6$ ; therefore

$$\cos 3\alpha = -16 \left( \frac{3}{24} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = -16 \left( \frac{1}{8} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = -\frac{16}{8} \left( \frac{1}{8} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = -\frac{2}{2\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

Therefore  $3\alpha = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ . Hence  $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Therefore the roots are

$$2 \left( \frac{6}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad \text{and} \quad 2 \left( \frac{6}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} \pm \frac{\pi}{4} \right).$$

Now 
$$2 \left( \frac{6}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = 2\sqrt{2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 2;$$

$$2 \left( \frac{6}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = 2\sqrt{2} \cos \frac{11\pi}{12} = -2\sqrt{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{12} = -(\sqrt{3} + 1);$$

$$2 \left( \frac{6}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = 2\sqrt{2} \cos \frac{5\pi}{12} = \sqrt{3} - 1.$$

2. Here  $r=1$ ,  $q=3$ ; therefore  $\cos 3\alpha = 4 \left(\frac{3}{12}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = 4 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{1}{2}$ ;

therefore  $3\alpha = 60^\circ$ ; therefore  $\alpha = 20^\circ$ . Therefore the roots are  $2 \cos 20^\circ$ , and  $2 \cos(120^\circ \pm 20^\circ)$ .

Also  $2 \cos(120^\circ + 20^\circ) = 2 \cos 140^\circ = -2 \cos 40^\circ$ .

And  $2 \cos(120^\circ - 20^\circ) = 2 \cos 100^\circ = -2 \sin 10^\circ$ .

3. Take the equation  $x^5 - px^3 + qx - r = 0$ .

Put  $x = ny$ ; thus  $n^5y^5 - pn^3y^3 + qny - r = 0$ ;

therefore  $y^5 - \frac{p}{n^2}y^3 + \frac{q}{n^4}y = \frac{r}{n^5}$ .

Now by Example VIII. 59,  $\cos 5\alpha = 16 \cos^5 \alpha - 20 \cos^3 \alpha + 5 \cos \alpha$ .

Thus  $\cos^5 \alpha - \frac{5}{4} \cos^3 \alpha + \frac{5}{16} \cos \alpha = \frac{\cos 5\alpha}{16}$ .

Assume  $y = \cos \alpha$ ,  $\frac{5}{4} = \frac{p}{n^2}$ ,  $\frac{5}{16} = \frac{q}{n^4}$ , then  $\frac{r}{n^5} = \frac{\cos 5\alpha}{16}$ .

Here  $\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{p^2}{n^4}$ , and  $\frac{5}{16} = \frac{q}{n^4}$ ; so that we have  $n^4 = \frac{16p^2}{25}$ , and  $n^4 = \frac{16q}{5}$ .

Thus the process will not be admissible unless  $p^2 = 5q$ ; and this condition is satisfied by hypothesis.

Then  $\alpha$  must be found from  $\cos 5\alpha = \frac{16r}{n^5}$ ; put for  $n$  its value  $\left(\frac{4p}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ :

thus  $\cos 5\alpha = 16r \times \left(\frac{5}{4p}\right)^{\frac{5}{2}} = \frac{r}{2} \left(\frac{5}{p}\right)^{\frac{5}{2}}$ . The process then will not be admissible if this expression is numerically greater than unity. Hence  $\left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{p}\right)^5$  must not be greater than unity; that is  $\left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^2$  must not be greater than  $\left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^5$ .

Suppose this condition also to hold; then one root is  $n \cos \alpha$ , that is  $2 \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \alpha$ .

Moreover we might also suppose  $y = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{5} \pm \alpha\right)$  or  $y = \cos\left(\frac{4\pi}{5} \pm \alpha\right)$ , and we shall still arrive at the same value for  $\cos 5\alpha$ , since

$$\cos 5\left(\frac{2\pi}{5} \pm \alpha\right) = \cos 5\alpha \text{ and } \cos 5\left(\frac{4\pi}{5} \pm \alpha\right) = \cos 5\alpha.$$

Hence we see that the other roots of the equation are

$$2 \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{5} \pm \alpha\right) \text{ and } 2 \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos\left(\frac{4\pi}{5} \pm \alpha\right).$$

4. Proceed as in Example 3.

Here  $r=8$ ,  $q=20$ ,  $p=10$ .

$$\cos 5\alpha = 4 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{\frac{5}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}; \text{ therefore } 5\alpha = 45^\circ.$$

Hence the roots are

$$2\sqrt{2} \cos 9^\circ, \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos (72^\circ \pm 9^\circ), \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos (144^\circ \pm 9^\circ),$$

that is

$$2\sqrt{2} \cos 9^\circ, \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos 63^\circ, \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos 81^\circ, \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos 153^\circ, \quad 2\sqrt{2} \cos 135^\circ;$$

the last is equal to  $-2$ .

5. Let  $D$  denote the point of contact of the circle with  $BC$ . Let  $AC$  intersect the circumference of the circle at  $E$ , and let  $AB$  intersect the circumference at  $F$ . Then the four straight lines  $AE$ ,  $ED$ ,  $DF$ ,  $FA$  can be measured. Then, by Art. 254, the diagonal  $AD$  can be determined.

Then all the angles of the triangles  $ADE$  and  $ADF$  can be found; and thus the angles of the triangles  $ADC$  and  $ADB$  are known. Thus  $DC$  and  $BD$  can be found. See Euclid III. 32.

6. Let  $D$  be the point on  $AC$  produced through  $C$  such that the angle  $ADB$  is half the angle  $ACB$ ; then  $CD=CB$ . Thus  $CB$  is known. Again, let  $E$  be the point on  $BC$  produced through  $C$  such that the angle  $AEB$  is half the angle  $ACB$ ; then  $CE=CA$ . Thus  $CA$  is known. Then in the triangle  $ACB$  we know  $AC$ , and  $CB$ , and the angle  $ACB$ ; thus  $AB$  can be found by Art. 215.

7. Let  $x$  denote the height of the balloon, and  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$  the sides of the triangle  $ABC$ . Let  $O$  be the point in the plane of  $ABC$  which is vertically under the balloon. Then

$$AO = x \cot 45^\circ = x, \quad BO = x \cot 45^\circ = x, \quad CO = x \cot 60^\circ = \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}. \quad \text{Therefore}$$

$$\cos ACO = \frac{b^2 + \frac{x^2}{3} - x^2}{2bx} = \frac{3b^2 - 2x^2}{2bx\sqrt{3}}, \quad \cos BCO = \frac{a^2 + \frac{x^2}{3} - x^2}{2ax} = \frac{3a^2 - 2x^2}{2ax\sqrt{3}}.$$

But  $ACB$  is a right angle, and therefore  $\cos BCO = \sin ACO$ ; thus

$$\left( \frac{3b^2 - 2x^2}{2bx\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{3a^2 - 2x^2}{2ax\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 = 1;$$

therefore  $a^2(3b^2 - 2x^2)^2 + b^2(3a^2 - 2x^2)^2 = 12a^2b^2x^2$ ;

therefore  $4x^4(a^2 + b^2) - 36a^2b^2x^2 + 9a^2b^2(a^2 + b^2) = 0$ ;

therefore  $4c^2x^4 - 36a^2b^2x^2 + 9a^2b^2c^2 = 0$ .

8. Here the angle  $BAC$ —the angle  $BOC$ —the sum of the angles  $ABO$  and  $ACO$ .

Now  $\frac{\sin ACO}{\sin AOC} = \frac{AO}{AC}$ ; therefore  $\sin ACO = \frac{n \sin \beta}{c}$ , and since  $ACO$  is very small the circular measure of it is nearly equal to the sine, so that it is nearly equal to  $\frac{n \sin \beta}{c}$ .

Again  $\frac{\sin ABO}{\sin AOB} = \frac{AO}{AB}$ ; therefore  $\sin ABO = \frac{n \sin(\alpha - \beta)}{b}$ , therefore the circular measure of  $ABO$  is nearly equal to  $\frac{n \sin(\alpha - \beta)}{b}$ .

Thus the circular measure of  $BAC - BOC$  is nearly  $n \left\{ \frac{\sin(\alpha - \beta)}{b} + \frac{\sin \beta}{c} \right\}$ .

9. If the distance is 50 feet and the elevation is  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ , the height in feet is  $50 \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$ , that is 50.

But suppose the distance to be  $50 + h$ , and the elevation to be  $\frac{\pi}{4} + \alpha$ . Then the height is  $(50 + h) \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \alpha \right)$ . If  $\alpha$  is very small this is very nearly equal to  $(50 + h) \left( \tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \alpha \sec^2 \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$ , by Art. 188, that is  $(50 + h)(1 + 2\alpha)$ .

If  $h$  is also very small this is very nearly  $50 + h + 100\alpha$ . Now suppose  $h = \frac{1}{12}$  and  $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{180 \times 60}$ ; then we obtain  $50 + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{\pi}{108}$ . Thus the difference between this and the former value is  $\frac{1}{12} + \frac{\pi}{108}$ , that is about  $\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{36}$ , that is,  $1\frac{1}{3}$  inches.

10. Suppose that the tower and the spire each subtend the angle  $\alpha$ .

Then  $\tan \alpha = \frac{b}{a}$ , and  $\tan 2\alpha = \frac{b+c}{a}$ .

Therefore  $\frac{b+c}{a} = \frac{\frac{2b}{a}}{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}$ ;

therefore  $b+c = \frac{2a^2b}{a^2 - b^2}$ ; therefore  $c = \frac{2a^2b}{a^2 - b^2} - b = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)b}{a^2 - b^2}$ .

If however the height of the tower is  $b + \beta$ , and the height of the spire is  $c + \gamma$ , we have

$$c + \gamma = \frac{a^2(b + \beta) + (b + \beta)^3}{a^2 - (b + \beta)^2}.$$

Hence, by subtraction,

$$\gamma = \frac{a^2(b+\beta) + (b+\beta)^3}{a^2 - (b+\beta)^2} - \frac{(a^2 + b^2)b}{a^2 - b^2}.$$

Now

$$(b+\beta)^2 = b^2 + 2b\beta + \beta^2,$$

and if  $\beta$  is very small this is very nearly  $b^2 + 2b\beta$ .

And

$$(b+\beta)^3 = b^3 + 3b^2\beta + 3b\beta^2 + \beta^3,$$

and if  $\beta$  is very small this is very nearly  $b^3 + 3b^2\beta$ .

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma &= \frac{a^2b + b^3 + (a^2 + 3b^2)\beta}{a^2 - b^2 - 2b\beta} - \frac{a^2b + b^3}{a^2 - b^2} \\ &= \frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)(a^2 - b^2) + 2(a^2 + b^2)b^2}{(a^2 - b^2 - 2b\beta)(a^2 - b^2)} \beta \\ &= \frac{a^4 + 4a^2b^2 - b^4}{(a^2 - b^2)(a^2 - b^2 - 2b\beta)} \beta. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\gamma}{c} &= \frac{(a^4 + 4a^2b^2 - b^4)\beta}{(a^2 - b^2)(a^2 - b^2 - 2b\beta)} \div \frac{(a^2 + b^2)b}{a^2 - b^2} \\ &= \frac{\beta}{b} \cdot \frac{a^4 + 4a^2b^2 - b^4}{(a^2 + b^2)(a^2 - b^2 - 2b\beta)}. \end{aligned}$$

But when  $\beta$  is very small we may put  $a^2 - b^2$  for  $a^2 - b^2 - 2b\beta$ ; and thus

$$\frac{\gamma}{c} = \frac{\beta}{b} \cdot \frac{a^4 + 4a^2b^2 - b^4}{a^4 - b^4}.$$

11. We have

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A;$$

suppose that  $b$  is changed to  $b + \beta$ , and  $c$  to  $c + \gamma$ ; thus

$$a^2 = (b + \beta)^2 + (c + \gamma)^2 - 2(b + \beta)(c + \gamma) \cos A.$$

Therefore, by subtraction,

$$2b\beta + 2c\gamma + \gamma^2 - 2(b\gamma + c\beta + \beta\gamma) \cos A = 0.$$

If  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are very small this becomes very nearly

$$2b\beta + 2c\gamma - 2(b\gamma + c\beta) \cos A = 0;$$

therefore

$$\beta(b - c \cos A) + \gamma(c - b \cos A) = 0;$$

therefore

$$\beta a \cos C + \gamma a \cos B = 0, \text{ by Art. 216.}$$

Therefore

$$\frac{\beta}{\cos B} + \frac{\gamma}{\cos C} = 0,$$

therefore

$$\beta \sec B + \gamma \sec C = 0.$$

12. Suppose  $h$  the height of the tower,  $r$  the radius,  $x$  the distance of the first place of observation from the centre. Then

$$\frac{x}{r} = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2}, \quad \frac{x-a}{r} = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2};$$

$$h = x \tan \alpha, \quad h = (x-a) \tan \alpha'.$$

Hence 
$$\frac{a}{r} = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2}.$$

This finds  $r$ .

Also 
$$h = x \tan \alpha' - a \tan \alpha = \frac{h \tan \alpha'}{\tan \alpha} - a \tan \alpha';$$

therefore 
$$h = \frac{a \tan \alpha \tan \alpha'}{\tan \alpha' - \tan \alpha}.$$

This finds  $h$ .

Again, from the first and second equations,

$$\frac{x - a}{x} = \frac{\operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2}}{\operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2}}.$$

And from the third and fourth equations,

$$\frac{x - a}{x} = \frac{\cot \alpha'}{\cot \alpha}.$$

Therefore 
$$\frac{\operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2}}{\operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2}} = \frac{\cot \alpha'}{\cot \alpha}.$$

13. We have 
$$\frac{a}{r} = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2} \dots \dots \dots (1).$$

If we suppose an error  $\delta$  of the *same* sign to be made in  $\beta$  and  $\beta'$  these errors will tend to compensate each other; the greatest possible error in  $r$  will be determined by supposing that errors of *opposite* signs are made in  $\beta$  and  $\beta'$ . Suppose then that instead of  $\beta$  we ought to have  $\beta - \delta$ , and instead of  $\beta'$  we ought to have  $\beta' + \delta$ . Then we have

$$\frac{a}{r - \rho} = \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta - \delta}{2} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta' + \delta}{2}.$$

Hence, by subtraction,  $\frac{a}{r - \rho} - \frac{a}{r}$ , that is  $\frac{a\rho}{r(r - \rho)}$   

$$= \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta - \delta}{2} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2} - \left\{ \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta' + \delta}{2} - \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2} \right\}.$$

Therefore, if  $\delta$  and  $\rho$  be very small, we obtain

$$\frac{a\rho}{r^2} = \frac{\delta}{2} \left\{ \frac{\cos \frac{\beta}{2}}{\sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{\beta'}{2}}{\sin^2 \frac{\beta'}{2}} \right\}; \text{ see Art. 194.}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Thus } \frac{a\rho}{r^2} &= \frac{\delta}{2} \frac{\cos \frac{\beta}{2} \left(1 - \cos^2 \frac{\beta'}{2}\right) + \cos \frac{\beta'}{2} \left(1 - \cos^2 \frac{\beta}{2}\right)}{\sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\beta'}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\delta}{2} \frac{\left(\cos \frac{\beta}{2} + \cos \frac{\beta'}{2}\right) \left(1 - \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\beta'}{2}\right)}{\sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\beta'}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\delta \cos \frac{\beta + \beta'}{4} \cos \frac{\beta' - \beta}{4} \left(1 - \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\beta'}{2}\right)}{\sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\beta'}{2}} \dots \dots \dots (2).
 \end{aligned}$$

Now (1) may be put in the form

$$\frac{a}{r} = \frac{\sin \frac{\beta'}{2} - \sin \frac{\beta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\beta'}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2}} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{\beta' - \beta}{4} \cos \frac{\beta' + \beta}{4}}{\sin \frac{\beta'}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2}} \dots \dots \dots (3).$$

Divide (2) by (3); then

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\rho}{r} &= \frac{\delta}{2} \cot \frac{1}{4} (\beta' - \beta) \cdot \frac{1 - \cos \frac{\beta}{2} \cos \frac{\beta'}{2}}{\sin \frac{\beta'}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\delta}{2} \cot \frac{1}{4} (\beta' - \beta) \left\{ \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta'}{2} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\beta}{2} - \cot \frac{\beta'}{2} \cot \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $\beta = 60^\circ$  and  $\beta' = 120^\circ$ , we obtain for  $\frac{2\rho}{r}$  the value

$$\cot 15^\circ \{ \operatorname{cosec} 30^\circ \operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ - \cot 30^\circ \cot 60^\circ \} \delta,$$

that is  $(2 + \sqrt{3}) \left( \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} - 1 \right) \delta$ , that is  $\frac{5 + 2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} \delta$ .

Put for  $\delta$  the circular measure of  $6'$ , that is  $\frac{\pi}{1800}$ .

Hence  $\frac{2\rho}{r} = \frac{5 + 2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\pi}{1800}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\rho}{r} = \frac{5 + 2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\pi}{3600}$ .

14. Let  $\beta$  denote the angle  $PSQ$ , and the equal angle  $QSR$ ; and let  $\phi$  denote the angle  $SQR$ .

Then  $\frac{PQ}{SQ} = \frac{\sin PSQ}{\sin SPQ} = \frac{\sin \beta}{\sin (\phi - \beta)}$ ,



and 
$$\frac{QR}{SQ} = \frac{\sin QSR}{\sin SRQ} = \frac{\sin \beta}{\sin(\phi + \beta)},$$

therefore 
$$\frac{PQ}{QR} = \frac{\sin(\phi + \beta)}{\sin(\phi - \beta)}.$$

Let  $PQ = a$ , and  $QR = b$ ; thus

$$a \sin(\phi - \beta) = b \sin(\phi + \beta),$$

therefore  $a(\sin \phi \cos \beta - \cos \phi \sin \beta) = b(\sin \phi \cos \beta + \cos \phi \sin \beta);$

therefore 
$$\tan \phi = \frac{(a+b) \sin \beta}{(a-b) \cos \beta} = \frac{a+b}{a-b} \tan \beta.$$

Also 
$$\frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{\sin \beta}{a \sin(\phi - \beta)}, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{\sin \beta}{b \sin(\phi + \beta)};$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{SQ^2} &= \frac{\sin^2 \beta}{ab \sin(\phi - \beta) \sin(\phi + \beta)} = \frac{\sin^2 \beta}{ab(\sin^2 \phi - \sin^2 \beta)} \\ &= \frac{\tan^2 \beta}{ab\{\sin^2 \phi(1 + \tan^2 \beta) - \tan^2 \beta\}}. \end{aligned}$$

But 
$$\sin^2 \phi = \frac{(a+b)^2 \tan^2 \beta}{(a-b)^2 + (a+b)^2 \tan^2 \beta},$$

thus 
$$\frac{1}{SQ^2} = \frac{(a-b)^2 + (a+b)^2 \tan^2 \beta}{ab\{(a+b)^2 - (a-b)^2\}} = \frac{(a-b)^2 + (a+b)^2 \tan^2 \beta}{4a^2b^2}.$$

Suppose that instead of  $\beta$  we ought to have  $\beta + \alpha$ , and instead of  $SQ$  we ought to have  $SQ + c$ , where  $\alpha$  and  $c$  are very small. Then

$$\frac{1}{(SQ+c)^2} = \frac{(a-b)^2}{4a^2b^2} + \frac{(a+b)^2}{4a^2b^2} \tan^2(\beta + \alpha).$$

Hence, by subtraction,

$$\frac{1}{(SQ+c)^2} - \frac{1}{SQ^2} = \frac{(a+b)^2}{4a^2b^2} \{\tan^2(\beta + \alpha) - \tan^2 \beta\};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{SQ^2 - (SQ+c)^2}{SQ^2(SQ+c)^2} = \frac{(a+b)^2}{4a^2b^2} \{(\tan \beta + \alpha \sec^2 \beta)^2 - \tan^2 \beta\},$$

approximately, by Art. 188.

Thus 
$$-\frac{2c}{SQ^3} = \frac{(a+b)^2}{4a^2b^2} 2 \tan \beta \sec^2 \beta \alpha, \text{ nearly};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{c}{SQ^3} = -\frac{(a+b)^2 \sin \beta}{4a^2b^2 \cos^3 \beta} \alpha, \text{ nearly}.$$

## XVIII.

1. Let  $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \theta$ , then  $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{3}$ ; therefore

$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{\frac{2}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{9}} = \frac{6}{8} = \frac{3}{4};$$

therefore  $2\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$ . Therefore  $\tan^{-1} \frac{3}{4} = 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3}$ .

2. Let  $\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \theta$ , and  $\cos^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \phi$ ;

therefore  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , and  $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ ,

and  $\cos \phi = \frac{1}{2}$ , and  $\sin \phi = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

Therefore  $\sin(\theta + \phi) = \sin \theta \cos \phi + \cos \theta \sin \phi = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = 1$ .

3. Let  $\sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \alpha$ , and  $\sin^{-1} \frac{8}{17} = \beta$ ;

then  $\sin \alpha = \frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\cos \alpha = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{9}{25}\right)} = \frac{4}{5}$ ;

and  $\sin \beta = \frac{8}{17}$ ,  $\cos \beta = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{64}{289}\right)} = \frac{15}{17}$ ;

therefore  $\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta$   
 $= \frac{3 \times 15}{5 \times 17} + \frac{4 \times 8}{5 \times 17} = \frac{45 + 32}{85} = \frac{77}{85}$ ;

therefore  $\alpha + \beta = \sin^{-1} \frac{77}{85}$ .

4. Let  $\alpha = \tan^{-1} x$ , and  $\beta = \cot^{-1} x$ ;

then  $\tan \alpha = x$ , and  $\cot \beta = x$ ; therefore  $\tan \beta = \frac{1}{x}$ ,

and  $\tan(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta} = \frac{x + \frac{1}{x}}{1 - 1} = \frac{x + \frac{1}{x}}{0}$ .

Thus  $\tan(\alpha + \beta)$  is infinite.

$$5. \text{ Let } \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \alpha, \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} = \beta, \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \gamma, \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} = \delta.$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{1}{3}, \quad \text{and} \quad \tan \beta = \frac{1}{5};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5}}{1 - \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{5}} = \frac{8}{14} = \frac{4}{7}.$$

$$\text{And} \quad \tan(\gamma + \delta) = \frac{\tan \gamma + \tan \delta}{1 - \tan \gamma \tan \delta} = \frac{\frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{8}}{1 - \frac{1}{7} \times \frac{1}{8}} = \frac{15}{55} = \frac{3}{11}.$$

$$\text{Then } \tan(\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta) = \frac{\tan(\alpha + \beta) + \tan(\gamma + \delta)}{1 - \tan(\alpha + \beta) \tan(\gamma + \delta)} = \frac{\frac{4}{7} + \frac{3}{11}}{1 - \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{3}{11}} = \frac{65}{65} = 1;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

$$6. \text{ Let} \quad \tan^{-1} a = \theta, \quad \text{and} \quad \tan^{-1} b = \phi;$$

$$\text{then} \quad a = \tan \theta, \quad \text{and} \quad b = \tan \phi;$$

$$\text{and} \quad \tan(\theta - \phi) = \frac{\tan \theta - \tan \phi}{1 + \tan \theta \tan \phi} = \frac{a - b}{1 + ab}.$$

$$\text{Thus} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{a - b}{1 + ab} = \tan^{-1} a - \tan^{-1} b.$$

$$\text{Similarly} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{b - c}{1 + bc} = \tan^{-1} b - \tan^{-1} c.$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{a - b}{1 + ab} + \tan^{-1} \frac{b - c}{1 + bc} = \tan^{-1} a - \tan^{-1} c,$$

$$\text{and} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{a - b}{1 + ab} + \tan^{-1} \frac{b - c}{1 + bc} + \tan^{-1} c = \tan^{-1} a.$$

$$7. \text{ Let} \quad \alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7}, \quad \beta = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3}, \quad \gamma = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{26}.$$

$$\tan 3\alpha = \frac{3 \tan \alpha - \tan^3 \alpha}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \alpha} = \frac{\frac{3}{7} - \frac{1}{7^3}}{1 - \frac{3}{7^2}} = \frac{146}{322} = \frac{73}{161}.$$

$$\tan(\beta + \gamma) = \frac{\tan \beta + \tan \gamma}{1 - \tan \beta \tan \gamma} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{26}}{1 - \frac{1}{3 \times 26}} = \frac{29}{77}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tan(3\alpha + \beta + \gamma) &= \frac{\tan 3\alpha + \tan(\beta + \gamma)}{1 - \tan 3\alpha \tan(\beta + \gamma)} = \frac{\frac{73}{161} + \frac{29}{77}}{1 - \frac{73}{161} \times \frac{29}{77}} \\ &= \frac{10290}{10280} = \frac{1029}{1028}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\tan\left(3\alpha + \beta + \gamma - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\tan(3\alpha + \beta + \gamma) - 1}{1 + \tan(3\alpha + \beta + \gamma)} = \frac{\frac{1029}{1028} - 1}{1 + \frac{1029}{1028}} = \frac{1}{2057}.$$

8. We see as in the solution of Example 6 that

$$\begin{aligned} &\tan^{-1}\{(\sqrt{2} + 1) \tan \alpha\} - \tan^{-1}\{(\sqrt{2} - 1) \tan \alpha\} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{(\sqrt{2} + 1) \tan \alpha - (\sqrt{2} - 1) \tan \alpha}{1 + (\sqrt{2} + 1)(\sqrt{2} - 1) \tan^2 \alpha} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1 + \tan^2 \alpha} = \tan^{-1}(\sin 2\alpha). \end{aligned}$$

9.  $\tan(\theta - \alpha) \tan(\theta - \beta) = \tan^2 \theta$ ;

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin(\theta - \alpha) \sin(\theta - \beta)}{\cos(\theta - \alpha) \cos(\theta - \beta)} = \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{1 + \cos 2\theta};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(2\theta - \alpha - \beta)}{\cos(\alpha - \beta) + \cos(2\theta - \alpha - \beta)} = \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{1 + \cos 2\theta};$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} \cos(\alpha - \beta) \cos 2\theta &= \cos(2\theta - \alpha - \beta) \\ &= \cos 2\theta \cos(\alpha + \beta) + \sin 2\theta \sin(\alpha + \beta); \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\tan 2\theta \sin(\alpha + \beta) = \cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(\alpha + \beta) = 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta;$$

therefore 
$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin(\alpha + \beta)};$$

therefore 
$$2\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin(\alpha + \beta)}.$$

$$10. \text{ Let } \alpha = \cos^{-1} \frac{9}{\sqrt{82}}, \text{ and } \beta = \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{41}}{4};$$

$$\text{then} \quad \cos \alpha = \frac{9}{\sqrt{82}}, \text{ and } \sin \alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{82}};$$

$$\sin \beta = \frac{4}{\sqrt{41}}, \quad \cos \beta = \frac{5}{\sqrt{41}}.$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$= \frac{45 - 4}{\sqrt{82} \times \sqrt{41}} = \frac{41}{41\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \alpha + \beta = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

$$11. \text{ Let } \alpha = \sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5}, \quad \beta = \sin^{-1} \frac{5}{13}, \quad \gamma = \sin^{-1} \frac{16}{65};$$

$$\text{then} \quad \sin \alpha = \frac{4}{5}, \quad \sin \beta = \frac{5}{13}, \quad \sin \gamma = \frac{16}{65},$$

$$\text{and} \quad \cos \alpha = \frac{3}{5}, \quad \cos \beta = \frac{12}{13}, \quad \cos \gamma = \frac{63}{65}.$$

$$\text{Then} \quad \sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta = \frac{48 + 15}{65} = \frac{63}{65};$$

$$\text{thus} \quad \sin(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \gamma, \text{ so that } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$12. \text{ Let } \alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{4}, \text{ and } \beta = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{20}.$$

$$\tan 3\alpha = \frac{3 \tan \alpha - \tan^3 \alpha}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \alpha} = \frac{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{4^3}}{1 - \frac{3}{4^2}} = \frac{47}{52}.$$

$$\tan(3\alpha + \beta) = \frac{\tan 3\alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan 3\alpha \tan \beta} = \frac{\frac{47}{52} + \frac{1}{20}}{1 - \frac{47}{52 \times 20}} = \frac{992}{993}.$$

$$\text{Again, let } \gamma = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{1985}; \text{ then}$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \gamma\right) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{1985}}{1 + \frac{1}{1985}} = \frac{1984}{1986} = \frac{992}{993}.$$

$$\text{Therefore} \quad 3\alpha + \beta = \frac{\pi}{4} - \gamma.$$

$$13. \text{ Let } \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{2a-b}{b\sqrt{3}}, \quad \phi = \tan^{-1} \frac{2b-a}{a\sqrt{3}};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } \tan(\theta + \phi) &= \frac{\frac{2a-b}{b\sqrt{3}} + \frac{2b-a}{a\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{(2a-b)(2b-a)}{3ab}} = \frac{a(2a-b) + b(2b-a)}{3ab - (2a-b)(2b-a)} \sqrt{3} \\ &= \frac{2(a^2 + b^2) - 2ab}{2(a^2 + b^2) - 2ab} \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } \theta + \phi = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$14. \text{ Let } \tan^{-1} a = \theta, \text{ and } \tan^{-1} a^3 = \phi.$$

$$\text{Then } \tan \theta = a, \text{ and } \tan 2\theta = \frac{2a}{1-a^2}.$$

$$\text{Also } \tan(\theta + \phi) = \frac{\tan \theta + \tan \phi}{1 - \tan \theta \tan \phi} = \frac{a + a^3}{1 - a^4} = \frac{a}{1 - a^2}.$$

$$\text{Therefore } \tan(2 \tan^{-1} a) = 2 \tan(\tan^{-1} a + \tan^{-1} a^3).$$

$$15. \text{ Let } \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \tan 2A \right) = \alpha, \text{ then } \tan \alpha = \frac{1}{2} \tan 2A;$$

$$\text{let } \tan^{-1}(\cot A) = \beta, \text{ then } \tan \beta = \cot A;$$

$$\text{let } \tan^{-1}(\cot^3 A) = \gamma, \text{ then } \tan \gamma = \cot^3 A.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus } \tan(\beta + \gamma) &= \frac{\tan \beta + \tan \gamma}{1 - \tan \beta \tan \gamma} = \frac{\cot A + \cot^3 A}{1 - \cot^4 A} = \frac{\cot A}{1 - \cot^2 A} \\ &= \frac{1}{\frac{\tan A}{1}} = \frac{\tan A}{\tan^2 A - 1} = -\frac{1}{2} \tan 2A = -\tan \alpha. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \tan(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan(\beta + \gamma)}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan(\beta + \gamma)} = 0.$$

$$\text{Thus } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0.$$

$$16. \text{ Let } \cos^{-1} \frac{a}{b} = \theta, \text{ then } \cos \theta = \frac{a}{b}.$$

$$\text{And } \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \frac{1 - \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}} + \frac{1 + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{\left(1 - \tan \frac{\theta}{2}\right)^2 + \left(1 + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}\right)^2}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = 2 \frac{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = 2 \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{2}{\cos \theta} = \frac{2b}{a}.
 \end{aligned}$$

17. Let  $\tan^{-1} \frac{a}{b} = \theta$ ; then  $\tan \theta = \frac{a}{b}$ ;

$$\begin{aligned}
 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\theta}{2} &= \frac{1}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{2}{1 - \cos \theta} = \frac{2}{1 - \frac{b}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}} = \frac{2\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} - b} \\
 &= \frac{2\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} - b} \times \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} + b}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} + b} = \frac{2(a^2 + b^2) + 2b\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}{a^2};
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\frac{a^3}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = a(a^2 + b^2) + ab\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}.$$

Let  $\tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} = \phi$ ; then  $\tan \phi = \frac{b}{a}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sec^2 \frac{\phi}{2} &= \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2}} = \frac{2}{1 + \cos \phi} = \frac{2}{1 + \frac{a}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}} = \frac{2\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} + a} \\
 &= \frac{2\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} + a} \times \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} - a}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} - a} = \frac{2(a^2 + b^2) - 2a\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}{b^2};
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\frac{b^3}{2} \sec^2 \frac{\phi}{2} = b(a^2 + b^2) - ab\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}.$$

Therefore 
$$\frac{a^3}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{b^3}{2} \sec^2 \frac{\phi}{2} = (a + b)(a^2 + b^2).$$

18.  $\sin^{-1} x + \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ;

therefore 
$$\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4} - \sin^{-1} x.$$

Take the sines of both sides; thus

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{x}{2} &= \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \sin^{-1} x \right) = \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \cdot \sqrt{(1 - x^2)} - \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \cdot x \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{(1 - x^2)} - x}{\sqrt{2}};
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$x \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 \right) = \sqrt{(1 - x^2)};$$

therefore 
$$x^2 \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 \right)^2 = 1 - x^2;$$

therefore 
$$x^2 \left( \frac{5}{2} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 1;$$

therefore 
$$x^2 (5 + 2\sqrt{2}) = 2;$$

therefore 
$$x^2 = \frac{2}{5 + 2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{5 + 2\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{5 - 2\sqrt{2}}{5 - 2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{17} (5 - 2\sqrt{2}).$$

19. We shall first shew that  $\sin^{-1} \frac{2a}{1+a^2} = 2 \tan^{-1} a.$

Let  $\tan^{-1} a = \theta$ ; then  $\tan \theta = a$ ; and  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{2a}{1+a^2};$

therefore 
$$\sin^{-1} \frac{2a}{1+a^2} = 2\theta = 2 \tan^{-1} a.$$

Similarly 
$$\sin^{-1} \frac{2b}{1+b^2} = 2 \tan^{-1} b.$$

Hence the equation may be written

$$2 \tan^{-1} a + 2 \tan^{-1} b = 2 \tan^{-1} x;$$

therefore 
$$\tan^{-1} x = \tan^{-1} a + \tan^{-1} b.$$

Take the tangents of both sides; thus

$$x = \tan (\tan^{-1} a + \tan^{-1} b) = \frac{a+b}{1-ab}.$$

20. Let  $\tan^{-1} (x-1) = \alpha$ ,  $\tan^{-1} x = \beta$ ,  $\tan^{-1} (x+1) = \gamma.$

Thus 
$$\tan^{-1} 3x = \alpha + \beta + \gamma.$$

Take the tangents of both sides; thus

$$\begin{aligned} 3x = \tan (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) &= \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta + \tan \gamma - \tan \alpha \tan \beta \tan \gamma}{1 - \tan \beta \tan \gamma - \tan \gamma \tan \alpha - \tan \alpha \tan \beta} \\ &= \frac{3x - x(x^2 - 1)}{1 - x(x+1) - (x+1)(x-1) - x(x-1)} = \frac{4x - x^3}{2 - 3x^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore either  $x=0$ , or  $3(2-3x^2)=4-x^2$ ; the latter gives  $8x^2=2$ ;  
therefore  $x^2 = \frac{1}{4}$ ; therefore  $x = \pm \frac{1}{2}.$

21.  $\sin^{-1} 2x - \sin^{-1} x \sqrt{3} = \sin^{-1} x.$

Take the sines of both sides; thus

$$2x \sqrt{1-3x^2} - x \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{1-4x^2} = x.$$



Thus either  $x=0$ , or  $2\sqrt{1-3x^2}-\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{1-4x^2}=1$ .

Transpose, thus  $2\sqrt{1-3x^2}=1+\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{1-4x^2}$ .

Square,  $4(1-3x^2)=1+2\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{1-4x^2}+3(1-4x^2)$ ;

therefore  $2\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{1-4x^2}=0$ ;

therefore  $1-4x^2=0$ ; therefore  $x=\pm\frac{1}{2}$ .

$$22. \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{4}+2\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{5}+\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{6}+\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{x}=\frac{\pi}{4}.$$

Let  $\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{4}=a$ ,  $\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{5}=\beta$ ,  $\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{6}=\gamma$ .

Thus the equation may be written

$$\tan^{-1}\frac{1}{x}=\frac{\pi}{4}-(a+2\beta+\gamma);$$

therefore  $\frac{1}{x}=\frac{1-\tan(a+2\beta+\gamma)}{1+\tan(a+2\beta+\gamma)}$ .

Now  $\tan(a+\beta)=\frac{\frac{1}{4}+\frac{1}{5}}{1-\frac{1}{4}\times\frac{1}{5}}=\frac{9}{19}$ ,

$$\tan(\beta+\gamma)=\frac{\frac{1}{5}+\frac{1}{6}}{1-\frac{1}{5}\times\frac{1}{6}}=\frac{11}{29};$$

therefore  $\tan(a+\beta+\beta+\gamma)=\frac{\frac{9}{19}+\frac{11}{29}}{1-\frac{9}{19}\times\frac{11}{29}}=\frac{470}{452}$ .

Hence  $\frac{1}{x}=\frac{1-\frac{470}{452}}{1+\frac{470}{452}}=-\frac{18}{922}=-\frac{9}{461}$ .

23. Let  $\tan^{-1}x=\theta$ , then  $\tan\theta=x$ ;  $\cot 2\theta=\frac{1}{\tan 2\theta}=\frac{1-x^2}{2x}$ .

Thus the equation may be written

$$\sin 2 \cos^{-1}\frac{1-x^2}{2x}=0.$$

Now since  $2 \cos^{-1} \frac{1-x^2}{2x}$  has zero for its sine, the angle must be of the form  $n\pi$ , where  $n$  is zero or some integer.

$$\text{Thus } 2 \cos^{-1} \frac{1-x^2}{2x} = n\pi; \text{ therefore } \cos^{-1} \frac{1-x^2}{2x} = \frac{n\pi}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{1-x^2}{2x} = \cos \frac{n\pi}{2}.$$

Since  $n$  is zero or an integer we have  $\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} = 0$ , or  $1$ , or  $-1$ .

$$\text{If } \frac{1-x^2}{2x} = 0, \text{ then } x = \pm 1.$$

$$\text{If } \frac{1-x^2}{2x} = 1, \text{ then } x^2 + 2x = 1; \text{ and from this we deduce } x = -1 \pm \sqrt{2}.$$

$$\text{If } \frac{1-x^2}{2x} = -1, \text{ then } x^2 - 2x = 1; \text{ and from this we deduce } x = 1 \pm \sqrt{2}.$$

$$24. \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a-1} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a^2-x+1};$$

$$\text{therefore } \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a-1} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{a^2-x+1}.$$

Take the tangents of both sides; thus

$$\frac{\frac{1}{a-1} - \frac{1}{x}}{1 + \frac{1}{(a-1)x}} = \frac{1}{a^2-x+1};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{x-a+1}{ax-x+1} = \frac{1}{a^2-x+1};$$

$$\text{therefore } (x-a+1)(a^2-x+1) = ax-x+1;$$

$$\text{therefore } -x^2 + x(a^2+a) - a^3 + a^2 - a + 1 = ax - x + 1;$$

$$\text{therefore } x^2 - x(a^2+1) + a^3 - a^2 + a = 0.$$

By solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain  $x = a$  or  $a^2 - a + 1$ .

$$25. \quad \sec \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{4}{3};$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{1}{\cos \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \frac{4}{3};$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin \theta - \cos \theta = \frac{4}{3} \sin \theta \cos \theta = \frac{2}{3} \sin 2\theta.$$

Square, thus  $1 - \sin 2\theta = \frac{4}{9} \sin^2 2\theta$ .

By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{3}{4}$ , or  $-3$ ; the former value is alone applicable. Thus  $\sin 2\theta = \frac{3}{4}$ ;

therefore  $2\theta = \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$ ; therefore  $\theta = \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$ .

26.  $\sin(\pi \cos \theta) = \cos(\pi \sin \theta)$ ;

therefore  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \cos \theta\right) = \cos(\pi \sin \theta)$ .

Hence, by Art. 67 the solutions are comprised in

$$\frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \cos \theta = 2n\pi \pm \pi \sin \theta;$$

therefore  $\cos \theta \pm \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} - 2n$ .

Square, thus  $1 \pm \sin 2\theta = \left(\frac{1}{2} - 2n\right)^2$ .

If we give to  $n$  any integral value, positive or negative, the value of  $\sin 2\theta$  is greater than unity. Thus we must have  $n$  zero. Then  $1 \pm \sin 2\theta = \frac{1}{4}$ ; and therefore  $\sin 2\theta = \pm \frac{3}{4}$ ; thus  $2\theta = \pm \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$ , and  $\theta = \pm \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$ .

27. Let  $\psi = \sin^{-1}(\sin \theta + \sin \phi) + \sin^{-1}(\sin \theta - \sin \phi)$ .

Take the cosines of both sides; thus

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \psi &= \sqrt{1 - (\sin \theta + \sin \phi)^2} \sqrt{1 - (\sin \theta - \sin \phi)^2} - (\sin \theta + \sin \phi)(\sin \theta - \sin \phi) \\ &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{2} - 2 \sin \theta \sin \phi} \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{2} + 2 \sin \theta \sin \phi} - (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \phi) \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} - 4 \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi} - (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \phi). \end{aligned}$$

Now  $\frac{1}{2} = \sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 \phi$ , therefore  $\frac{1}{4} = (\sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 \phi)^2$ ;

therefore  $\frac{1}{4} - 4 \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi = (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \phi)^2$ .

Thus  $\cos \psi = \pm (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \phi) - (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \phi)$ .

Taking the upper sign we have  $\cos \psi = 0$ , and therefore  $\psi = (2n+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$ , where  $n$  is any integer.

$$28. \quad 3 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2+\sqrt{3}} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3}.$$

$$\text{Now let} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2+\sqrt{3}} = \theta, \quad \text{then} \quad \tan \theta = \frac{1}{2+\sqrt{3}};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad \tan 3\theta &= \frac{\frac{3}{2+\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{(2+\sqrt{3})^3}}{1 - \frac{(2+\sqrt{3})^3}{3}} = \frac{3(2+\sqrt{3})^2 - 1}{(2+\sqrt{3})^3 - 3(2+\sqrt{3})} \\ &= \frac{20+12\sqrt{3}}{20+12\sqrt{3}} = 1; \quad \text{therefore } 3\theta = \tan^{-1} 1. \end{aligned}$$

This might also have been inferred from the fact that

$$\frac{1}{2+\sqrt{3}} = \tan 15^\circ = \tan \frac{\pi}{12}, \quad \text{so that } \theta = \frac{\pi}{12}.$$

The equation may now be written

$$\tan^{-1} 1 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x}.$$

Take the tangents of both sides; thus

$$\frac{1 - \frac{1}{3}}{1 + \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{x};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \text{therefore } x = 2.$$

$$29. \quad \text{Let} \quad \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{a+b}{a+c}} = \theta, \quad \text{then} \quad \sin \theta = \sqrt{\frac{a+b}{a+c}};$$

$$\text{then} \quad \cos 2\theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta = 1 - \frac{2(a+b)}{a+c} = \frac{c-a-2b}{a+c}$$

$$\text{and} \quad 2\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{c-a-2b}{a+c}.$$

Thus the proposed expression is

$$\sin^{-1} \frac{2b+a-c}{a+c} \pm \cos^{-1} \frac{c-a-2b}{a+c};$$

$$\text{that is} \quad \sin^{-1} p \pm \cos^{-1} (-p);$$

$$\text{when } p \text{ is put for } \frac{2b+a-c}{a+c}.$$

Now  $\cos \{\sin^{-1} p \pm \cos^{-1} (-p)\} = -p \sqrt{(1-p^2)} \mp p \sqrt{(1-p^2)}$ ;  
 thus zero is one of the values of the cosine, and the corresponding angle is  
 an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$30. \quad \tan^{-1} x + \cot^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} 3,$$

therefore  $\tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{y} = \tan^{-1} 3.$

Take the tangents of both sides; thus

$$\frac{x + \frac{1}{y}}{1 - \frac{x}{y}} = 3;$$

therefore  $3(y-x) = yx + 1;$

therefore  $x = \frac{3y-1}{y+3} = \frac{3y+9-10}{y+3} = 3 - \frac{10}{y+3}.$

Thus if  $x$  and  $y$  are to be positive integers  $y+3$  must be a divisor of 10. Try in succession the various cases, namely  $y+3=1$  or 2 or 5 or 10. It will be found that the only admissible cases are  $y+3=5$ , and  $y+3=10$ . These give  $y=2$  or 7, and the corresponding values of  $x$  are 1 and 2.

$$31. \quad \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} y = \tan^{-1} c.$$

Take the tangents of both sides; thus  $\frac{x+y}{1-xy} = c;$

therefore  $x+y = c(1-xy);$  therefore  $x = \frac{c-y}{1+cy}.$

It is obvious that if  $c$  and  $y$  are positive integers  $x$  is either a positive or negative proper fraction, and cannot be a positive integer.

Next take  $\cot^{-1} x + \cot^{-1} y = \cot^{-1} c.$

Take the cotangents of both sides; thus  $\frac{xy-1}{x+y} = c;$

therefore  $xy-1 = c(x+y),$

therefore  $x = \frac{cy+1}{y-c} = \frac{cy-c^2+c^2+1}{y-c}$   
 $= c + \frac{c^2+1}{y-c}.$

Thus if  $a$  denote any divisor of  $c^2+1$  we may put  $y-c=a$ , so that  $y=c+a$ ; and then  $x = c + \frac{c^2+1}{a}.$

Hence we see that there are as many solutions in positive integers as there are divisors of  $c^2+1$ .

$$32. \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{c_1 x - y}{c_1 y + x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{x}{y} - \frac{1}{c_1}}{1 + \frac{x}{c_1 y}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{y} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{c_1},$$

as in the solution of Example 6.

$$\text{Similarly} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{c_2 - c_1}{c_2 c_1 + 1} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{c_1} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{c_2},$$

$$\tan^{-1} \frac{c_3 - c_2}{c_3 c_2 + 1} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{c_2} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{c_3},$$

and so on.

Thus the sum of the terms on the right-hand side of the proposed expression is  $\tan^{-1} \frac{x}{y}$ .

$$33. \quad \text{Let } \sin^{-1} \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} = \theta, \text{ and } \sin^{-1} \frac{2a'b'}{a'^2 + b'^2} = \phi;$$

$$\text{then} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}, \text{ and } \sin \phi = \frac{2a'b'}{a'^2 + b'^2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \cos \theta = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}, \text{ and } \cos \phi = \frac{a'^2 - b'^2}{a'^2 + b'^2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin(\theta + \phi) = \frac{2ab(a'^2 - b'^2) + 2a'b'(a^2 - b^2)}{(a^2 + b^2)(a'^2 + b'^2)}$$

$$= \frac{2ab(a'^2 - b'^2) + 2a'b'(a^2 - b^2)}{(a'b' + a'b)^2 + (aa' - bb')^2} = \frac{2(a'b' + a'b)(aa' - bb')}{(a'b' + a'b)^2 + (aa' - bb')^2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \theta + \phi = \sin^{-1} \frac{2pq}{p^2 + q^2},$$

where  $p$  and  $q$  are rational expressions.

Then if there be another angle  $\sin^{-1} \frac{2a''b''}{a''^2 + b''^2}$ , we may denote it by  $\psi$ ; then  $\sin\{(\theta + \phi) + \psi\}$  will take the form  $\frac{2rs}{r^2 + s^2}$  where  $r$  and  $s$  are rational. And so on.

34. We may take for the simplest value of  $\sin^{-1} \frac{(-1)^m}{2}$  the angle  $(-1)^m \frac{\pi}{6}$ ; as is evident by supposing  $m$  first even and then odd. This will be the  $\alpha$  of Art. 66; and the general solution is  $n\pi + (-1)^n \alpha$ , that is  $n\pi + (-1)^{m+n} \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

Or we may take the form  $(m+n)\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

For the sine of this angle

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sin m\pi \cos \left\{ n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \right\} + \cos m\pi \sin \left\{ n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \right\} \\
 &= \cos m\pi \sin \left\{ n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6} \right\} = \cos m\pi \times \frac{1}{2} = (-1)^m \times \frac{1}{2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

35. If  $m$  be even the value is  $\cos^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$ , that is  $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

If  $m$  be odd the value is  $\cos^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right)$ , that is  $2n\pi \pm \left( \pi + \frac{\pi}{3} \right)$ .

Both forms may be comprised in  $(2p+m)\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ , where  $p$  is any integer.

For  $2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}$  consists of an *even* multiple of  $\pi$  augmented by  $\pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ ; and  $2n\pi \pm \left( \pi + \frac{\pi}{3} \right)$  consists of an *odd* multiple of  $\pi$  augmented by  $\pm \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

36. If  $m$  be even the value is  $\tan^{-1} 1$ , that is  $n\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

If  $m$  be odd the value is  $\tan^{-1} (-1)$ , that is  $n\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Both forms may be comprised in  $n\pi + (-1)^m \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

### XIX.

1.  $\{ \cos 4A + \sqrt{(-1) \sin 4A} \}^{\frac{1}{2}} = \pm \{ \cos 2A + \sqrt{(-1) \sin 2A} \}$  by Art. 267.

2.  $-1 = \cos \pi = \cos \pi + \sqrt{(-1) \sin \pi}$ ;

therefore one value of  $(-1)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \sqrt{(-1) \sin \frac{\pi}{3}}$ ,

so we may put  $-1 = \cos 3\pi$ , or  $\cos 5\pi$ , and thus we obtain two other values for  $(-1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , namely,

$$\cos \frac{3\pi}{3} + \sqrt{(-1) \sin \frac{3\pi}{3}}, \quad \text{that is } -1,$$

and  $\cos \frac{5\pi}{3} + \sqrt{(-1) \sin \frac{5\pi}{3}}$ .

3. We may put  $-1 = \cos \pi$ , or  $\cos 3\pi$ , or  $\cos 5\pi$ , or  $\cos 7\pi$ , or  $\cos 9\pi$ , or  $\cos 11\pi$ ; and thus

$$-1 = \cos \theta + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \theta$$

where  $\theta = \pi$ , or  $3\pi$ , or  $5\pi$ , or  $7\pi$ , or  $9\pi$ , or  $11\pi$ .

Hence the six values of  $(-1)^{\frac{1}{6}}$  are contained in

$$\cos \frac{\theta}{6} + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \frac{\theta}{6},$$

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where  $\theta$  has any of the six values just specified.

$$\begin{aligned} 4. \quad 1 + \sqrt{(-1)} &= \sqrt{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{(-1)}}{\sqrt{2}} \right\} \\ &= \sqrt{2} \{ \cos \theta + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \theta \}, \end{aligned}$$

where for  $\theta$  we may put  $\frac{\pi}{4} + 2n\pi$ , where  $n$  is any integer.

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \{1 + \sqrt{(-1)}\}^{\frac{1}{3}} = 2^{\frac{1}{6}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta}{3} + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \frac{\theta}{3} \right\};$$

and the three values will be obtained by putting for  $\theta$  in succession  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $2\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ , and  $4\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

5. Since  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}$  is given nearly equal to unity, we may infer that  $\theta$  is a small angle. Hence we have approximately, by Art. 274,

$$\sin \theta = \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{6};$$

thus

$$1 - \frac{\theta^2}{6} = \frac{2165}{2166};$$

therefore

$$\frac{\theta^2}{6} = \frac{1}{2166},$$

therefore

$$\theta^2 = \frac{1}{361},$$

therefore

$$\theta = \frac{1}{19}.$$

This is the circular measure of the angle; therefore the number of degrees  $= \frac{1}{19}$  of  $\frac{180}{\pi} = \frac{1}{19}$  of  $57^{\circ}.29\dots = 3^{\circ}$  approximately.



$$6. \quad \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \theta\right) = .51.$$

As .51 is very nearly equal to  $\sin \frac{\pi}{6}$  we may infer that  $\theta$  is very small.

We have

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{6} \cos \theta + \cos \frac{\pi}{6} \sin \theta = .51,$$

therefore

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2}\right) + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \theta = .51 \text{ approximately.}$$

Hence, neglecting  $\theta^2$ , we have  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \theta = \frac{1}{100}$ , and therefore  $\theta = \frac{1}{50\sqrt{3}}$ .

Then if we retain the term in  $\theta^2$  we have

$$\theta = \frac{1}{50\sqrt{3}} + \frac{\theta^2}{2\sqrt{3}};$$

and putting for  $\theta^2$  its approximate value, we have for a closer approximation

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &= \frac{1}{50\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{1}{50\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{50\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{15000\sqrt{3}}. \end{aligned}$$

The same result will be obtained if we solve the quadratic equation  $\theta = \frac{1}{50\sqrt{3}} + \frac{\theta^2}{2\sqrt{3}}$  in the usual way, select the least root, and take its approximate value. See *Algebra*, Art. 526, Example (3).

$$7. \quad \text{Suppose} \quad \tan x = a_1 x + \frac{a_3 x^3}{3} + \frac{a_5 x^5}{5} + \dots;$$

$$\text{then} \quad \sin x = \cos x \left\{ a_1 x + \frac{a_3 x^3}{3} + \frac{a_5 x^5}{5} + \dots \right\}.$$

Substitute for  $\sin x$  and  $\cos x$  by Art. 274; thus

$$\begin{aligned} x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots \\ = \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{x^6}{6} + \dots \right\} \left\{ a_1 x + \frac{a_3 x^3}{3} + \frac{a_5 x^5}{5} + \dots \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Then, according to the known principles of Algebra, we may equate the coefficient of any power of  $x$  on the left-hand side to the coefficient of the same power obtained by working out the product on the right-hand side. Take, for instance, the coefficient of  $x^{2n+1}$ ; thus we obtain

$$\frac{(-1)^n}{2n+1} = \frac{a_{2n+1}}{2n+1} - \frac{a_{2n-1}}{2} \frac{a_{2n-1}}{2n-1} + \frac{a_{2n-3}}{4} \frac{a_{2n-3}}{2n-3} \dots + (-1)^n \frac{a_1}{2n}.$$

Multiply by  $\underline{2n+1}$  and transpose; thus we get

$$a_{2n+1} = \frac{(2n+1) 2n}{2} a_{2n-1} - \frac{(2n+1) 2n (2n-1) (2n-2)}{\underline{4}} a_{2n-3} \\ + \dots + (2n+1) (-1)^{n+1} a_1 + (-1)^n.$$

8. Let  $\theta \cot \theta = a_0 + a_2 \theta^2 + a_4 \theta^4 + \dots$ ;

then

$$\theta \cos \theta = \sin \theta \{a_0 + a_2 \theta^2 + a_4 \theta^4 + \dots\}.$$

Substitute for  $\cos \theta$  and  $\sin \theta$  by Art. 274; thus

$$\theta \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\underline{2}} + \frac{\theta^4}{\underline{4}} - \frac{\theta^6}{\underline{6}} + \dots \right) \\ = \left\{ \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{\underline{3}} + \frac{\theta^5}{\underline{5}} - \frac{\theta^7}{\underline{7}} + \dots \right\} \{a_0 + a_2 \theta^2 + a_4 \theta^4 + \dots\}.$$

Equate the coefficients of  $\theta^{2n+1}$ ; thus

$$\frac{(-1)^n}{\underline{2n}} = a_{2n} - \frac{a_{2n-2}}{\underline{3}} + \frac{a_{2n-4}}{\underline{5}} - \dots + \frac{(-1)^n a_0}{\underline{2n+1}}.$$

Transpose; thus we get

$$a_{2n} = \frac{a_{2n-2}}{\underline{3}} - \frac{a_{2n-4}}{\underline{5}} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^{n-1} a_0}{\underline{2n+1}} + \frac{(-1)^n}{\underline{2n}}.$$

To find the first four terms of  $\theta \cot \theta$  we have the following equations:

$$1 = a_0, \\ -\frac{1}{\underline{2}} = a_2 - \frac{a_0}{\underline{3}}, \\ \frac{1}{\underline{4}} = a_4 - \frac{a_2}{\underline{3}} + \frac{a_0}{\underline{5}}, \\ -\frac{1}{\underline{6}} = a_6 - \frac{a_4}{\underline{3}} + \frac{a_2}{\underline{5}} - \frac{a_0}{\underline{7}}.$$

Hence we obtain

$$a_0 = 1, \quad a_2 = \frac{1}{\underline{3}} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{3}, \quad a_4 = \frac{1}{\underline{4}} - \frac{1}{\underline{3}} + \frac{1}{\underline{5}} = -\frac{1}{45}; \\ a_6 = -\frac{1}{\underline{6}} - \frac{1}{\underline{45}} + \frac{1}{\underline{3}} + \frac{1}{\underline{5}} = -\frac{2}{945}.$$

28(9) Let  $\sec \theta = a_0 + a_2 \theta^2 + a_4 \theta^4 + \dots$ ;

then 
$$1 = \cos \theta (a_0 + a_2 \theta^2 + a_4 \theta^4 + \dots)$$

$$= \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2} + \frac{\theta^4}{24} - \frac{\theta^6}{720} + \dots \right) (a_0 + a_2 \theta^2 + a_4 \theta^4 + \dots).$$

Then equating to zero the coefficient of  $\theta^{2n}$  in the expression on the right-hand side we get

$$0 = a_{2n} - \frac{a_{2n-2}}{2} + \frac{a_{2n-4}}{24} - \frac{a_{2n-6}}{720} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n)!} a_0.$$

Transpose; then we obtain 
$$a_{2n} = \frac{a_{2n-2}}{2} - \frac{a_{2n-4}}{24} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^{n+1} a_0}{(2n)!}.$$

(10) 
$$a + b = \cos 2\alpha + \cos 2\beta + \sqrt{(-1)} \{ \sin 2\alpha + \sin 2\beta \}$$

$$= 2 \cos (\alpha + \beta) \cos (\alpha - \beta) + 2 \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\alpha + \beta) \cos (\alpha - \beta)$$

$$= 2 \cos (\alpha - \beta) \{ \cos (\alpha + \beta) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\alpha + \beta) \}.$$

Thus  $\frac{b}{a+b} = \frac{\cos 2\beta + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin 2\beta}{2 \cos (\alpha - \beta) \{ \cos (\alpha + \beta) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\alpha + \beta) \}}$ ; multiply both numerator and denominator by  $\cos (\alpha + \beta) - \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\alpha + \beta)$ ;

thus we get 
$$\frac{\cos (\beta - \alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta - \alpha)}{2 \cos (\alpha - \beta)}.$$

Similarly  $\frac{c}{a+c} = \frac{\cos (\gamma - \alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\gamma - \alpha)}{2 \cos (\alpha - \gamma)}.$

Therefore 
$$\frac{bc}{(a+b)(a+c)} = \frac{\cos (\beta + \gamma - 2\alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta + \gamma - 2\alpha)}{4 \cos (\alpha - \beta) \cos (\alpha - \gamma)}.$$

11. 
$$\{ \cos \theta + \cos \phi + \sqrt{(-1)} (\sin \theta + \sin \phi) \}^n$$

$$= \left\{ 2 \cos \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} + 2 \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} \right\}^n$$

$$= 2^n \left( \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} \right)^n \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \frac{\theta + \phi}{2} \right\}^n$$

$$= 2^n \left( \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} \right)^n \left\{ \cos \frac{n}{2} (\theta + \phi) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \frac{n}{2} (\theta + \phi) \right\}.$$

Similarly 
$$\{ \cos \theta + \cos \phi - \sqrt{(-1)} (\sin \theta + \sin \phi) \}^n$$

$$= 2^n \left( \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} \right)^n \left\{ \cos \frac{n}{2} (\theta + \phi) - \sqrt{(-1)} \sin \frac{n}{2} (\theta + \phi) \right\}.$$

Hence by addition we get  $2^{n+1} \left( \cos \frac{\theta - \phi}{2} \right)^n \cos \frac{n}{2} (\theta + \phi)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 12. \quad \frac{c}{2n} (1 + nx) \left( 1 + \frac{n}{x} \right) &= \frac{c}{2n} \left\{ 1 + n^2 + n \left( x + \frac{1}{x} \right) \right\} \\ &= \frac{c}{2n} \{ 1 + n^2 + 2n \cos \theta \} = \frac{c(1+n^2)}{2n} + c \cos \theta. \end{aligned}$$

Now  $\sqrt{(1-c^2)} = nc - 1$ ; therefore  $1 - c^2 = (nc - 1)^2$ , therefore  $-c^2 = n^2c^2 - 2nc$ , therefore  $2n = (n^2 + 1)c$ .

Thus  $\frac{c(1+n^2)}{2n} = 1$ , and the expression becomes  $1 + c \cos \theta$ .

13. Let  $r$  denote the radius, and  $\theta$  the circular measure of the angle; then the length of the arc is  $r\theta$ .

The chord of the arc is  $2r \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ , and the chord of half the arc is  $2r \sin \frac{\theta}{4}$ .

Now let it be required to determine two numbers  $l$  and  $m$ , such that approximately

$$l \times 2r \sin \frac{\theta}{2} + m \times 2r \sin \frac{\theta}{4} = r\theta.$$

Expand  $\sin \frac{\theta}{4}$  and  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2}$  by Art. 274. Thus

$$2l \left\{ \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^3 + \dots \right\} + 2m \left\{ \frac{\theta}{4} - \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\theta}{4} \right)^3 + \dots \right\} = \theta.$$

Neglect all powers of  $\theta$  above  $\theta^3$ ; then to make this formula hold we must put

$$l + \frac{m}{2} = 1, \quad \frac{l}{(2)^3} + \frac{m}{(4)^3} = 0.$$

Therefore  $m = -8l$ ; therefore  $-3l = 1$ .

Thus  $l = -\frac{1}{3}$  and  $m = \frac{8}{3}$ .

This establishes the rule.

14. Proceed as in Example 13.

The chord of one-fourth of the arc is  $2r \sin \frac{\theta}{8}$ .

Let it be required to determine the numbers  $l$ ,  $m$ ,  $n$  such that approximately

$$l \times 2r \sin \frac{\theta}{2} + m \times 2r \sin \frac{\theta}{4} + n \times 2r \sin \frac{\theta}{8} = r\theta.$$

In this case we can make the approximation closer than in Example 13; for we shall retain  $\theta^5$  and neglect only the higher powers. Thus

$$2l \left\{ \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^3 + \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^5 \right\} + 2m \left\{ \frac{\theta}{4} - \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\theta}{4} \right)^3 + \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{\theta}{4} \right)^5 \right\} \\ + 2n \left\{ \frac{\theta}{8} - \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{\theta}{8} \right)^3 + \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{\theta}{8} \right)^5 \right\} = \theta.$$

Hence we must put

$$l + \frac{m}{2} + \frac{n}{4} = 1, \quad \frac{l}{(2)^3} + \frac{m}{(4)^3} + \frac{n}{(8)^3} = 0, \quad \frac{l}{(2)^5} + \frac{m}{(4)^5} + \frac{n}{(8)^5} = 0.$$

The values of  $l, m, n$  given by these equations are

$$l = \frac{1}{45}, \quad m = -\frac{40}{45}, \quad n = \frac{256}{45}.$$

$$(15.) \quad x - b = \cos 2\theta + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin 2\theta - \cos 2\beta - \sqrt{(-1)} \sin 2\beta \\ = 2 \sin (\beta - \theta) \{ \sin (\beta + \theta) - \sqrt{(-1)} \cos (\beta + \theta) \} \\ = \frac{2 \sin (\beta - \theta)}{\sqrt{(-1)}} \{ \cos (\beta + \theta) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta + \theta) \}.$$

In like manner

$$a - b = \frac{2 \sin (\beta - \alpha)}{\sqrt{(-1)}} \{ \cos (\beta + \alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta + \alpha) \}.$$

Therefore  $\frac{x-b}{a-b} = \frac{\sin (\beta - \theta)}{\sin (\beta - \alpha)} \cdot \frac{\cos (\beta + \theta) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta + \theta)}{\cos (\beta + \alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta + \alpha)}$ , multiply both numerator and denominator by  $\cos (\beta + \alpha) - \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\beta + \alpha)$ ;

thus we get  $\frac{\sin (\theta - \beta)}{\sin (\alpha - \beta)} \{ \cos (\theta - \alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin (\theta - \alpha) \}$ .

Similarly we transform  $\frac{x-c}{a-c}$ ; and thus we obtain

$$\frac{(x-b)(x-c)}{(a-b)(a-c)} = \frac{\sin (\theta - \beta) \sin (\theta - \gamma)}{\sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \gamma)} \{ \cos 2(\theta - \alpha) + \sqrt{(-1)} \sin 2(\theta - \alpha) \}.$$

In like manner we transform  $\frac{(x-c)(x-a)}{(b-c)(b-a)}$  and  $\frac{(x-a)(x-b)}{(c-a)(c-b)}$ . Then by equating to zero the coefficient of the imaginary part we obtain

$$\frac{\sin (\theta - \beta) \sin (\theta - \gamma)}{\sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\alpha - \gamma)} \sin 2(\theta - \alpha) + \frac{\sin (\theta - \gamma) \sin (\theta - \alpha)}{\sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\beta - \alpha)} \sin 2(\theta - \beta) \\ + \frac{\sin (\theta - \alpha) \sin (\theta - \beta)}{\sin (\gamma - \alpha) \sin (\gamma - \beta)} \sin 2(\theta - \gamma) = 0.$$

And then by equating the real parts we have

$$\frac{\sin(\theta - \beta) \sin(\theta - \gamma)}{\sin(\alpha - \beta) \sin(\alpha - \gamma)} \cos 2(\theta - \alpha) + \frac{\sin(\theta - \gamma) \sin(\theta - \alpha)}{\sin(\beta - \gamma) \sin(\beta - \alpha)} \cos 2(\theta - \beta) \\ + \frac{\sin(\theta - \alpha) \sin(\theta - \beta)}{\sin(\gamma - \alpha) \sin(\gamma - \beta)} \cos 2(\theta - \gamma) = 1.$$

## XX.

1. Proceed as in Art. 282. Thus we obtain

$$-2^{4n+1} (\sin \theta)^{4n+2} = \cos(4n+2)\theta - (4n+2) \cos 4n\theta \\ + \frac{(4n+2)(4n+1)}{2} \cos(4n-2)\theta - \dots \\ - \frac{(4n+2)(4n+1) \dots (2n+2)}{2^{2n+1}}.$$

2. Proceed as in Art. 283. Thus we obtain

$$2^{4n} (\sin \theta)^{4n+1} = \sin(4n+1)\theta - (4n+1) \sin(4n-1)\theta \\ + \frac{(4n+1)4n}{2} \sin(4n-3)\theta - \dots \\ + \frac{(4n+1)4n(4n-1) \dots (2n+2)}{2^n} \sin \theta.$$

3. Proceed as in Art. 280. Thus we obtain

$$2^{2n-1} \cos^{2n} \theta = \cos 2n\theta + 2n \cos(2n-2)\theta + \frac{2n(2n-1)}{2} \cos(2n-4)\theta \\ + \dots + \frac{2n(2n-1) \dots (n+1)}{2^n}.$$

4. We have

$$\frac{a^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}(B-C)}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(B+C)} = \frac{a^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}(B-C)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}A} = \frac{a^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}A \cos \frac{1}{2}(B-C)}{\cos \frac{1}{2}A \sin \frac{1}{2}A} \\ = \frac{2a^2}{\sin A} \sin \frac{1}{2}(B+C) \cos \frac{1}{2}(B-C) = \frac{a^2}{\sin A} (\sin B + \sin C) \\ = \frac{a^2 \sin B}{\sin A} + \frac{a^2 \sin C}{\sin A} = \frac{a^2 b}{a} + \frac{a^2 c}{a} = ab + ac.$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{b^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}(C-A)}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(C+A)} = ba + bc,$$

and 
$$\frac{c^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B)}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B)} = ca + cb.$$

Then by addition we obtain the required result.

5. Suppose the triangle to have all its angles acute.

Then  $a \sin (BAD - CAD) = a (\sin BAD \cos CAD - \cos BAD \sin CAD)$   
 $= a (\cos B \sin C - \sin B \cos C).$

Similarly  $b \sin (CBE - ABE) = b (\cos C \sin A - \sin C \cos A),$

and  $c \sin (ACF - BCF) = c (\cos A \sin B - \sin A \cos B).$

The sum of the three expressions

$$= \cos A (c \sin B - b \sin C) + \cos B (a \sin C - c \sin A) + \cos C (b \sin A - a \sin B) = 0, \text{ by Art. 214.}$$

If the triangle has an obtuse angle, let it be  $C$ ; then it will be found that instead of  $\cos C$  we have  $\cos (180^\circ - C)$  in the preceding expressions; and the result is still zero.

6. We have 
$$\rho \left\{ \cot \frac{1}{2} DAB + \cot \frac{1}{2} DBA \right\} = AB.$$

Now 
$$\cot \frac{1}{2} DAB = \cot \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right) = \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)}{\sin \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right) \cos \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)} = \frac{1 + \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)}{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right)}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \sin A}{\cos A} = \sec A + \tan A.$$

Similarly 
$$\cot \frac{1}{2} DBA = \sec B + \tan B.$$

Therefore 
$$\rho \{ \sec A + \tan A + \sec B + \tan B \} = AB.$$

7. By joining the centres of the circles we form an equilateral triangle of which each side is  $2a$ ; and therefore the area is  $\frac{(2a)^2\sqrt{3}}{4}$ , that is  $a^2\sqrt{3}$ . The area of each of the three sectors which are formed by the radii and arc of a circle is  $\frac{a^2}{2} \times \frac{2\pi}{6}$ , that is  $\frac{\pi a^2}{6}$ ; therefore the area of the three sectors is  $\frac{\pi a^2}{2}$ . Hence the area of the space between the circles  $= a^2\sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi a^2}{2} = a^2 \left( \sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$ .

8. Let  $R$  be the radius of the circle. The inscribed polygon of  $n$  sides consists of  $n$  triangles; and therefore the area of the polygon is

$$n \frac{R^2}{2} \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}.$$

The area of an inscribed figure of half the number of sides is

$$\frac{n}{2} \frac{R^2}{2} \sin \frac{4\pi}{n}.$$

The area of a circumscribed polygon of  $\frac{n}{2}$  sides is  $\frac{n}{2} R^2 \tan \frac{2\pi}{n}$ .

We have to shew that

$$\left( \frac{nR^2}{2} \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \right)^2 = \frac{n}{4} R^2 \sin \frac{4\pi}{n} \times \frac{n}{2} R^2 \tan \frac{2\pi}{n},$$

or that

$$\sin^2 \frac{2\pi}{n} = \frac{1}{2} \sin \frac{4\pi}{n} \tan \frac{2\pi}{n};$$

and this is obvious since  $\sin \frac{4\pi}{n} = 2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \cos \frac{2\pi}{n}$ .

9. Let  $R$  be the radius of the circle. The area of the circumscribed polygon of  $n$  sides is  $nR^2 \tan \frac{\pi}{n}$ . The area of the inscribed polygon of  $n$  sides is  $\frac{nR^2}{2} \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$ . The area of the circumscribed polygon of  $\frac{n}{2}$  sides is  $\frac{n}{2} R^2 \tan \frac{2\pi}{n}$ . We have to shew that  $nR^2 \tan \frac{\pi}{n}$  is an harmonic mean between  $\frac{nR^2}{2} \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$  and  $\frac{nR^2}{2} \tan \frac{2\pi}{n}$ ; or that  $2 \tan \frac{\pi}{n}$  is an harmonic mean between  $\sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$  and  $\tan \frac{2\pi}{n}$ .

Now the harmonic mean between  $\sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$  and  $\tan \frac{2\pi}{n}$  is

$$\frac{2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \tan \frac{2\pi}{n}}{\sin \frac{2\pi}{n} + \tan \frac{2\pi}{n}}, \quad \text{that is } \frac{2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}}{1 + \cos \frac{2\pi}{n}}, \quad \text{that is } 2 \tan \frac{\pi}{n}.$$



10. Let  $r$  be the radius of the circle; then  $c = 2r \sin \frac{2\pi}{10} = 2r \sin \frac{\pi}{5}$ ;

therefore  $r = \frac{c}{2 \sin \frac{\pi}{5}} = \frac{2c}{\sqrt{(10-2\sqrt{5})}} = \frac{2c}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{(5-\sqrt{5})}}$ . Multiply both nume-

rator and denominator by  $\sqrt{(5+\sqrt{5})}$ . Thus we obtain  $\frac{2c \sqrt{(5+\sqrt{5})}}{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{(25-5)}}$ , that is  $\frac{2c\sqrt{(5+\sqrt{5})}}{\sqrt{(40)}}$ , that is  $\frac{c\sqrt{(5+\sqrt{5})}}{\sqrt{(10)}}$ .

11. Let  $A, B, C$  denote the centres of the three circles. Let tangents to the arc of the first circle meet at  $T$ ; then the distance of  $T$  from the point of contact is  $a \tan \frac{A}{2}$ .

$$\text{Now} \quad \cos A = \frac{(a+c)^2 + (a+b)^2 - (b+c)^2}{2(a+c)(a+b)} = \frac{a^2 + a(b+c) - bc}{(a+c)(a+b)};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{1 - \cos A}{1 + \cos A} = \frac{bc}{a(a+b+c)};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \tan \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{bc}{a(a+b+c)}}; \quad \text{therefore} \quad a \tan \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{abc}{a+b+c}}.$$

We shall obtain the same symmetrical expression for the distance of the point of intersection of any two tangents from the points of contact; and thus it follows that the three tangents meet at a common point.

12. Use Article 254. Here  $s=7$ ,  $s-a=4$ ,  $s-b=4$ ,  $s-c=3$ ,  $s-d=3$ . Thus the area  $= \sqrt{4 \times 4 \times 3 \times 3} = 12$ .

Since the sum of a pair of opposite sides is equal to the sum of the other pair, a circle may be inscribed in the quadrilateral. Let  $\rho$  denote the radius of this inscribed circle; then  $\frac{\rho}{2}(a+b+c+d)$  = the area of the quadrilateral. Thus  $\rho s$  = the area.

$$\text{In the present case} \quad \rho = \frac{12}{7}$$

$$\text{Also} \quad ab+cd=25, \quad ac+bd=24, \quad ad+bc=24.$$

Hence the radius of the circumscribed circle

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{25 \times 24 \times 24}{3 \times 3 \times 4 \times 4}} = \frac{5 \times 24}{4 \times 12} = \frac{5}{2}.$$

13. Let  $n$  be the number of the sides,  $R$  the radius of the circle.

$$\text{Then} \quad \frac{n}{2} R^2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} \text{ is to } nR^2 \tan \frac{\pi}{n} \text{ as 3 is to 4.}$$

Thus 
$$\frac{\sin \frac{2\pi}{n}}{2 \tan \frac{\pi}{n}} = \frac{3}{4};$$

therefore  $\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n} = \frac{3}{4}$ ; therefore  $\cos \frac{\pi}{n} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

But  $\cos \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ ; therefore  $n=6$ .

14. Let  $A, B, C$  denote the centres of the three circles.

Then  $a = 2a \sin \frac{A}{2}$ ,  $\beta = 2b \sin \frac{B}{2}$ ,  $\gamma = 2c \sin \frac{C}{2}$ .

Now from the solution of Example 11 we see that

$$\cos A = \frac{a^2 + a(b+c) - bc}{(a+b)(a+c)}; \text{ therefore } 1 - \cos A = \frac{2bc}{(a+b)(a+c)};$$

therefore  $\sin \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{bc}{(a+b)(a+c)}};$

therefore  $a = 2a \sqrt{\frac{bc}{(a+b)(a+c)}}.$

Similar expressions hold for  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{a\beta\gamma} &= \frac{1}{8abc} \left\{ \frac{(a+b)(a+c)}{bc} \times \frac{(b+a)(b+c)}{ac} \times \frac{(c+a)(c+b)}{bc} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)}{8a^2b^2c^2}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $\frac{8}{a\beta\gamma} = \left(\frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{a}\right) \left(\frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{b}\right) \left(\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{c}\right).$

15. Let  $u = \left(\frac{\tan \theta}{\theta}\right)^{\frac{3}{\theta^2}}$ ; then  $\log u = \frac{3}{\theta^2} \log \frac{\tan \theta}{\theta}$ .

Now  $\tan \theta = \theta + \frac{\theta^3}{3} + \text{terms in } \theta^5 \text{ and higher powers of } \theta$ ; see Example XIX. 7.

Therefore  $\frac{\tan \theta}{\theta} = 1 + \frac{\theta^2}{3} + \dots$

Then  $\log \left(1 + \frac{\theta^2}{3} + \dots\right) = \frac{\theta^2}{3} + \text{terms in } \theta^4 \text{ and higher powers of } \theta$ .

Therefore  $\frac{3}{\theta^2} \log \frac{\tan \theta}{\theta} = 1 + \text{terms in } \theta^2 \text{ and higher powers of } \theta$ .

Therefore when  $\theta$  is indefinitely diminished  $\frac{3}{\theta^2} \log \frac{\tan \theta}{\theta} = 1$ , and therefore

$$\left(\frac{\tan \theta}{\theta}\right)^{\frac{3}{\theta^2}} = e.$$

16. Equate the expressions for  $AC^2$  and  $BD^2$  given in Art. 254. Thus

$$\frac{(ac + bd)(ad + bc)}{ab + cd} = \frac{(ac + bd)(ab + cd)}{ad + bc}.$$

Therefore  $(ad + bc)^2 = (ab + cd)^2$ ;

therefore  $ad + bc = ab + cd$ ;

therefore  $(a - c)(d - b) = 0$ .

Therefore either  $a = c$  or  $b = d$ .

17. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be the centres of the two circles, and  $C$  a point of intersection. The angle between the tangents at  $C$  is therefore  $\gamma$ .

$$\text{The angle } ACB = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma = \pi - \gamma.$$

Then  $AB^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos(\pi - \gamma) = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab \cos \gamma$ .

Let  $x$  denote the length of the common chord; then the area of the triangle  $ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{x}{2} \times AB$ ; and this area also  $= \frac{1}{2} AC \cdot CB \sin ACB$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus } x &= \frac{2AC \cdot CB \sin ACB}{AB} \\ &= \frac{2ab \sin \gamma}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 + 2ab \cos \gamma)}}. \end{aligned}$$

$$18. \text{ We have } \frac{r}{R} = \frac{S}{s} \div \frac{abc}{4S} = \frac{4S^2}{sabc} = 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}.$$

Now we have shewn in the solution of Example XIII. 40, that the expression  $4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$  can never be greater than  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Hence  $r$  cannot be greater than  $\frac{1}{2} R$ .

## XXI.

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \quad \frac{\sin 2\theta}{1 - \cos 2\theta} &= \frac{e^{2\theta i} - e^{-2\theta i}}{2i \left(1 - \frac{e^{2\theta i} + e^{-2\theta i}}{2}\right)} = \frac{e^{2\theta i} - e^{-2\theta i}}{i(2 - e^{2\theta i} - e^{-2\theta i})} \\
 &= \frac{i(e^{2\theta i} - e^{-2\theta i})}{e^{2\theta i} + e^{-2\theta i} - 2} = \frac{i(e^{\theta i} + e^{-\theta i})(e^{\theta i} - e^{-\theta i})}{(e^{\theta i} - e^{-\theta i})^2} \\
 &= \frac{i(e^{\theta i} + e^{-\theta i})}{e^{\theta i} - e^{-\theta i}} = \frac{e^{\theta i} + e^{-\theta i}}{2} \div \frac{e^{\theta i} - e^{-\theta i}}{2i} = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}.
 \end{aligned}$$

2. Let the angle opposite to the smaller side be  $\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta$ , and the angle opposite to the larger side  $\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta$ . Thus

$$\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right)} = \frac{49}{51};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)} = \frac{51 - 49}{51 + 49} = \frac{1}{50};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \frac{\pi}{4}}{2 \cos \theta \sin \frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{1}{50};$$

therefore 
$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{50}.$$

But by Art. 293 we have

$$\theta = \tan \theta - \frac{1}{3} \tan^3 \theta + \dots,$$

thus 
$$\theta = .02 - \frac{1}{3} (.02)^3 + \frac{1}{5} (.02)^5 - \dots$$

If we stop at the first term we have  $\theta = .02$ .

Then the number of degrees in the angle  $= .02 \times 57.29577951 \dots = 1.14591559$ ; and this  $= 1^\circ 8' 45''$ .

(3.) We have, as in Art. 229,

$$\tan \frac{A-B}{2} = \frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2}.$$

Hence by Art. 293 the circular measure of  $\frac{A-B}{2}$

$$= k - \frac{k^3}{3} + \frac{k^5}{5} - \dots,$$

where  $k$  stands for  $\frac{a-b}{a+b} \cot \frac{C}{2}$ .

Therefore the number of degrees in  $\frac{A-B}{2}$

$$= \frac{180}{\pi} \left\{ k - \frac{k^3}{3} + \frac{k^5}{5} - \dots \right\}.$$

Also  $\frac{A+B}{2} = 90^\circ - \frac{C}{2}$ . Thus  $A$  is found by taking the upper sign, and  $B$  by taking the lower sign in

$$90^\circ - \frac{C}{2} \pm \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} \left\{ k - \frac{k^3}{3} + \frac{k^5}{5} - \dots \right\}.$$

(4.)

$$\frac{\sin A}{\sin C} = \frac{a}{c}, \quad \frac{\sin B}{\sin C} = \frac{b}{c};$$

therefore

$$\frac{\sin A - \sin B}{\sin C} = \frac{a-b}{c};$$

therefore

$$\frac{\sin \frac{A-B}{2} \cos \frac{A+B}{2}}{\sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{a-b}{c};$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \frac{A-B}{2} &= \frac{a-b}{c} \cos \frac{C}{2} \\ &= \frac{a-b}{c} \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \\ &= \frac{a-b}{c} \sin \left( \frac{A-B}{2} + B \right). \end{aligned}$$

Hence by Art. 321 the circular measure of  $\frac{A-B}{2}$

$$= n \sin B + \frac{n^2}{2} \sin 2B + \frac{n^3}{3} \sin 3B + \dots,$$

where  $n$  stands for  $\frac{a-b}{c}$ . Therefore the circular measure of  $A-B$

$$= 2n \sin B + n^2 \sin 2B \text{ nearly.}$$

$$(5) \quad \frac{b}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{\sin A} = \frac{e^{Bt} - e^{-Bt}}{e^{At} - e^{-At}} = \frac{e^{Bt}(1 - e^{-2Bt})}{e^{At}(1 - e^{-2At})}.$$

Take the logarithms: thus

$$\begin{aligned} \log b - \log a &= Bt \mp At + \log(1 - e^{-2Bt}) - \log(1 - e^{-2At}) \\ &= (B - A)t - \left\{ e^{-2Bt} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-4Bt} + \frac{1}{3}e^{-6Bt} + \dots \right\} \\ &\quad + e^{-2At} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-4At} + \frac{1}{3}e^{-6At} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } e^{-2Bt} = \cos 2B - t \sin 2B, \quad e^{-2At} = \cos 2A - t \sin 2A,$$

and so on. Then, as the real and imaginary parts of the expression must be separately equal, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \log b - \log a &= \cos 2A - \cos 2B + \frac{1}{2}(\cos 4A - \cos 4B) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{3}(\cos 6A - \cos 6B) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

(6) By Art. 294,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\pi}{4} &= 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{11} + \dots \\ &= \frac{2}{1 \cdot 3} + \frac{2}{5 \cdot 7} + \frac{2}{9 \cdot 11} + \dots; \end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$\frac{\pi}{8} = \frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 7} + \frac{1}{9 \cdot 11} + \dots$$

(7) Let

$$A + Bt = \log(m + nt);$$

therefore

$$e^{A+Bt} = m + nt;$$

therefore

$$m + nt = e^A e^{Bt} = e^A (\cos B + t \sin B);$$

therefore

$$m = e^A \cos B,$$

and

$$n = e^A \sin B.$$

By division

$$\frac{n}{m} = \tan B.$$

By squaring and adding

$$m^2 + n^2 = e^{2A};$$

therefore

$$2A = \log(m^2 + n^2).$$

(8.)

$$\begin{aligned}\cos(\theta + \phi i) &= \cos \theta \cos \phi i - \sin \theta \sin \phi i \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} - \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2i} \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} + i \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2};\end{aligned}$$

this is of the form  $\alpha + \beta i$  where

$$\alpha = \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2}, \quad \text{and} \quad \beta = \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2}.$$

(9.)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(\theta + \phi i) &= \sin \theta \cos \phi i + \cos \theta \sin \phi i \\ &= \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} + \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2i} \\ &= \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} - i \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2};\end{aligned}$$

this is of the form  $\alpha + \beta i$  where

$$\alpha = \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2}, \quad \text{and} \quad \beta = -\cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2}.$$

(10.)

$$\begin{aligned}\log u &= (p + qi) \log(a + bi) \\ &= (p + qi) \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} \left\{ \frac{a}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}} + \frac{bi}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}} \right\} \\ &= (p + qi) \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} \{ \cos \gamma + i \sin \gamma \},\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{a}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}}, \quad \text{and} \quad \sin \gamma = \frac{b}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}},$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= (p + qi) \log e^{\gamma i} \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} \\ &= (p + qi) \{ \log e^{\gamma i} + \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} \} \\ &= (p + qi) \{ \gamma i + \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} \} \\ &= p \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} - q\gamma + \{ p\gamma + q \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} \} i.\end{aligned}$$

This is of the form  $\alpha + \beta i$ , where

$$\alpha = p \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)} - q\gamma, \quad \text{and} \quad \beta = p\gamma + q \log \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)}.$$

11. By Example 10 we can express  $\log(a + bi)^{p+qi}$  in the form  $\alpha + \beta i$ ; therefore

$$(a + bi)^{p+qi} = e^{\alpha + \beta i} = e^{\alpha} e^{\beta i} = e^{\alpha} (\cos \beta + i \sin \beta);$$

and this is of the form  $\lambda + \mu i$ , where  $\lambda = e^{\alpha} \cos \beta$ , and  $\mu = e^{\alpha} \sin \beta$ .

$$\begin{aligned}12. \quad \{ \sin(a - \theta) + e^{\alpha i} \sin \theta \}^n &= \{ \sin(a - \theta) + (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha) \sin \theta \}^n \\ &= (\sin \alpha \cos \theta + i \sin \alpha \sin \theta)^n = \sin^n \alpha (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n \\ &= \sin^n \alpha (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta).\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Again} \quad \sin^{n-1} \alpha \{ \sin (a - n\theta) + e^{i\alpha} \sin n\theta \} \\
= \sin^{n-1} \alpha \{ \sin (a - n\theta) + (\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha) \sin n\theta \} \\
= \sin^{n-1} \alpha \{ \sin \alpha \cos n\theta + i \sin \alpha \sin n\theta \} \\
= \sin^n \alpha (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta) :
\end{aligned}$$

thus the two expressions agree.

In a similar way we may proceed when we take the lower sign in the expressions. ✓

## XXII.

$$\begin{aligned}
1. \quad \sin^2 \alpha &= \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 2\alpha), \\
\sin^2 (a + \beta) &= \frac{1}{2} \{ 1 - \cos 2(a + \beta) \}, \\
\sin^2 (a + 2\beta) &= \frac{1}{2} \{ 1 - \cos 2(a + 2\beta) \},
\end{aligned}$$

and so on.

Hence the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{n}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos 2\alpha + \cos 2(a + \beta) + \cos 2(a + 2\beta) + \dots \} \\
&= \frac{n}{2} - \frac{\cos \{ 2\alpha + (n-1)\beta \} \sin n\beta}{2 \sin \beta}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
2. \quad \sin^3 \alpha &= \frac{1}{4} (3 \sin \alpha - \sin 3\alpha), \\
\sin^3 (a + \beta) &= \frac{1}{4} \{ 3 \sin (a + \beta) - \sin 3(a + \beta) \}, \\
\sin^3 (a + 2\beta) &= \frac{1}{4} \{ 3 \sin (a + 2\beta) - \sin 3(a + 2\beta) \},
\end{aligned}$$

and so on.

Hence the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{3}{4} \{ \sin \alpha + \sin (a + \beta) + \sin (a + 2\beta) + \dots \} \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin 3\alpha + \sin 3(a + \beta) + \sin 3(a + 2\beta) + \dots \} \\
&= \frac{3}{4} \frac{\sin \left( \alpha + \frac{n-1}{2} \beta \right) \sin \frac{n\beta}{2}}{\sin \frac{1}{2} \beta} - \frac{1}{4} \frac{\sin \left( 3\alpha + \frac{n-1}{2} 3\beta \right) \sin \frac{3n\beta}{2}}{\sin \frac{3}{2} \beta}.
\end{aligned}$$



3. We have  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta)$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore} \quad \cos^4 \theta &= \frac{1}{4}(1 + \cos 2\theta)^2 = \frac{1}{4}(1 + 2 \cos 2\theta + \cos^2 2\theta) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left( 1 + 2 \cos 2\theta + \frac{1 + \cos 4\theta}{2} \right) = \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta. \end{aligned}$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{3n}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos 2a + \cos 2(a + \beta) + \cos 2(a + 2\beta) + \dots \} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{8} \{ \cos 4a + \cos 4(a + \beta) + \cos 4(a + 2\beta) + \dots \} \\ &= \frac{3n}{8} + \frac{\cos \{2a + (n-1)\beta\} \sin n\beta}{2 \sin \beta} + \frac{\cos \{4a + (n-1)2\beta\} \sin 2n\beta}{8 \sin 2\beta}. \end{aligned}$$

4.  $\sin \theta + \sin 3\theta + \sin 5\theta + \dots$  to  $n$  terms

$$= \frac{\sin \{ \theta + (n-1)\theta \} \sin n\theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\sin^2 n\theta}{\sin \theta};$$

$\cos \theta + \cos 3\theta + \cos 5\theta + \dots$  to  $n$  terms

$$= \frac{\cos \{ \theta + (n-1)\theta \} \sin n\theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\sin n\theta \cos n\theta}{\sin \theta}.$$

Divide the former result by the latter; thus we obtain  $\tan n\theta$ .

5.  $\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} \cos(A - B) + \frac{1}{2} \cos(A + B)$ .

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{n}{2} \cos a + \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos(2\theta + a) + \cos(2\theta + 3a) + \cos(2\theta + 5a) + \dots \} \\ &= \frac{n}{2} \cos a + \frac{\cos \{2\theta + a + (n-1)a\} \sin na}{2 \sin a} \\ &= \frac{n}{2} \cos a + \frac{\cos(2\theta + na) \sin na}{2 \sin a}. \end{aligned}$$

6. By Art. 307 we have

$\sin \theta - \sin 2\theta + \sin 3\theta - \dots$  to  $n$  terms

$$= \frac{\sin \left\{ \theta + \frac{(n-1)(\theta + \pi)}{2} \right\} \sin \frac{n(\theta + \pi)}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta + \pi}{2}}.$$

And  $\cos \theta - \cos 2\theta + \cos 3\theta - \dots$  to  $n$  terms

$$= \frac{\cos \left\{ \theta + \frac{(n-1)(\theta+\pi)}{2} \right\} \sin \frac{n(\theta+\pi)}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta+\pi}{2}}$$

Divide the former by the latter: the result

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\sin \left\{ \theta + \frac{(n-1)(\theta+\pi)}{2} \right\}}{\cos \left\{ \theta + \frac{(n-1)(\theta+\pi)}{2} \right\}} = \frac{\sin \left\{ \theta + \frac{(n-1)(\theta+\pi)}{2} + \pi \right\}}{\cos \left\{ \theta + \frac{(n-1)(\theta+\pi)}{2} + \pi \right\}} \\ & = \frac{\sin \frac{n+1}{2} (\theta+\pi)}{\cos \frac{n+1}{2} (\theta+\pi)} = \tan \frac{n+1}{2} (\theta+\pi). \end{aligned}$$

$$7. \quad \sin A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} \sin (A+B) + \frac{1}{2} \sin (A-B).$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned} & = \frac{n \sin p\theta}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin (p+2)\theta + \sin (p+4)\theta + \sin (p+6)\theta + \dots \} \\ & = \frac{n \sin p\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin (p+1+n)\theta \sin n\theta}{2 \sin \theta}. \end{aligned}$$

$$8. \quad \sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} \cos (A-B) - \frac{1}{2} \cos (A+B).$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned} & = \frac{n}{2} \cos \alpha - \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos 3\alpha + \cos 5\alpha + \cos 7\alpha + \dots \} \\ & = \frac{n}{2} \cos \alpha - \frac{\cos \{3\alpha + (n-1)\alpha\} \sin n\alpha}{2 \sin \alpha} = \frac{n}{2} \cos \alpha - \frac{\cos (n+2)\alpha \sin n\alpha}{2 \sin \alpha}. \end{aligned}$$

28/ 274 9. Suppose that in the preceding result we put for the sines of the angles their values from Art. 274; the proposed series becomes an expansion in powers of  $\alpha$ , and it is obvious that the coefficient of  $\alpha^2$  is

$$1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 4 \dots + n(n+1).$$

We must therefore find the coefficient of  $\alpha^2$  in the expansion of the expression found for the sum of the Trigonometrical Series, and equate it to the above.

Now  $\frac{n}{2} \cos \alpha = \frac{n}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} + \frac{\alpha^4}{24} - \dots \right)$ , so that the coefficient of  $\alpha^2$  in this term is  $-\frac{n}{4}$ ;

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \frac{\cos(n+2)\alpha \sin n\alpha}{2 \sin \alpha} &= \frac{\left\{ 1 - \frac{(n+2)^2}{2} \alpha^2 + \dots \right\} \left\{ n\alpha - \frac{n^3 \alpha^3}{6} + \dots \right\}}{2 \left( \alpha - \frac{\alpha^3}{6} + \dots \right)} \\ &= \frac{\left\{ 1 - \frac{(n+2)^2}{2} \alpha^2 + \dots \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{n^2 \alpha^2}{6} + \dots \right\}}{2 \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha^2}{6} + \dots \right)} \\ &= \frac{n}{2} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(n+2)^2}{2} \alpha^2 + \dots \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{n^2 \alpha^2}{6} + \dots \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{\alpha^2}{6} + \dots \right\}^{-1} \\ &= \frac{n}{2} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(n+2)^2}{2} \alpha^2 + \dots \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{n^2 \alpha^2}{6} + \dots \right\} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\alpha^2}{6} + \dots \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Multiply out and it will be found that the coefficient of  $\alpha^2$  is

$$\frac{n}{2} \left\{ -\frac{(n+2)^2}{2} - \frac{n^2}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \right\}.$$

Hence the required sum

$$\begin{aligned} &= -\frac{n}{4} - \frac{n}{2} \left\{ -\frac{(n+2)^2}{2} - \frac{n^2}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \right\} \\ &= -\frac{n}{4} + \frac{n(n+2)^2}{4} + \frac{n^3}{12} - \frac{n}{12} \\ &= \frac{n}{12} \{ 3(n+2)^2 + n^2 - 1 - 3 \} \\ &= \frac{n}{12} \{ 4n^2 + 12n + 8 \} = \frac{n}{3} (n^2 + 3n + 2) \\ &= \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

$$10. \quad \sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} \cos(A-B) - \frac{1}{2} \cos(A+B).$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; hence the sum of  $n$  terms

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} (\cos 2\theta - \cos 4\theta) + \frac{1}{2} (\cos 4\theta - \cos 8\theta) + \frac{1}{2} (\cos 8\theta - \cos 16\theta) + \dots \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\cos 2\theta - \cos 2^{n+1}\theta). \end{aligned}$$

11. Omitting the first term, we can find the sum of the rest of the series by Art. 311; we must put  $\cos \theta$  for  $c$ , and put  $\alpha = \beta = \theta$ . Hence the sum of the whole series

$$= \cos \theta + e^{\cos^2 \theta} \cos (\theta + \sin \theta \cos \theta) - \cos \theta = e^{\cos^2 \theta} \cos (\theta + \sin \theta \cos \theta).$$

12. In the first series of Art. 311 put  $-1$  for  $c$ , and  $0$  for  $\alpha$ , and  $\theta$  for  $\beta$ , and change the sign. Thus we obtain for the required sum

$$-e^{-\cos \theta} \sin (-\sin \theta), \text{ that is } e^{-\cos \theta} \sin (\sin \theta).$$

13. For  $\cos 2\theta, \cos 4\theta, \dots$  put the exponential values; thus denoting  $e^\theta$  by  $z$ , the proposed series becomes

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 2 - \frac{1}{2} (z^2 + z^{-2}) + \frac{1}{4} (z^4 + z^{-4}) - \dots \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos z + \cos z^{-1} \} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) + \cos (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta) \} \\ &= \cos (\cos \theta) \cos (i \sin \theta) = \frac{1}{2} \cos (\cos \theta) (e^{-\sin \theta} + e^{\sin \theta}). \end{aligned}$$

14. The proposed series

$$\begin{aligned} &= \cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta + \cos^3 \theta + \cos^4 \theta + \dots \\ &+ \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos^2 \theta + \frac{1}{3} \cos^3 \theta + \frac{1}{4} \cos^4 \theta + \dots \\ &= \frac{\cos \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} - \log (1 - \cos \theta). \end{aligned}$$

15. In the first series of Art. 311 put  $0$  for  $\alpha$ , and  $\cos \theta$  for  $c$ , and  $\theta$  for  $\beta$ . Thus the sum  $= e^{\cos^2 \theta} \sin (\sin \theta \cos \theta)$ .

16. In the second series of Art. 311 put  $\theta$  for  $\alpha$ , and  $\theta$  for  $\beta$ , and  $\sin \theta$  for  $c$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \sin \theta \cos 2\theta + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{2} \cos 3\theta + \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{3} \cos 4\theta + \dots \\ &= e^{\sin \theta \cos \theta} \cos (\theta + \sin^2 \theta) - \cos \theta. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $\cos \theta + \sin \theta \cos 2\theta + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{2} \cos 3\theta + \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{3} \cos 4\theta + \dots$   
 $= e^{\sin \theta \cos \theta} \cos (\theta + \sin^2 \theta).$

17. Put the exponential values for  $\cos \theta$ ,  $\cos 2\theta$ ,  $\cos 3\theta$ , ... Thus denoting  $e^{i\theta}$  by  $z$ , the proposed series becomes

$$\frac{1}{2} \left\{ z - \frac{1}{2} z^2 + \frac{1}{3} z^3 - \frac{1}{4} z^4 + \dots \right\} + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ z^{-1} - \frac{1}{2} z^{-2} + \frac{1}{3} z^{-3} - \frac{1}{4} z^{-4} + \dots \right\};$$

that is  $\frac{1}{2} \log(1+z) + \frac{1}{2} \log(1+z^{-1})$ , that is  $\frac{1}{2} \log(1+z)(1+z^{-1})$ ,

that is  $\frac{1}{2} \log(2+z+z^{-1})$ , that is  $\frac{1}{2} \log(2+2\cos\theta)$ ,

that is  $\frac{1}{2} \log\left(4\cos^2\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$ , that is  $\log\left(2\cos\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$ .

18. Proceed as in the solution of Example 17. Thus the proposed series becomes

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \left\{ z^2 + \frac{1}{3} z^6 + \frac{1}{5} z^{10} + \dots \right\} + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ z^{-2} + \frac{1}{3} z^{-6} + \frac{1}{5} z^{-10} + \dots \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{1+z^2}{1-z^2} + \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{1+z^{-2}}{1-z^{-2}} = \frac{1}{4} \log \left( \frac{1+z^2}{1-z^2} \times \frac{1+z^{-2}}{1-z^{-2}} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{2+z^2+z^{-2}}{2-z^2-z^{-2}} = \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{2+2\cos 2\theta}{2-2\cos 2\theta} = \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{1+\cos 2\theta}{1-\cos 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \log \cot^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} \log \cot \theta. \end{aligned}$$

19. Put the exponential values for  $\sin \theta$ ,  $\sin 2\theta$ ,  $\sin 3\theta$ , ... Thus, denoting  $e^{i\theta}$  by  $z$ , the proposed series becomes

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2i} \left\{ xz - \frac{1}{2} x^2 z^2 + \frac{1}{3} x^3 z^3 - \frac{1}{4} x^4 z^4 + \dots \right\} \\ & - \frac{1}{2i} \left\{ xz^{-1} - \frac{1}{2} x^2 z^{-2} + \frac{1}{3} x^3 z^{-3} - \frac{1}{4} x^4 z^{-4} + \dots \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

This  $= \frac{1}{2i} \log(1+xz) - \frac{1}{2i} \log(1+xz^{-1})$

$$= \frac{1}{2i} \log \frac{1+xz}{1+xz^{-1}} = \frac{1}{2i} \log \frac{1+x(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)}{1+x(\cos\theta - i\sin\theta)}.$$

Assume  $\tan \phi = \frac{x \sin \theta}{1+x \cos \theta}$ ; thus the sum of the proposed series

$$= \frac{1}{2i} \log \frac{1+i \tan \phi}{1-i \tan \phi} = \frac{1}{2i} \log \frac{\cos \phi + i \sin \phi}{\cos \phi - i \sin \phi}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2i} \log \frac{e^{i\phi}}{e^{-i\phi}} = \frac{1}{2i} \log e^{2i\phi} = \phi = \cot^{-1} \frac{1+x \cos \theta}{x \sin \theta} \\
 &= \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{\operatorname{cosec} \theta}{x} + \cot \theta \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

20. By Art. 129 the limit of  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{4} \cos \frac{\theta}{8} \dots$  is  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}$ ;

therefore the limit of  $\cos \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{4} \cos \frac{\theta}{8} \dots$  is  $\frac{\cos \theta \sin \theta}{\theta}$ , that is  $\frac{\sin 2\theta}{2\theta}$ .

Then take the logarithms of both sides.

$$\begin{aligned}
 21. \quad \sin \theta \left( \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right)^2 &= \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta, \\
 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \left( \sin \frac{\theta}{4} \right)^2 &= \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \left( 1 - \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = \sin \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta, \\
 4 \sin \frac{\theta}{4} \left( \sin \frac{\theta}{8} \right)^2 &= 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{4} \left( 1 - \cos \frac{\theta}{4} \right) = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{4} - \sin \frac{\theta}{2}, \\
 8 \sin \frac{\theta}{8} \left( \sin \frac{\theta}{16} \right)^2 &= 4 \sin \frac{\theta}{8} \left( 1 - \cos \frac{\theta}{8} \right) = 4 \sin \frac{\theta}{8} - 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{4}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$2^{n-2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2^{n-1}} - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 22. \quad \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \sec \theta &= \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \left( \theta - \frac{\theta}{2} \right)}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \theta \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \theta} \\
 &= \tan \theta - \tan \frac{\theta}{2};
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$\tan \frac{\theta}{4} \sec \frac{\theta}{2} = \tan \frac{\theta}{2} - \tan \frac{\theta}{4},$$

$$\tan \frac{\theta}{8} \sec \frac{\theta}{4} = \tan \frac{\theta}{4} - \tan \frac{\theta}{8},$$

and so on.

Then adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\tan \theta - \tan \frac{\theta}{2^n}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 23. \quad \cot \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta &= \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - 1}{\sin^2 \theta} \\
 &= \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{4 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta};
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$2 \cot 2\theta \operatorname{cosec} 2\theta = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} - \frac{2}{\sin^2 2\theta},$$

$$4 \cot 4\theta \operatorname{cosec} 4\theta = \frac{2}{\sin^2 2\theta} - \frac{4}{\sin^2 4\theta}.$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\frac{1}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} - \frac{2^{n-1}}{\sin^2 2^{n-1} \theta}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 24. \quad \frac{1}{\sin \theta \sin 2\theta} &= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{\sin(2\theta - \theta)}{\sin \theta \sin 2\theta} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{\sin 2\theta \cos \theta - \cos 2\theta \sin \theta}{\sin \theta \sin 2\theta} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} (\cot \theta - \cot 2\theta).
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{\sin 2\theta \sin 3\theta} &= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\sin(3\theta - 2\theta)}{\sin 2\theta \sin 3\theta} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} (\cot 2\theta - \cot 3\theta);
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin 3\theta \sin 4\theta} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} (\cot 3\theta - \cot 4\theta).$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\frac{1}{\sin \theta} \{\cot \theta - \cot(n+1)\theta\}.$$

25. Let  $\phi = \theta + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ; thus the proposed series becomes

$$\frac{1}{\cos \phi \cos 2\phi} + \frac{1}{\cos 2\phi \cos 3\phi} + \frac{1}{\cos 3\phi \cos 4\phi} + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \frac{1}{\cos \phi \cos 2\phi} &= \frac{1}{\sin \phi} \frac{\sin (2\phi - \phi)}{\cos \phi \cos 2\phi} = \frac{1}{\sin \phi} (\tan 2\phi - \tan \phi), \\ \frac{1}{\cos 2\phi \cos 3\phi} &= \frac{1}{\sin \phi} \frac{\sin (3\phi - 2\phi)}{\cos 2\phi \cos 3\phi} = \frac{1}{\sin \phi} (\tan 3\phi - \tan 2\phi), \\ \frac{1}{\cos 3\phi \cos 4\phi} &= \frac{1}{\sin \phi} \frac{\sin (4\phi - 3\phi)}{\cos 3\phi \cos 4\phi} = \frac{1}{\sin \phi} (\tan 4\phi - \tan 3\phi). \end{aligned}$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\frac{1}{\sin \phi} \{ \tan (n+1) \phi - \tan \phi \}.$$

$$26. \quad \text{Tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{1+m+m^2} = \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{m} - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{1+m};$$

this is obvious, for by taking the tangent of  $\text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{m} - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{1+m}$  we obtain

$$\frac{\frac{1}{m} - \frac{1}{m+1}}{1 + \frac{1}{m(m+1)}}, \text{ that is } \frac{1}{m^2+m+1}.$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus we obtain

$$\text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{1} - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} + \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{3} - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{4} + \dots,$$

$$\text{that is } \text{tan}^{-1} 1 - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{n+1}, \text{ that is } \frac{\pi}{4} - \text{tan}^{-1} \frac{1}{n+1}.$$

$$27. \quad \text{Tan}^{-1} \frac{x}{1+m(m+1)x^2} = \text{tan}^{-1} (m+1)x - \text{tan}^{-1} mx;$$

this is obvious, for by taking the tangent of  $\text{tan}^{-1} (m+1)x - \text{tan}^{-1} mx$ , we obtain  $\frac{(m+1)x - mx}{1+m(m+1)x^2}$ , that is  $\frac{x}{1+m(m+1)x^2}$ .

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series after the first; thus we obtain

$$\text{tan}^{-1} x + \text{tan}^{-1} 2x - \text{tan}^{-1} x + \text{tan}^{-1} 3x - \text{tan}^{-1} 2x + \dots,$$

that is  $\text{tan}^{-1} nx$ .



$$28. \quad \sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} \cos (A - B) - \frac{1}{2} \cos (A + B).$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus we obtain

$$\frac{1}{2} (\cos 2a - \cos 4a) + \frac{1}{2} (\cos a - \cos 2a) + \frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \frac{a}{2} - \cos a \right) + \dots,$$

that is 
$$\frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \frac{a}{2^{n-2}} - \cos 4a \right).$$

$$29. \quad \frac{1}{\cos \theta + \cos 3\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \cos \theta \cos 2\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} \cdot \frac{\sin (2\theta - \theta)}{\cos \theta \cos 2\theta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} (\tan 2\theta - \tan \theta),$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos \theta + \cos 5\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \cos 2\theta \cos 3\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} \cdot \frac{\sin (3\theta - 2\theta)}{\cos 2\theta \cos 3\theta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} (\tan 3\theta - \tan 2\theta),$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos \theta + \cos 7\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \cos 3\theta \cos 4\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} \cdot \frac{\sin (4\theta - 3\theta)}{\cos 3\theta \cos 4\theta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} (\tan 4\theta - \tan 3\theta).$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\frac{1}{2 \sin \theta} \{ \tan (n+1) \theta - \tan \theta \}.$$

$$30. \quad \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos 2\theta + \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos \frac{3\theta}{2}} - \frac{1}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}} \right\};$$

$$\frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos 4\theta + \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2 \cos \frac{3\theta}{2} \cos \frac{5\theta}{2}} = \frac{1}{4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos \frac{5\theta}{2}} - \frac{1}{\cos \frac{3\theta}{2}} \right\};$$

$$\frac{\sin 3\theta}{\cos 6\theta + \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin 3\theta}{2 \cos \frac{5\theta}{2} \cos \frac{7\theta}{2}} = \frac{1}{4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos \frac{7\theta}{2}} - \frac{1}{\cos \frac{5\theta}{2}} \right\}.$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right hand except two, namely

$$\frac{1}{4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos \frac{(2n+1)\theta}{2}} - \frac{1}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}} \right\}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 31. \quad \frac{\sin \theta}{1+2 \cos \theta} &= \frac{\sin \theta}{1+2 \left(1-2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}\right)} = \frac{\sin \theta}{3-4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2} \left(3-4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}\right)} = \frac{\sin \theta \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - 2 \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} (1+2 \cos \theta) + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - 2 \cos \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - 2 \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2} - 2 \cos \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - 2 \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} - \frac{3 \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}}{4 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{3}{4} \cot \frac{3\theta}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{3 \sin 3\theta}{1+2 \cos 3\theta} = \frac{3}{4} \cot \frac{3\theta}{2} - \frac{9}{4} \cot \frac{9\theta}{2},$$

$$\frac{3^2 \sin 3^2\theta}{1+2 \cos 3^2\theta} = \frac{9}{4} \cot \frac{9\theta}{2} - \frac{27}{4} \cot \frac{27\theta}{2}.$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right hand except two, namely

$$\frac{1}{4} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{3^n}{4} \cot \frac{3^n \theta}{2}.$$

$$32. \cot^{-1} \left\{ 2a^{-1} + \frac{m(m+1)}{2} a \right\} = \cot^{-1} \frac{m}{2} a - \cot^{-1} \frac{m+1}{2} a.$$

For if we take the cotangent of  $\cot^{-1} \frac{m}{2} a - \cot^{-1} \frac{m+1}{2} a$ ,

we obtain

$$\frac{\frac{m}{2} a \cdot \frac{m+1}{2} a + 1}{\frac{m+1}{2} a - \frac{m}{2} a},$$

that is

$$\frac{m(m+1)}{2} a + 2a^{-1}.$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; thus we obtain

$$\cot^{-1} \frac{a}{2} - \cot^{-1} \frac{2a}{2} + \cot^{-1} \frac{2a}{2} - \cot^{-1} \frac{3a}{2} + \cot^{-1} \frac{3a}{2} - \cot^{-1} \frac{4a}{2} + \dots;$$

that is

$$\cot^{-1} \frac{a}{2} - \cot^{-1} \frac{n+1}{2} a.$$

$$33. \frac{1}{2} \sec \theta = \frac{1}{2 \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \frac{\sin (2\theta - \theta)}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$= \cos \theta - \cot 2\theta \sin \theta = \sin \theta (\cot \theta - \cot 2\theta);$$

$$\frac{1}{2^2} \sec \theta \sec 2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \sec \theta \sin 2\theta (\cot 2\theta - \cot 4\theta)$$

$$= \sin \theta (\cot 2\theta - \cot 4\theta);$$

$$\frac{1}{2^3} \sec \theta \sec 2\theta \sec 4\theta = \frac{1}{2} \sec \theta \sin 2\theta (\cot 4\theta - \cot 8\theta)$$

$$= \sin \theta (\cot 4\theta - \cot 8\theta).$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\sin \theta (\cot \theta - \cot 2^n \theta).$$

$$34. \tan 2\theta = \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} = \frac{\sin^2 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta \cos 2\theta} = \frac{2 \sin^2 2\theta}{\sin 4\theta} = \frac{4 \sin^2 2\theta}{2 \sin 4\theta};$$

therefore

$$\frac{1}{2} \log \tan 2\theta = \log 2 \sin 2\theta - \frac{1}{2} \log 2 \sin 4\theta,$$

$$\frac{1}{2^2} \log \tan 2^2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \log 2 \sin 4\theta - \frac{1}{2^2} \log 2 \sin 8\theta,$$

$$\frac{1}{2^3} \log \tan 2^3\theta = \frac{1}{2^2} \log 2 \sin 8\theta - \frac{1}{2^3} \log 2 \sin 16\theta.$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\log 2 \sin 2\theta - \frac{1}{2^n} \log 2 \sin 2^{n+1} \theta.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35. \quad \cos \frac{\theta}{2} &= \frac{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{2} \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{4} - \cos \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{2} \left\{ \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{4}}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{4} \cos \frac{\theta}{4}} - \cot \frac{\theta}{2} \right\} = \frac{\sin \theta}{2} \left\{ \cot \frac{\theta}{4} - \cot \frac{\theta}{2} \right\}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2^2} &= 2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{2} \left\{ \cot \frac{\theta}{8} - \cot \frac{\theta}{4} \right\} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{2} \left\{ \cot \frac{\theta}{8} - \cot \frac{\theta}{4} \right\}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2^2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2^2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2^3} &= 2 \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \cdot \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{2} \left\{ \cot \frac{\theta}{16} - \cot \frac{\theta}{8} \right\} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{2} \left\{ \cot \frac{\theta}{16} - \cot \frac{\theta}{8} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Proceeding in this way, and adding the terms, we see that all cancel on the right-hand side except two, namely

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{2} \left\{ \cot \frac{\theta}{2^{n+1}} - \cot \frac{\theta}{2} \right\}.$$

36. Let  $R$  denote the radius of the circle,  $n$  the number of sides of the polygon. Put  $\beta$  for  $\frac{\pi}{n}$ . Let  $2\alpha$  denote the angular distance of a fixed point in the circumference from one of the angular points; then the angular distances from the other angular points in succession will be

$$2\alpha + 2\beta, \quad 2\alpha + 4\beta, \quad 2\alpha + 6\beta, \quad \dots \quad 2\alpha + 2(n-1)\beta.$$

The lengths of the successive chords will be

$$2R \sin \alpha, \quad 2R \sin (\alpha + \beta), \quad 2R \sin (\alpha + 2\beta), \quad \dots \quad 2R \sin \{\alpha + (n-1)\beta\}.$$

To find the sum of the squares of the chords, we have

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 2\theta);$$

and applying this transformation to every term of the proposed series, we obtain

$$2nR^2 - 2R^2 \{ \cos 2\alpha + \cos (2\alpha + 2\beta) + \cos (2\alpha + 4\beta) + \dots \}.$$

The sum of the series of cosines is zero, as in Art. 304; and thus the result is  $2nR^2$ .

Next, to find the sum of the fourth powers of the chords. We have

$$\sin^4 \theta = \frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta;$$

and applying this transformation to every term of the proposed series, we obtain

$$6nR^4 - 8R^4 \{ \cos 2\alpha + \cos (2\alpha + 2\beta) + \cos (2\alpha + 4\beta) + \dots \} \\ + 2R^4 \{ \cos 4\alpha + \cos (4\alpha + 4\beta) + \cos (4\alpha + 8\beta) + \dots \},$$

that is  $6nR^4$ .

37. Let  $A$  be the common vertex; let  $B, C, \dots$  be the successive angular points. Put  $\beta$  for  $\frac{\pi}{n}$ .

Let  $PQ$  be one of the sides of the polygon, such that the arc  $ABP$  contains  $m$  of the sides; then the angle  $AQP = m\beta$ , the angle  $PAQ = \beta$ , and the angle  $APQ = \pi - (m+1)\beta$ .

Let  $PQ = c$ , and let  $r_m$  denote the radius of the circle inscribed in  $APQ$ . Then

$$r_m \left\{ \cot \frac{1}{2} APQ + \cot \frac{1}{2} AQP \right\} = c,$$

therefore

$$r_m \left\{ \cot \frac{\pi - (m+1)\beta}{2} + \cot \frac{m\beta}{2} \right\} = c,$$

therefore

$$r_m \left\{ \tan \frac{m+1}{2} \beta + \cot \frac{m\beta}{2} \right\} = c,$$

therefore

$$r_m \cos \frac{\beta}{2} = c \cos \frac{m+1}{2} \beta \sin \frac{m\beta}{2} \\ = \frac{c}{2} \left\{ \sin \frac{2m+1}{2} \beta - \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}.$$

Now there are  $n-2$  circles in all which can be drawn; so that we have to sum up the values of

$$\frac{c}{2} \sec \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ \sin \frac{2m+1}{2} \beta - \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}$$

for values of  $m$  from 1 to  $n-2$  inclusive. The sum then is

$$\frac{c}{2} \sec \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ \frac{\sin \left\{ \frac{3\beta}{2} + (n-3) \frac{\beta}{2} \right\} \sin \frac{n-2}{2} \beta}{\sin \frac{\beta}{2}} - (n-2) \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \right\},$$

that is 
$$\frac{c}{2} \sec \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ \frac{\cos \beta}{\sin \frac{\beta}{2}} - (n-2) \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \right\},$$

that is 
$$\frac{c}{2} \sec \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{\sin \frac{\beta}{2}} - n \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}.$$

But  $c = 2r \sin \beta$ ; thus we get

$$\frac{r \sin \beta}{\cos \frac{\beta}{2} \sin \frac{\beta}{2}} - \frac{rn \sin \beta \sin \frac{\beta}{2}}{\cos \frac{\beta}{2}}, \quad \text{that is } 2r - 2rn \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2},$$

that is 
$$2r \left( 1 - n \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n} \right).$$

38. Use the notation of the preceding solution. The area of the  $m^{\text{th}}$  circle

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\pi c^2}{4} \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ \sin \frac{2m+1}{2} \beta - \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}^2 \\ &= \frac{\pi c^2}{4} \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{2m+1}{2} \beta - 2 \sin \frac{2m+1}{2} \beta \sin \frac{\beta}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \right\} \\ &= \frac{\pi c^2}{8} \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ 1 - \cos (2m+1) \beta - 4 \sin \frac{2m+1}{2} \beta \sin \frac{\beta}{2} + 2 \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Then as before we have to sum this expression for the values of  $m$  from 1 to  $n-2$  inclusive. Thus we obtain

$$\frac{\pi c^2}{8} \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ (n-2) \left( 1 + 2 \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \right) - \frac{\cos \{3\beta + (n-3)\beta\} \sin (n-2)\beta}{\sin \beta} - 4 \sin \frac{\beta}{2} \frac{\sin \left\{ \frac{3\beta}{2} + \frac{n-3}{2} \beta \right\} \sin \frac{n-2}{2} \beta}{\sin \frac{\beta}{2}} \right\};$$

and this 
$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\pi c^2}{8} \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ (n-2) \left( 1 + 2 \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \right) - 2 \cos \beta \right\} \\ &= \frac{\pi c^2}{8} \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \left\{ n - 4 + 2n \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

But  $c = 2r \sin \beta$ ; therefore  $c^2 \sec^2 \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{4r^2 \sin^2 \beta}{\cos^2 \frac{\beta}{2}} = 16r^2 \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2}$ ;

so that the result 
$$= 16\pi r^2 \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n} \left\{ \frac{n}{4} \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n} + \frac{n-4}{8} \right\}.$$

39. Let  $S_n$  denote the sum of the series; so that

$$S_n = n \sin \theta + (n-1) \sin 2\theta + (n-2) \sin 3\theta + \dots + \sin n\theta.$$

In like manner let  $S_{n-1}$  denote the sum of the series formed by changing  $n$  into  $n-1$ , so that

$$S_{n-1} = (n-1) \sin \theta + (n-2) \sin 2\theta + \dots + \sin (n-1)\theta;$$

therefore  $S_n - S_{n-1} = \sin \theta + \sin 2\theta + \sin 3\theta + \dots + \sin n\theta$

$$= \frac{\sin \frac{n+1}{2} \theta \sin \frac{n\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{2n+1}{2} \theta \right\}.$$

Similarly we have

$$S_{n-1} - S_{n-2} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{2n-1}{2} \theta \right\};$$

$$S_{n-2} - S_{n-3} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{2n-3}{2} \theta \right\};$$

$$\dots \dots \dots$$

$$S_2 - S_1 = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{5\theta}{2} \right\};$$

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{3\theta}{2} \right\}.$$

Hence by addition from this series of equations we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} S_n &= \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ n \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{3\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{5\theta}{2} \dots - \cos \frac{2n+1}{2} \theta \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \left\{ n \cos \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\cos \left\{ \frac{3\theta}{2} + (n-1) \frac{\theta}{2} \right\} \sin \frac{n\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \right\} \\ &= \frac{n}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\cos \frac{(n+2)\theta}{2} \sin \frac{n\theta}{2}}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{n}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin (n+1)\theta - \sin \theta}{4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{n+1}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin (n+1)\theta}{4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

40. Let  $S_n$  denote the required sum, and  $S_{n-1}$  the sum of the series when  $n$  is changed to  $n-1$ . Thus

$$S_n = (n+1)n \sin \theta + n(n-1) \sin 2\theta + \dots + 2.1 \sin n\theta,$$

$$S_{n-1} = n(n-1) \sin \theta + (n-1)(n-2) \sin 2\theta + \dots + 2.1 \sin (n-1)\theta;$$

therefore  $S_n - S_{n-1} = 2 \{n \sin \theta + (n-1) \sin 2\theta + \dots + \sin n\theta\}$ ;

that is, by Example 39,

$$S_n - S_{n-1} = (n+1) \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin (n+1)\theta}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}.$$

Similarly  $S_{n-1} - S_{n-2} = n \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin n\theta}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}};$

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$$S_2 - S_1 = 3 \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin 3\theta}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}};$$

$$S_1 = 2 \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}.$$

Hence by addition from this series of equations we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} S_n &= \frac{n(n+3)}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{1}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \{\sin 2\theta + \sin 3\theta + \dots + \sin (n+1)\theta\} \\ &= \frac{n(n+3)}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin \left\{ 2\theta + (n-1)\frac{\theta}{2} \right\} \sin \frac{n\theta}{2}}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \\ &= \frac{n(n+3)}{2} \cot \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\cos \frac{3\theta}{2} - \cos \frac{2n+3}{2}\theta}{4 \sin^3 \frac{\theta}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$



## XXIII.

1. By Art. ~~271~~ we have

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3} + \frac{\theta^4}{5} - \frac{\theta^6}{7} + \dots;$$

and by Art. 320 we have:

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2^2\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2}\right) \dots$$

Take the logarithms of the equivalent expressions; thus

$$\begin{aligned} \log \left\{ 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3} + \frac{\theta^4}{5} - \frac{\theta^6}{7} + \dots \right\} \\ = \log \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2} \right) + \log \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2^2\pi^2} \right) + \log \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2} \right) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Expand the logarithms; then both sides become series arranged according to powers of  $\theta$ ; and by equating the coefficients of  $\theta^2$  we obtain

$$-\frac{\theta^2}{3} = -\theta^2 \left( \frac{1}{\pi^2} + \frac{1}{2^2\pi^2} + \frac{1}{3^2\pi^2} + \dots \right);$$

therefore

$$\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots = \frac{\pi^2}{6}.$$

2. Equate the coefficients of  $\theta^4$  in the two equivalent series of the preceding solution; thus since

$$\log \left\{ 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3} + \frac{\theta^4}{5} \dots \right\} = - \left\{ \frac{\theta^2}{3} - \frac{\theta^4}{5} + \dots \right\} - \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{\theta^2}{3} - \frac{\theta^4}{5} + \dots \right\}^2 - \dots$$

we have

$$\frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^2 = - \frac{1}{2\pi^4} \left( \frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots \right);$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots &= 2\pi^4 \left( \frac{1}{72} - \frac{1}{120} \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi^4}{12} \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) = \frac{\pi^4}{90}. \end{aligned}$$

3. Let

$$S = \frac{1}{1^n} + \frac{1}{2^n} + \frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{1}{4^n} + \dots;$$

and let

$$\Sigma = \frac{1}{1^n} + \frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{1}{5^n} + \frac{1}{7^n} + \dots$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 S &= \frac{1}{1^n} + \frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{1}{5^n} + \frac{1}{7^n} + \dots \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{2^n} + \frac{1}{4^n} + \frac{1}{6^n} + \frac{1}{8^n} + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{1^n} + \frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{1}{5^n} + \frac{1}{7^n} + \dots \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{2^n} \left\{ \frac{1}{1^n} + \frac{1}{2^n} + \frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{1}{4^n} + \dots \right\} \\
 &= \Sigma + \frac{1}{2^n} S.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\Sigma = \frac{2^n - 1}{2^n} S.$$

Hence  $\Sigma$  can be found when  $S$  is known.

If  $n=2$  we have  $S = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$  by Example 1; and then  $\Sigma = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{\pi^2}{6} = \frac{\pi^2}{8}$ .

4. In the preceding solution suppose  $n=4$ ; then we have  $S = \frac{\pi^4}{90}$  by Example 2, and therefore  $\Sigma = \frac{15}{16} \cdot \frac{\pi^4}{90} = \frac{\pi^4}{96}$ .

11. 5. By Art. 518 we have

$$\sin n\phi = 2^{n-1} \sin \phi \cdot \sin (2\beta + \phi) \cdot \sin (4\beta + \phi) \dots \sin (2n\beta - 2\beta + \phi)$$

where  $\beta = \frac{\pi}{2n}$ .

Let  $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}\beta$ , and let  $\phi = \alpha$ ; then  $\sin n\phi = \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ ; thus

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 2^{n-1} \sin \alpha \sin 3\alpha \sin 5\alpha \dots \sin (4n-3)\alpha;$$

therefore  $\sin \alpha \sin 3\alpha \sin 5\alpha \dots \sin (4n-3)\alpha = 2^{-n+\frac{1}{2}}$ .

6. Let  $r$  be the radius of the circle. The polygon can be resolved into  $n$  triangles; and thus the area of the polygon

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{r^2}{2} \{ \sin \alpha + \sin 2\alpha + \sin 3\alpha + \dots + \sin n\alpha \} \\
 &= \frac{r^2}{2} \cdot \frac{\sin \frac{n+1}{2} \alpha \sin \frac{n\alpha}{2}}{\sin \frac{\alpha}{2}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

But  $a + 2a + 3a + \dots + na = 2\pi$ ;  
 that is  $\frac{n(n+1)a}{2} = 2\pi$ ,  
 so that  $\frac{n+1}{2} a = \frac{2\pi}{n}$ .

Now the area of the regular polygon of  $n$  sides  
 $= \frac{nr^2}{2} \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} = \frac{nr^2}{2} \sin \frac{n+1}{2} a$ .

Hence the ratio of the former area to the latter  $= \frac{\sin \frac{n\alpha}{2}}{n \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}}$ .

7. Let  $A, B, C, \dots$  be the angles of the polygon. From  $A$  draw straight lines to the other angles. Let  $AP$  be the  $m^{\text{th}}$  straight line, so that  $AP$  subtends at the centre of the circle the angle  $m \frac{2\pi}{n}$ . Then  $AP = 2a \sin m\beta$  where  $\beta = \frac{\pi}{n}$ .

Thus the product of all the straight lines

$$= (2a)^{n-1} \sin \beta \sin 2\beta \sin 3\beta \dots \sin (n-1)\beta$$

$$= n a^{n-1};$$

for by Art. 318 we have

$$n = 2^{n-1} \sin \beta \sin 2\beta \sin 3\beta \dots \sin (n-1)\beta.$$

8. Let  $A, B, C, \dots$  be the points of contact of the circle with the circumscribed polygon taken in order. Let  $O$  be the fixed point, and suppose the arc  $OA$  to subtend an angle  $2\phi$  at the centre of the circle. Then the angle between  $OA$  and the tangent at  $A$  is  $\phi$ ; and the length of the perpendicular from  $O$  on this tangent is  $OA \sin \phi$ , that is  $2a \sin^2 \phi$ . Thus we have

$$p_1 = 2a \sin^2 \phi.$$

Let  $\beta = \frac{\pi}{2n}$ , then we obtain in a similar way

$$p_2 = 2a \sin^2 (\phi + \beta),$$

$$p_3 = 2a \sin^2 (\phi + 2\beta),$$

$$p_4 = 2a \sin^2 (\phi + 3\beta),$$

and so on.

Thus  $p_1 p_3 p_5 \dots p_{2n-1} = (2a)^n \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 (\phi + 2\beta) \dots \sin^2 \{\phi + (2n-2)\beta\}$

$$= (2a)^n \left\{ \frac{\sin n\phi}{2^{n-1}} \right\}^2, \text{ by Art. 318,}$$

$$= \frac{a^n}{2^{n-2}} \sin^2 n\phi.$$

In the same way we have

$$\begin{aligned} p_2 p_4 \dots p_{2n} &= (2a)^n \sin^2(\phi + \beta) \sin^2(\phi + 3\beta) \dots \sin^2\{\phi + (2n-1)\beta\} \\ &= \frac{a^n}{2^{n-2}} \cos^2 n\phi. \end{aligned}$$

Hence by addition we obtain

$$\frac{a^n}{2^{n-2}} (\sin^2 n\phi + \cos^2 n\phi), \quad \text{that is } \frac{a^n}{2^{n-2}}.$$

9. Let  $A, B, C, D, \dots$  be the angular points of the inscribed polygon. Let  $O$  be the fixed point from which the perpendiculars are drawn. Let the arc  $OA$  subtend an angle  $2\alpha$  at the centre of the circle, let the arc  $OB$  subtend an angle  $2\beta$ , the arc  $OC$  an angle  $2\gamma$ , and so on.

Let  $p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots$  denote the perpendiculars from  $O$  on the sides of the circumscribed polygon which touch the circle at  $A, B, C, \dots$  respectively. Then

$$p_1 = OA \sin \alpha, \quad p_2 = OB \sin \beta, \quad p_3 = OC \sin \gamma, \dots$$

Again, let  $q_1, q_2, q_3, \dots$  denote the perpendiculars from  $O$  on the sides of the inscribed polygon  $AB, BC, CD, \dots$  respectively. Then

$$q_1 = OA \sin OAB = OA \sin(\pi - \beta) = OA \sin \beta;$$

similarly

$$q_2 = OB \sin \gamma, \quad q_3 = OC \sin \delta, \dots$$

Thus  $p_1 p_2 p_3 \dots$  and  $q_1 q_2 q_3 \dots$  are equal, for each is equal to the product of the same series of lengths into the same series of sines.

342 10. By Art. 318 we have

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 5A &= 16 \sin(A + 18^\circ) \sin(A + 54^\circ) \sin(A + 90^\circ) \sin(A + 126^\circ) \sin(A + 162^\circ) \\ &= 16 \cos(72^\circ - A) \cos(36^\circ - A) \cos A \cos(A + 36^\circ) \cos(A + 72^\circ); \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \cos(36^\circ - A) = -\cos(144^\circ + A), \quad \cos(A + 36^\circ) = -\cos(144^\circ - A),$$

therefore

$$\cos 5A = 16 \cos(72^\circ - A) \cos(72^\circ + A) \cos A \cos(144^\circ - A) \cos(144^\circ + A).$$

11. Put  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  for  $\theta$  in the expression for  $\sin \theta$  in Art. 320; thus

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6} \left(1 - \frac{1}{6^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2 6^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2 6^2}\right) \dots;$$

therefore

$$3 = \pi \frac{35}{36} \cdot \frac{143}{144} \cdot \frac{323}{324} \cdot \frac{575}{576} \dots;$$

therefore

$$\pi = 3 \cdot \frac{36}{35} \cdot \frac{144}{143} \cdot \frac{324}{323} \cdot \frac{576}{575} \dots$$

12. In the general result of Art. 321 put  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $\theta$ , thus

$$e^{\pi} + e^{-\pi} = 2 \left( 1 + \frac{4z^2}{\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{4z^2}{3^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{4z^2}{5^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{4z^2}{7^2\pi^2} \right) \dots$$

13. It is shewn in Art. 321 that

$$e^z - 2 \cos \theta + e^{-z} = 4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{z^2}{\theta^2} \right) \left\{ 1 + \frac{z^2}{(2\pi + \theta)^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 + \frac{z^2}{(2\pi - \theta)^2} \right\} \dots$$

The product of the first two factors on the right-hand side

$$= 4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + z^2 \left( \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\frac{\theta}{2}} \right)^2,$$

and this is equal to  $z^2$  when  $\theta$  vanishes.

Thus, by supposing  $\theta=0$ , we obtain

$$e^z - 2 + e^{-z} = z^2 \left( 1 + \frac{z^2}{2^2\pi^2} \right)^2 \left( 1 + \frac{z^2}{4^2\pi^2} \right)^2 \left( 1 + \frac{z^2}{6^2\pi^2} \right)^2 \dots$$

Extract the square root and put  $2x$  for  $z$ ; thus

$$e^x - e^{-x} = 2x \left( 1 + \frac{x^2}{\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x^2}{2^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x^2}{3^2\pi^2} \right) \dots$$

14. Let  $s$  denote the series of which we require the sum,

then 
$$\left( \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots \right)^2 = 2s + \frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots$$

Hence by Examples 1 and 2 we have

$$\left( \frac{\pi^2}{6} \right)^2 = 2s + \frac{\pi^4}{90};$$

therefore

$$s = \frac{\pi^4}{2} \left( \frac{1}{36} - \frac{1}{90} \right) = \frac{\pi^4}{36} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} \right) = \frac{\pi^4}{120}.$$

15. By Art. 318 we have

$$\sin n\phi = 2^{n-1} \sin \phi \sin \left( \phi + \frac{\pi}{n} \right) \sin \left( \phi + \frac{2\pi}{n} \right) \dots \sin \left( \phi + \frac{n-1}{n} \pi \right).$$

Change  $\phi$  into  $\phi + \frac{\pi}{2}$ ; then since  $n$  is even we have

$$\sin n \left( \phi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \sin \left( n\phi + \frac{n\pi}{2} \right) = \sin n\phi \cos \frac{n\pi}{2};$$

thus

$$\sin n\phi \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} = 2^{n-1} \cos \phi \cos \left( \phi + \frac{\pi}{n} \right) \cos \left( \phi + \frac{2\pi}{n} \right) \dots \cos \left( \phi + \frac{n-1}{n} \pi \right).$$

Divide the former result by this; then we obtain

$$\sec \frac{n\pi}{2} = \tan \phi \tan \left( \phi + \frac{\pi}{n} \right) \tan \left( \phi + \frac{2\pi}{n} \right) \dots \tan \left( \phi + \frac{n-1}{n} \pi \right).$$

$$\text{And} \quad \sec \frac{n\pi}{2} = \frac{1}{\cos \frac{n\pi}{2}} = \frac{1}{(-1)^{\frac{n}{2}}} = (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}}.$$

$$16. \quad \sin 5A - \cos 5A = \sqrt{2} \sin (5A - 45^\circ) = \sqrt{2} \sin 5(A - 9^\circ).$$

And by Art. 318 we have  $\sin 5(A - 9^\circ)$

$$= 2^4 \sin B \sin (B + 36^\circ) \sin (B + 72^\circ) \sin (B + 108^\circ) \sin (B + 144^\circ),$$

where  $B = A - 9^\circ$ ,

$$= 2^4 \sin (A - 9^\circ) \sin (A + 27^\circ) \cos (27^\circ - A) \cos (A + 9^\circ) \sin (A + 135^\circ)$$

$$= 2^4 \sin (A - 9^\circ) \sin (A + 27^\circ) \cos (27^\circ - A) \cos (A + 9^\circ) (\cos A - \sin A) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

Therefore  $\sin 5A - \cos 5A$

$$= 2^4 \sin (A - 9^\circ) \sin (A + 27^\circ) \cos (A - 27^\circ) \cos (A + 9^\circ) (\cos A - \sin A).$$

17. 47. By Art. 320 we have

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2} \right) \dots$$

Put  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $\theta$ : thus

$$\frac{2}{\pi} = \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{1}{4^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{1}{6^2} \right) \dots;$$

therefore

$$\frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \dots}{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 9 \dots}.$$

18. We have .

$$\sin 2\theta = 2\theta \left( 1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{2^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{4^2\pi^2} \right) \dots$$

$$\sin \theta = \theta \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{4^2\pi^2} \right) \dots$$

Divide the first by the second: thus

$$\frac{\sin 2\theta}{\sin \theta} = 2 \left(1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{5^2\pi^2}\right) \dots;$$

therefore 
$$\cos \theta = \left(1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{3^2\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{4\theta^2}{5^2\pi^2}\right) \dots$$

15 19. In the formula for  $\cos \theta$  in Art. 320 put  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  for  $\theta$ ; thus

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 5^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 7^2}\right) \dots \\ &= \frac{3 \cdot 35 \cdot 99 \cdot 195 \dots}{4 \cdot 36 \cdot 100 \cdot 196 \dots}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\sqrt{2} = \frac{4 \cdot 36 \cdot 100 \cdot 196 \dots}{3 \cdot 35 \cdot 99 \cdot 195 \dots}.$$

16 20. In the formula for  $\cos \theta$  in Art. 320 put  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  for  $\theta$ ; thus

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2 \cdot 3^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2 \cdot 5^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2 \cdot 7^2}\right) \dots \\ &= \frac{8 \cdot 80 \cdot 224 \cdot 440 \dots}{9 \cdot 81 \cdot 225 \cdot 441 \dots}. \end{aligned}$$

21. 
$$\cos x + \tan \frac{y}{2} \sin x = \frac{\cos x \cos \frac{y}{2} + \sin x \sin \frac{y}{2}}{\cos \frac{y}{2}} = \frac{\cos \left(x - \frac{y}{2}\right)}{\cos \frac{y}{2}}. \quad 18$$

Now by Art. 320

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \left(x - \frac{y}{2}\right) &= \left\{1 - \frac{(2x-y)^2}{\pi^2}\right\} \left\{1 - \frac{(2x-y)^2}{3^2\pi^2}\right\} \left\{1 - \frac{(2x-y)^2}{5^2\pi^2}\right\} \dots \\ \cos \frac{y}{2} &= \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{3^2\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{5^2\pi^2}\right) \dots \end{aligned}$$

Divide the former by the latter. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 - \frac{(2x-y)^2}{\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{\pi^2}} &= \frac{\pi^2 - (2x-y)^2}{\pi^2 - y^2} = \frac{\pi^2 - y^2 - 4x^2 + 4xy}{\pi^2 - y^2} = 1 - \frac{4x^2}{\pi^2 - y^2} + \frac{4xy}{\pi^2 - y^2} \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{2x}{\pi - y}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2x}{\pi + y}\right). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{1 - \frac{(2x-y)^2}{3^2\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{3^2\pi^2}} = \left(1 + \frac{2x}{3\pi-y}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2x}{3\pi+y}\right).$$

And so on. Thus the required result is obtained.

22. 
$$\cos x - \cot \frac{y}{2} \sin x = \frac{\cos x \sin \frac{y}{2} - \sin x \cos \frac{y}{2}}{\sin \frac{y}{2}} = \frac{\sin \left(\frac{y}{2} - x\right)}{\sin \frac{y}{2}}.$$

Now by Art. 320

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \left(\frac{y}{2} - x\right) &= \left(\frac{y}{2} - x\right) \left\{1 - \frac{(y-2x)^2}{4 \cdot \pi^2}\right\} \left\{1 - \frac{(y-2x)^2}{4 \cdot 2^2\pi^2}\right\} \left\{1 - \frac{(y-2x)^2}{4 \cdot 3^2\pi^2}\right\} \dots \\ \sin \frac{y}{2} &= \frac{y}{2} \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot \pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot 2^2\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot 3^2\pi^2}\right) \dots \end{aligned}$$

Divide the former by the latter. Then

$$\frac{\frac{y}{2} - x}{\frac{y}{2}} = 1 - \frac{2x}{y}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 - \frac{(y-2x)^2}{4 \cdot \pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot \pi^2}} &= \frac{4\pi^2 - (y-2x)^2}{4\pi^2 - y^2} = \frac{4\pi^2 - y^2 - 4x^2 + 4xy}{4\pi^2 - y^2} \\ &= 1 - \frac{4x^2}{4\pi^2 - y^2} + \frac{4xy}{4\pi^2 - y^2} = \left(1 + \frac{2x}{2\pi - y}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2x}{2\pi + y}\right). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{1 - \frac{(y-2x)^2}{4 \cdot 2^2\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot 2^2\pi^2}} = \left(1 + \frac{2x}{4\pi - y}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2x}{4\pi + y}\right).$$

And so on. Thus the required result is obtained.

23. 
$$\frac{\cos x - \cos y}{1 - \cos y} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(y-x) \sin \frac{1}{2}(y+x)}{2 \sin^2 \frac{y}{2}}.$$



Now by Art. 320

$$\sin \frac{1}{2}(y-x) = \frac{1}{2}(y-x) \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{4\pi^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2} \right\} \dots$$

$$\dots \sin \frac{1}{2}(y+x) = \frac{1}{2}(y+x) \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{4\pi^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2} \right\} \dots$$

$$\dots \sin \frac{1}{2}y = \frac{1}{2}y \left( 1 - \frac{y^2}{4\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2} \right) \dots$$

Divide the first by the third, and divide the second by the third, and multiply the results together.

$$\text{Then } \frac{\frac{1}{2}(y-x)}{\frac{1}{2}y} = 1 - \frac{x}{y}; \quad \frac{\frac{1}{2}(x+y)}{\frac{1}{2}y} = 1 + \frac{x}{y}; \quad \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x}{y} \right) = 1 - \frac{x^2}{y^2}.$$

And as in the solution of Example 22,

$$\frac{1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{4\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{4\pi^2}} = \left( 1 + \frac{x}{2\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{2\pi+y} \right);$$

$$\frac{1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{4\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{4\pi^2}} = \left( 1 - \frac{x}{2\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x}{2\pi+y} \right);$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( 1 + \frac{x}{2\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{2\pi+y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{2\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x}{2\pi+y} \right) \\ & = \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(2\pi-y)^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(2\pi+y)^2} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2}} \cdot \frac{1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{4 \cdot 2^2 \pi^2}} = \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(4\pi-y)^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(4\pi+y)^2} \right\}.$$

And so on. Thus the required result is obtained.

$$24. \quad \frac{\cos x + \cos y}{1 + \cos y} = \frac{2 \cos \frac{1}{2}(y-x) \cos \frac{1}{2}(y+x)}{2 \cos^2 \frac{y}{2}}.$$

Now by Art. 320

$$\cos \frac{1}{2}(y-x) = \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{\pi^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{3^2 \pi^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{5^2 \pi^2} \right\} \dots$$

$$\cos \frac{1}{2}(y+x) = \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{\pi^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{3^2 \pi^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{5^2 \pi^2} \right\} \dots$$

$$\cos \frac{y}{2} = \left( 1 - \frac{y^2}{\pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{y^2}{3^2 \pi^2} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{y^2}{5^2 \pi^2} \right) \dots$$

Divide the first by the third, and divide the second by the third, and multiply the two results together; the reductions will be similar to those in the preceding solution.

$$\text{Thus} \quad \frac{1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{\pi^2}} \cdot \frac{1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{\pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{\pi^2}} = \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(\pi-y)^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(\pi+y)^2} \right\};$$

$$\frac{1 - \frac{(y-x)^2}{3^2 \pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{3^2 \pi^2}} \cdot \frac{1 - \frac{(y+x)^2}{3^2 \pi^2}}{1 - \frac{y^2}{3^2 \pi^2}} = \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(3\pi-y)^2} \right\} \left\{ 1 - \frac{x^2}{(3\pi+y)^2} \right\}.$$

And so on. Thus the required result is obtained.

Or we may obtain the result in Example 24 by changing  $y$  into  $\pi - y$  in the result of Example 23.

$$25. \quad \frac{\sin x + \sin y}{\sin y} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}(x+y) \cos \frac{1}{2}(x-y)}{2 \sin \frac{y}{2} \cos \frac{y}{2}}.$$

Now in the course of the solution of Example 23 we see that

$$\frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}(x+y)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}y} = \left( 1 + \frac{x}{y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{2\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x}{2\pi+y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{4\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x}{4\pi+y} \right) \dots$$

And by changing  $y$  into  $\pi - y$  we see that

$$\frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}(x-y)}{\cos \frac{1}{2}y} = \left( 1 + \frac{x}{\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{\pi+y} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x}{3\pi-y} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{x}{3\pi+y} \right) \dots$$

Hence by multiplication the required result is obtained.

26. We have  $\cos x + \tan \frac{y}{2} \sin x$

$$= 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{4} - \dots + \tan \frac{y}{2} \left( x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \dots \right);$$

thus the coefficient of  $x$  is  $\tan \frac{y}{2}$ .

Now conceive the factors on the right-hand side of the formula of Example 21 multiplied together, and the product arranged according to powers of  $x$ . The first term will be unity; the second term will involve  $x$ , and the coefficient will be

$$\frac{2}{\pi - y} - \frac{2}{\pi + y} + \frac{2}{3\pi - y} - \frac{2}{3\pi + y} + \dots$$

Hence by equating the coefficients we obtain the required result.

27. Proceed as in the solution of Example 26. Then on the left-hand side the coefficient of  $x$  will be  $-\cot \frac{y}{2}$ , and on the right-hand side

$$-\frac{2}{y} + \frac{2}{2\pi - y} - \frac{2}{2\pi + y} + \frac{2}{4\pi - y} - \frac{2}{4\pi + y} + \dots$$

Equate the coefficients, and then change the signs of both sides; thus we obtain the required result.

28. In the formula of Example 26 put  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  for  $y$ ; then

$$\tan \frac{y}{2} = \tan \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}};$$

thus 
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{6}{2} - \frac{6}{4} + \frac{6}{8} - \frac{6}{10} + \frac{6}{14} - \dots \right\};$$

that is 
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{6}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{14} - \frac{1}{16} + \dots \right\};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{8} + \dots$$

29. In the formula of Example 27 put  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  for  $y$ ; then

$$\cot \frac{y}{2} = \cot \frac{\pi}{6} = \sqrt{3};$$

thus 
$$\sqrt{3} = \frac{6}{\pi} \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{11} + \frac{1}{13} - \frac{1}{17} + \frac{1}{19} - \dots \right\};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{3}} = 1 - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{11} + \frac{1}{13} - \frac{1}{17} + \frac{1}{19} - \dots$$

30. Add together the results given in Examples 26 and 27; then

$$\tan \frac{y}{2} + \cot \frac{y}{2} = \frac{\sin \frac{y}{2}}{\cos \frac{y}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{y}{2}}{\sin \frac{y}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sin \frac{y}{2} \cos \frac{y}{2}} = \frac{2}{\sin y}.$$

Thus

$$\frac{2}{\sin y} = \frac{2}{y} + \frac{2}{\pi - y} - \frac{2}{2\pi - y} - \frac{2}{\pi + y} + \frac{2}{2\pi + y} + \frac{2}{3\pi - y} - \frac{2}{4\pi - y} - \frac{2}{3\pi + y} + \dots$$

Then divide both sides by 2.

Or we may equate the coefficients of  $x$  in Example 25.

#### XXIV.

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad \sin \theta \cos \frac{\theta}{2} &= 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \\ &= 8 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{4} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{4} \right) = 8 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\theta}{4} \right) \sin^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\theta}{4} \right). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \quad \left( \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\theta}{6} - \sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \tan \frac{\theta}{3} &= \left( \frac{1}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}} - \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \right) \tan \frac{\theta}{3} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \tan \frac{\theta}{3} = \frac{\cos \left( \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\theta}{6} \right) \cos \left( \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\theta}{6} \right)}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \tan \frac{\theta}{3} \\ &= \frac{\cos \frac{\theta}{3} \cos \frac{2\theta}{3} \tan \frac{\theta}{3}}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{3} \cos \frac{2\theta}{3}}{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Again } \left( \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\theta}{6} - \sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \cot \frac{2\theta}{3} &= \left( \frac{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}} - \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \right) \cot \frac{2\theta}{3} \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}} \cot \frac{2\theta}{3} = \frac{\sin \left( \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\theta}{6} \right) \sin \left( \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\theta}{6} \right)}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}} \cot \frac{2\theta}{3} \\ &= \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{3} \sin \frac{2\theta}{3} \cot \frac{2\theta}{3}}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}} = \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{3} \cos \frac{2\theta}{3}}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{6}}. \end{aligned}$$

$$3. \quad \tan 3\theta - \tan 2\theta - \tan \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\sin 3\theta}{\cos 3\theta} - \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} - \tan \theta \\ &= \frac{\sin 3\theta \cos 2\theta - \sin 2\theta \cos 3\theta}{\cos 3\theta \cos 2\theta} - \tan \theta \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos 3\theta \cos 2\theta} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta \cos 2\theta \cos 3\theta} \{ \cos \theta - \cos 3\theta \cos 2\theta \} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta \cos 2\theta \cos 3\theta} \{ \cos (3\theta - 2\theta) - \cos 3\theta \cos 2\theta \} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta \sin 2\theta \sin 3\theta}{\cos \theta \cos 2\theta \cos 3\theta} = \tan \theta \tan 2\theta \tan 3\theta. \end{aligned}$$

$$4. \quad \tan^3 x + \cot^3 x = m^3 - 3m;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (\tan x + \cot x)^3 - 3(\tan^2 x \cot x + \cot^2 x \tan x) = m^3 - 3m;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (\tan x + \cot x)^3 - 3(\tan x + \cot x) = m^3 - 3m;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (\tan x + \cot x)^3 - m^3 = 3(\tan x + \cot x) - 3m.$$

Put  $y$  for  $\tan x + \cot x$ ; thus

$$y^3 - m^3 = 3(y - m);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad (y - m)(y^2 + ym + m^2) = 3(y - m).$$

Therefore either  $y - m = 0$ , or  $y^2 + ym + m^2 = 3$ .

Take  $y - m = 0$ ; thus  $\tan x + \cot x = m$ ,

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} = m;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{1}{\sin x \cos x} = m;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin 2x = \frac{2}{m}.$$

Again, take  $y^2 + ym + m^2 = 3$ . By solving this quadratic in the usual way we obtain

$$y = \frac{-m \pm \sqrt{(12 - 3m^2)}}{2},$$

and thus we obtain two other values for  $\sin 2x$ .

5. Let  $T$  denote the  $m^{\text{th}}$  point, counting from  $A$  as the first, so that the angle  $TOA = m\beta$ , where  $\beta = \frac{\pi}{2n}$ . Then, since the angle  $OTA$  is a right angle, we have  $OT = OA \cos TOA = 2r \cos m\beta$ , where  $r$  is the radius of the circle. The angle between  $OT$  and the tangent at  $T$  is equal to the angle  $TAO$ , and is therefore  $\frac{\pi}{2} - m\beta$ . Thus the perpendicular from  $O$  on the tangent at  $T = OT \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - m\beta \right) = OT \cos m\beta = 2r \cos^2 m\beta$ . The square of the perpendicular is  $4r^2 \cos^4 m\beta$ .

Thus the sum of the squares of the perpendiculars

$$= 4r^2 \{1 + \cos^4 \beta + \cos^4 2\beta + \dots + \cos^4 (2n-1)\beta\}.$$

Now 
$$\cos^4 \theta = \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta.$$

Apply this transformation to every term in the series, observing that 1 may be considered as  $\cos 0$ .

Thus the sum of the squares of the perpendiculars

$$= 4r^2 \cdot \frac{3}{8} \cdot 2n + 2r^2 \{ \cos 0 + \cos 2\beta + \cos 4\beta + \dots + \cos 2(2n-1)\beta \} \\ + \frac{r^2}{2} \{ \cos 0 + \cos 4\beta + \cos 8\beta + \dots + \cos 4(2n-1)\beta \}.$$

Each series of cosines will vanish as in Art. 305; thus we find that the sum of the squares of the perpendiculars  $= 3nr^2$ .

6. Let  $ACP = \theta$ ,  $ACQ = \phi$ ,  $ACR = \psi$ ; let  $AC = \rho$ . Then  $\theta + \phi + \psi = \pi$ . Now, in order that a triangle may exist with  $Ap$ ,  $Aq$ , and  $Ar$  as sides we must have  $Ap + Aq$  greater than  $Ar$ ; thus  $\tan \theta + \tan \phi$  must be greater than  $\tan \psi$ .

But by Art. 114 we have

$$\tan \theta + \tan \phi + \tan \psi = \tan \theta \tan \phi \tan \psi.$$

Hence  $\tan \theta \tan \phi \tan \psi$  must be greater than  $2 \tan \psi$ , and therefore  $\tan \theta \tan \phi$  greater than 2. Therefore *a fortiori*  $\tan^2 \phi$  must be greater than 2.

Thus the inferior limit of  $Aq$  is when  $\tan QCA = \sqrt{2}$ .

Again, since  $\theta + \phi + \psi = \pi$ , the superior limit of  $\theta$  is the value of  $\theta$  when  $\theta$ ,  $\phi$ , and  $\psi$  are all equal; that is, when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

When the triangle is formed the radius of the inscribed circle, by Art. 248, is  $\frac{2S}{\rho(\tan \theta + \tan \phi + \tan \psi)}$ ; and the radius of the circumscribed circle by Art. 252 is  $\frac{\rho^3 \tan \theta \tan \phi \tan \psi}{4S}$ . The product of these radii is  $\frac{\rho^2}{2} \cdot \frac{\tan \theta \tan \phi \tan \psi}{\tan \theta + \tan \phi + \tan \psi}$ , that is  $\frac{\rho^2}{2}$  by Art. 114.

Hence the product of the radii is constant, whatever  $\theta$ ,  $\phi$ , and  $\psi$  may be; and therefore one radius varies inversely as the other.

7. As in Art. 250 we see that  $CF=s$ ; also  $CE=r$ ; hence

$$\text{the area of } CEF = \frac{1}{2} rs.$$

And, as in Art. 248 the area of  $ABC=rs$ ; therefore  $CEF$  is half  $ABC$ .

8. The straight lines bisecting the external angles are the same as those which join the centres of the escribed circles.

Thus, by Example xvi. 34, we have  $S' = \frac{abc}{2r}$ ;

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{S'}{S} &= \frac{abc}{2rS} = \frac{sabc}{2S^2} = \frac{abc}{2(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{A}{2} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{B}{2} \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

9. Let  $P$  denote the point above  $D$ . Then  $PD \times AC =$  twice the area of the triangle  $APC = AP \cdot PC \sin 2a$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned} PD &= \frac{AP \cdot PC \cdot \sin 2a}{AC} = \frac{(a+b) AP \cdot PC \cdot \sin 2a}{AC^2} = \frac{(a+b) AP \cdot PC \cdot \sin 2a}{AP^2 + PC^2 - 2AP \cdot PC \cos 2a} \\ &= \frac{(a+b) ab \sin 2a}{a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos 2a}, \text{ for } \frac{AP}{PC} = \frac{a}{b} \text{ by Euclid vi. 3,} \\ &= \frac{2(a+b) ab \sin a \cos a}{(a^2 + b^2)(\sin^2 a + \cos^2 a) - 2ab(\cos^2 a - \sin^2 a)} \\ &= \frac{2(a+b) ab \tan a}{(a-b)^2 + (a+b)^2 \tan^2 a}. \end{aligned}$$

10. Let  $AB$  be the arc, and  $C$  the centre of the circle; in  $AB$  take any point  $P$ , join  $PA$ , and draw  $PM$  perpendicular to  $AB$ .

Let  $BCA=2\gamma$ ,  $PCA=2\theta$ , and  $AC=r$ .

Then  $AB = 2r \sin \gamma$ ,  $AP = 2r \sin \theta$ ,  $PM = AP \sin PAB = AP \sin (\gamma - \theta)$ .

We have then to shew that  $2r \sin \theta \{1 + \sin (\gamma - \theta)\}$  is less than  $2r \sin \gamma$ , or that  $\sin (\gamma - \theta) \sin \theta$  is less than  $\sin \gamma - \sin \theta$ , or that

$$2 \sin \frac{1}{2} (\gamma - \theta) \cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma - \theta) \sin \theta \text{ is less than } 2 \sin \frac{1}{2} (\gamma - \theta) \cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma + \theta),$$

or that  $\cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma - \theta) \sin \theta$  is less than  $\cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma + \theta)$ .

Now this is the case, for  $\cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma - \theta) \sin \theta$  is less than  $\sin \theta$ , and therefore less than  $\sin \gamma$ ; and  $\cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma + \theta)$  is greater than  $\cos \frac{1}{2} (\gamma + \gamma)$ , that is greater than  $\cos \gamma$ ; and  $\cos \gamma$  is greater than  $\sin \gamma$ , since  $\gamma$  is less than  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ .

11. Let  $A$  be the position of the observer's eye,  $C$  the cloud,  $B$  the image of the cloud formed by the lake. Draw the horizontal straight line  $AH$ . Then  $HAC = \alpha$ , and  $HAB = \beta$ .

The straight lines  $CB$  and  $AB$  are equally inclined to the surface of the water by the Laws of Optics, and thus the angle between  $CB$  and  $AH$  is equal to  $\beta$ .

Now 
$$\frac{CB}{AB} = \frac{\sin CAB}{\sin ACB} = \frac{\sin (\beta + \alpha)}{\sin (\beta - \alpha)};$$

therefore 
$$CB = \frac{AB \sin (\beta + \alpha)}{\sin (\beta - \alpha)}.$$

The height of the cloud  $= CB \sin \beta = \frac{\sin (\beta + \alpha)}{\sin (\beta - \alpha)} AB \sin \beta$   
 $= h \frac{\sin (\beta + \alpha)}{\sin (\beta - \alpha)}.$

12. Let  $A$  be the position of the observer's eye,  $C$  the cloud,  $B$  the shadow of the cloud on the sea. Then the position of the sun is on  $BC$  produced through  $C$ . Draw from  $A$  a horizontal straight line meeting  $BC$  at  $H$ . Then  $HAC = \alpha$ , and  $HAB = \beta$ . On account of the enormous distance of the sun, the straight line  $HC$  may be considered as parallel to the straight line drawn from  $A$  to the sun; so that  $CHA = \gamma$ .

Now 
$$\frac{BC}{BA} = \frac{\sin BAC}{\sin BCA} = \frac{\sin (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin (\pi - \alpha - \gamma)} = \frac{\sin (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin (\alpha + \gamma)}.$$

The height of the cloud above the surface of the sea

$$= BC \sin \gamma = \frac{\sin \gamma}{\sin \beta} BC \sin \beta = \frac{\sin \gamma \sin (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \beta \sin (\alpha + \gamma)} BA \sin \beta$$

$$= h \frac{\sin \gamma}{\sin \beta} \cdot \frac{\sin (\alpha + \beta)}{\sin (\alpha + \gamma)}.$$



13. Assume that

$$2^{n-1} \cos^n \theta = \cos n\theta + n \cos (n-2)\theta + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} \cos (n-4)\theta + \dots \\ + \frac{n(n-1) \dots (n-r+1)}{\lfloor r} \cos (n-2r)\theta + \dots$$

Multiply both sides by  $2 \cos \theta$ . Thus

$$2^n \cos^{n+1} \theta = 2 \cos n\theta \cos \theta + 2n \cos (n-2)\theta \cos \theta \\ + 2 \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} \cos (n-4)\theta \cos \theta + \dots$$

Now use the formula  $2 \cos A \cos B = \cos (A+B) + \cos (A-B)$  for the terms on the right-hand side. Thus

$$2^n \cos^{n+1} \theta = \cos (n+1)\theta + \cos (n-1)\theta \\ + n \{ \cos (n-1)\theta + \cos (n-3)\theta \} \\ + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} \{ \cos (n-3)\theta + \cos (n-5)\theta \} \\ + \frac{n(n-1) \dots (n-r+1)}{\lfloor r} \{ \cos (n-2r+1)\theta + \cos (n-2r-1)\theta \} \\ + \dots$$

Then re-arrange the terms on the right-hand side, and we obtain a series like that with which we started except that we have  $n+1$  instead of  $n$ .

For instance, the term involving  $\cos (n-3)\theta$  is

$$\left\{ n + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} \right\} \cos (n-3)\theta;$$

that is 
$$\frac{(n+1)n}{1 \cdot 2} \cos (n+1-4)\theta.$$

And generally the term involving  $\cos (n+1-2r)\theta$  is

$$\left\{ \frac{n(n-1) \dots (n-r+2)}{\lfloor r-1} + \frac{n(n-1) \dots (n-r+1)}{\lfloor r} \right\} \cos (n+1-2r)\theta;$$

that is 
$$\frac{n(n-1) \dots (n-r+2)}{\lfloor r-1} \left( 1 + \frac{n-r+1}{r} \right) \cos (n+1-2r)\theta;$$

that is 
$$\frac{(n+1)n \dots (n+1-r+1)}{\lfloor r} \cos (n+1-2r)\theta.$$

This shews that if the formula holds for an assigned value of  $n$  it holds also when  $n$  is changed into  $n+1$ . Moreover the formula evidently holds when  $n=1$ .

We have not paid special attention to the *last term* in the expansion, but it is easy to do this if required.

14. Take the formula of Art. 280, and suppose  $n$  even; thus

$$2^{n-1} \cos^n \theta = \cos n\theta + n \cos (n-2)\theta + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} \cos (n-4)\theta + \dots$$

$$+ \frac{n(n-1)(n-r+1)}{r} \cos (n-2r)\theta \dots + \frac{n(n-1) \dots \left(\frac{1}{2}n+1\right)}{2 \left|\frac{1}{2}n\right|}.$$

Change  $\theta$  into  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$ ; thus

$$\cos^n \theta \text{ becomes } \cos^n \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right), \text{ that is } \sin^n \theta;$$

$$\cos n\theta \text{ becomes } \cos n \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right), \text{ that is } \cos n \frac{\pi}{2} \cos n\theta, \text{ that is } (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \cos n\theta;$$

$$\cos (n-2)\theta \text{ becomes } \cos (n-2) \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right), \text{ that is } (-1)^{\frac{n-2}{2}} \cos (n-2)\theta;$$

and so on.

$$\text{Thus } 2^{n-1} \sin^n \theta = (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} \cos n\theta + n(-1)^{\frac{n-2}{2}} \cos (n-2)\theta$$

$$+ \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} (-1)^{\frac{n-4}{2}} \cos (n-4)\theta + \dots$$

Multiply both sides by  $(-1)^{\frac{n}{2}}$ ; thus we obtain the formula of Art. 282.

Next suppose  $n$  odd. Then in the same manner we deduce the formula of Art. 283 from that of Art. 280; we observe now that

$$\cos n \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) = \sin n \frac{\pi}{2} \sin n\theta = (-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \sin n\theta,$$

$$\cos (n-2) \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) = (-1)^{\frac{n-3}{2}} \sin (n-2)\theta,$$

and so on.

15. Let  $\tan^{-1} x = \theta$ , so that  $\tan \theta = x$ ; then

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}.$$

And by Art. 270

$$\cos 6\theta = \cos^6 \theta - 15 \cos^4 \theta \sin^2 \theta + 15 \cos^2 \theta \sin^4 \theta - \sin^6 \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^3} \{1 - 15x^2 + 15x^4 - x^6\}.$$

16. Since the quadrilateral can be inscribed in a circle, the area by Art. 254 is  $\sqrt{\{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)(s-d)\}}$ . But when a quadrilateral can be described about a circle it may be shewn by geometry that the sum of two opposite sides is equal to the sum of the other two. Thus in the present case  $a+c=b+d$ .

$$\text{Now} \quad s = \frac{1}{2}(a+b+c+d) = a+c = b+d;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad s-a=c, \quad s-b=d, \quad s-c=a, \quad s-d=b;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sqrt{\{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)(s-d)\}} = \sqrt{abcd}.$$

$$\text{Thus the area} = \sqrt{abcd}.$$

17. Let  $a, b, c, d$  denote the sides taken in succession; let  $B$  denote the angle between the first two, and  $D$  the angle between the last two. Thus  $B+D=\theta$ .

Then dividing the quadrilateral into two triangles, as in Art. 254, we have

$$S = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin B + \frac{1}{2}cd \sin D \dots \dots \dots (1).$$

And from two values which can be obtained for the square of the diagonal opposite  $B$  and  $D$  we have

$$a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos B = c^2 + d^2 - 2cd \cos D,$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - d^2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}ab \cos B - \frac{1}{2}cd \cos D \dots \dots \dots (2).$$

Square and add (1) and (2): thus

$$S^2 + \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - d^2}{4} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{4}(a^2b^2 + c^2d^2) - \frac{1}{2}abcd \cos(B+D)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(a^2b^2 + c^2d^2) - \frac{1}{2}abcd \cos \theta = \frac{1}{4}(a^2b^2 + c^2d^2) - \frac{1}{2}abcd \left( 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - 1 \right);$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad S^2 = \frac{1}{4}(ab + cd)^2 - \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - d^2}{4} \right)^2 - abcd \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}.$$

Now we know that if  $\theta = \pi$  the expression for  $S^2$  must reduce to

$$(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)(s-d).$$

Hence we are sure that  $\frac{1}{4}(ab + cd)^2 - \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - d^2}{4} \right)^2$  must take the form just given; and this is easily verified. For this expression

$$= \left\{ \frac{1}{2}(ab + cd) + \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - d^2}{4} \right\} \left\{ \frac{1}{2}(ab + cd) - \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2 - d^2}{4} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{16} \{(\alpha+b)^2 - (c-d)^2\} \{(c+d)^2 - (a-b)^2\} \\
&= \frac{1}{16} (\alpha+b+c-d)(\alpha+b-c+d)(c+d+a-b)(c+d-a+b).
\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $S^2 = (s-a)(s-b)(s-c)(s-d) - abcd \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$ .

18. Let  $t$  stand for  $\tan \theta$ . By Art. 270 we have

$$\cos n\theta = \cos^n \theta \left\{ 1 - \frac{n(n-1)}{2} t^2 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)}{4} t^4 - \dots \right\}.$$

Put  $t$  for  $\sqrt{-1}$ ; then we may write the formula thus

$$2 \cos n\theta = \cos^n \theta \{(1+it)^n + (1-it)^n\}.$$

Therefore  $2 \cos^n \theta \cos n\theta = \cos^{2n} \theta \{(1+it)^n + (1-it)^n\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{(1+t^2)^n} \{(1+it)^n + (1-it)^n\} = \frac{1}{(1+it)^n (1-it)^n} \{(1+it)^n + (1-it)^n\} \\
&= (1-it)^{-n} + (1+it)^{-n}.
\end{aligned}$$

Expand the two terms on the right-hand side by the Binomial Theorem, and the required result is obtained.

19. Proceed as in the solution of Example 18. Thus we obtain

$$2 \sin n\theta = \frac{\cos^n \theta}{i} \{(1+it)^n - (1-it)^n\};$$

therefore  $2 \cos^n \theta \sin n\theta = \frac{\cos^{2n} \theta}{i} \{(1+it)^n - (1-it)^n\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{i(1+t^2)^n} \{(1+it)^n - (1-it)^n\} = \frac{1}{i(1+it)^n (1-it)^n} \{(1+it)^n - (1-it)^n\} \\
&= \frac{1}{i} \{(1-it)^{-n} - (1+it)^{-n}\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Expand the two terms on the right-hand side by the Binomial Theorem, and the required result is obtained.

20. Let  $\theta$  have any value between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; let  $h$  be a small positive quantity. We have then to shew that  $\frac{\theta+h}{\sin(\theta+h)}$  is greater than  $\frac{\theta}{\sin \theta}$ , that is we must shew that  $\frac{\theta+h}{\sin(\theta+h)} - \frac{\theta}{\sin \theta}$  is positive.

Now the sign of the last expression is the same as the sign of

$$(\theta+h) \sin \theta - \theta \sin(\theta+h),$$

and is therefore the same as the sign of

$$\theta \sin \theta (1 - \cos h) + h \sin \theta - \theta \cos \theta \sin h,$$

or as the sign of

$$\theta \sin \theta (1 - \cos h) + \sin \theta \sin h \left( \frac{h}{\sin h} - \frac{\theta}{\tan \theta} \right).$$

Now  $1 - \cos h$  is positive; and  $\frac{h}{\sin h}$  is greater than unity while  $\frac{\theta}{\tan \theta}$  is less than unity, by Art. 118; thus the expression is positive.

21. Let  $\theta$  have any value between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; let  $h$  be a small positive quantity. We have then to shew that  $\frac{\theta}{\tan \theta}$  is greater than  $\frac{\theta+h}{\tan(\theta+h)}$ , that is we must shew that  $\frac{\theta}{\tan \theta} - \frac{\theta+h}{\tan(\theta+h)}$  is positive.

Now the sign of the last expression is the same as the sign of

$$\theta \cos \theta \sin(\theta+h) - (\theta+h) \cos(\theta+h) \sin \theta,$$

that is of

$$\theta \sin h - h \cos(\theta+h) \sin \theta,$$

that is of

$$\frac{\theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{h}{\sin h} \cos(\theta+h).$$

But as we may suppose  $h$  less than  $\theta$ , we know by Example 20 that  $\frac{\theta}{\sin \theta}$  is greater than  $\frac{h}{\sin h}$ , and therefore  $\frac{\theta}{\sin \theta}$  is greater than  $\frac{h}{\sin h} \cos(\theta+h)$ .

22. Let  $PO$  intersect  $FD$  at  $K$ ; then by similar triangles, since  $PA=2PF$ , we have  $OA=2FK$ ; but  $DF=OA$ ; therefore  $DF=2FK$ ; therefore  $DF$  is bisected at  $K$ .

Also since  $PA$  is bisected at  $F$ , it follows by similar triangles that  $PO$  is bisected at  $K$ .

23. Let  $PO$  intersect  $AD$  at  $L$ . Then the triangles  $ALP$  and  $DLO$  are similar; therefore  $\frac{LD}{OD} = \frac{LA}{PA}$ ; therefore  $\frac{LD}{LA} = \frac{OD}{PA} = \frac{FA}{PA} = \frac{1}{2}$ .

24. The point  $K$  in the solution of Example 22 being the middle point of  $DF$  is the centre of the nine points circle. Thus  $P, K$ , and  $O$  are in one straight line. Also this straight line cuts  $AD$  at a point  $L$ , such that  $\frac{LD}{LA} = \frac{1}{2}$ ; and  $OP$  is divided at  $L$  so that  $\frac{OL}{LP} = \frac{1}{2}$ .

In like manner the straight line from  $B$  to the middle point of  $AC$  cuts  $OP$  at the same point as  $AD$  does; and so also does the straight line from  $C$  to the middle point of  $AB$ . Hence the point  $L$  is the intersection of the three straight lines from the angles of  $ABC$  to the middle points of the opposite sides.

25. The centre of the nine points circle is the middle point of  $OP$ , hence the perpendicular from it on  $BC = \frac{1}{2}(OD + PG)$ . Now  $OD = R \cos A$ , and

$$PG = BP \sin PBG = BP \cos C = \frac{BG \cos C}{\cos PBG} = \frac{BG \cos C}{\sin C} = \frac{c \cos B \cos C}{\sin C} \\ = 2R \cos B \cos C.$$

Hence the perpendicular required

$$= \frac{1}{2}(R \cos A + 2R \cos B \cos C) = \frac{R}{2} \{2 \cos B \cos C - \cos(B + C)\} \\ = \frac{R}{2} (\cos B \cos C - \sin C \sin B) = \frac{R}{2} \cos(C - B).$$

Or thus: the required perpendicular

$$= \frac{R}{2} \sin HDG = \frac{R}{2} \cos OAG = \frac{R}{2} \cos(BAG - OAB) \\ = \frac{R}{2} \cos\{90^\circ - B - (90^\circ - C)\} = \frac{R}{2} \cos(C - B).$$

26. The perpendicular from the centre of the nine points circle on  $AG$

$$= \frac{1}{2} DG = \frac{1}{2}(CD - CG) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{a}{2} - b \cos C \right) = \frac{1}{2} (R \sin A - 2R \sin B \cos C) \\ = \frac{R}{2} \{\sin(B + C) - 2 \sin B \cos C\} = \frac{R}{2} \sin(C - B).$$

Or thus: the required perpendicular

$$= \frac{R}{2} \cos HDG = \frac{R}{2} \sin OAG = \frac{R}{2} \sin(C - B).$$

27. We have  $AP = 2AF = 2OD = 2R \cos A$ ; and, as shewn in the solution of Example 25, the angle  $OAP = C - B$ .

Then, from the triangle  $OAP$ ,

$$OP^2 = OA^2 + PA^2 - 2OA \cdot PA \cos(C - B) \\ = R^2 \{1 + 4 \cos^2 A - 4 \cos A \cos(C - B)\} \\ = R^2 + 4R^2 \cos A \{\cos A - \cos(C - B)\} \\ = R^2 + 4R^2 \cos A \{-\cos(B + C) - \cos(C - B)\} \\ = R^2 - 8R^2 \cos A \cos B \cos C.$$

28. Denote the centre of the nine points circle by  $K$ ; then  $K$  is the middle point of  $OP$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now} \quad OA^2 &= OK^2 + KA^2 - 2OK \cdot KA \cos OKA, \\ PA^2 &= PK^2 + KA^2 - 2PK \cdot KA \cos PKA;\end{aligned}$$

therefore, by addition,

$$OA^2 + PA^2 = 2OK^2 + 2KA^2;$$

$$\text{thus} \quad 2KA^2 = R^2 + 4R^2 \cos^2 A - 2OK^2 = R^2 + 4R^2 \cos^2 A - \frac{1}{2}PO^2.$$

Therefore, by the aid of Example 27,

$$\begin{aligned}4KA^2 &= 2R^2 + 8R^2 \cos^2 A - R^2(1 - 8 \cos A \cos B \cos C) \\ &= R^2 + 8R^2 \cos A (\cos A + \cos B \cos C) \\ &= R^2 + 8R^2 \cos A \{-\cos(B+C) + \cos B \cos C\} \\ &= R^2 + 8R^2 \cos A \sin B \sin C;\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad KA = \frac{R}{2} \sqrt{(1 + 8 \cos A \sin B \sin C)}.$$

29. Take the diagram of Art. 332. The centre of the nine points circle is on a straight line which bisects  $DG$  at right angles; and so it cannot be at  $O$  unless  $D$  and  $G$  coincide, that is unless the perpendicular  $AG$  bisects  $BC$ , that is unless  $B=C$ . Similarly we see, by considering the side  $AC$  instead of  $BC$ , that it will be necessary to have  $A=C$ . Thus the triangle must be equilateral.

30. Take the diagram of Art. 332. The centre of the inscribed circle is on the straight line  $AE$ , which bisects the angle  $A$ ; and the centre of the nine points circle is on  $DF$ : hence when the two coincide it must be at the point  $H$ . Thus, by Example 22, we must have  $H$  at the middle point of  $OP$ . Then from the similar triangles  $OHE$  and  $AHP$  we find that  $OE$  must be equal to  $AP$ , that is to twice  $AF$ . Thus  $R=2R \cos A$ ; therefore  $A=60^\circ$ . Similarly we see by considering the side  $AC$  instead of  $BC$ , that  $B=60^\circ$ . Hence the triangle must be equilateral.

Or we may use Example 25; thus we must have

$$r = \frac{R}{2} \cos(B-C) = \frac{R}{2} \cos(C-A) = \frac{R}{2} \cos(A-B);$$

$$\text{so that} \quad \cos(B-C) = \cos(C-A) = \cos(A-B);$$

these lead to  $A=B=C$ .

## MISCELLANEOUS EXAMPLES.

1. Let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in the unit. Then  $3 : x :: 15 : 1$ . Hence  $x = \frac{3}{15} = 20$ . The measure of a right angle will be  $\frac{90}{20}$ , that is  $4\frac{1}{2}$ .

2. Let  $x$  denote the circular measure of the larger angle,  $y$  that of the smaller angle. Then, since the circular measure of  $1^\circ$  is  $\frac{\pi}{180}$ , we have  $x - y = \frac{\pi}{180}$ ,  $x + y = 1$ . Hence  $x = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{\pi}{180} \right)$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{\pi}{180} \right)$ .

3. Here  $\tan x + \frac{ab}{\tan x} = a + b$ ; therefore  $\tan^2 x - (a + b) \tan x + ab = 0$ .

By solving this quadratic equation we obtain  $\tan x = a$ , or  $\tan x = b$ .

4. Here  $\sin(2\theta + \theta) = \sin \theta \cos 2\theta$ , that is

$$\sin 2\theta \cos \theta + \cos 2\theta \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cos 2\theta;$$

therefore

$$\sin 2\theta \cos \theta = 0, \text{ that is } 2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta = 0.$$

If  $\cos \theta = 0$  we have  $\theta$  an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; and if  $\sin \theta = 0$  we have  $\theta$  an even multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ : hence all the solutions are comprised in  $\theta = n\frac{\pi}{2}$ , where  $n$  is zero or an integer.

5. Let  $2A$  denote the whole angle, and  $A + x$  one of the two unequal parts; then  $A - x$  denotes the other. Hence we have to shew that

$$\sin(A + x) \sin(A - x) + \sin^2 x = \sin^2 A;$$

and this is obvious by Art. 83.

$$\begin{aligned} 6. \quad & (\sec \theta \sec \phi + \tan \theta \tan \phi)^2 - (\tan \theta \sec \phi + \sec \theta \tan \phi)^2 \\ & = \sec^2 \theta \sec^2 \phi + \tan^2 \theta \tan^2 \phi - \tan^2 \theta \sec^2 \phi - \sec^2 \theta \tan^2 \phi \\ & = \sec^2 \phi (\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta) - \tan^2 \phi (\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta) \\ & = \sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi = 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2(1 + \tan^2 \theta \tan^2 \phi) - \sec^2 \theta \sec^2 \phi &= \frac{2(\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta) - 1}{\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi} \\ &= \frac{(1 + \cos 2\theta) \cos^2 \phi + (1 - \cos 2\theta) \sin^2 \phi - 1}{\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi} \\ &= \frac{\cos 2\theta (\cos^2 \phi - \sin^2 \phi)}{\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi} = \frac{\cos 2\theta \cos 2\phi}{\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi}. \end{aligned}$$

And  $1 \div \frac{\cos 2\theta \cos 2\phi}{\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi}{\cos 2\theta \cos 2\phi} = \frac{\sec 2\theta \sec 2\phi}{\sec^2 \theta \sec^2 \phi}.$



7. Since  $A + B + C = 360^\circ$ , we have  $\cos C = \cos(A + B)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus } 1 - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B - \cos^2 C + 2 \cos A \cos B \cos C \\ &= 1 - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B + \cos C (2 \cos A \cos B - \cos C) \\ &= 1 - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B + \cos(A + B) (\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) \\ &= 1 - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B + (\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B) (\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) \\ &= 1 - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B + \cos^2 A \cos^2 B - \sin^2 A \sin^2 B \\ &= 1 - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B + \cos^2 A \cos^2 B - (1 - \cos^2 A) (1 - \cos^2 B) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

8.  $\sin A = \frac{3}{5}$ ; therefore  $\cos A = \frac{4}{5}$ .  
 $\sin B = \frac{12}{13}$ ; therefore  $\cos B = \frac{5}{13}$ .  
 $\sin C = \frac{7}{25}$ ; therefore  $\cos C = \frac{24}{25}$ .

Hence we obtain  $\sin(A + B) = \frac{63}{65}$ ,  $\cos(A + B) = -\frac{16}{65}$ ;

then  $\sin(A + B + C) = \frac{63 \times 24 - 7 \times 16}{25 \times 65} = \frac{1400}{25 \times 65} = \frac{56}{65}$ .

9.  $x = r \left( \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} - \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \right)$ ,  $y = r \left( \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \right)$ .

From these we obtain  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{x+y}{2r \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}}$ ,  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{y-x}{2r \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}}$ .

Square and add; thus  $1 = \frac{1}{4r^2} \left\{ \frac{(x+y)^2}{\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}} + \frac{(y-x)^2}{\sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}} \right\}$ ;

therefore  $4r^2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = (x+y)^2 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} + (y-x)^2 \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$ ;

that is  $r^2 \sin^2 \alpha = x^2 + y^2 - 2xy \left( \cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) = x^2 + y^2 - 2xy \cos \alpha$ .

10. Here  $\frac{\sin(\theta + \phi)}{\sin(\theta - \phi)} = \frac{a+b}{a-b}$ , therefore  $\frac{\sin(\theta + \phi) + \sin(\theta - \phi)}{\sin(\theta + \phi) - \sin(\theta - \phi)} = \frac{a}{b}$ ,

that is  $\frac{\sin \theta \cos \phi}{\cos \theta \sin \phi} = \frac{a}{b}$ ; so that  $a \tan \phi = b \tan \theta$ .

Hence  $\frac{a \tan \frac{\phi}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}} = \frac{b \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}$ ;

therefore 
$$a \tan \frac{\phi}{2} - b \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \tan \frac{\phi}{2} \left( a \tan \frac{\theta}{2} - b \tan \frac{\phi}{2} \right)$$

$$= c \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \tan \frac{\phi}{2};$$

therefore 
$$a \tan \frac{\phi}{2} = \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \left( b + c \tan \frac{\phi}{2} \right).$$

Substitute for  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2}$  from the second of the given equations, and we obtain

$$a^2 \tan \frac{\phi}{2} = \left( b + c \tan \frac{\phi}{2} \right) \left( c + b \tan \frac{\phi}{2} \right).$$

11. Let  $x$  denote the number of degrees in one angle; then  $90 - x$  denotes the number of degrees in the other angle, and consequently  $\frac{10}{9}(90 - x)$  the number of grades. Hence  $x = \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{10}{9}(90 - x) = \frac{1}{3}(90 - x)$ . Therefore  $4x = 90$ , and  $x = 22\frac{1}{2}$ .

12. Let the circular measure of an angle be  $\frac{n\pi}{20}$ ; then the number of degrees in it is  $\frac{n\pi}{20} \cdot \frac{180}{\pi}$ , that is  $9n$ ; and the number of grades is  $\frac{n\pi}{20} \cdot \frac{200}{\pi}$ , that is  $10n$ .

13. Here  $(\sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta) \cos \gamma = (\sin \alpha \cos \gamma + \cos \alpha \sin \gamma) \cos \beta$ ; therefore 
$$\cos \alpha (\sin \beta \cos \gamma - \sin \gamma \cos \beta) = 0,$$
 that is 
$$\cos \alpha \sin (\beta - \gamma) = 0.$$

Either then  $\cos \alpha = 0$ , so that  $\alpha$  is an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; or  $\sin (\beta - \gamma) = 0$ , so that  $\beta - \gamma$  is a multiple of  $\pi$ .

14. 
$$\sin 4A (\tan^4 A + 2 \tan^2 A + 1) = \sin 4A (\tan^2 A + 1)^2$$

$$= \frac{\sin 4A}{\cos^4 A} = \frac{2 \sin 2A \cos 2A}{\cos^3 A} = \frac{4 \sin A \cos 2A}{\cos^3 A}$$

$$= \frac{4 \sin A (\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A)}{\cos^3 A}.$$

And 
$$4 \tan^3 A - 4 \tan A = 4 \tan A (\tan^2 A - 1)$$

$$= \frac{4 \sin A (\sin^2 A - \cos^2 A)}{\cos^3 A}.$$

Therefore 
$$\sin 4A (\tan^4 A + 2 \tan^2 A + 1) + 4 \tan^3 A - 4 \tan A = 0.$$

15. By Art. 23;  $\sin^2 24^\circ - \sin^2 6^\circ = \sin (24^\circ + 6^\circ) \sin (24^\circ - 6^\circ)$   
 $= \sin 30^\circ \sin 18^\circ.$

Also  $\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$ , and  $\sin 18^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}.$

16. The given expression is

$$\begin{aligned} & \sin A (\sin A + \cos B \sin C + \cos C \sin B) \\ & + \sin B (\sin B + \cos C \sin A + \cos A \sin C) \\ & + \sin C (\sin C + \cos A \sin B + \cos B \sin A), \end{aligned}$$

that is  $\sin A \{\sin A + \sin (B + C)\} + \sin B \{\sin B + \sin (C + A)\}$   
 $+ \sin C \{\sin C + \sin (A + B)\}.$

Now since  $A + B + C = 360^\circ$ , we have

$$\sin (B + C) = -\sin A, \quad \sin (C + A) = -\sin B, \quad \sin (A + B) = -\sin C;$$

thus the whole expression vanishes.

17. We have

$$\frac{\cos a \cos \gamma}{a} + \frac{\sin a \sin \gamma}{b} = \frac{1}{c}, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\cos \beta \cos \gamma}{a} + \frac{\sin \beta \sin \gamma}{b} = \frac{1}{c}.$$

From these equations we find  $\cos \gamma$  and  $\sin \gamma$ . We get

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \gamma &= \frac{a (\sin \beta - \sin a)}{c (\cos a \sin \beta - \cos \beta \sin a)} = \frac{2a \sin \frac{1}{2} (\beta - a) \cos \frac{1}{2} (\beta + a)}{c \sin (\beta - a)} \\ &= \frac{a \cos \frac{1}{2} (\beta + a)}{c \cos \frac{1}{2} (\beta - a)}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \gamma &= \frac{b (\cos a - \cos \beta)}{c (\cos a \sin \beta - \cos \beta \sin a)} = \frac{2b \sin \frac{1}{2} (\beta + a) \sin \frac{1}{2} (\beta - a)}{c \sin (\beta - a)} \\ &= \frac{b \sin \frac{1}{2} (\beta + a)}{c \cos \frac{1}{2} (\beta - a)}. \end{aligned}$$

Square, and add; thus

$$1 = \frac{a^2 \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} (\beta + a) + b^2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} (\beta + a)}{c^2 \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} (\beta - a)};$$

therefore  $c^2 \{1 + \cos (\beta - a)\} = a^2 \{1 + \cos (\beta + a)\} + b^2 \{1 - \cos (\beta + a)\};$

therefore  $(b^2 + c^2 - a^2) \cos a \cos \beta + (a^2 + c^2 - b^2) \sin a \sin \beta = a^2 + b^2 - c^2.$

18.  $\sin A = \frac{1}{3}$ ; therefore  $\cos 2A = 1 - \frac{2}{9} = \frac{7}{9}$ ,

and  $\sin 2A = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{49}{81}\right)} = \frac{\sqrt{32}}{9}$ .

$\sin B = \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $\cos 2B = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$ ,

and  $\sin 2B = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right)} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

Hence  $\sin(2A + 2B) = \frac{\sqrt{32} + 7\sqrt{3}}{18} = \frac{4\sqrt{2} + 7\sqrt{3}}{18}$ .

19.  $\cos 4x + \cos 2x + \cos x = 0$ ;

therefore  $2 \cos 3x \cos x + \cos x = 0$ ;

therefore either  $\cos x = 0$  or  $2 \cos 3x + 1 = 0$ .

If  $\cos x = 0$ , then  $x = (2n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

If  $\cos 3x = -\frac{1}{2}$ , then  $3x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

20.  $\cos A + \cos B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}$ ;

$$\cos C + \cos D = 2 \cos \frac{C+D}{2} \cos \frac{C-D}{2}$$

$$= -2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{C-D}{2}, \text{ by Art. 48.}$$

Hence, by addition,

$$\begin{aligned} \cos A + \cos B + \cos C + \cos D &= 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{A-B}{2} - \cos \frac{C-D}{2} \right\} \\ &= 4 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A+C-B-D}{4} \sin \frac{C+B-A-D}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

Also  $\sin \frac{A+C-B-D}{4} = \sin \frac{2A+2C-360^\circ}{4} = \sin \left( \frac{A+C}{2} - 90^\circ \right) = -\cos \frac{A+C}{2}$ ;

and in like manner  $\sin \frac{C+B-A-D}{4} = -\cos \frac{B+C}{2}$ .

Thus we obtain finally  $4 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{B+C}{2} \cos \frac{C+A}{2}$ .

21. Suppose that the smaller unit contains  $x$  degrees, and therefore the larger unit  $x+10$  degrees. Let  $n$  denote the number of degrees in the angle measured; then  $\frac{n}{x}$  is to  $\frac{n}{x+10}$  as 3 is to 2. Therefore  $\frac{2}{x} = \frac{3}{x+10}$ ; whence  $x=20$ .

22.  $\sin^2 x + \sin x = 1$ . Solving this quadratic in the ordinary way we obtain  $\sin x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$ ; the upper sign must be taken, as the lower would make  $\sin x$  numerically greater than unity.

Thus 
$$\sin^2 x = \frac{6-2\sqrt{5}}{4};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 x = 1 - \frac{6-2\sqrt{5}}{4} = \frac{-2+2\sqrt{5}}{4} = \frac{-1+\sqrt{5}}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^4 x = \frac{6-2\sqrt{5}}{4} = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 x + \cos^4 x = 1.$$

Or thus: 
$$\sin x = 1 - \sin^2 x = \cos^2 x; \text{ square;}$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 x = \cos^4 x, \text{ that is } 1 - \cos^2 x = \cos^4 x;$$

therefore 
$$1 = \cos^2 x + \cos^4 x.$$

23. Here 
$$\tan^2 x + \frac{1}{\tan^2 x} = 2;$$

therefore 
$$\tan^4 x - 2 \tan^2 x + 1 = 0;$$

hence 
$$\tan^2 x = 1; \text{ therefore } \tan x = \pm 1;$$

therefore 
$$x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

24. We have 
$$a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta = c, \quad \frac{a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} = c;$$

hence 
$$(a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta)(a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta) = c^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta;$$

therefore 
$$(a^2 + b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta + ab = c^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta;$$

therefore 
$$\sin 2\theta (c^2 - a^2 - b^2) = 2ab.$$

25. 
$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2(A+B) + \cos^2(A-B) &= \frac{1 + \cos(2A+2B)}{2} + \frac{1 + \cos(2A-2B)}{2} \\ &= 1 + \cos 2A \cos 2B; \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2(A+B) + \cos^2(A-B) - \cos 2A \cos 2B = 1.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 26. \quad \tan(A - B) &= \frac{\tan A - \tan B}{1 + \tan A \tan B} = \frac{\frac{3}{2} \tan B - \tan B}{1 + \frac{3}{2} \tan^2 B} \\
 &= \frac{\tan B}{2 + 3 \tan^2 B} = \frac{\sin B \cos B}{2 \cos^2 B + 3 \sin^2 B} = \frac{\sin 2B}{2(1 + \cos 2B) + 3(1 - \cos 2B)} \\
 &= \frac{\sin 2B}{5 - \cos 2B}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$27. \quad \sin \frac{n+1}{2} \theta + \sin \frac{n-1}{2} \theta = \sin \theta,$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin \frac{n\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}.$$

Thus either  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$ , or  $\sin \frac{n\theta}{2} = \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ .

From the former we have  $\frac{\theta}{2} = (2m+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$ . All the solutions of the latter are comprised in  $\frac{n\theta}{2} = m\pi + (-1)^m \frac{\theta}{2}$ , where  $m$  is zero or an integer.

$$28. \quad \text{Here} \quad \tan(2\alpha - 3\beta) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3\alpha + 2\beta\right),$$

and 
$$\tan(2\alpha + 3\beta) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 3\alpha - 2\beta\right).$$

Hence all possible solutions are comprised in

$$2\alpha - 3\beta = m\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} - 3\alpha + 2\beta, \quad \text{and} \quad 2\alpha + 3\beta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} - 3\alpha - 2\beta,$$

where  $m$  and  $n$  are zero or integers.

From these we obtain  $\alpha = (m+n+1) \frac{\pi}{10}$ ,  $\beta = (n-m) \frac{\pi}{10}$ ,

so that  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are multiples of  $\frac{\pi}{10}$ .

$$29. \quad \text{Here} \quad \frac{\sin(a+x) \sin(a-x)}{\cos^2(a+x) \cos^2(a-x)} = \frac{1 - 2 \cos 2a}{1 + 2 \cos 2a};$$

therefore, by Art. 83, 
$$\frac{\sin^2 a - \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 a - \sin^2 x} = \frac{1 - 2 \cos 2a}{1 + 2 \cos 2a};$$

therefore 
$$4 \cos 2a \sin^2 x = \sin^2 a (1 + 2 \cos 2a) - \cos^2 a (1 - 2 \cos 2a) \\ = -\cos 2a + 2 \cos 2a = \cos 2a;$$

therefore  $\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{4}$ ; therefore  $\sin x = \pm \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $x = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

$$30. \quad \sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2};$$

$$\sin C + \sin D = 2 \sin \frac{C+D}{2} \cos \frac{C-D}{2}$$

$$= 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{C-D}{2}, \text{ by Art. 48.}$$

Hence, by addition,

$$\sin A + \sin B + \sin C + \sin D = 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{A-B}{2} + \cos \frac{C-D}{2} \right\}$$

$$= 4 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A+C-B-D}{4} \cos \frac{A+D-B-C}{4}.$$

Then, as in Example 20, we can shew that

$$\cos \frac{A+C-B-D}{4} = \sin \frac{A+C}{2}, \text{ and } \cos \frac{A+D-B-C}{4} = \sin \frac{B+C}{2}.$$

31. The first angle contains 60 degrees; the second angle contains  $\frac{9}{10} \times 50$  degrees, that is 45 degrees; the third angle contains  $\frac{3\pi}{4} \times \frac{180}{\pi}$  degrees, that is 135 degrees. Therefore the fourth angle must contain  $360 - 60 - 45 - 135$  degrees, that is 120 degrees.

$$32. \quad \sin A = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{40}{41}\right)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{(41-40)(41+40)}}{41} = \frac{\sqrt{81}}{41} = \frac{9}{41};$$

$$\sin B = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{60}{61}\right)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{(61-60)(61+60)}}{61} = \frac{\sqrt{121}}{61} = \frac{11}{61}.$$

$$\cos(A-B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B = \frac{40 \times 60 + 9 \times 11}{41 \times 61} = \frac{2499}{2501};$$

thus  $1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{2499}{2501};$

therefore  $2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{2}{41 \times 61};$

therefore  $\sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(A-B) = \frac{1}{41 \times 61}.$

33. Here  $3 \sin \theta - 4 \sin^3 \theta = 8 \sin^3 \theta;$

therefore  $3 \sin \theta = 12 \sin^3 \theta;$

therefore either  $\sin \theta = 0,$  or  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4};$

the former gives  $\theta = n\pi;$  the latter gives  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}.$

34. Divide the first by the second; thus we get

$$a \cos \theta - b \cos \phi = \frac{c^2}{r};$$

therefore  $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2a} \left( r + \frac{c^2}{r} \right)$ ,  $\cos \phi = \frac{1}{2b} \left( r - \frac{c^2}{r} \right)$ .

Now  $\frac{a^2 \sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{b^2 \sin^2 \phi}{\cos^2 \phi}$ ; therefore  $a^2 (\sec^2 \theta - 1) = b^2 (\sec^2 \phi - 1)$ ;

therefore  $a^2 \left\{ \frac{4r^2 a^2}{(r^2 + c^2)^2} - 1 \right\} = b^2 \left\{ \frac{4r^2 b^2}{(r^2 - c^2)^2} - 1 \right\}$ .

35. Here  $\tan A + \tan C = 2 \tan B$ , and  $\frac{1}{\tan A} + \frac{1}{\tan D} = \frac{2}{\tan B}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{\tan C}{\tan D} = (2 \tan B - \tan A) \left( \frac{2}{\tan B} - \frac{1}{\tan A} \right) = 5 - 2 \left( \frac{\tan B}{\tan A} + \frac{\tan A}{\tan B} \right)$   
 $= 5 - 2 \left( \frac{\sin B \cos A}{\cos B \sin A} + \frac{\sin A \cos B}{\cos A \sin B} \right) = 5 - 2 \frac{\sin^2 B \cos^2 A + \sin^2 A \cos^2 B}{\sin A \cos A \sin B \cos B}$   
 $= 1 - \frac{2 (\sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B)^2}{\sin A \cos A \sin B \cos B} = 1 - \frac{8 \sin^2 (A - B)}{\sin 2A \sin 2B}$ .

36. Here  $\cos x (1 - \cos^2 x) = \sin a (1 - \sin^2 a)$ ; therefore

$$\cos x - \sin a = \cos^3 x - \sin^3 a = (\cos x - \sin a) (\cos^2 x + \cos x \sin a + \sin^2 a);$$

therefore either  $\cos x - \sin a = 0$ , or  $1 = \cos^2 x + \cos x \sin a + \sin^2 a$ .

The latter gives  $\cos^2 x + \cos x \sin a = \cos^2 a$ ;

by solving this quadratic equation we obtain

$$\cos x = \frac{-\sin a \pm \sqrt{(\sin^2 a + 4 \cos^2 a)}}{2};$$

it will be found that only one of these values is numerically less than unity, namely, the numerically less of the two.

37. We have  $2 \cos \theta - 1 = \frac{4 \cos^2 \theta - 1}{2 \cos \theta + 1} = \frac{2 \cos 2\theta + 1}{2 \cos \theta + 1}$ ,

$$2 \cos 2\theta - 1 = \frac{4 \cos^2 2\theta - 1}{2 \cos 2\theta + 1} = \frac{2 \cos 4\theta + 1}{2 \cos 2\theta + 1},$$

and so on, which we use down to

$$2 \cos 2^{n-1} \theta - 1 = \frac{4 \cos^2 2^{n-1} \theta - 1}{2 \cos 2^{n-1} \theta + 1} = \frac{2 \cos 2^n \theta + 1}{2 \cos 2^{n-1} \theta + 1}.$$

Multiply these expressions together, then by cancelling we obtain the required result.



38. Here  $\tan(\pi \cot \theta) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \tan \theta\right);$

hence all possible solutions are comprised in the formula

$$\pi \cot \theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \tan \theta;$$

thus  $\tan^2 \theta - \left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right) \tan \theta + 1 = 0;$

by solving this quadratic equation we obtain the value of  $\tan \theta$ .

39.  $\cos^2 A + \cos^2 B + \cos^2 C - 2 \cos A \cos B \cos C - 1$   
 $= (\cos A - \cos B \cos C)^2 + \cos^2 B + \cos^2 C - 1 - \cos^2 B \cos^2 C$   
 $= (\cos A - \cos B \cos C)^2 - (1 - \cos^2 B)(1 - \cos^2 C)$   
 $= (\cos A - \cos B \cos C)^2 - \sin^2 B \sin^2 C$   
 $= (\cos A - \cos B \cos C + \sin B \sin C)(\cos A - \cos B \cos C - \sin B \sin C)$   
 $= \{\cos A - \cos(B + C)\} \{\cos A - \cos(B - C)\}$   
 $= 4 \sin \frac{A+B+C}{2} \sin \frac{B+C-A}{2} \sin \frac{A+B-C}{2} \sin \frac{B-C-A}{2}$   
 $= -4 \sin \frac{A+B+C}{2} \sin \frac{B+C-A}{2} \sin \frac{A+C-B}{2} \sin \frac{A+B-C}{2}.$

40.  $\sin A - \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{A-B}{2} \cos \frac{A+B}{2};$   
 $\sin C - \sin D = 2 \sin \frac{C-D}{2} \cos \frac{C+D}{2}$   
 $= -2 \sin \frac{C-D}{2} \cos \frac{A+B}{2},$  by Art. 48.

Hence, by addition,

$$\sin A - \sin B + \sin C - \sin D = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \left\{ \sin \frac{A-B}{2} - \sin \frac{C-D}{2} \right\}$$

$$= 4 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A+D-B-C}{4} \cos \frac{A+C-B-D}{4}.$$

Then, as in Example 20, we can shew that

$$\sin \frac{A+D-B-C}{4} = \cos \frac{B+C}{2}, \text{ and } \cos \frac{A+C-B-D}{4} = \sin \frac{A+C}{2}.$$

41. The angle described is  $\frac{25}{60}$  of four right angles; the number of degrees  $= \frac{5}{12} \times 360 = 150$ ; the number of grades  $= \frac{5}{12} \times 400 = 166\frac{2}{3}$ ; the circular measure  $= \frac{5}{12} \times 2\pi = \frac{5\pi}{6}.$

$$42. \quad \cos \theta + \sin \theta = \sqrt{2} \left( \frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \sqrt{2} \cdot \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right);$$

similarly  $\quad \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta = \sqrt{2} \cos \left( 2\theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right);$

$$\text{the product} = 2 \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \cos \left( 2\theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \cos \theta + \cos \left( 3\theta - \frac{\pi}{2} \right).$$

$$43. \quad \operatorname{cosec} 2A (\operatorname{cosec} A + \operatorname{cosec} 3A) = \frac{1}{\sin 2A} \cdot \frac{\sin A + \sin 3A}{\sin A \sin 3A}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin 2A} \cdot \frac{2 \sin 2A \cos A}{\sin A \sin 3A} = \frac{2 \cos A}{\sin A \sin 3A};$$

and  $\operatorname{cosec} A (\cot A - \cot 3A) = \frac{1}{\sin A} \left( \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} - \frac{\cos 3A}{\sin 3A} \right)$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin A} \cdot \frac{\sin 3A \cos A - \cos 3A \sin A}{\sin A \sin 3A} = \frac{1}{\sin A} \cdot \frac{\sin (3A - A)}{\sin A \sin 3A}$$

$$= \frac{\sin 2A}{\sin^2 A \sin 3A} = \frac{2 \sin A \cos A}{\sin^2 A \sin 3A} = \frac{2 \cos A}{\sin A \sin 3A};$$

thus the proposed expressions are equal.

$$44. \quad \sec^2 \frac{1}{2} A \sec A \frac{\cot^2 \frac{1}{2} A - \cot^2 \frac{3}{2} A}{1 + \cot^2 \frac{3}{2} A}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A} \frac{1}{\cos A} \frac{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A \sin^2 \frac{3}{2} A - \cos^2 \frac{3}{2} A \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \left( \cos^2 \frac{3A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{3A}{2} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{\left( \cos \frac{1}{2} A \sin \frac{3}{2} A - \cos \frac{3}{2} A \sin \frac{1}{2} A \right) \left( \cos \frac{1}{2} A \sin \frac{3}{2} A + \cos \frac{3}{2} A \sin \frac{1}{2} A \right)}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos A}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \left( \frac{3A}{2} - \frac{A}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{3A}{2} + \frac{A}{2} \right)}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos A} = \frac{\sin A \sin 2A}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos A}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin^2 A}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A} = \frac{2 \left( 2 \sin \frac{1}{2} A \cos \frac{1}{2} A \right)^2}{\sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A} = 8.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 45. \quad \sec A + \operatorname{cosec} A (1 + \sec A) &= \frac{1}{\cos A} + \frac{1}{\sin A} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\cos A} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1 + \cos A + \sin A}{\cos A \sin A} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A + 2 \sin \frac{1}{2} A \cos \frac{1}{2} A}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2} A \cos \frac{1}{2} A \cos A} \\
 &= \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2} A + \sin \frac{1}{2} A}{\sin \frac{1}{2} A \cos A} = \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2} A}{\cos A} \left( \sec \frac{1}{2} A + \operatorname{cosec} \frac{1}{2} A \right); \\
 1 - \tan^2 \frac{1}{2} A &= \frac{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A - \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A}; \\
 1 - \tan^2 \frac{1}{4} A &= \frac{\cos^2 \frac{1}{4} A - \sin^2 \frac{1}{4} A}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{4} A} = \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2} A}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{4} A}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence by multiplication we obtain the required result.

46. Put  $c^2$  for  $a^4 + \frac{a^2 b^2}{a^2 - 1}$ : thus

$$\cos \theta = \frac{a-b}{c}, \quad \text{and} \quad \cos \phi = \frac{a+b}{c};$$

from these we obtain

$$\sin \theta = \frac{a(a^2 - 1) + b}{c \sqrt{(a^2 - 1)}}, \quad \text{and} \quad \sin \phi = \frac{a(a^2 - 1) - b}{c \sqrt{(a^2 - 1)}}.$$

Next we obtain  $\cos(\theta - \phi) = \frac{a^4 - a^2 - b^2}{a^4 - a^2 + b^2}$ ;

and thus  $\tan^2 \frac{1}{2}(\theta - \phi) = \frac{1 - \cos(\theta - \phi)}{1 + \cos(\theta - \phi)} = \frac{b^2}{a^4 - a^2}$ .

47.  $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{\sin(\phi - \theta)}{\sin(\phi + \theta)}$  (1),  $\frac{c}{x} = \cos(\phi - \theta)$  (2),  $\frac{b}{x} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\sin \phi}$  (3).

From (1) we get  $\frac{b+a}{b-a} = \frac{\sin \phi \cos \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \phi} = \frac{x \cos \theta}{b \cos \phi}$ , by (3).

By (2) we have  $\frac{c}{x} = \cos \phi \cos \theta + \sin \phi \sin \theta$

$$= \frac{b}{x} \cdot \frac{b+a}{b-a} \cos^2 \phi + \frac{b}{x} \sin^2 \phi;$$

hence we get 
$$\cos^2 \phi = \frac{(c-b)(b-a)}{2ab};$$

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{(c-b)(a+b)^2 b^2}{2ab(b-a)x^2}.$$

But from (3) we have 
$$\frac{b^2}{x^2}(1 - \cos^2 \phi) = 1 - \cos^2 \theta,$$

so that 
$$\frac{b^2}{x^2} - 1 = \frac{b^2}{x^2} \left\{ \frac{(c-b)(b-a)}{2ab} - \frac{(c-b)(a+b)^2}{2ab(b-a)} \right\},$$

or 
$$x^2 - b^2 = \frac{b^2(c-b)4ab}{2ab(b-a)} = \frac{2b^2(c-b)}{b-a};$$

therefore 
$$x^2(b-a) = b^2(2c-a-b).$$

48. Put  $2 \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} - 1$  for  $\cos x$ ; thus we obtain the quadratic equation

$$2 \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right) - \sin \beta \cos \frac{x}{2} = \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right).$$

By solving this we have

$$\cos \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sin \beta \pm \sqrt{\left\{ \sin^2 \beta + 8 \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right) \right\}}}{4 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)};$$

and 
$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \beta + 8 \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right) &= \sin^2 \beta + 4 \left\{ 1 + \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \beta \right) \right\} \\ &= \sin^2 \beta + 4 + 4 \sin \beta. \end{aligned}$$

Hence 
$$\cos \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sin \beta \pm (2 + \sin \beta)}{4 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)}.$$

Take the upper sign; then 
$$\cos \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1 + \sin \beta}{2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \beta \right)}{2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)}{2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)} = \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right).$$

Take the lower sign; then 
$$\cos x = - \frac{1}{2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\beta}{2} \right)}.$$

49. Write the first equation in the form

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta - 2\phi\right) = \cos(\theta + 3\phi);$$

hence all possible solutions are comprised in

$$\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta - 2\phi = 2m\pi \pm (\theta + 3\phi).$$

If we take the upper sign we have

$$3\theta + 5\phi = \frac{\pi}{2} - 2m\pi \dots\dots\dots (1).$$

If we take the lower sign we have

$$\phi - \theta = 2m\pi - \frac{\pi}{2} \dots\dots\dots (2).$$

Again, write the second equation in the form

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \phi - 3\theta\right) = \cos(2\theta + 2\phi);$$

hence all possible solutions are comprised in

$$\frac{\pi}{2} - \phi - 3\theta = 2n\pi \pm (2\theta + 2\phi).$$

If we take the upper sign we have

$$5\theta + 3\phi = \frac{\pi}{2} - 2n\pi \dots\dots\dots (3).$$

If we take the lower sign we have

$$\phi - \theta = 2n\pi - \frac{\pi}{2};$$

this agrees with (2).

Thus either (2) holds, or both (1) and (3) hold. From (1) and (3) we obtain

$$16\theta = (3m - 5n) 2\pi + \pi, \quad 16\phi = (3n - 5m) 2\pi + \pi.$$

50. We have  $1 + \sec 2\theta = \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} = \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} \cdot \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta}$   
 $= \tan 2\theta \cdot \cot \theta = \frac{\tan 2\theta}{\tan \theta}.$

Similarly  $1 + \sec 4\theta = \frac{\tan 4\theta}{\tan 2\theta},$

and so on, which we use down to

$$1 + \sec 2^n \theta = \frac{\tan 2^n \theta}{\tan 2^{n-1} \theta}.$$

Multiply these expressions together, then by cancelling we obtain the required result.

51. Here the circular measure of an angle is given equal to  $\frac{9}{10}$ ; hence the number of degrees in it is  $\frac{9}{10} \cdot \frac{180}{\pi}$ , that is  $\frac{162}{\pi}$ .

52.  $\sin(A - B) + \sin(A + 3B) = 2 \sin(A + B) \cos 2B$ ;  
therefore  $\{\sin(A - B) + \sin(A + 3B)\} \sec 2B = 2 \sin(A + B)$ .

$$\cos 2B - \cos 2A = 2 \sin(A - B) \sin(A + B);$$

therefore  $(\cos 2B - \cos 2A) \operatorname{cosec}(A - B) = 2 \sin(A + B)$ ;

thus the proposed expressions are equal.

53. Here  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} (1 + \sin^2 \theta) = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} (1 + \cos^2 \theta)$ ;

therefore  $\cos \alpha (\sin \theta + \sin^3 \theta) = \sin \alpha (\cos \theta + \cos^3 \theta)$ ;

therefore  $\cos \alpha \sin \theta + \cos \alpha \frac{3 \sin \theta - \sin 3\theta}{4} = \sin \alpha \cos \theta + \sin \alpha \frac{3 \cos \theta + \cos 3\theta}{4}$ ;

therefore  $7(\sin \theta \cos \alpha - \cos \theta \sin \alpha) = \sin 3\theta \cos \alpha + \cos 3\theta \sin \alpha$ ;

that is  $7 \sin(\theta - \alpha) = \sin(3\theta + \alpha)$ .

54. Here  $2 \cos 4\theta \cos \theta + \sqrt{2} (\cos \theta + \sin \theta) \cos \theta = 0$ ;

therefore either  $\cos \theta = 0$  or  $\cos 4\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\cos \theta + \sin \theta)$ .

Take the former; then  $\theta = (2n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Take the latter; thus  $\cos 4\theta = \cos \left( \frac{3\pi}{4} + \theta \right)$ ;

therefore  $4\theta = 2n\pi \pm \left( \frac{3\pi}{4} + \theta \right)$ .

55. We have  $\sin \phi = \frac{n \sin \theta - m \cos \theta}{2m}$ ;

and  $n \sin 2\theta - m (1 - 2 \sin^2 \phi) = n$ ;

therefore  $n \sin 2\theta + 2m \left( \frac{n \sin \theta - m \cos \theta}{2m} \right)^2 = m + n$ ;

therefore  $2mn \sin 2\theta + (n \sin \theta - m \cos \theta)^2 = 2m(m + n)$ ;

therefore  $(n \sin \theta + m \cos \theta)^2 = 2m(m + n)$ .

56. Substitute  $\frac{3 \cos \theta + \cos 3\theta}{4}$  for  $\cos^3 \theta$  and  $\frac{3 \sin \theta - \sin 3\theta}{4}$  for  $\sin^3 \theta$ ;  
thus the equation becomes

$$2 \sin \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \{ 3 \cos \theta + \cos 3\theta \} + 2 \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \{ 3 \sin \theta - \sin 3\theta \} \\ - 6 \sin \left( 2\theta - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = \sqrt{3},$$

that is  $2 \sin \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \cos 3\theta - 2 \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \sin 3\theta = \sqrt{3},$

that is  $-\sin \left( 3\theta - \theta + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2};$

thus  $\sin \left( 2\theta + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2};$

therefore  $2\theta + \frac{\pi}{3} = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{4\pi}{3}.$

57.  $\sin \theta \cos (\beta - \theta) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin \beta + \sin (2\theta - \beta) \}.$

The greatest value of  $\sin (2\theta - \beta)$  is obviously when  $2\theta - \beta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , so  
that  $\theta = \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}.$

58.  $\cos 55^\circ + \cos 65^\circ = 2 \cos 60^\circ \cos 5^\circ = \cos 5^\circ = -\cos 175^\circ;$   
therefore  $\cos 55^\circ + \cos 65^\circ + \cos 175^\circ = 0.$

$$\cos 55^\circ \cos 65^\circ = \frac{1}{2} (\cos 10^\circ + \cos 120^\circ),$$

$$\cos 65^\circ \cos 175^\circ = \frac{1}{2} (\cos 110^\circ + \cos 240^\circ),$$

$$\cos 55^\circ \cos 175^\circ = \frac{1}{2} (\cos 120^\circ + \cos 230^\circ);$$

hence by addition we obtain  $-\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} (\cos 10^\circ + \cos 110^\circ + \cos 230^\circ),$

that is  $-\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} (\cos 10^\circ + \cos 110^\circ - \cos 50^\circ),$

that is  $-\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} (2 \cos 60^\circ \cos 50^\circ - \cos 50^\circ),$  that is  $-\frac{3}{4}.$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \cos 55^\circ \cos 65^\circ \cos 175^\circ &= \frac{1}{2} (\cos 10^\circ + \cos 120^\circ) \cos 175^\circ \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} (\cos 165^\circ + \cos 185^\circ) + \frac{1}{4} (\cos 55^\circ + \cos 295^\circ) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} (-\cos 15^\circ + \cos 175^\circ + \cos 55^\circ + \cos 65^\circ) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4} \cos 15^\circ, \text{ by what has been already shewn,} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{8\sqrt{2}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

59. From  $x \cos(\alpha + \beta) + \cos(\alpha - \beta) = x \cos(\beta + \gamma) + \cos(\beta - \gamma)$

we obtain

$$x = \frac{\cos(\beta - \gamma) - \cos(\alpha - \beta)}{\cos(\alpha + \beta) - \cos(\beta + \gamma)} = -\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2} - \beta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2} + \beta\right)}.$$

Two other expressions for the value of  $x$  may be obtained; and thus we have

$$\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2} - \beta\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2} + \beta\right)} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{2} - \gamma\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{2} + \gamma\right)} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\gamma + \beta}{2} - \alpha\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\gamma + \beta}{2} + \alpha\right)} = -x;$$

hence

$$\frac{\sin\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2} \cos\beta}{\cos\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2} \sin\beta} = \frac{1-x}{1+x}, \text{ that is } \frac{\tan\frac{\alpha + \gamma}{2}}{\tan\beta} = \frac{1-x}{1+x}.$$

Similarly  $\frac{\tan\frac{\beta + \alpha}{2}}{\tan\gamma}$  and  $\frac{\tan\frac{\gamma + \beta}{2}}{\tan\alpha}$  are also equal to  $\frac{1-x}{1+x}$ .

60.  $\cos A - \cos B = 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{B-A}{2};$

$$\cos C - \cos D = 2 \sin \frac{C+D}{2} \sin \frac{D-C}{2}$$

$$= 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{D-C}{2}, \text{ by Art. 48.}$$



Hence by addition,

$$\begin{aligned}\cos A - \cos B + \cos C - \cos D &= 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \left\{ \sin \frac{B-A}{2} + \sin \frac{D-C}{2} \right\} \\ &= 4 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{B+D-A-C}{4} \cos \frac{B+C-A-D}{4}.\end{aligned}$$

Then, as in Example 20, we can shew that

$$\sin \frac{B+D-A-C}{4} = \cos \frac{A+C}{2}, \text{ and } \cos \frac{B+C-A-D}{4} = \sin \frac{B+C}{2}.$$

61. Let  $x$  denote the number of sides in the first regular polygon, and  $y$  the number of sides in the second. All the angles of the first polygon are equal to  $2x - 4$  right angles; therefore each angle is equal to  $\frac{2x-4}{x}$  right angles, and therefore contains  $\frac{2x-4}{x}$  90 degrees. In the same way each angle of the second polygon contains  $\frac{2y-4}{y}$  100 grades. Then, by supposition, we have  $\frac{2x-4}{x} 90 : \frac{2y-4}{y} 100 :: 3 : 5$ ;

therefore 
$$5 \frac{2x-4}{x} 90 = 3 \frac{2y-4}{y} 100;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{3(x-2)}{x} = \frac{2(y-2)}{y};$$

therefore  $3y(x-2) = 2x(y-2)$ ; therefore  $y(6-x) = 4x$ . This formula shews that  $x$  cannot be greater than 5; for if  $x=6$  we should have  $y \times 0 = 24$ , which is absurd; and if  $x$  is greater than 6 we should have a negative value for  $y$ , which is also absurd. And  $x$  cannot be less than 3. Thus the only possible solutions are  $x=3$ ,  $x=4$ , and  $x=5$ ; which give respectively  $y=4$ ,  $y=8$ , and  $y=20$ .

62. Here 
$$\frac{1}{\cos^2 \frac{x}{2}} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 \frac{x}{2}} = \frac{16 \cos x}{\sin x};$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 \frac{x}{2} + \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{16 \cos x \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{\sin x} = 8 \cos x \cos \frac{x}{2} \sin \frac{x}{2};$$

therefore 
$$1 = 4 \cos x \sin x = 2 \sin 2x;$$

therefore 
$$\sin 2x = \frac{1}{2}; \text{ therefore } 2x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

63. Here 
$$m \sin 2\theta = n \sin \theta, \quad p \cos 2\theta = q \cos \theta;$$

from the first equation  $2m \sin \theta \cos \theta = n \sin \theta$ ; therefore  $\cos \theta = \frac{n}{2m}$ .

Substitute in the second equation, that is in  $p(2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) = q \cos \theta$ ;

thus 
$$p \left\{ 2 \left( \frac{n}{2m} \right)^2 - 1 \right\} = \frac{qn}{2m}; \text{ therefore } p(n^2 - 2m^2) = qmn.$$

64. We may write the equation thus :

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \alpha - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \alpha ;$$

therefore 
$$\cos \left( \theta + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \cos \left( \alpha + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) ;$$

therefore 
$$\theta + \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi \pm \left( \alpha + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) .$$

65.  $\sin (A + C) \sin (A + D) - \sin (B + C) \sin (B + D)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (C - D) - \cos (2A + C + D) \} - \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (C - D) - \cos (2B + C + D) \} ;$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (2B + C + D) - \cos (2A + C + D) \} ;$$

$$= \sin (A - B) \sin (A + B + C + D) .$$

Thus, if  $\sin (A + B + C + D)$  vanishes, the difference between the two proposed expressions vanishes; and therefore the two expressions are equal.

66. We have  $\sin \phi = p - \sin \theta$ ,  $\cos \phi = q - \cos \theta$ ; square and add,

thus 
$$1 = p^2 + q^2 - 2p \sin \theta - 2q \cos \theta + 1 ;$$

therefore 
$$2p \sin \theta + 2q \cos \theta = p^2 + q^2 .$$

Now assume that  $\tan \alpha = \frac{q}{p}$ , so that

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{q}{\sqrt{(p^2 + q^2)}} \quad \text{and} \quad \cos \alpha = \frac{p}{\sqrt{(p^2 + q^2)}} ;$$

thus 
$$2\sqrt{(p^2 + q^2)} \{ \sin \theta \cos \alpha + \cos \theta \sin \alpha \} = p^2 + q^2 ,$$

therefore 
$$\sin (\theta + \alpha) = \frac{\sqrt{(p^2 + q^2)}}{2} = \sin \beta \text{ say} ;$$

therefore 
$$\theta + \alpha = n\pi + (-1)^n \beta .$$

67. 
$$\cos \frac{\pi}{15} \cos \frac{4\pi}{15} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \cos \frac{\pi}{5} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4} \right) = \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{8} ;$$

$$\cos \frac{2\pi}{15} \cos \frac{7\pi}{15} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} \right) = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{8} ;$$

$$\cos \frac{3\pi}{15} \cos \frac{6\pi}{15} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} \right) = \frac{1}{4} ;$$

$$\cos \frac{5\pi}{15} = \frac{1}{2} ;$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} & \cos \frac{\pi}{15} \cos \frac{2\pi}{15} \cos \frac{3\pi}{15} \cos \frac{4\pi}{15} \cos \frac{5\pi}{15} \cos \frac{6\pi}{15} \cos \frac{7\pi}{15} \\ &= \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{8} \cdot \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{8} \cdot \frac{1}{8} = \frac{4}{8^3} = \frac{1}{27}. \end{aligned}$$

68.  $a \sin^2 \theta + b \sin \theta \cos \theta + c \cos^2 \theta$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{a(1 - \cos 2\theta) + b \sin 2\theta + c(1 + \cos 2\theta)\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{a + c + b \sin 2\theta - (a - c) \cos 2\theta\}.$$

Now let  $\alpha$  be an angle such that  $\tan \alpha = \frac{a-c}{b}$ , so that  $\cos \alpha = \frac{b}{\sqrt{b^2 + (a-c)^2}}$ ,

and  $\sin \alpha = \frac{a-c}{\sqrt{b^2 + (a-c)^2}}$ . Then the above expression

$$= \frac{1}{2} (a+c) + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{b^2 + (a-c)^2} \{\sin 2\theta \cos \alpha - \cos 2\theta \sin \alpha\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (a+c) + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{b^2 + (a-c)^2} \sin(2\theta - \alpha).$$

Then as  $\sin(2\theta - \alpha)$  must lie between  $-1$  and  $+1$ , we obtain the required result.

69.  $\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \alpha\right) + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - \alpha\right) = 2 \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} \cos \alpha = -\cos \alpha;$

therefore  $\cos \alpha + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \alpha\right) + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - \alpha\right) = 0.$

$$\cos \alpha \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \alpha\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\alpha\right) \right\}$$

$$\cos \alpha \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - \alpha\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - 2\alpha\right) \right\}$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + \alpha\right) \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - \alpha\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{4\pi}{3} + \cos 2\alpha \right\}.$$

Now  $\cos 2\alpha + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\alpha\right) + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - 2\alpha\right)$  is zero, in the manner already shewn; and  $\cos \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $\cos \frac{4\pi}{3}$  are each  $-\frac{1}{2}$ : thus the sum is  $-\frac{3}{4}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \cos a \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} + a \right) \cos \left( \frac{2\pi}{3} - a \right) &= \cos a \left( \cos^2 a - \sin^2 \frac{2\pi}{3} \right), \text{ by Art. 83,} \\ &= \cos a \left( \cos^2 a - \frac{3}{4} \right) = \frac{1}{4} \cos a (4 \cos^2 a - 3) = \frac{\cos 3a}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

$$70. \quad \cos \frac{a}{2^n} + \cos \frac{\beta}{2^n} = \frac{\cos^2 \frac{a}{2^n} - \cos^2 \frac{\beta}{2^n}}{\cos \frac{a}{2^n} - \cos \frac{\beta}{2^n}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\cos \frac{a}{2^{n-1}} - \cos \frac{\beta}{2^{n-1}}}{\cos \frac{a}{2^n} - \cos \frac{\beta}{2^n}};$$

similarly

$$\cos \frac{a}{2^{n-1}} + \cos \frac{\beta}{2^{n-1}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\cos \frac{a}{2^{n-2}} - \cos \frac{\beta}{2^{n-2}}}{\cos \frac{a}{2^{n-1}} - \cos \frac{\beta}{2^{n-1}}};$$

and we use a series of these transformations down to

$$\cos \frac{a}{2} + \cos \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\cos a - \cos \beta}{\cos \frac{1}{2} a - \cos \frac{1}{2} \beta}.$$

Then by multiplication we obtain for the product

$$\frac{1}{2^n} \frac{\cos a - \cos \beta}{\cos \frac{a}{2^n} - \cos \frac{\beta}{2^n}}.$$

71. The angle  $a^{\circ}b'$  is  $\frac{60a+b}{60 \times 90}$  of a right angle; the angle  $p^{\circ}q'$  is  $\frac{100p+q}{100 \times 100}$  of a right angle. Hence the excess of the former above the latter is  $\left\{ \frac{60a+b}{60 \times 90} - \frac{100p+q}{100 \times 100} \right\}$  of a right angle.

72. Here  $1 - \cos 2x + \sin^2 2x = 2;$

therefore  $1 - \cos 2x + 1 - \cos^2 2x = 2;$

therefore  $\cos 2x (1 + \cos 2x) = 0.$

Therefore either  $\cos 2x = 0$ , or  $1 + \cos 2x = 0.$

If  $\cos 2x = 0$ , we have  $2x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$ , which may be written more simply as  $2x = (2m+1) \frac{\pi}{2}.$

If  $1 + \cos 2x = 0$  we have  $\cos 2x = -1$ , and therefore  $2x = 2n\pi \pm \pi$  which may be written more simply as  $2x = (2m+1)\pi.$

$$73. \quad \tan A - \cot A = \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} - \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin^2 A - \cos^2 A}{\sin A \cos A} = \frac{2(\sin^2 A - \cos^2 A)}{2 \sin A \cos A}$$

$$= -\frac{2 \cos 2A}{\sin 2A} = -2 \cot 2A.$$

Similarly  $2 \tan 2A - 2 \cot 2A = -4 \cot 4A,$

and  $4 \tan 4A - 4 \cot 4A = -8 \cot 8A.$

Therefore by addition and cancelling

$$\tan A - \cot A + 2 \tan 2A + 4 \tan 4A = -8 \cot 8A;$$

therefore  $\tan A + 2 \tan 2A + 4 \tan 4A + 8 \cot 8A = \cot A.$

74. Here  $2 \sin 3x \sin x = \sin x$ ; therefore either  $\sin x = 0$  or  $2 \sin 3x = 1.$

If  $\sin x = 0,$  then  $x = n\pi.$  If  $\sin 3x = \frac{1}{2},$  then  $3x = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}.$

75. Let  $r$  denote the common ratio of the Geometrical Progression, so that  $\tan B = r \tan A,$   $\tan C = r \tan B,$   $\tan D = r \tan C;$

therefore  $\tan A \tan D = \tan B \tan C.$

Now since  $A + D = 360^\circ - B - C,$  we have  $\tan(A + D) = -\tan(B + C);$

therefore  $\frac{\tan A + \tan D}{1 - \tan A \tan D} = -\frac{\tan B + \tan C}{1 - \tan B \tan C}.$

Thus we must have either  $\tan A \tan D = \tan B \tan C = 1,$

or else  $\tan A + \tan D = -(\tan B + \tan C).$

The latter gives  $(1 + r^3) \tan A = -(r + r^2) \tan A,$

so that  $1 + r^3 + r + r^2 = 0,$  that is  $(1 + r)(1 + r^2) = 0;$

the only possible solution is  $1 + r = 0,$  so that  $r = -1.$

76. Let  $A, B, C$  denote the angles; then  $A + B + C = 180^\circ;$  and since the angles are in Arithmetical Progression  $A + C = 2B;$  thus  $3B = 180^\circ;$  therefore  $B = 60^\circ.$

Again we have  $\frac{1}{\sin 2A} + \frac{1}{\sin 2C} = \frac{2}{\sin 2B} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}.$  Let  $x$  denote the common difference of the angles; so that  $A = 60^\circ - x,$  and  $C = 60^\circ + x.$  Then

$$\frac{\sin 2A + \sin 2C}{\sin 2A \sin 2C} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}; \text{ therefore } \frac{2 \sin(A + C) \cos(A - C)}{\sin(120^\circ - 2x) \sin(120^\circ + 2x)} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}};$$

therefore  $\frac{\sqrt{3} \cos 2x}{\sin^2 120^\circ - \sin^2 2x} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}};$  therefore

$$\cos 2x = \frac{4}{3} (\sin^2 120^\circ - \sin^2 2x) = \frac{4}{3} \left( \frac{3}{4} - 1 + \cos^2 2x \right) = -\frac{1}{3} + \frac{4}{3} \cos^2 2x.$$

By solving this quadratic we obtain  $\cos 2x = 1$ , or  $-\frac{1}{4}$ . The latter must be taken: then  $\cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{3}{8}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 77. \quad & \cos A + \cos 2A + \cos 3A = 2 \cos 2A \cos A + \cos 2A \\
 & = \cos 2A (2 \cos A + 1) = \cos 2A \left(2 - 4 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A + 1\right) \\
 & = \cos 2A \left(3 - 4 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} A\right) = \frac{\cos 2A}{\sin \frac{1}{2} A} \left(3 \sin \frac{1}{2} A - 4 \sin^3 \frac{1}{2} A\right) \\
 & = \frac{\cos 2A}{\sin \frac{1}{2} A} \sin \frac{3A}{2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

78. Multiply the given expression out. The coefficient of  $x^2$  is

$$-2 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} \right);$$

by Example 77 this  $= -\frac{2 \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} \sin \frac{3\pi}{7}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{7}} = -\frac{1}{\sin \frac{\pi}{7}} \left( \sin \frac{7\pi}{7} - \sin \frac{\pi}{7} \right) = 1$ .

The coefficient of  $x$  is

$$4 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} \right);$$

this  $= 2 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{8\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{10\pi}{7} \right)$

$$= 2 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} \right) + 2 \left( \cos \frac{8\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{10\pi}{7} \right)$$

$$= 2 \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} \right) + 2 \left( \cos \frac{8\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{16\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{24\pi}{7} \right).$$

The former expression  $= -1$ , as we have already shewn. And by Example 77 the latter expression

$$= \frac{2 \cos \frac{16\pi}{7} \sin \frac{12\pi}{7}}{\sin \frac{4\pi}{7}} = \frac{1}{\sin \frac{4\pi}{7}} \left( \sin 4\pi - \sin \frac{4\pi}{7} \right) = -1.$$

Hence the entire coefficient is  $-2$ .

The term independent of  $x$  is  $-8 \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} \cos \frac{6\pi}{7}$ ; this

$$\begin{aligned} &= -4 \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{6\pi}{7} \right) \\ &= -2 \left( \cos \frac{8\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{12\pi}{7} + 1 \right) \\ &= -\frac{2 \cos \frac{8\pi}{7} \sin \frac{6\pi}{7}}{\sin \frac{2\pi}{7}} - 2 = -\frac{1}{\sin \frac{2\pi}{7}} \left( \sin 2\pi - \sin \frac{2\pi}{7} \right) - 2 \\ &= 1 - 2 = -1. \end{aligned}$$

79.  $\sin^3 A + \sin^3 B + \sin^3 C$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (3 \sin A + 3 \sin B + 3 \sin C - \sin 3A - \sin 3B - \sin 3C).$$

Then by Example 32 of Chap. VIII. we have

$$\sin A + \sin B + \sin C = 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2},$$

and  $\sin 3A + \sin 3B + \sin 3C = -4 \cos \frac{3A}{2} \cos \frac{3B}{2} \cos \frac{3C}{2}.$

80. By solving the quadratic equation we obtain

$$\sin x = -b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - c}.$$

Hence  $b^2 - c$  must not be negative, and  $b + \sqrt{b^2 - c}$  must not be greater than unity, in order that both values may be admissible.

81. Let  $mx$  denote the number of sides in the first regular polygon, and  $nx$  the number of sides in the second. Then, proceeding as in Example 61, we find that the number of degrees in an angle of the first polygon is

$$\frac{2mx - 4}{mx} 90, \text{ and the number of grades in an angle of the second polygon is } \frac{2nx - 4}{nx} 100. \text{ Therefore } \frac{2mx - 4}{mx} 90 : \frac{2nx - 4}{nx} 100 :: p : q.$$

Therefore  $9q \frac{mx - 2}{m} = 10p \frac{nx - 2}{n}$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{2(9qn - 10pm)}{mn(9q - 10p)}.$

Hence  $mx$  and  $nx$  are known.

82. Here  $2 \cos 3x \cos 4x = \cos 4x$ . Therefore either  $\cos 4x = 0$  or  $2 \cos 3x = 1$ .

If  $\cos 4x = 0$  then  $4x = (2n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}.$

If  $\cos 3x = \frac{1}{2}$  then  $3x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}.$

83. From the first equation we have

$$x \sin(\alpha - \beta) \cos(\alpha + \beta) = y \sin(\alpha + \beta) \cos(\alpha - \beta),$$

therefore

$$x(\sin 2\alpha - \sin 2\beta) = y(\sin 2\alpha + \sin 2\beta),$$

therefore

$$(x - y) \sin 2\alpha = (x + y) \sin 2\beta.$$

Thus

$$\sin 2\alpha = \frac{(x + y) \sin 2\beta}{x - y},$$

and

$$\cos 2\alpha = \frac{z - (x + y) \cos 2\beta}{x - y}.$$

Square and add; thus

$$1 = \frac{(x + y)^2 \sin^2 2\beta}{(x - y)^2} + \frac{\{z - (x + y) \cos 2\beta\}^2}{(x - y)^2}.$$

Therefore  $(x - y)^2 = (x + y)^2 \sin^2 2\beta + \{z - (x + y) \cos 2\beta\}^2$

$$= (x + y)^2 + z^2 - 2z(x + y) \cos 2\beta;$$

therefore

$$z^2 + 4xy = 2z(x + y) \cos 2\beta.$$

84. Let  $A$  denote the sum of  $x$  and  $y$ . Suppose  $x = \frac{A}{2} + z$ , then  $y = \frac{A}{2} - z$ ; and  $\sin x \sin y = \sin\left(\frac{A}{2} + z\right) \sin\left(\frac{A}{2} - z\right) = \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} - \sin^2 z$ . Now  $\sin^2 z$  ranges between the values 0 and 1; hence  $\sin x \sin y$  ranges between the values  $\sin^2 \frac{A}{2}$  and  $-\cos^2 \frac{A}{2}$ : the former is always the greatest value algebraically.

85. We have  $\sin\left(A + \frac{B}{2}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{A - C}{2} + \frac{A + B + C}{2}\right) = \cos \frac{A - C}{2}$ ;

similarly  $\sin\left(B + \frac{C}{2}\right) = \cos \frac{B - A}{2}$ ,  $\sin\left(C + \frac{A}{2}\right) = \cos \frac{C - B}{2}$ .

Then  $\cos \frac{A - C}{2} + \cos \frac{B - A}{2} = 2 \cos \frac{B - C}{4} \cos \frac{2A - B - C}{4}$ ,

and  $1 + \cos \frac{C - B}{2} = 2 \cos^2 \frac{B - C}{4}$ ;

therefore  $\cos \frac{A - C}{2} + \cos \frac{B - A}{2} + \cos \frac{C - B}{2} + 1$   
 $= 2 \cos \frac{B - C}{4} \left\{ \cos \frac{B - C}{4} + \cos \frac{2A - B - C}{4} \right\}$   
 $= 4 \cos \frac{B - C}{4} \cos \frac{A - C}{4} \cos \frac{A - B}{4} = 4 \cos \frac{A - B}{4} \cos \frac{B - C}{4} \cos \frac{C - A}{4}.$



86. Bring the proposed expression to a common denominator; then the numerator

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 2 \cos a (1 - \cos^2 a) \cos B \cos C + 2 \cos \beta (1 - \cos^2 \beta) \cos C \cos A \\
 &\quad + 2 \cos \gamma (1 - \cos^2 \gamma) \cos A \cos B + 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \\
 &= 2 \cos a (\cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma) \cos B \cos C + 2 \cos \beta (\cos^2 \gamma + \cos^2 a) \cos C \cos A \\
 &\quad + 2 \cos \gamma (\cos^2 a + \cos^2 \beta) \cos A \cos B + 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \\
 &= 2 \cos a \cos \beta (\cos a \cos A + \cos \beta \cos B) \cos C \\
 &\quad + 2 \cos \beta \cos \gamma (\cos \beta \cos B + \cos \gamma \cos C) \cos A \\
 &\quad + 2 \cos \gamma \cos a (\cos \gamma \cos C + \cos a \cos A) \cos B + 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \\
 &= -2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \cos^2 C - 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \cos^2 A - 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \cos^2 B \\
 &\quad + 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \\
 &= 2 \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma (1 - \cos^2 C - \cos^2 A - \cos^2 B) = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 87. \quad \sin^2 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ &= \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 15^\circ) = \frac{1}{2} \{1 - \cos (45^\circ - 30^\circ)\} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right\} \\
 &= \frac{2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3} - 1}{4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{8 - 2\sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{2}}{16}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Now it will be found that

$$8 - 2\sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{2} = (2 - \sqrt{2})(6 + 2\sqrt{2} - 2\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{6}) = (2 - \sqrt{2})(1 + \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3})^2;$$

therefore 
$$\sin 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ = \frac{1 + \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}}{4} \sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}.$$

88. The second equation gives 
$$\frac{1 + \tan \frac{\phi}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{\phi}{2}} = \frac{1+c}{1-c} \frac{1 + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{\theta}{2}};$$

therefore 
$$\tan \frac{\phi}{2} = \frac{c + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + c \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}.$$

The first equation gives 
$$\frac{2 \tan \frac{\phi}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\phi}{2}} = \frac{1+2c^2}{1-c^2} \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{(c + \tan \frac{\theta}{2})(1 + c \tan \frac{\theta}{2})}{(1 + c \tan \frac{\theta}{2})^2 - (c + \tan \frac{\theta}{2})^2} = \frac{1+2c^2}{1-c^2} \frac{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}},$$

therefore 
$$\frac{c + (1 + c^2) \tan \frac{\theta}{2} + c \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{(1 - c^2) \left(1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}\right)} = \frac{(1 + 2c^2) \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{(1 - c^2) \left(1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}\right)};$$

therefore either  $1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$ , or  $c \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - c^2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2} + c = 0$ .

The former gives  $\cos \theta = 0$ ; the latter gives  $1 - c \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$ , therefore  $2 - c \sin \theta = 0$ .

89. Put  $2 \cos^2 x - 1$  for  $\cos 2x$ ; then  $2 \cos^2 x + b \cos x + c - 1 = 0$ . By solving this quadratic equation we obtain

$$\cos x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 8(c-1)}}{4}.$$

Hence  $b^2 + 8 - 8c$  must not be negative, and  $\sqrt{(b^2 + 8 - 8c)} - b$  must not be numerically greater than 4.

90. Suppose  $\theta_2$  greater than  $\theta_1$ , and each between 0 and  $\gamma$ . Now

$$\sin \theta \{1 + \sin(\gamma - \theta)\} = \sin \theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin \gamma \sin 2\theta - \cos \gamma \sin^2 \theta.$$

Put  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  in succession for  $\theta$ , and subtract the second value of the expression from the first. Thus we get

$$(\sin \theta_2 - \sin \theta_1) \left\{1 + \frac{1}{2} \sin \gamma \frac{\sin 2\theta_2 - \sin 2\theta_1}{\sin \theta_2 - \sin \theta_1} - (\sin \theta_2 + \sin \theta_1) \cos \gamma\right\}.$$

Now  $(\sin \theta_2 + \sin \theta_1) \cos \gamma$  is less than  $2 \sin \gamma \cos \gamma$ , that is less than  $\sin 2\gamma$ , and therefore less than 1. Hence the preceding expression is necessarily positive, and this is what was to be proved.

91. Let  $x$  be the number of sides in one regular polygon, and  $y$  the number of sides in another. Then, as in Example 61, the number of degrees in an angle of the first polygon is  $\frac{2x-4}{x} 90$ , and the number of grades in an angle of the second polygon is  $\frac{2y-4}{y} 100$ . Hence we must have  $\frac{2x-4}{x} 90 = \frac{2y-4}{y} 100$ ; therefore  $9y(x-2) = 10x(y-2)$ ; therefore

$$x(20-y) = 18y.$$

We must then try in succession values of  $y$  from 3 to 19 inclusive, and ascertain in how many cases we obtain an integral value of  $x$ . The admissible values will be found to be these:

$y$	5	8	10	11	12	14	15	16	17	18	19
$x$	6	12	18	22	27	42	54	72	102	162	342.

The cases in which the angles are expressed by integers are when

$$y=5, 8, 10 \text{ or } 16.$$

92. We have 
$$\tan \gamma = \frac{1 + \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta},$$

and 
$$\cos 2\gamma = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \gamma}{1 + \tan^2 \gamma} = \frac{\cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta - (1 + \sin \alpha \sin \beta)^2}{\cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta + (1 + \sin \alpha \sin \beta)^2}.$$

The numerator

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\cos \alpha \cos \beta + 1 + \sin \alpha \sin \beta) (\cos \alpha \cos \beta - 1 - \sin \alpha \sin \beta) \\ &= - \{1 + \cos(\alpha - \beta)\} \{1 - \cos(\alpha + \beta)\}; \end{aligned}$$

and this cannot be positive, for  $1 + \cos(\alpha - \beta)$  and  $1 - \cos(\alpha + \beta)$  cannot be negative.

93. Denote the angle by  $\theta$ ; then  $\frac{\cos \theta}{\tan \theta} = \frac{3}{2}$ ; therefore  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{3}{2} \sin \theta$ , therefore  $1 - \sin^2 \theta = \frac{3}{2} \sin \theta$ . By solving this quadratic equation we get  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ , or  $-2$ ; the former is the only admissible value, and hence

$$\theta = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

94. Let  $A$  denote the sum of  $x$  and  $y$ . Then

$$\sin x + \sin y = 2 \sin \frac{x+y}{2} \cos \frac{x-y}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{x-y}{2};$$

and as  $\cos \frac{x-y}{2}$  ranges between  $-1$  and  $+1$  the value of  $\sin x + \sin y$  ranges between  $-2 \sin \frac{A}{2}$  and  $2 \sin \frac{A}{2}$ : and the positive value out of these two is algebraically and arithmetically the greatest value of  $\sin x + \sin y$ .

95. Here  $\frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} = 1$ ; therefore  $\cos \left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$ ; therefore

$$\theta + \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi.$$

96. 
$$\begin{aligned} &\sin^2 A + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C - 2 \sin A \sin B \sin C - 1 \\ &= (\sin A - \sin B \sin C)^2 + \sin^2 B + \sin^2 C - 1 - \sin^2 B \sin^2 C \\ &= (\sin A - \sin B \sin C)^2 - (1 - \sin^2 B) (1 - \sin^2 C) \\ &= (\sin A - \sin B \sin C)^2 - \cos^2 B \cos^2 C \\ &= (\sin A - \sin B \sin C - \cos B \cos C) (\sin A - \sin B \sin C + \cos B \cos C) \\ &= \{\sin A - \cos(B - C)\} \{\sin A + \cos(B + C)\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left\{ \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right) - \cos (B - C) \right\} \left\{ \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - A \right) + \cos (B + C) \right\} \\
 &= \text{the product of } 4 \sin \left( \frac{B - C - A}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \sin \left( \frac{B - C + A}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \\
 &\quad \text{into } \cos \left( \frac{B + C - A}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \cos \left( \frac{B + C + A}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

Instead of  $\sin \left( \frac{B - C - A}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \sin \left( \frac{B - C + A}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$  we may put

$$- \cos \left( \frac{A + C - B}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \cos \left( \frac{A + B - C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right).$$

Thus the expression becomes the product of

$$\begin{aligned}
 &- 4 \cos \left( \frac{A + B + C}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \cos \left( \frac{B + C - A}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \\
 &\text{into } \cos \left( \frac{A + C - B}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \cos \left( \frac{A + B - C}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 97. \quad \cos^2 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ &= \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 15^\circ) = \frac{1}{2} \{1 + \cos (45^\circ - 30^\circ)\} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right\} \\
 &= \frac{2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} + 1}{4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{8 + 2\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{2}}{16}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Now it will be found that

$$8 + 2\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{2} = (2 + \sqrt{2})(6 - 2\sqrt{2} - 2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{6}) = (2 + \sqrt{2})(-1 + \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3})^2;$$

therefore 
$$\cos 7\frac{1}{2}^\circ = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}}{4} \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{2}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 98. \quad \text{By addition } 2a (\sin \theta + \cos \theta) &= c (1 + \sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta) \\
 &= 2c \cos \theta (\sin \theta + \cos \theta);
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$a = c \cos \theta \dots \dots \dots (1).$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Again, by subtraction, } 2b (\sin \theta - \cos \theta) &= c (1 - \sin 2\theta - \cos 2\theta) \\
 &= 2c \sin \theta (\sin \theta - \cos \theta);
 \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$b = c \sin \theta \dots \dots \dots (2).$$

Square and add (1) and (2); thus  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$ . This assumes that  $\tan \theta$  is neither equal to 1 nor to -1.

99. We have

$$A \cot a (1 - \cot \beta \cot \gamma) + B \cot \beta (1 - \cot a \cot \gamma) + C \cot \gamma (1 - \cot \beta \cot a) = 0,$$

and

$$A \cot a (\cot \beta + \cot \gamma) + B \cot \beta (\cot \gamma + \cot a) + C \cot \gamma (\cot a + \cot \beta) = 0.$$

These may be written

$$A \cos a \cos (\beta + \gamma) + B \cos \beta \cos (\gamma + a) + C \cos \gamma \cos (a + \beta) = 0,$$

$$A \cos a \sin (\beta + \gamma) + B \cos \beta \sin (\gamma + a) + C \cos \gamma \sin (a + \beta) = 0.$$

Hence by Algebra, Art. 385, we have

$$A = k \cos \beta \cos \gamma \{ \cos (\gamma + a) \sin (a + \beta) - \cos (a + \beta) \sin (\gamma + a) \},$$

$$B = k \cos \gamma \cos a \{ \cos (a + \beta) \sin (\beta + \gamma) - \cos (\beta + \gamma) \sin (a + \beta) \},$$

$$C = k \cos a \cos \beta \{ \cos (\beta + \gamma) \sin (\gamma + a) - \cos (\gamma + a) \sin (\beta + \gamma) \},$$

where  $k$  is some constant.

Thus

$$A = k \cos \beta \cos \gamma \sin (\beta - \gamma),$$

$$B = k \cos \gamma \cos a \sin (\gamma - a),$$

$$C = k \cos a \cos \beta \sin (a - \beta).$$

Therefore

$$A \sin 2a + B \sin 2\beta + C \sin 2\gamma$$

$$= 2k \cos a \cos \beta \cos \gamma \{ \sin a \sin (\beta - \gamma) + \sin \beta \sin (\gamma - a) + \sin \gamma \sin (a - \beta) \}.$$

The term within the brackets will be seen to vanish, since

$$\sin a \sin (\beta - \gamma) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\gamma + a - \beta) - \cos (a + \beta - \gamma) \},$$

$$\sin \beta \sin (\gamma - a) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (a + \beta - \gamma) - \cos (\beta + \gamma - a) \},$$

and  $\sin \gamma \sin (a - \beta) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\beta + \gamma - a) - \cos (\gamma + a - \beta) \}.$

Or we might proceed thus: let  $\sigma$  stand for  $a + \beta + \gamma$ ; then the two given relations may be written

$$A \cos a \cos (\sigma - a) + B \cos \beta \cos (\sigma - \beta) + C \cos \gamma \cos (\sigma - \gamma) = 0,$$

$$A \cos a \sin (\sigma - a) + B \cos \beta \sin (\sigma - \beta) + C \cos \gamma \sin (\sigma - \gamma) = 0;$$

therefore

$$(A \cos^2 a + B \cos^2 \beta + C \cos^2 \gamma) \cos \sigma$$

$$= -(A \sin a \cos a + B \sin \beta \cos \beta + C \sin \gamma \cos \gamma) \sin \sigma \dots \dots (1).$$

And

$$(A \cos^2 a + B \cos^2 \beta + C \cos^2 \gamma) \sin \sigma$$

$$= (A \sin a \cos a + B \sin \beta \cos \beta + C \sin \gamma \cos \gamma) \cos \sigma \dots \dots (2).$$

Multiply (1) by  $\sin \sigma$  and (2) by  $\cos \sigma$  and subtract: thus

$$A \sin a \cos a + B \sin \beta \cos \beta + C \sin \gamma \cos \gamma = 0,$$

which is the required result.

Again, multiply (1) by  $\cos \sigma$  and (2) by  $\sin \sigma$  and add; then we obtain the additional result  $A \cos^2 a + B \cos^2 \beta + C \cos^2 \gamma = 0.$

100. From the first equation

$$(\cos \theta - \cos \alpha \cos \beta)^2 = \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta (1 - c^2 \sin^2 \theta);$$

substitute  $1 - \cos^2 \theta$  for  $\sin^2 \theta$ ; thus

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 \theta (1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta) - 2 \cos \theta \cos \alpha \cos \beta \\ + \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta - (1 - c^2) \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta = 0. \end{aligned}$$

The second equation leads to the same quadratic for finding  $\cos \phi$ . Hence we infer that  $\cos \theta$  is one root of the quadratic and  $\cos \phi$  the other. Hence by the theory of quadratic equations, *Algebra*, Chapter xxii,

$$\cos \theta + \cos \phi = \frac{2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta}{1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta},$$

$$\cos \theta \cos \phi = \frac{\cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta - (1 - c^2) \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta}{1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta};$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} 1 + \cos \theta \cos \phi &= \frac{1 - \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta + \cos^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta}{1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta}{1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta}. \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi &= (1 - \cos^2 \theta) (1 - \cos^2 \phi) \\ &= (1 + \cos \theta \cos \phi)^2 - (\cos \theta + \cos \phi)^2 \\ &= \frac{(\cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \beta)^2}{(1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta)^2}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$\sin \theta \sin \phi = \pm \frac{\cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \beta}{1 - c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta}.$$

And

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \frac{\theta}{2} \tan \frac{\phi}{2} &= \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{1 - \cos \phi}{\sin \phi} \\ &= \frac{1 - (\cos \theta + \cos \phi) + \cos \theta \cos \phi}{\sin \theta \sin \phi} \\ &= \frac{(\cos \alpha - \cos \beta)^2}{\pm (\cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \beta)} = \pm \frac{\cos \alpha - \cos \beta}{\cos \alpha + \cos \beta}. \end{aligned}$$

101.

$$\cos 11A + \cos 5A = 2 \cos 8A \cos 3A,$$

$$3 \cos 9A + 3 \cos 7A = 6 \cos 8A \cos A;$$

hence by addition we find that the proposed expression

$$= 2 \cos 8A (\cos 3A + 3 \cos A) = 8 \cos 8A \cos^3 A$$

$$= 8 \cos^3 A (2 \cos^2 4A - 1) = 16 \cos^3 A \left( \cos^2 4A - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= 16 \cos^3 A \left( \cos^2 4A - \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = 16 \cos^3 A \cos \left( 4A + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \cos \left( 4A - \frac{\pi}{4} \right);$$

see Art. 83.

102. Let the distance be denoted by  $x$  inches; then we must have  
 $\frac{1}{2x} =$  the tangent of a quarter of a degree. As the tangent of a small angle is approximately equal to its circular measure we have approximately  
 $\frac{1}{2x} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\pi}{180}$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{2 \times 180}{\pi} = 114.6$  nearly.

103. By Example 27 of Chapter VI, this becomes  $\sin 4\theta = 1$ ; therefore

$$4\theta = (4n + 1) \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

104. Here  $c \sin \theta = a \sin \theta \cos \phi + a \cos \theta \sin \phi$ ;  
 substitute for  $\sin \phi$  and  $\cos \phi$ ; thus

$$c \sin \theta = a (\cos \theta - 2m) \sin \theta + a \cos \theta \times \frac{b}{a} \sin \theta;$$

therefore  $c = a (\cos \theta - 2m) + b \cos \theta$ ;

therefore  $\cos \theta = \frac{c + 2am}{a + b}$ .

Therefore  $\cos \phi = \frac{c + 2am}{a + b} - 2m = \frac{c - 2bm}{a + b}$ .

But  $a^2 \sin^2 \phi = b^2 \sin^2 \theta$ ; therefore

$$\begin{aligned} a^2 - b^2 &= a^2 \cos^2 \phi - b^2 \cos^2 \theta = \frac{a^2 (c - 2bm)^2 - b^2 (c + 2am)^2}{(a + b)^2} \\ &= \frac{(a - b) c^2 - 4abcm}{a + b}. \end{aligned}$$

105. We have, by Art. 252,

$$a = 2R \sin A, \quad b = 2R \sin B, \quad c = 2R \sin C;$$

hence the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2R \{ \sin A \sin (B - C) + \sin B \sin (C - A) + \sin C \sin (A - B) \} \\ &= 2R \{ \sin (B + C) \sin (B - C) + \sin (C + A) \sin (C - A) \\ &\quad + \sin (A + B) \sin (A - B) \} \\ &= 2R \{ \sin^2 B - \sin^2 C + \sin^2 C - \sin^2 A + \sin^2 A - \sin^2 B \} \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

106. By Art. 108 the proposed expression

$$= \frac{10 + 2\sqrt{5}}{16} \cdot \frac{10 - 2\sqrt{5}}{16} - \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} = \frac{5}{16} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{16}.$$

107. From the triangle  $OAB$  we have

$$\frac{OA}{AB} = \frac{\sin OBA}{\sin AOB} = \frac{\cos A}{\sin C};$$

therefore

$$x = \frac{c \cos A}{\sin C} = \frac{a \cos A}{\sin A}.$$

Similarly

$$y = \frac{b \cos B}{\sin B}, \quad \text{and} \quad z = \frac{c \cos C}{\sin C}.$$

Hence we have only to shew that

$$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C;$$

and this is known to be true by Art. 114.

108. Let  $l$  denote the length of the pole. The distance of the coping from the ground is  $l \sin A$ , and the distance of the sill from the ground is  $l \sin B$ ; hence the distance from the coping to the sill  $= l(\sin A - \sin B)$ .

The distance of the foot of the ladder from the wall is  $l \cos A$  at first, and  $l \cos B$  afterwards; therefore  $a = l(\cos B - \cos A)$ .

Substitute for  $l$  in the former expression, and we obtain

$$\frac{a(\sin A - \sin B)}{\cos B - \cos A}, \quad \text{that is} \quad \frac{a \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(A+B)}, \quad \text{that is} \quad a \cot \frac{1}{2}(A+B).$$

109. Let  $r$  denote the radius. Then the area of the sector  $PCB = \frac{r^2}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta \right)$ , by Art. 258;

and the area of the triangle  $ACP = \frac{r^2}{2} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \theta \right)$ , by Art. 247.

The sum of these two areas by supposition is equal to half the area of the semicircle; thus

$$\frac{r^2}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta \right) + \frac{r^2}{2} \cos \theta = \frac{\pi r^2}{4};$$

then by simplifying we obtain  $\cos \theta = \theta$ .

110. By Art. 255 we have  $a = 2R \sin 36^\circ$ , and  $a' = 2R \sin 18^\circ$ ;

therefore  $a^2 - a'^2 = 4R^2 \left\{ \frac{10 - 2\sqrt{5}}{16} - \frac{(\sqrt{5} - 1)^2}{16} \right\} = \frac{4R^2 \times 4}{16} = R^2$ .

Also  $\frac{a}{r} = 2 \tan 36^\circ$ , and  $\frac{a'}{r} = 2 \tan 18^\circ$ ;



therefore 
$$\frac{a}{r} + \frac{a'}{r'} = 2 \left( \frac{\sin 36^\circ}{\cos 36^\circ} + \frac{\sin 18^\circ}{\cos 18^\circ} \right) = \frac{2 \sin (36^\circ + 18^\circ)}{\cos 36^\circ \cos 18^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin 54^\circ}{\cos 36^\circ \cos 18^\circ} = \frac{2}{\cos 18^\circ} = \frac{2R}{r'}$$

111.  $\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos A),$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^4 \frac{A}{2} &= \frac{1}{4} (1 + \cos A)^2 = \frac{1}{4} (1 + 2 \cos A + \cos^2 A) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ 1 + 2 \cos A + \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2A) \right\} = \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \cos A + \frac{1}{8} \cos 2A. \end{aligned}$$

In this way the proposed expression becomes

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{9}{8} + \frac{1}{2} (\cos A + \cos B + \cos C) + \frac{1}{8} (\cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C) \\ &- \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos A)(1 + \cos B) - \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos B)(1 + \cos C) - \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos C)(1 + \cos A) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos A)(1 + \cos B)(1 + \cos C) \\ &= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} (\cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C) + \frac{1}{2} \cos A \cos B \cos C \\ &= \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{8} = 0; \text{ see Example VIII. 18.} \end{aligned}$$

112. We have  $1 + \tan^2 \theta = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{1 - \sin^2 \theta}$ ; take the logarithms of both sides; thus

$$\log (1 + \tan^2 \theta) = \log \frac{1}{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = - \log (1 - \sin^2 \theta);$$

therefore, by Art. 146,

$$\tan^2 \theta - \frac{1}{2} \tan^4 \theta + \frac{1}{3} \tan^6 \theta - \dots = \sin^2 \theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin^4 \theta + \frac{1}{3} \sin^6 \theta + \dots$$

The series are convergent, since  $\tan^2 \theta$  is supposed to be less than unity.

113. Here  $2 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \sin \frac{3\theta}{2} \cos \frac{3\theta}{2};$

therefore either  $\sin \frac{3\theta}{2} = 0,$  or  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \cos \frac{3\theta}{2}.$

If  $\sin \frac{3\theta}{2} = 0,$  then  $\frac{3\theta}{2} = n\pi.$

If  $\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \cos \frac{3\theta}{2},$  or  $\cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = \cos \frac{3\theta}{2},$  then  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\theta}{2} = 2n\pi \pm \frac{3\theta}{2}.$

114. We have

$$a = 2R \sin A, \quad b = 2R \sin B, \quad c = 2R \sin C;$$

hence the proposed expression

$$= 4R^2 \{ \sin A \sin (B - C) + \sin B \sin (C - A) + \sin C \sin (A - B) \},$$

and this is zero, as in the solution of Example 105.

115. We have 
$$\frac{\cos 3\theta}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sin 3\theta}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}};$$

therefore 
$$\cos \left( 3\theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \cos \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right);$$

therefore 
$$3\theta - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2n\pi \pm \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right).$$

116. We have 
$$\tan^2 x = \frac{\sin(\alpha+x) \sin(\alpha-x)}{\cos(\alpha+x) \cos(\alpha-x)} = \frac{\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 \alpha},$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 x (\cos^2 x - \sin^2 \alpha) = \cos^2 x (\sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 x),$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin^2 x \cos^2 x = \sin^2 \alpha (\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x) = \sin^2 \alpha,$$

therefore 
$$4 \sin^2 x \cos^2 x = 2 \sin^2 \alpha,$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin x \cos x = \sqrt{2} \cdot \sin \alpha,$$

therefore 
$$\sin 2x = \sqrt{2} \cdot \sin \alpha.$$

117. Put  $x$  for  $\tan A$ ,  $y$  for  $\tan B$ ,  $z$  for  $\tan C$ ,  $x'$  for  $\tan A'$ ,  $y'$  for  $\tan B'$ , and  $z'$  for  $\tan C'$ , for the sake of abbreviation. Then we have given that

$$x^2 x' = y^2 y' = z^2 z' = xyz \dots \dots \dots (1),$$

and 
$$\frac{1+x^2}{2x} + \frac{1+y^2}{2y} + \frac{1+z^2}{2z} = 0 \dots \dots \dots (2).$$

Now 
$$\tan(A - A') = \frac{x - x'}{1 + xx'} = \frac{x - \frac{yz}{x}}{1 + \frac{yz}{x}}, \text{ by (1), } = \frac{x^2 - yz}{x(1 + yz)}.$$

But from (2) we have

$$x + \frac{1}{x} + y + \frac{1}{y} + z + \frac{1}{z} = 0,$$

therefore 
$$xyz(x + y + z) + xy + yz + zx = 0,$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - yz &= x^2 + xyz(x + y + z) + xy + zx \\ &= x(x + y + z) + xyz(x + y + z) = x(1 + yz)(x + y + z); \end{aligned}$$

therefore 
$$\frac{x^2 - yz}{x(1 + yz)} = x + y + z.$$

Thus  $\tan(A - A') = \tan A + \tan B + \tan C$ .

Similarly  $\tan(B - B')$  and  $\tan(C - C')$  may be shown to be equal to the same expression.

118. Here  $\cos A = \frac{\cos 60^\circ}{\sin 36^\circ}$ ,

therefore  $\sin A = \frac{\sqrt{\sin^2 36^\circ - \cos^2 60^\circ}}{\sin 36^\circ}$ ,

and  $\sin^2 36^\circ - \cos^2 60^\circ = \frac{10 - 2\sqrt{5}}{16} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{6 - 2\sqrt{5}}{16} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4}\right)^2$ ;

therefore  $\sin A = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4 \sin 36^\circ}$ .

Hence  $\tan A = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4 \cos 60^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2}$ .

Again,  $\cos B = \frac{\cos 36^\circ}{\sin 60^\circ}$ ;

therefore  $\sin B = \frac{\sqrt{\sin^2 60^\circ - \cos^2 36^\circ}}{\sin 60^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{\sin^2 36^\circ - \cos^2 60^\circ}}{\sin 60^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4 \sin 60^\circ}$ .

Hence  $\tan B = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4 \cos 36^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{\sqrt{5} + 1} = \frac{(\sqrt{5} - 1)^2}{(\sqrt{5} + 1)(\sqrt{5} - 1)} = \frac{6 - 2\sqrt{5}}{4} = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$ .

Therefore  $\tan A + \tan B = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2} + \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2} = 1$ ;

therefore  $\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} + \frac{\sin B}{\cos B} = 1$ , therefore  $\sin(A + B) = \cos A \cos B = \cos C$ ; therefore  $A + B = 90^\circ - C$  is one solution.

119. Let  $\theta$  be the sun's altitude at the first observation, and  $\theta + \alpha$  that at the second observation; then

$$h = a \tan \theta, \text{ and } h = b \tan(\theta + \alpha).$$

Thus  $h = \frac{b(\tan \theta + \tan \alpha)}{1 - \tan \theta \tan \alpha} = \frac{\frac{hb}{a} + b \tan \alpha}{1 - \frac{h}{a} \tan \alpha}$ ,

therefore  $h \left(1 - \frac{h}{a} \tan \alpha\right) = \frac{hb}{a} + b \tan \alpha$ ,

therefore  $h^2 \tan \alpha + h(b - a) + ab \tan \alpha = 0$ ,

therefore  $h^2 + h(b - a) \cot \alpha + ab = 0$ .

120. Let  $AP = b$ ,  $BP = a$ ,  $AB = c$ .

The diameter of the circle which touches the semicircle and also touches  $AP$  at its middle point is  $\frac{c}{2} - \frac{c}{2} \sin PAB$ , that is  $\frac{c}{2} - \frac{c}{2} \frac{a}{c}$ , that is  $\frac{c-a}{2}$ ; therefore the radius of this circle is  $\frac{c-a}{4}$ .

Similarly the radius of the circle which touches the semicircle and also touches  $BP$  at its middle point is  $\frac{c-b}{4}$ . We have then to shew that

$$\frac{(c-a)(c-b)}{16} = \frac{r^2}{8}, \text{ that is } \frac{(c-a)(c-b)}{2} = r^2.$$

But  $r = \frac{S}{s} = \frac{ab}{a+b+c} = \frac{ab(a+b-c)}{(a+b)^2 - c^2} = \frac{a+b-c}{2}$ , since  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ ; therefore

$$r^2 = \frac{(a+b-c)^2}{4} = \frac{2c^2 + 2ab - 2c(a+b)}{4} = \frac{(c-a)(c-b)}{2}.$$

121. 
$$\begin{aligned} & \sin \alpha \sin (\beta - \gamma) \cos (\beta + \gamma - \alpha) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\alpha - \beta + \gamma) - \cos (\alpha + \beta - \gamma) \} \cos (\beta + \gamma - \alpha) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \{ \cos 2\gamma + \cos 2(\alpha - \beta) - \cos 2\beta - \cos 2(\alpha - \gamma) \}. \end{aligned}$$

The other two terms may be transformed in a similar manner, and then it will be obvious that the sum is zero.

122. 
$$\begin{aligned} \cot \theta &= \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{2 \cos^2 \theta}{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 2\theta}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{1 - \cos 2\theta}}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, taking logarithms we have

$$\log \cot \theta = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{1 - \cos 2\theta} = \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{3} (\cos 2\theta)^3 + \frac{1}{5} (\cos 2\theta)^5 + \dots$$

123. We have shewn in the solution of Example VIII. 15 that

$$\cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} = \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2};$$

hence the expression on the right hand-side

$$\begin{aligned} &= \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2} \cdot \frac{8 \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}}{\cos A \cos B \cos C} \\ &= \frac{8 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}{\cos A \cos B \cos C} = \tan A \tan B \tan C. \end{aligned}$$

Again  $\cot A - 2 \cot 2A = \cot A - \frac{2(\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A)}{2 \cos A \sin A} = \tan A$  ;

similarly  $\cot B - 2 \cot 2B = \tan B$ , and  $\cot C - 2 \cot 2C = \tan C$  ;

thus the expression on the left-hand side

$$= \tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C, \text{ by Art. 114.}$$

Thus the two expressions are equivalent.

$$124. \quad \sin A \sin B \sin (A - B) = \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (A - B) - \cos (A + B) \} \sin (A - B)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sin (2A - 2B) - \frac{1}{4} (\sin 2A - \sin 2B).$$

Transform the second and third terms in the same way ; then by addition we obtain the required result.

$$125. \quad \frac{1}{a} \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + \frac{1}{b} \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + \frac{1}{c} \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} = \frac{s(s-a) + s(s-b) + s(s-c)}{abc}$$

$$= \frac{3s^2 - s(a+b+c)}{abc} = \frac{3s^2 - 2s^2}{abc} = \frac{s^2}{abc} = \frac{(a+b+c)^2}{4abc}.$$

126. Here  $\frac{1}{\cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + x \right)} + \frac{1}{\cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - x \right)} = 2\sqrt{2},$

therefore  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\cos x - \sin x} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\cos x + \sin x} = 2\sqrt{2},$

therefore  $\cos x = \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x = \cos 2x,$

therefore  $2x = 2n\pi \pm x.$

127. Express the fractions with the common denominator

$$\sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\gamma - \alpha) :$$

then the numerator becomes

$$- \{ \sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\theta - \alpha) + \sin (\gamma - \alpha) \sin (\theta - \beta) + \sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\theta - \gamma) \}.$$

Now  $\sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\theta - \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} \cos (\theta - \alpha - \beta + \gamma) - \frac{1}{2} \cos (\theta - \alpha + \beta - \gamma),$

$$\sin (\gamma - \alpha) \sin (\theta - \beta) = \frac{1}{2} \cos (\theta - \beta + \alpha - \gamma) - \frac{1}{2} \cos (\theta - \beta + \gamma - \alpha),$$

$$\sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\theta - \gamma) = \frac{1}{2} \cos (\theta - \gamma + \beta - \alpha) - \frac{1}{2} \cos (\theta - \gamma + \alpha - \beta) ;$$

thus the sum of the expressions is zero.

128. Let  $x$  denote the length of the pillar,  $h$  the height of the foot of the pillar above the horizontal plane,  $b$  the horizontal distance of the pillar from the first station. Let  $\theta$  be the angle subtended by the pillar. Then

$$\frac{h}{b} = \tan(\alpha - \theta), \quad \frac{h}{b+c} = \tan(\beta - \theta), \quad \frac{h+x}{b} = \tan \alpha, \quad \frac{h+x}{b+c} = \tan \beta.$$

And from the fact that a circle would pass through the two stations and the top and the foot of the pillar we have  $\alpha + \beta - \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Thus

$$\frac{h}{b} = \cot \beta, \quad \frac{h+x}{b} = \tan \alpha; \text{ therefore}$$

$$\frac{x}{b} = \tan \alpha - \cot \beta = -\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\cos \alpha \sin \beta}.$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{x}{b+c} = \tan \beta - \cot \alpha = -\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\cos \beta \sin \alpha}.$$

Therefore 
$$\frac{c}{x} = \frac{\cos \alpha \sin \beta - \cos \beta \sin \alpha}{\cos(\alpha + \beta)} = \frac{\sin(\beta - \alpha)}{\cos(\beta + \alpha)};$$

therefore 
$$x = \frac{c \cos(\beta + \alpha)}{\sin(\beta - \alpha)}.$$

129. In every right-angled triangle  $r = \frac{1}{2}(a+b-c)$ ; see the solution of Example 120. In the present case  $2\sqrt{R^2 - 2Rr} = \sqrt{c(a+b-c)}$ ; and  $R = \frac{c}{2}$ ; thus  $4\left(\frac{c^2}{4} - cr\right) = c(a+b-c)$ ; therefore  $c - 4r = a+b-c$ ; therefore  $4r = 2c - a - b$ ; therefore  $2(a+b-c) = 2c - a - b$ ; therefore  $a+b = \frac{4c}{3}$ ; and therefore  $r = \frac{c}{6}$ .

130. 
$$\cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A + \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} B + \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} C = \frac{1}{2}(3 + \cos A + \cos B + \cos C)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(4 + 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}\right), \text{ by Art. 114,}$$

$$= 2 + \frac{2S^2}{sabc} = 2 + \frac{2rS}{abc} = 2 + \frac{r}{2R}.$$

131. 
$$\frac{\sin(x+A)}{\sqrt{\sin 2A}} = \frac{\sin(x+B)}{\sqrt{\sin 2A}};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin x \cos A + \cos x \sin A}{\sqrt{\sin 2A}} = \frac{\sin x \cos B + \cos x \sin B}{\sqrt{\sin 2B}};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\cos A (\tan x + \tan A)}{\sqrt{\sin 2A}} = \frac{\cos B (\tan x + \tan B)}{\sqrt{\sin 2B}};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\tan x + \tan A}{\sqrt{\tan A}} = \frac{\tan x + \tan B}{\sqrt{\tan B}},$$

therefore 
$$\tan x (\sqrt{\tan B} - \sqrt{\tan A}) = \sqrt{\tan A \tan B} (\sqrt{\tan B} - \sqrt{\tan A}),$$

therefore 
$$\tan x = \sqrt{\tan A \tan B}.$$

132. 
$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 2A + \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C &= 1 - \cos^2 2A + \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C \\ &= 1 + \cos 2A \{ \cos 2B \cos 2C - \cos 2A \} \\ &= 1 + \cos 2A \{ \cos 2B \cos 2C - \cos (2B + 2C) \} \\ &= 1 + \cos 2A \sin 2B \sin 2C. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$\sin^2 2B + \cos 2A \cos 2B \cos 2C = 1 + \cos 2B \sin 2A \sin 2C.$$

Hence the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2 + \sin 2C \{ \sin 2C + \sin 2B \cos 2A + \sin 2A \cos 2B \} \\ &= 2 + \sin 2C \{ -\sin (2A + 2B) + \sin (2A + 2B) \} \\ &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

133. The series may be separated into two, namely

$$\log 2 + \frac{1}{2} (\log 2)^2 + \frac{1}{3} (\log 2)^3 + \dots$$

and

$$2 \log 2 + \frac{1}{2} (2 \log 2)^2 + \frac{1}{3} (2 \log 2)^3 + \dots$$

and is therefore equal to  $e^{\log 2} - 1 + e^{2 \log 2} - 1$ , that is to  $e^{\log 2} - 1 + e^{\log 4} - 1$ , that is to  $2 - 1 + 4 - 1$ , that is to 4.

134. 
$$\begin{aligned} &\sin (A - B) \cos (C - B) \cos (A - C) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sin (A - B) \{ \cos (A + B - 2C) + \cos (A - B) \} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \sin 2(A - C) + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2(C - B) + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2(A - B). \end{aligned}$$

Transform the second and third terms in like manner, then by addition we obtain the required result.

135. 
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sin (A - B)}{\sin (A + B)} &= \frac{\sin (A + B) \sin (A - B)}{\sin^2 (A + B)} = \frac{\sin^2 A - \sin^2 B}{\sin^2 C}, \text{ by Art. 83,} \\ &= \left( \frac{\sin A}{\sin C} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{\sin B}{\sin C} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{a}{c} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{b}{c} \right)^2 = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{c^2}. \end{aligned}$$

136. Suppose the diagonal  $h$  of the quadrilateral to make an angle  $\theta$  with the sides of the rectangle which pass through its extremities; then each of the other sides is equal to  $h \sin \theta$ . It will be seen from a diagram that

the diagonal  $k$  of the quadrilateral will make an angle  $\frac{3\pi}{2} - (\theta + A)$  with the sides of the rectangle which pass through its extremities; then each of the other sides is equal to  $k \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - \theta - A\right)$ , that is to  $-k \cos(\theta + A)$ . Hence the area of the rectangle  $= -hk \sin \theta \cos(\theta + A) = \frac{hk}{2} \{-\sin(2\theta + A) + \sin A\}$ . The greatest value of this is when  $2\theta + A = \frac{3\pi}{2}$ , and is  $\frac{hk}{2}(1 + \sin A)$ .

137. Let  $h$  denote the height of the house,  $x$  the height of the wall,  $y$  the height of the church. Then  $x \cot \alpha$  is the distance of the wall from the house, and  $y \cot \alpha$  is the distance of the church from the house. By similar triangles  $\frac{h}{x \cot \alpha} = \frac{y}{y \cot \alpha - x \cot \alpha}$ ; therefore  $h(y - x) = xy$ .

$$\text{Also } \frac{y-h}{y \cot \alpha} = \tan \beta; \text{ therefore } y = \frac{h}{1 - \cot \alpha \tan \beta} = \frac{h \tan \alpha}{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}.$$

$$\text{Then } x = \frac{hy}{h+y} = \frac{h \tan \alpha}{2 \tan \alpha - \tan \beta}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 138. \quad a \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A + b \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} B + c \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (a + b + c + a \cos A + b \cos B + c \cos C) \\ &= s + \frac{1}{2} R (\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C) \\ &= s + 2R \sin A \sin B \sin C, \text{ by Art. 114,} \\ &= s + 2R \frac{8S^3}{a^2 b^2 c^2} = s + \frac{4S^2}{abc} = s + \frac{S}{R}. \end{aligned}$$

139. Through  $C$  draw a plane parallel to the horizon; from  $A$  draw  $AP$  perpendicular to the intersection of this plane with that which contains  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ ; from  $B$  draw  $BQ$  perpendicular to the same intersection. Let  $ACP = \phi$ , and  $BCQ = \psi$ ; so that  $\phi + \psi + \gamma = \pi$ . Therefore

$$\cos \gamma = \sin \phi \sin \psi - \cos \phi \cos \psi.$$

Now  $AP = AC \sin \phi$ ; thus the perpendicular from  $A$  on the plane drawn through  $C$  parallel to the horizon  $= AP \sin \theta = AC \sin \theta \sin \phi$ ; but this perpendicular also  $= AC \sin \alpha$ ; therefore

$$\sin \alpha = \sin \theta \sin \phi.$$

Similarly

$$\sin \beta = \sin \theta \sin \psi.$$

$$\text{Hence } \cos \gamma = \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin^2 \theta} - \frac{\sqrt{(\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \alpha)(\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \beta)}}{\sin^2 \theta},$$



therefore  $(\cos \gamma \sin^2 \theta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta)^2 = (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \alpha) (\sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \beta)$ ,

therefore  $\cos^2 \gamma \sin^2 \theta - 2 \cos \gamma \sin \alpha \sin \beta = \sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta$ ,

therefore  $\sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \gamma = \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta - 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \cos \gamma$ .

140. With the diagram of Art. 248 we see that

$$a' = 2r \sin FOA = 2r \cos \frac{1}{2} A;$$

and we have similar values for  $b'$  and  $c'$ .

Thus  $a'b'c' = 8r^3 \cos \frac{1}{2} A \cos \frac{1}{2} B \cos \frac{1}{2} C = 8r^3 \frac{sS}{abc}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{a'b'c'}{abc} = \frac{8r^2 S^2}{a^2 b^2 c^2} = \frac{8r^2}{(4R)^2} = \frac{r^2}{2R^2}$ .

141. Here  $\frac{3 \tan \theta - \tan^3 \theta}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta} + \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} + \tan \theta = 0$ .

Therefore either  $\tan \theta = 0$  or  $\frac{3 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta} + \frac{2}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} + 1 = 0$ .

The latter gives

$$(3 - \tan^2 \theta) (1 - \tan^2 \theta) + 2 (1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta) + (1 - \tan^2 \theta) (1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta) = 0;$$

therefore  $4 \tan^4 \theta - 14 \tan^2 \theta + 6 = 0$ .

By solving this quadratic we obtain  $\tan^2 \theta = 3$  or  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

142. We may obtain the result by taking the values of the four cosines and raising them to the eighth power. Or we may proceed thus:

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^8 \frac{\pi}{8} + \cos^8 \frac{3\pi}{8} + \cos^8 \frac{5\pi}{8} + \cos^8 \frac{7\pi}{8} \\ &= 2 \left( \cos^8 \frac{\pi}{8} + \cos^8 \frac{3\pi}{8} \right) = 2 \left( \cos^8 \frac{\pi}{8} + \sin^8 \frac{\pi}{8} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{32} \left( \cos \pi + 28 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + 35 \right), \text{ by Example IX. 13,} \\ &= \frac{34}{32} = \frac{17}{16}. \end{aligned}$$

143. Here  $\frac{b}{a} = \frac{\cos \phi}{\cos \theta}$ ; therefore  $\frac{a+b}{a-b} = \frac{\cos \theta + \cos \phi}{\cos \theta - \cos \phi}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2 \cos \frac{1}{2} (\phi + \theta) \cos \frac{1}{2} (\phi - \theta)}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2} (\phi + \theta) \sin \frac{1}{2} (\phi - \theta)} = \cot \frac{1}{2} (\phi + \theta) \cot \frac{1}{2} (\phi - \theta). \end{aligned}$$

$$144. \quad \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{A}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{B}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{C}{2} \right);$$

and the sum of  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{A}{2}$ ,  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{B}{2}$ , and  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{C}{2}$  is a fixed quantity, namely  $\pi$ .

Hence proceeding as in Example XIII. 40, we see that the proposed product is greatest when

$$\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{A}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{B}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{C}{2},$$

that is when

$$\frac{A}{2} = \frac{B}{2} = \frac{C}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6};$$

and then the product

$$-\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^3 = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8}.$$

$$145. \quad \text{We have } \cot \frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{(s-a)(s-c)}} = \frac{s-b}{s-a} \cot \frac{A}{2};$$

similarly

$$\cot \frac{C}{2} = \frac{s-c}{s-a} \cot \frac{A}{2}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence } \cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} &= \left(1 + \frac{s-b}{s-a} + \frac{s-c}{s-a}\right) \cot \frac{A}{2} \\ &= \frac{3s-a-b-c}{s-a} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{s}{s-a} \cot \frac{A}{2} = \frac{a+b+c}{b+c-a} \cot \frac{A}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

146. Let  $A$  denote the angle between the diagonals; then  $C = \frac{1}{2}kk \sin A$ ; and by the solution of Example 136 the area of the circumscribed rectangle is  $-hk \sin \theta \cos(A+\theta)$ . And since the rectangle is to be a square, we have by the solution of Example 136

$$h \sin \theta = -k \cos(A+\theta);$$

therefore

$$h = -k(\cos A \cot \theta - \sin A);$$

therefore

$$\cot \theta = \frac{k \sin A - h}{k \cos A};$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin^2 \theta = \frac{k^2 \cos^2 A}{(k \sin A - h)^2 + k^2 \cos^2 A} = \frac{k^2 - k^2 \sin^2 A}{k^2 - 2kh \sin A + h^2} = \frac{k^2 - \frac{4C^2}{h^2}}{h^2 + k^2 - 4C}.$$

$$\text{And the area of the circumscribing square} = h^2 \sin^2 \theta = \frac{h^2 k^2 - 4C^2}{h^2 + k^2 - 4C}.$$

147. We may put the proposed expression in the form

$$L \sin^2 \theta + M \sin \theta \cos \theta + N \cos^2 \theta,$$

where  $L, M, N$  involve the angles  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  and also  $x, y, z$ : moreover  $x, y, z$  occur only in the first power. Now if we put  $M=0$  and  $L=N=4$  the given

constant, the expression is equal to the given constant whatever  $\theta$  may be. So we have only to determine  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  from the three simple equations  $M=0$ , and  $L=N$ =the given constant.

As soon as we have thus shewn that such values of  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $z$  as we require must exist, we can determine the values more simply. For let  $C$  denote the given constant; put  $\alpha$  for  $\theta$ , then

$$x \sin(\alpha - \beta) \sin(\alpha - \gamma) = C.$$

This finds  $x$ . Similarly, by putting  $\beta$  for  $\theta$  we find  $y$ , and by putting  $\gamma$  for  $\theta$  we find  $z$ .

148. Let  $AB$  denote the side of the regular pentagon,  $P$  the middle point of the arc subtended by the side adjacent to  $AB$  at  $B$ . Then the angle  $APB$  is the angle subtended at the circumference of the circle by the side of a regular pentagon inscribed in the circle, so that the angle =  $\frac{\pi}{5}$ . Similarly

the angle  $PAB = \frac{\pi}{10}$ ; and therefore the angle  $ABP = \frac{7\pi}{10}$ .

Let  $r$  denote the radius of the circle, so that

$$AB = 2r \sin \frac{\pi}{5}, \quad PB = 2r \sin \frac{\pi}{10}, \quad \text{and} \quad PA = 2r \sin \frac{7\pi}{10} = 2r \sin \frac{3\pi}{10}.$$

Hence 
$$PA - PB = 2r \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} \right\} = r,$$

$$PA \cdot PB = \frac{4r^2 (\sqrt{5} + 1)(\sqrt{5} - 1)}{16} = r^2,$$

$$PA^2 + PB^2 = 4r^2 \left\{ \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} \right)^2 \right\} = 3r^2.$$

149. Suppose the tower to subtend an angle  $\phi$  at the eye of the observer; let  $x$  be the length of the flag-staff: then

$$\frac{a}{b} = \tan \phi, \quad \frac{a+x}{b} = \tan(\phi + \theta) = \frac{\tan \phi + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \phi \tan \theta} = \frac{a + b \tan \theta}{b - a \tan \theta};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{x}{b} = \frac{a + b \tan \theta}{b - a \tan \theta} - \frac{a}{b} = \frac{(b^2 + a^2) \tan \theta}{b(b - a \tan \theta)};$$

then if  $\theta$  be very small we may put  $\theta$  for  $\tan \theta$ , and neglect  $a \tan \theta$  in comparison with  $b$ , so that  $x = \frac{b^2 + a^2}{b} \theta$  nearly.

150. We have by Art. 249

$$\begin{aligned} & (s-a)^2 \sin A + (s-b)^2 \sin B + (s-c)^2 \sin C \\ &= r \left\{ (s-a) \sin A \cot \frac{A}{2} + (s-b) \sin B \cot \frac{B}{2} + (s-c) \sin C \cot \frac{C}{2} \right\} \\ &= 2r \left\{ (s-a) \cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + (s-b) \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} + (s-c) \cos^2 \frac{C}{2} \right\}; \end{aligned}$$

and by Examples 130 and 138, this

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 2r \left\{ \left( 2 + \frac{r}{2R} \right) s - \left( s + \frac{S}{R} \right) \right\} = 2r \left( s + \frac{S}{2R} - \frac{S}{R} \right) \\
 &= 2r \left( s - \frac{S}{2R} \right) = 2r \left( \frac{S}{r} - \frac{S}{2R} \right) = \frac{S(2R-r)}{R}.
 \end{aligned}$$

And 
$$\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = \frac{Ss}{abc} = \frac{s}{4R};$$

so that 
$$4r(2R-r) \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = 4r(2R-r) \frac{s}{4R} = \frac{S(2R-r)}{R}.$$

Thus the proposed expressions are equal.

151. 
$$2 \sin 7A \cos A = \sin 8A + \sin 6A;$$

therefore 
$$\begin{aligned}
 2 \sin 7A \cos A + 16 \sin A \cos^3 A &= \sin 6A + \sin 8A + 16 \sin A \cos^3 A \\
 &= \sin 6A + 2 \sin 4A \cos 4A + 8 \sin 2A \cos^2 A \\
 &= \sin 6A + 4 \sin 2A \cos 2A \cos 4A + 8 \sin 2A \cos^2 A \\
 &= \sin 6A + 4 \sin 2A (2 \cos^2 A + \cos 2A \cos 4A) \\
 &= \sin 6A + 4 \sin 2A \{1 + \cos 2A (1 + \cos 4A)\} \\
 &= \sin 6A + 4 \sin 2A (1 + 2 \cos^2 2A).
 \end{aligned}$$

152. Let  $x$  denote the logarithm of 32 to the base  $\sqrt[3]{4}$ ; then  $32 = (\sqrt[3]{4})^x$ , that is  $2^5 = 4^{\frac{x}{3}} = 2^{\frac{2x}{3}}$ ; therefore  $5 = \frac{2x}{3}$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{15}{2}$ .

Let  $x$  denote the logarithm of  $81\sqrt[3]{3}$  to the base  $\sqrt[3]{9}$ ; then  $81\sqrt[3]{3} = (\sqrt[3]{9})^x$ , that is  $3^{4+\frac{1}{3}} = 9^{\frac{x}{3}} = 3^{\frac{2x}{3}}$ ; therefore  $\frac{2x}{3} = 4\frac{1}{3} = \frac{13}{3}$ ; therefore  $x = \frac{13}{2}$ .

153. Here 
$$\frac{\sin(A+B)}{\cos(A+B)} = \frac{3 \sin A}{\cos A};$$

therefore 
$$\sin(A+B) \cos A - \cos(A+B) \sin A = 2 \sin A \cos(A+B);$$

therefore 
$$\sin(A+B-A) = 2 \sin A \cos(A+B);$$

that is 
$$\sin B = 2 \sin A \cos(A+B) = \sin(2A+B) - \sin B;$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin B = \sin(2A+B);$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin B \cos B = \sin(2A+B) \cos B;$$

therefore 
$$\sin 2B = \frac{1}{2} \{ \sin(2A+2B) + \sin 2A \};$$

therefore 
$$2 \sin 2B = \sin(2A+2B) + \sin 2A.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 154. \quad & \frac{1}{a} \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \frac{1}{b} \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} + \frac{1}{c} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{abc} \{ (s-b)(s-c) + (s-a)(s-c) + (s-a)(s-b) \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{abc} \{ 3s^2 - 2s(a+b+c) + ab + bc + ca \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{abc} \{ ab + bc + ca - s^2 \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4abc} \{ 4ab + 4bc + 4ca - (a+b+c)^2 \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4abc} \{ 2ab + 2bc + 2ca - a^2 - b^2 - c^2 \}.
 \end{aligned}$$

155. Let  $ABCD$  denote the quadrilateral figure. Let  $P, Q, R, S$  be taken in  $AB, BC, CD, DA$  respectively, such that

$$\frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{BQ}{QC} = \frac{CR}{RD} = \frac{DS}{SA} = \frac{m}{n}.$$

Then

$$\frac{PB}{AB} = \frac{n}{m+n}, \quad \frac{BQ}{BC} = \frac{m}{m+n};$$

and the area of the triangle  $PBQ = \frac{1}{2} BP \cdot BQ \sin B = \frac{mn}{2(m+n)^2} AB \cdot BC \sin B$

$$= \frac{mn}{(m+n)^2} \text{ area of the triangle } ABC.$$

Similarly the area of the triangle  $RDS = \frac{mn}{(m+n)^2}$  area of the triangle  $ADC$ .

Therefore the area of the triangles  $PBQ$  and  $RDS = \frac{mnH}{(m+n)^2}$ , where  $H$  denotes the area of the quadrilateral figure  $ABCD$ .

In the same way we shew that the area of the triangles  $QCR$  and  $SAP = \frac{mnH}{(m+n)^2}$ .

Thus the area of the four triangles  $PBQ, QCR, RDS,$  and  $SAP = \frac{2mnH}{(m+n)^2}$ .

Therefore the area of the quadrilateral figure  $PQRS$

$$= H \left\{ 1 - \frac{2mn}{(m+n)^2} \right\} = \frac{H(m^2 + n^2)}{(m+n)^2}.$$

156.  $\cos \theta + \cos 3\theta = \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $\cos \theta + 4 \cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ ;

therefore  $4 \cos^3 \theta - 2 \cos \theta - \frac{1}{2} = 0$ ; therefore  $4 \left( \cos^3 \theta + \frac{1}{8} \right) - 2 \left( \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \right) = 0$ ;

$$\text{therefore } 2 \left( \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( \cos^2 \theta - \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta + \frac{1}{4} \right) - \left( \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \right) = 0;$$

$$\text{therefore } \left( \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( 2 \cos^2 \theta - \cos \theta - \frac{1}{2} \right) = 0.$$

$$\text{Thus either } \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} = 0 \text{ or } 2 \cos^2 \theta - \cos \theta - \frac{1}{2} = 0;$$

$$\text{the former gives } \cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}; \text{ the latter gives } \cos \theta = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{4}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 157. \quad \cos \beta \cos \gamma \sin (\gamma - \beta) &= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\beta - \gamma) + \cos (\beta + \gamma) \} \sin (\gamma - \beta) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin (2\gamma - 2\beta) + \sin 2\gamma - \sin 2\beta \}. \end{aligned}$$

Transform the other two terms in the same way; and thus we obtain finally as the sum

$$\frac{1}{4} \{ \sin (2\gamma - 2\beta) + \sin (2\alpha - 2\gamma) + \sin (2\beta - 2\alpha) \}.$$

$$\text{Again, } \sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\gamma - \alpha)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{ \cos (\alpha + \gamma - 2\beta) - \cos (\alpha - \gamma) \} \sin (\gamma - \alpha)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin (2\gamma - 2\beta) + \sin (2\beta - 2\alpha) + \sin (2\alpha - 2\gamma) \}.$$

Thus the proposed expressions are equal.

Or thus: from Example VIII. 12 we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \beta \sin \gamma \sin (\gamma - \beta) + \sin \gamma \sin \alpha \sin (\alpha - \gamma) + \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin (\beta - \alpha) \\ = \sin (\alpha - \beta) \sin (\beta - \gamma) \sin (\gamma - \alpha). \end{aligned}$$

In this formula change  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  into  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha$ ,  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \beta$ ,  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \gamma$  respectively; and thus we obtain the required result.

$$\begin{aligned} 158. \quad \sin A \sin (A - B) \sin (A - C) &= \frac{1}{2} \sin A \{ \cos (C - B) - \cos (2A - B - C) \} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin (A + C - B) + \sin (A + B - C) - \sin (3A - B - C) - \sin (B + C - A) \} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin 2B + \sin 2C + \sin 4A - \sin 2A \}. \end{aligned}$$

In this way we see that the expression on the left-hand side in the proposed formula

$$= \frac{1}{4} \{ \sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C + \sin 4A + \sin 4B + \sin 4C \}.$$

Then by Example VIII. 33 we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C &= 4 \sin A \sin B \sin C, \\ \sin 4A + \sin 4B + \sin 4C &= -4 \sin 2A \sin 2B \sin 2C \\ &= -32 \sin A \sin B \sin C \cos A \cos B \cos C. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we obtain the required result.

159. Let  $A$  denote the bottom of the pole,  $B$  the point on the pole to which the man climbs,  $F$  the top of the window,  $E$  the bottom. Let  $AF$  and  $BE$  intersect at  $D$ , which is therefore the top of the wall. Draw  $DC$  perpendicular to the ground, and produce  $FE$  to meet the ground at  $H$ . Draw from  $B$  a horizontal straight line meeting  $FH$  at  $G$ .

Then from the triangle  $BAF$  we get  $BF = \frac{c \cos \alpha}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)}$ ;

$$BG = BF \cos \beta = \frac{c \cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin(\alpha - \beta)} = \frac{c}{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta},$$

$$EG = BG \tan \gamma = \frac{c \tan \gamma}{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta},$$

$$EH = c + EG = \frac{c(\tan \alpha - \tan \beta + \tan \gamma)}{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}.$$

160. From the triangle  $CEB$  we have  $\frac{CE}{a} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} B}{\sin \left( C + \frac{1}{2} B \right)}$ ;

and from the triangle  $CDA$  we have  $\frac{CD}{b} = \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2} A}{\sin \left( C + \frac{1}{2} A \right)}$ .

Thus the area of the triangle  $CED = \frac{1}{2} CE \cdot CD \sin C$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{ab \sin C \sin \frac{1}{2} A \sin \frac{1}{2} B}{2 \sin \left( C + \frac{1}{2} B \right) \sin \left( C + \frac{1}{2} A \right)} = \frac{S \sin \frac{1}{2} A \sin \frac{1}{2} B}{\cos \frac{C-A}{2} \cos \frac{C-B}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 161. \quad \text{We have } p &= 2 \cos A + \cos^3 A (-5 + 4 \cos^2 A) \\
 &= 2 \cos A + \frac{1}{4} (\cos 3A + 3 \cos A) (-5 + 4 \cos^2 A) \\
 &= 2 \cos A + \frac{1}{4} (\cos 3A + 3 \cos A) (-3 + 2 \cos 2A) \\
 &= 2 \cos A - \frac{3}{4} \cos 3A - \frac{9}{4} \cos A + \frac{1}{2} \cos 3A \cos 2A + \frac{3}{2} \cos A \cos 2A \\
 &= -\frac{3}{4} \cos 3A - \frac{1}{4} \cos A + \frac{1}{4} (\cos 5A + \cos A) + \frac{3}{4} (\cos 3A + \cos A) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} (\cos 5A + 3 \cos A).
 \end{aligned}$$

In the same way we find that

$$q = \frac{1}{4} (\sin 5A + 3 \sin A).$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
 p \cos 3A + q \sin 3A &= \frac{1}{4} (\cos 5A + 3 \cos A) \cos 3A + \frac{1}{4} (\sin 5A + 3 \sin A) \sin 3A \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} (\cos 5A \cos 3A + \sin 5A \sin 3A) + \frac{3}{4} (\cos 3A \cos A + \sin 3A \sin A) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \cos (5A - 3A) + \frac{3}{4} \cos (3A - A) = \cos 2A.
 \end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned}
 p \sin 3A - q \cos 3A &= \frac{1}{4} (\cos 5A + 3 \cos A) \sin 3A - \frac{1}{4} (\sin 5A + 3 \sin A) \cos 3A \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} (\cos 5A \sin 3A - \sin 5A \cos 3A) + \frac{3}{4} (\sin 3A \cos A - \cos 3A \sin A) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4} \sin (5A - 3A) + \frac{3}{4} \sin (3A - A) = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2A.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$162. \quad \text{Let } u = \left( \cos \frac{\alpha}{n} \right)^{\cot^2 \frac{\beta}{n}}; \text{ therefore}$$

$$\log u = \cot^2 \frac{\beta}{n} \log \cos \frac{\alpha}{n} = \cos^2 \frac{\beta}{n} \times \operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\beta}{n} \log \cos \frac{\alpha}{n}.$$

Now as in the solution of Example XII. 33 we can shew that

$$\operatorname{cosec}^2 \frac{\beta}{n} \log \cos \frac{\alpha}{n} = -\frac{\alpha^2}{2\beta^2} \text{ when } n \text{ is infinite.}$$

And  $\cos^2 \frac{\beta}{n} = 1$  when  $n$  is infinite.

Thus  $\log u = -\frac{\alpha^2}{2\beta^2}$ ; and therefore  $u = e^{-\frac{\alpha^2}{2\beta^2}}$ .



163. If  $n$  be a positive integer, we have  $1 + 2 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^n = 2^{n+1} - 1$ .

Hence the infinite series

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2 - 1 + \frac{2^2 - 1}{2} + \frac{2^3 - 1}{3} + \frac{2^4 - 1}{4} + \dots \\ &= 2 + \frac{2^2}{2} + \frac{2^3}{3} + \frac{2^4}{4} + \dots - \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots \right\} \\ &= e^2 - 1 - \{e - 1\} = e^2 - e. \end{aligned}$$

164. Here  $\sec \alpha \cos(x+y) = \frac{\cos(x-y)}{\cos x \cos y}$ ,

and  $\sec \beta \cos(x-y) = \frac{\cos(x+y)}{\cos x \cos y}$ ;

therefore, by division,  $\frac{\cos \beta}{\cos \alpha} \cdot \frac{\cos(x+y)}{\cos(x-y)} = \frac{\cos(x-y)}{\cos(x+y)}$ ,

so that  $\frac{\cos(x-y)}{\cos(x+y)} = \sqrt{\frac{\cos \beta}{\cos \alpha}}$  ..... (1).

And  $\cos(x-y) + \cos(x+y) = 2 \cos x \cos y = 2 \cos \alpha \frac{\cos(x-y)}{\cos(x+y)}$   
 $= 2 \sqrt{\cos \alpha \cos \beta}$ .....(2).

From (1) and (2) we have

$$\cos(x+y) \left\{ \sqrt{\frac{\cos \beta}{\cos \alpha}} + 1 \right\} = 2 \sqrt{\cos \alpha \cos \beta};$$

therefore  $\cos(x+y) = \frac{2 \cos \alpha \sqrt{\cos \beta}}{\sqrt{\cos \alpha} + \sqrt{\cos \beta}}$ .

Then by (1) we have  $\cos(x-y) = \frac{2 \cos \beta \sqrt{\cos \alpha}}{\sqrt{\cos \alpha} + \sqrt{\cos \beta}}$ .

165. It may be shewn as in the solution of Example xx. 4 that

$$\frac{a \cos \frac{1}{2}(B-C)}{bc \cos \frac{1}{2}(B+C)} = \frac{b+c}{bc} = \frac{a(b+c)}{abc};$$

similarly  $\frac{b \cos \frac{1}{2}(C-A)}{ca \cos \frac{1}{2}(C+A)} = \frac{b(c+a)}{abc}$ , and  $\frac{c \cos \frac{1}{2}(A-B)}{ab \cos \frac{1}{2}(A+B)} = \frac{c(a+b)}{abc}$ .

Hence by addition we obtain the required result.

$$166. \quad AP = OA \cos OAP, \quad AS = OA \cos OAS;$$

therefore the area of the triangle  $APS = \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \cos OAP \cos OAS \sin A$ .

In the same way the area of the triangle  $OPS$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \sin OAP \sin OAS \sin POS = \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \sin OAP \sin OAS \sin (180^\circ - A) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \sin OAP \sin OAS \sin A. \end{aligned}$$

Hence triangle  $APS$  - triangle  $OPS$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \sin A \{ \cos OAP \cos OAS - \sin OAP \sin OAS \} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \sin A \cos (OAP + OAS) = \frac{1}{2} OA^2 \sin A \cos A = \frac{1}{4} OA^2 \sin 2A. \end{aligned}$$

In the same way we obtain

$$\text{triangle } BQP - \text{triangle } OQP = \frac{1}{4} OB^2 \sin 2B,$$

$$\text{triangle } CRQ - \text{triangle } ORQ = \frac{1}{4} OC^2 \sin 2C,$$

$$\text{and } \text{triangle } DSR - \text{triangle } OSR = \frac{1}{4} OD^2 \sin 2D.$$

Hence by addition we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{triangle } APS + \text{triangle } BQP + \text{triangle } CRQ + \text{triangle } DSR \\ &\quad - \text{quadrilateral } PQRS \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \{ OA^2 \sin 2A + OB^2 \sin 2B + OC^2 \sin 2C + OD^2 \sin 2D \}. \end{aligned}$$

But the sum of the four triangles and the quadrilateral

$$= \text{the quadrilateral } ABCD.$$

Hence by subtraction we have

$$\text{twice the quadrilateral } PQRS = \text{the quadrilateral } ABCD$$

$$- \frac{1}{4} \{ OA^2 \sin 2A + OB^2 \sin 2B + OC^2 \sin 2C + OD^2 \sin 2D \}.$$

$$167. \quad \text{We have } a = 2R \sin A, \quad b = 2R \sin B, \quad c = 2R \sin C;$$

thus the proposed expression

$$= 4R \left\{ \sin \frac{B-C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{C-A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{A-B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 4R \left\{ \sin \frac{B-C}{2} \sin \frac{B+C}{2} + \sin \frac{C-A}{2} \sin \frac{C+A}{2} + \sin \frac{A-B}{2} \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \right\} \\
 &= 4R \left\{ \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} \right\} \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

168. Assume  $x = \tan A$ ,  $y = \tan B$ ,  $z = \tan C$ ; then since  $x + y + z = xyz$  it will follow in the manner of Art. 114 that  $\tan(A + B + C)$  is zero; therefore  $A + B + C = n\pi$  where  $n$  is zero or some integer. Therefore  $3A + 3B + 3C = 3n\pi$ ; and therefore in the manner of Art. 114 we have

$$\tan 3A + \tan 3B + \tan 3C = \tan 3A \tan 3B \tan 3C.$$

But 
$$\tan 3A = \frac{3 \tan A - \tan^3 A}{1 - 3 \tan^2 A} = \frac{3x - x^3}{1 - 3x^2};$$

similarly 
$$\tan 3B = \frac{3y - y^3}{1 - 3y^2}, \quad \tan 3C = \frac{3z - z^3}{1 - 3z^2};$$

thus the required result follows.

169. We have  $l = R \cos A$ ,  $m = R \cos B$ ,  $n = R \cos C$ ; thus we have to shew that

$$\frac{4a}{R \cos A} + \frac{4b}{R \cos B} + \frac{4c}{R \cos C} = \frac{abc}{R^3 \cos A \cos B \cos C}.$$

Now  $a = 2R \sin A$ ,  $b = 2R \sin B$ ,  $c = 2R \sin C$ ; thus the proposed identity becomes

$$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C;$$

and this is true by Art. 114.

170. 
$$\sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}(\cos A + \cos B + \cos C)$$

$$= 1 - 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}, \text{ by Art. 114.}$$

Now we have seen in Example XIII. 40 that  $\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$  cannot be greater than  $\frac{1}{8}$ ; hence  $\sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}$  cannot be less than  $1 - \frac{1}{4}$ , that is than  $\frac{3}{4}$ .

171. 
$$\frac{\sin a\theta}{\sin b\theta} = \frac{a}{b} \frac{\sin a\theta}{a\theta} \cdot \frac{b\theta}{\sin b\theta};$$
 and when  $\theta$  is indefinitely diminished the limit of  $\frac{\sin a\theta}{a\theta}$  is unity, and so also is the limit of  $\frac{b\theta}{\sin b\theta}$ ; thus the limit of  $\frac{\sin a\theta}{\sin b\theta}$  is  $\frac{a}{b}$ .

Also 
$$\frac{\text{vers } a\theta}{\text{vers } b\theta} = \frac{1 - \cos a\theta}{1 - \cos b\theta} = \frac{\sin^2 \frac{a\theta}{2}}{\sin^2 \frac{b\theta}{2}} = \left\{ \frac{\sin \frac{a\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{b\theta}{2}} \right\}^2.$$

Now the limit of  $\frac{\sin \frac{a\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{b\theta}{2}}$  is  $\frac{a}{b}$  in the manner just shewn; therefore the

limit of  $\frac{\text{vers } a\theta}{\text{vers } b\theta}$  is  $\frac{a^2}{b^2}$ .

172. 
$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \frac{1}{1.1} + \frac{1}{2.3} + \frac{1}{3.5} + \frac{1}{4.7} + \dots \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{3.4} + \frac{1}{5.6} + \frac{1}{7.8} + \dots \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \log 2, \text{ by Art. 146,} = \log \sqrt{2}. \end{aligned}$$

173. 
$$\begin{aligned} \tan \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{A}{2} \sec \frac{B}{2} \sec \frac{C}{2} &= \frac{\sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2}} + \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

The numerator of this fraction  $= 1 - \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}$   
 $= 1 + \sin \frac{A}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} - \cos \frac{B+C}{2} \right\} = 1 + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}.$

Thus the fraction  $= \sec \frac{A}{2} \sec \frac{B}{2} \sec \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2}.$

Similarly the other two proposed expressions may be reduced to this symmetrical form; and thus the three expressions are equal.

174.  $\sin(\pi \cot \theta) = \cos(\pi \tan \theta);$

therefore  $\cos(\pi \tan \theta) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \cot \theta\right);$

therefore all the solutions are comprised in

$$\pi \tan \theta = 2n\pi \pm \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \cot \theta\right),$$

where  $n$  is zero, or some integer, positive or negative.

Take the upper sign; thus  $2n + \frac{1}{2} = \tan \theta + \cot \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$ , so that  
 $n + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{\sin 2\theta}$ .

Take the lower sign; thus  $\frac{1}{2} - 2n = \cot \theta - \tan \theta = 2 \cot 2\theta$ , so that  
 $\cot 2\theta = \frac{1}{4} - n$ .

Thus either cosec  $2\theta$  or  $\cot 2\theta$  takes the prescribed form.

175. We have  $a = 2R \sin A$ ,  $b = 2R \sin B$ ,  $c = 2R \sin C$ .

Thus the left-hand member =  $\left(\frac{1}{2R}\right)^2$ .

And the right-hand member =  $\frac{\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C}{16R^2 \sin A \sin B \sin C} = \frac{1}{4R^2}$ , by Art. 114.

176. Let  $\theta$  be the angle of the sector; then we see from a diagram that  
 $\frac{r}{a-r} = \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ . But  $2c = 2a \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ . Therefore  $\frac{r}{a-r} = \frac{c}{a}$ ; therefore  $\frac{a-r}{r} = \frac{a}{c}$ ;  
 therefore  $\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{c}$ .

177. 
$$\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin 4x}{\cos 4x} + \frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 2x} + \frac{\sin 3x}{\cos 3x} = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin x \cos 4x + \cos x \sin 4x}{\cos x \cos 4x} + \frac{\sin 2x \cos 3x + \cos 2x \sin 3x}{\cos 2x \cos 3x} = 0;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{\sin 5x}{\cos x \cos 4x} + \frac{\sin 5x}{\cos 2x \cos 3x} = 0;$$

therefore either  $\sin 5x = 0$  or  $\frac{1}{\cos x \cos 4x} + \frac{1}{\cos 2x \cos 3x} = 0$ .

If we take the former, then  $5x = n\pi$ .

If we take the latter, then  $\cos 2x \cos 3x + \cos x \cos 4x = 0$ ;  
 therefore  $\cos 2x (4 \cos^3 x - 3 \cos x) + \cos x \cos 4x = 0$ ;

therefore either  $\cos x = 0$  or  $\cos 2x (4 \cos^2 x - 3) + \cos 4x = 0$ .

If we take the former, then  $x = (2m+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

If we take the latter, then  $\cos 2x (2 + 2 \cos 2x - 3) + 2 \cos^2 2x - 1 = 0$ ;  
 therefore  $4 \cos^2 2x - \cos 2x - 1 = 0$ ;

and by solving this quadratic we obtain  $\cos 2x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{17}}{8}$ .

178. We may proceed as in the solution of Example 147, and seek for the values of  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$ , which make

$x \sin(\theta - \beta) \sin(\theta - \gamma) + y \sin(\theta - \gamma) \sin(\theta - \alpha) + z \sin(\theta - \alpha) \sin(\theta - \beta)$   
always equal to 1. Then we shall find that  $x = \frac{1}{\sin(\alpha - \beta) \sin(\alpha - \gamma)}$ , and so on.

Or we may verify the formula by direct work. For reduce the three fractions to the common denominator  $\sin(\alpha - \beta) \sin(\beta - \gamma) \sin(\gamma - \alpha)$ . Then the numerator will become  $L \sin^2 \theta + M \sin \theta \cos \theta + N \cos^2 \theta$ , where

$$L = \cos \beta \cos \gamma \sin(\gamma - \beta) + \cos \gamma \cos \alpha \sin(\alpha - \gamma) + \cos \alpha \cos \beta \sin(\beta - \alpha),$$

$$M = -\sin(\gamma + \beta) \sin(\gamma - \beta) - \sin(\alpha + \gamma) \sin(\alpha - \gamma) - \sin(\beta + \alpha) \sin(\beta - \alpha),$$

$$N = \sin \beta \sin \gamma \sin(\gamma - \beta) + \sin \gamma \sin \alpha \sin(\alpha - \gamma) + \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin(\beta - \alpha).$$

It is obvious by Art. 83 that  $M=0$ ; and we have seen in the solution of Example 157 that  $L$  and  $N$  are each equal to the common denominator; so that  $L \sin^2 \theta + N \cos^2 \theta$  is also equal to this denominator, and the expression is equal to unity.

179. By Euclid vi. 2 we find that  $BD = \frac{ac}{b+c}$ , and  $CD = \frac{ab}{b+c}$ .

Similar expressions hold for the segments of the other sides of  $ABC$ .

Therefore the area of the triangle  $DCE$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{ab}{b+c} \cdot \frac{ab}{a+c} \sin C = \frac{Sab}{(a+c)(b+c)}.$$

Similar expressions hold for the areas of  $EFA$  and  $FDB$ .

Therefore the area of  $DEF$

$$\begin{aligned} &= S \left\{ 1 - \frac{ab}{(a+c)(b+c)} - \frac{bc}{(b+a)(c+a)} - \frac{ca}{(c+b)(a+b)} \right\} \\ &= \frac{S}{(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)} \{ (a+b)(b+c)(c+a) - ab(a+b) - bc(b+c) - ca(c+a) \} \\ &= \frac{2abcS}{(a+b)(b+c)(c+a)} = 2S \cdot \frac{a}{b+c} \cdot \frac{b}{c+a} \cdot \frac{c}{a+b}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{a}{b+c} = \frac{\sin A}{\sin B + \sin C} = \frac{\sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}}{\sin \frac{B+C}{2} \cos \frac{B-C}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{B-C}{2}}.$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{b}{c+a} = \frac{\sin \frac{B}{2}}{\cos \frac{C-A}{2}}, \text{ and } \frac{c}{a+b} = \frac{\sin \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A-B}{2}}.$$

Thus the required result is obtained.

180. Let  $x$  denote the height of the mountain; then the distances of the two stations from the point in the horizontal plane which is vertically under the top of the mountain are  $x \cot \alpha$  and  $x \cot \beta$  respectively.

Thus  $c^2 = x^2 \cot^2 \alpha + x^2 \cot^2 \beta - 2x^2 \cot \alpha \cot \beta \cos \gamma$ ; (Art. 215)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } x^2 &= \frac{c^2}{\cot^2 \alpha + \cot^2 \beta - 2 \cot \alpha \cot \beta \cos \gamma} \\ &= \frac{c^2 \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta}{\sin^2 \beta \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta - 2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha \sin \beta \cos \beta \cos \gamma}. \end{aligned}$$

The denominator of this fraction may be put in the form

$$(\sin \beta \cos \alpha + \cos \beta \sin \alpha)^2 - \sin 2\alpha \sin 2\beta \cos^2 \frac{\gamma}{2},$$

so that with the specified value of  $\phi$  it becomes  $\sin^2(\alpha + \beta) \cos^2 \phi$ ;

and therefore 
$$x = \frac{c \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin(\alpha + \beta) \cos \phi}.$$

181. Let  $\theta$  denote the angle; then  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{3 \times 450}$ ; therefore approximately  $\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{1350}$ ; therefore  $\theta = \frac{1}{675}$ . Hence the number of degrees in the angle is  $\frac{180}{\pi} \times \frac{1}{675}$ , and the number of minutes is  $\frac{180}{\pi} \times \frac{60}{675}$ , that is  $\frac{4}{45} \times \frac{180}{\pi}$ , that is  $\frac{4}{45} \times 57 \cdot 29 \dots$ , that is about 5.

182. The general term of the series is  $\frac{n^2}{n+1}$ ; for we obtain all the terms by putting successively 1, 2, 3, ... for  $n$  in this expression.

Now 
$$\frac{n^2}{n+1} = \frac{n(n+1) - (n+1) + 1}{n+1} = \frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n+1}.$$

If then we split up each term into three in this manner, beginning with the second term, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} + 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots \\ & - \left\{ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \dots \right\} \\ & + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \dots; \end{aligned}$$

that is  $\frac{1}{2} + e - 1 - (e - 2) + e - 2 - \frac{1}{2}$ , that is  $e - 1$ .

183. Here

$$\frac{2}{\cos \theta} = \frac{1}{\cos(\theta+2\alpha)} + \frac{1}{\cos(\theta-2\alpha)} = \frac{2 \cos \theta \cos 2\alpha}{\cos(\theta+2\alpha) \cos(\theta-2\alpha)} = \frac{2 \cos \theta \cos 2\alpha}{\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 2\alpha};$$

therefore  $\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 2\alpha = \cos^2 \theta \cos 2\alpha,$

therefore  $\cos^2 \theta (1 - \cos 2\alpha) = \sin^2 2\alpha = 4 \sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \alpha;$

therefore  $\cos^2 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \alpha.$

184. Here  $4 \sin(\theta + \phi) \cos(\theta - \phi) = 1,$  and  $2 \sin(\theta + \phi) = 1;$ 

therefore  $\sin(\theta + \phi) = \frac{1}{2},$  and  $\cos(\theta - \phi) = \frac{1}{2};$

therefore  $\theta + \phi = n\pi + (-1)^n \frac{\pi}{6},$  and  $\theta - \phi = 2m\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{3}.$

185.  $\sin A + \sin B + \sin C = 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2},$  by Example VIII. 16.

And  $\tan \frac{A}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} = \frac{\sin \frac{A+B}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}};$

therefore  $\tan \frac{A}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{C}{2} = \frac{\cos \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}} + \frac{\sin \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{C}{2}}$   
 $= \frac{\cos^2 \frac{C}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}};$

the numerator  $= 1 - \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}$

$$= 1 + \sin \frac{C}{2} \left\{ \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} - \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \right\} = 1 + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2};$$

and thus the fraction  $= \frac{1 + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}.$

Hence by multiplication we obtain the required result.



186. Proceed as in the solution of Example 166. Then we obtain the following expression for the excess of the sum of all the triangles at the corners above the second polygon

$$\frac{r^2}{4} \{ \sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C + \sin 2D + \dots \},$$

where  $r$  is the radius of the circle.

Hence this vanishes if  $\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \dots = 0$ , and then the sum of the triangles at the corners is equal to the second polygon, and therefore the first polygon is double the second.

187. We have  $a = 2R \sin A$ ,  $b = 2R \sin B$ ,  $c = 2R \sin C$ ;  
hence the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= 4R \left\{ \sin \frac{B-C}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{C-A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{A-B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \right\} \\ &= 2R \left\{ \cos \frac{A+C-B}{2} - \cos \frac{A+B-C}{2} + \cos \frac{B+A-C}{2} - \cos \frac{B+C-A}{2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \cos \frac{B+C-A}{2} - \cos \frac{A+C-B}{2} \right\} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

188. We have  $a = 2R \sin A$ ,  $b = 2R \sin B$ ,  $c = 2R \sin C$ ;  
hence the proposed expression

$$= 4R^2 \left\{ \frac{\sin^2 A \sin(B-C)}{\sin B + \sin C} + \frac{\sin^2 B \sin(C-A)}{\sin C + \sin A} + \frac{\sin^2 C \sin(A-B)}{\sin A + \sin B} \right\}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \frac{\sin^2 A \sin(B-C)}{\sin B + \sin C} &= \frac{\sin A \sin(B+C) \sin(B-C)}{\sin B + \sin C} \\ &= \frac{\sin A (\sin^2 B - \sin^2 C)}{\sin B + \sin C} = \sin A (\sin B - \sin C). \end{aligned}$$

In this way the proposed expression

$$= 4R^2 \{ \sin A (\sin B - \sin C) + \sin B (\sin C - \sin A) + \sin C (\sin A - \sin B) \} = 0.$$

189. If  $n$  be the number of sides in the first polygon we have

$$a = 2r \sin \frac{\pi}{n}, \quad b = 2r \sin \frac{\pi}{2n}.$$

By Art. 100, since  $\frac{\pi}{n}$  lies between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , we have

$$2 \sin \frac{\pi}{2n} = \sqrt{\left(1 + \sin \frac{\pi}{n}\right)} - \sqrt{\left(1 - \sin \frac{\pi}{n}\right)};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{b}{r} = \sqrt{\left(1 + \frac{a}{2r}\right)} - \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{a}{2r}\right)}.$$

Multiply by  $r$ , and we obtain the required result.

$$190. \quad \left(1 - \sin \frac{B}{2}\right) \left(1 - \sin \frac{C}{2}\right) \cos \frac{A}{2} \\ = \cos \frac{A}{2} - \left(\sin \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2}\right) \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2}.$$

Develop each of the other two terms in the same way; the aggregate

$$= \cos \frac{A}{2} + \cos \frac{B}{2} + \cos \frac{C}{2} - \sin \frac{A+B}{2} - \sin \frac{B+C}{2} - \sin \frac{C+A}{2} \\ + \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}.$$

$$\text{But} \quad \cos \frac{A}{2} = \sin \frac{B+C}{2}, \quad \cos \frac{B}{2} = \sin \frac{C+A}{2}, \quad \cos \frac{C}{2} = \sin \frac{A+B}{2};$$

thus the expression

$$= \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} \\ = \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \left(\sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}\right) \\ = \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B+C}{2} \\ = \cos \frac{A}{2} \left\{\sin \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}\right\} = \cos \frac{A}{2} \left\{\cos \frac{B+C}{2} + \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}\right\} \\ = \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}.$$

Or instead of the last four lines we may use Art. 113, observing that here  $\cos\left(\frac{A}{2} + \frac{B}{2} + \frac{C}{2}\right) = 0$ .

191. Let  $D$  denote the top of the object.

From the triangle  $ABD$  we have  $\frac{AB}{BD} = 1$ , for the angles  $BAD$  and  $BDA$  are equal. From the triangle  $BDC$  we have  $\frac{BD}{BC} = \frac{\sin 3\alpha}{\sin \alpha}$ .

$$\text{Therefore} \quad \frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{\sin 3\alpha}{\sin \alpha} = 3 - 4 \sin^2 \alpha.$$

Since the object is very distant  $\alpha$  is very small; therefore  $AB = 3BC$  nearly.

$$192. \quad \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{\log_e(1-x)} = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \dots} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{4}x^4 + \dots}{x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^3 + \frac{1}{3}x^4 + \dots}.$$

Here every term in the numerator is less than the corresponding term in the denominator, and thus the fraction is less than unity.

193. Here 
$$\frac{6 \sin B}{\cos(A+B)} = \frac{6 \sin B \cos B}{\cos(A+2B)};$$

thus either  $\sin B=0$  or  $\cos(A+2B)=\cos(A+B)\cos B$ ;  
 the latter gives  $\cos(A+B)\cos B - \sin(A+B)\sin B = \cos(A+B)\cos B$ ,  
 so that either  $\sin B=0$  or  $\sin(A+B)=0$ .

Suppose that  $\sin(A+B)=0$ ; then since

$$\frac{3 \sin 2B}{\cos(A+B+B)} = \frac{2 \sin 3B}{\cos(A+B+2B)},$$

we have

$$\frac{3 \sin 2B}{\cos(A+B)\cos B} = \frac{2 \sin 3B}{\cos(A+B)\cos 2B},$$

so that

$$\frac{3 \sin B}{\cos(A+B)} = \frac{\sin 3B}{\cos(A+B)\cos 2B};$$

therefore

$$3 \sin B \cos 2B = \sin 3B,$$

therefore

$$3 \sin B (1 - 2 \sin^2 B) = 3 \sin B - 4 \sin^3 B,$$

therefore

$$6 \sin^3 B = 4 \sin^3 B,$$

therefore

$$\sin B = 0.$$

194. Here  $\tan \theta = \frac{x}{y}$ ; therefore  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{x^2}{x^2+y^2}$ , and  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{y^2}{x^2+y^2}$ . Substitute in the second given equation; thus

$$\left(\frac{x^2}{y^2} + \frac{y^2}{x^2}\right) \frac{1}{x^2+y^2} = \frac{6}{x^2+y^2}; \text{ therefore } \frac{x^2}{y^2} + \frac{y^2}{x^2} = 6.$$

From this quadratic in  $\frac{x^2}{y^2}$  we find  $\frac{x^2}{y^2} = 3 \pm 2\sqrt{2} = (\sqrt{2} \pm 1)^2$ ; therefore  $\tan \theta = \pm(\sqrt{2}+1)$  or  $\pm(\sqrt{2}-1)$ . The former gives  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{3\pi}{8}$ ; and the latter gives  $\theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{8}$ .

195. Since the sines of the angles are in Harmonical Progression, so are the sides of the opposite angles. Thus  $a, b, c$  are in Harmonical Progression, and we have to shew that  $\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{bc}$ ,  $\frac{(s-c)(s-a)}{ca}$ ,  $\frac{(s-a)(s-b)}{ab}$  are so also. Multiply each term by  $\frac{abc}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$ ; thus we see it is sufficient to shew that  $\frac{a}{s-a}$ ,  $\frac{b}{s-b}$ ,  $\frac{c}{s-c}$  are in Harmonical Progression, or that  $\frac{s-a}{a}$ ,  $\frac{s-b}{b}$ ,  $\frac{s-c}{c}$  are in Arithmetical Progression, or that  $\frac{s}{a}$ ,  $\frac{s}{b}$ ,  $\frac{s}{c}$  are in Arithmetical Progression; and this is the case since  $a, b, c$  are in Harmonical Progression.

196. We have  $a = 2R \sin \frac{\pi}{5}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{R}{a} = \frac{1}{2 \sin \frac{\pi}{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{10-2\sqrt{5}}} = \frac{2\sqrt{10+2\sqrt{5}}}{\sqrt{80}} = \frac{2\sqrt{200+40\sqrt{5}}}{\sqrt{80 \times 20}}$   
 $= \frac{\sqrt{200+40\sqrt{5}}}{20} = \frac{\sqrt{289 \cdot 44 \dots}}{20} = \frac{17}{20}$  nearly.

197. Here  $\frac{\sin(B+C)}{\sin B} = \frac{m}{n}$ ,  $\frac{\cos(B+C)}{\cos B} = -\frac{p}{q}$ ;

therefore  $\cos C + \cot B \sin C = \frac{m}{n}$ ,  $\tan B \sin C - \cos C = \frac{p}{q}$ ;

therefore  $\sin^2 C = \left(\frac{m}{n} - \cos C\right) \left(\frac{p}{q} + \cos C\right)$ ;

therefore  $1 = \frac{mp}{nq} + \cos C \left(\frac{m}{n} - \frac{p}{q}\right)$ ;

therefore  $\cos C = \frac{mp - nq}{np - mq}$ .

198. We have  $OA = \frac{r}{\sin \frac{A}{2}}$ ,  $OB = \frac{r}{\sin \frac{B}{2}}$ ,  $OC = \frac{r}{\sin \frac{C}{2}}$ ;

$$AF = r \cot \frac{A}{2}, \quad BD = r \cot \frac{B}{2}, \quad CE = r \cot \frac{C}{2}.$$

Hence we have to shew that

$$\frac{r^4}{\sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}} \left\{ \cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} \right\} = 4Rr^3 \cot \frac{A}{2} \cot \frac{B}{2} \cot \frac{C}{2}.$$

By Example VIII. 15 the left-hand member

$$= \frac{r^4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}}{\sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2}};$$

thus we have to shew that

$$4R \sin \frac{1}{2} A \sin \frac{1}{2} B \sin \frac{1}{2} C = r.$$

The left-hand member

$$= 4R \sqrt{\frac{(s-b)(s-c)}{bc}} \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-c)}{ac}} \sqrt{\frac{(s-a)(s-b)}{ab}} = \frac{4RS^2}{sabc} = \frac{S}{s} = r.$$

199. The radius of the circle inscribed in the triangle  $OBC$

$$= \frac{\text{area of the triangle}}{\text{semiperimeter}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \rho^2 \sin 2\alpha}{\rho(1 + \sin \alpha)} = \frac{\rho \sin 2\alpha}{2(1 + \sin \alpha)}.$$

Let  $P$  denote the position of the centre; then

$$OP = \frac{\rho \sin 2\alpha}{2(1 + \sin \alpha)} \times \frac{1}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{\rho \cos \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha}.$$

Again, let  $Q$  denote the position of the centre of the circle inscribed in the triangle  $OAB$ ; then, as  $2\alpha$  is now to be changed to  $\pi - 2\alpha$ , we have

$$OQ = \frac{\rho \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha \right)}{1 + \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha \right)} = \frac{\rho \sin \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha}.$$

And since  $POQ$  is a right angle,  $PQ^2 = OP^2 + OQ^2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \rho^2 \left\{ \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{(1 + \sin \alpha)^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{(1 + \cos \alpha)^2} \right\} \\ &= \rho^2 \left\{ \frac{1 - \sin \alpha}{1 + \sin \alpha} + \frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha} \right\} = \frac{\rho^2 (2 - \sin 2\alpha)}{(1 + \sin \alpha)(1 + \cos \alpha)}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore

$$PQ = \frac{\rho \sqrt{2 - \sin 2\alpha}}{\sqrt{(1 + \sin \alpha)(1 + \cos \alpha)}}.$$

200. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be the two objects. Suppose a circle to pass through  $A$  and  $B$ , and to touch the straight line at  $P$ ; then  $P$  is the point at which the greatest angle is subtended: see *Appendix to Euclid*, page 308. Produce  $AB$  to meet the straight line at  $Q$ . Let the angle  $BPQ = \alpha$ , and let  $\beta$  be the angle between  $AP$  and the straight line. Then also  $PAB = \alpha$ , and  $PBA = \beta$ , by Euclid III. 32. Let  $PQ = c$ .

Then 
$$\frac{BP}{PQ} = \frac{\sin(\beta - \alpha)}{\sin \beta}, \quad \frac{AB}{BP} = \frac{\sin(\beta + \alpha)}{\sin \alpha};$$

therefore 
$$\frac{AB}{c} = \frac{\sin(\beta + \alpha) \sin(\beta - \alpha)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}.$$

201. We have

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 + r_2 + r_3 - r &= S \left\{ \frac{1}{s-a} + \frac{1}{s-b} + \frac{1}{s-c} - \frac{1}{s} \right\} \\ &= S \left\{ \frac{2s-a-b}{(s-a)(s-b)} + \frac{c}{s(s-c)} \right\} = cS \left\{ \frac{1}{(s-a)(s-b)} + \frac{1}{s(s-c)} \right\} \\ &= \frac{cS}{S^2} \{ s(s-c) + (s-a)(s-b) \} = \frac{c}{S} \{ 2s^2 - s(a+b+c) + ab \} \\ &= \frac{abc}{S} = 4R. \end{aligned}$$

$$202. \quad \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}, \quad \cot^{-1} 3 = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3};$$

$$\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{6}} = \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

203. The angle of the second triangle which is opposite to the angle  $C$  of the first triangle will be found to be  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{C}{2}$ ; similarly the corresponding angle of the third triangle will be  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{C}{2} \right)$ , that is  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{C}{4}$ . Proceeding in this way we find that the corresponding angle of the  $n^{\text{th}}$  triangle is

$$\pi \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} - \dots - \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2^{n-1}} \right\} + \frac{(-1)^{n-1} C}{2^{n-1}},$$

that is

$$\frac{\pi}{2} \frac{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{(-1)^{n-1} C}{2^{n-1}};$$

that is

$$\frac{\pi}{3} \left\{ 1 - \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2^{n-1}} \right\} + \frac{(-1)^{n-1} C}{2^{n-1}}.$$

Similar expressions hold for the other angles.

204. Suppose  $\theta = \tan^{-1} a$ ; then we require  $\cos 4\theta$ .

$$\text{Now} \quad \tan \theta = a, \quad \cos 2\theta = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{1 - a^2}{1 + a^2},$$

$$\cos 4\theta = 2 \cos^2 2\theta - 1 = \frac{2(1 - a^2)^2}{(1 + a^2)^2} - 1 = \frac{1 - 6a^2 + a^4}{(1 + a^2)^2}.$$

205. We have  $e^{ax} \cos (bx + c) = e^{ax} (\cos bx \cos c - \sin bx \sin c)$ ; then by Art. 300 the required general term is

$$\frac{(a^2 + b^2)^{\frac{n}{2}}}{|n|} (\cos n\theta \cos c - \sin n\theta \sin c),$$

that is

$$\frac{(a^2 + b^2)^{\frac{n}{2}}}{|n|} \cos (n\theta + c),$$

where  $\theta$  is such that  $\tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}$ .

206. We have  $AD^2 = AB^2 + BD^2 - 2AB \cdot BD \cos B$

$$= c^2 + (s-c)^2 - 2c(s-c) \cos B, \text{ by Art. 250;}$$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 - AD^2 &= s^2 - c^2 - (s-c)^2 + 2c(s-c) \cos B \\ &= (s-c) \{s+c - (s-c) + 2c \cos B\} \\ &= 2c(s-c)(1 + \cos B) = 4c(s-c) \cos^2 \frac{B}{2}; \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $a(s^2 - AD^2) = 4ac(s-c) \cos^2 \frac{B}{2} = 4s(s-b)(s-c)$ .

207. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha + \beta \sqrt{-1} &= \cos(\theta + \phi \sqrt{-1}) = \cos \theta \cos \phi \sqrt{-1} - \sin \theta \sin \phi \sqrt{-1} \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} - \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2\sqrt{-1}} \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi}}{2} - \sin \theta \frac{e^{\phi} - e^{-\phi}}{2} \sqrt{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence by equating the possible and the impossible parts we have

$$\alpha = \cos \theta \frac{e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi}}{2}, \quad \beta = -\sin \theta \frac{e^{\phi} - e^{-\phi}}{2}.$$

Therefore  $\frac{\alpha^2}{\cos^2 \theta} - \frac{\beta^2}{\sin^2 \theta} = \left(\frac{e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi}}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{e^{\phi} - e^{-\phi}}{2}\right)^2 = 1$ ;

and

$$\frac{\alpha^2}{(e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi})^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{(e^{\phi} - e^{-\phi})^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta}{4} = \frac{1}{4}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 208. \quad \log \sec \theta &= \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{2}{1 + \cos 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{4}{2 + e^{2i\theta} + e^{-2i\theta}} = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{4}{(1 + e^{2i\theta})(1 + e^{-2i\theta})} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{2 \log 2 - \log(1 + e^{2i\theta}) - \log(1 + e^{-2i\theta})\}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } 2 \log \sec \theta &= 2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots\right) \\ &\quad - \left(e^{2i\theta} - \frac{1}{2}e^{4i\theta} + \frac{1}{3}e^{6i\theta} - \frac{1}{4}e^{8i\theta} + \dots\right) \\ &\quad - \left(e^{-2i\theta} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-4i\theta} + \frac{1}{3}e^{-6i\theta} - \frac{1}{4}e^{-8i\theta} + \dots\right). \end{aligned}$$

Now  $2 - e^{2i\theta} - e^{-2i\theta} = -(e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta})^2 = 4 \sin^2 \theta;$

$$\frac{1}{2} (-2 + e^{4i\theta} + e^{-4i\theta}) = \frac{1}{2} (e^{2i\theta} - e^{-2i\theta})^2 = -\frac{4}{2} \sin^2 2\theta,$$

$$\frac{1}{3} (2 - e^{6i\theta} - e^{-6i\theta}) = -\frac{1}{3} (e^{3i\theta} - e^{-3i\theta})^2 = \frac{4}{3} \sin^2 3\theta,$$

and so on; thus

$$2 \log \sec \theta = 4 \left\{ \sin^2 \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 2\theta + \frac{1}{3} \sin^2 3\theta - \dots \right\};$$

therefore  $\log \sec \theta = 2 \left\{ \sin^2 \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 2\theta + \frac{1}{3} \sin^2 3\theta - \dots \right\}.$

209.  $\sec \alpha \sec (\alpha + \beta) = \frac{1}{\sin \beta} \{ \tan (\alpha + \beta) - \tan \alpha \},$

$$\sec (\alpha + \beta) \sec (\alpha + 2\beta) = \frac{1}{\sin \beta} \{ \tan (\alpha + 2\beta) - \tan (\alpha + \beta) \},$$

and so on.

Then by addition we obtain the required result.

210. The regular hexagon may be divided into six equilateral triangles; and thus the area of the first hexagon  $= \frac{6a^2\sqrt{3}}{4}.$

By Art. 255 the radius of the first circle  $= \frac{a}{2} \cot 30^\circ = \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{2}$ ; and the side of the second hexagon is equal to this, so that the area of the second hexagon  $= \frac{6a^2\sqrt{3}}{4} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2.$  In this way we see that the areas of the hexagons form a geometrical progression of which the ratio is  $\frac{3}{4}$ ; and the sum of

$$\text{the areas} = \frac{6a^2\sqrt{3}}{4} \frac{1 - \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n}{1 - \frac{3}{4}} = 6a^2\sqrt{3} \left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n \right\}.$$

211. We have  $a = 2R \sin A, \quad b = 2R \sin B, \quad c = 2R \sin C;$   
thus the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2R (\sin A \cos A + \sin B \cos B + \sin C \cos C) \\ &= R (\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C) \\ &= 4R \sin A \sin B \sin C, \text{ by Art. 114,} \\ &= 2a \sin B \sin C. \end{aligned}$$

The expression is now adapted to logarithms.



212. Let  $\theta$  denote the angle  $APB$ ,  $\phi$  the angle  $BPC$ , and  $\psi$  the angle  $ABP$ .

We have 
$$\frac{AB}{PB} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\sin(\psi + \theta)}, \quad \frac{BC}{PB} = \frac{\sin \phi}{\sin(\psi - \phi)};$$

but  $AB$  is supposed equal to  $BC$ , and thus

$$\frac{\sin(\psi + \theta)}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\sin(\psi - \phi)}{\sin \phi};$$

therefore 
$$\sin \psi \cot \theta + \cos \psi = \sin \psi \cot \phi - \cos \psi;$$

therefore 
$$2 \cot \psi = \cot \phi - \cot \theta;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{2}{T} = \frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{t'}.$$

213. It is shewn in Art. 296 that  $\frac{\pi}{4} = 4 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{239}$ ;

hence we have only to shew that

$$\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{239} = 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{408} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{1393},$$

or that 
$$\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{239} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{1393} = 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{408}.$$

Now 
$$\begin{aligned} \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{239} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{1393} &= \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{1}{239} + \frac{1}{1393}}{1 - \frac{1}{239 \times 1393}} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{1393 + 239}{239 \times 1393 - 1} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1632}{332926} = \tan^{-1} \frac{816}{166463}; \end{aligned}$$

and 
$$2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{408} = \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{2}{408}}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{408}\right)^2} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \times 408}{166463}.$$

Thus the required result is established.

214. By the diagram of Art. 332 we see that

$$\frac{PA}{AB} = \frac{\sin PBA}{\sin APB} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - A\right)}{\sin(A+B)} = \frac{\cos A}{\sin C};$$

therefore 
$$PA = \frac{c \cos A}{\sin C} = \frac{a \cos A}{\sin A};$$

therefore 
$$PA^2 = \frac{a^2(1 - \sin^2 A)}{\sin^2 A} = \frac{a^2}{\sin^2 A} - a^2 = 4R^2 - a^2.$$

$$215. \quad \frac{(\cos \alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin \alpha)(\cos 2\alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin 2\alpha)}{\cos 3\alpha - \sqrt{-1} \sin 3\alpha} = \frac{\cos 3\alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin 3\alpha}{\cos 3\alpha - \sqrt{-1} \sin 3\alpha};$$

multiply both numerator and denominator by  $\cos 3\alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin 3\alpha$ ; thus we obtain unity in the denominator, and  $\cos 6\alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin 6\alpha$  in the numerator: and this numerator =  $\sqrt{-1}$  since  $\alpha = 15^\circ$ .

216. The new triangle will have for its angular points the centres of the escribed circles of the original triangle. Now from Art. 250 we have

$$OC = CE \sec OCE = (s - b) \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2};$$

and in the same manner the distance from  $C$  of the centre of the circle which touches  $BC$  and  $BA$  produced =  $(s - a) \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2}$ . Hence the sum of these two =  $(2s - b - a) \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2} = c \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2} = 2R \sin C \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2} = 4R \cos \frac{C}{2}$ .

This is the length of the side of the second triangle which passes through the point  $C$ ; similar expressions hold for the other two sides.

217. By the preceding Example the sum of the squares

$$\begin{aligned} &= 16R^2 \left\{ \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} A + \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} B + \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} C \right\} \\ &= 8R^2 \{ 3 + \cos A + \cos B + \cos C \} \\ &= 8R^2 \left\{ 4 + 4 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \right\}, \text{ by Art. 114,} \\ &= 32R^2 + \frac{32R^2 S^2}{abc} = 32R^2 + 8Rr. \end{aligned}$$

218. The numerator can be expressed in powers of  $\theta$ ; and it will be found to reduce to  $2^5 \cos^6 \theta$ ; in like manner the denominator will be found to reduce to  $2^4 \cos^5 \theta$ : see Art. 280. Hence the expression reduces to  $2 \cos \theta$ .

219.  $\cos \theta$  is less than  $1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2} + \frac{\theta^4}{16}$ , that is less than  $\left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{4}\right)^2$ , therefore  $\sqrt{\cos \theta}$  is less than  $1 - \frac{\theta^2}{4}$ ; this holds if  $\theta$  lies between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ : see Art. 328. Again,  $\cos \frac{\theta}{\sqrt{2}}$  is greater than  $1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\theta}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2$ , that is greater than  $1 - \frac{\theta^2}{4}$ ; this holds as long as  $\cos \frac{\theta}{\sqrt{2}}$  and  $1 - \frac{\theta^2}{4}$  remain both positive, and this certainly holds if  $\theta$  lies between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ . Hence  $\sqrt{\cos \theta}$  is less than  $\cos \frac{\theta}{\sqrt{2}}$ .

220. Suppose the polygon has  $n$  sides. Let  $O$  be the centre of the circle inscribed in the polygon, and  $S$  the assumed point. Let  $OS=c$ ; and suppose  $OS$  to be inclined at an angle  $\alpha$  to the first perpendicular which is drawn; put  $\beta$  for  $\frac{2\pi}{n}$ , and  $r$  for the radius of the inscribed circle. Then the length of the first perpendicular will be  $r+c \cos \alpha$ , that of the second  $r+c \cos (\alpha+\beta)$ , that of the third  $r+c \cos (\alpha+2\beta)$ , and so on. Hence the sum of one set of perpendiculars

$$= \frac{nr}{2} + c \left\{ \cos \alpha + \cos (\alpha+2\beta) + \cos (\alpha+4\beta) + \dots \text{to } \frac{n}{2} \text{ terms} \right\}.$$

By Art. 304 the sum of the series of cosines contains the factor  $\sin \frac{n}{2} \beta$ , that is  $\sin \pi$ , that is zero.

Hence the sum of the set of perpendiculars  $= \frac{nr}{2}$ .

Similarly the sum of the other set of perpendiculars has the same value.

221.  $r = \frac{S}{s}, \quad r_1 = \frac{S}{s-a}, \quad r_2 = \frac{S}{s-b}, \quad r_3 = \frac{S}{s-c};$

therefore  $rr_1r_2r_3 = \frac{S^4}{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \frac{S^4}{S^2} = S^2;$

therefore  $\sqrt{rr_1r_2r_3} = S.$

222. We have  $2 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{2}{7}}{1 - \frac{1}{49}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{7}{24};$

thus  $4 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{7}{24} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \times \frac{7}{24}}{1 - \left(\frac{7}{24}\right)^2} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \times 7 \times 24}{(24+7)(24-7)}$   
 $= \tan^{-1} \frac{336}{527}.$

Then  $5 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = 4 \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} = \tan^{-1} \frac{336}{527} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7}$   
 $= \tan^{-1} \frac{\frac{336}{527} + \frac{1}{7}}{1 - \frac{336}{7 \times 527}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2879}{3353}.$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Again} \quad 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{79} &= \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \times \frac{3}{79}}{1 - \left(\frac{3}{79}\right)^2} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \times 3 \times 79}{(79+3)(79-3)} \\ &= \tan^{-1} \frac{237}{3116}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Finally} \quad \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \tan^{-1} \frac{2879}{3353} \right) = \frac{1 - \frac{2879}{3353}}{1 + \frac{2879}{3353}} = \frac{474}{6232} = \frac{237}{3116};$$

$$\text{so that} \quad \frac{\pi}{4} - \tan^{-1} \frac{2879}{3353} = \tan^{-1} \frac{237}{3116}.$$

223. In the expression for  $\tan n\theta$  put  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  for  $\theta$ ; then  $\tan \theta = 1$ .

If  $n$  is an odd number we have  $\tan n\theta = (-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}}$ , so that the numerator of the expression is numerically equal to the denominator.

If  $n$  is an even number,  $\tan n\theta$  is either zero or infinite; so that in the former case the numerator of the expression must vanish, and in the latter case the denominator must vanish.

224. We have  $\sin^4 \theta \cos^5 \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta)^2 \cos^5 \theta = \cos^9 \theta - 2 \cos^7 \theta + \cos^5 \theta$ .

$$\text{Now} \quad \cos^9 \theta = \frac{1}{2^8} \left\{ \cos 9\theta + 9 \cos 7\theta + 36 \cos 5\theta + 84 \cos 3\theta + 126 \cos \theta \right\},$$

$$\cos^7 \theta = \frac{1}{2^6} \left\{ \cos 7\theta + 7 \cos 5\theta + 21 \cos 3\theta + 35 \cos \theta \right\},$$

$$\cos^5 \theta = \frac{1}{2^4} \left\{ \cos 5\theta + 5 \cos 3\theta + 10 \cos \theta \right\}.$$

Hence

$$\cos^9 \theta - 2 \cos^7 \theta + \cos^5 \theta = \frac{1}{256} (\cos 9\theta + \cos 7\theta) - \frac{1}{64} (\cos 5\theta + \cos 3\theta) + \frac{3}{128} \cos \theta.$$

Or we may proceed thus:

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^4 \theta \cos^5 \theta &= \sin^4 \theta \cos^4 \theta \sin \theta = \frac{1}{16} (\sin 2\theta)^4 \cos \theta \\ &= \frac{1}{16} \left\{ \frac{1}{8} \cos 8\theta - \frac{1}{2} \cos 4\theta + \frac{3}{8} \right\} \cos \theta \\ &= \frac{1}{256} (\cos 9\theta + \cos 7\theta) - \frac{1}{64} (\cos 5\theta + \cos 3\theta) + \frac{3}{128} \cos \theta. \end{aligned}$$

225. We have

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^3 x &= \frac{1}{4} (3 \sin x - \sin 3x) \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \left\{ x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} + \dots \right\} \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{4} \left\{ 3x - \frac{(3x)^3}{3} + \frac{(3x)^5}{5} - \frac{(3x)^7}{7} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^n (3x)^{2n+1}}{2n+1} + \dots \right\};\end{aligned}$$

then by arranging according to powers of  $x$  we obtain the required result.

226. Put  $s$  for  $\cos \phi + \cos 3\phi + \cos 9\phi$ , and  $t$  for  $\cos 5\phi + \cos 7\phi + \cos 11\phi$ .

Then  $s + t = \cos \phi + \cos 3\phi + \cos 5\phi + \cos 7\phi + \cos 9\phi + \cos 11\phi$

$$= \frac{\cos(\phi + 5\phi) \sin 6\phi}{\sin \phi} \quad (\text{Art. 304}) = \frac{\sin 12\phi}{2 \sin \phi} = \frac{\sin \phi}{2 \sin \phi} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

And  $st = (\cos \phi + \cos 3\phi + \cos 9\phi)(\cos 5\phi + \cos 7\phi + \cos 11\phi)$   
 $= \cos \phi (\cos 5\phi + \cos 7\phi + \cos 11\phi) + \dots$

Resolve each product into the sum of two cosines by Art. 84; thus we get

$$\begin{aligned}2st &= \cos 6\phi + \cos 4\phi + \cos 8\phi + \cos 6\phi + \cos 12\phi + \cos 10\phi \\ &\quad + \cos 8\phi + \cos 2\phi + \cos 10\phi + \cos 4\phi + \cos 14\phi + \cos 8\phi \\ &\quad + \cos 14\phi + \cos 4\phi + \cos 16\phi + \cos 2\phi + \cos 20\phi + \cos 2\phi \\ &= 3 \cos 2\phi + 3 \cos 4\phi + 2 \cos 6\phi + 3 \cos 8\phi + 2 \cos 10\phi \\ &\quad + \cos 12\phi + 2 \cos 14\phi + \cos 16\phi + \cos 20\phi.\end{aligned}$$

Now since  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{13}$  we have  $\cos 14\phi = \cos 12\phi$ ,  $\cos 20\phi = -\cos 7\phi = \cos 6\phi$ ,  
 $\cos 16\phi = -\cos 3\phi = \cos 10\phi$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned}2st &= 3 \{ \cos 2\phi + \cos 4\phi + \cos 6\phi + \cos 8\phi + \cos 10\phi + \cos 12\phi \} \\ &= \frac{3 \cos(2\phi + 5\phi) \sin 6\phi}{\sin \phi} = -\frac{3 \cos 6\phi \sin 6\phi}{\sin \phi} = -\frac{3 \sin 12\phi}{2 \sin \phi} = -\frac{3}{2};\end{aligned}$$

therefore  $st = -\frac{3}{4}$ .

Then, since  $s + t = \frac{1}{2}$ , and  $st = -\frac{3}{4}$ , we find by Algebra that

$$s = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{13}}{4} \quad \text{and} \quad t = \frac{1 \mp \sqrt{13}}{4};$$

and it is obvious that the upper sign must be taken, because  $s$  is positive; for  $\cos \phi$  and  $\cos 3\phi$ , which are positive, are both numerically greater than  $\cos 9\phi$ , which is negative.

227. Suppose the polygon has  $n$  sides. Let  $O$  be the centre of the circle inscribed in the polygon, and  $S$  the assumed point. Let  $OS=c$ ; and suppose  $OS$  to be inclined at an angle  $\alpha$  to the first perpendicular which is drawn; put  $\beta$  for  $\frac{2\pi}{n}$ , and  $r$  for the radius of the inscribed circle. Then the length of the first perpendicular will be  $r+c \cos \alpha$ , that of the second  $r+c \cos (\alpha+\beta)$ , that of the third  $r+c \cos (\alpha+2\beta)$ , and so on.

Then for the squares on the sides of the new polygon we obtain the expressions

$$\begin{aligned} & \{r+c \cos \alpha\}^2 + \{r+c \cos (\alpha+\beta)\}^2 - 2\{r+c \cos \alpha\}\{r+c \cos (\alpha+\beta)\} \cos \beta, \\ & \{r+c \cos (\alpha+\beta)\}^2 + \{r+c \cos (\alpha+2\beta)\}^2 - 2\{r+c \cos (\alpha+\beta)\}\{r+c \cos (\alpha+2\beta)\} \cos \beta, \\ & \text{and so on.} \end{aligned}$$

Thus for the square on the  $m^{\text{th}}$  side of the new polygon we shall obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & 2r^2(1-\cos \beta) + 2rc\{\cos (\alpha+m\beta-\beta) + \cos (\alpha+m\beta)\}(1-\cos \beta) \\ & + c^2\{\cos^2(\alpha+m\beta-\beta) + \cos^2(\alpha+m\beta) - 2\cos \beta \cos (\alpha+m\beta-\beta) \cos (\alpha+m\beta)\}; \end{aligned}$$

that is

$$\begin{aligned} & 2r^2(1-\cos \beta) + 2rc\{\cos (\alpha+m\beta-\beta) + \cos (\alpha+m\beta)\}(1-\cos \beta) \\ & + \frac{c^2}{2}\{1+\cos (2\alpha+2m\beta-2\beta) + 1+\cos (2\alpha+2m\beta) \\ & - 2\cos \beta[\cos \beta + \cos (2\alpha+2m\beta-\beta)]\}. \end{aligned}$$

We have to obtain the sum formed from this expression by giving to  $m$  all integral values from 1 to  $n$ , both inclusive; the result, by Art. 305,

$$\begin{aligned} & = 2nr^2(1-\cos \beta) + \frac{c^2}{2}\{2n-2n \cos^2 \beta\} \\ & = 4nr^2 \sin^2 \frac{\beta}{2} + nc^2 \sin^2 \beta. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 228. \quad \text{We have } \cos 5\theta + \sin 5\theta &= \sqrt{2} \cos \left(5\theta - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ &= \sqrt{2} \cos 5 \left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{20}\right) = \sqrt{2} \cos 5(\theta - \beta). \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{And by Art. 318 we have } \cos 5(\theta - \beta) \sin \frac{5\pi}{2}$$

$$= 2^4 \cos (\theta - \beta) \cos (\theta - \beta + 2\alpha) \cos (\theta - \beta + 4\alpha) \cos (\theta - \beta + 6\alpha) \cos (\theta - \beta + 8\alpha),$$

$$\text{where } \alpha = \frac{\pi}{10} = 2\beta.$$

$$\text{Thus } \cos 5(\theta - \beta)$$

$$= 2^4 \cos (\theta - \beta) \cos (\theta + 3\beta) \cos (\theta + 7\beta) \cos (\theta + 11\beta) \cos (\theta + 15\beta).$$

Also  $\cos(\theta + 7\beta) = \sin(3\beta - \theta) = -\sin(\theta - 3\beta),$   
 $\cos(\theta + 11\beta) = \cos\left(\theta + \beta + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\sin(\theta + \beta),$   
 $\cos(\theta + 15\beta) = \cos\left(\theta + \frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\cos\theta + \sin\theta).$

Hence  $\sqrt{2} \cos 5(\theta - \beta)$   
 $= -2^4 \cos(\theta - \beta) \cos(\theta + 3\beta) \sin(\theta - 3\beta) \sin(\theta + \beta) (\sin\theta + \cos\theta);$

hence also  $\cos 5\theta + \sin 5\theta$  is equal to the last expression, which had to be shewn.

229. We have

$$\sin\theta \sqrt{(\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta + \sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta)} + \cos\theta \sqrt{(\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta - \sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta)} = \sin(\alpha + \beta).$$

Assume  $r \cos\phi = \sqrt{(\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta + \sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta)},$

and  $r \sin\phi = \sqrt{(\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta - \sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta)};$

so that  $r^2 = 2 \cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta \dots\dots\dots(1),$

and  $\tan^2\phi = \frac{\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta - \sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta}{\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta + \sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta} \dots\dots\dots(2).$

Thus  $r \sin(\theta + \phi) = \sin(\alpha + \beta) \dots\dots\dots(3).$

Now it is obvious that  $r$  may be found from (1) by logarithms. Also  $\phi$  may be determined by logarithms; for we have from (2)

$$\frac{1 - \tan^2\phi}{1 + \tan^2\phi} = \frac{\sin^2\alpha \sin^2\beta}{\cos^2\alpha \cos^2\beta},$$

that is  $\cos 2\phi = \tan^2\alpha \tan^2\beta,$

which is adapted to logarithms.

Thus  $\theta$  can be found from (3) by logarithms.

230. If  $A, B,$  and  $C$  are angles of a triangle, we have by Art. 114, and Example VIII. 16,

$$\begin{aligned} &\sin A + \sin B + \sin C - (\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C) \\ &= 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} - 4 \sin A \sin B \sin C \\ &= 4 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} \left\{ 1 - 8 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \right\}; \end{aligned}$$

and by Example XIII. 40 this expression can never be negative.

231. Let  $A, B, C, \dots M, N$  denote the angular points of the polygon taken in order; and let  $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{n}$ . Suppose  $P$  the point in the circumference from which chords are drawn, so that  $P$  is between  $N$  and  $A$ .

Then  $\frac{1}{2} c_1 c_2 \sin \alpha =$  the area of the triangle  $PAB$ ,

$\frac{1}{2} c_2 c_3 \sin \alpha =$  the area of the triangle  $PBC$ ,

.....

$\frac{1}{2} c_{n-1} c_n \sin \alpha =$  the area of the triangle  $PMN$ .

Therefore  $\frac{1}{2} (c_1 c_2 + c_2 c_3 + \dots + c_{n-1} c_n) \sin \alpha$   
 $=$  the area of the triangles  $PAB, PBC, \dots PMN$ .

Also  $\frac{1}{2} c_n c_1 \sin \alpha =$  the area of the triangle  $PNA$ .

Thus  $\frac{1}{2} (c_1 c_2 + c_2 c_3 + \dots + c_{n-1} c_n - c_n c_1) \sin \alpha$   
 $=$  the area of the regular polygon;

so that  $c_1 c_2 + c_2 c_3 + \dots + c_{n-1} c_n - c_n c_1$   
 $= \frac{2}{\sin \alpha} \times$  the area of the regular polygon.

This result is the same for all positions of  $P$  on the circumference of the circle.

232. Let  $\theta$  be the angle of one sector, and  $2\theta$  the angle of the other. Let  $a$  and  $b$  be the corresponding radii. Then, since the areas are equal,  $a^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = b^2 \frac{2\theta}{2}$ ; and since there is a common chord,  $2a \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = 2b \sin \frac{2\theta}{2}$ .

Thus  $a \sin \frac{\theta}{2} = b \sin \theta = 2b \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$ ; therefore  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{a}{2b}$ ;

therefore  $\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{a^2}{4b^2} = \frac{2b^2}{4b^2} = \frac{1}{2}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Therefore  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $2\theta = \pi$ .

233. We have  $\tan(\phi - \theta) = \frac{\tan \phi - \tan \theta}{1 + \tan \phi \tan \theta} = \frac{\frac{x\sqrt{3}}{2k-x} - \frac{2x-k}{k\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{x(2x-k)\sqrt{3}}{(2k-x)k\sqrt{3}}}$   
 $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{3kx - (2k-x)(2x-k)}{(2k-x)k + x(2x-k)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{2x^2 - 2kx + 2k^2}{2x^2 - 2kx + 2k^2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ .



Therefore one value of  $\phi - \theta$  is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ .

234. We have here  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}$  very nearly equal to unity; so we may infer that  $\theta$  is small: hence  $\sin \theta = \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{6}$  nearly. Therefore  $1 - \frac{\theta^2}{6} = \frac{863}{864}$  nearly; therefore  $\frac{\theta^2}{6} = \frac{1}{864}$  nearly; therefore  $\theta^2 = \frac{1}{144}$  nearly; therefore  $\theta = \frac{1}{12}$  nearly. Hence the number of degrees in the angle is nearly  $\frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{180}{\pi}$ , that is about 5.

235. Let  $ABC$  be any triangle; let  $D, E, F$  be the centres of the escribed circles opposite to  $A, B, C$  respectively.

Then  $AD$  bisects the angle of the triangle at  $A$ , and  $EF$  bisects the exterior angle at  $A$ . Therefore  $AD$  is perpendicular to  $EF$ .

Similarly  $EB$  is perpendicular to  $FD$ , and  $FC$  is perpendicular to  $DE$ .

Therefore by Art. 332 the circle described round  $ABC$  is the nine points circle of  $DEF$ .

236. As in Art. 283 we have

$$2^{2n} (-1)^n \sin^{2n+1} \theta$$

$$= \sin(2n+1)\theta - (2n+1) \sin(2n-1)\theta + \frac{(2n+1)2n}{2} \sin(2n-3)\theta - \dots$$

Now suppose each side were to be expanded in powers of  $\theta$ ; on the left-hand side we should have  $2^{2n} (-1)^n \left\{ \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{3} + \dots \right\}^{2n+1}$ , by Art. 274.

On the right-hand side each sine gives rise to a series. Since the lowest power of  $\theta$  on the left-hand side is  $\theta^{2n+1}$  it follows that the whole coefficient of every lower power of  $\theta$  on the right-hand side must be zero. The whole coefficient of  $\theta$  is

$$2n+1 - (2n+1)(2n-1) + \frac{(2n+1)2n}{2} (2n-3) - \dots \text{ to } n+1 \text{ terms;}$$

hence this is zero; and dividing by  $2n+1$  we obtain the required result.

Similarly, supposing  $n$  to be greater than unity, we can obtain another result by equating to zero the whole coefficient of  $\theta^3$  on the right-hand side. And so on.

237. We have

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin \alpha &= \cos (\theta + \phi \sqrt{-1}) = \cos \theta \cos \phi \sqrt{-1} - \sin \theta \sin \phi \sqrt{-1} \\ &= \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} - \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2 \sqrt{-1}} = \cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} + \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2} \sqrt{-1}.\end{aligned}$$

Hence, by equating the possible and the impossible parts, we have

$$\cos \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} = \cos \alpha, \quad \sin \theta \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2} = \sin \alpha;$$

so that

$$\frac{e^{-\phi} + e^{\phi}}{2} = \frac{\cos \alpha}{\cos \theta}, \quad \frac{e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi}}{2} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin \theta}.$$

Square and subtract; thus

$$1 = \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \theta} - \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{\sin^2 \theta};$$

therefore  $\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \alpha - \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \alpha = \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta;$

therefore  $\sin^2 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta) = \sin^2 \alpha;$

therefore  $\sin^4 \theta = \sin^2 \alpha;$

therefore  $\sin^2 \theta = \pm \sin \alpha.$

238. On the left-hand side the numerator

$$= \sin x + \sin (3x + \pi) + \sin (5x + 2\pi) + \dots \text{to } n \text{ terms,}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \left\{ x + \frac{n-1}{2} (2x + \pi) \right\} \sin \frac{n}{2} (2x + \pi)}{\sin \frac{1}{2} (2x + \pi)};$$

in like manner the denominator

$$= \frac{\cos \left\{ x + \frac{n-1}{2} (2x + \pi) \right\} \sin \frac{n}{2} (2x + \pi)}{\sin \frac{1}{2} (2x + \pi)}.$$

Divide the former by the latter and we obtain

$$\tan \left\{ x + \frac{n-1}{2} (2x + \pi) \right\}, \text{ that is } \tan \left( nx + \frac{n-1}{2} \pi \right).$$

239. Let  $O$  denote the centre of the circles,  $r$  the radius of the circle  $ABCP$ , and  $R$  the radius of the circle  $DEFQ$ .

Suppose the angle  $QOA$  is equal to  $\theta$ , then the angle  $QOB$  will be  $\theta + \frac{2\pi}{3}$ , and the angle  $QOC$  will be  $\theta + \frac{4\pi}{3}$ ; or at least the angles may be

so denoted by suitably choosing  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} QA^2 &= QO^2 + OA^2 - 2QO \cdot OA \cos \theta \\ &= R^2 + r^2 - 2Rr \cos \theta, \end{aligned}$$

similarly 
$$QB^2 = R^2 + r^2 - 2Rr \cos \left( \theta + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right),$$

and 
$$QC^2 = R^2 + r^2 - 2Rr \cos \left( \theta + \frac{4\pi}{3} \right).$$

Hence by addition, and Art. 305, we have

$$QA^2 + QB^2 + QC^2 = 3(R^2 + r^2).$$

In the same way we find that

$$PD^2 + PE^2 + PF^2 = 3(R^2 + r^2).$$

240. Put for each cosine its exponential value; then the proposed series

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2}(1 - ae^{icx})^n + \frac{1}{2}(1 - ae^{-icx})^n \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(1 - a \cos cx - ia \sin cx)^n + \frac{1}{2}(1 - a \cos cx + ia \sin cx)^n. \end{aligned}$$

Now assume  $1 - a \cos cx = r \cos \theta$  and  $a \sin cx = r \sin \theta$ ;

then the sum 
$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2}(r \cos \theta - ir \sin \theta)^n + \frac{1}{2}(r \cos \theta + ir \sin \theta)^n \\ &= \frac{r^n}{2}(\cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta) + \frac{r^n}{2}(\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta) \\ &= r^n \cos n\theta. \end{aligned}$$

241. By addition  $3 - p \sin \theta - q \cos \theta = 0$ .

By subtraction  $\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = -p \sin \theta + q \cos \theta$ .

Therefore  $3(\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) = q^2 \cos^2 \theta - p^2 \sin^2 \theta$ ;

therefore  $3(2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) = q^2 \cos^2 \theta - p^2 + p^2 \cos^2 \theta$ ;

therefore 
$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{p^2 - 3}{p^2 + q^2 - 6};$$

therefore 
$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{q^2 - 3}{p^2 + q^2 - 6}.$$

Substitute in the equation  $3 = p \sin \theta + q \cos \theta$ ; thus

$$3\sqrt{(p^2 + q^2 - 6)} = p\sqrt{(q^2 - 3)} + q\sqrt{(p^2 - 3)}.$$

This is the result of the elimination; the radicals are not necessarily positive. By squaring, transposing, and squaring again, we obtain finally

$$\{p^2q^2 - 6(p^2 + q^2) + 27\}^2 = p^2q^2(p^2 - 3)(q^2 - 3).$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 242. \quad & \cot \frac{A}{2} + \cot \frac{B}{2} + \cot \frac{C}{2} \\
 &= \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{(s-b)(s-c)}} + \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{(s-a)(s-c)}} + \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{(s-a)(s-b)}} \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{s}}{\sqrt{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}} \{s-a+s-b+s-c\} = \frac{s^2}{S}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the proposed expression =  $s^2 \div \frac{s^2}{S} = S$ .

$$243. \quad \text{Here} \quad 2 \tan^{-1} ax + \sec^{-1} bx = \frac{\pi}{2};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \sin^{-1} \frac{2ax}{1+a^2x^2} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{bx} = \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{bx};$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad \frac{2ax}{1+a^2x^2} = \frac{1}{bx}; \quad \text{therefore} \quad 2abx^2 = 1+a^2x^2;$$

$$\text{therefore} \quad x^2 = \frac{1}{2ab-a^2}.$$

244. With the diagram of Art. 332 we have  $OA=R$ , also the angle  $OAB = \frac{\pi}{2} - C$ , and the angle  $BAP = \frac{\pi}{2} - B$ ; so that the angle  $OAP = C - B$ .

$$\text{Hence} \quad OP^2 = R^2 + AP^2 - 2R \cdot AP \cos (B - C).$$

$$\text{Now, as in Example 214, we have } AP = \frac{a \cos A}{\sin A} = 2R \cos A;$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{so that} \quad OP^2 &= R^2 + 4R^2 \cos^2 A - 4R^2 \cos A \cos (B - C) \\
 &= R^2 + 2R^2 (1 + \cos 2A) + 4R^2 \cos (B + C) \cos (B - C) \\
 &= 3R^2 + 2R^2 \cos 2A + 2R^2 (\cos 2B + \cos 2C) \\
 &= 3R^2 + 2R^2 (\cos 2A + \cos 2B + \cos 2C).
 \end{aligned}$$

245. The values of  $x, y, z$  are given in Example 216; and the values of  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  in Example XVI. 31. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\beta z + \gamma y}{x} &= \frac{4R \cos \frac{1}{2} C b \sec \frac{1}{2} B + 4R \cos \frac{1}{2} B c \sec \frac{1}{2} C}{4R \cos \frac{1}{2} A} \\
 &= \frac{4R \left( \cos \frac{1}{2} C \sin \frac{1}{2} B + \cos \frac{1}{2} B \sin \frac{1}{2} C \right)}{\cos \frac{1}{2} A} = \frac{4R \sin \frac{1}{2} (B + C)}{\cos \frac{1}{2} A} \\
 &= 4R.
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly the other expressions are also equal to  $4R$ .

246. We have  $c = b \cos A + a \cos B = b \cos A - a \cos (\pi - B)$

$$= b \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 A} - a \cos \theta = b \sqrt{1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \theta} - a \cos \theta.$$

We wish to expand this in powers of  $\theta$ , as far as terms involving  $\theta^4$ .

Now 
$$\sqrt{1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \theta} = 1 - \frac{a^2}{2b^2} \sin^2 \theta - \frac{a^4}{8b^4} \sin^4 \theta - \dots$$

Put for  $\sin \theta$  its value  $\theta - \frac{\theta^3}{6} + \dots$ ; thus we obtain

$$1 - \frac{a^2}{2b^2} \left( \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{6} + \dots \right)^2 - \frac{a^4}{8b^4} \left( \theta - \frac{\theta^3}{6} + \dots \right)^4,$$

that is

$$1 - \frac{a^2}{2b^2} \left( \theta^2 - \frac{\theta^4}{3} \right) - \frac{a^4}{8b^4} \theta^4 + \dots$$

And

$$\cos \theta = 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2} + \frac{\theta^4}{24} - \dots$$

Hence approximately

$$\begin{aligned} c &= b - \frac{a^2}{2b} \left( \theta^2 - \frac{\theta^4}{3} \right) - \frac{a^4}{8b^3} \theta^4 - a \left( 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2} + \frac{\theta^4}{24} \right) \\ &= b - a + \left( a - \frac{a^2}{b} \right) \frac{\theta^2}{2} + \left( \frac{a^2}{6b} - \frac{a^4}{8b^3} - \frac{a}{24} \right) \theta^4 \\ &= b - a + \frac{(b-a)a\theta^2}{2b} + \frac{\theta^4}{24} \left( \frac{4a^2}{b} - \frac{3a^4}{b^3} - a \right); \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{4a^2}{b} - \frac{3a^4}{b^3} - a &= \frac{a^2}{b} - a + 3 \left( \frac{a^2}{b} - \frac{a^4}{b^3} \right) \\ &= \frac{a(a-b)}{b} + \frac{3a^2(b^2 - a^2)}{b^3} = (a-b) \left\{ \frac{a}{b} - \frac{3a^2}{b^3} (a+b) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we obtain the required result.

247.  $\sin^5 \theta \cos^6 \theta = \cos \theta (\sin \theta \cos \theta)^5 = \frac{\cos \theta}{2^5} (\sin 2\theta)^5$

$$= \frac{\cos \theta}{2^5} \times \frac{1}{2^4} \{ \sin 10\theta - 5 \sin 6\theta + 10 \sin 2\theta \}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^{10}} \{ \sin 11\theta + \sin 9\theta - 5 (\sin 7\theta + \sin 5\theta) + 10 (\sin 3\theta + \sin \theta) \}.$$

$$243. \text{ We have } \cos \alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin \alpha = \frac{\sin(\theta + \sqrt{-1} \phi)}{\cos(\theta + \sqrt{-1} \phi)}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \theta \cos \sqrt{-1} \phi + \cos \theta \sin \sqrt{-1} \phi}{\cos \theta \cos \sqrt{-1} \phi - \sin \theta \sin \sqrt{-1} \phi} = \frac{\sin \theta (e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi}) - \sqrt{-1} \cos \theta (e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi})}{\cos \theta (e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi}) + \sqrt{-1} \sin \theta (e^{-\phi} - e^{\phi})}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \theta + \sqrt{-1} k \cos \theta}{\cos \theta - \sqrt{-1} k \sin \theta}, \text{ where } k = \frac{e^{\phi} - e^{-\phi}}{e^{\phi} + e^{-\phi}}.$$

$$\text{Hence } \sin \theta + \sqrt{-1} k \cos \theta = (\cos \alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sin \alpha) (\cos \theta - \sqrt{-1} k \sin \theta)$$

$$= \cos \alpha \cos \theta + k \sin \alpha \sin \theta + \sqrt{-1} (\sin \alpha \cos \theta - k \sin \theta \cos \alpha);$$

$$\text{therefore } \sin \theta = \cos \alpha \cos \theta + k \sin \alpha \sin \theta,$$

$$\text{and } k \cos \theta = \sin \alpha \cos \theta - k \sin \theta \cos \alpha$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{\sin \theta - \cos \alpha \cos \theta}{\sin \alpha \sin \theta} = \frac{\sin \alpha \cos \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta \cos \alpha}.$$

Multiply up; thus we get  $\cos \alpha (\sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta) = 0$ ;

$$\text{therefore } \tan^2 \theta = 1, \text{ and therefore } \theta = n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

249. By Art. 309 we have

$$\frac{1}{x} - 2 \cot 2x = \tan x + \frac{1}{2} \tan \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} \tan \frac{x}{2^2} + \dots,$$

and, since  $2 \cot 2x + \tan x = \cot x$ , we have

$$\frac{1}{x} - \cot x = \frac{1}{2} \tan \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} \tan \frac{x}{2^2} + \dots;$$

then put  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $x$ , and divide by 2; thus  $\frac{1}{\pi} = \frac{1}{4} \tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{8} \tan \frac{\pi}{8} + \dots$ .

250. Put  $-\frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2}$  for  $x$ ; then we require the coefficient of  $\left(-\frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2}\right)^n$ , that is of  $\frac{(-1)^n \theta^{2n}}{\pi^{2n}}$  in the development of

$$\left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2^2 \pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3^2 \pi^2}\right) \dots$$

Thus we require the coefficient of  $\frac{(-1)^n \theta^{2n+1}}{\pi^{2n}}$  in the development of

$$\theta \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{\pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2^2 \pi^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{3^2 \pi^2}\right) \dots,$$

that is in  $\sin \theta$ . See Art. 320.

But the general term in the expansion of  $\sin \theta$  is  $\frac{(-1)^n \theta^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$ .

Hence  $\frac{1}{\pi^{2n}} \times$  the required coefficient  $= \frac{1}{(2n+1)!}$ ; so that the required coefficient is  $\frac{\pi^{2n}}{(2n+1)!}$ .

251. Proceed as in Example 241. We have

$$1 + m + n = p \sin \theta + q \cos \theta, \quad \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta + n - m = q \cos \theta - p \sin \theta;$$

therefore  $(1 + m + n)(2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 + n - m) = q^2 \cos^2 \theta - p^2 \sin^2 \theta$ ;

therefore  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{p^2 + n^2 - (1 + m)^2}{p^2 + q^2 - 2(1 + m + n)}$ ,

and  $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{q^2 + m^2 - (1 + n)^2}{p^2 + q^2 - 2(1 + m + n)}$ .

Substitute in  $1 + m + n = p \sin \theta + q \cos \theta$ , and the elimination will be effected.

252. Let  $D, E, F$  be the points at which the bisectors of the angles  $A, B, C$  respectively meet the circumference. Then the angle  $DAC = \frac{1}{2}A$ , and the angle  $CAE =$  the angle  $CBE = \frac{1}{2}B$ ; therefore  $DAE = \frac{1}{2}(A + B)$ ; and therefore  $DE$  subtends at the centre of the circle an angle equal to  $A + B$ : thus  $DE = 2R \sin \frac{1}{2}(A + B) = 2R \cos \frac{1}{2}C$ . Similarly  $EF = 2R \cos \frac{1}{2}A$ ; and the angle  $DEF = \frac{1}{2}(A + C)$ ; thus the area of the triangle  $DEF$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4R^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}A \cos \frac{1}{2}C \sin \frac{1}{2}(A + C) = 2R^2 \cos \frac{1}{2}A \cos \frac{1}{2}B \cos \frac{1}{2}C \\ &= \frac{2R^2 s S}{abc} = \frac{Rs}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

253. Here  $\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + \sin^{-1} \frac{y}{b} = \sin^{-1} \frac{c^2}{ab}$ .

Take the cosines of both sides; thus

$$\sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2}\right)} \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)} - \frac{xy}{ab} = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{c^4}{a^2 b^2}\right)};$$

therefore  $\sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2}\right)} \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)} = \frac{xy}{ab} + \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{c^4}{a^2 b^2}\right)}$ ;

square both sides; thus

$$1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{x^2 y^2}{a^2 b^2} = \frac{x^2 y^2}{a^2 b^2} + 2 \frac{xy}{ab} \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{c^4}{a^2 b^2}\right)} + 1 - \frac{c^4}{a^2 b^2};$$

therefore  $b^2 x^2 + a^2 y^2 + 2xy \sqrt{(a^2 b^2 - c^4)} = c^4$ .

254. Let  $PCA = \theta$ ; then  $PCB = \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$ ;

$$\frac{PC}{a} = \frac{\sin(\theta + \gamma)}{\sin \gamma}, \quad \frac{PC}{b} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta + \gamma\right)}{\sin \gamma};$$

thus  $a \sin(\theta + \gamma) = b \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta + \gamma\right) = b \cos(\theta - \gamma)$ ;

therefore  $a(\sin \theta \cos \gamma + \cos \theta \sin \gamma) = b(\cos \theta \cos \gamma + \sin \theta \sin \gamma)$ ;

therefore  $\tan \theta = \frac{b \cos \gamma - a \sin \gamma}{a \cos \gamma - b \sin \gamma}$ .

Hence 
$$\sin \theta = \frac{b \cos \gamma - a \sin \gamma}{\sqrt{(a \cos \gamma - b \sin \gamma)^2 + (b \cos \gamma - a \sin \gamma)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{b \cos \gamma - a \sin \gamma}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \sin 2\gamma)}};$$

and 
$$\cos \theta = \frac{a \cos \gamma - b \sin \gamma}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \sin 2\gamma)}}.$$

Then 
$$PC = \frac{a(\sin \theta \cos \gamma + \cos \theta \sin \gamma)}{\sin \gamma} = \frac{ab \cos 2\gamma}{\sin \gamma \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \sin 2\gamma)}}.$$

255.  $x^4 - x^3 + x^2 - x + 1 = \frac{x^5 + 1}{x + 1}$ . Hence we must find the roots of  $x^5 + 1 = 0$ , and omit the root  $-1$ .

Now if  $x^5 = -1$  we may put  $x^5 = \cos n\pi \pm \sqrt{-1} \sin n\pi$ , where  $n$  is any odd integer. Hence  $x = (\cos n\pi \pm \sqrt{-1} \sin n\pi)^{\frac{1}{5}} = \cos \frac{n\pi}{5} \pm \sqrt{-1} \sin \frac{n\pi}{5}$ .

Put in succession 1 and 3 for  $n$ ; thus we obtain the assigned values. If we put 5 for  $n$  we obtain the root  $-1$ , which we had to omit.

256. Let  $\theta$  denote the angle opposite to the side 1; then

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{1}{250}; \quad \text{therefore } \sin \theta = \frac{1}{500}.$$

As  $\theta$  is very small we may put  $\theta$  for  $\sin \theta$ ; thus  $\theta = \frac{1}{500}$  approximately.

Therefore the number of degrees in the angle =  $\frac{1}{500} \times \frac{180}{\pi}$ ; and therefore the number of minutes =  $\frac{60}{500} \times \frac{180}{\pi} = \frac{3}{25} \times \frac{180}{\pi} = \frac{3}{25} \times 57.3 = 7$  nearly.

257. First take the inscribed circle: see Art. 248.

$$FE = 2r \sin FOA = 2r \cos \frac{A}{2}; \quad \text{similarly } FD = 2r \cos \frac{B}{2}.$$



The angle  $EFA = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - A)$ ; the angle  $DFB = \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B)$ ; therefore the angle  $EFD = \frac{1}{2}(A + B)$ .

Hence the area of the triangle  $DFE$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4r^2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{A+B}{2} = 2r^2 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2} = \frac{2r^2 S s}{abc} = \frac{rS}{2R}.$$

Now take one of the escribed circles, as for instance that opposite to the angle  $A$ : see Art. 250.

$$DF = 2r_1 \sin DOB = 2r_1 \sin \frac{B}{2}; \text{ similarly } DE = 2r_1 \sin \frac{C}{2}.$$

The angle  $FDE =$  the angle  $FDO +$  the angle  $EDO$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(\pi - B) + \frac{1}{2}(\pi - C) = \pi - \frac{1}{2}(B + C).$$

Hence the area of the triangle  $DFE$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4r_1^2 \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \sin \frac{B+C}{2} \\ &= 2r_1^2 \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} = \frac{2r_1^2 (s-a) S}{abc} = \frac{2r_1 S^2}{abc} = \frac{r_1 S}{2R}. \end{aligned}$$

258. Proceed as in Example 248; thus we obtain  $\sin^2 \theta = \cos^2 \theta$ .

If we take  $\sin \theta = \cos \theta$  we get  $1 = \cos \alpha + k \sin \alpha$ ; thus

$$k = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} = \tan \frac{\alpha}{2}, \text{ that is } \frac{e^\phi - e^{-\phi}}{e^\phi + e^{-\phi}} = \tan \frac{\alpha}{2};$$

therefore 
$$e^{2\phi} = \frac{1 + \tan \frac{\alpha}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{\alpha}{2}} = \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\alpha}{2} \right).$$

If we take  $\sin \theta = -\cos \theta$  we get  $1 = -\cos \alpha + k \sin \alpha$ ; thus

$$k = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} = \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}, \text{ that is } \frac{e^\phi - e^{-\phi}}{e^\phi + e^{-\phi}} = \cot \frac{\alpha}{2};$$

therefore 
$$e^{2\phi} = \frac{1 + \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}}{1 - \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}} = \frac{\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} + 1}{\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} - 1} = -\tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\alpha}{2} \right).$$

259. Put the exponential values for the cosines in the series denoted by  $s$ : thus

$$s = 1 + \frac{1}{2} z (e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}) + \frac{z^2}{2 \cdot 2} (e^{2i\theta} + e^{-2i\theta}) + \frac{z^3}{2 \cdot 3} (e^{3i\theta} + e^{-3i\theta}) + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (e^x + e^y),$$

where  $x = ze^{i\theta} = z (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta),$

and  $y = ze^{-i\theta} = z (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta).$

Thus  $s = \frac{1}{2} e^{z \cos \theta} (e^{iz \sin \theta} + e^{-iz \sin \theta}) = e^{z \cos \theta} \cos (z \sin \theta).$

Similarly we find that  $\sigma = \frac{1}{2i} (e^x - e^y) = e^{z \cos \theta} \sin (z \sin \theta).$

Therefore  $\frac{\sigma}{s} = \frac{\sin (z \sin \theta)}{\cos (z \sin \theta)} = \tan (z \sin \theta);$

so that  $z \sin \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{\sigma}{s}.$

And  $s^2 + \sigma^2 = e^{2z \cos \theta} \{ \cos^2 (z \sin \theta) + \sin^2 (z \sin \theta) \} = e^{2z \cos \theta};$

so that  $z \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \log (s^2 + \sigma^2).$

If  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , we have  $\frac{\sigma}{s} = \tan z$  and  $s^2 + \sigma^2 = 1$ , so that  $\sigma = \sin z$  and  $s = \cos z.$

260. Let  $c$  be the distance of the two given points,  $n$  the number of sides in the polygon; and put  $\beta = \frac{2\pi}{n}$ . Let  $a$  be the angle which the distance between the two given points makes with the first straight line which is drawn. Then the numerical values of the successive perpendiculars are  $c \sin a$ ,  $c \sin (a + \beta)$ ,  $c \sin (a + 2\beta)$ , ..... Hence the sum of the squares on the perpendiculars

$$= c^2 \{ \sin^2 a + \sin^2 (a + \beta) + \sin^2 (a + 2\beta) + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms} \}$$

$$= \frac{c^2}{2} \{ 1 - \cos 2a + 1 - \cos 2(a + \beta) + 1 - \cos 2(a + 2\beta) + \dots \}$$

$$= \frac{nc^2}{2}. \text{ See Art. 305.}$$

261: We have

$$a \sin \theta + b = h \cos \theta, \text{ and } \cos \theta (a + b \sin \theta) = h \sin \theta.$$

Find  $\cos \theta$  from the first equation, and substitute it in the second; thus we get

$$\sin^2 \theta + \frac{a^2 + b^2 - hk}{ab} \sin \theta + 1 = 0.$$

Again, find  $\sin \theta$  from the first equation, and substitute it in the second; thus we get

$$\cos^2 \theta + \frac{a^2 - b^2 - hk}{bh} \cos \theta + \frac{k}{h} = 0.$$

Then we may employ the process of Example 251.

262. By Example XVI. 50 we know that the sides of the new triangle are respectively  $a \cos A$ ,  $b \cos B$ , and  $c \cos C$ . Thus the perimeter

$$= a \cos A + b \cos B + c \cos C = 4R \sin A \sin B \sin C, \text{ by Example XVI. 22,}$$

$$= \frac{4R \cdot 8S^3}{(abc)^2} = \frac{2S}{R}.$$

263. As in Example 252 we shew that the area of the triangle thus formed is  $2R^2 \cos \frac{1}{2} A \cos \frac{1}{2} B \cos \frac{1}{2} C$ ; denote this by  $\Sigma$ .

$$\text{Also } S = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C = 2R^2 \sin A \sin B \sin C.$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{\Sigma}{S} = \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2} A \cos \frac{1}{2} B \cos \frac{1}{2} C}{\sin A \sin B \sin C} = \frac{1}{8 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}}.$$

Now, as in Example XIII. 40 we see that  $8 \sin \frac{A}{2} \sin \frac{B}{2} \sin \frac{C}{2}$  cannot be greater than unity; and therefore  $S$  cannot be greater than  $\Sigma$ .

$$264. \quad r_1 = \frac{S}{s-a}, \quad r_2 = \frac{S}{s-b}, \quad r_3 = \frac{S}{s-c}.$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} (r_1 + r_2)(r_2 + r_3)(r_3 + r_1) &= S^3 \left( \frac{1}{s-a} + \frac{1}{s-b} \right) \left( \frac{1}{s-b} + \frac{1}{s-c} \right) \left( \frac{1}{s-c} + \frac{1}{s-a} \right) \\ &= \frac{S^3 abc}{(s-a)^2 (s-b)^2 (s-c)^2} = \frac{s^2 S^3 abc}{S^4} = \frac{s^2 abc}{S}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{And } r_1 r_2 + r_2 r_3 + r_3 r_1 &= S^2 \left\{ \frac{1}{(s-a)(s-b)} + \frac{1}{(s-b)(s-c)} + \frac{1}{(s-c)(s-a)} \right\} \\ &= \frac{S^2 (3s-a-b-c)}{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} = \frac{S^2 s^2}{S^2} = s^2. \end{aligned}$$

Divide the first result by the second; and thus we get  $\frac{abc}{S}$ .

265. The wall  $a$  feet high casts a shadow which extends  $a \cot \alpha$  feet from the wall measured in the direction of the meridian; hence  $a \cot \alpha \sin \beta$  is the breadth of the shadow measured in the direction at right angles to the wall.

Thus  $b = a \cot a \sin \beta$ . Similarly  $b' = a' \cot a \sin (\gamma - \beta)$ .

From these two equations we have to find  $a$  and  $\beta$ .

We get  $\frac{a \sin \beta}{b} = \frac{a' \sin (\gamma - \beta)}{b'}$ ; so that

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{a'}{b'} (\sin \gamma \cot \beta - \cos \gamma);$$

therefore  $\cot \beta = \cot \gamma + \frac{ab'}{a'b} \operatorname{cosec} \gamma$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \cot^2 a &= \frac{b^2}{a^2 \sin^2 \beta} = \frac{b^2}{a^2} (1 + \cot^2 \beta) = \frac{b^2}{a^2} \left\{ 1 + \left( \cot \gamma + \frac{ab'}{a'b} \operatorname{cosec} \gamma \right)^2 \right\} \\ &= \frac{b^2}{a^2} \left\{ 1 + \cot^2 \gamma + \frac{a^2 b'^2}{a'^2 b^2} \operatorname{cosec}^2 \gamma + \frac{2ab'}{a'b} \cot \gamma \operatorname{cosec} \gamma \right\} \\ &= \left( \frac{b^2}{a^2} + \frac{b'^2}{a'^2} \right) \operatorname{cosec}^2 \gamma + \frac{2bb'}{aa'} \cot \gamma \operatorname{cosec} \gamma. \end{aligned}$$

266. Assume  $a = r \cos \theta$ , and  $b = r \sin \theta$ ; so that  $r^2 = a^2 + b^2$ , and  $\tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}$ . Also assume  $a = \rho \cos \phi$ ,  $\beta = \rho \sin \phi$ ; so that  $\rho^2 = a^2 + \beta^2$ , and  $\tan \phi = \frac{\beta}{a}$ .

Then the proposed expression

$$= (r \cos \theta + \iota r \sin \theta)^\rho \cos \phi + \iota \rho \sin \phi = (r e^{\iota \theta})^\rho \cos \phi + \iota \rho \sin \phi.$$

Denote this by  $u$ ; then

$$\begin{aligned} \log u &= (\rho \cos \phi + \iota \rho \sin \phi) \log (r e^{\iota \theta}) \\ &= (\rho \cos \phi + \iota \rho \sin \phi) (\iota \theta + \log r) \\ &= \rho (\cos \phi \log r - \theta \sin \phi) + \rho \iota (\sin \phi \log r + \theta \cos \phi) \\ &= \sigma + \iota \tau \text{ say;} \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $u = e^{\sigma + \iota \tau} = e^\sigma e^{\iota \tau} = e^\sigma (\cos \tau + \iota \sin \tau)$ .

To make this wholly real the term involving  $\iota$  must vanish, therefore  $\sin \tau$  must vanish; therefore  $\tau$  must be zero or a multiple of  $\pi$ ; therefore  $\rho (\sin \phi \log r + \theta \cos \phi)$  must be zero or an even multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; but  $\rho \sin \phi = \beta$ , and  $\rho \cos \phi = a$ ; so that  $\frac{\beta}{2} \log (a^2 + b^2) + a \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$  must be zero or an even multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 267. \quad \frac{a^2}{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} &= \frac{2a^2}{a^2(1 + \cos 2\theta) + b^2(1 - \cos 2\theta)} \\
 &= \frac{2a^2}{a^2 + b^2 + (a^2 - b^2) \cos 2\theta} \\
 &= \frac{4a^2}{2(a^2 + b^2) + (a^2 - b^2)(e^{2\theta} + e^{-2\theta})} = \frac{4a^2}{(a+b)^2(1 + ce^{2\theta})(1 + ce^{-2\theta})} \\
 &= \frac{(1+c)^2}{(1 + ce^{2\theta})(1 + ce^{-2\theta})}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
 \log \frac{a^2}{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} &= 2 \log(1+c) - \log(1 + ce^{2\theta}) - \log(1 + ce^{-2\theta}) \\
 &= 2 \left\{ c - \frac{c^2}{2} + \frac{c^3}{3} - \frac{c^4}{4} + \dots \right\} \\
 &\quad - \left\{ ce^{2\theta} - \frac{c^3}{2} e^{4\theta} + \frac{c^3}{3} e^{6\theta} - \frac{c^4}{4} e^{8\theta} + \dots \right\} \\
 &\quad - \left\{ ce^{-2\theta} - \frac{c^2}{2} e^{-4\theta} + \frac{c^3}{3} e^{-6\theta} - \frac{c^4}{4} e^{-8\theta} + \dots \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The term which involves  $c$  is  $-c(e^{\theta} - e^{-\theta})^2$ , that is  $4c \sin^2 \theta$ .

The term which involves  $c^2$  is  $\frac{c^2}{2}(e^{2\theta} - e^{-2\theta})^2$ , that is  $-\frac{4c^2}{2} \sin^2 2\theta$ .

The term which involves  $c^3$  is  $-\frac{c^3}{3}(e^{3\theta} - e^{-3\theta})^2$ , that is  $\frac{4c^3}{3} \sin^2 3\theta$ .

And so on.

Thus we obtain the required result.

268. Let  $O$  denote the centre of the inscribed circle,  $D$  and  $E$  the centres of the escribed circles. Then  $D, C, E$  are on a straight line which is at right angles to  $OC$ . The area of the triangle  $ODE$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} OC \cdot DE = \frac{1}{2} r \operatorname{cosec} \frac{C}{2} (r_1 + r_2) \sec \frac{C}{2} \\
 &= \frac{r(r_1 + r_2)}{\sin C} = \frac{S}{s \sin C} \left( \frac{S}{s-a} + \frac{S}{s-b} \right) = \frac{S^2 c}{s(s-a)(s-b) \sin C} \\
 &= \frac{(s-c)c}{\sin C} = \frac{abc \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} C}{s \sin C} = \frac{abc}{2s} \cot \frac{C}{2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

269. The angle  $OBC = \frac{1}{2}B$ , and the angle  $OCB = \frac{1}{2}C$ . Hence, as on page 186, line 5 of the *Trigonometry*, we have

$$r_a \left( \cot \frac{B}{4} + \cot \frac{C}{4} \right) = a;$$

therefore 
$$\frac{a}{r_a} = \cot \frac{B}{4} + \cot \frac{C}{4}.$$

Similarly 
$$\frac{b}{r_b} = \cot \frac{C}{4} + \cot \frac{A}{4}, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{c}{r_c} = \cot \frac{A}{4} + \cot \frac{B}{4}.$$

Hence by addition we get the required result.

270. We easily see that  $\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2r^2} = \tan^{-1}(2r+1) - \tan^{-1}(2r-1)$ .

Resolve each of the given terms into two by this formula. Then by addition we find that the sum  $= \tan^{-1}(2n+1) - \tan^{-1}1 = \tan^{-1} \frac{n}{n+1}$ .

271. 
$$\cot A = \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc \sin A} = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{4S};$$

similar expressions hold for  $\cot B$  and  $\cot C$ . Thus

$$\cot A + \cot B + \cot C = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{4S}.$$

Hence if  $S$  be given the sum of the cotangents of the angles varies as the sum of the squares of the sides.

272. By Art. 253 we have

$$OI^2 = R^2 - 2Rr;$$

and 
$$OD^2 + OE^2 + OF^2 = 3R^2 + 2R(r_1 + r_2 + r_3).$$

Thus by addition we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} OI^2 + OD^2 + OE^2 + OF^2 &= 4R^2 + 2R(r_1 + r_2 + r_3 - r) \\ &= 4R^2 + 8R^2, \text{ by Example 201,} = 12R^2. \end{aligned}$$

273. Let  $\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{a-b}{a+b}} \tan \frac{x}{2} \right)$ , then  $\tan \theta = \sqrt{\frac{a-b}{a+b}} \tan \frac{x}{2}$ ,

$$\cos 2\theta = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{a + b - (a - b) \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}}{a + b + (a - b) \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{b + a \left( \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \right)}{a + b \left( \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \right)} = \frac{b + a \cos x}{a + b \cos x}.$$

274. Let  $O$  denote the centre of the circles. Let  $ABCD$  be a straight line cutting the outer circumference at  $A$  and  $D$ , and the inner circumference at  $B$  and  $C$ . Let  $OB=r$ , and  $OA=nr$ . Let the angle  $AOD=2\alpha$ , and the angle  $BOC=2\beta$ ; so that the angle  $AOB=\alpha-\beta$ .

Then 
$$AB^2 = n^2 r^2 + r^2 - 2nr^2 \cos(\alpha - \beta).$$

Now 
$$\frac{AB}{BD} = \frac{AB^2}{AB \cdot BD} = \frac{AB^2}{AB \cdot AC}.$$

But  $AB \cdot AC$  = the square on the straight line drawn from  $A$  to touch the inner circumference =  $(n^2 - 1)r^2$ .

Therefore 
$$\frac{AB}{BD} = \frac{n^2 - 2n \cos(\alpha - \beta) + 1}{n^2 - 1}.$$

275. Proceed as in the solution of Example 266. That the expression may be wholly imaginary we must have  $\cos \tau = 0$ , and therefore  $\tau$  must be an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , therefore  $\rho(\sin \phi \log r + \theta \cos \phi)$  must be an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ; but  $\rho \sin \phi = \beta$ , and  $\rho \cos \phi = \alpha$ , so that  $\frac{\beta}{2} \log(a^2 + b^2) + \alpha \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$  must be an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 276. \quad \frac{1}{a} \left( \tan \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \right) &= \frac{1}{a} \left( \frac{\sin \frac{C}{2}}{\cos \frac{C}{2}} + \frac{\sin \frac{B}{2}}{\cos \frac{B}{2}} \right) = \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2}}{a \cos \frac{C}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{r} \tan \frac{C}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2}, \text{ by Art. 249.} \end{aligned}$$

In this way we find that the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{abc}{2r} \left\{ \tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{C}{2} \tan \frac{A}{2} \right\} \\ &= \frac{abc}{2r}, \text{ by Example VIII. 15;} \end{aligned}$$

and this is the area of the triangle by Example XVI. 34.

Or thus. Let  $I$  denote the centre of the inscribed circle,  $O$  the centre of the escribed circle opposite to  $A$ ; then the area of the quadrilateral  $IBOC = \frac{a}{2}(r+r_1) = \frac{a}{2}(s-a+s) \tan \frac{A}{2} = \frac{a}{2}(b+c) \tan \frac{A}{2}$ : see Arts. 249 and 250.

In this way we obtain for the whole required area the given expression.

$$277. \text{ We have } 1 + 2 \cos \theta = \frac{\sin \frac{3\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}},$$

$$1 + 2 \cos 3\theta = \frac{\sin \frac{3^2 \theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{3\theta}{2}},$$

and so on. Then, as the sum of the logarithms of any set of quantities is equal to the logarithm of the product of those quantities, we see that the required sum is the logarithm of

$$\frac{\sin \frac{3\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sin \frac{3^2 \theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{3\theta}{2}} \cdots \frac{\sin \frac{3^n \theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{3^{n-1} \theta}{2}}, \text{ that is the logarithm of } \frac{\sin \frac{3^n \theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}.$$

278. Put  $\beta$  for  $\frac{\pi}{n}$ . The path consists of a set of arcs of circles, each of which corresponds to the angle  $2\beta$ , and the radii of which are the respective distances of any assumed point from all the other angular points. The radii thus are  $2R \sin \beta$ ,  $2R \sin 2\beta$ ,  $2R \sin 3\beta$ , ...

Hence the required sum

$$= 2R \{ \sin \beta + \sin 2\beta + \sin 3\beta + \dots + \sin n\beta \} 2\beta.$$

The term  $\sin n\beta$  is zero, and may be omitted if we please.

By Art. 303 this expression

$$= 4R\beta \frac{\sin \left( \beta + \frac{n-1}{2} \beta \right) \sin \frac{n\beta}{2}}{\sin \frac{1}{2} \beta} = 4R\beta \frac{\sin \frac{n+1}{2n} \pi}{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}}$$

$$= 4R\beta \cot \frac{\pi}{2n} = \frac{4R\pi}{n} \cot \frac{\pi}{2n}.$$

279. The sum of the areas of all the sectors will be

$$4R^2 \{ \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 2\beta + \sin^2 3\beta + \dots + \sin^2 n\beta \} \beta$$

$$= 2R^2 \beta \{ 1 - \cos 2\beta + 1 - \cos 4\beta + \dots \}$$

$$= 2R^2 \beta \left\{ n - \frac{\cos (2\beta + \frac{n-1}{2} \beta) \sin n\beta}{\sin \beta} \right\} = 2R^2 n\beta = 2R^2 \pi.$$

If we wish to have the whole area of the figure bounded by the straight line and by the arcs between two points where they cross the straight line, we must add to the above a set of triangles which make up the whole polygon, that is  $\frac{n}{2} R^2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{n}$ .



280. We have

$$\frac{\sin 2r\theta}{\sin(2r-1)\theta \sin(2r+1)\theta} = \frac{1}{2 \cos \theta} \left\{ \frac{1}{\sin(2r-1)\theta} + \frac{1}{\sin(2r+1)\theta} \right\}.$$

If we resolve each term of the proposed series into two by the aid of this formula we find that the sum of  $2n$  terms =  $\frac{1}{2 \cos \theta} \left\{ \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin(4n+1)\theta} \right\}$ .

281. As in Example 214 we have

$$a = \frac{a \cos A}{\sin A}, \quad \beta = \frac{b \cos B}{\sin B}, \quad \gamma = \frac{c \cos C}{\sin C}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence } \frac{1}{4}(a\alpha + b\beta + c\gamma) &= \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{a^2 \cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{b^2 \cos B}{\sin B} + \frac{c^2 \cos C}{\sin C} \right) \\ &= R^2 (\sin A \cos A + \sin B \cos B + \sin C \cos C) \\ &= \frac{R^2}{2} (\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C) = 2R^2 \sin A \sin B \sin C, \text{ by Art. 114,} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C, \text{ by Art. 252, } = S. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also, } a^2 a \operatorname{cosec} A + b^2 \beta \operatorname{cosec} B + c^2 \gamma \operatorname{cosec} C &= \frac{a^3 \cos A}{\sin^2 A} + \frac{b^3 \cos B}{\sin^2 B} + \frac{c^3 \cos C}{\sin^2 C} \\ &= 8R^3 (\sin A \cos A + \sin B \cos B + \sin C \cos C) \\ &= 4R^3 (\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C) = 16R^3 \sin A \sin B \sin C \\ &= 8RS, \text{ by the former part of the Example, } = 2abc. \end{aligned}$$

282. We obtain immediately from a diagram

$$2r' = R(1 - \cos A), \quad 2r'' = R(1 - \cos B), \quad 2r''' = R(1 - \cos C);$$

$$\text{hence } 8r'r''r''' = 8R^3 \sin^2 \frac{A}{2} \sin^2 \frac{B}{2} \sin^2 \frac{C}{2} = \frac{8R^3 S^4}{a^2 b^2 c^2 s^2}.$$

$$\text{Therefore } 64Rr'r''r''' = \frac{64R^4 S^4}{a^2 b^2 c^2 s^2} = \frac{a^2 b^2 c^2}{4s^2} = \left( \frac{abc}{a+b+c} \right)^2.$$

$$283. \text{ Let } \theta = \sin^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{(x^2 - c^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}} \quad \text{and} \quad \phi = \sin^{-1} \frac{c \sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)}}{x \sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}};$$

$$\text{then } \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}} \quad \text{and} \quad \cos \phi = \frac{a \sqrt{(x^2 - c^2)}}{x \sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}};$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{therefore } \sin(\theta - \phi) &= \frac{\sqrt{(x^2 - c^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}} \cdot \frac{a \sqrt{(x^2 - c^2)}}{x \sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}} - \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)}}{\sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}} \cdot \frac{c \sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)}}{x \sqrt{(a^2 - c^2)}} \\ &= \frac{a(x^2 - c^2)}{x(a^2 - c^2)} - \frac{c(a^2 - x^2)}{x(a^2 - c^2)} = \frac{x^2(a+c) - ac(a+c)}{x(a^2 - c^2)} = \frac{x^2 - ac}{x(a-c)}. \end{aligned}$$

284. Suppose  $D$  the middle point of  $BC$ . Then

$$AB^2 = AD^2 + BD^2 - 2AD \cdot BD \cos ADB,$$

$$AC^2 = AD^2 + CD^2 - 2AD \cdot CD \cos ADC;$$

therefore by addition  $b^2 + c^2 = 2h^2 + \frac{a^2}{2}$ ; so that  $h^2 = \frac{1}{2}(b^2 + c^2) - \frac{a^2}{4}$ ;

similarly  $k^2 = \frac{1}{2}(c^2 + a^2) - \frac{b^2}{4}$ , and  $l^2 = \frac{1}{2}(a^2 + b^2) - \frac{c^2}{4}$ .

Therefore by addition  $4(h^2 + k^2 + l^2) = 3(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } & (4h^2)^2 + (4k^2)^2 + (4l^2)^2 \\ &= (2b^2 + 2c^2 - a^2)^2 + (2c^2 + 2a^2 - b^2)^2 + (2a^2 + 2b^2 - c^2)^2 \\ &= 9(a^4 + b^4 + c^4), \text{ by development.} \end{aligned}$$

Again, from what has been already shewn,

$$16(h^2 + k^2 + l^2)^2 = 9(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)^2,$$

$$\text{and } 16(h^4 + k^4 + l^4) = 9(a^4 + b^4 + c^4);$$

subtract and divide by 2; thus

$$16(h^2k^2 + k^2l^2 + l^2h^2) = 9(a^2b^2 + b^2c^2 + c^2a^2).$$

285. The area of the triangle which can be formed with the straight lines  $h, k, l$ , by Arts. 247 and 218,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{(2hk^2 + 2k^2l^2 + 2l^2h^2 - h^4 - k^4 - l^4)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{9}{16}(2a^2b^2 + 2b^2c^2 + 2c^2a^2 - a^4 - b^4 - c^4)} \\ &= \frac{3}{16} \sqrt{(2a^2b^2 + 2b^2c^2 + 2c^2a^2 - a^4 - b^4 - c^4)} = \frac{3}{4} S. \end{aligned}$$

$$286. \quad a \cos \theta - b \cos(\theta - \alpha) = \cos \theta (a - b \cos \alpha) - b \sin \alpha \sin \theta;$$

$$\text{assume } a - b \cos \alpha = k \cos \beta, \quad \text{and } b \sin \alpha = k \sin \beta;$$

$$\text{then } a \cos \theta - b \cos(\theta - \alpha) = k(\cos \theta \cos \beta - \sin \theta \sin \beta) = k \cos(\theta + \beta).$$

Similarly

$$a \sin \theta - b \sin(\theta - \alpha) = \sin \theta (a - b \cos \alpha) + b \sin \alpha \cos \theta = k \sin(\beta + \theta).$$

Thus the proposed expression

$$\begin{aligned} &= \{k \cos(\theta + \beta) + k \sqrt{-1} \sin(\theta + \beta)\}^{\frac{1}{n}} \\ &= k^{\frac{1}{n}} \left\{ \cos \frac{\theta + \beta}{n} + \sqrt{-1} \sin \frac{\theta + \beta}{n} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

287. Denote the point by  $O$ ; and let  $OD, OE, OF$  be the perpendiculars on  $BC, CA, AB$  respectively. Then  $OA$  is the diameter of the circle which would go round  $OEF$ ; so that  $OA = \frac{EF}{\sin A}$ , by Art. 252. Therefore

$$OA^2 \cdot a \sin A = a \cdot OA \cdot EF = a(OE \cdot FA + OF \cdot AE), \text{ by Euclid VI. D,} \\ = a \cdot \beta \cdot AF + a \cdot \gamma \cdot AE.$$

Transform the other two terms in like manner; thus we obtain

$$a\beta(AF + BF) + \beta\gamma(BD + CD) + \gamma\alpha(AE + EC) = a\beta c + \beta\gamma a + \gamma\alpha b.$$

288. We have  $a\beta c = \frac{c}{\sin C} a\beta \sin C = 2R \times 2$  area of  $OED$ .

Transform the other two terms similarly; thus we obtain

$$4R(\text{area of } OED + \text{area of } ODF + \text{area of } OFE).$$

289. We have

$$\frac{1}{\cos^2 B} - \frac{1}{\cos^2 A} = \frac{\cos^2 A - \cos^2 B}{\cos^2 A \cos^2 B} = \frac{\sin^2 B - \sin^2 A}{\cos^2 B \cos^2 A} = \frac{\sin(B-A) \sin(B+A)}{\cos^2 B \cos^2 A};$$

so that 
$$\frac{\sin(B+A)}{\cos^2 B \cos^2 A} = \frac{1}{\sin(B-A)} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos^2 B} - \frac{1}{\cos^2 A} \right\}.$$

Apply this transformation to every term of the proposed series; then we find that the sum

$$= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos^2 n\theta} - \frac{1}{\cos^2 0} \right\} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \left\{ \frac{1}{\cos^2 n\theta} - 1 \right\} = \operatorname{cosec} \theta \tan^2 n\theta.$$

290. By De Moivre's Theorem the equation becomes

$$\cos(\theta + 2\theta + \dots + n\theta) + \sqrt{-1} \sin(\theta + 2\theta + \dots + n\theta) = 1,$$

that is 
$$\cos \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \theta + \sqrt{-1} \sin \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \theta = 1.$$

Hence we must have  $\cos \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \theta = 1$ , and  $\sin \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \theta = 0$ ; so that  $\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \theta = 2m\pi$ , where  $m$  is zero or any integer.

291. We have  $r' = \frac{BC}{2 \sin BDC} = \frac{a}{2 \sin \frac{B+C}{2}} = \frac{a}{2 \cos \frac{A}{2}}$ ; and similar expressions hold for  $r''$  and  $r'''$ . Thus

$$r' r'' r''' = \frac{abc}{8 \cos \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{B}{2} \cos \frac{C}{2}} = \frac{a^2 b^2 c^2}{8sS} = \frac{16R^2 S^2}{8sS} = \frac{2R^2 S}{s} = 2R^2 r.$$

292. We have  $R = \frac{a}{2 \sin A}$ , so that  $R \sin A = \frac{a}{2}$ ..... (1).

Suppose that in consequence of the error  $\gamma$  in  $C$  there is an error  $\alpha$  in  $A$ , and an error  $\rho$  in  $R$ . Thus

$$(R + \rho) \sin(A + \alpha) = \frac{a}{2};$$

therefore approximately by Art. 181

$$(R + \rho) (\sin A + \alpha \cos A) = \frac{a}{2} \dots \dots \dots (2).$$

From (1) and (2) by subtraction, neglecting the product  $\alpha\rho$ ,

$$\alpha R \cos A + \rho \sin A = 0;$$

so that

$$\alpha = -\frac{\rho}{R} \tan A.$$

Similarly if  $\beta$  be the error in  $B$  arising from the error  $\gamma$  in  $C$ , we have

$$\beta = -\frac{\rho}{R} \tan B.$$

But  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0$ , since the sum of the three angles of a triangle is equal to a fixed quantity, namely two right angles.

Thus

$$\gamma - \frac{\rho}{R} (\tan A + \tan B) = 0;$$

therefore

$$\rho = \frac{R\gamma}{\tan A + \tan B} = \frac{R\gamma \cos A \cos B}{\sin(A+B)} = \frac{c\gamma \cos A \cos B}{2 \sin^2 C}.$$

And since  $\sin C = \frac{c \sin A}{a}$  and  $= \frac{c \sin B}{b}$ ; we have  $\rho = \frac{ab\gamma \cot A \cot B}{2c}$ .

293. Let  $C$  denote the right angle,  $CA$  and  $CB$  the equal sides; produce  $CA$  to  $D$  and  $CB$  to  $E$ ; then since  $DE$  is  $n$  times  $AB$ , it follows that  $CD$  and  $CE$  are each  $n$  times  $CA$  or  $CB$ . Let  $AE$  and  $BD$  intersect at  $O$ . Then the angle  $DOA =$  the sum of the angles  $OBA$  and  $OAB$ , and these are equal; so that the angle  $DOA =$  twice the angle  $OAB$ . But the angle  $OAB =$  the angle  $EAC -$  the angle  $BAC$ , so that

$$\tan OAB = \tan(EAC - BAC) = \frac{\tan EAC - \tan BAC}{1 + \tan EAC \tan BAC} = \frac{n-1}{1+n}.$$

294. As  $\theta$  continually increases from 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  the value of  $\cos \theta$  continually decreases from 1 to 0; so that there must be one value of  $\theta$ , and only one, in this range, which makes  $\theta = \cos \theta$ . Also as  $\cos \theta$  is greater than  $\theta$  when  $\theta = 0$ , and is less than  $\theta$  when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , this value is less than  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ .

As  $\theta$  changes from 0 to  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$ , the cosine is always positive, and so we cannot have  $\cos \theta = \theta$ .

When  $\theta$  is numerically greater than  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  it is numerically greater than unity, and so cannot be equal to  $\cos \theta$ .

Hence there must be one, and only one, solution of the equation  $\theta = \cos \theta$ .

295. Suppose  $\beta$  the circular measure of an angle between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , which is greater than the solution of  $\theta = \cos \theta$ , so that  $\beta - \cos \beta$  is positive. Let  $\beta - \alpha$  denote the solution, so that  $\beta - \alpha = \cos(\beta - \alpha) = \cos \beta \cos \alpha + \sin \beta \sin \alpha$ ; therefore  $\alpha = \frac{\beta - \cos \beta \cos \alpha}{1 + \sin \beta \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha}}$ . Now  $\frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha}$  is less than unity, and so is  $\cos \alpha$ ;

hence  $\frac{\beta - \cos \beta}{1 + \sin \beta}$  is less than the true value of  $\alpha$ , and is a positive quantity.

Therefore  $\beta - \frac{\beta - \cos \beta}{1 + \sin \beta}$  is nearer than  $\beta$  to the solution of the equation, and is still too large.

296. As in the solution of Example 248 we get

$$\tan \alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sec \alpha = \frac{\sin \theta + \sqrt{-1} k \cos \theta}{\cos \theta - \sqrt{-1} k \sin \theta};$$

therefore  $(\tan \alpha + \sqrt{-1} \sec \alpha)(\cos \theta - \sqrt{-1} k \sin \theta) = \sin \theta + \sqrt{-1} k \cos \theta$ ;

therefore  $\sin \theta = \tan \alpha \cos \theta + k \sin \theta \sec \alpha$ ,

and  $k \cos \theta = \sec \alpha \cos \theta - k \sin \theta \tan \alpha$ ;

therefore  $(\sin \theta - \tan \alpha \cos \theta)(\cos \theta + \sin \theta \tan \alpha) = \sin \theta \cos \theta \sec^2 \alpha$ ;

therefore  $\sin \theta \cos \theta (1 - \sec^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \alpha) = \tan \alpha (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta)$ ;

therefore  $-\tan \alpha = \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \cot 2\theta$ .

Hence  $\cot 2\theta = \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha \right)$ ; therefore  $2\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha$ .

And  $k = \frac{\sin \theta - \tan \alpha \cos \theta}{\sin \theta \sec \alpha} = \frac{\sin(\theta - \alpha)}{\sin \theta}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{1+k}{1-k} = \frac{\sin(\theta - \alpha) + \sin \theta}{\sin \theta - \sin(\theta - \alpha)} = \tan \left( \theta - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$ .

Now  $\tan \left( \theta - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) = \tan \left( \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \pm 1$ ;

thus  $\frac{1+k}{1-k} = \pm \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$ , that is  $e^{2\phi} = \pm \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$ .

297. When the figure is constructed it will be found to have ten sides, five of which are respectively equal to the other five.

The sum of five sides will be found to be

$$2r \{ \sin 30^\circ + \sin 6^\circ + \sin 24^\circ + \sin 12^\circ + \sin 18^\circ \};$$

and by Art. 303 this =  $\frac{2r \sin (6^\circ + 12^\circ) \sin 15^\circ}{\sin 3^\circ} = \frac{2r \sin 18^\circ \sin 15^\circ}{\sin 3^\circ}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 298. \quad \text{The first term} &= \frac{\cos \theta (1 + \cos \theta)}{1 - \cos 3\theta} = \frac{\cos \theta (1 + \cos \theta)}{(1 - \cos \theta) (1 + 2 \cos \theta)^2} \\ &= \frac{\cos \theta (1 + \cos \theta) + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}}{(1 - \cos \theta) (1 + 2 \cos \theta)^2} = \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{1 - \cos \theta} - \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{(1 - \cos \theta) (1 + 2 \cos \theta)} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{1 - \cos \theta} - \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{1 - \cos 3\theta}. \end{aligned}$$

Each term is to be resolved into two in this manner; so that the sum

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta} - \frac{1}{1 - \cos 3^n \theta} \right\}.$$

299. Put  $\beta$  for  $\frac{\pi}{n}$ . The first perpendicular =  $r \sin \phi$ , the second perpendicular =  $r \sin (\phi + \beta)$ , the third =  $r \sin (\phi + 2\beta)$ , and so on. Hence the product =  $r^n \sin \phi \sin (\phi + \beta) \sin (\phi + 2\beta) \dots \sin (\phi + n\beta - \beta)$ ;

and this by Art. 318 =  $\frac{r^n}{2^{n-1}} \sin n\phi$ .

300. Let  $r$  denote the radius. When all the stones are taken to the centre each stone is carried over a length  $r$ , so that the labour may be denoted by  $nr$ . When all the stones are taken to the position of one stone the labour in like manner may be represented by the sum of the straight lines drawn from one corner of the polygon to all the other corners.

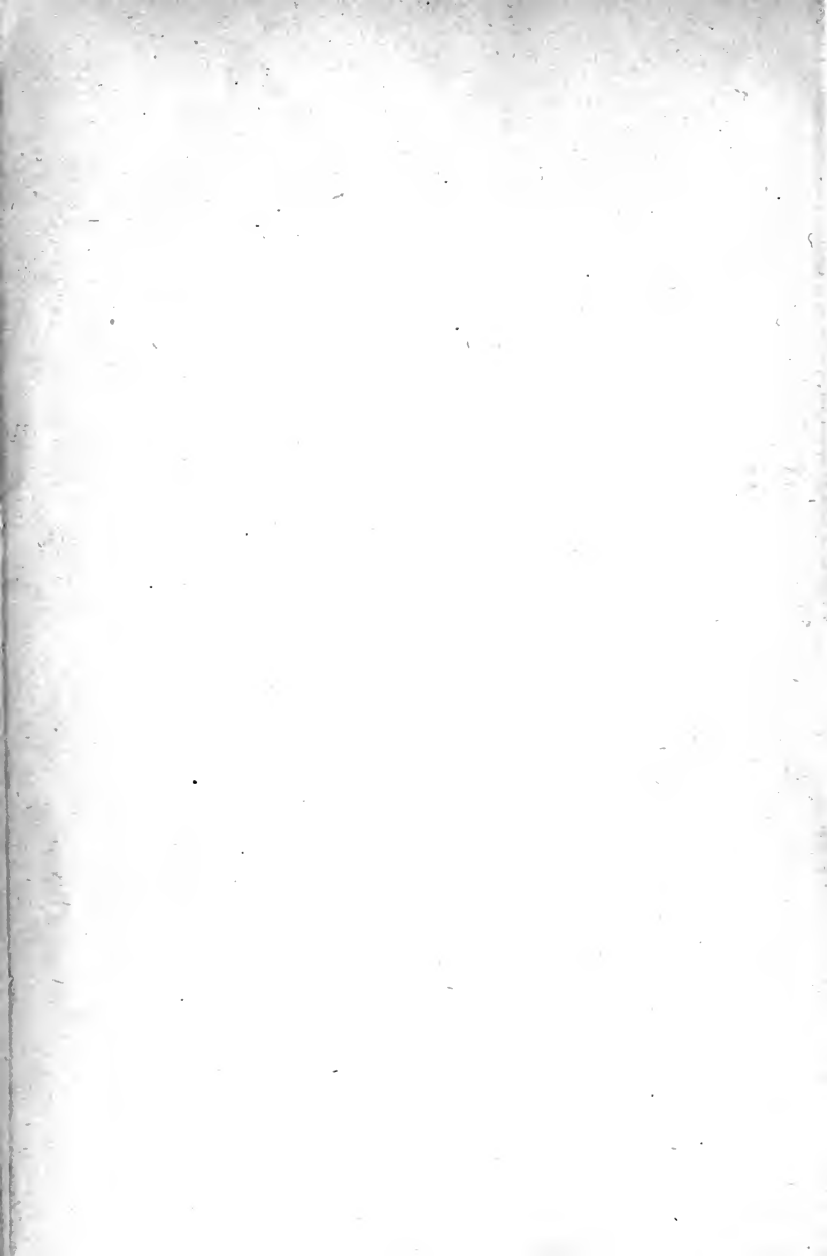
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } \beta &= \frac{\pi}{n}: \text{ then this sum} \\ &= 2r \{ \sin \beta + \sin 2\beta + \sin 3\beta + \dots + \sin n\beta \} \\ &= \frac{2r \sin \left( \beta + \frac{n-1}{2} \beta \right) \sin \frac{n\beta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\beta}{2}} = \frac{2r \sin \frac{n+1}{2} \beta}{\sin \frac{\beta}{2}} = 2r \cot \frac{\beta}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence the required ratio} = \frac{nr}{2r \cot \frac{\beta}{2}} = \frac{n}{2} \tan \frac{\beta}{2} = \frac{n}{2} \tan \frac{\pi}{2n}.$$

To find the value of this when  $n$  is indefinitely increased we put it in the

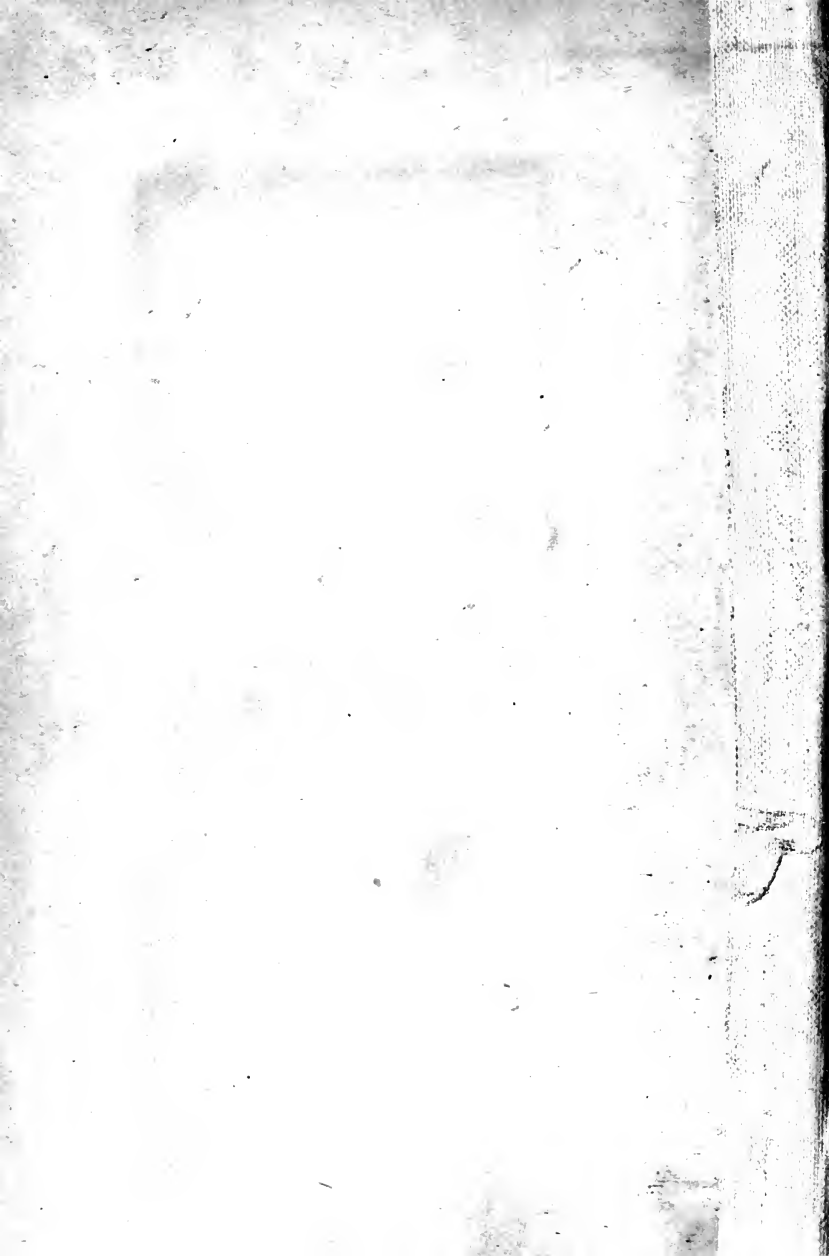
$$\text{form } \frac{\pi}{4} \frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{2n}}{\frac{\pi}{2n}}; \text{ then by Art. 118 the limit is } \frac{\pi}{4}.$$











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