## **COMPOUND ANGLES**

## **OBJECTIVES**

- If  $\sin A = \sin B$  and  $\cos A = \cos B$ , then
  - (a)  $\sin \frac{A-B}{2} = 0$
- (b)  $\sin \frac{A+B}{2} = 0$
- (c)  $\cos \frac{A-B}{2} = 0$
- (d)  $\cos(A+B)=0$
- $\cos^2 48^\circ \sin^2 12^\circ =$ 2.
  - (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$
- (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{8}$ 

  - (c)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{4}$  (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}$
- If  $\tan \alpha = \frac{m}{m+1}$  and  $\tan \beta = \frac{1}{2m+1}$ , then  $\alpha + \beta =$ 
  - (a)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

(b)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ 

(c)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ 

- (d) None of these
- If  $\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{4}{5}$ ,  $\sin(\alpha \beta) = \frac{5}{13}$  and  $\alpha, \beta$  lie between 0 and  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ , then  $\tan 2\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$ 
  - (a)  $\frac{16}{63}$
- (b)  $\frac{56}{33}$
- (c)  $\frac{28}{33}$
- (d) None of these
- If  $\tan A = -\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\tan B = -\frac{1}{3}$ , then A + B =

- (d) None of these
- The value of  $\sin 47^{\circ} + \sin 61^{\circ} \sin 11^{\circ} \sin 25^{\circ} =$ **6.** 
  - (a) sin 36°
- (b) cos 36°
- (c) sin 7°
- (d) cos 7°
- If  $A + B = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , then  $(1 + \tan A)(1 + \tan B) =$ 
  - (a) 1

- (b)2
- (c)∞
- (d) 2

- $\frac{1}{\sin 10^{\circ}} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\cos 10^{\circ}} =$ 
  - (a) 0

- (b) 1
- (c)2
- (d)4

$$9. \qquad \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \theta\right) - \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - \theta\right) =$$

- (a)  $\frac{1}{2}\cos 2\theta$
- (b) 0
- (c)  $-\frac{1}{2}\cos 2\theta$
- (d)  $\frac{1}{2}$

**10.** If 
$$m \tan(\theta - 30^{\circ}) = n \tan(\theta + 120^{\circ})$$
, then  $\frac{m+n}{m-n} = 10^{\circ}$ 

- (a)  $2\cos 2\theta$
- (b)  $\cos 2\theta$
- (c)  $2\sin 2\theta$
- (d)  $\sin 2\theta$

11. The value of 
$$\tan 20^{\circ} + 2 \tan 50^{\circ} - \tan 70^{\circ}$$
 is equal to

(a) 1

- (b)0
- (c) tan 50°
- (d) None of these

12. The value of 
$$\frac{\tan 70^{\circ} - \tan 20^{\circ}}{\tan 50^{\circ}} =$$

(a) 1

(b) 2

(c) 3

(d)0

**13.** If 
$$b \sin \alpha = a \sin(\alpha + 2\beta)$$
, then  $\frac{a+b}{a-b} =$ 

- (a)  $\frac{\tan \beta}{\tan(\alpha + \beta)}$
- (b)  $\frac{\cot \beta}{\cot(\alpha \beta)}$
- (c)  $\frac{-\cot \beta}{\cot(\alpha+\beta)}$
- (d)  $\frac{\cot \beta}{\cot(\alpha + \beta)}$

14. If 
$$\frac{\sin A - \sin C}{\cos C - \cos A} = \cot B$$
, then  $A, B, C$  are in

- (a) A.P.
- (b) G.P.
- (c) H.P.
- (d) None of these

**15.** 
$$\cos A + \cos(240^{\circ} + A) + \cos(240^{\circ} - A) =$$

- (a)  $\cos A$
- (b)0
- (c)  $\sqrt{3} \sin A$
- (d)  $\sqrt{3} \cos A$

**16.** 
$$\sin(\beta + \gamma - \alpha) + \sin(\gamma + \alpha - \beta) + \sin(\alpha + \beta - \gamma) - \sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) =$$

- (a)  $2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma$
- (b)  $4 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma$
- (c)  $\sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma$
- (d)None of these

- **17.** The value of  $\sin \frac{\pi}{16} \sin \frac{3\pi}{16} \sin \frac{5\pi}{16} \sin \frac{7\pi}{16}$  is
  - (a)  $\frac{1}{16}$
- (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{16}$

- (c)  $\frac{1}{8}$
- (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{8}$
- **18.**  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 (\alpha + 120^\circ) + \cos^2 (\alpha 120^\circ)$  is equal to
  - (a) 3/2
- (b) 1
- (c) 1/2
- (d)0
- 19.  $\cos^2 76^\circ + \cos^2 16^\circ \cos 76^\circ \cos 16^\circ =$ 
  - (a) 1/4
- (b) 1/2

(c)0

- (d) 3/4
- **20.**  $\frac{\sin(B+A) + \cos(B-A)}{\sin(B-A) + \cos(B+A)} =$ 
  - (a)  $\frac{\cos B + \sin B}{\cos B \sin B}$ 
    - (b)  $\frac{\cos A + \sin A}{\cos A \sin A}$
  - (c)  $\frac{\cos A \sin A}{\cos A + \sin A}$
- (d) None of these
- **21.**  $\cos \frac{2\pi}{15} \cos \frac{4\pi}{15} \cos \frac{8\pi}{15} \cos \frac{16\pi}{15} =$ 
  - (a) 1/2
- (b) 1/4
- (c) 1/8
- (d) 1/16
- **22.**  $\cos \alpha . \sin(\beta \gamma) + \cos \beta . \sin(\gamma \alpha) + \cos \gamma . \sin(\alpha \beta) =$ 
  - (a) 0

(b) 1/2

(c) 1

- (d)  $4\cos\alpha\cos\beta\cos\gamma$
- **23.** If  $\sin A + \sin 2A = x$  and  $\cos A + \cos 2A = y$ , then  $(x^2 + y^2)(x^2 + y^2 3) = x^2 + y^2 +$ 
  - (a) 2y
- (b)

- (c) 3y
- (d) None of these
- **24.** If  $\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13}$ ,  $(0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2})$  and  $\cos \phi = -\frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\left(\pi < \phi < \frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$ . Then  $\sin(\theta + \phi)$  will be
  - (a)  $\frac{-56}{61}$
- (b)  $\frac{-56}{65}$
- (c)  $\frac{1}{65}$
- (d) 56

- 25.  $\sin 12^{\circ} \sin 24^{\circ} \sin 48^{\circ} \sin 84^{\circ} =$ 
  - (a)  $\cos 20^{\circ} \cos 40^{\circ} \cos 60^{\circ} \cos 80^{\circ}$
- (b)  $\sin 20^{\circ} \sin 40^{\circ} \sin 60^{\circ} \sin 80^{\circ}$

(c)  $\frac{3}{15}$ 

(d) None of these

- **26.** If  $\cos A = m \cos B$ , then
  - (a)  $\cot \frac{A+B}{2} = \frac{m+1}{m-1} \tan \frac{B-A}{2}$

(b)  $\tan \frac{A+B}{2} = \frac{m+1}{m-1} \cot \frac{B-A}{2}$ 

(c)  $\cot \frac{A+B}{2} = \frac{m+1}{m-1} \tan \frac{A-B}{2}$ 

- (d) None of these
- 27. The expression  $2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}.\cos\frac{9\pi}{13}+\cos\frac{3\pi}{13}+\cos\frac{5\pi}{13}$  is equal to
  - (a) 1
- (b)0

(c) 1

- (d) None of these
- **28.**  $\sin 36^{\circ} \sin 72^{\circ} \sin 108^{\circ} \sin 144^{\circ} =$ 
  - (a) 1/4
- (b) 1/16
- (c) 3/4
- (d)5/16
- **29.** The sum  $S = \sin \theta + \sin 2\theta + \dots + \sin n\theta$ , equals
  - (a)  $\sin \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \sin \frac{1}{2}n\theta / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$

(b)  $\cos \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \sin \frac{1}{2}n\theta / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ 

(c)  $\sin \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \cos \frac{1}{2}n\theta / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ 

(d)  $\cos \frac{1}{2}(n+1)\theta \cos \frac{1}{2}n\theta / \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$ 

- 30.  $\frac{\cos 10^{\circ} + \sin 10^{\circ}}{\cos 10^{\circ} \sin 10^{\circ}} =$ 
  - (a) tan 55°
- (b) cot 55°
- (c)  $-\tan 35^{\circ}$
- (d) cot 35°
- 31. If  $\tan \alpha$  equals the integral solution of the inequality  $4x^2 16x + 15 < 0$  and  $\cos \beta$  equals to the slope of the bisector of first quadrant, then  $\sin(\alpha + \beta)\sin(\alpha \beta)$  is equal to
  - (a)  $\frac{3}{5}$

- (b)  $-\frac{3}{5}$
- (c)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$
- (d)  $\frac{4}{5}$
- 32.  $\frac{\cos 9^\circ + \sin 9^\circ}{\cos 9^\circ \sin 9^\circ} =$ 
  - (a) tan 54°
- (b) tan 36°
- (c)  $\tan 18^{\circ}$
- (d) None of these

33. 
$$\cos^2 22 \frac{1}{2}^0 - \cos^2 52 \frac{1}{2}^0 =$$

a) 
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{4\sqrt{2}}$$

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 b)  $\frac{-(\sqrt{3}+1)}{4\sqrt{2}}$  c)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{4\sqrt{2}}$  d)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{8}$ 

c) 
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{4\sqrt{2}}$$

d) 
$$\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{8}$$

$$34. \quad \frac{\cos 72^0}{\sin^2 24^0 - \sin^2 6^0} =$$

b) 2

c) 3

d) 4

35. 
$$\tan 30^0 + \tan 15^0 + \tan 30^0 \tan 15^0 =$$

a) 0

- b) 1
- c)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}+1}$
- d)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+1}$

36. If 
$$\cos(A+B) = 4/5$$
,  $\sin(A-B) = 5/13$  and A+B, A-B are acute, then  $\tan 2A = -1$ 

- a) 33/56
- b) 56/33
- c) 16/63
- d) 63/16

37. In triangle ABC, 
$$\sum \frac{\cot A + \cot B}{\tan A + \tan B} =$$

1) 1

- 2) 1/2
- 3) -1
- 4)  $2 \text{ If } \cos x + \cos y = 1/2$ ,

38. 
$$\sin x + \sin y = 1/3$$
, then the value of  $\cos(x-y) =$ 

1) 
$$\frac{59}{72}$$

2) 
$$-\frac{59}{72}$$
 3)  $\frac{59}{2}$ 

3) 
$$\frac{59}{2}$$

4) - 
$$\frac{59}{2}$$

39. If 
$$tanA - tanB = x$$
,  $cotB - cotA = y$ , then  $cot(A-B) =$ 

1) 
$$\frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{x}$$

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 2)  $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}$  3)  $\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y}$ 

$$3) \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y}$$

$$4) x + y$$

40. I: In 
$$\triangle$$
 ABC, if cot A + cot B + cot C =  $\sqrt{3}$ , then the triangle is equilateral.

II: 
$$\mathbf{f}(\theta) = \frac{\cot \theta}{1 + \cot \theta}$$
 and  $\alpha + \beta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$ , then  $\mathbf{f}(\alpha)$   $\mathbf{f}(\beta) = \frac{1}{2}$ 

1) Only I is true

2) Only II is true

3) Both I & II are true

4) Neither I nor II are true

**41.** 
$$\tan \alpha + 2 \tan 2\alpha + 4 \tan 4\alpha + 8 \cot 8\alpha =$$

- (a)  $\tan \alpha$
- (b)  $\tan 2\alpha$
- (c)  $\cot \alpha$
- (d)  $\cot 2\alpha$

- $\sqrt{3}$  cosec 20° sec 20° =
  - (a) 2

 $2\sin 20^{\circ}$ 

(c)4

- $(d) \frac{4\sin 20^{\circ}}{\sin 40^{\circ}}$
- If  $a\cos 2\theta + b\sin 2\theta = c$  has  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  as its solution, then the value of  $\tan \alpha + \tan \beta$  is
  - (a)  $\frac{c+a}{2b}$
- (b)  $\frac{2b}{c+a}$
- (c)  $\frac{c-a}{2b}$
- (d)  $\frac{b}{c+a}$
- If  $a \sin^2 x + b \cos^2 x = c$ ,  $b \sin^2 y + a \cos^2 y = d$  and  $a \tan x = b \tan y$ , then  $\frac{a^2}{k^2}$  is equal to

  - (a)  $\frac{(b-c)(d-b)}{(a-d)(c-a)}$  (b)  $\frac{(a-d)(c-a)}{(b-c)(d-b)}$

  - (c)  $\frac{(d-a)(c-a)}{(b-c)(d-b)}$  (d)  $\frac{(b-c)(b-d)}{(a-c)(a-d)}$
- If tan(A + B) = p, tan(A B) = q, then the value of tan 2A in terms of p and q is
  - (a)  $\frac{p+q}{p-q}$
- (c)  $\frac{p+q}{1-pq}$
- (d)  $\frac{1+pq}{1-p}$
- **46.**  $\sin^4 \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin^4 \frac{3\pi}{8} + \sin^4 \frac{5\pi}{8} + \sin^4 \frac{7\pi}{8} =$

- If A + C = B, then  $\tan A \tan B \tan C =$ 
  - (a)  $\tan A \tan B + \tan C$
- (b)  $\tan B \tan C \tan A$
- (c)  $\tan A + \tan C \tan B$
- (d)  $-(\tan A \tan B + \tan C)$

## **COMPOUND ANGLES**

## HINTS AND SOLUTIONS

**1.** (a) 
$$\sin A = \sin B$$
 and  $\cos A = \cos B$ 

$$\frac{\sin A}{\sin B} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos B} \Rightarrow \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(A - B) = 0$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right) = 0.$$

**2. (b)** 
$$\cos^2 A - \sin^2 B = \cos(A + B) \cdot \cos(A - B)$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 48^o - \sin^2 12^o = \cos 60^o .\cos 36^o$$

$$=\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4}\right)=\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{8}.$$

**3. (b)** 
$$\tan \alpha = \frac{m}{m+1}$$
 **and**  $\tan \beta = \frac{1}{2m+1}$ 

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

$$=\frac{\frac{m}{m+1} + \frac{1}{2m+1}}{1 - \frac{m}{(m+1)} \frac{1}{(2m+1)}} = \frac{2m^2 + m + m + 1}{2m^2 + m + 2m + 1 - m}$$

$$= \frac{2m^2 + 2m + 1}{2m^2 + 2m + 1} = 1 \implies \tan(\alpha + \beta) = \tan\frac{\pi}{4}$$

Hence, 
$$\alpha + \beta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$
.

**4. (b)** 
$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{4}{5}$$
,  $\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{5}{13}$ 

$$\Rightarrow \sin(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{3}{5}$$
 and  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{12}{13}$ 

$$\Rightarrow 2\alpha = \sin^{-1}\frac{3}{5} + \sin^{-1}\frac{5}{13}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\alpha = \sin^{-1}\frac{3}{5} + \sin^{-1}\frac{5}{13}$$
$$= \sin^{-1}\left[\frac{3}{5}\sqrt{1 - \frac{25}{169}} + \frac{5}{13}\sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{25}}\right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\alpha = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{56}{65}\right) \Rightarrow \sin 2\alpha = \frac{56}{65}$$

$$\tan 2\alpha = \frac{\sin 2\alpha}{\cos 2\alpha} = \frac{56/65}{33/65} = \frac{56}{33}$$
.

**5. (b)** 
$$\tan A = -\frac{1}{2}$$
 **and**  $\tan B = -\frac{1}{3}$ 

$$\tan (A + B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3}} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan (A + B) = \tan \frac{3\pi}{4}$$
.

**6.** (d) 
$$\sin 47^{\circ} + \sin 61^{\circ} - (\sin 11^{\circ} + \sin 25^{\circ})$$

$$= 2 \sin 54^{\circ} \cos 7^{\circ} - 2 \sin 18^{\circ} \cos 7^{\circ}$$

$$= 2 \cos 7^{\circ} (\sin 54^{\circ} - \sin 18^{\circ})$$

$$= 2 \cos 7^{\circ}$$
 .  $2 \cos 36^{\circ}$  .  $\sin 18^{\circ}$ 

= 
$$4.\cos 7^{\circ}.\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4}.\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4} = \cos 7^{\circ}.$$

7. (b) 
$$A+B=\frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \tan{(A+B)} = \tan{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan A + \tan B + \tan A \tan B = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $(1 + \tan A)(1 + \tan B) = 2$ .

**8.** (d) 
$$\frac{1}{\sin 10^{\circ}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\cos 10^{\circ}}$$

$$= \frac{2\left(\frac{1}{2}\cos 10^{o} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\sin 10^{o}\right)}{\frac{2}{2}\left(=\frac{\cos 10^{o} - \sqrt{3}\sin 10^{o}}{\sin 10^{o}\cos 10^{o}}\sin 10^{o}\cos 10^{o}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{4 \sin(30^{\circ} - 10^{\circ})}{\sin 20^{\circ}} = \frac{4 \sin 20^{\circ}}{\sin 20^{\circ}} = 4.$$

9. (a) 
$$\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \theta\right) - \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - \theta\right)$$

$$= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \theta + \frac{\pi}{6} - \theta\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \theta - \frac{\pi}{6} + \theta\right)$$
$$= \cos\frac{2\pi}{6}\cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}\cos 2\theta.$$

$$= \cos \frac{2\pi}{6} \cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta.$$

**10.** (a) 
$$\frac{m}{n} = \frac{\tan(120^{\circ} + \theta)}{\tan(\theta - 30^{\circ})}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m+n}{m-n} = \frac{\tan(\theta + 120^{\circ}) + \tan(\theta - 30^{\circ})}{\tan(\theta + 120^{\circ}) - \tan(\theta - 30^{\circ})}$$

(By componendo and dividendo)

11. (b)  $\tan 20^{\circ} + 2 \tan 50^{\circ} - \tan 70^{\circ}$ 

$$= \frac{\sin 20^{\circ}}{\cos 20^{\circ}} - \frac{\sin 70^{\circ}}{\cos 70^{\circ}} + 2 \tan 50^{\circ}$$

Simplify

12. (b) same as above

**13.** (c) 
$$b \sin \alpha = a \sin(\alpha + 2\beta) \Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin(\alpha + 2\beta)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a+b}{a-b} = \frac{\sin \alpha + \sin (\alpha + 2\beta)}{\sin \alpha - \sin (\alpha + 2\beta)} = \frac{2\sin (\alpha + \beta)\cos \beta}{-2\cos (\alpha + \beta)\sin \beta}$$

**14.** (a) 
$$\frac{\sin A - \sin C}{\cos C - \cos A} = \cot B \Longrightarrow \frac{2\cos\frac{A+C}{2}\sin\frac{A-C}{2}}{2\sin\frac{A+C}{2}\sin\frac{A-C}{2}} = \cot B$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \frac{(A+C)}{2} = \cot B \implies B = \frac{A+C}{2}$$

Thus A, B, C are in A.P.

**15.** (b) 
$$\cos A + \cos (240^{\circ} + A) + \cos (240^{\circ} - A)$$

$$= \cos A + 2\cos 240^{\circ}\cos A$$

$$= \cos A\{1 + 2\cos(180^{\circ} + 60^{\circ})\} = \cos A\left\{1 + 2\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\right\}$$

=0.

**16.** (b) L.H.S. = 
$$2 \sin \gamma \cos(\beta - \alpha) + 2 \sin(-\gamma)\cos(\alpha + \beta)$$

$$= 2\sin\gamma[\cos(\beta - \alpha) - \cos(\alpha + \beta)]$$

= 
$$2 \sin \gamma . 2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta = 4 \sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma$$
.

17. (b) 
$$\sin \frac{\pi}{16} \cdot \sin \frac{3\pi}{16} \cdot \sin \frac{5\pi}{16} \cdot \sin \frac{7\pi}{16}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{16} \sin \frac{3\pi}{16} \cdot 2 \sin \frac{5\pi}{16} \sin \frac{7\pi}{16} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{8} - \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{8} - \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) \right]$$

$$=\frac{1}{4}\left[\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{8}-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{8}+\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \left( \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \right) \right] = \frac{1}{8} \left[ 2 \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{8} - 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left[ \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \right] = \frac{1}{8} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{16}.$$

18. (a) 
$$\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 (\alpha + 120^\circ) + \cos^2 (\alpha - 120^\circ)$$

$$= \cos^{2} \alpha + \left\{\cos (\alpha + 120^{\circ}) + \cos (\alpha - 120^{\circ})\right\}^{2} - 2\cos (\alpha + 120^{\circ})\cos (\alpha - 120^{\circ})$$

$$= \cos^{2} \alpha + \left\{2\cos \alpha \cos 120^{\circ}\right\}^{2} - 2\left\{\cos^{2} \alpha - \sin^{2} 120^{\circ}\right\}$$

$$= \cos^{2} \alpha + \cos^{2} \alpha - 2\cos^{2} \alpha + 2\sin^{2} 120^{\circ}$$

$$= 2\sin^{2} 120^{\circ} = 2 \times \frac{3}{4} = \frac{3}{2}.$$

**19.** (d) 
$$\cos^2 76^\circ + \cos^2 16^\circ - \cos 76^\circ \cos 16^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 + \cos 152^{\circ} + 1 + \cos 32^{\circ} - \cos 92^{\circ} - \cos 60^{\circ} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ 2 - \frac{1}{2} + \cos 152^{\circ} + \cos 32^{\circ} - \cos 92^{\circ} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{3}{2} + 2\cos 92^{\circ} \cos 60^{\circ} - \cos 92^{\circ} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{3}{2} + \cos 92^{\circ} - \cos 92^{\circ} \right] = \frac{3}{4}.$$

**20.** (b) 
$$\frac{\sin(B+A) + \cos(B-A)}{\sin(B-A) + \cos(B+A)}$$

$$= \frac{\sin(B+A) + \sin(90^{\circ} - \overline{B-A})}{\sin(B-A) + \sin(90^{\circ} - \overline{A+B})}$$

$$= \frac{2\sin(A + 45^{\circ})\cos(45^{\circ} - B)}{2\sin(45^{\circ} - A)\cos(45^{\circ} - B)}$$

$$= \frac{\sin(A + 45^{\circ})}{\sin(45^{\circ} - A)} = \frac{\cos A + \sin A}{\cos A - \sin A}$$

**21.** (d) 
$$\cos \frac{2\pi}{15} \cos \frac{4\pi}{15} \cos \frac{8\pi}{15} \cos \frac{16\pi}{15}$$

$$= \frac{\sin 2^4 \frac{2\pi}{15}}{2^4 \sin \frac{2\pi}{15}} = \frac{\sin \frac{32\pi}{15}}{16 \sin \frac{2\pi}{15}} = \frac{1}{16} \frac{\sin \frac{2\pi}{15}}{\sin \frac{2\pi}{15}} = \frac{1}{16}.$$

**22.** (a) 
$$\cos \alpha \sin(\beta - \gamma) + \cos \alpha \sin(\gamma - \alpha) + \cos \gamma \sin(\alpha - \beta)$$

Put 
$$\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 60^{\circ} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(0) + \frac{1}{2}(0) + \frac{1}{2}(0) = 0$$
.

23. (a) Squaring and adding, we get

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1 + 1 + 2\cos(2A - A)$$

$$\therefore \frac{x^2 + y^2 - 2}{2} = \cos A \qquad \qquad \dots (i)$$

Also 
$$\cos A + 2\cos^2 A - 1 = y$$

Or 
$$(\cos A + 1)(2\cos A - 1) = y$$

Put for cos A from (i) and get the answer.

**24.** (b) 
$$\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13} \cos \theta = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{12}{13}\right)^2} = \frac{5}{13}$$

and 
$$\cos \phi = \frac{-3}{5}$$
,  $\sin \phi = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{25}} = \frac{-4}{5}$ ,  $\left[\because \pi < \phi < \frac{3\pi}{2}\right]$ 

 $\sin(\theta + \phi) = \sin\theta \cdot \cos\phi + \cos\theta \cdot \sin\phi$ 

$$= \left(\frac{12}{13}\right) \left(\frac{-3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{5}{13}\right) \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right) = \frac{-36}{65} - \frac{20}{65} = \frac{-56}{65}$$

**25.** (a)  $\sin 12^{\circ} \sin 24^{\circ} \sin 48^{\circ} \sin 84^{\circ}$ 

$$= \frac{1}{4} (2 \sin 12^o \sin 48^o) (2 \sin 24^o \sin 84^o)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\cos 36^{\circ} - \cos 60^{\circ}) (\cos 60^{\circ} - \cos 108^{\circ})$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left( \cos 36^{\circ} - \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2} + \sin 18^{\circ} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \frac{1}{4} (\sqrt{5} + 1) - \frac{1}{2} \right\} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} (\sqrt{5} - 1) \right\} = \frac{1}{16}$$

And  $\cos 20^{\circ} \cos 40^{\circ} \cos 60 \cos 80^{\circ}$ 

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \cos (60^{\circ} - 20^{\circ}) \cos 20^{\circ} \cos (60^{\circ} + 20^{\circ}) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{4} \cos 3 (20^{\circ}) \right] = \frac{1}{8} \cos 60^{\circ} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{16}.$$

**26.** (a) 
$$\cos A = m \cos B \Rightarrow \frac{m}{1} = \frac{\cos A}{\cos B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m+1}{m-1} = \frac{\cos A + \cos B}{\cos A - \cos B} = \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{B-A}{2}\right)}{2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{B-A}{2}\right)}$$

$$=\cot\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cot\left(\frac{B-A}{2}\right)$$

Hence, 
$$\cot\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right) = \frac{m+1}{m-1}\tan\frac{B-A}{2}$$
.

**27.** (b) 
$$2\cos\frac{\pi}{13} \cdot \cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{3\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{5\pi}{13}$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}.\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\cos\frac{\pi}{13}$$

$$=2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\left[\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\right]$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13} \left[ 2\cos\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \cos\frac{5\pi}{26} \right] = 0 ,$$

$$= \sin^2 36^{\circ} \sin^2 72^{\circ} = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ 2 \sin^2 36^{\circ} \right\} (2 \sin^2 72^{\circ}) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ (1 - \cos 72^{\circ}) (1 - \cos 144^{\circ}) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ 1 - \sin 18^{\circ} \right) (1 + \cos 36^{\circ}) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{4} \right) \right] = \frac{20}{16} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{5}{16} .$$

**29.** (a) 
$$S = \sin \theta + \sin 2\theta + \sin 3\theta + \dots + \sin n\theta$$

$$\sin \theta + \sin(\theta + \beta) + \sin(\theta + 2\beta) + \dots n \text{ term}$$

$$= \frac{\sin\frac{n\beta}{2}}{\sin\frac{\beta}{2}}\sin\left[\frac{\theta+\theta+(n-1)\beta}{2}\right]$$

Put 
$$\beta = \theta$$
, then  $S = \frac{\sin \frac{n\theta}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{\theta(n+1)}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}$ .

**30.** (a) 
$$\frac{\cos 10^{\circ} + \sin 10^{\circ}}{\cos 10^{\circ} - \sin 10^{\circ}} = \tan(45^{\circ} + 10^{\circ}) = \tan 55^{\circ}$$
.

**31.** (d) We have 
$$4x^2 - 16x + 15 < 0 \Rightarrow \frac{3}{2} < x < \frac{5}{2}$$

:. Integral solution of  $4x^2 - 16x + 15 < 0$  is x = 2.

Thus  $\tan \alpha = 2$ . It is given that  $\cos \beta = \tan 45^{\circ} = 1$ 

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

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \cot^2 \alpha} - (1 - \cos^2 \beta) = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{4}} - 0 = \frac{4}{5}.$$

32. (a) 
$$\frac{1 + \tan 9^{\circ}}{1 - \tan 9^{\circ}} = \tan (45^{\circ} + 9^{\circ}) = \tan 54^{\circ}$$
.

**41.** (c) 
$$\tan \alpha + 2 \tan 2\alpha + 4 \tan 4\alpha + 8 \cot 8\alpha$$

$$= \tan \alpha + 2 \tan 2\alpha + 4 \left[ \frac{\sin 4\alpha}{\cos 4\alpha} + 2 \frac{\cos 8\alpha}{\sin 8\alpha} \right]$$

**42.** (c) 
$$\sqrt{3}$$
cosec  $20^{\circ}$  – sec  $20^{\circ}$  =  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sin 20^{\circ}}$  –  $\frac{1}{\cos 20^{\circ}}$ 

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}\cos 20^{\circ} - \sin 20^{\circ}}{\sin 20^{\circ}\cos 20^{\circ}} = \frac{2\left[\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\cos 20^{\circ} - \frac{1}{2}\sin 20^{\circ}\right]}{\frac{2}{2}\sin 20^{\circ}\cos 20^{\circ}}$$

$$= \frac{4\cos(20^\circ + 30^\circ)}{\sin 40^\circ} = \frac{4\cos 50^\circ}{\sin 40^\circ} = \frac{4\sin 40^\circ}{\sin 40^\circ} = 4.$$

**43.** (b) 
$$a\cos 2\theta + b\sin 2\theta = c$$

$$\implies a \left( \frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) + b \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = c$$

$$\Rightarrow a - a \tan^2 \theta + 2b \tan \theta = c + c \tan^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $-(a+c)\tan^2\theta + 2b\tan\theta + (a-c) = 0$ 

$$\therefore \tan \alpha + \tan \beta = -\frac{2b}{-(c+a)} = \frac{2b}{c+a} .$$

**44.** (b) 
$$a \sin^2 x + b \cos^2 x = c \Rightarrow (b-a)\cos^2 x = c-a$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $(b-a) = (c-a)(1 + \tan^2 x)$ 

$$b \sin^2 y + a \cos^2 y = d \Rightarrow (a-b)\cos^2 y = d-b$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $(a-b) = (d-b)(1 + \tan^2 y)$ 

$$\therefore \tan^2 x = \frac{b-c}{c-a}, \tan^2 y = \frac{a-d}{d-b}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\tan^2 x}{\tan^2 y} = \frac{(b-c)(d-b)}{(c-a)(a-d)} \qquad \qquad \dots (i)$$

But 
$$a \tan x = b \tan y$$
, i.e.,  $\frac{\tan x}{\tan y} = \frac{b}{a}$  .....(ii)

From (i) and (ii), 
$$\frac{b^2}{a^2} = \frac{(b-c)(d-b)}{(c-a)(a-d)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{b^2} = \frac{(c-a)(a-d)}{(b-c)(d-b)}.$$

**45.** (c) 
$$2A = (A + B) + (A - B)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2A = \frac{\tan(A+B) + \tan(A-B)}{1 - \tan(A+B)\tan(A-B)} = \frac{p+q}{1-pq}.$$

**47.** (b) 
$$B = A + C \Rightarrow \tan B = \tan(A + C)$$

$$\implies \tan B = \frac{\tan A + \tan C}{1 - \tan A \tan C}$$

 $\Rightarrow$  tan A tan B tan C = tan B - tan A - tan C.