

Chapter 8: Inverse Circular Functions

Exercise 8

1. Solution:

a. Let $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \theta$

$$\text{Then, } \sin\theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sin\frac{\theta}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\theta}{4}$$

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

b. Let $\operatorname{cosec}^{-1}(2) = \theta$

$$\text{Then } \operatorname{cosec}\theta = 2$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin\theta} = 2$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin\theta = \sin\frac{\theta}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\theta}{6}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^{-1}(2) = \frac{\theta}{6}$$

c. Let $\cot^{-1}(-\sqrt{3}) = \theta$

$$\text{Then } \cot\theta = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \tan\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan\theta = \tan\frac{5\theta}{6}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

d. Let $\arctan\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \theta$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

e. Let $\sec^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \theta$

$$\text{Then, } \sec\theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos\theta = \cos\frac{\pi}{6}$$

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

$$\therefore \sec^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

2. Evaluate:

a. $\cos\left(\tan^{-1}\frac{3}{4}\right)$

$$\text{Let } \tan^{-1}\frac{3}{4} = \theta$$

$$\tan\theta = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cos\left(\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\right) = \cos\theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

b. $\sin(\cot^{-1} x)$

$$\text{Let } \cot^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\therefore \cot\theta = x$$

$$\sin(\cot^{-1} x)$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{p}{h} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

c. $\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$

d. $\tan^{-1}\left(\tan\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$

e. $\cos(2\cot^{-1} x)$

$$\text{Let } \cot^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\therefore \cot\theta = x$$

$$\text{Now, } \cos(2\cot^{-1} x)$$

$$= \cos 2\theta$$

$$= \frac{\cot^2\theta - 1}{\cot^2\theta + 1} = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 1}$$

f. $\sin(2 \arctan x)$

$$= \sin(2 \tan^{-1} x)$$

$$\text{Let } \tan^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\tan\theta = x$$

$$\sin(2 \tan^{-1} x) = \sin 2\theta$$

$$= \frac{2\tan\theta}{1+\tan^2\theta} = \frac{2x}{1+x^2}$$

3. Solution:

a. $\cos\left[\sin^{-1}\frac{4}{5} + \tan^{-1}\frac{5}{12}\right]$

$$\text{Let } \sin^{-1}\frac{4}{5} = A$$

$$\therefore \sin A = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 A} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{and } \tan^{-1}\frac{5}{12} = B$$

$$\therefore \tan B = \frac{5}{12}$$

$$\text{Now, } \cos \left[\sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5} + \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{12} \right]$$

$$= \cos(A + B)$$

$$= \cos A \cdot \cos B - \sin A \cdot \sin B$$

$$= \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{12}{13} - \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{5}{13}$$

$$= \frac{36 - 20}{65}$$

$$= \frac{16}{65}$$

$$\text{b. } \tan [\tan^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} 2y]$$

$$= \tan \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2y}{1 + x \cdot 2y} \right) \right] \quad \left[\tan^{-1} A - \tan^{-1} B = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{A - B}{1 + AB} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{x - 2y}{1 + 2xy}$$

$$\text{c. } \sin^{-1} x - \cos^{-1} (-x)$$

$$\sin^{-1} x - (\pi - \cos^{-1} x)$$

$$= \sin^{-1} x - \pi + \cos^{-1} x$$

$$= \sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x - \pi$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \pi \Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{d. Let } \sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5} = A$$

$$\sin A = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\therefore \cos A = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{and } \cot^{-1} 3 = B$$

$$\cot B = 3$$

$$\therefore \sin B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \quad \cos B = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$\text{Now, } \sin \left(\sin^{-1} \frac{4}{5} + \cot^{-1} 3 \right)$$

$$\sin(A + B)$$

$$= \sin A \cdot \cos B + \cos A \cdot \sin B$$

$$= \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} + \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$= \frac{15}{5\sqrt{10}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$\text{e. Let } \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} = A$$

$$\text{and } \tan^{-1} \frac{2}{3} = B$$

$$\therefore \cos A = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\tan B = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\sin A = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\sin B = \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}} \quad \text{and } \cos B = \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \tan \left[\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} + \tan^{-1} \frac{2}{3} \right] \\ = \tan (A + B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \cdot \tan B} = \frac{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{2}{3}}{1 - \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{9+8}{12}}{\frac{12-6}{12}} = \frac{17}{6} \end{aligned}$$

4. Solution:

- a. Prove that
- $\sin^{-1} (3x - 4x^3) = 3 \sin^{-1} x$

$$\text{Let } x = \sin \theta \text{ then } \sin^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS } \sin^{-1} (3x - 4x^3) &= \sin^{-1} (3\sin \theta - 4\sin^3 \theta) = \sin^{-1} (\sin 3\theta) = 3\theta \\ &= 3\theta \\ &= 3\sin^{-1} x \text{ RHS} \end{aligned}$$

- b.
- $\cos^{-1} (4x^3 - 3x) = 3\cos^{-1} x$

$$\text{Let } x = \cos \theta$$

$$\therefore \cos^{-1} x = \theta$$

Taking LHS:

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^{-1} (4x^3 - 3x) &= \cos^{-1} (4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta) = \cos^{-1} (\cos^3 \theta) \\ &= 3\theta \\ &= 3\cos^{-1} x \text{ RHS} \end{aligned}$$

- c.
- $\tan^{-1} 2 - \tan^{-1} 1 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)$

$$\text{LHS } \tan^{-1} 2 = \tan^{-1} 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{(2-1)}{1+2 \cdot 1} \right) \quad \left[\because \tan^{-1} A - \tan^{-1} B = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{A-B}{1+AB} \right) \right] \\ &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) \text{ RHS} \end{aligned}$$

- d.
- $\sec^{-1} x + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\text{Let } \sec^{-1} x = \theta \text{ then } x = \sec \theta$$

$$x = \operatorname{cosec} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta \right)$$

$$\operatorname{cosec}^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sec^{-1} x + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

- e.
- $\tan^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} x \frac{2x}{1+x^2}$

$$\text{Let } x = \tan \theta$$

$$\therefore \tan^{-1} x = \theta$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{2\tan \theta}{1+\tan^2 \theta} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} (\sin^2 \theta)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\theta$$

$$= \theta$$

$$= \tan^{-1} x$$

$$f. \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{LHS} \left(\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} \right) + \left(\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} \right)$$

$$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5}}{1 - \frac{1}{15}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{8}}{1 - \frac{1}{56}} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{8}{14} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{15}{55} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{4}{7} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{11} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{4}{7} + \frac{3}{11}}{1 - \frac{12}{77}} \right) \Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{65}{65} \right) = \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$g. \cot^{-1} 3 + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} \sqrt{4}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} \sqrt{5} \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

$$\text{Let } \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} \sqrt{5} = \theta \text{ then, } \operatorname{cosec} \theta = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\therefore \frac{h}{p} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{1}$$

$$\therefore h = \sqrt{5}, p = 1 \text{ then } b = 2$$

from fig.

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\operatorname{cosec}^{-1} \sqrt{5} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$$

from (i),

$$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{6}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{5}{6}}{\frac{5}{6}} \right) = \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$h. \tan^{-1} \frac{m}{n} - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m-n}{m+n} \right)$$

$$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{m}{n} - \frac{m-n}{m+n}}{1 + \frac{m}{n} \cdot \left(\frac{m-n}{m+n} \right)} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{m^2 + mn - mn + n^2}{n(m+n)}}{\frac{mn + n^2 + m^2 - mn}{n(m+n)}} \right) = \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$i. \text{ Let } \cos^{-1} x = A \Rightarrow \cos A = x$$

$$\therefore \sin A = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$$

$$\cos^{-1} y = B \Rightarrow \cos B = y$$

$$\therefore \sin B = \sqrt{1 - y^2}$$

We know that,

$$\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cdot \cos B + \sin A \cdot \sin B$$

$$\cos(A - B) = x \cdot y + \sqrt{1 - x^2} \cdot \sqrt{1 - y^2}$$

$$\therefore A - B = \cos^{-1} (xy + \sqrt{1 - x^2} \cdot \sqrt{1 - y^2})$$

$$\cos^{-1} x = \cos^{-1} y = \cos^{-1} (xy + \sqrt{1 - x^2} \cdot \sqrt{1 - y^2})$$

j. We have,

$$\sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} + \sin^{-1} \frac{5}{13}$$

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

$$= \sin^{-1} \left\{ \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{12}{13} + \frac{5}{13} \cdot \frac{4}{5} \right\}$$

$$= \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{36}{65} + \frac{20}{65} \right)$$

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

k. Let $\sin^{-1} \frac{12}{13} = \theta$

and $\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} = \beta$

$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{12}{13}$$

$$\text{then } \cos \beta = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{12}{5}$$

$$\therefore \tan \beta = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{12}{5} \right)$$

$$\therefore \beta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)$$

$$\therefore \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{12}{13} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{12}{5} \right) \quad \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{4}{5} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)$$

$$\text{Now, } \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{12}{13} \right) + \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{4}{5} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right)$$

$$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{12}{5} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3}{4} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{12}{5} + \frac{3}{4}}{1 - \frac{36}{20}} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{-16} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-63}{16} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right)$$

$$= -\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{63}{16} \right) \quad [\because \tan^{-1} (-x) = -\tan^{-1} (x)]$$

$$= 0$$

l. $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \sec^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$

$$\text{Let } \sec^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) = \theta$$

$$\therefore \sec \theta = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{h}{b} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\therefore p = 1$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{p}{b} = \frac{1}{2}$$

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

$$\text{or, } \sec^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \sec^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \sec^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{6}} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

5. Solution:

a. $\cos^{-1} x = \sin^{-1} x = 0$

$$\cos^{-1} x = \sin^{-1} x$$

$$\text{or, } \sin^{-1} \sqrt{1-x^2} = \sin^{-1} x$$

$$\text{or, } \sqrt{1-x^2} = x$$

Squaring both sides

$$1 - x^2 = x^2$$

$$1 = 2x^2$$

$$\therefore x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

b. $\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2} = \cos^{-1} x$

$$\text{or, } \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2} = \sin^{-1} \sqrt{1-x^2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{x}{2} = \sqrt{1-x^2}$$

Squaring both sides

$$\text{or, } \frac{x^2}{4} = 1 - x^2$$

$$\text{or, } 5x^2 = 4$$

$$\therefore x = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

c. $\cos^{-1} x = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{2x}$

$$\therefore x = \frac{1}{2x}$$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

d. $\tan^{-1}x - \cot^{-1}x = 0$
 $\tan^{-1}x = \cot^{-1}x$

or, $\tan^{-1}x = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$

$$\therefore x = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\therefore x = \pm 1$$

e. $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x-1}{x-2}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+1}{x+2}\right) = \tan^{-1}1$

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

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

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x^2 - 4}{-3}\right) = \tan^{-1}1$$

$$\therefore \frac{2x^2 - 4}{-3} = 1$$

$$2x^2 - 4 = -3$$

$$2x^2 = 1$$

$$\therefore x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

f. $\sin^{-1}2x - \sin^{-1}\sqrt{3}x = \sin^{-1}x$

or, $\sin^{-1}2x - \sin^{-1}x = \sin^{-1}x\sqrt{3}$

$$\sin^{-1}\{2x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - x \cdot \sqrt{1-4x^2}\} = \sin^{-1}\sqrt{3}x$$

$$2x\sqrt{1-x^2} - x\sqrt{1-4x^2} = \sqrt{3}x$$

$$x(2\sqrt{1-x^2} - \sqrt{1-4x^2}) = \sqrt{3}x$$

$$\therefore x(2\sqrt{1-x^2} - \sqrt{1-4x^2} - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

Either $x = 0$

Or, $2\sqrt{1-x^2} - \sqrt{1-4x^2} - \sqrt{3} = 0$

$$2\sqrt{1-x^2} - \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{1-4x^2}$$

Squaring both sides, we get,

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, $x = 0, \frac{1}{2}$. Since $x > 0$, therefore required $x = \frac{1}{2}$

g. The given equation is

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

or, $3 \tan^{-1}(2 - \sqrt{3}) - \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{x} = \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{3}$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{3(2-\sqrt{3})(2-\sqrt{3})}{1-3(2-\sqrt{3})^2} \right\} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\therefore 3 \tan^{-1} x = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3x - x^3}{1 - 3x^2} \right)$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{12\sqrt{3}-20}{12\sqrt{3}-20} \right) - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} 1 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1 - \frac{1}{3}}{1 + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{3}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\therefore x = 2$$

$$\text{h. } \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{2a}{1+a^2} \right) - \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1-b^2}{1+b^2} \right) = 2 \tan^{-1} x$$

$$\text{or, } 2 \tan^{-1} a - 2 \tan^{-1} b = 2 \tan^{-1} x$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} a - \tan^{-1} b = \tan^{-1} x$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{a-b}{1+ab} \right) = \tan^{-1} x$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{a-b}{1+ab}$$

$$\text{i. } \tan^{-1} (x+1) + \tan^{-1} (x-1) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{8}{31} \right)$$

$$\text{or, } \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{x+1+x-1}{1-(x+1)(x-1)} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{8}{31} \right)$$

$$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2+1} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{8}{31} \right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{2x}{2-x^2} = \frac{8}{31}$$

$$\text{or, } 8 - 4x^2 = 31x$$

$$\text{or, } 4x^2 + 31x - 8 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } 4x^2 + 32x - x - 8 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } 4x(x+8) - 1(x+8) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = -8 \text{ or } \frac{1}{4}$$

6. Solution:

$$\text{a. Let } x = \tan \theta \text{ then } 2 \tan^{-1} x = 2 \tan^{-1} \tan \theta = 2\theta$$

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

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

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

Combining the above results, we get the required result.

$$\text{Hence, } 2\tan^{-1}x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right)$$

$$\text{b. } \tan(2\tan^{-1}x) = \tan\left(\tan^{-1}\frac{2x}{1-x^2}\right) = \frac{2x}{1-x^2}$$

$$2\tan(\tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}x^3)$$

$$= 2\tan\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+x^3}{1-x^4}\right)$$

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

$$= \frac{2x}{1-x^2}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \tan(2\tan^{-1}x) = 2\tan(\tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}x^3)$$

$$\text{c. LHS } \tan^{-1}1 + \tan^{-1}2 + \tan^{-1}3$$

$$= \tan^{-1}1 + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2+3}{1-6}\right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}1 + \tan^{-1}(-1)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$= \pi$$

$$\text{RHS, } 2\left(\tan^{-1}1 + \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2} + \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{3}\right)$$

$$= 2\left\{\tan^{-1}1 + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{6}}\right)\right\}$$

$$= 2\{\tan^{-1}1 + \tan^{-1}1\}$$

$$= 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= \pi$$

Hence, LHS = RHS

7. We have,

$$\cot^{-1}x + \cot^{-1}y + \cot^{-1}z = \pi$$

$$\cot^{-1}x + \cot^{-1}y = \pi - \cot^{-1}z$$

$$\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{xy-1}{x+y}\right) = \pi - \cot^{-1}z$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{xy-1}{x+y} = \cot(\pi - \cot^{-1}z)$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{xy-1}{x+y} = -\cot\cot^{-1}z$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{xy-1}{x+y} = -z$$

$$xy - 1 = -xz - yz$$

$$\therefore xy + yz + zx = 1$$

8. Given,

$$\tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}y + \tan^{-1}z = \pi$$

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right) = \pi - \tan^{-1}z$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{x+y}{1-xy} = \tan(\pi - \tan^{-1}z)$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{x+y}{1-xy} = -\tan \tan^{-1}z \quad (\because \tan(\pi - \theta) = -\tan\theta)$$

$$\frac{x+y}{1-xy} = -z$$

$$x+y = -z + xyz$$

$$\therefore x+y+z = xyz$$

$$9. \text{ Let } \sin^{-1}x = A \Rightarrow \sin A = x \quad \therefore \cos A = \sqrt{1-x^2}$$

$$\sin^{-1}y = B \Rightarrow \sin B = y \quad \therefore \cos B = \sqrt{1-y^2}$$

$$\sin^{-1}z = C \Rightarrow \sin C = z \quad \therefore \cos C = \sqrt{1-z^2}$$

Since,

$$\sin^{-1}x + \sin^{-1}y + \sin^{-1}z = \pi$$

$$\text{i.e. } A + B + C = \pi$$

$$\therefore A + B = \pi - C$$

$$\therefore \sin(A + B) = \sin(\pi - C) = \sin C$$

$$\cos(A + B) = \cos(\pi - C) = -\cos C$$

Now,

$$\text{Taking, LHS, } x\sqrt{1-x^2} + y\sqrt{1-y^2} + z\sqrt{1-z^2}$$

$$= \sin A \cdot \cos A + \sin B \cdot \cos B + \sin C \cdot \cos C$$

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

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

$$= \sin(A+B) \cdot \cos(A-B) + \sin C \cdot \cos C$$

$$= \sin C \cdot \cos(A-B) + \sin C \cdot \cos C$$

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

$$= \sin C \{ \cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B) \} \quad [\because \cos(A+B) = -\cos C]$$

$$= \sin C \cdot 2 \sin A \cdot \sin B$$

$$= 2 \sin A \cdot \sin B \cdot \sin C$$

$$= 2x \cdot y \cdot z = 2xyz$$

$$\text{Hence, } x\sqrt{1-x^2} + y\sqrt{1-y^2} + z\sqrt{1-z^2} = 2xyz$$

10. We have,

$$\cos^{-1}a + \cos^{-1}b + \cos^{-1}c = \pi$$

$$\text{or, } \cos^{-1}a + \cos^{-1}b = \pi - \cos^{-1}c$$

$$\text{or, } \cos^{-1} \{ ab - \sqrt{1-a^2} \cdot \sqrt{1-b^2} \} = \pi - \cos^{-1}c$$

$$\text{or, } ab - \sqrt{1-a^2} \cdot \sqrt{1-b^2} = \cos(\pi - \cos^{-1}c)$$

$$ab - \sqrt{1-a^2} \cdot \sqrt{1-b^2} = -\cos \cos^{-1}c$$

$$ab - \sqrt{1-a^2} \sqrt{1-b^2} = -c$$

$$ab + c = \sqrt{(1-a^2)(1-b^2)}$$

Squaring both sides

$$a^2b^2 + 2ac + c^2 = (1-a^2)(1-b^2)$$

$$a^2b^2 + 2abc + c^2 = 1 - b^2 - a^2 + a^2b^2$$

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2abc = 1$$

11. LHS $\tan^{-1}a + \tan^{-1}b + \tan^{-1}c$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\frac{a+b}{1-ab} + c}{1 - \left(\frac{a+b}{1-ab} \right) \cdot c} \right\} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\frac{a+b+c-abc}{1-ab}}{\frac{1-ab-ac-bc}{1-ab}} \right\} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{a+b+c-abc}{1-ab+bc-ca} \right) \text{ RHS.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 12. \text{ LHS } \sin^{-1}(\cos \sin^{-1}x) + \cos^{-1}(\sin \cos^{-1}x) \\
 &= \sin^{-1}(\cos \cos^{-1}\sqrt{1-x^2}) + \cos^{-1}(\sin \sin^{-1}\sqrt{1-x^2}) \\
 &= \sin^{-1}\sqrt{1-x^2} + \cos^{-1}\sqrt{1-x^2} \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{2} \quad (\because \sin^{-1}\theta + \cos^{-1}\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}) \text{ RHS}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 13. \text{ LHS } \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} \right) \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\cos \frac{x}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{\left(\cos \frac{x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2} \right)^2} \right\} \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cos \frac{x}{2} - \sin \frac{x}{2}}{\cos \frac{x}{2} - \sin \frac{x}{2}} \right) \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1 - \tan \frac{x}{2}}{1 + \tan \frac{x}{2}} \right) \quad (\because \text{Dividing by } \cos \frac{x}{2}) \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} - \tan \frac{x}{2}}{1 + \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \cdot \tan \frac{x}{2}} \right) \\
 &= \tan^{-1} \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{x}{2} \right) \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{x}{2} \text{ RHS}
 \end{aligned}$$