



Trigonometric Ratios of Compound Angles Ex 7.2 Q2

Let $f(\theta) = \sqrt{3} \sin \theta - \cos \theta$

Multiplying and dividing by $\sqrt{(\sqrt{3})^2 + (-1)^2}$, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(\theta) &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{3})^2 + (-1)^2} \left[\frac{\sqrt{3} \sin \theta}{\sqrt{(\sqrt{3})^2 + (-1)^2}} - \frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{(\sqrt{3})^2 + (-1)^2}} \right] \\
 &= \sqrt{3+1} \left[\frac{\sqrt{3} \sin \theta}{\sqrt{3+1}} - \frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{3+1}} \right] \\
 \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= 2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{3} \sin \theta}{2} - \frac{\cos \theta}{2} \right] \quad \dots (i) \\
 \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= 2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} \times \cos \theta \right] \\
 &= 2 \left[\cos \frac{\pi}{6} \times \sin \theta - \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \times \cos \theta \right] \\
 &= 2 \left[\sin \theta \times \cos \frac{\pi}{6} - \cos \theta \times \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right] \\
 &= 2 \sin \left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) \quad \left[\because \sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B \right] \\
 \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= 2 \sin \left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{6} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Again,

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

$$\text{Let } f(\theta) = \cos \theta - \sin \theta$$

Multiplying and dividing by $\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(\theta) &= \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} \left[\frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} \right] \\ \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= \sqrt{2} \left[\frac{\cos \theta}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} \right] \quad \dots (i) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } f(\theta) &= \sqrt{2} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ &= \sqrt{2} \left[\sin \frac{\pi}{4} \times \cos \theta - \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ &= \sqrt{2} \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) \quad [\because \sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B] \\ \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= \sqrt{2} \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta \right) \end{aligned}$$

Again,

$$\begin{aligned} f(\theta) &= \sqrt{2} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ &= \sqrt{2} \left[\cos \frac{\pi}{4} \times \cos \theta - \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ &= \sqrt{2} \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right) \quad [\because \cos(A + B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B] \\ \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= \sqrt{2} \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } f(\theta) = 24 \cos \theta + 7 \sin \theta$$

Multiplying and dividing by $\sqrt{(24)^2 + (7)^2}$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(\theta) &= \sqrt{(24)^2 + 7^2} \left[\frac{24 \cos \theta}{\sqrt{24^2 + 7^2}} + \frac{7 \sin \theta}{\sqrt{24^2 + 7^2}} \right] \\ &= \sqrt{576 + 49} \left[\frac{24 \cos \theta}{\sqrt{576 + 49}} + \frac{7 \sin \theta}{\sqrt{576 + 49}} \right] \\ &= \sqrt{625} \left[\frac{24 \cos \theta}{\sqrt{625}} + \frac{7 \sin \theta}{\sqrt{625}} \right] \\ &= 25 \left[\frac{24}{25} \times \cos \theta + \frac{7}{25} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ \Rightarrow f(\theta) &= 25 \left[\frac{24}{25} \times \cos \theta + \frac{7}{25} \times \sin \theta \right] \quad \dots (i) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } f(\theta) &= 25 \left[\frac{24}{25} \times \cos \theta + \frac{7}{25} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ &= 25 [\sin \alpha \times \cos \theta + \cos \alpha \times \sin \theta] \\ &\quad \text{where } \sin \alpha = \frac{24}{25} \text{ and } \cos \alpha = \frac{7}{25} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(\theta) = 25 \sin(\alpha + \theta), \text{ where } \tan \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{24}{7}$$

Again,

$$\begin{aligned} f(\theta) &= 25 \left[\frac{24}{25} \times \cos \theta + \frac{7}{25} \times \sin \theta \right] \\ &= 25 [\cos \alpha \times \cos \theta + \sin \alpha \times \sin \theta], \text{ where } \cos \alpha = \frac{24}{25} \text{ and } \sin \alpha = \frac{7}{25} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(\theta) = 25 \cos(\alpha - \theta), \text{ where } \tan \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{7}{24}$$

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