



### 3. Trigonometric functions

14. If  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) + \cos(\beta - \gamma) + \cos(\gamma - \alpha) = -\frac{3}{2}$ , then prove that  $\cos \alpha + \beta + \cos \gamma = \sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma = 0$ .
15. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the solution of the equation  $a \sec \theta + b \tan \theta = c$  then show that  $\tan(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{2bc}{b^2 - c^2}$ .
16. If  $\tan \beta = \frac{n \sin \alpha \cos \alpha}{1 - n \sin^2 \alpha}$  then prove that  $\tan(\alpha - \beta) = (1 - n) \tan \alpha$
17. Prove that  $\tan 20^\circ \tan 40^\circ \tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$
18. Prove that :  $\cos \alpha + \beta + \cos \gamma + \cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = 4 \cos \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \cos \frac{\beta + \gamma}{2} \cos \frac{\gamma + \alpha}{2}$
19. If  $\sin \theta = n \sin(\theta + 2\alpha)$ , Prove that  $\tan(\theta + \alpha) = \frac{1+n}{1-n} \tan \alpha$
20. Show that  $\frac{\sec 8A - 1}{\sec 4A - 1} = \frac{\tan 8A}{\tan 2A}$ .
21. If  $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1-e}{1+e}} \tan \frac{\varphi}{2}$  then prove that  $\cos \varphi = \frac{\cos \theta - e}{1 - e \cos \theta}$ .
22. If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the two different roots of equation  $a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta = c$  prove that  
 a)  $\tan(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}$       b)  $\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}$
23. Prove that  $\cos 36^\circ \cos 72^\circ \cos 108^\circ \cos 144^\circ = \frac{1}{16}$
24. Prove that  $\tan 6^\circ \tan 42^\circ \tan 66^\circ \tan 78^\circ = 1$

### 4. Sequence and series

25. Let the sum of  $n, 2n, 3n$  terms of an A.P be  $S_1, S_2, S_3$  respectively show that  $S_3 = 3(S_2 - S_1)$
26. The sum of the first  $p, q, r$  terms of an A.P are  $a, b, c$  respectively show that  $\frac{a}{p}(q - r) + \frac{b}{q}(r - p) + \frac{c}{r}(p - q) = 0$
27. Let  $S$  be the sum,  $P$  the product and  $R$  the sum of reciprocal of  $n$  terms of a G.P Prove that  $P^2 R^n = S^n$ .
28. If  $a$  and  $b$  are the roots of equation  $x^2 - 3x + p = 0$  and  $c, d$  are roots of equation  $x^2 - 12x + q = 0$  where  $a, b, c, d$  form a G.P then prove that  $(q + p) : (q - p) = 17 : 15$ .
29. If  $p, q, r$  are in G.P and the equation  $px^2 + 2qx + r = 0$  and  $dx^2 + 2ex + f = 0$  have a common root then show that  $\frac{d}{p}, \frac{e}{q}, \frac{f}{r}$  are in A.P
30. Prove that the product of  $n$  geometric means between two quantities is equal to the  $n$ th power of single geometric mean of those two quantities.
31. The arithmetic mean between two positive numbers  $a$  and  $b$ , where  $a > b$  is twice geometric mean. Prove that  $a : b = (2 + \sqrt{3}) : (2 - \sqrt{3})$ .
32. Find the sum to  $n$  terms of the series  
 a)  $1^2 + (1^2 + 2^2) + (1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2) + \dots$   
 b)  $\frac{1^3}{1} + \frac{1^3 + 2^3}{1+3} + \frac{1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3}{1+3+5} + \dots$   
 c)  $(3^3 - 2^3) + (5^3 - 4^3) + (7^3 - 6^3) + \dots$   
 d)  $\frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{2.3} + \frac{1}{3.4} + \dots$  to  $n$  terms  
 e)  $1 + 3 + 7 + 15 + \dots$   
 f)  $\frac{1.2^2 + 2.3^2 + \dots + n(n+1)^2}{1^2.2 + 2^2.3 + \dots + n^2(n+1)}$