

# MULTIPLE AND SUBMULTIPLE ANGLES

## SYNOPSIS

**Multiple Angles:** If A is an angle, then 2A, 3A, 4A, etc..... are called multiple angles of A and A/2, A/3, A/4, 3A/4, 2A/5 ..... etc are called submultiple angles of A.

I. i)  $\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 + \tan^2 A}$ .

ii)  $\sin A = 2 \sin \frac{A}{2} \cos \frac{A}{2} = \frac{2 \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}}$ .

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

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

v)  $\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$

vi)  $\tan A = \frac{2 \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{A}{2}} = \operatorname{cosec} 2A - \cot 2A$

vii)  $\cot 2A = \frac{\cot^2 A - 1}{2 \cot A}$

viii)  $\cot A = \frac{\cot^2 \frac{A}{2} - 1}{2 \cot \frac{A}{2}} = \operatorname{cosec} 2A + \cot 2A$

ix)  $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{A}{2}\right) = \frac{1 + \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 - \tan \frac{A}{2}}$

$$= \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} - \sin \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{1 + \sin A}{\cos A} = \frac{\cos A}{1 - \sin A} = \sec A + \tan A = \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{A}{2}\right).$$

x)  $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{A}{2}\right) = \frac{1 - \tan \frac{A}{2}}{1 + \tan \frac{A}{2}} = \frac{\cos \frac{A}{2} - \sin \frac{A}{2}}{\cos \frac{A}{2} + \sin \frac{A}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin A}{1 + \sin A}} = \frac{1 - \sin A}{\cos A}$

$$= \sec A - \tan A = \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{A}{2}\right)$$

II. i)  $\sin 3A = 3 \sin A - 4 \sin^3 A$

ii)  $\cos 3A = 4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A$

iii)  $\tan 3A = \frac{3 \tan A - \tan^3 A}{1 - 3 \tan^2 A}$

iv)  $\sin^3 A = \frac{1}{4} [3 \sin A - \sin 3A]$

v)  $\cos^3 A = \frac{1}{4} [\cos 3A + 3 \cos A]$

III.  $\sin^2 A = \frac{1 - \cos 2A}{2}$ ;  $\sin A = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos 2A}{2}}$

$\cos^2 A = \frac{1 + \cos 2A}{2}$ ;  $\cos A = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos 2A}{2}}$

$\tan^2 A = \frac{1 - \cos 2A}{1 + \cos 2A}$ ;  $\tan A = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos 2A}{1 + \cos 2A}}$

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

$\cos^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos A}{2}$ ;  $\cos \frac{A}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos A}{2}}$

$\tan^2 \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos A}{1 + \cos A}$ ;  $\tan \frac{A}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos A}{1 + \cos A}}$

IV. i)  $\cot A + \tan A = 2 \operatorname{cosec} 2A$

ii)  $\cot A - \tan A = 2 \cot 2A$

iii)  $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + A\right) + \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - A\right) = 2 \sec 2A$

iv)  $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + A\right) - \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - A\right) = 2 \tan 2A$

v)  $\tan A + 2 \tan 2A + 2^2 \tan 2^2 A + \dots + 2^{n-1} \tan 2^{n-1} A + 2^n \cot 2^n A = \cot A.$

vi)  $\sin \theta \sin(\alpha - \theta) \sin(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{1}{4} \sin 3\theta$  where  $\alpha = 60^\circ$  or  $120^\circ$  or  $240^\circ$  or  $300^\circ$

vii)  $\cos \theta \cos(\alpha - \theta) \cos(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{1}{4} \cos 3\theta$  where  $\alpha = 60^\circ$  or  $120^\circ$  or  $240^\circ$  or  $300^\circ$

viii)  $\tan \theta \tan(\alpha - \theta) \tan(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{1}{4} \tan 3\theta$  where  $\alpha = 60^\circ$  or  $120^\circ$  or  $240^\circ$  or  $300^\circ$

ix)  $\cot \theta \cot(\alpha - \theta) \cot(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{1}{4} \cot 3\theta$  where  $\alpha = 60^\circ$  or  $120^\circ$  or  $240^\circ$  or  $300^\circ$

x)  $\cos \theta \cdot \cos 2\theta \cdot \cos 4\theta \dots \cos((2^{n-1})\theta) = \frac{\sin(2^n \theta)}{2^n \sin \theta}$

xi)  $\cos \theta \cos 2\theta \cos(2^2)\theta \dots \cos(2^n \theta) = \frac{\sin(2^{n+1}\theta)}{2^{n+1} \sin \theta}$

xii) If  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2^n + 1}$  then  $\cos \theta \cdot \cos 2\theta \cdot \cos 2^2 \theta \dots \cos 2^{n-1} \theta = \frac{1}{2^n}$

xiii) If  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2^n - 1}$  then  $\cos \theta \cdot \cos 2\theta \cdot \cos 2^2 \theta \dots \cos 2^{n-1} \theta = -\frac{1}{2^n}$

xiv)  $\cos \theta + \cos 2\theta + \cos 3\theta + \dots + \cos n \theta =$

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

V. i)  $\sin^2 \theta + \sin^2(\alpha - \theta) + \sin^2(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{3}{2}$

ii)  $\cos^2 \theta + \cos^2(\alpha - \theta) + \cos^2(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{3}{2}$

Where  $\alpha = 60^\circ$  or  $120^\circ$  or  $240^\circ$  or  $300^\circ$

iii)  $\cos^3 \theta + \cos^3(120^\circ + \theta) + \cos^3(120^\circ - \theta)$

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

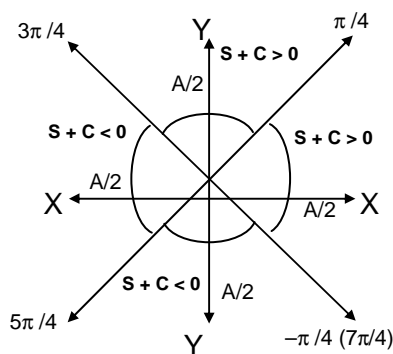
iv)  $(1 + \sec 2\theta) (1 + \sec 4\theta) (1 + \sec 8\theta) \dots$

$$(1 + \sec 2^n \theta) = \tan 2^n \theta \cot \theta$$

v)  $(2\cos \theta - 1) (2\cos 2\theta - 1) (2\cos 4\theta - 1) \dots$

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

VI. If  $S = \sin \frac{A}{2}$  and  $C = \cos \frac{A}{2}$  then



i)  $S + C = \pm \sqrt{1 + \sin A}$

ii)  $S - C = \pm \sqrt{1 - \sin A}$

iii)  $2\sin \frac{A}{2} = \pm \sqrt{1 + \sin A} \pm \sqrt{1 - \sin A}$

iv)  $2\cos \frac{A}{2} = \pm \sqrt{1 + \sin A} \pm \sqrt{1 - \sin A}$

v) a)  $S + C > 0, S - C > 0$  if

$$\frac{\pi}{4} < \frac{A}{2} < \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

b)  $S + C < 0, S - C > 0$  if

$$\frac{3\pi}{4} < \frac{A}{2} < \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

c)  $S + C < 0, S - C < 0$  if

$$\frac{5\pi}{4} < \frac{A}{2} < \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

d)  $S + C > 0, S - C < 0$  if

$$\frac{-\pi}{4} < \frac{A}{2} < \frac{\pi}{4}$$

VII.

	$18^\circ$	$36^\circ$	$54^\circ$	$72^\circ$
Sin	$\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{10-2\sqrt{5}}}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{10+2\sqrt{5}}}{4}$
Cos	$\frac{\sqrt{10+2\sqrt{5}}}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{10-2\sqrt{5}}}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4}$