

Miscellaneous

Find the value of the following:

Q1. $\cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{13\pi}{6}\right)$

A.1. $\cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{13\pi}{6}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{12\pi + \pi}{6}\right)$

$$= \cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{12\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$= \cos^{-1}\left[\cos^{-1}\left(2\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right] \quad \{\because \cos 2\pi + \theta = \cos \theta\}$$

$$= \cos^{-1}\left(\cos \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{6} \in [0, \pi]$$

Q2. $\tan^{-1}\left(\tan \frac{7\pi}{6}\right)$

A.2. $\tan^{-1}\left(\tan \frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\tan \frac{6\pi + \pi}{6}\right)$

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

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

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\tan \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$$

$\{\because \tan(\pi + \theta) = \tan \theta \text{ as } \tan \theta \text{ is in } 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ quadrant}\}$

$$= \frac{\pi}{6} \in \left(\frac{-\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

Prove that

Q3. $2 \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \tan^{-1} \frac{24}{7}$

A.3. Let $\sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = x$. Then, $\sin x = \frac{3}{5} : \left(= \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2} = \right)$

Now, $\cos x = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 x} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{25}} \quad \{\because \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1\}$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{25-9}{25}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}}$$

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

So $\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{3/5}{4/5} = \frac{3}{4}$

Using $\therefore \tan 2x = \frac{2 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x} = \frac{2 \times 3/4}{1 - (3/4)^2} = \frac{3/2}{1 - 9/16}$

$$= \frac{3/2}{16-9/16} = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{16}{7} = \frac{24}{7}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = \tan^{-1} \frac{24}{7}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \tan^{-1} \frac{24}{7}$$

hence proved

Q4. $2 \sin^{-1} \frac{8}{17} + \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \tan^{-1} \frac{77}{36}$

A.4. Let $\sin^{-1} \frac{8}{17} = x$ and $\sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = y$.

(N. then, $\sin x = \frac{8}{17}$ and $\sin y = \frac{3}{5}$.)

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now, } \cos x &= \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 x} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{8}{16}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{6.4}{281}} = \sqrt{\frac{289 - 64}{286}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{225}{289}} = \frac{15}{17}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } y = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 y} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{25 - 9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}} = \frac{4}{5}.$$

$$\text{So, } \tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \text{ and } \tan y = \frac{\sin y}{\cos y}$$

$$= \frac{8/17}{15/17} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{8}{15} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{Using, } \tan(x + y) = \frac{\tan x + \tan y}{1 - \tan x \tan y}$$

$$\tan\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{8}{17} + \sin^{-1}\frac{3}{5}\right) = \frac{\frac{8}{15} + \frac{3}{4}}{1 - \frac{8}{15} \times \frac{3}{4}}$$

$$\tan\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{8}{17} + \sin^{-1}\frac{3}{5}\right) = \frac{\frac{8 \times 4 + 3 \times 15}{15 \times 4}}{\frac{15 \times 4 - 8 \times 3}{15 \times 4}} = \frac{32 + 45}{60 - 24} \Rightarrow \sin$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1}\frac{8}{17} + \sin^{-1}\frac{3}{5} = \tan^{-1}\frac{77}{36}$$

Hence proved.

$$\text{Q5. } \cos^{-1}\frac{4}{5} + \cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13} = \cos^{-1}\frac{33}{65}$$

$$\text{A.5. } \cos^{-1}\frac{4}{5} + \cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13} = \cos^{-1}\frac{33}{65}.$$

$$\text{Let } \cos^{-1}\frac{4}{5} \text{ and } \cos^{-1}\frac{12}{13} = y.$$

$$\text{Then, } \cos x = \frac{4}{5} \text{ and } \cos y = \frac{12}{13}.$$

$$\text{Now, } \sin x = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 x} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{16}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{25 - 16}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{25}} = \frac{3}{5}.$$

$$\text{and } \sin y = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 y} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{12}{13}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - 144}{169}} = \sqrt{\frac{169 - 144}{169}} = \sqrt{\frac{25}{169}} = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\text{Using } \cos(x + y) = \cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y.$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \left[\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} + \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} \right] = \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{12}{13} - \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \left[\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} + \cot^{-1} \frac{12}{13} \right] = \frac{48-15}{65} = \frac{33}{65}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} + \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} = \cos^{-1} \frac{33}{65} \cdot \phi$$

$$\text{Q6. } \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} + \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \sin^{-1} \frac{56}{65}$$

$$\text{A.6. } \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} + \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \sin^{-1} \frac{56}{65}$$

$$\text{Let } \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} = x \text{ and } \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = y.$$

$$\text{Then, } \cos x = \frac{12}{13} \text{ and } \sin y = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{Now, } \sin x = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 x} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{12}{13}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{144}{169}} = \sqrt{\frac{169-144}{169}} = \sqrt{\frac{25}{169}} = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\cos y = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 y} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{25-9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}} = \frac{4}{5}.$$

$$\text{Using } \sin(x+y) = \sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y.$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \left[\cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} + \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} \right] = \frac{5}{13} \times \frac{4}{5} + \frac{12}{13} \times \frac{3}{5} = \frac{20+36}{65} = \frac{56}{65}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1} \frac{12}{13} + \sin^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \sin^{-1} \frac{56}{65}.$$

$$\text{Q7. } \tan^{-1} \frac{63}{16} = \sin^{-1} \frac{5}{13} + \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{A.7. Let } \sin^{-1} \frac{5}{13} = x \text{ and } \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = y.$$

$$\text{Then, } \sin x = \frac{5}{13} \text{ and } \cos y = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\text{Now, } \cos x = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 x} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{5}{13}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{25}{169}} = \sqrt{\frac{169-25}{169}} = \sqrt{\frac{144}{169}} = \frac{12}{13}$$

$$\text{and } \sin y = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 y} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{25-9}{25}} = \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}} = \frac{4}{5}.$$

$$\text{So, } \tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \text{ and } \tan y = \frac{\sin y}{\cos y}$$

$$= \frac{5/13}{12/13} = \frac{4/5}{3/5}.$$

$$= \frac{5}{12} = \frac{4}{3}.$$

$$\text{Using } \tan(x+y) = \frac{\tan x + \tan y}{1 - \tan x \tan y}.$$

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

$$= \frac{15+48}{36-20} = \frac{63}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1} \frac{5}{13} + \cos^{-1} \frac{3}{5} = \tan^{-1} \frac{63}{16}.$$

Hence proved.

$$\text{Q8. } \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{A.8. L.H.S} = \left(\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{5} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{7} \right) + \left(\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{8} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7}}{1 - \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{1}{7}} \right] + \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{8}}{1 - \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{8}} \right] \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \text{using } \tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} y \\ \frac{x+y}{1-xy}, xy < 1 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\frac{7+5}{7 \times 5}}{\frac{7 \times 5 - 1}{7 \times 5}} \right] + \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\frac{8+3}{8 \times 3}}{\frac{8 \times 3 - 1}{8 \times 3}} \right]$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{12}{35-1} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{11}{24-1} \right) = \tan^{-1} \frac{12}{34} + \tan^{-1} \frac{11}{23}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{6}{17} + \tan^{-1} \frac{11}{23}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{6}{17} + \frac{11}{23}}{1 - \frac{6}{17} \times \frac{11}{23}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\frac{6 \times 23 + 11 \times 17}{17 \times 23}}{\frac{17 \times 23 - 6 \times 11}{17 \times 23}} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{138+187}{391-66} = \tan^{-1} \frac{325}{325} = \tan^{-1} 1$$

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

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

Prove that

$$\text{Q9. } \tan^{-1} \sqrt{x} = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{1-x}{1+x}, x \in [0,1]$$

$$\text{A.9. Let } \tan^{-1} \sqrt{x} = \theta, x \in [0,1]$$

$$\text{Then } \tan \theta = \sqrt{x}$$

$$\text{Squaring both sides, } x = \tan^2 \theta$$

$$\text{So, R.H.S.} = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1-x}{1+x} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1-\tan^2 \theta}{1+\tan^2 \theta} \right)$$

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

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

$$= \theta$$

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

$$= \text{L.H.S.}$$

$$\text{Q10. } \cot^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+\sin x} + \sqrt{1-\sin x}}{\sqrt{1+\sin x} - \sqrt{1-\sin x}} \right) = \frac{x}{2}, x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$\text{A.10. } \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+\sin x} + \sqrt{1-\sin x}}{\sqrt{1+\sin x} - \sqrt{1-\sin x}} \right) = \frac{x}{2}, x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{4} \right)$$

Hand

(h) we know that .

$$1 = \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x$$

$$\text{So, } 1 = \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{And } \sin^2 x = 2 \sin x \cos x$$

$$\text{So, } \sin x = 2 \sin \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Adding eqⁿ (1) and (2) we get,

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

$$\left\{ \because a^2 + b^2 - 2ab = (a-b)^2 \right\}.$$

Subtracting eqⁿ (2) from (1) we get,

$$1 - \sin x = \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} + \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} - 2 \sin \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2} = \left(\cos \frac{x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2} \right)^2 \quad \left\{ \because a^2 + b^2 - 2ab = (a-b)^2 \right\}$$

So,

$$\text{L.H.S} = \cot^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{\left(\cos \frac{x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2}\right)^2} + \sqrt{(\cos x / 2 - \sin x / 2)^2}}{\sqrt{(\cos x / 2 + \sin x / 2)^2} - \sqrt{(\cos x / 2 - \sin x / 2)^2}} \right\}$$

$$= \cot^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\cos x/2 + \sin x/2 + \cos x/2 - \sin x/2}{\cos x/2 + \sin x/2 - \cos x/2 + \sin x/2} \right\}$$

$$= \cot^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2 \cos x / 2}{2 \sin x / 2} \right\} - \cot^{-1} \left(\cot \frac{x}{2} \right) - \frac{x}{2}.$$

Q11. $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x} - \sqrt{1-x}}{\sqrt{1+x} + \sqrt{1-x}} \right) = \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} x, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \leq x \leq 1$ [Hint : Put $x = \cos 2\theta$]

A.11. Let $x = \cos 2\theta$. Then $\theta = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \frac{x}{1}$

$$\text{L.H.S. } \tan^{-1} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x} - \sqrt{1-x}}{\sqrt{1+x} + \sqrt{1-x}} \right)$$

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

$$\begin{cases} \because 4 \cos^2 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 \\ \Rightarrow 1 + \cos^2 \theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta \\ \text{and } \cos 2\theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta \\ \rightarrow 1 - \cos 2\theta = 2 \sin^2 \theta \end{cases}$$

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

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

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

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} - \tan \theta}{1 + \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan \theta} \right) \left\{ \because \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1 \right\}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left\{ \tan \left(\frac{x}{4} - \theta \right) \right\} \left(\because \tan(x - y) = \frac{\tan x - \tan y}{1 + \tan x \tan y} \right)$$

$$= \tan \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} x.$$

$$= \text{R.H.S.}$$

$$\text{Q12. } \frac{9\pi}{8} - \frac{9}{4} \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \frac{9}{4} - \sin^{-1} \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{A.12. L.H.S.} &= \frac{9\pi}{8} - \frac{9}{4} \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \cdot \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \\ &= \frac{9}{4} \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \right\} \quad (\text{H}) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{9}{4} \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \right\} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because \frac{x}{2} = \cos^{-1} x + \sin^{-1} x \\ \text{Put } x = \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right.$$

$$= \frac{9}{4} \left\{ \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \right\} = \frac{9}{4} \cdot x \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{\pi}{2} = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{3} + \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \\ \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{3} = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{Let } x = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{So, } \sin x = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 x} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{9}} = \sqrt{\frac{9-1}{9}} = \sqrt{\frac{8}{9}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\text{So, L.H.S.} = \frac{9}{4} \times \sin^{-1} \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

Solve the following equations:

$$\text{Q13. } 2 \tan^{-1}(\cos x) = \tan^{-1}(2 \operatorname{cosec} x)$$

A.13.. Given,

$$(M) 2 \tan^{-1}(\cos x) = \tan^{-1}(2 \operatorname{cosec} x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \frac{2 \cos x}{1 - \cos^2 x} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2}{\sin x} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{using.} \\ \tan^{-1} 2x = \frac{2x}{1-x^2} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2 \cos x}{\sin^2 x} = \frac{2}{\sin x} \left\{ \because 1 - \cos^2 x = \sin^2 x \Rightarrow 1 = \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot x = \cot \frac{x}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

$$\text{Q14. } \tan^{-1} \frac{1-x}{1+x} = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x, (x > 0)$$

A.14. Given,

(M)

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

Let $x = \tan \theta$. Then $\theta = \tan^{-1}x$. So we have,

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

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} - \tan \theta}{1 + \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan \theta}\right) = \frac{1}{2}\theta \quad \left\{ \because \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1 \right\}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}\left\{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \theta\right)\right\} = \frac{\theta}{2} \left\{ \because \frac{\tan x - \tan y}{1 + \tan x \tan y} = \tan(x - y) \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} - \theta = \frac{\theta}{2}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\theta}{2} + \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3\theta}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \times \frac{2}{3} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{So, } x = \tan \theta = \tan \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}.$$

$\sin(\tan^{-1}x), |x| < 1$ is equal to

Q15. (A) $\frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ (B) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ (C) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$ (D) $\frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$

A.15. $\sin(\tan^{-1}x), |x| < 1$.

(M) .let $\theta = \tan^{-1}x$. then $\tan \theta = x$.

$$\text{And } \sin(\tan^{-1}x) \cdot \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\cot^2 \theta}} \quad \left\{ \because \cos^2 \theta = 1 + \cot^2 \theta \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{\tan^2 \theta}}} \quad \left\{ \because \cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta} \right\}.$$

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

$\therefore$ Option D is correct.

$\sin^{-1}(1-x) - 2\sin^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then x is equal to

Q16. (A) $0, \frac{1}{2}$ (B) $1, \frac{1}{2}$ (C) 0 (D) $\frac{1}{2}$

A.16. $\sin^{-1}(1-x) - 2\sin^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2} \rightarrow (1)$

(M) Let $x = \sin \theta$. Then, $\theta = \sin^{-1}x$.

Putting this in $q^n(1)$ we get

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1}(1-x) = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-x = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta\right) \left\{ \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + x\right) = \cos x \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-x = \cos 2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-x = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta \left\{ \cos 2x = 1 - 2\sin^2 x \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-x = 1 - 2x^2 \cdot \{\sin \theta = x\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(2x-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{so, } x=0 \quad x=2x-1=0 \quad x=2x=1 \rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}.$$

Putting $x=0$ in $q^n(1)$.

$$\text{L.H.S} = \sin^{-1}(1-0) - 2\sin^{-1}0 = \sin^{-1}\sin\frac{x}{2} - 0 = \frac{\pi}{2} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

Putting $x = \frac{1}{2}$ in $q(1)$

$$\text{L.H.S} = \sin^{-1}\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right) - 2\sin^{-1}\frac{1}{2} = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 2\sin^{-1}\frac{1}{2}$$

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

$$= -\sin^{-1}\frac{1}{2} = -\sin^{-1}\left(\sin\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{6} \neq \text{R.H.S.}$$

So, $x=0$.

Option (c) is correct.

Q17. $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) - \tan^{-1}\frac{x-y}{x+y}$ is equal to

- (A) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (B) $\frac{\pi}{3}$ (C) $\frac{\pi}{4}$ (D) $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

A.17. $\tan^{-1}\frac{x}{y} - \tan^{-1}\frac{x-y}{x+y} \left\{ -\tan^{-1}x - \tan^{-1}y = \frac{x-y}{1+xy} \right\}$

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

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

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

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

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

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\tan \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

$\therefore$ Option C is correct.

