

## 18. Trigonometry

- (i) **Measurement of Angles:** Mainly there are three systems for measuring angles.

**Sexagesimal System:** In this system, angle is measured in degrees.

**1 right angle** =  $90^{\circ}$ ,  $1^{\circ} = 60'$  and  $1' = 60''$ .

**Centesimal System:** In this system angle is measured in grades.

**1 right angle** =  $100^g$ ,  $1^g = 100'$  and  $1' = 100''$ .

**Circular Measure:** In this system, angle is measured in radius.

The angle subtended at the centre of a circle by an arc of length equal to its radius is 1 radian, written as  $1^{\text{c}}$ .  $\pi^{\text{c}} = 180^{\text{o}} = 200^{\text{R}} = 2 \text{ right angles}$ .

**(ii) Trigonometric Ratios:**

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{Perp}}{\text{Hyp}} = \frac{\text{PM}}{\text{AP}}; \cos \theta = \frac{\text{Base}}{\text{Hyp}} = \frac{\text{AM}}{\text{AP}};$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{Perp}}{\text{Base}} = \frac{\text{PM}}{\text{AM}};$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta}; \sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}; \cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}.$$

**(iii) Identities:**

$$(i) \tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \qquad (ii) \cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$$

$$(iii) \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$(iv) 1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta \qquad (v) 1 + \cot^2 \theta = \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$$

**(iv) Values Of T-Ratios:**

| Angle                  | $\sin \theta$        | $\cos \theta$        | $\tan \theta$        |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| $0^0$                  | 0                    | 1                    | 0                    |
| $30^0 = \frac{\pi}{6}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$        | $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ |
| $45^0 = \frac{\pi}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ | 1                    |
| $60^0 = \frac{\pi}{3}$ | $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$        | $\sqrt{3}$           |
| $90^0 = \frac{\pi}{2}$ | 1                    | 0                    | $\infty$             |
| $180^0 = \pi$          | 0                    | -1                   | 0                    |

**(v) Sign Of T-Ratios:**

1<sup>st</sup> Quadrant: All positive.

2<sup>nd</sup> Quadrant:  $\sin \theta$  &  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta$  positive.

3<sup>rd</sup> Quadrant:  $\tan \theta$  &  $\cot \theta$  positive.

4<sup>th</sup> Quadrant:  $\cos \theta$  &  $\sec \theta$  positive.

Remember: I      II      III      IV  
All      sin      tan      cos

**(vi) Range Of T-Ratios:**

(i)  $-1 \leq \sin \theta \leq 1$  and  $-1 \leq \cos \theta \leq 1$

Thus,  $|\sin \theta| \leq 1$  and  $|\cos \theta| \leq 1$ .

The value of  $\sin \theta$  is never greater than 1 and never less than  $-1$ .

The value of  $\cos \theta$  is never greater than 1 and never less than  $-1$ .

(ii)  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta \geq 1$  and  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta \leq -1$ .

(iii)  $\sec \theta \geq 1$  and  $\sec \theta \leq -1$ .

(iv)  $\tan \theta$  may assume any value.

**(vii) Increasing & Decreasing Functions:**

(i) The value of  $\sin \theta$  increase from  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ . As  $\theta$  increases in this interval, then  $\sin \theta$  also increases.

(ii) 1<sup>st</sup> Quadrant:  $\sin \theta$  increases from 0 to 1 ;  $\cos \theta$  decreases from 1 to 0 and  $\tan \theta$  increases from 0 to  $\infty$ .

(iii) 2<sup>nd</sup> Quadrant:  $\sin \theta$  decreases from 1 to 0 ;  $\cos \theta$  decreases from 0 to  $-1$  ;  $\tan \theta$  decreases from  $\infty$  to 0.

(iv) 3<sup>rd</sup> Quadrant:  $\sin \theta$  decreases from 0 to  $-1$  ;  $\cos \theta$  increases from  $-1$  to 0;  $\tan \theta$  increases from 0 to  $\infty$ .

(v) 4<sup>th</sup> Quadrant:  $\sin \theta$  increases from  $-1$  to 0;  $\cos \theta$  increases from 0 to 1;  $\tan \theta$  decreases from  $\infty$  to 0.

**(viii) T-Ratios Of Negative,  
Complementary, Supplementary Angles  
etc.**

$$(i) \sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta, \cos(-\theta) = \cos \theta, \tan(-\theta) = -\tan \theta.$$

$$(ii) \sin(90^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta; \cos(90^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta; \tan(90^\circ - \theta) = \cot \theta.$$

$$(iii) \sin(90^\circ + \theta) = \cos \theta; \cos(90^\circ + \theta) = -\sin \theta; \tan(90^\circ + \theta) = -\cot \theta.$$

$$(iv) \sin(180^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta; \cos(180^\circ - \theta) = -\cos \theta; \tan(180^\circ - \theta) = -\tan \theta.$$

$$(v) \sin(180^\circ + \theta) = -\sin \theta; \cos(180^\circ + \theta) = -\cos \theta; \tan(180^\circ + \theta) = \tan \theta.$$

$$(vi) \sin(360^\circ - \theta) = -\sin \theta, \cos(360^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta; \tan(360^\circ - \theta) = -\tan \theta.$$

$$(vii) \sin(360^\circ + \theta) = \sin \theta, \cos(360^\circ + \theta) = \cos \theta, \tan(360^\circ + \theta) = \tan \theta.$$

**(ix) Sum & Difference Formula:**

(i)  $\sin (x + y) = \sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y.$

(ii)  $\sin (x - y) = \sin x \cos y - \cos x \sin y.$

(iii)  $\cos (x + y) = \cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y$

(iv)  $\cos (x - y) = \cos x \cos y + \sin x \sin y.$

(v)  $2 \sin x \cos y = \sin (x + y) + \sin (x - y).$

(vi)  $2 \cos x \sin y = \sin (x + y) - \sin (x - y).$

(vii)  $2 \cos x \cos y = \cos (x + y) + \cos (x - y).$

(viii)  $2 \sin x \sin y = \cos (x - y) - \cos (x + y).$

$$(ix) \sin^2 x - \sin^2 y = \sin (x + y) \cdot \sin (x - y).$$

$$(x) \cos^2 x - \sin^2 y = \cos (x + y) \cdot \cos (x - y).$$

**(x) Some More Formulae:**

$$(i) \sin C + \sin D = 2 \sin \left( \frac{C+D}{2} \right) \cos \left( \frac{C-D}{2} \right)$$

$$(ii) \sin C - \sin D = 2 \cos \left( \frac{C+D}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{C-D}{2} \right)$$

$$(iii) \cos C + \cos D = 2 \cos \left( \frac{C+D}{2} \right) \cos \left( \frac{C-D}{2} \right)$$

$$(iv) \cos C - \cos D = -2 \sin \left( \frac{C+D}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{C-D}{2} \right)$$



**(xi) Tangent Formulae:**

$$(i) \tan (x + y) = \frac{\tan x + \tan y}{1 - \tan x \tan y}$$

$$(ii) \tan (x - y) = \frac{\tan x - \tan y}{1 + \tan x \tan y}$$

**(xii) T-Ratios Of Multiple Angles:**

$$(i) \sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cos x$$

$$(ii) \cos 2x = \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x = 2 \cos^2 x - 1 \\ = 1 - 2 \sin^2 x.$$

$$(iii) 1 + \cos 2x = 2 \cos^2 x \text{ and } 1 - \cos 2x \\ = 2 \sin^2 x.$$

$$(iv) \sin 3x = 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x$$

$$(v) \cos 3x = 4 \cos^3 x - 3 \cos x$$

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

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

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

$$(ix) \sin 2x = \frac{2 \tan x}{1 + \tan^2 x}$$

**(xiii) T-Ratios Of Sub-multiple Angles:**

$$(i) \sin x = 2 \sin (x/2) \cos (x/2)$$

$$(ii) \cos x = \cos^2$$

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

$$(iii) \tan x = \frac{2 \tan(x/2)}{1 - \tan^2(x/2)}$$

$$(iv) 1 - \cos x = 2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} \text{ and } 1 + \cos x =$$

$$2 \cos^2 \frac{x}{2}$$

$$(v) \sin x = \frac{2 \tan(x/2)}{1 + \tan^2(x/2)}$$

$$(vi) \cos x = \frac{1 - \tan^2(x/2)}{1 + \tan^2(x/2)}$$

**(xiv) T-Ratios Of Some Special Angles:**

$$(i) \sin 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}} = \cos 75^\circ$$

$$(ii) \cos 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}} = \sin 75^\circ$$

$$(iii) \sin 18^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{4} = \cos 72^\circ$$

$$(iv) \cos 18^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{10+2\sqrt{5}}}{4} = \sin 72^\circ$$

$$(v) \sin 36^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{10-2\sqrt{5}}}{4} = \cos 54^\circ$$

$$(vi) \cos 36^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{4} = \sin 54^\circ$$

$$(vii) \sin 22 \frac{1^\circ}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2}}}{2}$$

$$(viii) \cos 22 \frac{1^\circ}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}{2}$$