

B.Sc. Part I (Hons) 1st Paper

TRIGONOMETRY

HYPERBOLIC FUNCTIONS

Sums. Q. If $\tan(\theta + i\phi) = \tanh\alpha + i\operatorname{sech}\alpha$
then prove that

(a) $e^{2\phi} = \pm \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$ (b) $2\theta = n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha$.

Soln. Given that

$$\tan(\theta + i\phi) = \tanh\alpha + i\operatorname{sech}\alpha \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Replacing i by $-i$ in eq (1), we get

$$\tan(\theta - i\phi) = \tanh\alpha - i\operatorname{sech}\alpha \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Now, $2i\phi = (\theta + i\phi) - (\theta - i\phi)$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2i\phi = \tan \left[\frac{(\theta + i\phi)}{A} - \frac{(\theta - i\phi)}{B} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2i\phi = \frac{\tan(\theta + i\phi) - \tan(\theta - i\phi)}{1 + \tan(\theta + i\phi) \cdot \tan(\theta - i\phi)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2i\phi = \frac{\tanh\alpha + i\operatorname{sech}\alpha - \tanh\alpha + i\operatorname{sech}\alpha}{1 + (\tanh\alpha + i\operatorname{sech}\alpha)(\tanh\alpha - i\operatorname{sech}\alpha)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2i\phi = \frac{2i \sec \alpha}{1 + (\tan^2 \alpha - \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \alpha)} = \frac{2i \sec \alpha}{1 + \tan^2 \alpha + \sec^2 \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2i\phi = \frac{2i \sec \alpha}{\sec^2 \alpha + \sec^2 \alpha} = \frac{2i \sec \alpha}{2 \sec^2 \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2i\phi = \frac{i}{\sec \alpha}$$

$$\therefore \tan i\theta = i \tanh \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow i \tanh 2\phi = \frac{i}{\sec \alpha} \Rightarrow \tanh 2\phi = \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore \tanh \theta = \frac{\sinh \theta}{\cosh \theta} = \frac{e^\theta - e^{-\theta}}{e^\theta + e^{-\theta}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{e^{2\phi} - e^{-2\phi}}{e^{2\phi} + e^{-2\phi}} = \frac{\cos \alpha}{1}$$

By componendo and dividendo,

$$\frac{e^{2\phi} + e^{-2\phi} + e^{2\phi} - e^{-2\phi}}{e^{2\phi} + e^{-2\phi} - e^{2\phi} + e^{-2\phi}} = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{1 - \cos \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2e^{2\phi}}{2e^{-2\phi}} = \frac{2\cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}{2\sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{4\phi} = \cot^2 \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

Taking square root, we have

$$e^{2\phi} = \pm \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} \quad \underline{\text{Part (a) Proved}}$$

Again, $2\theta = (\theta + i\phi) + (\theta - i\phi)$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \tan [(\theta + i\phi) + (\theta - i\phi)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{\tan(\theta + i\phi) + \tan(\theta - i\phi)}{1 - \tan(\theta + i\phi) \cdot \tan(\theta - i\phi)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{\tan \alpha + i \sec \alpha + \tan \alpha - i \sec \alpha}{1 - (\tan \alpha + i \sec \alpha)(\tan \alpha - i \sec \alpha)}$$

$$= \tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1 - (\tan^2 \alpha - \sec^2 \alpha)} = \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1 - \tan^2 \alpha + \sec^2 \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1 - \tan^2 \alpha - \sec^2 \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{-\tan^2 \alpha - (\sec^2 \alpha - 1) - \tan^2 \alpha - \tan^2 \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{-2 \tan^2 \alpha} = -\frac{1}{\tan \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = -\cot \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\theta = n\pi + \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha\right)$$

Part (b) Proved