THE APPLICATION OF TRIGONOMETRY

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9. The relations of the axes in these tri-polar forms or octahedrons, may also be calculated from the measured inclinations over a front and middle edge, or over a side and middle edge, as shown below. The student should work out these formulæ (from the angles given at the commencement of § 8) for the three sulphur forms: P, $\frac{1}{3}$ P, $\frac{1}{3}$ P.

1. Given the inclination over a front edge = 2 A, and the inclination over a middle edge = 2 D: required x and \breve{x} ; \overline{x} being unity.

To obtain #, (see Fig. 14):

Log cos $a = [(\log \cos A) + 10] - \log \sin D;$ Log $\breve{x} = (\log \cot a) - 10.$

To obtain x, (see Fig. 14):

Log cos $d = [(\log \cos D) + 10] - \log \sin A$; Log $x = [(\log \tan d) + \log \tilde{x}] - 10$.

2. Given the inclination over a side edge = 2 B, and the inclination over a middle edge = 2 D : required x and \tilde{x} ; \tilde{x} being unity.

To obtain \tilde{x} , (see Fig. 15); Log cos $b = [(\log \cos B) + 10] - \log \sin D$; Log $\tilde{x} = \log \tan b$, -10.

To obtain x, (see Fig. 15):

Log cos $d = [(\log \cos D + 10)] - \log \sin B$;

 $\operatorname{Log} x = (\log \tan d) - 10.$

10. Figure 16 represents a crystal of Topaz, containing the following forms:

The Base, $B=x, \infty^{-}, \infty \check{x}$.

A polar or octahedron, $\mathbf{P} = x, \, \overline{x}, \, \overline{x}$.

A second polar, $\frac{3}{4}P = \frac{3}{4}x$, \overline{x} , \overline{x} .

Polar Another polar, belonging to the vertical zone of V2= Forms. $\frac{3}{2}P2=\frac{3}{2}x, \overline{x}, 2\overline{x}$.

A side-polar, or brachydome, $\breve{P} = x, \ \breve{x} \propto \breve{x}$. A second side-polar, $2\breve{P} = 2x, \ \breve{x}, \propto \breve{x}$.

Vertical $\int \mathbf{A}$ vertical prism, $\mathbf{V} = \infty x$, \overline{x} , \overline{x} .

Forms : (A second vertical prism $V2 = \infty x$, \bar{x} , $2\bar{x}$.

Although these may be recognised by the simple inspection of the crystal, as polars, side-polars, &c., their indices (or axial

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