

In[8]:= **Solve**[{ $a^2 == y^2 + x^2$ }, y]

Out[8]= $\left\{ \left\{ y \rightarrow -\sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \right\}, \left\{ y \rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \right\} \right\}$

In[10]:= **Solve**[{ $b^2 == y^2 + (r - x)^2$ }, x]

Out[10]= $\left\{ \left\{ x \rightarrow r - \sqrt{b^2 - y^2} \right\}, \left\{ x \rightarrow r + \sqrt{b^2 - y^2} \right\} \right\}$

In[6]:= **Eliminate**[{ $a^2 == y^2 + x^2$, $b^2 == y^2 + (r - x)^2$ }, x]

Out[6]= $-b^4 + 2 b^2 r^2 - r^4 - 4 r^2 y^2 == a^4 + a^2 (-2 b^2 - 2 r^2)$

In[17]:= **Solve**[{ $-b^4 + 2 b^2 r^2 - r^4 - 4 r^2 y^2 == a^4 + a^2 (-2 b^2 - 2 r^2)$ }, y]

Out[17]= $\left\{ \left\{ y \rightarrow -\frac{i \sqrt{a^4 + b^4 - 2 b^2 r^2 + r^4 + a^2 (-2 b^2 - 2 r^2)}}{2 r} \right\}, \left\{ y \rightarrow \frac{i \sqrt{a^4 + b^4 - 2 b^2 r^2 + r^4 + a^2 (-2 b^2 - 2 r^2)}}{2 r} \right\} \right\}$

In[18]:= **Eliminate**[{ $a^2 == y^2 + x^2$, $b^2 == y^2 + (r - x)^2$ }, y]

Out[18]= $b^2 - r^2 + 2 r x == a^2$

In[20]:= **Solve**[$b^2 - r^2 + 2 r x == a^2$, x]

Out[20]= $\left\{ \left\{ x \rightarrow \frac{a^2 - b^2 + r^2}{2 r} \right\} \right\}$

In[21]:= **Simplify**[$-b^4 + 2 b^2 r^2 - r^4 - 4 r^2 y^2 == a^4 + a^2 (-2 b^2 - 2 r^2)$]

Out[21]= $a^4 + b^4 + r^4 + 4 r^2 y^2 == 2 b^2 r^2 + 2 a^2 (b^2 + r^2)$

In[22]:= **Solve**[$a^4 + b^4 + r^4 + 4 r^2 y^2 == 2 b^2 r^2 + 2 a^2 (b^2 + r^2)$, y]

Out[22]= $\left\{ \left\{ y \rightarrow -\frac{\sqrt{-a^4 + 2 a^2 b^2 - b^4 + 2 a^2 r^2 + 2 b^2 r^2 - r^4}}{2 r} \right\}, \left\{ y \rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{-a^4 + 2 a^2 b^2 - b^4 + 2 a^2 r^2 + 2 b^2 r^2 - r^4}}{2 r} \right\} \right\}$