

(3) If α is an acute angle and $\sin \alpha = 0.4$, find the value of $\sec \alpha + \tan \alpha$.

$$\sin \alpha = 0.4 = \frac{2}{5}$$

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

$$\cos^2 \alpha = 1 - \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$= 1 - (\sin \alpha)^2$$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 = 1 - \frac{4}{25}$$

$$= \frac{25-4}{25} = \frac{21}{25}$$

$$\cos \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{21}{25}} = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{5}$$

$$\sec \alpha = \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{\frac{2}{5}}{\frac{\sqrt{21}}{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$\sec \alpha + \tan \alpha = \frac{5}{\sqrt{21}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{21}} = \frac{7}{\sqrt{21}}$$

(4) If α is an acute angle and $\cos \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$, find the value of $3 \sin \alpha - 4 \tan \alpha$.

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

$$\sin^2 \alpha = 1 - \cos^2 \alpha = 1 - \left(\cos \alpha\right)^2$$

$$\sin^2 \alpha = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\sin \alpha = \sqrt{3/4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \alpha &= \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{2}{1} \\ &= \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore 3 \sin \alpha - 4 \tan \alpha = 3 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - 4 \times \sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3} - 8\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{-5\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Prove the following identities.

(1) $\cos A \tan A = \sin A$

$$L.H.S = \cos A \tan A$$

$$= \cos A \frac{\sin A}{\cos A}$$

$$= \sin A = R.H.S.$$

$$L.H.S = R.H.S.$$

(2) $\sin A \tan A \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = \sec A$

$$L.H.S = \sin A \tan A \operatorname{cosec}^2 A$$

$$= \sin A \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} \frac{1}{\sin^2 A} = \frac{1}{\cos A}$$

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

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

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

$$(3) \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$= (1 - \sin^2 \alpha) - \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$= 1 - \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha$$

$$= 1 - \underline{\underline{2 \sin^2 \alpha}}$$

$$(4) \tan \alpha + \cot \alpha = \sec \alpha \csc \alpha$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = \tan \alpha + \cot \alpha$$

$$= \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} + \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha}{\cos \alpha \sin \alpha} = \frac{1}{\cos \alpha \sin \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin \alpha} = \sec \alpha \cdot \csc \alpha$$

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

$$(5) \sec^2 \alpha + \csc^2 \alpha = \sec^2 \alpha \csc^2 \alpha$$

$$\text{L.H.S} = \sec^2 \alpha + \csc^2 \alpha$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos^2 \alpha} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha}{\sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \alpha}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \alpha} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \alpha} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin^2 \alpha}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\sec^2 \alpha \csc^2 \alpha}}$$

Q. Prove that $\frac{1 + \cos A}{\sin A} = \frac{\sin A}{1 - \cos A}$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1 + \cos A}{\sin A}$$

Numerator and denominator
multiplied by $1 - \cos A$.

$$= \frac{(1 + \cos A)(1 - \cos A)}{\sin A(1 - \cos A)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \cos^2 A}{\sin A(1 - \cos A)}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 A}{\sin A(1 - \cos A)} \quad (1 - \cos^2 A = \sin^2 A)$$

$$= \frac{\sin A}{1 - \cos A}$$

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