

For small  $\theta$  in radians

$$\sin(\theta) \approx \theta$$

First Name: Adam Last Name: Chen Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_**Identities and Equations (1)**1. Use a counterexample to show that  $\tan(\theta) + \sin(\theta) = \cot(\theta) + \cos(\theta)$  is not an identity.counter:  $\theta = 0$  : DNE

$$\theta = 0.0001$$

$$\text{LHS} = 2 \cdot 10^{-4}$$

$$\text{RHS} = 10001$$

2. Consider the trigonometric function  $f(x) = \frac{\tan(x) + \sin(x)}{1 + \cos(x)}$ .

- Identify the non-permissible values of  $x$ .
- Graph  $y = f(x)$  using graphing technology.
- Use this graph to help create a possible trigonometric identity involving  $f(x)$ .
- Prove your identity from part b) is true for all permissible values of the variable.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } 1 + \cos(x) &= 0 & \cos(x) &= 0 \\ \cos(x) &= -1 \\ x &\neq \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \dots \\ &+ 2\pi k \quad \text{where } k \text{ is integer} \end{aligned}$$

b) This looks like a  $\tan$  graph

$$\text{c) } \frac{\tan(x) + \sin(x)}{1 + \cos(x)} = \tan(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } \text{LHS} &= \frac{\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \sin x}{1 + \cos x} \\ &= \frac{\sin x \left( \frac{1}{\cos x} + 1 \right)}{1 + \cos x} \\ &= \frac{\sin x \left( \frac{1 + \cos x}{\cos x} \right)}{\cancel{1 + \cos x}} = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \tan x = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

3. Prove.

a.  $\csc^2(x) - \csc(x) \cot(x) = \frac{1}{1+\cos(x)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} - \frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \frac{1}{\tan x} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} - \frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos x}{\sin^2 x} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 - \cos^2 x} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos x}{(1 + \cos x)(1 - \cos x)} = \frac{1}{1 + \cos x} \end{aligned}$$

c.  $\frac{\tan(\beta) - \sin(\beta)}{\sin^3(\beta)} = \frac{\sec(\beta)}{1 + \cos(\beta)} = \text{RHS}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{\frac{\sin \beta}{\cos \beta} - \sin \beta}{\sin^3 \beta} \\ &= \frac{\sin \beta \left( \frac{1 - \cos \beta}{\cos \beta} \right)}{\sin^3 \beta} \\ &= \frac{\left( \frac{1 - \cos \beta}{\cos \beta} \right)}{\sin^2 \beta} \\ &= \frac{\left( \frac{1 - \cos \beta}{\cos \beta} \right)}{(1 + \cos \beta)(1 - \cos \beta)} = \frac{\left( \frac{1}{\cos \beta} \right)}{1 + \cos \beta} = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

e.  $(\csc(\theta) \sec(\theta))^2 - \frac{(1 - \tan^2(\theta))^2}{\tan^2(\theta)} = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \left( \frac{1}{xy} \right)^2 - \frac{\left( 1 - \frac{y^2}{x^2} \right)^2}{\left( \frac{y}{x} \right)^2} \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{xy} + \frac{1 - \left( \frac{y}{x} \right)^2}{\left( \frac{y}{x} \right)} \right) \left( \frac{1}{xy} - \frac{1 - \left( \frac{y}{x} \right)^2}{\left( \frac{y}{x} \right)} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{1 + x^2 - y^2}{xy} \right) \left( \frac{1 - x^2 + y^2}{xy} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{2x^2}{xy} \right) \left( \frac{2y^2}{xy} \right) = \left( \frac{2x}{y} \right) \left( \frac{2y}{x} \right) \\ &= 4 = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= (\tan \theta + \sec \theta)^2 \\ &= \left( \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \right)^2 \\ &= \left( \frac{\sin \theta + 1}{\cos \theta} \right)^2 = \frac{(\sin \theta + 1)^2}{\cos^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{(\sin \theta + 1)^2}{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{(\sin \theta + 1)^2}{(1 + \sin \theta)(1 - \sin \theta)} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta + 1}{1 - \sin \theta} = \text{LHS} \end{aligned}$$

d.  $\frac{\cos^3(\theta) + \sin^3(\theta)}{\sin(\theta) + \cos(\theta)} = 1 - \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta)$

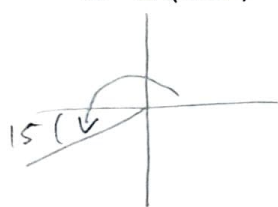
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } \cos \theta = x, \sin \theta = y \\ \text{LHS} &= \frac{x^3 + y^3}{y + x} = \frac{(x + y)(x^2 - xy + y^2)}{x + y} \\ &= x^2 - xy + y^2 = 1 - xy \\ &= \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

f.  $\frac{\sin(x+y)}{\sin(x-y)} = \frac{\tan(x) + \tan(y)}{\tan(x) - \tan(y)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \frac{\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin y}{\cos y}}{\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} - \frac{\sin y}{\cos y}} = \frac{\cos y \sin x + \cos x \sin y}{\cos y \sin x - \cos x \sin y} \\ &= \frac{\sin(x+y)}{\sin(x-y)} = \text{LHS} \end{aligned}$$

4. Determine the exact value of each trigonometric ratio. Express answers in simplest form.

a.  $\sin(195^\circ)$

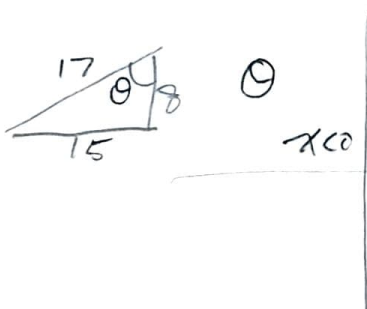


$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin(45 - 30) \\ &= \sin 45 \cos 30 - (\cos 45 \sin 30) \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4} \end{aligned}$$

b.  $\cos(\frac{19\pi}{12})$

$$\begin{aligned} &\cos(\frac{19\pi}{12}) \\ &= -\sin(\frac{19\pi}{12} - \frac{\pi}{2}) \\ &= -\sin(195^\circ) \\ &= -(\frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4}) = \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4} \end{aligned}$$

5. Given  $\sin(\theta) = \frac{15}{17}$  and  $\cos(\beta) = \frac{1}{3}$ , where  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi$  and  $\frac{3\pi}{2} < \beta < 2\pi$ , determine the exact value of  $\cos(\theta + \beta)$ .



1)  $\sin \theta > 0$ ,  $\cos \theta < 0$

2)  $\sin \beta < 0$ ,  $\cos \beta > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} 1) \cos \theta &= -\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta} \\ &= -\frac{8}{17} \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} 2) \sin \beta &= -\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 \beta} \\ &= -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\cos(\theta + \beta) = \cos \theta \cos \beta - \sin \theta \sin \beta = \frac{30\sqrt{2} - 8}{51}$$

6. Simplify each expression to a single trigonometric ratio.

a.  $\sin(3x)\cos(x) - \cos(3x)\sin(x)$

b.  $\sin(\frac{\pi}{5})\sin(\frac{\pi}{3}) - \cos(\frac{\pi}{5})\cos(\frac{\pi}{3})$

c.  $\frac{1 - \tan(80^\circ)\tan(20^\circ)}{\tan(80^\circ) + \tan(20^\circ)}$

a)  $\sin(3x - x)$   
 $= \sin(2x)$

b)  $-(\cos \frac{\pi}{5} \cos \frac{\pi}{3} - \sin \frac{\pi}{5} \sin \frac{\pi}{3})$   
 $= -(\cos(\frac{\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{3}))$   
 $= -(\cos(\frac{8\pi}{15}))$

c)  $\frac{\tan 80^\circ \tan 20^\circ}{1 - \tan 80^\circ \tan 20^\circ} = \tan(100^\circ)$   
 $= \cot(100^\circ)$