



Trigonometric Functions Ex 5.1 Q26

We have,

$$T_n = \sin^n \theta + \cos^n \theta \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

To show: $\frac{T_3 - T_5}{T_1} = \frac{T_5 - T_7}{T_3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{T_3 - T_5}{T_1} \\ &= \frac{(\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta) - (\sin^5 \theta + \cos^5 \theta)}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} && \left[\text{Substituting the values of } T_3, T_5 \text{ and } T_1 \text{ from (i)} \right] \\ &= \frac{\sin^3 \theta - \sin^5 \theta + \cos^3 \theta - \cos^5 \theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^3 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) + \cos^3 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta)}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \cos^3 \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} && \left[\because 1 - \sin^2 \theta = \cos^2 \theta \text{ and } 1 - \cos^2 \theta = \sin^2 \theta \right] \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + (\sin \theta + \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} \\ &= \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \frac{\sin^5 \theta + \cos^5 \theta - (\sin^7 \theta + \cos^7 \theta)}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^5 \theta - \sin^7 \theta + \cos^5 \theta - \cos^7 \theta}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^5 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) + \cos^5 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta)}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^5 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \cos^5 \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta} \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta (\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta)}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta} \\ &= \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

\therefore LHS = RHS Proved.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= 2T_6 - 3T_4 + 1 \\ &= 2(\sin^6 \theta + \cos^6 \theta) - 3(\sin^4 \theta + \cos^4 \theta) + 1 \\ &= 2\left((\sin^2 \theta)^3 + (\cos^2 \theta)^3\right) - 3\left((\sin^2 \theta)^2 + (\cos^2 \theta)^2\right) + 1 \\ &= 2\left((\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)(\sin^2 \theta)^2 + (\cos^2 \theta)^2 - (\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta)\right) - \\ &\quad 3\left((\sin^2 \theta)^2 + (\cos^2 \theta)^2 + 2\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta - 2\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta\right) + 1 \\ &\quad \left[\text{Using } a^3 + b^3 = (a+b)(a^2 + b^2 - ab) \text{ and adding and subtracting } 2\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \right] \\ &= 2\left((\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)^2 - 3\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta\right) - 3(1 - 2\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta) + 1 \\ &= 2(1 - 3\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta) - 3 + 6\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + 1 \\ &= 2 - 6\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta - 2 + 6\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \\ &= 0 \\ &= \text{RHS Proved.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{LHS} &= 67_{10} - 157_8 + 107_6 - 1 \\
&= 6(\sin^{10}\theta + \cos^{10}\theta) - 15(\sin^8\theta + \cos^8\theta) + 10(\sin^6\theta + \cos^6\theta) - 1 \\
&= 6\sin^{10}\theta - 15\sin^8\theta + 10\sin^6\theta + 6\cos^{10}\theta - 15\cos^8\theta + 10\cos^6\theta - 1 \\
&= \sin^6\theta(6\sin^4\theta - 15\sin^2\theta + 10) + \cos^6\theta(6\cos^4\theta - 15\cos^2\theta + 10) - (\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta)^3 \\
&\quad [\because 1 = \sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta] \\
&= \sin^6\theta(6\sin^4\theta - 15\sin^2\theta + 10) + \cos^6\theta(6\cos^4\theta - 15\cos^2\theta + 10) - \\
&\quad (\sin^6\theta + \cos^6\theta + 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta)) \\
&\quad [\text{Using } (a+b)^3 = a^3 + b^3 + 3ab(a+b)] \\
&= \sin^6\theta(6\sin^4\theta - 15\sin^2\theta + 10 - 1) + \cos^6\theta(6\cos^4\theta - 15\cos^2\theta + 10 - 1) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \times 1 \\
&\quad [\because \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta = 1] \\
&= \sin^6\theta(6\sin^4\theta - 9\sin^2\theta - 6\sin^2\theta + 9) + \cos^6\theta(6\cos^4\theta - 9\cos^2\theta - 6\cos^2\theta + 9) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&\quad [\text{On splitting the middle term}] \\
&= \sin^6\theta(3\sin^2\theta(2\sin^2\theta - 3) - 3(2\sin^2\theta - 3)) + \cos^6\theta(3\cos^2\theta(2\cos^2\theta - 3) - 3(2\cos^2\theta - 3)) \\
&\quad - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= \sin^6\theta(2\sin^2\theta - 3)(3\sin^2\theta - 3) + \cos^6\theta(2\cos^2\theta - 3)(3\cos^2\theta - 3) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= \sin^6\theta \times (-3)(2\sin^2\theta - 3)(1 - \sin^2\theta) + \cos^6\theta \times (-3)(2\cos^2\theta - 3)(1 - \cos^2\theta) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= -3\sin^6\theta(2\sin^2\theta - 3)\cos^2\theta - 3\cos^6\theta(2\cos^2\theta - 3)\sin^2\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= 6\sin^8\theta + \cos^2\theta + 6\sin^6\theta\cos^2\theta - 6\cos^8\theta\sin^2\theta + 9\cos^6\theta + \sin^2\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= -6\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta(\sin^6\theta + \cos^6\theta) + 9\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= -6\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta((\sin^2\theta)^3 + (\cos^2\theta)^3) + 9\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta((\sin^2\theta)^2 + (\cos^2\theta)^2) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= -6\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta)(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta - \sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta) \\
&\quad + 9\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&\quad (\text{Using } a^3 + b^3 = (a+b)(a^2 + b^2 - ab)) \\
&= -6\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - \sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta) + 9\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta) \\
&\quad - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \quad [\because \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta = 1] \\
&= -6\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta) + 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta + 9\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta) - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(\sin^4\theta + \cos^4\theta) + 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta((\sin^2\theta)^2 + (\cos^2\theta)^2 + 2\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta - 2\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta) \\
&\quad + 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \quad (\text{adding and subtracting } 2\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta) \\
&= 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta((\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta)^2 - 2\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta) + 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta(1 - 2\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta) + 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta - 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta + 6\sin^4\theta\cos^4\theta - 3\sin^2\theta\cos^2\theta \\
&= 0 \\
&= \text{RHS} \\
&\quad \text{Proved}
\end{aligned}$$

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