

Trigonometric Identities Ex 6.1 Q55

Answer:

In the given question, we are given $T_n = \sin^n \theta + \cos^n \theta$

We need to prove
$$\frac{T_3 - T_5}{T_1} = \frac{T_5 - T_7}{T_3}$$

Here L.H.S is

$$\frac{T_3 - T_5}{T_1} = \frac{\left(\sin^3\theta + \cos^3\theta\right) - \left(\sin^5\theta + \cos^5\theta\right)}{\left(\sin\theta + \cos\theta\right)}$$

Now, solving the L.H.S, we get

$$\frac{\left(\sin^3\theta + \cos^3\theta\right) - \left(\sin^5\theta + \cos^5\theta\right)}{\left(\sin\theta + \cos\theta\right)} = \frac{\sin^3\theta - \sin^5\theta + \cos^3\theta - \cos^5\theta}{\sin\theta + \cos\theta}$$
$$= \frac{\sin^3\theta(1 - \sin^2\theta) + \cos^3\theta(1 - \cos^2\theta)}{\sin\theta + \cos\theta}$$

Further using the property $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$, we get

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

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

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$$\frac{\sin^3 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) + \cos^3 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta)}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \cos^3 \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$$
$$= \frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta (\sin \theta + \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$$
$$= \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

Now, solving the R.H.S, we get

$$\frac{T_5 - T_7}{T_3} = \frac{\left(\sin^5 \theta + \cos^5 \theta\right) - \left(\sin^7 \theta + \cos^7 \theta\right)}{\left(\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta\right)}$$

So

$$\frac{\left(\sin^5\theta + \cos^5\theta\right) - \left(\sin^7\theta + \cos^7\theta\right)}{\left(\sin^3\theta + \cos^3\theta\right)} = \frac{\sin^5\theta - \sin^7\theta + \cos^5\theta - \cos^7\theta}{\sin^3\theta + \cos^3\theta}$$
$$= \frac{\sin^5\theta(1 - \sin^2\theta) + \cos^5\theta(1 - \cos^2\theta)}{\sin^3\theta + \cos^3\theta}$$

Further using the property $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$, we get,

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

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

So

$$\frac{\sin^5 \theta (1-\sin^2 \theta) + \cos^5 \theta (1-\cos^2 \theta)}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta} = \frac{\sin^5 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \cos^5 \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta}$$
$$= \frac{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta (\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta)}{\sin^3 \theta + \cos^3 \theta}$$
$$= \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

Hence proved.

Trigonometric Identities Ex 6.1 Q56

Answer:

In the given question, we need to prove

$$\left(\tan\theta + \frac{1}{\cos\theta}\right)^2 + \left(\tan\theta - \frac{1}{\cos\theta}\right)^2 = 2\left(\frac{1+\sin^2\theta}{1-\sin^2\theta}\right)$$
 Now, using the identity $(a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$ in L.H.S, we get

$$\begin{split} \left(\tan\theta + \frac{1}{\cos\theta}\right)^2 + \left(\tan\theta - \frac{1}{\cos\theta}\right)^2 &= \left(\tan^2\theta + \frac{1}{\cos^2\theta} + 2\frac{\tan\theta}{\cos\theta}\right) + \left(\tan^2\theta + \frac{1}{\cos^2\theta} - 2\frac{\tan\theta}{\cos\theta}\right) \\ &= \tan^2\theta + \frac{1}{\cos^2\theta} + 2\frac{\tan\theta}{\cos\theta} + \tan^2\theta + \frac{1}{\cos^2\theta} - 2\frac{\tan\theta}{\cos\theta} \\ &= 2\tan^2\theta + \frac{2}{\cos^2\theta} \end{split}$$

Further using
$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$
, we get
$$2 \tan^2 \theta + \frac{2}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{2 \sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} + \frac{2}{\cos^2 \theta}$$
$$= \frac{2 \sin^2 \theta + 2}{\cos^2 \theta}$$
$$= \frac{2(\sin^2 \theta + 1)}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

Also, from the identity $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$, we get

$$\frac{2(\sin^2\theta + 1)}{\cos^2\theta} = \frac{2(\sin^2\theta + 1)}{1 - \sin^2\theta}$$
$$= 2\left(\frac{1 + \sin^2\theta}{1 - \sin^2\theta}\right)$$

Hence proved.

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