



Pre-Calculus

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9A/9B Review

Analytic Trigonometry: In advanced mathematics, the natural sciences, and engineering, it is sometimes necessary to simplify complicated trigonometric expressions and to solve equations that involve trigonometric functions.

Simplify

$$1. \frac{\tan x}{\csc^2 x} + \frac{\tan x}{\sec^2 x}$$

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

$$2. \frac{\sec^2 x \csc x}{\sec^2 x + \csc^2 x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x}}{\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 x}} \\&= \frac{\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x}}{\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 x}} \cdot \frac{\cos^2 x \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x \sin^2 x} \\&= \frac{\sin x}{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x} \\&= \frac{\sin x}{1} \\&= \sin x\end{aligned}$$

Verify the following identities

$$3. \sec \alpha - \cos \alpha = \sin \alpha \tan \alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sec \alpha - \cos \alpha &= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - \cos \alpha \\&= \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} - \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \\&= \frac{1 - \cos^2 \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \\&= \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \\&= \sin \alpha \cdot \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \\&= \sin \alpha \tan \alpha\end{aligned}$$

4. $\sec \theta = \sin \theta(\tan \theta + \cot \theta)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sin \theta(\tan \theta + \cot \theta) &= \sin \theta \tan \theta + \sin \theta \cot \theta \\
 &= \sin \theta \cdot \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \sin \theta \cdot \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \\
 &= \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} + \cos \theta \\
 &= \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \\
 &= \sec \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

5. $\frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} = \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$

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

6. $\frac{\sin t}{1 - \cos t} = \csc t + \cot t$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\sin t}{1 - \cos t} &= \frac{\sin t}{1 - \cos t} \cdot \frac{1 + \cos t}{1 + \cos t} \\
 &= \frac{\sin t (1 + \cos t)}{1 - \cos^2 t} \\
 &= \frac{\sin t (1 + \cos t)}{\sin^2 t} \\
 &= \frac{1 + \cos t}{\sin t} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sin t} + \frac{\cos t}{\sin t} \\
 &= \csc t + \cot t
 \end{aligned}$$

$$7. \sin u + \cos u \cot u = \csc u$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin u + \cos u \cot u &= \sin u + \cos u \left(\frac{\cos u}{\sin u} \right) \\&= \frac{\sin^2 u}{\sin u} + \frac{\cos^2 u}{\sin u} \\&= \frac{\sin^2 u + \cos^2 u}{\sin u} \\&= \frac{1}{\sin u} \\&= \csc u\end{aligned}$$

$$8. \sin^2 x \cos^2 x + \cos^4 x = \cos^2 x$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 x \cos^2 x + \cos^4 x &= \cos^2 x (\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x) \\&= \cos^2 x \cdot 1 \\&= \cos^2 x\end{aligned}$$

$$9. \frac{\cot(-\theta)}{\csc(-\theta)} = \cos \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\cot(-\theta)}{\csc(-\theta)} &= \frac{-\cot(\theta)}{-\csc(\theta)} \\&= \frac{\frac{\cos(\theta)}{\sin(\theta)}}{\frac{1}{\sin(\theta)}} \\&= \cos(\theta)\end{aligned}$$

$$10. \frac{2\sin^2 t + \sin t - 3}{1 - \cos^2 t - \sin t} = \frac{2\sin t + 3}{\sin t}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2\sin^2 t + \sin t - 3}{1 - \cos^2 t - \sin t} &= \frac{2\sin^2 t + \sin t - 3}{\sin^2 t - \sin t} \\&= \frac{(\sin t - 1)(2\sin t + 3)}{\sin t (\sin t - 1)} \\&= \frac{2\sin t + 3}{\sin t}\end{aligned}$$

$$11. \frac{\cos x}{1+\sin x} + \tan x = \sec x$$

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