

## TRIGONOMETRIC RATIOS

Q1. Evaluate:  $\sin 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \sin 30^\circ \cos 60^\circ$

soln:  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$  Ans

Q2. Prove that:  $4(\sin^4 30^\circ + \cos^4 60^\circ) - 3(\cos^2 45^\circ - \sin^2 90^\circ) = 2$

LHS

$$4 \times \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 \right\} - 3 \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 - (1)^2 \right\}$$

$$= 4 \times \left( \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{16} \right) - 3 \left( \frac{1}{2} - 1 \right)$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{2}{16} + 3 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2} = \frac{4}{2} = 2 \quad \text{Proved}$$

Q3. If  $\sin A = \frac{3}{5}$  find  $\cos A$  and  $\tan A$

soln

$$AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$$

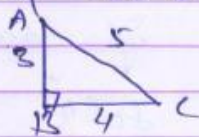
$$BC^2 = 5^2 - 3^2 = 25 - 9$$

$$BC^2 = 16$$

$$BC = 4$$

$$\therefore \cos A = \frac{4}{5} \quad \tan A = \frac{3}{4} \quad \cot A = \frac{4}{3}, \quad \sec A = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\csc A = \frac{5}{3}$$



Q4. If  $A, B, C$  are interior angles of a  $\triangle ABC$  prove that  $\tan \frac{B+C}{2} = \cot \frac{A}{2}$

soln:

$$A+B+C = 180^\circ$$

$$\frac{B+C}{2} = 90^\circ - \frac{A}{2}$$

$$\tan \frac{B+C}{2} = \tan 90^\circ - \frac{A}{2}$$

$$\tan \frac{B+C}{2} = \cot \frac{A}{2} \quad \text{Proved}$$

Q5. If  $\sin \theta = \cos 40$  find  $\theta$ .  
Soln.

$$\sin \theta = \sin(90 - 40)$$

$$\theta = 90 - 40$$

$$90 = 90$$

$$\boxed{\theta = 10^\circ} \text{ Ans}$$

Q6. If  $\tan A = \cot B$  Prove  $A + B = 90^\circ$

$$\text{P} \rightarrow \tan A = \tan(90 - B)$$

$$A = 90 - B$$

$$\boxed{A + B = 90^\circ}$$

Q7. If  $\sec A = \csc(A - 20^\circ)$  find  $A$ .

Soln.

$$\csc(90 - A) = \csc(A - 20^\circ)$$

$$90 - A = A - 20$$

$$90 + 20 = A + A$$

$$110 = 2A$$

$$A = \frac{110}{2}$$

$$\boxed{A = 55^\circ} \text{ Ans.}$$

Q8. Prove that  $\tan 10^\circ \tan 15^\circ \tan 75^\circ \tan 80^\circ = 1$

Pf.

$$\tan(90 - 80) \tan(90 - 75) \tan 75 \tan 80$$

$$= \cot 80 \cot 75 \tan 75 \tan 80$$

$$= 1$$

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



7. Prove that  $\sin 55 \sin 55 - \cos 35 \cos 55 = 0$   
L.H.S.

$$\begin{aligned} & \sin(90-55) \sin 55 - \cos(90-55) \cos 55 \\ &= \cos 55 \sin 55 - \sin 55 \cos 55 \\ &= 0 \\ &= R.H.S. \end{aligned}$$

8. If  $\sin(A+B) = 1$ ,  $\cos(A-B) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$   
find A and B

sol<sup>n</sup>:  $\sin(A+B) = \sin 90$   
 $A+B = 90$  — (1)  
 $\cos(A-B) = \cos 30$   
 $A-B = 30$  — (2)

(1) + (2) we get  $2A = 120$   
 $A = 60$   
Put in (1)  $60 + B = 90$   
 $B = 90 - 60$   
 $B = 30$  Ans.

9. Find  $\theta$ , when  $\frac{\cos \theta - \sin \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta} = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}}{1 + \sqrt{3}}$

sol<sup>n</sup>:  $\frac{\cos \theta - \sin \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta} = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}}{1 + \sqrt{3}}$   
apply C & D rule

$$\frac{\cos \theta - \sin \theta + \cos \theta + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta + \cos \theta - \sin \theta} = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3} + 1 + \sqrt{3}}{1 + \sqrt{3} + 1 - \sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{2 \cos \theta}{2 \sin \theta} = \frac{2}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ \text{ Ans}$$

Q12. If  $x = 30^\circ$  verify  $\cos 3x = 4\cos^3 x - 3\cos x$

sol<sup>n</sup>:

$$\cos 3 \times 30 = 4 \times \cos^3 30 - 3 \cos 30$$

$$\cos 90^\circ = 4 \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^3 - 3 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$0 = 4 \times \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$0 = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$0 = 0$$

Proved  
L.H.S = R.H.S

Q13. Find  $\theta$  if  $\sqrt{3} \tan 2\theta - 3 = 0$

sol<sup>n</sup>:

$$\sqrt{3} \tan 2\theta = 3$$

$$\tan 2\theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan 2\theta = \tan 60$$

$$2\theta = 60$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ \quad \underline{\underline{Ans}}$$

Q14. Prove that  $\frac{\cos 30 + \sin 60}{1 + \cos 60 + \sin 30} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$$\text{L.H.S.} \quad \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

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Proved  
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Q15. If  $\theta$  is an acute angle and  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$   
find the value of  $2 \tan^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta - 1$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup>:  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 $\tan \theta = 1$   
 $\theta = 45^\circ$

$$\begin{aligned} & 2 \times \tan^2 45 + \sin^2 45 - 1 \\ &= 2 \times 1^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 - 1 \\ &= 2 + \frac{1}{2} - 1 \\ &= 1 + \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[ = \frac{3}{2} \right] \text{ Ans.}$$

Q16. Write the max. and min. value of  $\sin \theta$   
Ans. -1 and 1.

Q17. What is the max. value of  $\sec \theta$  and  $\csc \theta$   
Ans. 1 and 1

Q18. Prove:  $(1 - \sin^2 \theta) \sec^2 \theta = 1$

LHS: ~~sec~~  $\cos^2 \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta$   
 $= \cos^2 \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta}$   
 $= 1$   
 $= \text{RHS.}$

Q19.  $\frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} = \sec \theta + \tan \theta$  Prove it

LHS:  $\frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} \times \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 + \cos \theta)}{1 - \cos^2 \theta} \\
 &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 + \cos \theta)}{\sin^2 \theta} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \\
 &= \csc \theta + \cot \theta \\
 &= \text{R.H.S}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q. Prove:  $\frac{\sin \theta - 2 \sin^3 \theta}{2 \cos^2 \theta - 1} = \tan \theta$

L.H.S.

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\frac{\sin \theta (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta)}{\cos \theta (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)} \\
 &= \tan \theta \left[ \frac{1 - 2(1 - \cos^2 \theta)}{2 \cos^2 \theta - 1} \right] \\
 &= \tan \theta \left[ \frac{1 - 2 + 2 \cos^2 \theta}{2 \cos^2 \theta - 1} \right] \\
 &= \tan \theta \left[ \frac{2 \cos^2 \theta - 1}{2 \cos^2 \theta - 1} \right] \\
 &= \tan \theta \\
 &= \text{R.H.S.}
 \end{aligned}$$