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## **TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS & Their Properties**

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## THINGS TO REMEMBER

1. Following are some of the fundamental trigonometric identities :

$$(i) \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta} \text{ or, } \operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta}$$

$$(ii) \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sec \theta} \text{ or, } \sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$$

$$(iii) \cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta} \text{ or, } \tan \theta = \frac{1}{\cot \theta}$$

$$(iv) \tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \text{ or, } \cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$$

$$(v) \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$(vi) 1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta \text{ or, } \sec \theta - \tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta}$$

$$(vii) 1 + \cot^2 \theta = \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta \text{ or, } \operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta = \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta}$$

2. (i)  $\sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta$  or,  $\operatorname{cosec}(-\theta) = -\operatorname{cosec} \theta$

(ii)  $\cos(-\theta) = \cos \theta$  or,  $\sec(-\theta) = \sec \theta$

(iii)  $\tan(-\theta) = -\tan \theta$  or,  $\cot(-\theta) = -\cot \theta$

(iv)  $\sin(90^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta$ ,  $\cos(90^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta$

$\tan(90^\circ - \theta) = \cot \theta$ ,  $\sec(90^\circ - \theta) = \operatorname{cosec} \theta$

$\operatorname{cosec}(90^\circ - \theta) = \sec \theta$ ,  $\cot(90^\circ - \theta) = \tan \theta$

(v)  $\sin(90^\circ + \theta) = \cos \theta$ ,  $\cos(90^\circ + \theta) = -\sin \theta$

$\tan(90^\circ + \theta) = -\cot \theta$ ,  $\cot(90^\circ + \theta) = -\tan \theta$

$\sec(90^\circ + \theta) = -\operatorname{cosec} \theta$ ,  $\operatorname{cosec}(90^\circ + \theta) = -\sec \theta$

(vi)  $\sin(180^\circ + \theta) = \sin \theta$ ,  $\cos(180^\circ + \theta) = -\cos \theta$

$\tan(180^\circ + \theta) = \tan \theta$ ,  $\cot(180^\circ + \theta) = \cot \theta$

$\sec(180^\circ + \theta) = -\sec \theta$ ,  $\operatorname{cosec}(180^\circ + \theta) = -\operatorname{cosec} \theta$

(vii)  $\sin(270^\circ - \theta) = -\cos \theta$ ,  $\cos(270^\circ - \theta) = -\sin \theta$

$\tan(270^\circ - \theta) = \cot \theta$ ,  $\cot(270^\circ - \theta) = \tan \theta$

$\operatorname{cosec}(270^\circ - \theta) = -\sec \theta$ ,  $\sec(270^\circ - \theta) = -\operatorname{cosec} \theta$

(viii)  $\sin(270^\circ + \theta) = -\cos \theta$ ,  $\cos(270^\circ + \theta) = \sin \theta$

$\tan(270^\circ + \theta) = -\cot \theta$ ,  $\cot(270^\circ + \theta) = -\tan \theta$

$\operatorname{cosec}(270^\circ + \theta) = -\sec \theta$ ,  $\sec(270^\circ + \theta) = \operatorname{cosec} \theta$

(ix)  $\sin(360^\circ - \theta) = -\sin \theta$ ,  $\cos(360^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta$

$\tan(360^\circ - \theta) = -\tan \theta$ ,  $\operatorname{cosec}(360^\circ - \theta) = -\operatorname{cosec} \theta$

$\sec(360^\circ - \theta) = \sec \theta$ ,  $\cot(360^\circ - \theta) = -\cot \theta$

(x) Sine and Cosine functions and their reciprocal i.e. Cosecant and Secant functions are periodic functions with period  $2\pi$ .

(xi) **Odd functions**

sine, tangent  
cotangent,

**Even functions**

cosine, secant  
cosecant

## EXERCISE-1

- Theorem.
- Trigonometric identities.
- Prove the following identities :
  - $\sin^8 \theta - \cos^8 \theta = (\sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta) (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta)$
  - $\cot^4 \theta + \cot^2 \theta = \operatorname{cosec}^4 \theta - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$
  - $2 \sec^2 \theta - \sec^4 \theta - 2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta + \operatorname{cosec}^4 \theta = \cot^4 \theta - \tan^4 \theta$
  - $(\sin \theta + \operatorname{cosec} \theta)^2 + (\cos \theta + \sec \theta)^2 = \tan^2 \theta + \cot^2 \theta + 7$
- Prove the following identities :
  - $(1 + \cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta) (1 + \tan \theta + \sec \theta) = 2$
  - $\frac{\tan \theta + \sec \theta - 1}{\tan \theta - \sec \theta + 1} = \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$
- If  $\tan \theta + \sin \theta = m$  and  $\tan \theta - \sin \theta = n$ , show that  $m^2 - n^2 = 4\sqrt{mn}$ .
- If  $\cos \theta + \sin \theta = \sqrt{2} \cos \theta$ , prove that  $\cos \theta - \sin \theta = \sqrt{2} \sin \theta$ .
- If  $a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta = x$  and  $a \sin \theta - b \cos \theta = y$ , prove that  $a^2 + b^2 = x^2 + y^2$ .
- If  $\frac{ax}{\cos \theta} + \frac{by}{\sin \theta} = a^2 - b^2$ , and  $\frac{ax \sin \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} - \frac{by \cos \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} = 0$ , prove that  $(ax)^{2/3} + (by)^{2/3} = (a^2 - b^2)^{2/3}$
- If  $m^2 + m'^2 + 2 mm' \cos \theta = 1$ ,  $n^2 + n'^2 + 2 nn' \cos \theta = 1$ , and  $mn + m' n' + (mn' + m' n) \cos \theta = 0$ , prove that  $m^2 + n^2 = \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$ .
- If  $a \cos \theta - b \sin \theta = c$ , show that  $a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta = \pm \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}$
- Given that :  $(1 + \cos \alpha) (1 + \cos \beta) (1 + \cos \gamma) = (1 - \cos \alpha) (1 - \cos \beta) (1 - \cos \gamma)$ . Show that one of the value of each member of this equality is  $\sin \alpha \sin \beta \sin \gamma$ .
- If  $\frac{\sin A}{\sin B} = p$  and  $\frac{\cos A}{\cos B} = q$ , find  $\tan A$  and  $\tan B$ .
- If  $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = p$ , obtain the values of  $\sec \theta$ ,  $\tan \theta$  and  $\sin \theta$  in terms of  $p$ .
- If  $\tan^2 \theta = 1 - a^2$ , prove that  $\sec \theta + \tan^3 \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta = (2 - a^2)^{3/2}$ . Also, find the value of  $a$  for which the above result holds true.
- Prove that :  $3(\sin \theta - \cos \theta)^4 + 6(\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^2 + 4(\sin^6 \theta + \cos^6 \theta) - 13 = 0$
- If  $10 \sin^4 \alpha + 15 \cos^4 \alpha = 6$ , find the value of  $27 \operatorname{cosec}^6 \alpha + 8 \sec^6 \alpha$ .

17. If  $x$  is any non-zero real number, show that  $\cos \theta$  and  $\sin \theta$  can never be equal to  $x + \frac{1}{x}$ .

18. Prove that :

$$\sin^6 \theta + \cos^6 \theta = 1 - 3 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

19. Prove that :

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

20. Prove that :

$$1 - \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 + \cot \theta} - \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{1 + \tan \theta} = \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

21. If  $\tan \theta = \frac{a}{b}$ , show that  $\frac{a \sin \theta - b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}$

22. If  $\tan^2 \theta = 1 - e^2$ , prove that  $\sec \theta + \tan^3 \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta = (2 - e^2)^{3/2}$ .

23. Find the values of  $\cos \theta$  and  $\tan \theta$  if  $\sin \theta = -\frac{3}{5}$  and  $\pi < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$ .

24. If  $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\pi < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$ , find the value of  $4 \tan^2 \theta - 3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$ .

25. Prove that :

$$\sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin \theta}{1 + \sin \theta}} = \begin{cases} \sec \theta - \tan \theta & , \text{if } -\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ -\sec \theta + \tan \theta & , \text{if } \frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$

26. Prove that :

$$\sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 - \cos \theta}} = \begin{cases} \operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta & , \text{if } 0 < \theta < \pi \\ -\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta & , \text{if } \pi < \theta < 2\pi \end{cases}$$

27. If  $\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13}$  and  $\theta$  lies in the second quadrant, find the value of  $\sec \theta + \tan \theta$ .

28. If  $\sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\tan \phi = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi < \phi < \frac{3\pi}{2}$ , find the value of  $8 \tan \theta - \sqrt{5} \sec \phi$ .

29. If  $\cos \theta = -\frac{3}{5}$  and  $\pi < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$  find the values of other five trigonometric functions and hence evaluate  $\frac{\operatorname{cosec} \theta + \cot \theta}{\sec \theta - \tan \theta}$ .

30. Prove that :  $\cos 150^\circ \cos 330^\circ + \sin 390^\circ \cos 120^\circ = -1$ .

31. If  $A, B, C, D$  are angles of a cyclic quadrilateral, prove that :  $\cos A + \cos B + \cos C + \cos D = 0$ .

32. In any quadrilateral  $ABCD$ , prove that :

(i)  $\sin(A + b) + \sin(C + D) = 0$

(ii)  $\cos(A + B) = \cos(C + D)$

33. Prove that :

$$(i) \frac{\cos(\pi + x) \cos(-x)}{\sin(\pi - x) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + x\right)} = \cot^2 x$$

$$(ii) \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} + x\right) \cos(2\pi + x) \left\{ \cot\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - x\right) + \cot(2\pi + x) \right\} = 1$$

34. Prove that :  $\sin^2 \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{18} + \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{9} + \sin^2 \frac{7\pi}{18} + \sin^2 \frac{4\pi}{9} = 2$

35. If A, B, C, D be the angle of a cyclic quadrilateral, taken in order, prove that  $\cos(180^\circ - A) + \cos(180^\circ + C) - \sin(90^\circ + D) = 0$ .

36. Prove that :

$$(i) \tan 720^\circ - \cos 270^\circ - \sin 150^\circ \cos 120^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$(ii) \sin 780^\circ \sin 480^\circ + \cos 120^\circ \sin 150^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(iii) \sin 780^\circ \sin 120^\circ + \cos 240^\circ \sin 390^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(iv) \sin 600^\circ \cos 390^\circ + \cos 480^\circ \sin 150^\circ = -1$$

$$(v) \tan 225^\circ \cot 405^\circ + \tan 765^\circ \cot 675^\circ = 0$$

## EXERCISE-2

1. If  $\sec \theta = x + \frac{1}{4x}$ , then  $\sec \theta + \tan \theta =$

(a)  $x, \frac{1}{x}$

(b)  $-\frac{1}{2x}, 2x$

(c)  $2x$

(d)  $2x, \frac{1}{2x}$

2. If  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$ , then  $\sqrt{\frac{1+\cos\theta}{1-\cos\theta}}$  is equal to

(a)  $\sec \theta - \tan \theta$

(b)  $\sec \theta + \tan \theta$

(c)  $\tan \theta - \sec \theta$

(d) none of these

3. If  $x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi$  and  $z = r \cos \theta$ , then  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$  is independent of

(a)  $\theta, \phi$

(b)  $r, \theta$

(c)  $r, \phi$

(d)  $r$

4. If  $\tan \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$  and  $\theta$  lies in the IV quadrant, then the value of  $\cos \theta$  is

(a)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{6}}$

(b)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$

(c)  $\frac{1}{2}$

(d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$

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5.  $\sin^6 A + \cos^6 A + 3 \sin^2 A \cos^2 A =$   
(a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 3
6. If  $\theta$  is an acute angle and  $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}}$ , then the value of  $\frac{\operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta - \sec^2 \theta}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta + \sec^2 \theta}$  is  
(a)  $\frac{3}{4}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (c) 2 (d)  $\frac{5}{4}$
7.  $\sin^2 \frac{\pi}{18} + \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{9} + \sin^2 \frac{7\pi}{18} + \sin^2 \frac{4\pi}{9} =$   
(a) 1 (b) 4 (c) 2 (d) 0
8. If  $x \sin 45^\circ \cos^2 60^\circ = \frac{\tan^2 60^\circ \operatorname{cosec} 30^\circ}{\sec 45^\circ \cot^2 30^\circ}$ , then  $x =$
9. If  $\operatorname{cosec} A + \cot A = \frac{11}{2}$ , then  $\tan A =$   
(a)  $\frac{21}{22}$  (b)  $\frac{15}{16}$  (c)  $\frac{44}{117}$  (d)  $\frac{117}{43}$
10. If  $\tan \theta + \sec \theta = e^x$ , then  $\cos \theta$  equals  
(a)  $\frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$  (b)  $\frac{2}{e^x + e^{-x}}$  (c)  $\frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$  (d)  $\frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$