

Warm-up

Use the given point on the terminal side of angle θ to find the value of all 6 trigonometric function indicated.

1) $(-5, -\sqrt{11})$

Find the exact values of the five trigonometric ratios not given.

2) $\csc \theta = -\frac{5}{3}$ and $\cos \theta > 0$



Intro to Trigonometric Identities

EQ: How do I prove trigonometric expressions equivalent?

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What is an identity?

A statement that is valid for all values of the variables in the domain where the expressions are defined.

What are some identities that we are already familiar with from Algebra?

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Reciprocal Identities

$\csc x =$ $\tan x =$ $\sin x =$

$\sec x =$ $\cot x =$ $\cos x =$

Quotient Identities

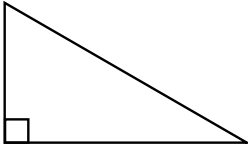
If $\csc x = 7/4$ find $\sin x$

if $\cot x = \frac{2}{5\sqrt{3}}$ and $\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$ find $\cos x$

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Activity

Pythagorean Identities: Derive the Pythagorean Identity from a right triangle



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$\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta = 1$	$\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta = 1$
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When simplifying a trig expression, try changing everything to terms of sine and cosine.

Example 1 : Simplify $\cos x \csc x$

$$= \cos x \frac{1}{\sin x}$$

$$= \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$= \cot x$$

Example 2: Simplify $\frac{\tan x \cos x}{\sin x}$

$$= \frac{\tan x \cdot \cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{\sin x} \cdot \cos x}{\cancel{\cos x} \cdot \cancel{\sin x}} = 1$$

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Ex 3: $\frac{\tan x}{\sec x}$

Ex 4: $\frac{\cos x - \cos x \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x}$

$$= \cos x (1 - \sin^2 x)$$

$$= \cos x (\cos^2 x)$$

$$= \cos^3 x$$

$\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1$
 $\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$

Ex 5: $\sin x + \cos x \cot x$

$$= \sin x + \cos x \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{\sin x}{\sin x} \sin x + \frac{\cos^2 x}{\sin x}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sin x} + \frac{\cos^2 x}{\sin x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin x} = \csc x$$

Ex 6: $\frac{\sec x - \cos x}{\sec x}$

Ex 7 $\frac{\sin x \cos x}{1 - \sin x} - \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$

Ex 7 $\frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} + \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$

Ex 8 $\frac{1}{1 + \cos x} \cdot \frac{(1 - \cos x)}{(1 - \cos x)} = \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 - \cos^2 x}$

$$= \frac{1 - \cos x}{\sin^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} - \frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x}$$

$$= \csc^2 x - \cot x \frac{1}{\sin x}$$

$$= \csc^2 x - \cot x \csc x$$

Ex 10 $\frac{\cos^2 x}{1 - \sin x}$

$\sin \alpha = \cos \beta$
 $\sin x = \cos(90^\circ - x)$
 $\cos \alpha = \sin \beta$
 $\cos x = \sin(90^\circ - x)$
 $\csc \alpha = \sec \beta$
 $\csc \alpha = \sec(90^\circ - \alpha)$
 $\tan \alpha = \cot \beta$

Sine odd
 $\sin(-x) = -\sin(x)$
 Cosine Even
 $\cos(-x) = \cos(x)$
 tangent odd
 $\tan(-x) = -\tan(x)$
 Csc odd
 $\csc(-x) = -\csc(x)$
 Sec Even
 $\sec(-x) = \sec(x)$
 Cot odd
 $\cot(-x) = -\cot(x)$

Even y-axis
 $f(x) = f(-x)$
 odd origin symmetry rotational symmetry
 $f(-x) = -f(x)$

$\tan \theta = 1.38$ Find $\cot(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})$
 $\tan \theta = \cot(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta)$
 odd $\rightarrow -\cot(-(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}))$
 $\rightarrow -\cot(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})$
 $1.38 = -\cot(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})$
 $-1.38 = \cot(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})$

$\sin \theta = 1.1$ Find $\cos(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})$
 $\sin \theta = \cos(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta)$
 Even $\rightarrow \cos(-(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta))$
 $1.1 = \cos(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2})$

Proofs: When in doubt, change everything to sine and cosine. Try to only change one side, not both. Start with the more complicated-looking side.

Example 1: Prove $\sin x \sec x = \tan x$
 LHS
 $\sin x = \tan x$

Example 2: Prove $\frac{\csc x}{\cot x} = \sec x$
 LHS
 $\frac{\frac{1}{\sin x}}{\frac{\cos x}{\sin x}} = \frac{1}{\cancel{\sin x} \frac{\cancel{\sin x}}{\cos x}} = \frac{1}{\cos x} = \sec x = \sec x$

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

RHS $= \frac{1}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin x \cos x}{\cos x}$
 $= \sec x + \sin x$

LHS $\frac{1}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin x \cos x}{\cos x}$
 ~~$\frac{1}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin x \cos x}{\cos x}$~~

OR

Ex $\cot x + \sec x = \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin x}{\sin x \cos x}$

Example 3: Prove $\cot x + \sec x = \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin x}{\sin x \cos x}$

Example 1: $\frac{\tan^2 x + 1}{\csc^2 x - 1} = \sec^2 x \tan^2 x$

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Example 2: Prove $\frac{\sec x}{\cot x + \tan x} = \sin x$

If $\tan \theta = -8$ and $\sin \theta > 0$
 Find $\sin \theta$ and $\cos \theta$

$1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta$
 $1 + (-8)^2 = \sec^2 \theta$
 $\sqrt{65} = \sec \theta$
 $-\sqrt{65} = \sec \theta$
 $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{-\sqrt{65}} = -\frac{\sqrt{65}}{65}$

$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$
 $-8 = \frac{\sin \theta}{-\frac{\sqrt{65}}{65}}$
 $\sin \theta = -8 \left(-\frac{\sqrt{65}}{65} \right) = \frac{8\sqrt{65}}{65}$

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If $\cot \theta = -3$ and $\cos \theta < 0$
Find $\csc \theta$ and $\tan \theta$

If $\sin x = \frac{1}{6}$ $\cos x > 0$
Find $\cot x + \sec x$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Simplify } & \frac{1}{1+\cos x} \cdot \frac{1-\cos x}{1-\cos x} \\ &= \frac{1-\cos x}{1-\cos^2 x} = \frac{1-\cos x}{\sin^2 x} = \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} - \frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x} \\ &= \csc^2 x - \frac{\cos x}{\sin x \sin x} \\ &= \csc^2 x - \cot x \csc x \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{4}{\sec x + \tan x} \cdot \frac{\sec x - \tan x}{\sec x - \tan x} \\ &= \frac{4(\sec x - \tan x)}{\sec^2 x - \tan^2 x} \\ &= \frac{4(\sec x - \tan x)}{(1 + \tan^2 x) - \tan^2 x} = 4(\sec x - \tan x) \end{aligned}$$