

Calculus & Trigonometry

Chapter 6 Pre-Test

1.) (20 pts total, 5 pts each) Simplify each of the following trigonometric expressions.

a)  $(\sin^2 x)(\cot^2 x + 1)$

1.)  $\sin / \cos$   
 2.)  $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$   
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$$\sin^2 x \left( \frac{\cos^2 x}{\sin^2 x} + 1 \right)$$

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

$$\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = \boxed{1}$$

b)  $(\sin x - \cos x)(\sin x + \cos x)$

c)  $\frac{1 - \cos^4 x}{1 + \cos^2 x}$

Difference of squares  
 even

$$\frac{1 - \cos^4 x}{1 + \cos^2 x} = \frac{(1 - \cos^2 x)(1 + \cos^2 x)}{1 + \cos^2 x}$$

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

$$\begin{array}{r} \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1 \\ -\cos^2 x \quad -\cos^2 x \\ \hline \sin^2 x = 1 - \cos^2 x \end{array}$$

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

2.) (40 pts total, 5 pts each) Verify each of the following trigonometric identities.

a)  $(\sin x + \cos x)^2 + (\sin x - \cos x)^2 = 2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\sin x + \cos x)(\sin x + \cos x) + (\sin x - \cos x)(\sin x - \cos x) \\
 & \sin^2 x + \cancel{2\sin x \cos x} + \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x - \cancel{2\sin x \cos x} + \cos^2 x \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad 1 \qquad \qquad \qquad + \qquad \qquad \qquad 1 = 2
 \end{aligned}$$

b)  $\tan x + \cot x = \csc x \sec x$

c)  $\left[ \frac{2 - \sin^2 x}{\cos x} \right] = \sec x + \cos x$

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

$$\begin{cases}
 \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1 \\
 -\sin^2 x \quad \uparrow \quad -\sin^2 x
 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} + \frac{\cos^2 x}{\cos x}$$

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

$$\frac{1 + \cos^2 x}{\cos x}$$

Scenario #2

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

$$\frac{1 + \cos^2 x}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{\cos x} + \cos x = \sec x + \cos x$$

$$d) \frac{1}{\csc^2 x} + \frac{1}{\sec^2 x} = 1$$

$$\frac{6}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{4}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{4}$$

$$e) \frac{1}{1-\sin x} + \frac{1}{1+\sin x} = \boxed{2\sec^2 x}$$

$$\frac{(1+\sin x)}{(1+\sin x)(1-\sin x)} + \frac{1}{1+\sin x} \cdot \frac{(1-\sin x)}{(1-\sin x)} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$

$$\frac{1+\sin x}{1+\sin x} \cdot \frac{1-\sin x}{1-\sin^2 x} + \frac{1-\sin x}{1-\sin^2 x}$$

$$\frac{1+\sin x}{1-\sin^2 x}$$

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

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

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

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

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

g)  $\sec x + \tan x = \frac{1}{\sec x - \tan x}$

$\sec x + \tan x$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $\frac{1}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$   
 $\frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{\frac{1 - \sin x}{\cos x}} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x}$

$\frac{1 + \sin x \cos x}{\cos x (1 - \sin x)}$   
 $1 - \sin^2 x = \cos^2 x$   
 true

h)  $\frac{\cos^2 x + 1 + \sin x}{\cos^2 x + 3} = \frac{1 + \sin x}{2 + \sin x}$

3.) (10 pts total, 5 pts each) Write each expression as a single trigonometric function.

$A = 4x \quad B = 3x$

a)  $\sin(4x) \sin(3x) + \cos(4x) \cos(3x)$

$\sin A \sin B + \cos A \cos B$

$\cos(A - B)$

$\cos(4x - 3x) = \boxed{\cos x}$

b)  $\sin x \cos (8x) - \cos x \sin (8x)$

4.) (10 pts total, 5 pts each) Use double angle identities to solve each of the following.

a) If  $\cos x = \frac{5}{24}$  and  $\sin x < 0$ , find  $\tan(2x)$

*adj*  $\frac{5}{24}$  *hyp*

$5^2 + y^2 = 24^2$   
 $25 + y^2 = 576$   
 $y^2 = 551$   
 $y = \pm\sqrt{551}$

$\cos x = \frac{5}{24}$   
 $\sin x = \frac{-\sqrt{551}}{24}$

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$\tan x = \frac{-\sqrt{551}}{24}$

$\tan(2x) = \frac{2 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x}$

$\tan(2x) = \frac{2 \left( \frac{-\sqrt{551}}{24} \right)}{1 - \left( \frac{-\sqrt{551}}{24} \right)^2}$

$\tan x = \frac{-\sqrt{551}}{5}$