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**Math 10/11 Enriched: Section 4.8 Proving and Verifying Basic Trigonometric Identities**

$$\sin(-x) = -\sin x \quad \tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \quad \csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x} \quad \sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x} \quad \cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x}$$

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

1. **Verify** which of the following are trigonometric identities:

a) $\tan x + \cot x = \sec x \csc x$	b) $\sec^2 x + \csc^2 x = \sec^2 x \cdot \csc^2 x$
c) $\sec^2 x - \csc^2 x = \frac{\sec^2 x}{\csc^2 x}$	d) $\sec^2 x + \csc^2 x = (\tan x + \cot x)^2$
e) $\cos^2 x = \sin x (\csc x + \sin x)$	f) $\sin^2 x = \cos x (\sec x - \cos x)$
g) $\sin x \tan x + \sec x = \frac{\sin^2 x + 1}{\cos x}$	h) $\frac{\sin x + \tan x}{\cos x + 1} = \tan x$

2. Simplify each of the following expressions:

a) $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + \cot^2 x$	b) $\frac{\sin 2x}{1 + \cos 2x}$
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c) $\frac{\sin 3x}{\sin x} - \frac{\cos 3x}{\cos x}$	d) $\cos(a+b)\cos b + \sin(a+b)\sin b$
e) $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - x\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + x\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - x\right)\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + x\right)$	f) $\frac{\cos^3 x - \cos x}{\sin^3 x}$

3. Suppose  $0 < x < 90^\circ$  and  $2\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = \frac{25}{16}$ . What is the value of  $\sin x$ ?

4. Evaluate the following:  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

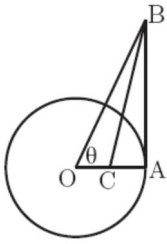
5. Determine the value of  $\sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right) + \cos^2\left(\frac{3\pi}{8}\right) + \sin^2\left(\frac{5\pi}{8}\right) + \cos^2\left(\frac{7\pi}{8}\right)$

6. Suppose that, for some angles "x" and "y"  $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 y = \frac{3a}{2}$  and  $\cos^2 x + \sin^2 y = \frac{1}{2}a^2$ , determine the possible value(s) of "a".

7. What is the sum of all values of all values of "x" between 0 and  $2\pi$  inclusive that satisfy the equation:  
 $\tan x + 1 = \sec^2 x$ ?
8. If  $\cos(x) = \frac{3}{4}$  and "x" is in the first quadrant, what is the value of  $\sin(2x)$ ?
9. Suppose that  $\sin a + \sin b = \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$  and  $\cos a + \cos b = 1$ . What is the value of  $\cos(a - b)$ ?
10. In degrees, what are all ordered pairs of angles (x,y) for which both angles are between 0 and  $90^\circ$  and satisfy the equation  $\sin^2 x + \sin^2 y = \sin x + \sin y$ ?
11. In degrees, what are all values of 'x" between 0 and  $360^\circ$  for which  $\sin x > \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 x}$ ?
12. What are the degree measures of all positive angles between 0 and  $90^\circ$  which satisfy the equation:  
 $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + \tan^2 x + \cot^2 x + \sec^2 x + \csc^2 x = 31$

13. A circle centered at "O" has radius 1 and contains the point A. Segment AB is tangent to the circle at "A" and  $\angle AOB = \theta$ . If point "C" lies on  $\overline{OA}$  and  $\overline{BC}$  bisects  $\angle ABO$ , then what is the length of OC?

- a)  $\sec^2 \theta - \tan \theta$       b)  $\frac{1}{2}$       c)  $\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{1 + \sin \theta}$       d)  $\frac{1}{1 + \sin \theta}$       e)  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}$



14. If  $\cos \theta = 2 \tan \theta$ , solve for the numerical value of  $\cos^2 \theta$ .

15. Simplify:  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + x\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - x\right) - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + x\right)\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} - x\right)$

16. If  $\sin x = \frac{-1}{3}$  and "x" is in quadrant 3, then what is the value of  $\sin 2x$ ?

17. What is the value of  $\sin(a + b)$  if  $\sin a = \frac{-3}{5}$  and  $\cos b = \frac{3}{5}$ , with both "a" and "b" in the fourth quadrant.

18. Simplify the expression:  $(\sin x - \cos x)^2 - (\sin x + \cos x)^2$

- a) 0      b)  $-\sin 2x$       c)  $\sin 2x$       d)  $-2 \sin 2x$

19. Challenge: Evaluate and simplify the following without a calculator:  $(\cos 36^\circ)(\cos 108^\circ)$

(a) Suppose that, for some angles  $x$  and  $y$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 x + \cos^2 y &= \frac{3}{2}a \\ \cos^2 x + \sin^2 y &= \frac{1}{2}a^2\end{aligned}$$

Determine the possible value(s) of  $a$ .