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636 Trigonometry - Equations and Identities Lesson #6: Sum and Difference Identities

## Assignment

1. Simplify using the sum and difference identities.

$$\begin{aligned} a) \cos(180 - B)^\circ &= \cos 180^\circ \cos B + \sin 180^\circ \sin B \\ &= \cos 180^\circ \cos B + 0 \sin B \\ &= (-1) \cos B + 0(\sin B) \\ &= -\cos B^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} c) \cos(90 + x)^\circ &= \cos 90^\circ \cos x^\circ - \sin 90^\circ \sin x^\circ \\ &= 0(\cos x^\circ) - (1)\sin x^\circ \\ &= -\sin x^\circ \end{aligned}$$

2. Simplify and evaluate the following.

$$a) \sin 70^\circ \cos 20^\circ + \cos 70^\circ \sin 20^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\quad \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B \\ &= \sin(A+B) = \sin(70 + 20) = \sin 90 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} c) \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{6} - \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \\ &\quad \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin(A-B) \\ &= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin\frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

3. Use exact values to show that

$$a) \sin 75^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{4}$$

$$\sin(45^\circ + 30^\circ) = \sin 45 \cos 30 + \cos 45 \sin 30$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

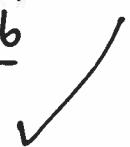
$$= \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{4}$$



$$b) \cos \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4}$$



$$\tan(A+B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B}$$

$$\tan(A-B) = \frac{\tan A - \tan B}{1 + \tan A \tan B}$$

4. Express  $\frac{7\pi}{12}$  as a sum of two special angles and hence show that  $\tan \frac{7\pi}{12} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{1 - \sqrt{3}}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{7\pi}{12} &= \frac{3\pi}{12} + \frac{4\pi}{12} \quad \leftarrow \tan \frac{7\pi}{12} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \tan \frac{\pi}{3}}{1 - \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan \frac{\pi}{3}} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{1 - (1)\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{1 - \sqrt{3}} \quad \checkmark$$

5. Prove that the exact value of  $\csc 105^\circ$  is  $\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}$ .

$$\sin 105^\circ = \sin(60^\circ + 45^\circ) = \sin 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ + \cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ$$

$$= \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{4}$$

$$\csc 105^\circ = \frac{1}{\sin 105^\circ} = \frac{4}{(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})} = \frac{4(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})}{6 - 2} = \frac{4(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})}{4}$$

(rationalize denominator)

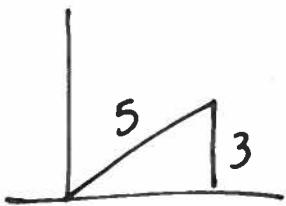
$$= \sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}$$

6. Given  $\sin x = \frac{3}{5}$  and  $\sin y = \frac{7}{25}$ , and  $x$  and  $y$  are both acute angles, show that

$$\tan(x+y) = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\tan x \cos y \neq \sqrt{\cos y} \quad \text{Q1}$$

or  $\tan x + \tan y$ .



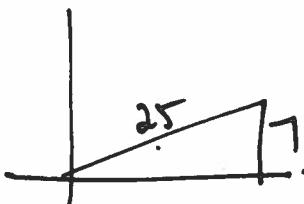
$$\sin x = \frac{4}{5} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{5}$$

$$x^2 + 3^2 = 5^2$$

$$x^2 = 16 \quad x = 4$$

$$\cos x = \frac{x}{5} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\tan x = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{3}{4}$$



$$\sin y = \frac{24}{25} = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$x^2 + 7^2 = 25^2$$

$$x^2 = 576$$

$$x = 24$$

$$\cos y = \frac{x}{25} = \frac{24}{25}$$

$$\tan y = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{7}{24}$$

$$\tan(x+y) = \frac{\tan x + \tan y}{1 - \tan x \tan y}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{24}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{24}}$$

$$= \frac{25}{24} = \frac{25}{24} \div \frac{25}{32}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{32}$$

$$= \frac{25}{24} \times \frac{32}{25} = \frac{32}{24}$$

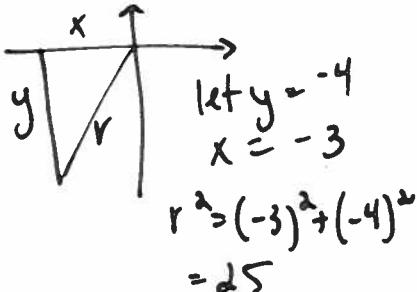
$$= \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

7. Determine exact values for  $\cos(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6})$  and  $\sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6})$  if  $\tan \theta = \frac{4}{3}$ , and  $\pi \leq \theta \leq \frac{3\pi}{2}$ . Q3

$$\tan \theta = \frac{4}{3} \text{ in Q3}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \sin \theta &= \frac{y}{r} = \frac{-4}{5} \\ \cos \theta &= \frac{x}{r} = \frac{-3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

8. Prove the following identities.

a)  $\tan(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{1 + \tan x}{1 - \tan x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LS} &= \tan(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{\tan x + \tan \frac{\pi}{4}}{1 - \tan x \tan \frac{\pi}{4}} \\ &= \frac{\tan x + 1}{1 - \tan x(1)} = \frac{1 + \tan x}{1 - \tan x} = \text{RS} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left\langle \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1 \right\rangle$$

c)  $(\cos A + \cos B)^2 + (\sin A + \sin B)^2 = 2[1 + \cos(A - B)]$

$$\text{LS} = \cos^2 A + 2\cos A \cos B + \cos^2 B + \sin^2 A + 2\sin A \sin B + \sin^2 B$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\cos^2 A + \sin^2 A) + (\cos^2 B + \sin^2 B) + 2(\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) \\ &= 1 + 1 + 2(\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B) \\ &+ 2(\cos A \cos B) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2 + 2 \cos(A - B)$$

$$= 2 [1 + \cos(A - B)]$$

$$= \text{RS} \checkmark$$

$$\cos(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}) = \cos \theta \cos \frac{\pi}{6} - \sin \theta \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$$

$$= -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{10} + \frac{4}{10} = \frac{4 - 3\sqrt{3}}{10}$$

$$\sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}) = \sin \theta \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + \cos \theta \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= -\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{10} - \frac{3}{10} = \frac{-4\sqrt{3} - 3}{10}$$

b)  $\frac{\sin(A - B)}{\cos A \cos B} = \tan A - \tan B$

$$\text{LS} = \frac{\sin A - \sin B}{\cos A \cos B} = \frac{\sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B}{\cos A \cos B}$$

$$= \frac{\sin A \cos B}{\cos A \cos B} - \frac{\cos A \sin B}{\cos A \cos B} = \tan A - \tan B$$

$$\text{LS} = \text{RS} \checkmark$$

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d)  $\sin(x+y)\sin(x-y) = \sin^2x - \sin^2y$

$$\begin{aligned} LS &= (\sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y)(\sin x \cos y - \cos x \sin y) \text{ FOIL!} \\ &= \sin^2 x \cos^2 y - \sin x \cos y \cos x \sin y + \cos x \sin y \sin x \cos y - \cos^2 x \sin^2 y \\ &= \sin^2 x \cos^2 y - \cos^2 x \sin^2 y \\ \text{multiply} &\quad \left. \begin{aligned} &= \sin^2 x (1 - \sin^2 y) - (1 - \sin^2 x) \sin^2 y \\ &= \sin^2 x - \sin^2 x \sin^2 y - \sin^2 y + \sin^2 x \sin^2 y \\ &= \sin^2 x - \sin^2 y \\ &= RS \end{aligned} \right\} \cos^2 y = 1 - \sin^2 y \end{aligned}$$

- Multiple Choice 9. If  $\cos(A+B) = 0.8320$  and  $\cos(A-B) = 0.4358$ , then the value of  $\cos A \cos B$  is

- A. 1.2678
- B. 0.6339
- C. 0.3962
- D. 0.1981

$$\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B = 0.8320$$

$$\cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B = 0.4358$$

$$\text{Add. } 2 \cos A \cos B = 1.2678$$

$$\cos A \cos B = 0.6339.$$

10. The value of  $\cos(\pi+y) - \cos(\pi-y)$  is

- A. 0
- B. 2
- C. -2
- D. dependent on the value of y

$$\begin{aligned} &(\cos \pi \cos y - \sin \pi \sin y) - (\cos \pi \cos y + \sin \pi \sin y) \\ &= (\cos \pi \cos y - \sin \pi \sin y - \cos \pi \cos y - \sin \pi \sin y) \\ &= -2 \sin \pi \sin y \\ &= -2(0) \sin y \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

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11. Given  $\csc x = \frac{-17}{15}$ , where  $\frac{3\pi}{2} \leq x \leq 2\pi$ , and  $\cot y = -\frac{3}{4}$ , where  $\frac{\pi}{2} \leq y \leq \pi$ , the value of  $\cos(x-y)$  is Q4.

A.  $-\frac{84}{85}$

B.  $-\frac{36}{35}$

C.  $\frac{84}{85}$

D.  $\frac{36}{35}$

$$\csc c = \frac{r}{y} = \frac{-17}{15}$$

$$r = 17, y = -15$$

$$\sqrt{y^2} = \sqrt{(-15)^2} = 17$$

$$x^2 = 64$$

$$x = 8$$

$$\sin x = \frac{y}{r} = -\frac{15}{17}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{x}{r} = \frac{8}{17}$$

$$\cot y = \frac{x}{y} = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{let } x = -3, y = 4$$

$$\sqrt{y^2} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (4)^2} = r^2$$

$$r^2 = 25, r = 5$$

$$\sin y = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{4}{5}, \cos y = \frac{x}{r} = -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$\cos(x-y) = \cos x \cos y + \sin x \sin y$$

$$= \left(\frac{8}{17}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{-15}{17}\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = -\frac{84}{85}$$

Numerical Response

12. If  $\sin(A+B) = 0.75$  and  $\sin(A-B) = 0.43$ , then the value of  $\cos A \sin B$ , to the nearest hundredth, is \_\_\_\_\_.

(Record your answer in the numerical response box from left to right.)

0.16

$$\sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B = 0.75$$

$$\sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B = 0.43$$

~~subtract~~

$$2 \cos A \sin B = 0.32$$

$$\cos A \sin B = 0.16$$

**Answer Key**

1. a)  $-\cos B^\circ$

b)  $\cos x$

c)  $-\sin t^\circ$

d)  $-\sin x$

2. a) 1

b)  $-\frac{1}{2}$

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

d) undefined

7.  $\cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{4-3\sqrt{3}}{10}, \sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{-4\sqrt{3}-3}{10}$

9. B

10. A

11. A

12. 

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