

# I TRIGONOMETRY IDENTITIES

## (A) IDENTITIES INVOLVING BASIC DEFINITIONS AND PYTHAGOREAN RELATIONSHIPS

1.  $\sin A \cot A = \cos A$
2.  $\cos A \tan A = \sin A$
3.  $\cot A \sec A = \csc A$
4.  $\sin A \sec A = \tan A$
5.  $\cos A \csc A = \cot A$
6.  $\cot A \sec A \sin A = 1$
7.  $(1 - \cos^2 A) \csc^2 A = 1$
8.  $(1 - \sin^2 A) \sec^2 A = 1$
9.  $\cot^2 \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta) = \cos^2 \theta$
10.  $(1 - \cos^2 \theta) \sec^2 \theta = \tan^2 \theta$
11.  $(1 + \tan^2 A) \cos^2 A = 1$
12.  $(\sec^2 A - 1) \cot^2 A = 1$
13.  $(1 - \cos^2 \theta) (1 + \tan^2 \theta) = \tan^2 \theta$
14.  $\sin^2 A (1 + \cot^2 A) = 1$
15.  $(\csc^2 A - 1) \tan^2 A = 1$
16.  $\sin^2 \theta \cot^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$
17.  $(1 - \cos^2 A) (1 + \cot^2 A) = 1$
18.  $(1 + \tan^2 \theta) (1 - \sin^2 \theta) = 1$
19.  $\sin^2 \theta \sec^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta - 1$
20.  $\csc^2 \theta \tan^2 \theta - 1 = \tan^2 \theta$
21.  $\frac{1}{\sec^2 A} + \frac{1}{\csc^2 A} = 1$
22.  $\frac{1}{\cos^2 A} - \frac{1}{\cot^2 A} = 1$
23.  $\frac{\sin A}{\csc A} + \frac{\cos A}{\sec A} = 1$
24.  $\frac{\sec A}{\cos A} - \frac{\tan A}{\cot A} = 1$
25.  $\sin^4 \alpha - \cos^4 \alpha = 2 \sin^2 \alpha - 1$
26.  $\sec^4 \alpha - 1 = 2 \tan^2 \alpha + \tan^4 \alpha$
27.  $\csc^4 \alpha - 1 = 2 \cot^2 \alpha + \cot^4 \alpha$
28.  $(\tan \alpha \csc \alpha)^2 - (\sin \alpha \sec \alpha)^2 = 1$
29.  $(\sec \theta \cot \theta)^2 - (\cos \theta \csc \theta)^2 = 1$
30.  $\tan^2 \theta - \cot^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta - \csc^2 \theta$
31.  $\frac{\sin \alpha \cot^2 \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{1}{\tan \alpha}$
32.  $\frac{\sec^2 \alpha \cot \alpha}{\csc^2 \alpha} = \tan \alpha$
33.  $\sec \theta - \tan \theta \sin \theta = \cos \theta$
34.  $\tan \theta + \cot \theta = \sec \theta \csc \theta$
35.  $(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2 + (\cos \theta - \sin \theta)^2 = 2$
36.  $(1 + \tan \theta)^2 + (1 - \tan \theta)^2 = 2 \sec^2 \theta$
37.  $(\cot \theta - 1)^2 + (\cot \theta + 1)^2 = 2 \csc^2 \theta$
38.  $\sin^2 A (1 - \cot A)^2 + \cos^2 A (1 + \tan A)^2 = 2$
39.  $\cos^2 A (\sec^2 A - \tan^2 A) + \sin^2 A (\csc^2 A - \cot^2 A) = 1$
40.  $\cot^2 \alpha + \cot^4 \alpha = \csc^2 \alpha - \csc^4 \alpha$
41.  $\frac{\tan^2 \alpha}{1 + \tan^2 \alpha} + \frac{1 + \cot^2 \alpha}{\cot^2 \alpha} = \sin^2 \alpha \sec^2 \alpha$
42.  $\frac{1}{1 - \sin \alpha} + \frac{1}{1 + \sin \alpha} = 2 \sec^2 \alpha$
43.  $\frac{\tan \alpha}{\sec \alpha - 1} + \frac{\tan \alpha}{\sec \alpha + 1} = 2 \csc \alpha$
44.  $\frac{1}{1 + \sin^2 \alpha} + \frac{1}{1 + \csc^2 \alpha} = 1$
45.  $(\sec \theta + \csc \theta)(\sin \theta + \cos \theta) = \sec \theta \csc \theta + 2$
46.  $(\cos \theta - \sin \theta)(\csc \theta - \sec \theta) = \sec \theta \csc \theta - 2$
47.  $(1 + \cot \theta + \csc \theta)(1 + \cot \theta - \csc \theta) = 2 \cot \theta$
48.  $(\sec \theta + \tan \theta - 1)(\sec \theta - \tan \theta + 1) = 2 \tan \theta$
49.  $(\sin A + \csc A)^2 + (\cos A + \sec A)^2 = \tan^2 A + \cot^2 A + 7$
50.  $(\tan \theta + \sec \theta)^2 = \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{1 - \sin \theta}$
51.  $\sin^4 A + 2 \cos^2 A - \cos^4 A = 1$
52.  $(1 + \tan^2 A)(1 - \tan^2 A) = 2 \sec^2 A - \sec^4 A$
53.  $\cos^3 x + \sin^3 x = (\cos x + \sin x)(1 - \sin x \cos x)$
54.  $\sin^4 y - 2 \sin^2 y = \cos^4 y - 1$
55.  $\frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 \theta}}{\cos \theta} \times \sqrt{\sec^2 \theta - 1} = \tan^2 \theta$
56.  $\frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} + \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x} = 2 \sec x$
57.  $\sin^2 A \times \tan A + \cos^2 A \times \cot A + 2 \sin A \times \cos A = \tan A + \cot A$