



Class XI : Maths Chapter 3 : Trignometric Functions

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Question 1:

Find the radian measures corresponding to the following degree measures:

Answer

(i) 25°

We know that $180^{\circ} = \pi$ radian

$$\therefore 25^{\circ} = \frac{\pi}{180} \times 25 \text{ radian} = \frac{5\pi}{36} \text{ radian}$$

$$-47^{\circ} 30' = \frac{-47\frac{1}{2}}{2} \text{ degree } [1^{\circ} = 60']$$

$$=\frac{-95}{2}$$
 degree

Since $180^{\circ} = \pi$ radian

$$\frac{-95}{2}$$
 deg ree = $\frac{\pi}{180} \times \left(\frac{-95}{2}\right)$ radian = $\left(\frac{-19}{36 \times 2}\right) \pi$ radian = $\frac{-19}{72} \pi$ radian

∴ -47° 30' =
$$\frac{-19}{72}$$
 π radian

(iii) 240°

We know that $180^{\circ} = \pi$ radian

$$\therefore 240^{\circ} = \frac{\pi}{180} \times 240 \text{ radian} = \frac{4}{3} \pi \text{ radian}$$

(iv) 520°

We know that $180^{\circ} = \pi$ radian

$$\therefore 520^\circ = \frac{\pi}{180} \times 520 \text{ radian} = \frac{26\pi}{9} \text{ radian}$$

Question 2:

Find the degree measures corresponding to the following radian measures

$$\left(\text{Use } \pi = \frac{22}{7} \right)$$





(i)
$$\frac{11}{16}$$
 (ii) - 4 (iii) $\frac{5\pi}{3}$ (iv) $\frac{7\pi}{6}$

Answer

(i)
$$\frac{11}{16}$$

We know that π radian = 180°

$$\therefore \frac{11}{16} \text{ radain} = \frac{180}{\pi} \times \frac{11}{16} \text{ deg ree} = \frac{45 \times 11}{\pi \times 4} \text{deg ree}$$

$$= \frac{45 \times 11 \times 7}{22 \times 4} \text{ deg ree} = \frac{315}{8} \text{ deg ree}$$

$$= 39\frac{3}{8} \text{ deg ree}$$

$$= 39^{\circ} + \frac{3 \times 60}{8} \text{ min utes}$$

$$= 39^{\circ} + 22' + \frac{1}{2} \text{ min utes}$$

$$= 39^{\circ} 22'30'' \qquad [1' = 60'']$$

$$(ii) - 4$$

We know that π radian = 180°

$$-4 \text{ radian} = \frac{180}{\pi} \times (-4) \text{ deg ree} = \frac{180 \times 7(-4)}{22} \text{ deg ree}$$

$$= \frac{-2520}{11} \text{ deg ree} = -229 \frac{1}{11} \text{ deg ree}$$

$$= -229^{\circ} + \frac{1 \times 60}{11} \text{ min utes} \qquad [1^{\circ} = 60^{\circ}]$$

$$= -229^{\circ} + 5^{\circ} + \frac{5}{11} \text{ min utes}$$

$$= -229^{\circ} 5^{\circ} 27^{\circ} \qquad [1^{\circ} = 60^{\circ}]$$

(iii)
$$\frac{5\pi}{3}$$

We know that π radian = 180°

$$\therefore \frac{5\pi}{3} \text{ radian} = \frac{180}{\pi} \times \frac{5\pi}{3} \text{ deg ree} = 300^{\circ}$$





$$\frac{7\pi}{6}$$

We know that π radian = 180°

$$\therefore \frac{7\pi}{6} \text{ radian} = \frac{180}{\pi} \times \frac{7\pi}{6} = 210^{\circ}$$

Question 3:

A wheel makes 360 revolutions in one minute. Through how many radians does it turn in one second?

Answer

Number of revolutions made by the wheel in $\frac{1}{1}$ minute = $\frac{360}{1}$

$$\frac{360}{60} = 6$$

: Number of revolutions made by the wheel in 1 second = $\frac{60}{1}$

In one complete revolution, the wheel turns an angle of 2π radian.

Hence, in 6 complete revolutions, it will turn an angle of $6 \times 2\pi$ radian, i.e.,

12 π radian

Thus, in one second, the wheel turns an angle of 12π radian.

Question 4:

Find the degree measure of the angle subtended at the centre of a circle of radius 100

cm by an arc of length 22 cm
$$\left(\text{Use } \pi = \frac{22}{7} \right)$$
.

Answer

We know that in a circle of radius r unit, if an arc of length l unit subtends an angle θ radian at the centre, then

$$\theta = \frac{1}{r}$$

Therefore, forr = 100 cm, I = 22 cm, we have

$$\theta = \frac{22}{100} \text{ radian} = \frac{180}{\pi} \times \frac{22}{100} \text{ deg ree} = \frac{180 \times 7 \times 22}{22 \times 100} \text{ deg ree}$$
$$= \frac{126}{10} \text{ deg ree} = 12\frac{3}{5} \text{ deg ree} = 12^{\circ}36' \quad [1^{\circ} = 60']$$

Thus, the required angle is 12°36'.





Question 5:

In a circle of diameter 40 cm, the length of a chord is 20 cm. Find the length of minor arc of the chord.

Answer

Diameter of the circle = 40 cm

∴Radius (r) of the circle =
$$\frac{40}{2}$$
 cm = 20 cm

Let AB be a chord (length = 20 cm) of the circle.



In $\triangle OAB$, OA = OB = Radius of circle = 20 cm

Also, AB = 20 cm

Thus, ΔOAB is an equilateral triangle.

$$\theta = 60^{\circ} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$
 radian

We know that in a circle of radius r unit, if an arc of length l unit subtends an angle θ

$$\theta = \frac{l}{r}$$

radian at the centre, then

$$\frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\widehat{AB}}{20} \Rightarrow \widehat{AB} = \frac{20\pi}{3}$$
 cm

$$\frac{20\pi}{2}$$
 cm

Thus, the length of the minor arc of the chord is

Question 6:

If in two circles, arcs of the same length subtend angles 60° and 75° at the centre, find the ratio of their radii.





Let the radii of the two circles be r_1 and r_2 . Let an arc of length r_1 subtend an angle of 60° at the centre of the circle of radius r_1 , while let an arc of length r_2 subtend an angle of 75° at the centre of the circle of radius r_2 .

Now,
$$60^\circ = \frac{\pi}{3}$$
 radian and $75^\circ = \frac{5\pi}{12}$ radian

We know that in a circle of radius r unit, if an arc of length l unit subtends an angle θ

$$\theta = \frac{l}{r} \text{ or } l = r\theta$$

radian at the centre, then

$$\therefore l = \frac{r_1 \pi}{3} \text{ and } l = \frac{r_2 5 \pi}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r_1 \pi}{3} = \frac{r_2 5 \pi}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow r_1 = \frac{r_2 5}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{5}{4}$$

Thus, the ratio of the radii is 5:4.

Question 7:

Find the angle in radian though which a pendulum swings if its length is 75 cm and the tip describes an arc of length

(i) 10 cm (ii) 15 cm (iii) 21 cm

Answer

We know that in a circle of radius r unit, if an arc of length l unit subtends an angle θ

radian at the centre, then $\theta = \frac{l}{r}$.

It is given that r = 75 cm

(i) Here, l = 10 cm

$$\theta = \frac{10}{75}$$
 radian = $\frac{2}{15}$ radian

(ii) Here, l = 15 cm

$$\theta = \frac{15}{75}$$
 radian = $\frac{1}{5}$ radian

(iii) Here, I = 21 cm

$$\theta = \frac{21}{75}$$
 radian $= \frac{7}{25}$ radian



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Question 1:

Find the values of other five trigonometric functions if $\cos x = -\frac{1}{2}$, x lies in third quadrant.

Answer

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

$$\therefore \sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} = -2$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = 1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Since x lies in the 3^{rd} quadrant, the value of $\sin x$ will be negative.

$$\therefore \sin x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos ecx = \frac{1}{\sin x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)}{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

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Question 2:

Find the values of other five trigonometric functions if $\sin x = \frac{3}{5}$, x lies in second quadrant.

Answer

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

$$\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)} = \frac{5}{3}$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x = 1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x = 1 - \frac{9}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 x = \frac{16}{25}$$

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

Since x lies in the 2^{nd} quadrant, the value of $\cos x$ will be negative

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

$$\sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)} = -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)}{\left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)} = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x} = -\frac{4}{3}$$



Question 3:

Find the values of other five trigonometric functions if $\cot x = \frac{3}{4}$, x lies in third quadrant. Answer

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

$$\tan x = \frac{1}{\cot x} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$1 + \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^2 = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{16}{9} = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{25}{9} = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec x = \pm \frac{5}{3}$$

Since x lies in the 3^{rd} quadrant, the value of $\sec x$ will be negative.

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$$\therefore \sec x = -\frac{5}{3}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{1}{\sec x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{5}{3}\right)} = -\frac{3}{5}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{3} = \frac{\sin x}{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \times \left(\frac{-3}{5}\right) = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x} = -\frac{5}{4}$$

Question 4:

Find the values of other five trigonometric functions if $\sec x = \frac{13}{5}$, x lies in fourth quadrant.

Answer

$$\sec x = \frac{13}{5}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{1}{\sec x} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{13}{5}\right)} = \frac{5}{13}$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = 1 - \left(\frac{5}{13}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 x = 1 - \frac{25}{169} = \frac{144}{169}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \pm \frac{12}{13}$$

Since x lies in the 4th quadrant, the value of $\sin x$ will be negative.

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$$\therefore \sin x = -\frac{12}{13}$$

$$\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{12}{13}\right)} = -\frac{13}{12}$$

$$\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{\left(\frac{-12}{13}\right)}{\left(\frac{5}{13}\right)} = -\frac{12}{5}$$

$$\cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{12}{5}\right)} = -\frac{5}{12}$$

Question 5:

Find the values of other five trigonometric functions if $\tan x = -\frac{5}{12}$, x lies in second quadrant.

$$\tan x = -\frac{5}{12}$$

$$\cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{5}{12}\right)} = -\frac{12}{5}$$

$$1 + \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \left(-\frac{5}{12}\right)^2 = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{25}{144} = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{169}{144} = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 sec $x = \pm \frac{13}{12}$

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Since x lies in the 2^{nd} quadrant, the value of $\sec x$ will be negative.

Question 6:

Find the value of the trigonometric function sin 765°

Answer

It is known that the values of $\sin x$ repeat after an interval of 2π or 360° .

$$\sin 765^\circ = \sin (2 \times 360^\circ + 45^\circ) = \sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Question 7:

Find the value of the trigonometric function cosec (-1410°)

Answer

It is known that the values of cosec x repeat after an interval of 2π or 360° .

∴ cosec
$$(-1410^{\circ})$$
 = cosec $(-1410^{\circ} + 4 \times 360^{\circ})$
= cosec $(-1410^{\circ} + 1440^{\circ})$
= cosec $30^{\circ} = 2$



Question 8:

Find the value of the trigonometric function $\tan \frac{19\pi}{3}$

It is known that the values of $\tan x$ repeat after an interval of π or 180°.

Question 9:

Find the value of the trigonometric function $\sin\left(-\frac{11\pi}{3}\right)$ Answer

It is known that the values of $\sin x$ repeat after an interval of 2π or 360° .

$$\therefore \sin\left(-\frac{11\pi}{3}\right) = \sin\left(-\frac{11\pi}{3} + 2 \times 2\pi\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Question 10:

Find the value of the trigonometric function $\cot\left(-\frac{15\pi}{4}\right)$ Answer

It is known that the values of $\cot x$ repeat after an interval of π or 180°.

$$\therefore \cot\left(-\frac{15\pi}{4}\right) = \cot\left(-\frac{15\pi}{4} + 4\pi\right) = \cot\frac{\pi}{4} = 1$$





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Question 1:

$$\sin^2 \frac{\pi}{6} + \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{3} - \tan^2 \frac{\pi}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Answer

L.H.S. =
$$\sin^{2}\frac{\pi}{6} + \cos^{2}\frac{\pi}{3} - \tan^{2}\frac{\pi}{4}$$
$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2} - (1)^{2}$$
$$= \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}$$
$$= R.H.S.$$

Question 2:

Prove that
$$2\sin^2\frac{\pi}{6} + \csc^2\frac{7\pi}{6}\cos^2\frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{3}{2}$$

L.H.S. =
$$2\sin^2\frac{\pi}{6} + \csc^2\frac{7\pi}{6}\cos^2\frac{\pi}{3}$$

= $2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \csc^2\left(\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$
= $2 \times \frac{1}{4} + \left(-\cos \frac{\pi}{6}\right)^2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$
= $\frac{1}{2} + (-2)^2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$
= $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{4}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + 1 = \frac{3}{2}$
= R.H.S.





Question 3:

Prove that
$$\cot^2 \frac{\pi}{6} + \csc \frac{5\pi}{6} + 3\tan^2 \frac{\pi}{6} = 6$$

Answer

L.H.S. =
$$\cot^2 \frac{\pi}{6} + \csc \frac{5\pi}{6} + 3\tan^2 \frac{\pi}{6}$$

= $(\sqrt{3})^2 + \csc \left(\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2$
= $3 + \csc \frac{\pi}{6} + 3 \times \frac{1}{3}$
= $3 + 2 + 1 = 6$
= R.H.S

Question 4:

Prove that
$$2\sin^2\frac{3\pi}{4} + 2\cos^2\frac{\pi}{4} + 2\sec^2\frac{\pi}{3} = 10$$

Answer

L.H.S =
$$2\sin^2 \frac{3\pi}{4} + 2\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{4} + 2\sec^2 \frac{\pi}{3}$$

= $2\left\{\sin\left(\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right\}^2 + 2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + 2(2)^2$
= $2\left\{\sin\frac{\pi}{4}\right\}^2 + 2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 8$
= $2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + 1 + 8$
= 10
= R.H.S





Question 5:

Find the value of:

- (i) sin 75°
- (ii) tan 15°

Answer

(i)
$$\sin 75^\circ = \sin (45^\circ + 30^\circ)$$

$$= \sin 45^{\circ} \cos 30^{\circ} + \cos 45^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ}$$

 $[\sin(x + y) = \sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y]$

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

(ii) $\tan 15^\circ = \tan (45^\circ - 30^\circ)$

$$= \frac{\tan 45^{\circ} - \tan 30^{\circ}}{1 + \tan 45^{\circ} \tan 30^{\circ}} \qquad \left[\tan (x - y) = \frac{\tan x - \tan y}{1 + \tan x \tan y} \right]$$

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

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

$$= \frac{4 - 2\sqrt{3}}{3 - 1} = 2 - \sqrt{3}$$





Question 6:

Prove that:
$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right) - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right) = \sin(x + y)$$
Answer
$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right) - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[2\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right) \right] + \frac{1}{2} \left[-2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} + \cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) - \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} \right]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} - \cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) - \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} - \cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) - \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} \right]$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos\left\{\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - y\right)\right\} \right]$$

$$= \cos\left[\frac{\pi}{2} - (x + y)\right]$$

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

= R.H.S





Question 7:

$$\frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right)}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - x\right)} = \left(\frac{1 + \tan x}{1 - \tan x}\right)^2$$

Prove that:

Answer

$$\tan(A+B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} \text{ and } \tan(A-B) = \frac{\tan A - \tan B}{1 + \tan A \tan B}$$
It is known that

$$\frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}+x\right)}{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}-x\right)} = \frac{\left(\frac{\tan\frac{\pi}{4}+\tan x}{1-\tan\frac{\pi}{4}\tan x}\right)}{\left(\frac{\tan\frac{\pi}{4}-\tan x}{1+\tan\frac{\pi}{4}\tan x}\right)} = \frac{\left(\frac{1+\tan x}{1-\tan x}\right)}{\left(\frac{1-\tan x}{1+\tan x}\right)} = \left(\frac{1+\tan x}{1-\tan x}\right)^2 = R.H.S.$$
L.H.S. =

Question 8:

$$\frac{\cos(\pi+x)\cos(-x)}{\sin(\pi-x)\cos(\frac{\pi}{2}+x)} = \cot^2 x$$

Prove that

L.H.S. =
$$\frac{\cos(\pi + x)\cos(-x)}{\sin(\pi - x)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + x\right)}$$
$$= \frac{\left[-\cos x\right]\left[\cos x\right]}{\left(\sin x\right)\left(-\sin x\right)}$$
$$= \frac{-\cos^2 x}{-\sin^2 x}$$
$$= \cot^2 x$$
$$= R.H.S.$$





Question 9:

$$\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} + x\right) \cos\left(2\pi + x\right) \left[\cot\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - x\right) + \cot\left(2\pi + x\right)\right] = 1$$

Answer

L.H.S. =
$$\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} + x\right)\cos\left(2\pi + x\right)\left[\cot\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} - x\right) + \cot\left(2\pi + x\right)\right]$$

$$= \sin x \cos x \left[\tan x + \cot x \right]$$

$$= \sin x \cos x \left(\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \right)$$

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

$$= 1 = R.H.S.$$

Question 10:

Prove that $\sin (n + 1)x \sin (n + 2)x + \cos (n + 1)x \cos (n + 2)x = \cos x$

Answer

L.H.S. =
$$\sin (n + 1)x \sin(n + 2)x + \cos (n + 1)x \cos(n + 2)x$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \Big[2\sin(n+1)x\sin(n+2)x + 2\cos(n+1)x\cos(n+2)x \Big]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos\{(n+1)x - (n+2)x\} - \cos\{(n+1)x + (n+2)x\} \\ + \cos\{(n+1)x + (n+2)x\} + \cos\{(n+1)x - (n+2)x\} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[\because -2\sin A\sin B = \cos (A+B) - \cos (A-B) \right]$$

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

$$=\frac{1}{2}\times 2\cos\{(n+1)x-(n+2)x\}$$

$$= \cos(-x) = \cos x = R.H.S.$$

Question 11:

Prove that
$$\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + x\right) - \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - x\right) = -\sqrt{2}\sin x$$

Answer





It is known that
$$\cos A - \cos B = -2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right).\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$
 \therefore L.H.S. = $\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + x\right) - \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - x\right)$ $= -2\sin\left\{\frac{\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + x\right) + \left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - x\right)}{2}\right\}.\sin\left\{\frac{\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + x\right) - \left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - x\right)}{2}\right\}$ $= -2\sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)\sin x$ $= -2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\sin x$ $= -2\sin\frac{\pi}{4}\sin x$ $= -2\times\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\times\sin x$

Question 12:

 $=-\sqrt{2}\sin x$

= R.H.S.

Prove that $\sin^2 6x - \sin^2 4x = \sin 2x \sin 10x$

Answer

It is known that

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \quad \sin A - \sin B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

 $\therefore L.H.S. = \sin^2 6x - \sin^2 4x$

 $= (\sin 6x + \sin 4x) (\sin 6x - \sin 4x)$

$$= \left[2\sin\left(\frac{6x+4x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{6x-4x}{2}\right)\right]\left[2\cos\left(\frac{6x+4x}{2}\right).\sin\left(\frac{6x-4x}{2}\right)\right]$$

 $= (2 \sin 5x \cos x) (2 \cos 5x \sin x)$

 $= (2 \sin 5x \cos 5x) (2 \sin x \cos x)$

 $= \sin 10x \sin 2x$





= R.H.S.

Question 13:

Prove that $\cos^2 2x - \cos^2 6x = \sin 4x \sin 8x$

Answer

It is known that

$$\cos A + \cos B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \quad \cos A - \cos B = -2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

 $\therefore L.H.S. = \cos^2 2x - \cos^2 6x$

 $= (\cos 2x + \cos 6x) (\cos 2x - 6x)$

$$= \left[2\cos\left(\frac{2x+6x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{2x-6x}{2}\right)\right]\left[-2\sin\left(\frac{2x+6x}{2}\right)\sin\frac{(2x-6x)}{2}\right]$$

$$= [2\cos 4x\cos(-2x)][-2\sin 4x\sin(-2x)]$$

$$= [2 \cos 4x \cos 2x] [-2 \sin 4x (-\sin 2x)]$$

$$= (2 \sin 4x \cos 4x) (2 \sin 2x \cos 2x)$$

$$= \sin 8x \sin 4x$$

= R.H.S.

Question 14:

Prove that $\sin 2x + 2\sin 4x + \sin 6x = 4\cos^2 x \sin 4x$

$$L.H.S. = \sin 2x + 2 \sin 4x + \sin 6x$$

$$= [\sin 2x + \sin 6x] + 2 \sin 4x$$

$$= \left[2\sin\left(\frac{2x+6x}{2}\right)\left(\frac{2x-6x}{2}\right)\right] + 2\sin 4x$$

$$\left[\because \sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \left(\frac{A+B}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{A-B}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$= 2 \sin 4x \cos (-2x) + 2 \sin 4x$$

$$= 2 \sin 4x \cos 2x + 2 \sin 4x$$

$$= 2 \sin 4x (\cos 2x + 1)$$

$$= 2 \sin 4x (2 \cos^2 x - 1 + 1)$$

$$= 2 \sin 4x (2 \cos^2 x)$$





$$= 4\cos^2 x \sin 4x$$

Question 15:

Prove that cot $4x (\sin 5x + \sin 3x) = \cot x (\sin 5x - \sin 3x)$

Answer

L.H.S = $\cot 4x (\sin 5x + \sin 3x)$

$$= \frac{\cot 4x}{\sin 4x} \left[2\sin\left(\frac{5x+3x}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{5x-3x}{2}\right) \right]$$

$$= \left(\frac{\cos 4x}{\sin 4x}\right) \left[2\sin 4x\cos x\right]$$

$$= 2 \cos 4x \cos x$$

R.H.S. = $\cot x \left(\sin 5x - \sin 3x\right)$

$$= \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \left[2 \cos \left(\frac{5x + 3x}{2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{5x - 3x}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$\left[\because \sin A - \sin B = 2 \cos \left(\frac{A + B}{2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{A - B}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} [2\cos 4x \sin x]$$

$$= 2 \cos 4x \cdot \cos x$$

$$L.H.S. = R.H.S.$$

Question 16:

Prove that
$$\frac{\cos 9x - \cos 5x}{\sin 17x - \sin 3x} = -\frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 10x}$$

Answer

It is known that

$$\cos A - \cos B = -2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \ \sin A - \sin B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$





$$\begin{aligned} &: \text{L.H.S} &= \frac{\cos 9x - \cos 5x}{\sin 17x - \sin 3x} \\ &= \frac{-2\sin\left(\frac{9x + 5x}{2}\right).\sin\left(\frac{9x - 5x}{2}\right)}{2\cos\left(\frac{17x + 3x}{2}\right).\sin\left(\frac{17x - 3x}{2}\right)} \\ &= \frac{-2\sin 7x.\sin 2x}{2\cos 10x.\sin 7x} \\ &= -\frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 10x} \\ &= \text{R.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

Question 17:

Prove that
$$\frac{\sin 5x + \sin 3x}{\cos 5x + \cos 3x} = \tan 4x$$

Answer

It is known that

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \quad \cos A + \cos B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

$$\sin 5x + \sin 3x$$

$$\therefore L.H.S. = \cos 5x + \cos 3x$$

$$= \frac{2\sin\left(\frac{5x+3x}{2}\right).\cos\left(\frac{5x-3x}{2}\right)}{2\cos\left(\frac{5x+3x}{2}\right).\cos\left(\frac{5x-3x}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{2\sin 4x.\cos x}{2\cos 4x.\cos x}$$

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

$$= \tan 4x = R.H.S.$$

Question 18:

Prove that
$$\frac{\sin x - \sin y}{\cos x + \cos y} = \tan \frac{x - y}{2}$$





Answer

It is known that

$$\sin A - \sin B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \quad \cos A + \cos B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{\sin x - \sin y}{\cos x + \cos y}$$

$$= \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right).\sin\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right)}{2\cos\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right).\cos\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\sin\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right)}$$

$$=\tan\left(\frac{x-y}{2}\right)=R.H.S.$$

Question 19:

Prove that
$$\frac{\sin x + \sin 3x}{\cos x + \cos 3x} = \tan 2x$$

Answer

It is known that

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \quad \cos A + \cos B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

$$\sin x + \sin 3x$$

$$\therefore$$
L.H.S. = $\cos x + \cos 3x$





$$= \frac{2\sin\left(\frac{x+3x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{x-3x}{2}\right)}{2\cos\left(\frac{x+3x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{x-3x}{2}\right)}$$

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

$$= \tan 2x$$

$$= R.H.S$$

Question 20:

Prove that
$$\frac{\sin x - \sin 3x}{\sin^2 x - \cos^2 x} = 2\sin x$$

Answer

It is known that

$$\sin A - \sin B = 2 \cos \left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right) \sin \left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A = \cos 2A$$

$$\therefore \text{L.H.S.} = \frac{\frac{\sin x - \sin 3x}{\sin^2 x - \cos^2 x}}{= \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{x + 3x}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{x - 3x}{2}\right)}{-\cos 2x}}$$
$$= \frac{2\cos 2x\sin(-x)}{-\cos 2x}$$

$$-\cos 2x$$

$$=-2\times(-\sin x)$$

$$= 2 \sin x = R.H.S.$$

Question 21:

Prove that
$$\frac{\cos 4x + \cos 3x + \cos 2x}{\sin 4x + \sin 3x + \sin 2x} = \cot 3x$$

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$$\cos 4x + \cos 3x + \cos 2x$$

$$L.H.S. = \sin 4x + \sin 3x + \sin 2x$$





$$= \frac{(\cos 4x + \cos 2x) + \cos 3x}{(\sin 4x + \sin 2x) + \sin 3x}$$

$$= \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{4x + 2x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{4x - 2x}{2}\right) + \cos 3x}{2\sin\left(\frac{4x + 2x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{4x - 2x}{2}\right) + \sin 3x}$$

$$\left[\because \cos A + \cos B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A + B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A - B}{2}\right), \sin A + \sin B = 2\sin\left(\frac{A + B}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{A - B}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$= \frac{2\cos 3x \cos x + \cos 3x}{2\sin 3x \cos x + \sin 3x}$$

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

$$= \cot 3x = R.H.S.$$

Question 22:

Prove that $\cot x \cot 2x - \cot 2x \cot 3x - \cot 3x \cot x = 1$

Answer

L.H.S. =
$$\cot x \cot 2x - \cot 2x \cot 3x - \cot 3x \cot x$$

$$= \cot x \cot 2x - \cot 3x (\cot 2x + \cot x)$$

$$= \cot x \cot 2x - \cot (2x + x) (\cot 2x + \cot x)$$

$$= \cot x \cot 2x - \left[\frac{\cot 2x \cot x - 1}{\cot x + \cot 2x} \right] (\cot 2x + \cot x)$$

$$= \cot x \cot 2x - (\cot 2x \cot x - 1)$$

$$= 1 = R.H.S.$$

Question 23:

Prove that
$$\tan 4x = \frac{4\tan x \left(1 - \tan^2 x\right)}{1 - 6\tan^2 x + \tan^4 x}$$

$$\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$
 It is known that





$$\therefore L.H.S. = \tan 4x = \tan 2(2x)$$

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

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

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{4\tan x}{1-\tan^2 x}\right)}{\left[1-\frac{4\tan^2 x}{\left(1-\tan^2 x\right)^2}\right]}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{4 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x}\right)}{\left[\frac{\left(1 - \tan^2 x\right)^2 - 4 \tan^2 x}{\left(1 - \tan^2 x\right)^2}\right]}$$

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

$$= \frac{4 \tan x \left(1 - \tan^2 x\right)}{1 + \tan^4 x - 2 \tan^2 x - 4 \tan^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{4 \tan x (1 - \tan^2 x)}{1 - 6 \tan^2 x + \tan^4 x} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

Question 24:

Prove that $\cos 4x = 1 - 8\sin^2 x \cos^2 x$

Answer

 $L.H.S. = \cos 4x$

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

$$= 1 - 2 \sin^2 2x [\cos 2A = 1 - 2 \sin^2 A]$$

$$= 1 - 2(2 \sin x \cos x)^{2} [\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A]$$

$$= 1 - 8 \sin^2 x \cos^2 x$$

$$= R.H.S.$$





Question 25:

Prove that: $\cos 6x = 32 \cos^6 x - 48 \cos^4 x + 18 \cos^2 x - 1$

Answer

L.H.S. = $\cos 6x$

$$= \cos 3(2x)$$

$$= 4 \cos^3 2x - 3 \cos 2x [\cos 3A = 4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A]$$

$$= 4 \left[(2 \cos^2 x - 1)^3 - 3 (2 \cos^2 x - 1) \left[\cos 2x = 2 \cos^2 x - 1 \right] \right]$$

$$= 4 \left[(2 \cos^2 x)^3 - (1)^3 - 3 (2 \cos^2 x)^2 + 3 (2 \cos^2 x) \right] - 6 \cos^2 x + 3$$

$$= 4 [8\cos^6 x - 1 - 12\cos^4 x + 6\cos^2 x] - 6\cos^2 x + 3$$

$$= 32 \cos^6 x - 4 - 48 \cos^4 x + 24 \cos^2 x - 6 \cos^2 x + 3$$

$$= 32 \cos^6 x - 48 \cos^4 x + 18 \cos^2 x - 1$$





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Question 1: Prove that:
$$2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{3\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{5\pi}{13} = 0$$

L.H.S.

L.H.S.
$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{3\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{5\pi}{13}$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + 2\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{13} + \frac{5\pi}{13}\right)\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{13} - \frac{5\pi}{13}\right)$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{13}\right)$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\cos\frac{\pi}{13}$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\cos\frac{\pi}{13}$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\left[\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\right]$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\left[\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\right]$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\left[\cos\frac{9\pi}{13} + \cos\frac{4\pi}{13}\right]$$

$$= 2\cos\frac{\pi}{13} \left[2\cos\left(\frac{\frac{9\pi}{13} + \frac{4\pi}{13}}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\frac{9\pi}{13} - \frac{4\pi}{13}}{2}\right) \right]$$

$$=2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\left[2\cos\frac{\pi}{2}\cos\frac{5\pi}{26}\right]$$

$$=2\cos\frac{\pi}{13}\times2\times0\times\cos\frac{5\pi}{26}$$

$$= 0 = R.H.S$$

Question 2:

Prove that: $(\sin 3x + \sin x) \sin x + (\cos 3x - \cos x) \cos x = 0$

Answer

L.H.S.

$$= (\sin 3x + \sin x) \sin x + (\cos 3x - \cos x) \cos x$$





$$= \sin 3x \sin x + \sin^2 x + \cos 3x \cos x - \cos^2 x$$

$$= \cos 3x \cos x + \sin 3x \sin x - (\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x)$$

$$= \cos(3x - x) - \cos 2x \qquad \left[\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B\right]$$

$$=\cos 2x - \cos 2x$$

$$=0$$

Question 3:

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

Prove that:

Answer

L.H.S. =
$$(\cos x + \cos y)^2 + (\sin x - \sin y)^2$$

= $\cos^2 x + \cos^2 y + 2\cos x \cos y + \sin^2 x + \sin^2 y - 2\sin x \sin y$
= $(\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x) + (\cos^2 y + \sin^2 y) + 2(\cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y)$
= $1 + 1 + 2\cos(x + y)$ [$\cos(A + B) = (\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B)$]
= $2 + 2\cos(x + y)$
= $2[1 + \cos(x + y)]$
= $2[1 + 2\cos^2(\frac{x + y}{2}) - 1]$ [$\cos 2A = 2\cos^2 A - 1$]
= $4\cos^2(\frac{x + y}{2}) = R.H.S.$

Question 4:

Prove that:
$$\left(\cos x - \cos y\right)^2 + \left(\sin x - \sin y\right)^2 = 4\sin^2\frac{x - y}{2}$$

L.H.S. =
$$(\cos x - \cos y)^2 + (\sin x - \sin y)^2$$





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

$$= (\cos^{2} x + \sin^{2} x) + (\cos^{2} y + \sin^{2} y) - 2 [\cos x \cos y + \sin x \sin y]$$

$$= 1 + 1 - 2 [\cos (x - y)] \qquad [\cos (A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B]$$

$$= 2 [1 - \cos (x - y)]$$

$$= 2 [1 - \{1 - 2\sin^{2} \left(\frac{x - y}{2}\right)\}] \qquad [\cos 2A = 1 - 2\sin^{2} A]$$

$$= 4\sin^{2} \left(\frac{x - y}{2}\right) = \text{R.H.S.}$$

Question 5:

Prove that: $\sin x + \sin 3x + \sin 5x + \sin 7x = 4\cos x \cos 2x \sin 4x$

Answer

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2\sin\left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

It is known that

L.H.S. =
$$\sin x + \sin 3x + \sin 5x + \sin 7x$$

$$= (\sin x + \sin 5x) + (\sin 3x + \sin 7x)$$

$$= 2\sin\left(\frac{x+5x}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{x-5x}{2}\right) + 2\sin\left(\frac{3x+7x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{3x-7x}{2}\right)$$

$$= 2\sin 3x \cos(-2x) + 2\sin 5x \cos(-2x)$$

$$= 2\sin 3x\cos 2x + 2\sin 5x\cos 2x$$

$$= 2\cos 2x \left[\sin 3x + \sin 5x\right]$$

$$= 2\cos 2x \left[2\sin\left(\frac{3x+5x}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{3x-5x}{2}\right) \right]$$

$$= 2\cos 2x \left[2\sin 4x \cdot \cos(-x) \right]$$

$$= 4\cos 2x \sin 4x \cos x = R.H.S.$$

Question 6:

Prove that:
$$\frac{\left(\sin 7x + \sin 5x\right) + \left(\sin 9x + \sin 3x\right)}{\left(\cos 7x + \cos 5x\right) + \left(\cos 9x + \cos 3x\right)} = \tan 6x$$





It is known that

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right) \cdot \cos \left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right), \quad \cos A + \cos B = 2 \cos \left(\frac{A+B}{2}\right) \cdot \cos \left(\frac{A-B}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{\left(\sin 7x + \sin 5x\right) + \left(\sin 9x + \sin 3x\right)}{\left(\cos 7x + \cos 5x\right) + \left(\cos 9x + \cos 3x\right)}$$
L.H.S. =

$$=\frac{\left[2\sin\left(\frac{7x+5x}{2}\right)\cdot\cos\left(\frac{7x-5x}{2}\right)\right]+\left[2\sin\left(\frac{9x+3x}{2}\right)\cdot\cos\left(\frac{9x-3x}{2}\right)\right]}{\left[2\cos\left(\frac{7x+5x}{2}\right)\cdot\cos\left(\frac{7x-5x}{2}\right)\right]+\left[2\cos\left(\frac{9x+3x}{2}\right)\cdot\cos\left(\frac{9x-3x}{2}\right)\right]}$$

$$= \frac{\left[2\sin 6x \cdot \cos x\right] + \left[2\sin 6x \cdot \cos 3x\right]}{\left[2\cos 6x \cdot \cos x\right] + \left[2\cos 6x \cdot \cos 3x\right]}$$

$$= \frac{2\sin 6x \left[\cos x + \cos 3x\right]}{2\cos 6x \left[\cos x + \cos 3x\right]}$$

 $= \tan 6x$

= R.H.S.

Question 7:

$$\sin 3x + \sin 2x - \sin x = 4\sin x \cos \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{3x}{2}$$
Prove that:

$$L.H.S. = \sin 3x + \sin 2x - \sin x$$





$$= \sin 3x + (\sin 2x - \sin x)$$

$$= \sin 3x + \left[2\cos\left(\frac{2x + x}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{2x - x}{2}\right)\right] \qquad \left[\sin A - \sin B = 2\cos\left(\frac{A + B}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{A - B}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$= \sin 3x + \left[2\cos\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$= \sin 3x + 2\cos\frac{3x}{2}\sin\frac{x}{2}$$

$$= 2\sin\frac{3x}{2}\cdot\cos\frac{3x}{2} + 2\cos\frac{3x}{2}\sin\frac{x}{2}$$

$$= 2\sin\frac{3x}{2}\cdot\cos\frac{3x}{2} + 2\cos\frac{3x}{2}\sin\frac{x}{2}$$

$$= 2\cos\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right)\left[\sin\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$= 2\cos\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right)\left[2\sin\left(\frac{(3x)}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right]$$

$$= 2\cos\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) \cdot 2\sin x \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

$$= 4\sin x \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\cos\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) = R.H.S.$$

Question 8:

$$\tan x = -\frac{4}{3}$$
, x in quadrant II

Answer

Here, x is in quadrant II.

i.e.,
$$\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} < \frac{x}{2} < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Therefore, $\sin \frac{x}{2}$, $\cos \frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan \frac{x}{2}$ are all positive.





It is given that $\tan x = -\frac{4}{3}$.

$$\sec^2 x = 1 + \tan^2 x = 1 + \left(\frac{-4}{3}\right)^2 = 1 + \frac{16}{9} = \frac{25}{9}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 x = \frac{9}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = \pm \frac{3}{5}$$

As x is in quadrant II, $\cos x$ is negative.

$$\cos x = \frac{-3}{5}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-3}{5} = 2\cos^2\frac{x}{2} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2\frac{x}{2} = 1 - \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\cos^2\frac{x}{2} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\therefore \cos \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} = 1 - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{4}{5}$$

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 $\left[\because \cos\frac{x}{2} \text{ is positive}\right]$





$$\Rightarrow \sin \frac{x}{2} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\therefore \sin \frac{x}{2} = \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

$$\therefore \sin \frac{x}{2} = \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

$$\tan\frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sin\frac{x}{2}}{\cos\frac{x}{2}} = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)} = 2$$

Thus, the respective values of $\sin \frac{x}{2}$, $\cos \frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan \frac{x}{2}$ are $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}$, $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}$, and 2

Question 9:

Find
$$\sin \frac{x}{2}$$
, $\cos \frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan \frac{x}{2}$ for $\cos x = -\frac{1}{3}$, x in quadrant III

Answer

Here, x is in quadrant III.

i.e.,
$$\pi < x < \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} < \frac{x}{2} < \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

Therefore, $\cos\frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan\frac{x}{2}$ are negative, whereas $\sin\frac{x}{2}$ is positive.

It is given that $\cos x = -\frac{1}{3}$.

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}{2} = \frac{\left(1 + \frac{1}{3}\right)}{2} = \frac{\frac{4}{3}}{2} = \frac{2}{3}$$





$$\Rightarrow \sin \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}$$
 \[\therefore\sin \frac{x}{2} \text{ is positive}\]\]
$$\therefore\sin \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos x}{2} = \frac{1 + \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}{2} = \frac{\left(\frac{3 - 1}{3}\right)}{2} = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)}{2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \frac{x}{2} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \qquad \left[\because \cos \frac{x}{2} \text{ is negative} \right]$$

$$\therefore \cos \frac{x}{2} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$\tan\frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sin\frac{x}{2}}{\cos\frac{x}{2}} = \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}\right)}{\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)} = -\sqrt{2}$$

Thus, the respective values of $\sin\frac{x}{2}$, $\cos\frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan\frac{x}{2}$ are $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$, $\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{3}$, and $-\sqrt{2}$

Question 10:

Find
$$\frac{x}{2}$$
, $\cos \frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan \frac{x}{2}$ for $\sin x = \frac{1}{4}$, x in quadrant II

Answer

Here, x is in quadrant II.

i.e.,
$$\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} < \frac{x}{2} < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Therefore, $\sin \frac{x}{2}, \cos \frac{x}{2}$, and $\tan \frac{x}{2}$ are all positive.





It is given that $\sin x = \frac{1}{4}$.

$$\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x = 1 - \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2 = 1 - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{15}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = -\frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}$$
 [cosx is negative in quadrant II]

$$\sin^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos x}{2} = \frac{1 - \left(-\frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}\right)}{2} = \frac{4 + \sqrt{15}}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \frac{x}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{4 + \sqrt{15}}{8}} \qquad \left[\because \sin \frac{x}{2} \text{ is positive} \right]$$

$$\because \sin \frac{x}{2}$$
 is positive

$$=\sqrt{\frac{4+\sqrt{15}}{8}}\times\frac{2}{2}$$

$$=\sqrt{\frac{8+2\sqrt{15}}{16}}$$

$$=\frac{\sqrt{8+2\sqrt{15}}}{4}$$

$$\cos^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos x}{2} = \frac{1 + \left(-\frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}\right)}{2} = \frac{4 - \sqrt{15}}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\frac{x}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{4 - \sqrt{15}}{8}}$$

$$\because \cos \frac{x}{2}$$
 is positive

$$=\sqrt{\frac{4-\sqrt{15}}{8}}\times\frac{2}{2}$$

$$=\sqrt{\frac{8-2\sqrt{15}}{16}}$$

$$=\frac{\sqrt{8-2\sqrt{15}}}{4}$$





$$\tan \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sin \frac{x}{2}}{\cos \frac{x}{2}} = \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{8+2\sqrt{15}}}{4}\right)}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{8-2\sqrt{15}}}{4}\right)} = \frac{\sqrt{8+2\sqrt{15}}}{\sqrt{8-2\sqrt{15}}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{8+2\sqrt{15}}{8-2\sqrt{15}}} \times \frac{8+2\sqrt{15}}{8+2\sqrt{15}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{\left(8+2\sqrt{15}\right)^2}{64-60}} = \frac{8+2\sqrt{15}}{2} = 4+\sqrt{15}$$

Thus, the respective values of $\sin \frac{x}{2}$, $\cos \frac{x}{2}$ and $\tan \frac{x}{2}$ are $\frac{\sqrt{8+2\sqrt{15}}}{4}$, $\frac{\sqrt{8-2\sqrt{15}}}{4}$, and $4 + \sqrt{15}$