

TRIG 5.1 – 5.3 Practice Test (Solutions on back)

Name _____ Date _____

Verify each identity. Show all steps and be clear with each step. State the side with which you are starting. LHS versus RHS (Identities 2 points each)

$$1) 3\tan x \csc x \sin x \cot x = 3$$

$$2) \sin^2 x (1 + \tan^2 x) = \tan^2 x$$

$$3) \frac{\tan x \cot x}{\sec x} = \cos x$$

$$4) \frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} + \frac{1 - \sin x}{\cos x} = 2 \sec x$$

$$5) \frac{\tan^2 x - \cot^2 x}{\cot x + \tan x} = \tan x - \cot x$$

$$6) \frac{\cos(x+y)}{\sin x \sin y} = \cot x \cot y - 1$$

Find the exact value of each. Show all work as I am well aware that some calculators display exact values.

$$7) \cos(60^\circ + 45^\circ)$$

$$7) \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

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8) $\sin(30^\circ - 45^\circ)$

8) _____



9) $\cos 7\pi/12 \cos 5\pi/12 + \sin 7\pi/12 \sin 5\pi/12$

9) _____

10) $\sin 70^\circ \cos 10^\circ - \sin 10^\circ \cos 70^\circ$

10) _____

11) $\cos(7\pi/12)$

11) _____

12) $\cos(195^\circ)$

12) _____

13) $\tan(2\pi/3 - \pi/4)$

13) _____



Given that x is in Quadrant III and y is in Quadrant II, find a) $\sin(x+y)$ b) $\cos(x+y)$ c) $\tan(x+y)$

14) $\sin x = -5/13$ $\sin y = 4/5$ 14) a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

Use a double angle formula to find the exact value of each, if $\sin x = -4/5$ x is in Quadrant III.

15) $\sin 2x$ 15) _____

16) $\cos 2x$ 16) _____

17) $\tan 2x$ 17) _____



Trig Double-Angle and Half-Angle Practice

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Use a **double angle** formula to find the exact value of each.
Given $\sin x = -3/5$ x is in **Quadrant III**.

1) $\sin 2x$

1) _____

2) $\cos 2x$

2) _____

3) $\tan 2x$

3) _____

Use a **half angle** formula to find the exact value of each.

4) $\sin 15^\circ$

4) _____

5) $\cos 7\pi/12$

5) _____

6) $\sin 112.5^\circ$

6) _____

7) $\cos 75^\circ$

7) _____

8) If $\cos x = 12/13$ and x is in Quadrant IV, find $\cos(x/2)$ 8) _____

9) If $\sin x = -1/10$ and x is in Quadrant III, find $\tan(x/2)$. 9) _____

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Verify each identity. State with which side you are working (LHS) or (RHS).

10) $\sin^2 x + \cos 2x = \cos^2 x$ [Hint: Double Angle]

11) $1 + \sin 2x = \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x + 2\sin x \cos x$ [Hint: Double Angle]

12) $\sec^2 x = \frac{2}{1 + \cos 2x}$ [Hint: Double Angle]

13) $\sin(x + 270^\circ) = -\cos x$ [Hint: Santa Claus]

BONUS: Reduce the power of $12\sin^4 x$. Have fun!

$$\begin{aligned} 12\sin^2 x \sin^2 x &= 12 \left(\frac{1-\cos 2x}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1-\cos 2x}{2} \right) = \frac{12}{4} (1 - 2\cos 2x + \cos^2 2x) \\ &= 3(1 - 2\cos 2x + \left[\frac{1+\cos 4x}{2} \right]) = 3(1 - 2\cos 2x + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\cos 4x) \\ &= 3 \left(\frac{3}{2} - 2\cos 2x + \frac{1}{2}\cos 4x \right) = \boxed{\frac{9}{2} - 6\cos 2x + \frac{3}{2}\cos 4x} \end{aligned}$$

5.1-5.3 Practice Quiz - Answer Key

$$1. \frac{3 \tan x \csc x \sin x \cot x}{3} = 3$$

LHS $3(1)(1) = 3$ ✓

$$2. \frac{\sin^2 x (1 + \tan^2 x)}{\tan^2 x}$$

LHS $= \sin^2 x (\sec^2 x)$

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

$$3. \frac{\tan x \cot x}{\sec x} = \cos x$$

LHS $\frac{1}{\sec x} = \cos x \checkmark$

$$4. \frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} + \frac{1 - \sin x}{\cos x} = 2 \sec x$$

LCD = $(1 - \sin x)(\cos x)$

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

$$= \frac{2 - 2\sin x}{(1 - \sin x)(\cos x)} = \frac{2(1 - \sin x)}{(1 - \sin x)(\cos x)} = \frac{2}{\cos x} = 2 \sec x \checkmark$$

$$5. \frac{\tan^2 x - \cot^2 x}{\cot x + \tan x} = \tan x - \cot x$$

LHS $= \frac{(\tan x + \cot x)(\tan x - \cot x)}{\cot x + \tan x}$

$$= \tan x - \cot x$$

$$6. \frac{\cos(x+y)}{\sin x \sin y} = \cot x \cot y - 1$$

LHS $= \frac{\cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y}{\sin x \sin y}$

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

$$= \cot x \cot y - 1 \checkmark$$

$$7. \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4}$$

$$8. \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4}$$

$$9. \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$10. \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$11. \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4}$$

$$12. \frac{-\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4}$$

$$13. \sqrt{3} + 2$$

$$14. a) \frac{-33}{65}$$

$$b) \frac{56}{65}$$

$$c) \frac{-33}{56}$$

$$15. \frac{24}{25}$$

$$16. \frac{-7}{25}$$

$$17. \frac{-24}{7}$$

Trig Double-Angle and Half-Angle Quiz Key

$$1) \frac{24}{25} \quad 2) \frac{7}{25} \quad 3) \frac{24}{7} \quad 4) \frac{\sqrt{2-\sqrt{3}}}{2} \quad 5) \frac{-\sqrt{2-\sqrt{3}}}{2}$$

$$6) \frac{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}{2} \quad 7) \frac{\sqrt{2-\sqrt{3}}}{2} \quad 8) \frac{-5\sqrt{26}}{26} \quad 9) -10 - 3\sqrt{11}$$

$$10) \sin^2 x + \cos 2x \stackrel{?}{=} \cos^2 x$$

LHS
= $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x$
= $\cos^2 x \quad \checkmark$

$$11) 1 + \sin 2x \stackrel{?}{=} \underbrace{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}_1 + \underbrace{2 \sin x \cos x}_{\sin 2x}$$

RHS
= $1 + \sin 2x \quad \checkmark$

$$12) \sec^2 x \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{2}{1 + \cos 2x}$$

LHS
= $\frac{2}{1 + (2\cos^2 x - 1)} = \frac{2}{2\cos^2 x}$
= $\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} = \sec^2 x \quad \checkmark$

$$13) \sin(x + 270^\circ) \stackrel{?}{=} -\cos x$$

LHS
= $\sin x \cos 270^\circ + \sin 270^\circ \cos x$
= $\sin x(0) + (-1)\cos x$
= $-\cos x \quad \checkmark$