

SM3 HW9.1 Basic Trig Proof

Use two columns to prove each identity.

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| 1) $\begin{aligned} 4(3 - 5)^2 &= 16 && \text{Given} \\ 4(-2)^2 &= 16 && \text{Subtraction} \\ 4(4) &= 16 && \text{Multiplication} \\ 16 &= 16 && \text{Multiplication} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ | 2) $\begin{aligned} (6 - 9)(2 - 8) &= 18 && \text{Given} \\ (-3)(-6) &= 18 && \text{Subtraction} \\ 18 &= 18 && \text{Multiplication} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ |
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| 3) $\begin{aligned} \sec(\theta) \cos(\theta) &= 1 && \text{Given} \\ \frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} \cos(\theta) &= 1 && \text{Def of sec} \\ 1 &= 1 && \text{Division} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ | 4) $\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\sin(\theta)} &= \csc(\theta) && \text{Given} \\ \csc(\theta) &= \csc(\theta) && \text{Def of csc} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ |
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| 5) $\begin{aligned} 3 \tan(\theta) + 4 \tan(\theta) &= 7 \tan(\theta) && \text{Given} \\ 7 \tan(\theta) &= 7 \tan(\theta) && \text{Addition} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ | 6) $\begin{aligned} -\tan(\theta) \csc(\theta) &= -\sec(\theta) && \text{Given} \\ -\frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} \frac{1}{\sin(\theta)} &= -\sec(\theta) && \text{Def of tan, csc} \\ -\frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} &= -\sec(\theta) && \text{Divide} \\ -\sec(\theta) &= -\sec(\theta) && \text{Def of sec} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ |
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| 7) $\begin{aligned} \sin(\theta) \cot(\theta) &= \cos(\theta) && \text{Given} \\ \sin(\theta) \frac{\cos(\theta)}{\sin(\theta)} &= \cos(\theta) && \text{Def of cot} \\ \cos(\theta) &= \cos(\theta) && \text{Divide} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ | 8) $\begin{aligned} \cos(\theta) \tan(\theta) &= \sin(\theta) && \text{Given} \\ \cos(\theta) \frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} &= \sin(\theta) && \text{Def of tan} \\ \sin(\theta) &= \sin(\theta) && \text{Divide} \\ &&& \text{QED} \end{aligned}$ |
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9) $\sin(\theta) \cot(\theta) \tan(\theta) = \sin(\theta)$ Given

$$\sin(\theta) \frac{\cos(\theta)}{\sin(\theta)} \frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} = \sin(\theta) \quad \text{Def of cot, tan}$$

$$\sin(\theta) = \sin(\theta) \quad \text{Divide}$$

QED

10) $\tan^2(\theta) \cos^4(\theta) = \sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\theta)$ Given

$$\frac{\sin^2(\theta)}{\cos^2(\theta)} \cos^4(\theta) = \sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\theta) \quad \text{Def of tan}$$

$$\sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\theta) = \sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\theta) \quad \text{Divide}$$

QED

11) $(\sin(\theta) + 1)(\sin(\theta) - 1) = \sin^2(\theta) - 1$ Given

$$\sin^2(\theta) - 1 = \sin^2(\theta) - 1 \quad \text{Distribute}$$

QED

12) $(\cos(\theta) + 1)(\cos(\theta) + 4) = \cos^2(\theta) + 5 \cos(\theta) + 4$ Given

$$\cos^2(\theta) + 4 \cos(\theta) + \cos(\theta) + 4 = \cos^2(\theta) + 5 \cos(\theta) + 4 \quad \text{Distribute}$$

$$\cos^2(\theta) + 5 \cos(\theta) + 4 = \cos^2(\theta) + 5 \cos(\theta) + 4 \quad \text{Add}$$

QED

13) $\tan^2(\theta) - 9 = (\tan(\theta) - 3)(\tan(\theta) + 3)$ Given

$$(\tan(\theta) - 3)(\tan(\theta) + 3) = (\tan(\theta) - 3)(\tan(\theta) + 3) \quad \text{Factor}$$

QED

14) $(\csc(\theta) - 2)(\csc(\theta) + 2) + 4 = \frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)}$ Given

$$\csc^2(\theta) - 4 + 4 = \frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)} \quad \text{Distribute}$$

$$\csc^2(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)} \quad \text{Add}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)} \quad \text{Def of csc}$$

QED

$$15) \quad \frac{\sin^2(\theta) + 10\sin(\theta) + 24}{\sin^2(\theta) - 16} = \frac{\sin(\theta) + 6}{\sin(\theta) - 4} \quad \text{Given}$$

$$\frac{(\sin(\theta) + 4)(\sin(\theta) + 6)}{(\sin(\theta) + 4)(\sin(\theta) - 4)} = \frac{\sin(\theta) + 6}{\sin(\theta) - 4} \quad \text{Factor}$$

$$\frac{\sin(\theta) + 6}{\sin(\theta) - 4} = \frac{\sin(\theta) + 6}{\sin(\theta) - 4} \quad \text{Divide}$$

QED

$$16) \quad \frac{2\cot^2(\theta) - 5\cot(\theta) - 3}{\cot^2(\theta) - 10\cot(\theta) + 21} = \frac{2\cot(\theta) + 1}{\cot(\theta) - 7} \quad \text{Given}$$

$$\frac{(2\cot(\theta) + 1)(\cot(\theta) - 3)}{(\cot(\theta) - 3)(\cot(\theta) - 7)} = \frac{2\cot(\theta) + 1}{\cot(\theta) - 7} \quad \text{Factor}$$

$$\frac{2\cot(\theta) + 1}{\cot(\theta) - 7} = \frac{2\cot(\theta) + 1}{\cot(\theta) - 7} \quad \text{Divide}$$

QED

$$17) \quad \frac{\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} = \cot^2(\theta) + 1 \quad \text{Given}$$

$$\frac{\cos^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} + \frac{\sin^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} = \cot^2(\theta) + 1 \quad \text{Divide}$$

$$\cot^2(\theta) + 1 = \cot^2(\theta) + 1 \quad \text{Def of cot}$$

QED

$$18) \quad \frac{\csc(\theta) + 3\sec(\theta)}{5\csc(\theta)} = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}\tan(\theta) \quad \text{Given}$$

$$\frac{\csc(\theta)}{5\csc(\theta)} + \frac{3\sec(\theta)}{5\csc(\theta)} = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}\tan(\theta) \quad \text{Divide}$$

$$\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3\sin(\theta)}{5\cos(\theta)} = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}\tan(\theta) \quad \text{Divide, def of sec,csc}$$

$$\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}\tan(\theta) = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}\tan(\theta) \quad \text{Def of tan}$$

QED

19) $\tan(\theta) + \sec(\theta) = \frac{\sin(\theta) + 1}{\cos(\theta)}$ Given

$$\frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} + \frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} = \frac{\sin(\theta) + 1}{\cos(\theta)} \quad \text{Def of tan, sec}$$

$$\frac{\sin(\theta) + 1}{\cos(\theta)} = \frac{\sin(\theta) + 1}{\cos(\theta)} \quad \text{Add}$$

QED

20) $\sec(\theta) + \sin(\theta) = \frac{1 + \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)}$ Given

$$\frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} + \sin(\theta) = \frac{1 + \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} \quad \text{Def of sec}$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} + \frac{\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} = \frac{1 + \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} \quad \text{Mult}$$

$$\frac{1 + \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} = \frac{1 + \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} \quad \text{Add}$$

QED