

Prove:

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

RHS $\frac{\sin^2(A)}{1 - \cos(A)} \cdot \frac{1 + \cos(A)}{1 + \cos(A)}$

[Multiply by
conjugate]

$$\frac{\sin^2(A) (1 + \cos(A))}{1 - \cos^2(A)}$$

[$(a-b)(a+b) = a^2 - b^2$]

$$\frac{\sin^2(A) (1 + \cos(A))}{(\sin^2(A) + \cos^2(A)) - \cos^2(A)}$$

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

$$\frac{\sin^2(A) (1 + \cos(A))}{\sin^2(A)}$$

$$1 + \cos(A) \quad \square$$

Prove the identity $\tan(B) + \cot(B) = \sec(B)\csc(B)$

LHS $\tan(B) + \cot(B)$

$$\frac{\sin(B)}{\cos(B)} + \frac{\cos(B)}{\sin(B)}$$

$$\frac{\sin(B)}{\sin(B)} \frac{\sin(B)}{\cos(B)} + \frac{\cos(B)}{\sin(B)} \frac{\cos(B)}{\cos(B)}$$

$$[\text{LCD: } \sin(B)\cos(B)]$$

$$\frac{\sin^2(B) + \cos^2(B)}{\sin(B)\cos(B)}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin(B)\cos(B)}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin(B)} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos(B)}$$

$$\csc(B) \cdot \sec(B)$$

$$\sec(B) \cdot \csc(B)$$

QED

Prove: $\sin(x) \cdot \cot^2(x) + \sin(x) = \csc(x)$

LHS $\sin(x) \cdot \cot^2(x) + \sin(x)$

$$\sin(x) (\cot^2(x) + 1)$$

$$\sin(x) \csc^2(x)$$

$$[\cot^2(x) + 1 = \csc^2(x)]$$

$$\sin(x) \csc(x) \cdot \csc(x)$$

$$[a^2 = a \cdot a]$$

$$\sin(x) \cdot \frac{1}{\sin(x)} \cdot \csc(x)$$

$$[\csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}]$$

$$\csc(x) \quad \square$$

Prove: $\sin^2(a) = \frac{1 - \cos^4(a)}{1 + \cos^2(a)}$

RHS $\frac{1 - \cos^4(a)}{1 + \cos^2(a)}$

[difference of squares]

$$\frac{\cancel{(1 + \cos^2(a))} (1 - \cos^2(a))}{\cancel{1 + \cos^2(a)}}$$

$$1 - \cos^2(a)$$

$$\sin^2(a) + \cos^2(a) - \cos^2(a)$$

$$\sin^2(a)$$

QED

Prove: $\frac{1 + \tan(y)}{1 + \cot(y)} = \tan(y)$

LHS $\frac{1 + \tan(y)}{1 + \cot(y)}$

$$\frac{1 + \frac{\sin(y)}{\cos(y)}}{1 + \frac{\cos(y)}{\sin(y)}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\sin(y)\cos(y)}{\sin(y)\cos(y)} \left(\frac{1 + \frac{\sin(y)}{\cos(y)}}{1 + \frac{\cos(y)}{\sin(y)}} \right) \right)$$

[Complex Fraction]
LCD: $\sin(y)\cos(y)$

$$\frac{\sin(y)\cos(y) + \sin^2(y)}{\sin(y)\cos(y) + \cos^2(y)}$$

$$\frac{\sin(y)\cos(y) + \sin^2(y)}{\sin(y)\cos(y) + \cos^2(y)}$$

$$\frac{\sin(y) (\cos(y) + \sin(y))}{\cos(y) (\sin(y) + \cos(y))}$$

$$\tan(y)$$

QED.

Prove: $\frac{1}{\cos(B)} - \cos(B) = \sin(B) \tan(B)$

LHS

$$\frac{1}{\cos(B)} - \cos(B)$$

[LCD: $\cos(B)$]

$$\frac{1}{\cos(B)} - \frac{\cos(B)\cos(B)}{\cos(B)}$$

$$\frac{1 - \cos^2(B)}{\cos(B)}$$

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

$$\frac{\sin^2(B)}{\cos(B)}$$

$$\frac{\sin(B)}{1} \cdot \frac{\sin(B)}{\cos(B)}$$

$$\sin(B) \tan(B)$$

QED.

Prove: $2\csc^2(t) = \frac{1}{1-\cos(t)} + \frac{1}{1+\cos(t)}$

RHS $\frac{1}{1-\cos(t)} + \frac{1}{1+\cos(t)}$

$$\frac{(1+\cos(t))}{(1+\cos(t))} \cdot \frac{1}{(1-\cos(t))} + \frac{1}{(1+\cos(t))} \cdot \frac{(1-\cos(t))}{(1-\cos(t))}$$

$$\frac{1+\cos(t) + 1-\cos(t)}{(1+\cos(t))(1-\cos(t))}$$

$$\frac{2}{1-\cos^2(t)}$$

$$\frac{2}{\sin^2(t)}$$

$$2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sin^2(t)}\right)$$

$$2 \cdot \csc^2(t) \quad \square$$