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Exercise 8.4

Question 1:

Express the trigonometric ratios $\sin A$, $\sec A$ and $\tan A$ in terms of $\cot A$.

Answer 1:

(i). $\sin A$

$$= \sqrt{\sin^2 A}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 A}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{1+\cot^2 A}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\cot^2 A}}$$

$$\left[\because \sin A = \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} A} \right]$$

$$\left[\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A \right]$$

(ii). $\cos A$

$$= \sqrt{\cos^2 A}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 A}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 A}}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{1+\cot^2 A}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cot^2 A - 1}{1 + \cot^2 A}} = \frac{\cot A}{\sqrt{1 + \cot^2 A}}$$

$$\left[\because \cos^2 A = 1 - \sin^2 A \right]$$

$$\left[\because \sin A = \frac{1}{\operatorname{cosec} A} \right]$$

$$\left[\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A \right]$$

(iii). $\tan A = \frac{1}{\cot A}$

$$\left[\because \tan A = \frac{1}{\cot A} \right]$$

Question 2:

Write all the other trigonometric ratios of $\angle A$ in terms of $\sec A$.

Answer 2:

(i). $\sin A$

$$= \sqrt{\sin^2 A}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 A}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{\sec^2 A}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\sec^2 A - 1}{\sec^2 A}} = \frac{\sqrt{\sec^2 A - 1}}{\sec A}$$

$$\left[\because \sin^2 A = 1 - \cos^2 A \right]$$

$$\left[\because \cos A = \frac{1}{\sec A} \right]$$

(ii). $\cos A$

$$\cos A = \frac{1}{\sec A}$$

$$\left[\because \cos A = \frac{1}{\sec A} \right]$$

(iii). $\tan A = \sqrt{\tan^2 A}$

$$= \sqrt{\sec^2 A - 1}$$

$$\left[\because \sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A \right]$$

(iv). $\operatorname{cosec} A = \sqrt{\operatorname{cosec}^2 A}$

$$= \sqrt{1 + \cot^2 A}$$

$$\left[\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A \right]$$

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$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{\tan^2 A}} \\ &= \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{\sec^2 A - 1}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{\sec^2 A - 1 + 1}{\sec^2 A - 1}} = \frac{\sec A}{\sqrt{\sec^2 A - 1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[\because \cot A = \frac{1}{\tan A} \right]$$

$$[\because \sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A]$$

(v). $\cot A = \sqrt{\cot^2 A}$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\tan^2 A}}$$

$$\left[\because \cot A = \frac{1}{\tan A} \right]$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{\sec^2 A - 1}}$$

$$[\because \sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sec^2 A - 1}}$$

Question 3:

Evaluate:

(i). $\frac{\sin^2 63^\circ + \sin^2 27^\circ}{\cos^2 17^\circ + \cos^2 73^\circ}$

(ii). $\sin 25^\circ \cos 65^\circ + \cos 25^\circ \sin 65^\circ$

Answer 3:

(i). $\frac{\sin^2 63^\circ + \sin^2 27^\circ}{\cos^2 17^\circ + \cos^2 73^\circ}$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 63^\circ + \cos^2 (90^\circ - 27^\circ)}{\cos^2 17^\circ + \sin^2 (90^\circ - 73^\circ)}$$

$$[\because \cos(90^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta \text{ and } \sin(90^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta]$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 63^\circ + \cos^2 63^\circ}{\cos^2 17^\circ + \sin^2 17^\circ} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

$$[\because \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1]$$

(ii). $\sin 25^\circ \cos 65^\circ + \cos 25^\circ \sin 65^\circ$

$$= \cos(90^\circ - 25^\circ) \cos 65^\circ + \sin(90^\circ - 25^\circ) \sin 65^\circ = \cos 65^\circ \cos 65^\circ + \sin 65^\circ \sin 65^\circ$$

$$= \cos^2 65^\circ + \sin^2 65^\circ = 1$$

$$[\because \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1]$$

Question 4:

Choose the correct option. Justify your choice.

(i). $9\sec^2 A - 9\tan^2 B =$

(A) 1

(B) 9

(C) 8

(D) 0

(ii). $(1 + \tan \theta + \sec \theta)(1 + \cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta) =$

(A) 0

(B) 1

(C) 2

(D) -1

(iii). $(\sec A + \tan A)(1 - \sin A) =$

(A) $\sec A$

(B) $\sin A$

(C) $\operatorname{cosec} A$

(D) $\cos A$

(iv). $\frac{1 + \tan^2 A}{1 + \cot^2 A} =$

(A) $\sec^2 A$

(B) -1

(C) $\cot^2 A$

(D) $\tan^2 A$

Answer 4:

(i). $9\sec^2 A - 9\tan^2 B$

Given that: $9\sec^2 A - 9\tan^2 B$

$$= 9(\sec^2 A - \tan^2 B) = 9(1) = 9$$

$$[\because \sec^2 A - \tan^2 B = 1]$$

Hence, the option (B) is correct.

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(ii). $(1 + \tan \theta + \sec \theta)(1 + \cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta)$

Given that: $(1 + \tan \theta + \sec \theta)(1 + \cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta)$

$$= 1 + \cot \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \theta + \tan \theta + \tan \theta \cot \theta - \tan \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta + \sec \theta + \sec \theta \cot \theta - \sec \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

$$= 1 + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + 1 - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \times \frac{1}{\sin \theta} + \frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \times \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \times \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \quad [\because \tan \theta \cot \theta = 1]$$

$$= 1 + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + 1 - \frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + 1 - \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$$

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

$$= 2 + \frac{1-1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta} \quad [\because \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1]$$

$$= 2 + 0 = 2$$

Hence, the option (C) is correct.

(iii). $(\sec A + \tan A)(1 - \sin A)$

Given that: $(\sec A + \tan A)(1 - \sin A)$

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

Hence, the option (D) is correct.

(iv). $\frac{1 + \tan^2 A}{1 + \cot^2 A}$

Given that: $\frac{1 + \tan^2 A}{1 + \cot^2 A}$

$$= \frac{\sec^2 A}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 A} \quad [\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A, \sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A]$$

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

Hence, the option (D) is correct.

Question 5:

Prove the following identities, where the angles involved are acute angles for which the expressions are defined.

(i). $(\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta)^2 = \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$

(ii). $\frac{\cos A}{1 + \sin A} + \frac{1 + \sin A}{\cos A} = 2 \sec A$

(iii). $\frac{\tan \theta}{1 - \cot \theta} + \frac{\cot \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} = 1 + \sec \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta$

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

(v). $\frac{\cos A - \sin A + 1}{\cos A + \sin A - 1} = \operatorname{cosec} A + \cot A$, using the identity $\operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A$

(vi). $\sqrt{\frac{1 + \sin A}{1 - \sin A}} = \sec A + \tan A$

(vii). $\frac{\sin \theta - 2 \sin^3 \theta}{2 \cos^3 \theta - \cos \theta} = \tan \theta$

(viii). $(\sin A + \operatorname{cosec} A)^2 + (\cos A + \sec A)^2 = 7 + \tan^2 A + \cot^2 A$

(ix). $(\operatorname{cosec} A - \sin A)(\sec A - \cos A) = \frac{1}{\tan A + \cot A}$ (x). $\frac{1 + \tan^2 A}{1 + \cot^2 A} = \left(\frac{1 - \tan A}{1 - \cot A} \right)^2 = \tan^2 A$

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Answer 5:

(i). $(\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta)^2 = \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= (\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta)^2 \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \right)^2 = \frac{(1 - \cos \theta)^2}{\sin^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{(1 - \cos \theta)^2}{1 - \cos^2 \theta} \quad [\because \sin^2 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \theta] \\ &= \frac{(1 - \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)}{(1 - \cos \theta)(1 + \cos \theta)} = \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

(ii). $\frac{\cos A}{1 + \sin A} + \frac{1 + \sin A}{\cos A} = 2 \sec A$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{\cos A}{1 + \sin A} + \frac{1 + \sin A}{\cos A} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 A + (1 + \sin A)^2}{(1 + \sin A) \cos A} = \frac{\cos^2 A + 1 + \sin^2 A + 2 \sin A}{(1 + \sin A) \cos A} \\ &= \frac{1 + 1 + 2 \sin A}{(1 + \sin A) \cos A} \quad [\because \sin^2 A + \cos^2 A = 1] \\ &= \frac{2 + 2 \sin A}{(1 + \sin A) \cos A} \\ &= \frac{2(1 + \sin A)}{(1 + \sin A) \cos A} = \frac{2}{\cos A} = 2 \sec A = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

(iii). $\frac{\tan \theta}{1 - \cot \theta} + \frac{\cot \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} = 1 + \sec \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{\tan \theta}{1 - \cot \theta} + \frac{\cot \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} \\ &= \left[\frac{\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}}{1 - \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}} \right] + \left[\frac{\frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}}{1 - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}} \right] \quad \left[\because \tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}, \cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \right] \\ &= \left[\frac{\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}}{\frac{\sin \theta - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta}} \right] + \left[\frac{\frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}}{\frac{\cos \theta - \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}} \right] = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta (\sin \theta - \cos \theta)} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta (\cos \theta - \sin \theta)} \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta (\sin \theta - \cos \theta)} - \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta (\sin \theta - \cos \theta)} \quad [\because (\cos \theta - \sin \theta) = -(\sin \theta - \cos \theta)] \\ &= \frac{\sin^3 \theta - \cos^3 \theta}{\cos \theta \sin \theta (\sin \theta - \cos \theta)} \\ &= \frac{(\sin \theta - \cos \theta)(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta \sin \theta)}{\cos \theta \sin \theta (\sin \theta - \cos \theta)} \quad [\because a^3 - b^3 = (a - b)(a^2 + b^2 + ab)] \\ &= \frac{(1 + \cos \theta \sin \theta)}{\cos \theta \sin \theta} \quad [\because \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1] \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos \theta \sin \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta \sin \theta}{\cos \theta \sin \theta} \\ &= \sec \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta + 1 = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

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

LHS = $\frac{1+\sec A}{\sec A}$

= $\frac{1+\frac{1}{\cos A}}{\frac{1}{\cos A}} \quad \left[\because \sec A = \frac{1}{\cos A} \right]$

= $\frac{\cos A + 1}{\cos A} = \frac{1 + \cos A}{1} = \frac{1 + \cos A}{1} \times \frac{1 - \cos A}{1 - \cos A} = \frac{1 - \cos^2 A}{1 - \cos A}$

= $\frac{\sin^2 A}{1 - \cos A} \quad [\because 1 - \cos^2 A = \sin^2 A]$

= RHS

(v). $\frac{\cos A - \sin A + 1}{\cos A + \sin A - 1} = \operatorname{cosec} A + \cot A$

LHS = $\frac{\cos A - \sin A + 1}{\cos A + \sin A - 1}$

= $\frac{\cot A - 1 + \operatorname{cosec} A}{\cot A + 1 - \operatorname{cosec} A}$

[Dividing Numerator and Denominator by $\sin A$]

= $\frac{\cot A + \operatorname{cosec} A - (1)}{\cot A + 1 - \operatorname{cosec} A}$

= $\frac{\cot A + \operatorname{cosec} A - (\operatorname{cosec}^2 A - \cot^2 A)}{\cot A + 1 - \operatorname{cosec} A} \quad [\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A - \cot^2 A = 1]$

= $\frac{(\cot A + \operatorname{cosec} A) - (\operatorname{cosec} A + \cot A)(\operatorname{cosec} A - \cot A)}{\cot A + 1 - \operatorname{cosec} A} = \frac{(\cot A + \operatorname{cosec} A)(1 - \operatorname{cosec} A + \cot A)}{1 - \operatorname{cosec} A + \cot A}$

= $\cot A + \operatorname{cosec} A = \text{RHS}$

(vi). $\sqrt{\frac{1+\sin A}{1-\sin A}} = \sec A + \tan A$

LHS = $\sqrt{\frac{1+\sin A}{1-\sin A}}$

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

= $\sqrt{\frac{(1+\sin A)^2}{\cos^2 A}} \quad [\because 1 - \sin^2 A = \cos^2 A]$

= $\frac{1+\sin A}{\cos A} = \frac{1}{\cos A} + \frac{\sin A}{\cos A}$

= $\sec A + \tan A = \text{RHS}$

(vii). $\frac{\sin \theta - 2 \sin^3 \theta}{2 \cos^3 \theta - \cos \theta} = \tan \theta$

LHS = $\frac{\sin \theta - 2 \sin^3 \theta}{2 \cos^3 \theta - \cos \theta}$

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

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$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta)}{\cos \theta [2(1 - \sin^2 \theta) - 1]} \quad [\because \cos^2 \theta = 1 - \sin^2 \theta] \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta)}{\cos \theta (2 - 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)} = \frac{\sin \theta (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta)}{\cos \theta (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta)} \\ &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \tan \theta = \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

(viii). $(\sin A + \operatorname{cosec} A)^2 + (\cos A + \sec A)^2 = 7 + \tan^2 A + \cot^2 A$

$$\text{LHS} = (\sin A + \operatorname{cosec} A)^2 + (\cos A + \sec A)^2$$

$$= \sin^2 A + \operatorname{cosec}^2 A + 2 \sin A \operatorname{cosec} A + \cos^2 A + \sec^2 A + 2 \cos A \sec A$$

$$= (\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A) + \operatorname{cosec}^2 A + 2 + \sec^2 A + 2$$

$$[\because \cos A \sec A = 1, \quad \sin A \operatorname{cosec} A = 1]$$

$$= 1 + (1 + \cot^2 A) + 2 + (1 + \tan^2 A) + 2 \quad [\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A, \quad \sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A]$$

$$= 7 + \tan^2 A + \cot^2 A = \text{RHS}$$

(ix). $(\operatorname{cosec} A - \sin A)(\sec A - \cos A) = \frac{1}{\tan A + \cot A}$

$$\text{LHS} = (\operatorname{cosec} A - \sin A)(\sec A - \cos A)$$

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

$$= \sin A \cos A \quad \dots (i)$$

$$= \text{RHS} = \frac{1}{\tan A + \cot A}$$

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

$$= \cos A \sin A \quad \dots (ii)$$

From the equation (i) and (ii), we get, LHS = RHS

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

$$\text{LHS} = \frac{1 + \tan^2 A}{1 + \cot^2 A}$$

$$= \frac{\sec^2 A}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 A} \quad [\because \operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A, \quad \sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A]$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{\cos^2 A} \right)}{\left(\frac{1}{\sin^2 A} \right)} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 A} \times \frac{\sin^2 A}{1} = \tan^2 A = \text{RHS}$$

$$\text{Now, } \left(\frac{1 - \tan A}{1 - \cot A} \right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{1 - \frac{\sin A}{\cos A}}{1 - \frac{\cos A}{\sin A}} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{\frac{\cos A - \sin A}{\cos A}}{\frac{\sin A - \cos A}{\sin A}} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{\cos A - \sin A}{\cos A} \times \frac{\sin A}{\sin A - \cos A} \right)^2$$

$$= \left(-\frac{\sin A - \cos A}{\cos A} \times \frac{\sin A}{\sin A - \cos A} \right)^2 = \left(-\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} \right)^2 = \tan^2 A = \text{RHS}$$

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