

5.3 Sum and Difference Identities

Target 6B: Prove Trigonometric Identities

Find the exact value of the expression.

1. $\tan(195^\circ) = \tan(150^\circ + 45^\circ)$

$$= \frac{\sin 150^\circ \cos 45^\circ + \cos 150^\circ \sin 45^\circ}{\cos 150^\circ \cos 45^\circ - \sin 150^\circ \sin 45^\circ}$$

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

$$= \frac{\frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4}}{\frac{-\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{-\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{-\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}} \text{ or } \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{-\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}$$

2. $\sin\left(\frac{23\pi}{12}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{15\pi}{12} + \frac{8\pi}{12}\right)$

$$= \sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{4} + \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \sin \frac{5\pi}{4} \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \cos \frac{5\pi}{4} \sin \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

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

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} + \frac{-\sqrt{6}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{4}$$

3. $\cos\left(-\frac{5\pi}{12}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{12} - \frac{8\pi}{12}\right)$

$$= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

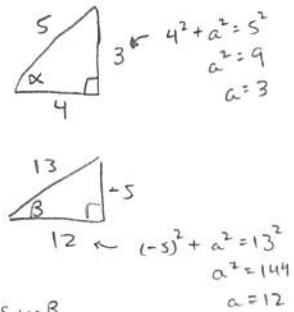
$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{-\sqrt{2}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4}$$

Evaluate the expression given that $\cos \alpha = \frac{4}{5}$, where $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$ (quad I) and $\sin \beta = -\frac{5}{13}$, where $\frac{3\pi}{2} < \beta < 2\pi$ (quad IV).

3. $\sin(\alpha + \beta)$



$$\sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{12}{13}\right) + \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)\left(\frac{-5}{13}\right)$$

$$\frac{36}{65} - \frac{20}{65}$$

$$\frac{16}{65}$$

4. $\tan(\alpha - \beta)$

use the same $\alpha + \beta$ Δ s

$$= \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{-5}{12}}{1 + \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\left(\frac{-5}{12}\right)}$$

Common denominator

$$= \frac{\frac{9}{12} + \frac{5}{12}}{1 + \frac{-5}{16}}$$

reduce

$$= \frac{\frac{14}{12}}{\frac{16}{16} - \frac{5}{16}} = \frac{\frac{7}{6}}{\frac{11}{16}} = \frac{7}{6} \cdot \frac{16}{11}$$

$$= \frac{56}{33}$$

Simplify the expression.

5. $\tan(x + \pi)$

$$= \frac{\tan x + \tan \pi}{1 - \tan x \tan \pi}$$

$$= \frac{\tan x + 0}{1 - \tan x(0)}$$

$$= \frac{\tan x}{1}$$

$$= \tan x$$

6. $\cos\left(x - \frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$

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

$$\cos x(0) + \sin x(-1)$$

$$- \sin x$$