

Simplify the trigonometric expression.

1.) $\cos^3 x + \sin^2 x \cos x$

$\cos x (\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x)$

$\cos x (1) = \boxed{\cos x}$

2.) $\frac{\tan x}{\sec(-x)} = \frac{\tan x}{\sec x}$

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

$\frac{1}{\cos x}$

$= \boxed{\sin x}$

3.) $\frac{\sec x - \cos x}{\tan x}$

$\frac{\frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{\cos x}{1}}{\frac{\sin x}{\cos x}} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\cos x}$

$\frac{1 - \cos^2 x}{\sin x} = \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sin x} = \boxed{\sin x}$

4.) $\frac{\sin x}{\csc x} + \frac{\cos x}{\sec x}$

$\frac{\sin x}{1} + \frac{\cos x}{1}$

$\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = \boxed{1}$

5.) $\tan x \cos x \csc x$

$\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x} = \boxed{1}$

6.) $\frac{1 + \cot A}{\csc A}$

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

$\boxed{\sin A + \cos A}$

* $\frac{1}{\csc A} + \frac{\cot A}{\csc A} \rightarrow \boxed{\sin A + \cos A}$

7.) $\frac{\cos x}{\sec x + \tan x}$

$\frac{\frac{\cos x}{1} \frac{\cos x}{\cos x}}{\frac{1}{\cos x} + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}} \rightarrow \frac{\cos^2 x}{1 + \sin x} \rightarrow \frac{1 - \sin^2 x}{1 + \sin x}$
 \downarrow
 $\frac{(1 + \sin x)(1 - \sin x)}{1 + \sin x} \rightarrow \boxed{1 - \sin x}$

Verify the identity.

8.) $\cot x \tan x = 1$

$\frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$

$| = | \checkmark$

$$9.) \csc x \cos x = \cot x$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{1}$$

$$\frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$\cot x = \cot x \checkmark$$

$$10.) \frac{\sin x}{\tan x} = \cos x$$

$$\frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \cdot \frac{\sin x}{1}$$

$$\frac{\cancel{\sin x}}{\cancel{\cos x}}$$

$$\cos x = \cos x \checkmark$$

$$11.) \frac{\tan x}{\csc x} = \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{\sin x}{1} \cdot \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{1}{\cancel{\sin x}}$$

$$\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos x} = \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos x} \checkmark$$

$$12.) \frac{\sec x \csc x}{\cot x} = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{\cancel{\cos x}}{\cancel{\sin x}}$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$\sec^2 x = \text{RHS} \checkmark$$

(right hand side)

$$13.) \frac{\tan^2 x \cos x}{2\sec x} = \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 x$$

$$\frac{\frac{1}{2} \cancel{\cos x}}{1} \cdot \frac{\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x}}{\frac{\cos x}{1}}$$

$$\frac{\cancel{x}}{1} \frac{1}{\cancel{\cos x}}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sin^2 x = \text{RHS} \checkmark$$

$$14.) \sec x - \sin x = \frac{1 - \sin x \cos x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{\sin x \cancel{\cos x}}{\cancel{\cos x}}$$

$$\checkmark \text{LHS} = \sec x - \sin x$$

$$15.) \sec^2 x + \cot x = \frac{\sin x + \cos^3 x}{\cos^2 x \sin x}$$

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

$$\checkmark \text{LHS} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} + \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$16.) \csc^2 x - \tan x = \frac{\cos x - \sin^3 x}{\sin^2 x \cos x}$$

$$\frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x \cos x} - \frac{\sin^3 x}{\sin^2 x \cos x}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin^2 x} - \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\checkmark \text{LHS} = \csc^2 x - \tan x$$

$$17.) \csc x + 1 = \frac{1 + \sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin x} + \frac{\sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\checkmark \text{LHS} = \csc x + 1$$

$$18.) \sec x - \tan x \sin x = \cos x$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \sin x$$

$$\frac{1 - \sin^2 x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{\cos^2 x}{\cos x} = \cos x = \text{RHS} \checkmark$$

$$19.) \tan x + \cot x = \sec x \csc x$$

$$\frac{\sin x}{\sin x \cos x} + \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \frac{\cos x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x}{\sin x \cos x} = \frac{1}{\cos x \sin x} = \sec x \cdot \csc x$$

$$\text{RHS} \checkmark$$

$$20.) \sec x - \cos x = \tan x \sin x$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{\cos x}{1} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{1 - \cos^2 x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos x} \rightarrow \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \frac{\sin x}{1}$$

$$\rightarrow \tan x \sec x = \text{RHS} \checkmark$$

$$21.) 1 + \tan^2 B = \sec^2 B$$

$$\sec^2 B = \sec^2 B$$

$$22.) \sec^2 x - 1 = \sin^2 x \sec^2 x$$

$$\tan^2 x$$

$$\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} \rightarrow \sin^2 x \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$\rightarrow \sin^2 x \sec^2 x \text{ RHS}$$

$$23.) 1 - \csc^2 x = -\cot^2 x$$

$$-1(\csc^2 x - 1)$$

$$-1(\cot^2 x) = \text{RHS} \checkmark$$

$$24.) \csc x - \sin x = \cos x \cot x$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{\sin x}{1} \frac{\sin x}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{1 - \sin^2 x}{\sin x} \rightarrow \frac{\cos^2 x}{\sin x}$$

$$\rightarrow \cos x \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$\rightarrow \cos x \cdot \cot x = \text{RHS} \checkmark$$