

6. Trigonometric Ratios

Exercise 6.1

1. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$2 \sin 45^\circ \cdot \cos 45^\circ$$

Answer

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore 2 \sin 45^\circ \cdot \cos 45^\circ$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 1$$

2. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\cos 45^\circ \cos 60^\circ - \sin 45^\circ \sin 60^\circ$$

Answer

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \cos 45^\circ \cos 60^\circ - \sin 45^\circ \sin 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

3. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\sin^2 30^\circ + 2 \cos^2 45^\circ + 3 \tan^2 60^\circ$$

Answer

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 60^\circ = 3$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 30^\circ + 2 \cos^2 45^\circ + 3 \tan^2 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} + 2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 3 \times 3$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} + 1 + 9$$

$$= \frac{41}{4}$$

$$= 10\frac{1}{4}$$

4. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$3 \sin 60^\circ - 4 \sin^3 60^\circ$$

Answer

Let $\theta = 60^\circ$

then,

$$3 \sin 60^\circ - 4 \sin^3 60^\circ$$

$$= 3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta$$

We know that

$$\sin 3\theta = 3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \sin 60^\circ - 4 \sin^3 60^\circ$$

$$= \sin(3 \times 60^\circ)$$

$$= \sin 180^\circ$$

$$= 0$$

5. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\frac{5\cos^2 60^\circ + 4\sec^2 30^\circ - \tan^2 45^\circ}{\sin^2 30^\circ + \cos^2 45^\circ}$$

Answer

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 60^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\sec 30^\circ = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 30^\circ = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\tan 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{5\cos^2 60^\circ + 4\sec^2 30^\circ - \tan^2 45^\circ}{\sin^2 30^\circ + \cos^2 45^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{5 \times \frac{1}{4} + 4 \times \frac{4}{3} - 1}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{5}{4} + \frac{16}{3} - 1}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{5 \times 3 + 16 \times 4 - 12}{12}}{\frac{1 + 1 \times 2}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{67}{12}}{\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{67}{9}$$

6. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$4\cot^2 45^\circ - \sec^2 60^\circ + \sin^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 90^\circ$$

Answer

$$\cot 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\sec 60^\circ = 2$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 60^\circ = 4$$

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 60^\circ = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cos 90^\circ = 0$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 90^\circ = 0$$

$$\therefore 4\cot^2 45^\circ - \sec^2 60^\circ + \sin^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 90^\circ$$

$$= 4 - 4 + \frac{3}{4} + 0$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

7. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\frac{4}{\cot^2 30^\circ} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 30^\circ} - \cos^2 45^\circ$$

Answer

$$\cot 30^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 30^\circ = 3$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{4}{\cot^2 30^\circ} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 30^\circ} - \cos^2 45^\circ$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{4}} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} + 4 - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{29}{6}$$

8. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\frac{\tan^2 60^\circ + 4\sin^2 45^\circ + \sin^2 90^\circ}{3\sec^2 30^\circ + \operatorname{cosec}^2 60^\circ - \cot^2 30^\circ}$$

Answer

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan^2 60^\circ = 3$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\sec 30^\circ = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 30^\circ = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 60^\circ = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\frac{\tan^2 60^\circ + 4\sin^2 45^\circ + \sin^2 90^\circ}{3\sec^2 30^\circ + \operatorname{cosec}^2 60^\circ - \cot^2 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{3 + 4 \times \frac{1}{2} + 1}{3 \times \frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} - 3}$$

$$= \frac{18}{7}$$

9. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\frac{\sin 30^\circ - \sin 90^\circ + 2\cos 0^\circ}{\tan 30^\circ \cdot \tan 60^\circ}$$

Answer

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\cos 0^\circ = 1$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sin 30^\circ - \sin 90^\circ + 2 \cos 0^\circ}{\tan 30^\circ \cdot \tan 60^\circ}$$

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

$$= \frac{3}{2}$$

10. Question

Find the value of the following:

$$\frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

Answer

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

11 A. Question

Find the value of x in the following:

$$\cos x = \cos 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$$

Answer

We know that,

$$\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

$$\text{Let } A = 60^\circ, B = 30^\circ$$

Then,

$$\cos 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$$

$$= \cos(A - B)$$

$$= \cos(60^\circ - 30^\circ)$$

$$= \cos 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore \cos x = \cos 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = \cos 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^\circ$$

11 B. Question

Find the value of x in the following:

$$\sin 2x = \sin 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ - \cos 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$$

Answer

We know that,

$$\sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$$

$$\text{Let } A = 60^\circ, B = 30^\circ$$

Then,

$$\sin 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ - \cos 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$$

$$= \sin(60^\circ - 30^\circ)$$

$$= \sin 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore \sin 2x = \sin 60^\circ \cos 30^\circ - \cos 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2x = \sin 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 30^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{30^\circ}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 15^\circ$$

11 C. Question

Find the value of x in the following:

$$\sqrt{3} \tan 2x = \sin 30^\circ + \sin 45^\circ \cos 45^\circ + 2 \sin 90^\circ$$

Answer

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \sin 30^\circ + \sin 45^\circ \cos 45^\circ + 2 \sin 90^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 2 \times 1$$

$$= 3$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{3} \tan 2x = \sin 30^\circ + \sin 45^\circ \cos 45^\circ + 2 \sin 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} \tan 2x = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2x = \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2x = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{But, } \tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 2x = \tan 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{60}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^\circ$$

12. Question

Prove that-

$$\frac{\cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ}{1 + \cos 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Answer

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore$ LHS =

$$\frac{\cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ}{1 + \cos 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{RHS} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$\therefore$ LHS = RHS

$$\therefore \frac{\cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ}{1 + \cos 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Hence Proved

13. Question

Prove that-

$$4 \cot^2 45^\circ - \sec^2 60^\circ - \sin^2 30^\circ = -\frac{1}{4}$$

Answer

$$\cot 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\sec 60^\circ = 2$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 60^\circ = 4$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = 4\cot^2 45^\circ - \sec^2 60^\circ - \sin^2 30^\circ$$

$$= 4 \times 1 - 4 - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= 0 - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{RHS} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$-\frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore 4 \cot^2 45^\circ - \sec^2 60^\circ - \sin^2 30^\circ = -\frac{1}{4}$$

Hence Proved

14. Question

Prove that-

$$\sin 30^\circ \tan^2 60^\circ + 3 \cos 60^\circ \tan 45^\circ = 2 \sec^2 45^\circ - \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ$$

Answer

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 60^\circ = 3$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\sec 45^\circ = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 45^\circ = 2$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \sin 30^\circ \tan^2 60^\circ + 3 \cos 60^\circ \tan 45^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 3 + 3 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 1$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{2} = 3$$

RHS

$$2 \sec^2 45^\circ - \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ$$

$$= 2(2) - 1$$

$$= 3$$

RHS = LHS

Henc, Proved!

15. Question

Prove that-

$$\operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ \cdot \sec^2 30^\circ \sin^3 90^\circ \cos 60^\circ = \frac{4}{3}$$

Answer

$$\operatorname{cosec} 45^\circ = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ = 2$$

$$\sec 30^\circ = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 30^\circ = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \sin^3 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ \cdot \sec^2 30^\circ \sin^3 90^\circ \cos 60^\circ$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{4}{3} \times 1 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ \cdot \sec^2 30^\circ \sin^3 90^\circ \cos 60^\circ = \frac{4}{3}$$

Hence Proved

16. Question

Prove that-

$$\frac{\sin 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ}{\sin 60^\circ - \sin 30^\circ} = \frac{\tan 60^\circ + \tan 45^\circ}{\tan 60^\circ - \tan 45^\circ} =$$

Answer

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\text{LHS} =$$

$$(\sin 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ) / (\sin 60^\circ - \sin 30^\circ)$$

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

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

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

$$\text{RHS} = \frac{\tan 60^\circ + \tan 45^\circ}{\tan 60^\circ - \tan 45^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1} = \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sin 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ}{\sin 60^\circ - \sin 30^\circ} = \frac{\tan 60^\circ + \tan 45^\circ}{\tan 60^\circ - \tan 45^\circ} =$$

Hence Proved

17. Question

Prove that-

$$2(\cos^2 45^\circ + \tan^2 60^\circ) - 6(\sin^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 30^\circ) = 6$$

Answer

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 60^\circ = 3$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} =$$

$$2 \times \left(\frac{1}{2} + 3\right) - 6 \times \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right)$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{7}{2} - 6 \times \frac{1}{6}$$

$$= 7 - 1$$

$$= 6$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore (\cos^2 45^\circ + \tan^2 60^\circ) - 6(\sin^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 30^\circ) = 6$$

Hence Proved

18. Question

Prove that-

$$(\sec^2 30^\circ + \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ) (2\cos 60^\circ + \sin 90^\circ + \tan 45^\circ) = 10$$

Answer

$$\sec 30^\circ = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 30^\circ = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} 45^\circ = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ = 2$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\tan 45^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = (\sec^2 30^\circ + \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ) (2\cos 60^\circ + \sin 90^\circ + \tan 45^\circ)$$

$$\left(\frac{4}{3} + 2\right) \left(2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 1 + 1\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{10}{3}\right) \times (1 + 1 + 1)$$

$$= \frac{10}{3} \times 3$$

$$= 10 = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore (\sec^2 30^\circ + \operatorname{cosec}^2 45^\circ) (2\cos 60^\circ + \sin 90^\circ + \tan 45^\circ) = 10$$

Hence Proved

19. Question

Prove that-

$$(1 - \sin 45^\circ + \sin 30^\circ)(1 + \cos 45^\circ + \cos 60^\circ) = \frac{7}{4}$$

Answer

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = (1 - \sin 45^\circ + \sin 30^\circ)(1 + \cos 45^\circ + \cos 60^\circ)$$

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

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

$$= \frac{(3 - \sqrt{2})(3 + \sqrt{2})}{4}$$

$$= \frac{3^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{9-2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{7}{4} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore (1 - \sin 45^\circ + \sin 30^\circ)(1 + \cos 45^\circ + \cos 60^\circ) = \frac{7}{4}$$

Hence, Proved

20. Question

Prove that-

$$\cos^2 0^\circ - 2 \cot^2 30^\circ + 3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ = 2(\sec^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 60^\circ)$$

Answer

$$\cos 0^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 0^\circ = 1$$

$$\cot 30^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 30^\circ = 3$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\sec 45^\circ = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 45^\circ = 2$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan^2 60^\circ = 3$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \cos^2 0^\circ - 2 \cot^2 30^\circ + 3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ$$

$$= 1 - 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 1$$

$$= 1 - 6 + 3$$

$$= 4 - 6$$

$$= -2$$

$$\text{RHS} = 2(\sec^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 60^\circ)$$

$$= 2 \times (2 - 3)$$

$$= 2 \times (-1)$$

$$= -2$$

$$-2 = -2$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 0^\circ - 2 \cot^2 30^\circ + 3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 90^\circ = 2(\sec^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 60^\circ)$$

Hence Proved

21 A. Question

If $x = 30^\circ$, then prove that

$$\sin 3x = 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x$$

Answer

For $x = 30^\circ$,

$$\text{LHS} = \sin (3 \times 30^\circ)$$

$$= \sin (90^\circ)$$

$$= 1$$

$$\text{RHS} = 3 \sin 30^\circ - 4 \times (\sin 30^\circ)^3$$

$$= 3 \times \frac{1}{2} - 4 \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{4}{8}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

Since $\text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$

$$\sin 3x = 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x$$

Hence proved.

21 B. Question

If $x = 30^\circ$, then prove that

$$\tan 2x = \frac{2 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x}$$

Answer

For, $x = 30^\circ$,

$$\text{LHS} = \tan 2x = \tan(2 \times 30^\circ) = \tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

RHS =

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

$$= \frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

$$\sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$

Hence Proved

21 C. Question

If $x = 30^\circ$, then prove that

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

Answer

For $x = 30^\circ$

LHS =

$$\sin x = \sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

RHS =

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

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos(2 \times 30^\circ)}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos 60^\circ}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\frac{1}{2}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$

$$\therefore \sin x = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2}}$$

Hence, Proved

21 D. Question

If $x = 30^\circ$, then prove that

$$\cos 3x = 4 \cos^3 x - 3 \cos x$$

Answer

For $x = 30^\circ$

$$\text{LHS} = \cos(3 \times 30^\circ) = \cos 90^\circ = 0$$

$$\text{RHS} = 4 \cos^3 x - 3 \cos x$$

$$= 4 \cos^3 30^\circ - 3 \cos 30^\circ$$

$$\left[\cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right]$$

$$\therefore \cos^3 30^\circ = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8}$$

$$\therefore 4 \cos^3 30^\circ - 3 \cos 30^\circ$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} - 3 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= 0$$

Since, $0 = 0$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \cos 3x = 4 \cos^3 x - 3 \cos x$$

Hence Proved

22. Question

If $A = 60^\circ$ and $B = 30^\circ$ then prove that $\cot(A - B) = \frac{\cot A \cot B + 1}{\cot B - \cot A}$

Answer

For $A = 60^\circ$ and $B = 30^\circ$

$$\text{LHS} = \cot(A - B) = \cot(60^\circ - 30^\circ) = \cot 30^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

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

$$= \frac{\cot 60^\circ \cot 30^\circ + 1}{\cot 30^\circ - \cot 60^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{1 + 1}{\frac{3-1}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

$$\sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \cot(A - B) = \frac{\cot A \cot B + 1}{\cot B - \cot A}$$

Hence Proved

Miscellaneous Exercise 6

1. Question

The value of $\tan^2 60^\circ$ is:

A. 3

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. 1

D. ∞

Answer

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 60^\circ = (\tan 60^\circ)^2 = (\sqrt{3})^2 = 3$$

2. Question

The value of $2 \sin^2 60^\circ \cos 60^\circ$ will be:

A. $\frac{4}{3}$

B. $\frac{5}{2}$

C. $\frac{3}{4}$

D. $\frac{1}{3}$

Answer

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 60^\circ = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore 2 \sin^2 60^\circ \cos 60^\circ$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

3. Question

If $\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ then the value of θ is:

A. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

Answer

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

4. Question

The value of $\cos^2 45^\circ$ will be:

A. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

C. $\frac{1}{2}$

D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Answer

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cos^2 45^\circ = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

5. Question

If $\theta = 45^\circ$ then the value of $\frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta}$ is:

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. ∞

Answer

For $\theta = 45^\circ$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos(2 \times 45^\circ) = \cos 90^\circ = 0$$

$$\sin 2\theta = \sin(2 \times 45^\circ) = \sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta}$$

$$= \frac{1 - 0}{1}$$

$$= 1$$

6. Question

Prove that:

$$\cos 60^\circ = 2 \cos^2 30^\circ - 1$$

Answer

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 30^\circ = \frac{3}{4}$$

LHS =

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

RHS =

$$2\cos^2 30^\circ - 1$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{3}{4} - 1$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} - 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore$ LHS = RHS

$$\therefore \cos 60^\circ = 2 \cos^2 30^\circ - 1$$

Hence Proved

7. Question

Prove that:

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 + \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

Answer

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS}$$

$$= \sin 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{RHS} =$$

$$\frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 + \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}{\frac{4}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \sin 60^\circ = \frac{2 \tan 30^\circ}{1 + \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

$\therefore$ Hence Proved

8. Question

Prove that:

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1 - \tan^2 30^\circ}{1 + \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

Answer

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} =$$

$$\cos 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{RHS} =$$

$$= \frac{1 - \tan^2 30^\circ}{1 + \tan^2 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \frac{1}{3}}{1 + \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{3}}{\frac{4}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

Hence Proved

9. Question

Prove that:

$$(\sin 45^\circ + \cos 45^\circ)^2 = 2$$

Answer

LHS:

$$(\sin 45^\circ + \cos 45^\circ)^2$$

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

$$= \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2$$

$$= (\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$= 2$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

Hence Proved!

10. Question

Prove that:

$$4 \tan 30^\circ \sin 45^\circ \sin 60^\circ \sin 90^\circ = \sqrt{2}$$

Answer

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\text{LHS} =$$

$$4 \tan 30^\circ \sin 45^\circ \sin 60^\circ \sin 90^\circ$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times 1 = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{2}$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

Hence Proved!

11. Question

Find the value of $\sin^2 60^\circ \cot^2 60^\circ$.

Answer

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 60^\circ = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cot 60^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 60^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 60^\circ \cot^2 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}$$

12. Question

Find the value of $4\cos^3 30^\circ - 3\cos 30^\circ$.

Answer

For $\theta = 30^\circ$,

$$4\cos^3 30^\circ - 3\cos 30^\circ = 4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta$$

We know that,

$$\cos 3\theta = 4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta$$

$$\therefore 4\cos^3 30^\circ - 3\cos 30^\circ$$

$$= \cos(3 \times 30^\circ)$$

$$= \cos 90^\circ$$

$$= 0$$

13. Question

If $\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, then prove that $\frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta}{2 - \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{3}{5}$

Answer

$$\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \theta = \cot 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} =$$

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

$$= \frac{1 - \cos^2 60^\circ}{2 - \sin^2 60^\circ}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 60^\circ = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 60^\circ = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore$$

$$\frac{1 - \cos^2 60^\circ}{2 - \sin^2 60^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \frac{1}{4}}{2 - \frac{3}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{4}}{\frac{5}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

Hence Proved

14. Question

Prove that $3(\tan^2 30^\circ + \cot^2 30^\circ) - 8(\sin^2 45^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ) = 0$

Answer

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\cot 30^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 30^\circ = 3$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sin^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 30^\circ = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} =$$

$$3(\tan^2 30^\circ + \cot^2 30^\circ) - 8(\sin^2 45^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ)$$

$$= 3\left(\frac{1}{3} + 3\right) - 8\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$= 3 \times \frac{10}{3} - 8 \times \frac{5}{4}$$

$$= 10 - 10$$

$$= 0$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

Hence Proved

15. Question

$$\text{Prove that } 4(\sin^4 30^\circ + \cos 60^\circ) - 3(\cos^2 45^\circ - \sin^2 90^\circ) = \frac{15}{4}$$

Answer

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sin^4 30^\circ = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\sin^2 90^\circ = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = 4(\sin^4 30^\circ + \cos 60^\circ) - 3(\cos^2 45^\circ - \sin^2 90^\circ)$$

$$= 4\left(\frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{2}\right) - 3\left(\frac{1}{2} - 1\right)$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{9}{16} - 3 \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{9}{4} + \frac{3}{2} = \frac{15}{4}$$

$$\text{RHS} = \text{LHS}$$

Hence Proved

16. Question

$$\text{Prove that } \frac{\cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ}{1 + \cos 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Answer

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sin 60^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} =$$

$$\frac{\cos 30^\circ + \sin 60^\circ}{1 + \cos 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

17. Question

Prove that $2(\cos^2 45^\circ + \tan^2 60^\circ) - 6(\sin^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 30^\circ) = 6$

Answer

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan^2 60^\circ = 3$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 45^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore \tan^2 30^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = 2(\cos^2 45^\circ + \tan^2 60^\circ) - 6(\sin^2 45^\circ - \tan^2 30^\circ)$$

$$= 2\left(\frac{1}{2} + 3\right) - 6\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right)$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{7}{2} - 6 \times \frac{1}{6}$$

$$= 7 - 1$$

$$= 6$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

= Hence Proved.