

Advanced Mathematics:
Proving Trigonometric Identities

Worksheet #4

Verify the following trigonometric identities.

$$1. (\sin^4 A - \cos^4 A) = 2 \sin^2 A - 1$$

$$2. \frac{1 - \sin^2 A}{\sin A - 1} = \frac{-\csc A - 1}{\csc A}$$

$$3. 1 + \cos A = \cos A (\sec A + 1)$$

$$4. \sin^2 A = 1 - \frac{1}{\sec^2 A}$$

$$5. \frac{\csc^2 A - 1}{\csc^2 A} = \cos^2 A$$

$$6. \frac{\csc A - \sec A}{\sec A} = \cot A - 1$$

$$7. \frac{\sec A}{\cos A} - 1 = \tan^2 A$$

$$8. \sin^2 A \cdot \cos A \cdot \sec A = 1 - \cos^2 A$$

$$9. \frac{1 + \cot^2 A}{\csc A} = \frac{1}{\sin A}$$

$$10. \frac{\cos A}{\sec A} - \frac{\cot A}{\tan A} = -\cos^2 A \cdot \cot^2 A$$

$$11. \frac{\sin A}{1 + \cos A} + \frac{\sin A}{1 - \cos A} = \frac{2}{\sin A}$$

$$12. \frac{\sin^4 A - 1}{\cos^2 A} + 2 = \cos^2 A$$