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“A mathematician is a machine for turning coffee into theorems.”

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Verifying Trigonometric Identities with Simple Arguments Involving the Product of Three Trigonometric Functions: Problems with Solutions

(Part 26)

$$47. \sin^2 \theta \cdot \cos \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \cdot \cos \theta = \cos \theta - \cos^3 \theta.$$

$$48. \cos^2 \theta \cdot \sin \theta = (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \cdot \sin \theta = \sin \theta - \sin^3 \theta.$$

$$49. \sin^2 \theta \cdot \tan \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \cdot \tan \theta = \tan \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \tan \theta = \tan \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \\ = \tan \theta - \cos \theta \cdot \sin \theta.$$

$$50. \cos^2 \theta \cdot \cot \theta = (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \cdot \cot \theta = \cot \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \cot \theta = \cot \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \\ = \cot \theta - \sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta.$$

$$51. \sin^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \cdot \sec \theta = \sec \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta = \sec \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \\ = \sec \theta - \cos \theta.$$

$$52. \cos^2 \theta \cdot \csc \theta = (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \cdot \csc \theta = \csc \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \csc \theta = \csc \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \\ = \csc \theta - \sin \theta.$$

$$53. \sin^2 \theta \cdot \csc \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \cdot \csc \theta = \csc \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \csc \theta = \csc \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \\ = \csc \theta - \cos \theta \cdot \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \csc \theta - \cos \theta \cdot \cot \theta.$$

$$54. \cos^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta = (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \cdot \sec \theta = \sec \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta = \sec \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \\ = \sec \theta - \sin \theta \cdot \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \sec \theta - \sin \theta \cdot \tan \theta.$$

$$55. \sin^2 \theta \cdot \cot \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \cdot \cot \theta = \cot \theta - \cos^2 \theta \cdot \cot \theta.$$

$$56. \cos^2 \theta \cdot \tan \theta = (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \cdot \tan \theta = \tan \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cdot \tan \theta.$$

$$57. \tan^2 \theta \cdot \sin \theta = (\sec^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta - \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} - \sin \theta = \\ = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta} - \sin \theta = \tan \theta \cdot \sec \theta - \sin \theta.$$

$$58. \cot^2 \theta \cdot \cos \theta = (\csc^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \cos \theta = \cos \theta \cdot \csc^2 \theta - \cos \theta = \cos \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} - \cos \theta = \\ = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \cos \theta = \cot \theta \cdot \csc \theta - \cos \theta.$$

$$59. \tan^2 \theta \cdot \cos \theta = (\sec^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \cos \theta = \cos \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta - \cos \theta = \cos \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} - \cos \theta = \\ = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} - \cos \theta = \sec \theta - \cos \theta.$$

$$60. \cot^2 \theta \cdot \sin \theta = (\csc^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cdot \csc^2 \theta - \sin \theta = \sin \theta \cdot \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} - \sin \theta = \\ = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} - \sin \theta = \csc \theta - \sin \theta.$$

$$61. \tan^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta = (\sec^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \sec \theta = \sec^3 \theta - \sec \theta.$$

$$62. \cot^2 \theta \cdot \csc \theta = (\csc^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \csc \theta = \csc^3 \theta - \csc \theta.$$

$$63. \tan^2 \theta \cdot \csc \theta = (\sec^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \csc \theta = \csc \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta - \csc \theta.$$

$$64. \cot^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta = (\csc^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \sec \theta = \sec \theta \cdot \csc^2 \theta - \sec \theta.$$

$$65. \tan^2 \theta \cdot \cot \theta = (\sec^2 \theta - 1) \cdot \cot \theta = \cot \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta - \cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} - \cot \theta = \\ = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta} - \cot \theta = \csc \theta \cdot \sec \theta - \cot \theta.$$

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“Only he who never plays, never loses.”