

**PRE CALCULUS**  
**SECTION 5.1- WORKSHEET**  
**SIMPLIFYING TRIGONOMETRIC EXPRESSIONS**

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Show ALL steps for credit.

1) Simplify in terms of sin x:  $\cot^2 x - 1$

1)

2)

3)

4)

5)

2) Simplify in terms of cos x:  $\csc^2 x + \cot^2 x$

**In problems 3 – 10, simplify in terms of a single trig function:**

3) 
$$\frac{\sin x + \tan x}{\tan x(\csc x + \cot x)}$$

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$$4) \quad \frac{\cot^2 x}{\csc x + 1} + 1$$

$$5) \quad \frac{(\csc x - \cot x)(\csc x + \cot x)}{\sin x}$$