

# Word Squares

Puzzle 0169

In trigonometry, the secant and its complementary function, *first*, are at first sight not as easy to use as the *second* functions, but if you will allow me to go off on a *tangent* and *third* my insight with you, I find it *fourth* and strangely disturbing that its relationship to these two is the same as that to *sine* and *cosine*, which is almost as if the ancient geometers were following some arcane hermetic *fifth*.

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