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# Solutions

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1	15	
2	10	
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- You are not permitted to use a calculator on this exam.
- In order to receive full credit, you must show your work. Be wary of doing computations in your head. Instead, write out your computations on the exam paper.
- If you need more room, use the backs of the pages and indicate to the grader that you have done so.
- Raise your hand if you have a question.
- Good luck!

(15 points)

- (a) (5 points) Circle the correct one:

Reference angle of an angle is always an acute / obtuse / straight /quadrantal angle.

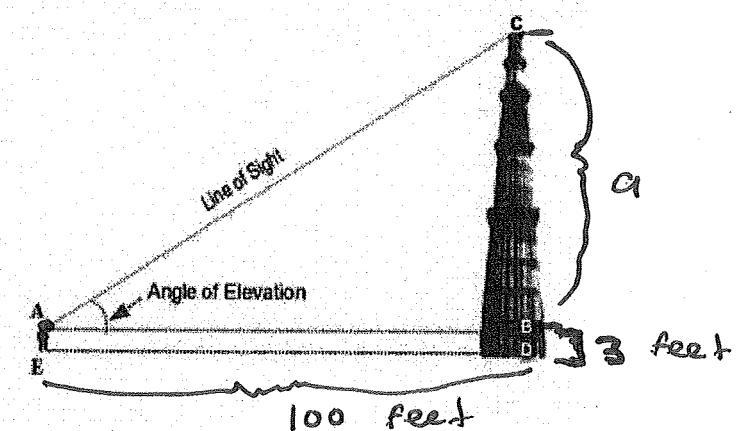
- (b) (10 points) A surveyor measured the angle of elevation to be  $60^\circ$ . The transit is 3 feet above the ground (that is the distance between B and D in the graph) and 100 feet from the tower. Find the height of the tower.

$$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{a}{100}$$

$$a = 100 \cdot \tan 60^\circ = 100 \cdot \sqrt{3}$$

So, the height is

$$100\sqrt{3} + 3$$



(10 points)

- (a) (5 points) Find the value of  $\cos^2(15^\circ) + \cos^2(75^\circ) - 3$ .

By cofunction idea,  $\cos^2(15^\circ) = \sin^2(75^\circ)$

So, it is

$$\underbrace{\sin^2(75^\circ) + \cos^2(75^\circ)}_{=1 \text{ by Pythagorean}} - 3 = 1 - 3 = \boxed{-2}$$

- (b) (5 points) Find the value of  $\cos(30^\circ) + \sin(\frac{\pi}{6}) + \tan(\frac{\pi}{4})$ .

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

$$\tan \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{4}}{\cos \frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}/2}{\sqrt{2}/2} = 1$$

3 (15 points)

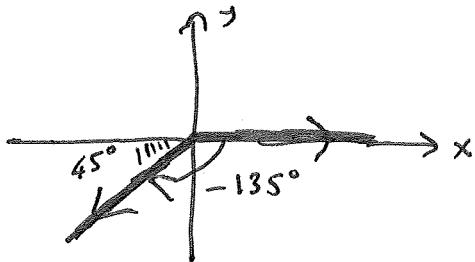
- (a) (5 points) Convert
- $-\frac{3\pi}{4}$
- to degrees.

$$-\frac{3\pi}{4} \cdot \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = -135^\circ$$

- (b) (5 points) Find a positive angle less than
- $360^\circ$
- that is coterminal with
- $-135^\circ$
- .

$$-135^\circ + 360^\circ = 225^\circ$$

- (c) (5 points) Find the reference angle of
- $-135^\circ$
- .



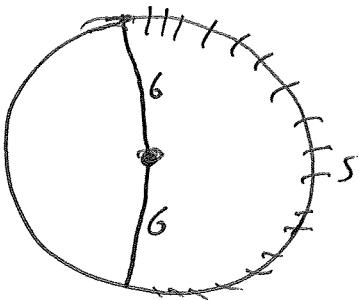
The reference angle is

$$225^\circ - 180^\circ = 45^\circ$$

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- 4 (10 points) A circle has a radius 6 feet. Find the length of the arc intercepted by a central angle of
- $240^\circ$
- .

First, we need to switch to radians:

$$240^\circ \cdot \frac{\pi \text{ radians}}{180^\circ} = \frac{4\pi}{3} \text{ radians.}$$



$$s = r \cdot \theta = 6 \cdot \frac{4\pi}{3} = 8\pi$$

is the length.

5 (30 points)

- (a) (10 points) If  $\cos(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$ , and  $\theta$  is an acute angle, then find  $\csc(\theta)$ .

we need to find  $\sin(\theta)$  first.

$$\csc(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sin(\theta)}$$

$$\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta) = 1 \quad \left(\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}\right)^2 + \sin^2(\theta) = 1$$

$$\sin^2(\theta) = 1 - \frac{6}{9} = \frac{3}{9} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \sin(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

Therefore,  $\csc(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sin(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \sqrt{3}$

- (b) (10 points) Find exact value of  $\csc(35^\circ)\sin(35^\circ) + \sec(15^\circ)\cos(15^\circ)$ .

$$= \cancel{\frac{1}{\sin(35^\circ)}} \cdot \cancel{\sin(35^\circ)} + \cancel{\frac{1}{\cos(15^\circ)}} \cdot \cancel{\cos(15^\circ)}$$

$$= 1 + 1 = 2 .$$

- (c) (10 points) Find the exact value of

$$\sin 15^\circ \cos 75^\circ + \frac{\cos 15^\circ}{\sec 15^\circ} \xrightarrow{\text{cofunctions}} \frac{1}{\cos(15^\circ)}$$

$$= \cos(75^\circ) \cdot \cos(75^\circ) + \frac{\cos(15^\circ)}{\frac{1}{\cos(15^\circ)}}$$

$$= \cos^2(75^\circ) + \cos(15^\circ) \cdot \cos(15^\circ)$$

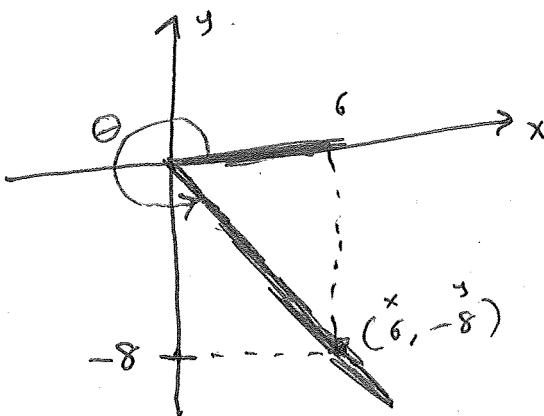
$$= \cos^2(75^\circ) + \cos^2(15^\circ)$$

$$= \cos^2(75^\circ) + \sin^2(75^\circ) \text{ by cofunctions}$$

$$= 1 \text{ by pythagorean.}$$

**6** (15 points)

- (a) (10 points) If the point  $(6, -8)$  is on the terminal side of an angle  $\theta$ , then find the exact values of  $\cot(\theta)$  and  $\csc(\theta)$ .

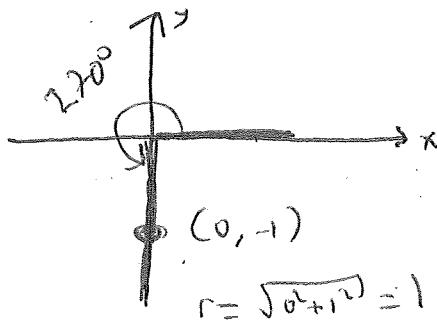


$$\cot(\theta) = \frac{x}{y} = \frac{6}{-8} = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\csc(\theta) = \frac{r}{|y|} = \frac{10}{-8} = -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{6^2 + (-8)^2} = 10$$

- (b) (5 points) Evaluate  $\sin(270^\circ)$ . Show your work.

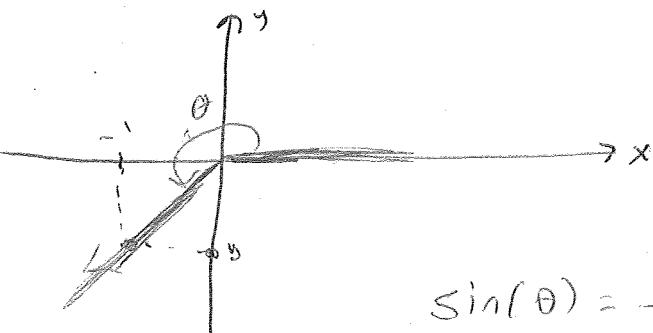


We pick any point on the terminal side: for example  $(0, -1)$

$$\sin(270^\circ) = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{-1}{1} = -1$$

- 7** (10 points) If  $\sec(\theta) = -3$ , and  $\tan(\theta) > 0$ , then find the exact values of  $\sin \theta$ .

Tangent is positive only on the first and third quadrant. But since  $\sec(\theta)$  is negative, the angle has to be on the third quadrant. Remember  $\sec(\theta)$  and  $\cos(\theta)$  have the same sign.



$$\sec(\theta) = \frac{r}{x} = -3 \Rightarrow r = 3$$

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \Rightarrow 3 = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + y^2}$$

$$9 = 1 + y^2$$

$$y^2 = 8 \Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{8}$$

we pick the negative b/c

$$\sin(\theta) = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{-\sqrt{8}}{3} = -\frac{\sqrt{8}}{3} = -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$