

Note: The actual exam will be shorter.

MAC 1114

EXAM 3

SPRING-2016

1 (15 points) Determine the amplitude, period, and phase shift of  $y = 4 \sin(2x - \frac{2\pi}{3})$ . Then graph the function (you should graph the function for more than one period).

$$y = A \sin(Bx - c)$$

$$A = 4, \quad B = 2, \quad c = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{Amplitude: } |A| = |4| = 4$$

$$\text{Period: } \frac{2\pi}{B} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi \Rightarrow \text{quarter of the period } \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{Phase shift: } \frac{c}{B} = \frac{\frac{2\pi}{3}}{2} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

So, the key points are as follows:

$$x_1 = \frac{\pi}{3} \xrightarrow{\text{phase shift}} y_1 = 4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3} - \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = 4 \cdot \sin(0) = 0$$

$$x_2 = \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{7\pi}{12} \Rightarrow y_2 = 4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{14\pi}{12} - \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = 4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 4$$

$$x_3 = \frac{7\pi}{12} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{7\pi}{12} + \frac{3\pi}{12} = \frac{10\pi}{12} \Rightarrow y_3 = 4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{20\pi}{12} - \frac{8\pi}{12}\right) = 0$$

$$x_4 = \frac{10\pi}{12} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{10\pi}{12} + \frac{3\pi}{12} = \frac{13\pi}{12} \Rightarrow y_4 = 4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{26\pi}{12} - \frac{8\pi}{12}\right) = -4$$

$$x_5 = \frac{13\pi}{12} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{13\pi}{12} + \frac{3\pi}{12} = \frac{16\pi}{12} \Rightarrow y_5 = 4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{32\pi}{12} - \frac{8\pi}{12}\right) = 0$$

The pairs:

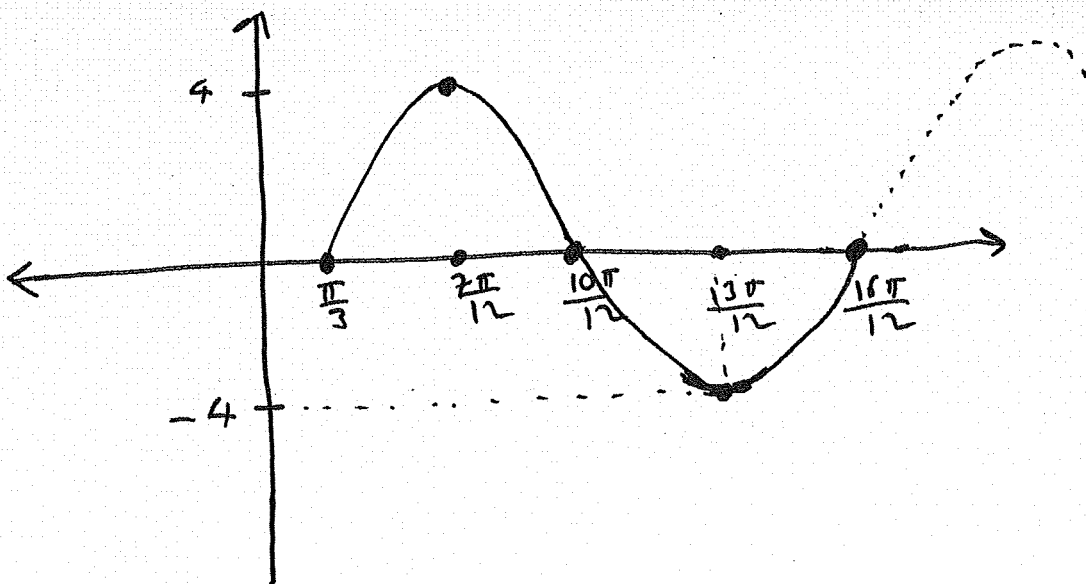
$$\left(\frac{\pi}{3}, 0\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}, 4\right)$$

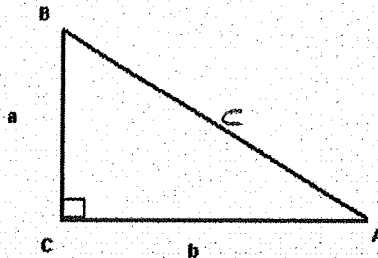
$$\left(\frac{10\pi}{12}, 0\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{13\pi}{12}, -4\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{16\pi}{12}, 0\right)$$



- 2 (10 points) Use the right triangle shown in the picture to find  $a$ ,  $c$ , and  $A$ . We know that  $b = 5$ ,  $B = 60^\circ$ . You need to use trigonometric functions for this question, other methods will be disregarded.



One way to do it:

$$\sin(60^\circ) = \frac{b}{c}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{5}{c} \Rightarrow c = \frac{10}{\sqrt{3}} = \boxed{\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}}$$

$$A + B = 90^\circ$$

$$A + 60^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\boxed{A = 30^\circ}$$

$$\cos(60^\circ) = \frac{a}{c}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{a}{\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}} \Rightarrow \boxed{a = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{6}}$$

- 3 (20 points)

- (a) (3 points) Find the exact value of  $\cos^{-1}(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2})$ . Explain your answer.

Let  $\cos^{-1}(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}) = \theta$ . So, we are looking for an angle  $\theta$  in  $[0, \pi]$  such that  $\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ .  $\theta$  has to be in quadrant II as  $\cos$  is negative.

So,  $\theta$  is  $135^\circ = \frac{3\pi}{4}$  because  $\cos(135^\circ) = -\cos(45^\circ) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$$\text{Thus, } \cos^{-1}(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}) = \frac{3\pi}{4}.$$

- (b) (3 points) Find the exact value of  $\sin(\sin^{-1}(-2\pi))$ .

let  $= \theta$

If  $\sin^{-1}(-2\pi) = \theta$ , that means  $\sin(\theta) = -2\pi \approx -6.28$  but there is no angle  $\theta$  such that  $\sin(\theta) \approx -6.28$  because the range of sine is  $[-1, 1]$ .

So, the answer is undefined.

(c) (4 points) Find the exact value of  $\sin^{-1}(\sin(\frac{5\pi}{6}))$ . Explain your answer.

Since  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$  is not in  $(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$ , the answer is NOT  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ .

$\sin(\frac{5\pi}{6}) = \sin(\frac{\pi}{6}) = \frac{1}{2}$  by the reference angle idea.

$\sin^{-1}(\sin(\frac{5\pi}{6})) = \sin^{-1}(\sin(\frac{\pi}{6})) = \frac{\pi}{6}$  because  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  is in  $[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ .

(d) (5 points) Find the exact value of  $\tan(\sin^{-1}(-\frac{4}{5}))$ .

Let  $\theta = \sin^{-1}(-\frac{4}{5})$ , so we are looking for  $\tan(\theta)$ !

$\downarrow$   
this means  $\sin(\theta) = -\frac{4}{5}$  and  $\theta \in [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ .

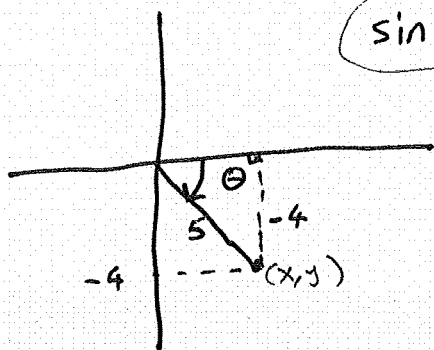
but sine is negative  $\theta$  has to be in  $[-\frac{\pi}{2}, 0]$  interval.

$$\sin(\theta) = \frac{y}{r} = -\frac{4}{5}$$

Therefore, by Pythagorean theorem  $x=3$

$$\Rightarrow \text{and, so } \tan(\theta) = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{-4}{3} = -\frac{4}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(\sin^{-1}(-\frac{4}{5})) = -\frac{4}{3}$$



(e) (5 points) Find the exact value of  $\sin(75^\circ)$

$$\sin(75^\circ) = \sin(30^\circ + 45^\circ)$$

by sum formula for sine

$$= \sin(30^\circ) \cdot \cos(45^\circ) + \sin(45^\circ) \cdot \cos(30^\circ)$$

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

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4}$$

4 (15 points)

(a) (5 points) Verify the identity

$$\cos \theta \cdot \csc \theta \cdot \tan \theta = 1$$

The left hand side is

$$= \cos(\theta) \cdot \frac{1}{\sin(\theta)} \cdot \frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)}$$

$$= \cos(\theta) \cdot \frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

(b) (10 points) Verify the identity

$$\frac{\sec(2\theta) - \cos(2\theta)}{\sin^2(2\theta)} = \sec(2\theta)$$

From the left hand side:

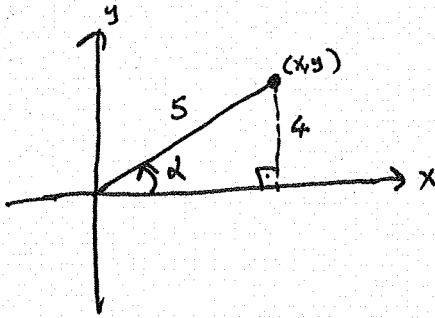
$$= \frac{\frac{1}{\cos(2\theta)} - \cos(2\theta)}{\sin^2(2\theta)} = \frac{\frac{1 - \cos^2(2\theta)}{\cos(2\theta)}}{\sin^2(2\theta)}$$

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

$$= \sec(2\theta)$$

because  $\sin^2(2\theta) = 1 - \cos^2(2\theta)$   
by Pythagorean.

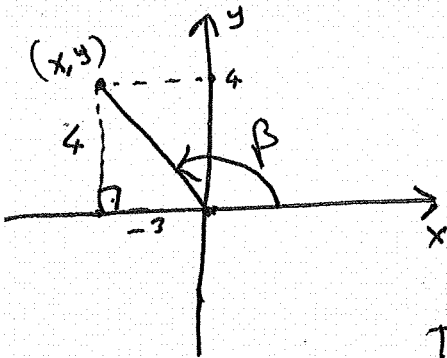
- 5 (15 points) Given that  $\sin(\alpha) = \frac{4}{5}$ ,  $\alpha$  lies in quadrant I, and  $\sin(\beta) = \frac{4}{5}$ ,  $\beta$  lies in quadrant II. Find the exact value of  $\sin(\alpha - \beta)$ .



$$\sin(\alpha) = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{4}{5}$$

By Pythagorean Identity,  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$   
 $x^2 + 4^2 = 5^2$   
 $x^2 = 9$   
 $x = 3$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(\alpha) = \frac{x}{r} = \frac{3}{5}$$



$$\sin(\beta) = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{4}{5}, \text{ again by Pythagorean Identity}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

$$x^2 + 4^2 = 5^2$$

$$x^2 = 5^2 - 4^2 = 9$$

$$x = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(\beta) = \frac{x}{r} = -\frac{3}{5}$$

Therefore,  $\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin\alpha \cdot \cos\beta - \cos\alpha \cdot \sin\beta$

$$= \frac{4}{5} \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right) - \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{5}$$

$$= \frac{-12}{25} - \frac{12}{25} = \boxed{-\frac{24}{25}}$$

- 6 (10 points) Verify the identity

$$(\sin\theta - \cos\theta)^2 = 1 - \sin 2\theta$$

let's start from the left hand side:

$$(\sin\theta - \cos\theta)^2 = \sin^2\theta - 2\sin\theta \cdot \cos\theta + \cos^2\theta$$

$$= \underbrace{\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta}_{=1} - \underbrace{2 \cdot \sin\theta \cdot \cos\theta}_{\sin(2\theta)}$$

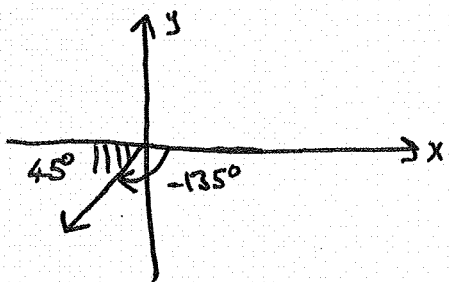
$$= 1 - \sin(2\theta) \quad \checkmark$$

by the double angle formula.

7 (20 points)

(a) (10 points) Find the value of  $2 + \sin^2(75^\circ) + \sin^2(15^\circ)$ . Explain your answer.

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 2 + \sin^2(75^\circ) + \overset{\downarrow}{\cos^2(75^\circ)} \quad \text{cofunctions} \\
 &= 2 + 1 \quad \text{by Pythagorean Identity} \\
 &= 3
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) (10 points) Use the reference angle to find the exact value of  $\sin(-135^\circ)$ . Explain your answer.

The reference angle of  $-135^\circ$  is  $45^\circ$ .

So,  $\sin(-135^\circ) = \mp \sin(45^\circ)$ .  
But, we choose the negative sign because  $\sin$  is negative in the third quadrant.

$$\sin(-135^\circ) = -\sin(45^\circ) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

8 (Bonus 5 points) Find the exact

$$\cos^2(22.5^\circ) - \sin^2(22.5^\circ)$$

$$= \cos(2 \cdot (22.5^\circ))$$

$$= \cos(45^\circ) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

because of the double angle formula:

$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2(\theta) - \sin^2(\theta)$$

9 (25 points)

(a) (10 points) Solve the equation over the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$ 

$$\cos(2x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

We know  $\cos(45^\circ) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

and  $\cos(315^\circ) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

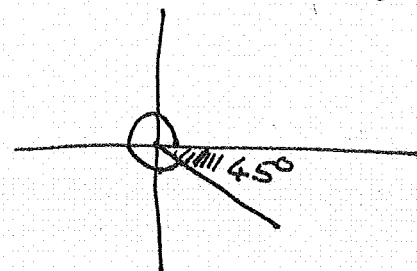
$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

Since  $\cos(2x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$$2x = \frac{\pi}{4} + 2n\pi$$

since  $\cos$  has period  $2\pi$ .

$$2x = \frac{7\pi}{4} + 2n\pi$$



If  $n=0$ ,  $x = \frac{\pi}{8}$  and  $x = \frac{7\pi}{8}$

$n=1$ ,  $x = \frac{\pi}{8} + \pi = \frac{9\pi}{8}$ , and  $x = \frac{7\pi}{8} + \pi = \frac{15\pi}{8}$

If  $n=2$ , we are not in the range  $[0, 2\pi)$ . So, the sol. is

$$x = \frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{7\pi}{8}, \frac{9\pi}{8}, \frac{15\pi}{8}$$

(b) (15 points) Solve the following equation on the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$ 

$$\sin x \cdot \cos x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

Remember that  $\sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cdot \cos x$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cdot \sin x \cdot \cos x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin 2x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \text{ we know } \sin \frac{4\pi}{3} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \text{ and}$$

$$\sin \frac{5\pi}{3} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = \frac{4\pi}{3} + 2n\pi$$

$$\text{and } 2x = \frac{5\pi}{3} + 2n\pi$$

If  $n=0$ ,  $x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{5\pi}{6}$

If  $n=1$ ,  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{11\pi}{6}$

The sol. set is

$$\left\{ \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{3}, \frac{11\pi}{6} \right\}$$