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1. Use the three methods indicated below to demonstrate that the equation  $\cos(2\pi - \theta) = \cos \theta$  is an identity.

(a) Compound angle identity (3 KU)

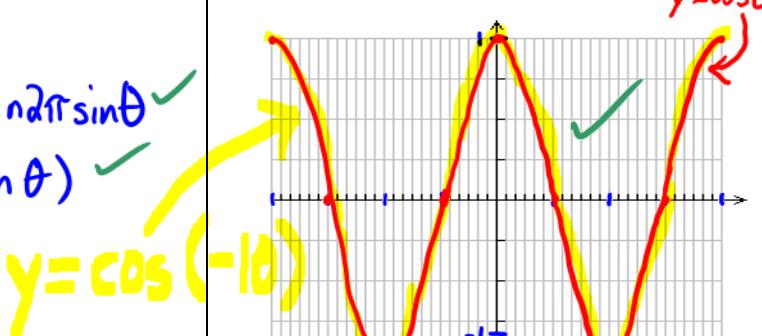
$$\cos(2\pi - \theta)$$

$$= \cos 2\pi \cos \theta + \sin 2\pi \sin \theta$$

$$= 1(\cos \theta) + 0(\sin \theta)$$

$$= \cos \theta$$

(b) Graphical (Transformations) (3 KU)

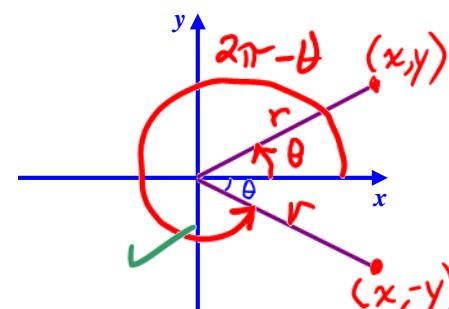


$$\text{Let } y = \cos(2\pi - \theta)$$

$$= \cos(-1(\theta - 2\pi))$$

The graph of this function can be obtained by reflecting  $y = \cos \theta$  in the y-axis, then shifting  $2\pi$  to the right. Doing this simply produces the graph of  $y = \cos \theta$ !

(c) Angles of Rotation (3 KU)



$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$$

$$\cos(2\pi - \theta) = \frac{x}{r}$$

$$\therefore \cos(2\pi - \theta) = \cos \theta$$

2. Using the methods listed below, demonstrate that the equation  $\tan(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) = \tan x + \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$  is not an identity.

(a) Counterexample (3 KU)

$$\text{Let } x = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

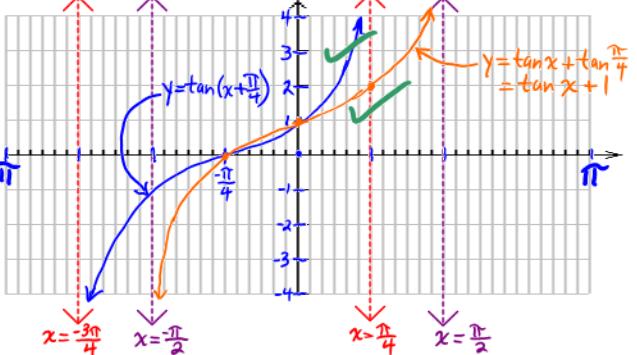
Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.S.} &= \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ &= \tan\left(\frac{5\pi}{12}\right) \\ &\approx 3.732 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.S.} &= \tan \frac{\pi}{6} + \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + 1 \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3} + 3}{3} \approx 1.911 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \text{L.S.} \neq \text{R.S.}$ ,  
the given  
equation cannot  
be an identity.

(b) Graphical (Transformations) (3 KU)



$y = \tan(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) \rightarrow$  graph of  $y = \tan x$  shifted  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  to the left  
 $y = \tan x + \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = \tan x + 1 \rightarrow$  graph of  $y = \tan x$  shifted 1 up  
 Graphs are NOT coincident  $\rightarrow$  the given equation cannot be an identity

3. Evaluate the following trig ratios without using a calculator. Exact values are required!

(a)  $\sin \frac{7\pi}{12}$  (4 APP)

$$= \sin\left(\frac{4\pi}{12} + \frac{3\pi}{12}\right)$$

$$= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

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

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

Either form  
is accepted.

(b)  $\cos 157.5^\circ$  (4 APP)

$$157.5^\circ = \frac{315}{2}$$

$$\cos 2\theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1$$

$$\therefore \cos 315^\circ = 2\cos^2 157.5^\circ - 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{\cos 315^\circ + 1}{2} = \cos^2 157.5^\circ$$

$$\therefore -\sqrt{\frac{\cos 315^\circ + 1}{2}} = \cos 157.5^\circ$$

since  $157.5^\circ$  is in quad. II  
 $\therefore \cos 157.5^\circ = -\sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}}$

$$\therefore -\sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}} = -\sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{2} + 2}{4}} = -\frac{\sqrt{\sqrt{2} + 2}}{2}$$

Any  
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accepted

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4. For each of the following, write an identity entirely in terms of the given trigonometric ratio.

(a)  $\cos 4\theta$  entirely in terms of  $\cos \theta$  (5 APP)

$$\begin{aligned}\cos 4\theta &= \cos(2(2\theta)) \checkmark \\ &= 2\cos^2 2\theta - 1 \checkmark \\ &= 2(2\cos^2 \theta - 1)^2 - 1 \\ &\quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \checkmark \\ \checkmark \end{array} \right\} = 2(4\cos^4 \theta - 4\cos^2 \theta + 1) - 1 \\ &= 8\cos^4 \theta - 8\cos^2 \theta + 2 - 1 \\ &= 8\cos^4 \theta - 8\cos^2 \theta + 1 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \checkmark \\ \checkmark \end{array} \right\}\end{aligned}$$

(b)  $\cos 3\theta$  entirely in terms of  $\cos \theta$  (5 APP)

$$\begin{aligned}\cos 3\theta &= \cos(2\theta + \theta) \checkmark \\ &= \cos 2\theta \cos \theta - \sin 2\theta \sin \theta \checkmark \\ &= (2\cos^2 \theta - 1)\cos \theta - (2\sin \theta \cos \theta)\sin \theta \\ &= 2\cos^3 \theta - \cos \theta - 2\sin^2 \theta \cos \theta \\ &= 2\cos^3 \theta - \cos \theta - 2(1 - \cos^2 \theta)\cos \theta \\ &= 2\cos^3 \theta - \cos \theta - 2\cos \theta + 2\cos^3 \theta \\ &= 4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta\end{aligned}$$

5. The following question deals with solving trigonometric equations both graphically and algebraically.

(a) Shown below are the graphs of

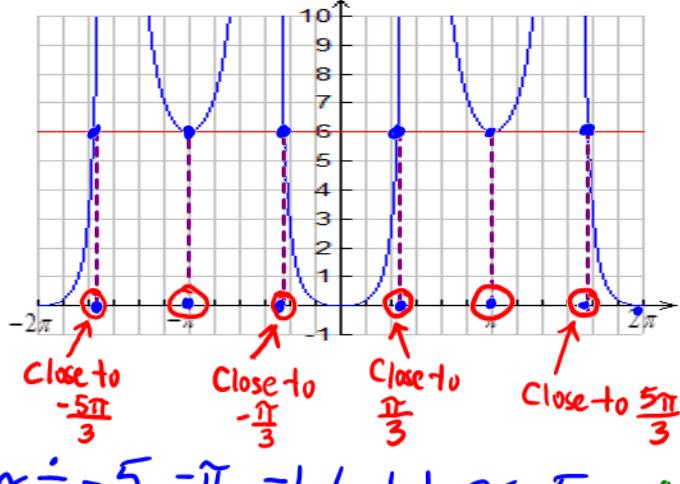
$$y = (\sec x - 1)(2\sec x - 1)$$

and  $y = 6$ . State

**approximate** solutions to the equation

$$(\sec x - 1)(2\sec x - 1) = 6 \text{ for } x \in [-2\pi, 2\pi].$$

In addition, **mark** the solutions on the graph. (6 KU)



$$x \approx -5, -\pi, -1.1, 1.1, \pi, 5$$

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3 marks  $\rightarrow$  stating approximate solutions

(b) Use an algebraic method to solve the equation

$$(\sec x - 1)(2\sec x - 1) = 6, \text{ where } x \in [-\pi, \pi].$$

(5 APP)

$$\therefore 2\sec^2 x - 3\sec x + 1 = 6$$

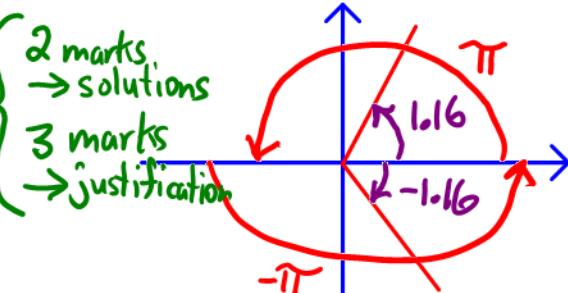
$$\therefore 2\sec^2 x - 3\sec x - 5 = 0$$

$$\therefore (2\sec x - 5)(\sec x + 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore 2\sec x - 5 = 0 \text{ or } \sec x = -1$$

$$\therefore \sec x = \frac{5}{2} \text{ or } \sec x = -1$$

$$\therefore x \approx 1.16 \text{ or } x \approx -1.16 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{agree} \\ \text{with} \\ \text{estimates} \\ \text{from} \\ \text{5(a)} \end{array} \right\}$$

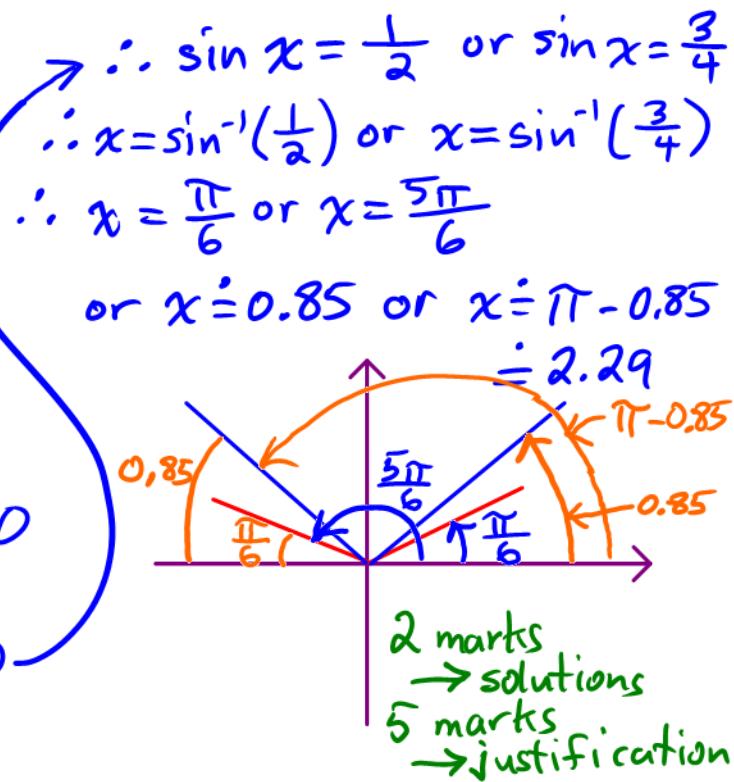


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 $\rightarrow$  solutions  
3 marks  
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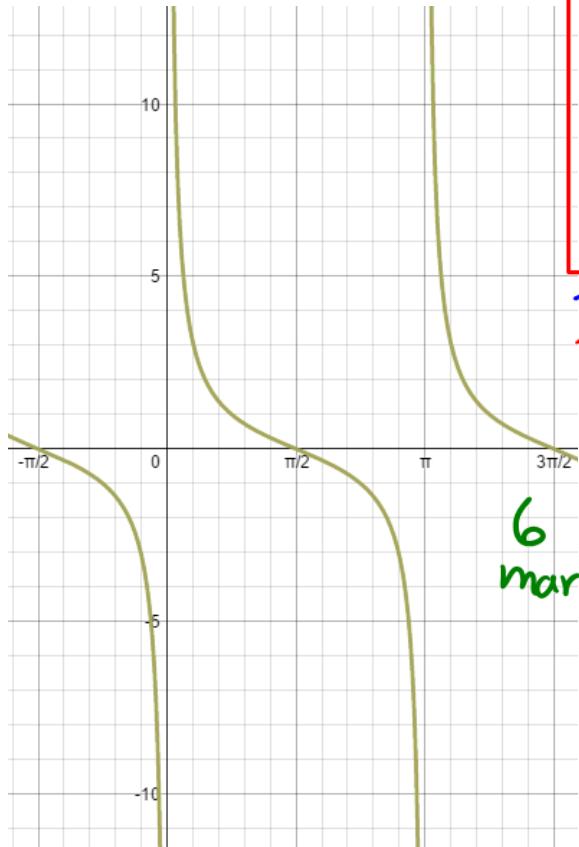
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6. Solve the equation  $4\cos 2x + 10\sin x = 7$  for the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . If necessary, and only if necessary, round your answers to 1 decimal place. (7 TIPS)

$$\begin{aligned}
 4\cos 2x + 10\sin x &= 7 \\
 \therefore 4(1-2\sin^2 x) + 10\sin x - 7 &= 0 \\
 \therefore 4 - 8\sin^2 x + 10\sin x - 7 &= 0 \\
 \therefore -8\sin^2 x + 10\sin x - 3 &= 0 \\
 \therefore 8\sin^2 x - 10\sin x + 3 &= 0 \\
 \therefore 8\sin^2 x - 4\sin x - 6\sin x + 3 &= 0 \\
 \therefore 4\sin x(2\sin x - 1) - 3(2\sin x - 1) &= 0 \\
 \therefore (2\sin x - 1)(4\sin x - 3) &= 0 \\
 \therefore 2\sin x - 1 &= 0 \text{ or } 4\sin x - 3 = 0
 \end{aligned}$$



7. The graph of  $f(x) = \frac{2\cot 2x(\csc^2 x + 1) - 4\cot 2x}{\cot^2 x - 1}$  is shown below. Write an equation for the identity suggested by this graph then prove that the equation is indeed an identity. (10 TIPS)



The graph suggests that the equation

$$\frac{2\cot 2x(\csc^2 x + 1) - 4\cot 2x}{\cot^2 x - 1} = \cot x$$

is an identity 4 marks

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
 L.S. &= \frac{2}{\cot^2 x - 1} [\cot 2x(\csc^2 x + 1 - 2)] \\
 &= \left(\frac{2}{\cot^2 x - 1}\right) \left(\frac{\cot^2 x - 1}{2\cot x}\right) (\csc^2 x - 1) \\
 &= \left(\frac{1}{\cot x}\right) (\cot^2 x) \\
 &= \cot x \\
 &= R.S.
 \end{aligned}$$

∴ the given equation is an identity

8. Write a quadratic trigonometric equation involving  $\csc x$  whose solutions in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$  are the same as the  $x$ -intercepts of the graph shown at the right. Show that your equation yields the correct solutions. (4 TIPS)

$x$	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{5\pi}{6}$	$\frac{7\pi}{6}$	$\frac{11\pi}{6}$
$\csc x$	2	2	-2	-2

This shows that the solutions must be  $\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$

For the given solutions in  $[0, 2\pi]$ ,

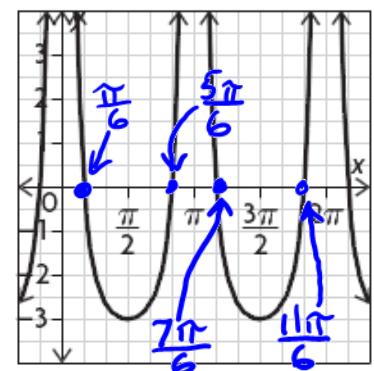
$$\csc x = 2 \text{ or } \csc x = -2$$

$$\therefore \csc x - 2 = 0 \text{ or } \csc x + 2 = 0$$

$$\therefore (\csc x - 2)(\csc x + 2) = 0$$

$$\therefore \csc^2 x - 4 = 0$$

$$\therefore \csc^2 x = 4$$



1 mark → equation  
3 marks → justification

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