

Grade 11 Pre-AP Mathematics
Trigonometry Unit Final Test

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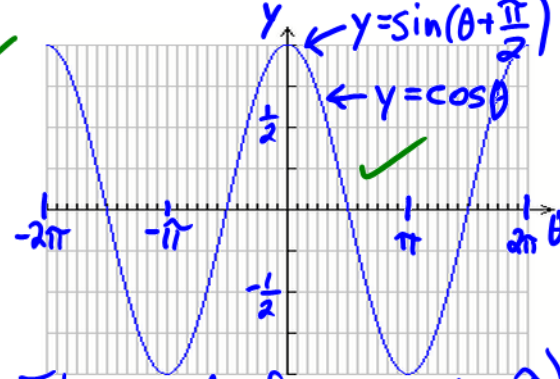
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1. Use the three methods indicated below to demonstrate that the equation $\sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) = \cos \theta$ is an identity.

(a) Compound angle identity (3 KU)

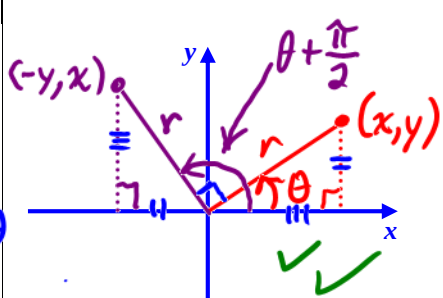
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{L.S.} &= \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) \\
 &= \sin \theta \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + \cos \theta \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \\
 &= \sin \theta (0) + \cos \theta (1) \\
 &= 0 + \cos \theta \\
 &= \cos \theta \\
 &= \text{R.S.} \\
 \therefore \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) &= \cos \theta \\
 &\text{is an identity}
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Graphical (Transformations) (3 KU)



The graph of $y = \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})$ can be obtained by translating the graph of $y = \sin \theta$ $\frac{\pi}{2}$ to the left. This produces the graph of $y = \cos \theta$. $\therefore \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) = \cos \theta$

(c) Angles of Rotation (3 KU)



$$\begin{aligned}
 \cos \theta &= \frac{x}{r} \\
 \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) &= \frac{x}{r} \\
 \therefore \sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) &= \cos \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

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

(a) Counterexample (3 KU)

$$\text{Let } x = 0.$$

Then,

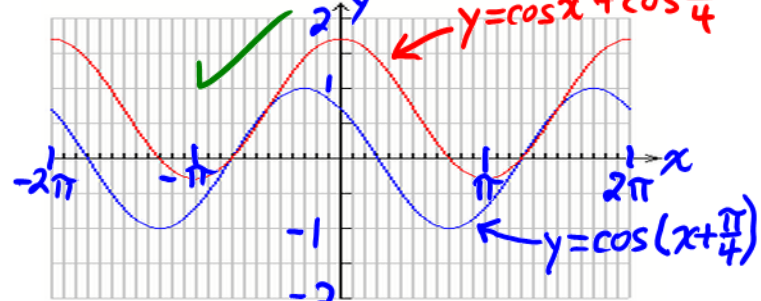
$$\text{L.S.} = \cos(0 + \frac{\pi}{4}) = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{R.S.} &= \cos 0 + \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \\
 &= 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} > \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{L.S.} \neq \text{R.S.}$$

$\therefore$ the equation is not an identity

(b) Graphical (Transformations) (3 KU)



$y = \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{4})$: $y = \cos x$ shifted $\frac{\pi}{4}$ left
 $y = \cos x + \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \cos x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$: $y = \cos x$ shifted $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ units upward

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

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

$$= \tan(\frac{3\pi}{12} + \frac{4\pi}{12})$$

$$= \tan(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{3})$$

$$= \frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \tan \frac{\pi}{3}}{1 - \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan \frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{1 - 1(\sqrt{3})}$$

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

(b) $\sin 112.5^\circ$ (4 APP)

$$112.5^\circ = \frac{225^\circ}{2} = x$$

$$\therefore 2x = 225^\circ$$

$$\therefore \cos 2x = 1 - 2\sin^2 x$$

$$\therefore \cos 225^\circ = 1 - 2\sin^2 112.5^\circ$$

$$\therefore -\cos 45^\circ = 1 - 2\sin^2 112.5^\circ$$

$$\therefore -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 - 2\sin^2 112.5^\circ$$

$$\therefore 2\sin^2 112.5^\circ = 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} + 1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 112.5^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{2} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \sin 112.5^\circ = \pm \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{2} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}}$$

$$\therefore 112.5^\circ \text{ is in quad II, } \sin 112.5^\circ = \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{2} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}}$$

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4. Write $\sin 3\theta$ entirely in terms of $\sin \theta$. (10 APP)

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

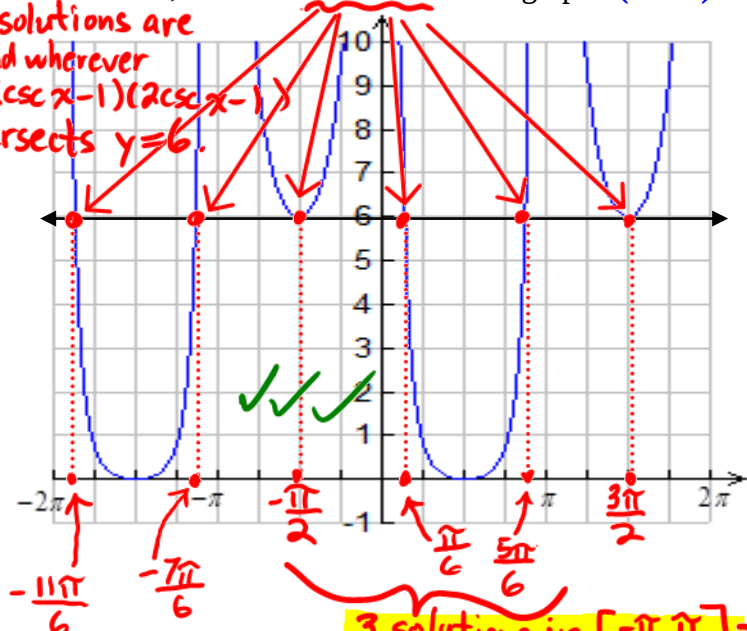
Note: The original question wasn't wrong after all. Here is a solution.

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

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

(a) Shown below are the graphs of $y = (\csc x - 1)(2\csc x - 1)$ and $y = 6$. State approximate solutions to the equation $(\csc x - 1)(2\csc x - 1) = 6$ for $x \in [-2\pi, 2\pi]$. In addition, mark the solutions on the graph. (6 KU)

The solutions are found wherever $y = (\csc x - 1)(2\csc x - 1)$ intersects $y = 6$.



Approximate Solutions:

$$x \approx \frac{-11\pi}{6}, \frac{-7\pi}{6}, \frac{-\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

(b) Use an algebraic method to solve the equation $(\csc x - 1)(2\csc x - 1) = 6$, where $x \in [-\pi, \pi]$.

Verify that your solutions agree with those that you obtained in (a). (5 APP)

$$\begin{aligned}2\csc^2 x - 3\csc x + 1 &= 6 \\ \therefore 2\csc^2 x - 3\csc x - 5 &= 0 \\ \therefore (2\csc x - 5)(\csc x + 1) &= 0 \\ \therefore \csc x = \frac{5}{2} \text{ or } \csc x &= -1 \\ \therefore \sin x = \frac{2}{5} \text{ or } \sin x &= -1 \\ \therefore x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{5}\right) \text{ or } x &= \sin^{-1}(-1) \\ \text{In the interval } \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right], \\ x &\approx 0.4115 \text{ or } x = -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ \text{In the interval } [-\pi, \pi] \text{ there is} \\ \text{one additional solution,} \\ x &\approx \pi - 0.4115 \approx 2.7301 \\ \therefore x &\approx 0.4115 \text{ or } x \approx 2.7301 \\ \text{or } x &= -\frac{\pi}{2}\end{aligned}$$

6. Solve the equation $-3\cos 2x - 7\sin x = 17$ for the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$. If necessary, and only if necessary, round your answers to 4 decimal places. (7 TIPS)

$$-3\cos 2x - 7\sin x - 17 = 0$$

$$\therefore -3(1 - 2\sin^2 x) - 7\sin x - 17 = 0$$

$$\therefore -3 + 6\sin^2 x - 7\sin x - 17 = 0$$

$$\therefore 6\sin^2 x - 7\sin x - 20 = 0$$

$$\therefore 6\sin^2 x - 15\sin x + 8\sin x - 20 = 0$$

$$\therefore 3\sin x(2\sin x - 5) + 4(2\sin x - 5) = 0$$

$$\therefore (2\sin x - 5)(3\sin x + 4) = 0$$

$$\therefore \sin x = \frac{5}{2} \text{ or } \sin x = -\frac{4}{3}$$

But for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $-1 \leq \sin x \leq 1$.

Since $\frac{5}{2} > 1$ and $-\frac{4}{3} < -1$, the given equation has no solutions.

Rough Work

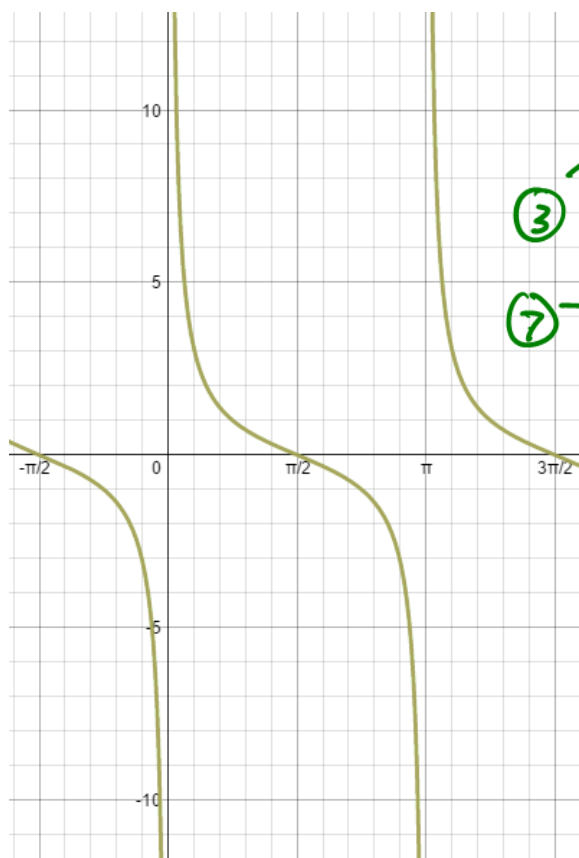
$$6(-20) = -120$$

$$-15(8) = -12$$

$$-15 + 8 = -7$$

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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)



This appears to be the graph of $y = \cot x$
Conjecture The following equation is an identity:

③ $\cot x = \frac{2 \cot 2x (\csc^2 x + 1) - 4 \cot 2x}{\cot^2 x - 1}$

⑦ → Proof: R.S. = $\frac{2 \cot 2x (\csc^2 x + 1 - 2)}{\cot^2 x - 1}$

$= \frac{2}{1} \left(\frac{\cot^2 x - 1}{2 \cot x} \right) \left(\frac{\csc^2 x - 1}{1} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\cot^2 x - 1} \right)$
 $= \frac{2}{2} \left(\frac{\cot^2 x - 1}{\cot^2 x - 1} \right) \left(\frac{\csc^2 x - 1}{\cot x} \right)$

$= 1(1) \left(\frac{1 + \cot^2 x - 1}{\cot x} \right)$ Pythagorean Identity
 $1 + \cot^2 x = \csc^2 x$

$= \frac{\cot^2 x}{\cot x}$

$= \cot x$

$= \text{L.S.}$

Since L.S. = R.S., the given equation is an identity.

8. Write a quadratic trigonometric equation involving $\cot x$ 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.

Note: The graph shown at the right is NOT the graph of $y = \cot x$. (4 TIPS)

x-intercepts of given graph in $[0, 2\pi]$:

$\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$

Note that $\cot \frac{\pi}{6} = \sqrt{3}$ and $\cot \frac{5\pi}{6} = -\sqrt{3}$.

Since the period of $y = \cot x$ is π , $\cot(x + \pi) = \cot x$.

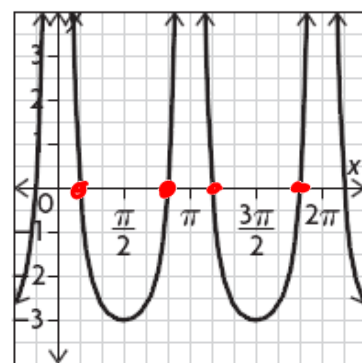
$\therefore \cot\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \pi\right) = \cot \frac{\pi}{6} = \sqrt{3}$ and

$\cot\left(\frac{11\pi}{6}\right) = \cot\left(\frac{5\pi}{6} + \pi\right) = \cot \frac{5\pi}{6} = -\sqrt{3}$

Therefore, for $x = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}$, $\cot x = \sqrt{3}$ or $\cot x - \sqrt{3} = 0$
 and for $x = \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$, $\cot x = -\sqrt{3}$ or $\cot x + \sqrt{3} = 0$

$\therefore$ the equation $(\cot x - \sqrt{3})(\cot x + \sqrt{3}) = 0$
 has the required solutions in $[0, 2\pi]$,

(Other forms of the equation: $\cot^2 x - 3 = 0$,
 $\cot^2 x = 3$.)



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