

MAT170 Review Problems for Exam 3

A. Applications of Exponential Equations – Section 3.5

1. How long will it take any quantity of iodine 131 to decay to 25% of its initial amount, knowing that it decays according to the function $A(t) = A_0 e^{-0.087t}$ where t is the number of days?
2. The population of Merchantville was 20,000 in 1990 and 25,000 in 1995. If exponential growth is assumed, find a model for the population growth and then use the model to determine the population in 2008.
3. A sample of 500 grams of radioactive lead 210 decays to polonium 210 according to the function $A(t) = 500e^{-0.032t}$ where t is in years. Find the amount of the sample remaining after
 - (i) 4 years
 - (ii) 8 years
 - (iii) Find the half-life

B. Angles and Radian Measures (Section 4.1)

4. (a) Convert the angle -225° to radians. Express answer as a multiple of π .
(b) Convert the angle $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ radians to degrees.
5. (a) Find a positive angle less than 360° that is coterminal with the angle -760° .
(b) Find a positive angle less than 2π radians that is coterminal with the angle $\frac{17\pi}{2}$.
6. Find the length of arc on a circle with radius $r = 16$ inches intercepted by a central angle $\theta = 60^\circ$. Round the answer to 2 decimal places.
7. If the length of the arc on a circle of radius 10 cm is 20 cm, find the measure of the central angle in degrees.
8. Draw 620° in standard position. Find a coterminal angle for 620° between 0° and 360° . Find a coterminal angle less than zero for 620° . Find the reference angle for 620° .

C. Trigonometric Functions (Section 4.2)

9. (a) Given that $\sin(t) = \frac{6}{7}$ and t is in quadrant II.
Find the exact value $\cos(t)$, $\tan(t)$, $\sec(t)$, $\csc(t)$, and $\cot(t)$.
(b) Given that $\cos(t) = \frac{-3}{5}$ and t is in quadrant III.
Find the exact value $\sin(t)$, $\tan(t)$, $\sec(t)$, $\csc(t)$, and $\cot(t)$.

D. Applications (Section 4.3)

10. A telephone pole is 55 feet tall. How long should a guy wire be if it is to be attached 15 feet from the top and is to make an angle of 35° with the ground? Give your answer to the nearest tenth of a foot.
11. A plane is flying at an altitude of 9000m. The pilot finds that the angle of depression to the airport is 20° . Find the distance between a point on the ground directly below the plane and the airport.

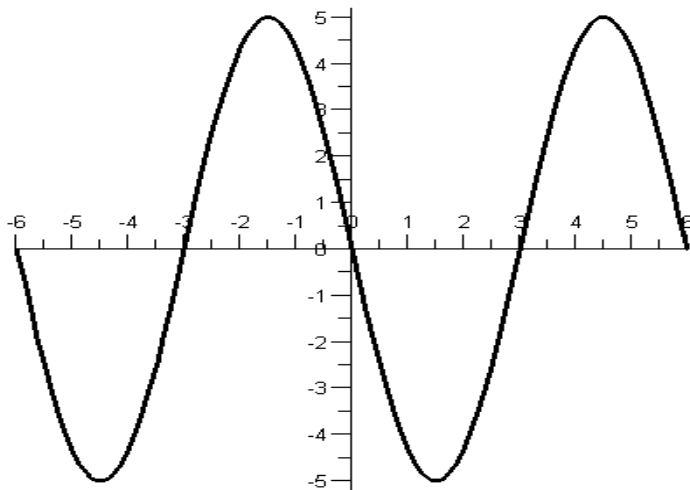
E. Reference Angle (Section 4.3)

12. Find the reference angle for each of the following angles;

a) 210° b) -250° c) $\frac{23\pi}{4}$ d) $-\frac{13\pi}{3}$

F. Graphs of Trigonometric Functions (Section 4.5 - 4.6)

13. (a) Given the function $y = -2\sin\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ find the amplitude, period, and phase shift.
 (b) Given the function $y = 4\cos(3x + \pi)$ find the amplitude, period, and phase shift.
14. Find the equation for the graph shown below.



15. (a) Suppose $\sin(-t) = \frac{-1}{2}$ and $\cos(-t) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, find $\tan(t)$
 (b) Suppose $\sin(-t) = -0.32$ find $\csc(t)$.
16. (a) Graph the function $f(x) = 2\sec(x)$ to determine the range of $f(x)$.
 (b) Graph the function $g(x) = 3\csc(x)$ to determine the range of $g(x)$.

G. Inverse Trigonometric Functions (Section 4.7)

Find the exact value of each of the following:

17. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$ 18. $\cos\left[\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\right]$ 19. $\tan(\cos^{-1} x)$

20. $\sin^{-1}\left[\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)\right]$ 21. $\cos^{-1}[\cos(135^\circ)]$ 22. $\sin^{-1}\left[\sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)\right]$
23. $\cos\left(\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)\right)$ 24. $\tan(\sin^{-1}(3x))$

H. Verifying Trigonometric Identities (Section 5.1)

Verify each trigonometric identity:

25. $(\cos(\theta) - \sin(\theta))^2 + (\cos(\theta) + \sin(\theta))^2 = 2$
26. $\frac{\tan(\theta) \cdot \cot(\theta)}{\csc(\theta)} = \sin(\theta)$ 27. $\tan(\theta) + \frac{\cos(\theta)}{1 + \sin(\theta)} = \sec(\theta)$
28. $\cot(x) + \tan(x) = \sec(x) \csc(x)$ 29. $(\sec(x) - \tan(x))^2 = \frac{1 - \sin(x)}{1 + \sin(x)}$
30. $\frac{1 - \cot(x)}{\cos(x)} = \sec(x) - \csc(x)$

I. Sum and Difference Formulas (Section 5.2)

31. Find the exact value of the expression: $\cos\frac{5\pi}{12} \cos\frac{\pi}{12} + \sin\frac{5\pi}{12} \sin\frac{\pi}{12}$
32. Find the exact value of the expression: $\cos(135^\circ + 30^\circ)$
33. Find the exact value of the expression: $\frac{\tan\frac{\pi}{5} - \tan\frac{\pi}{30}}{1 + \tan\frac{\pi}{5} \tan\frac{\pi}{30}}$
34. Verify the identity: $\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin x$

35. (*Section 4.2*) Label the unit circle, i.e. label all the special angles, and the x and y coordinates for the angles.

