

PRINCIPLES OF MATHEMATICS 12

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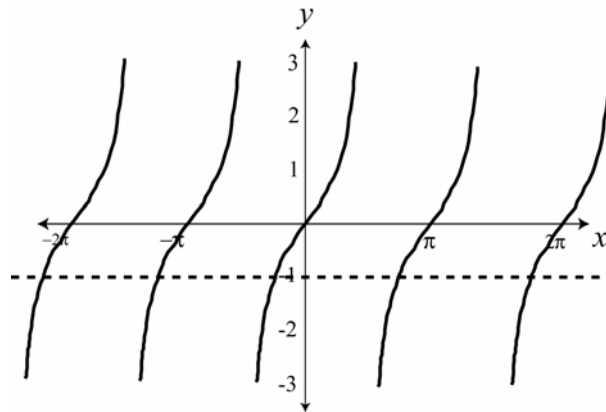
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1. The exact value of $\sin 75^\circ$ can be determined using the expression

- A. $\sin 90^\circ - \sin 15^\circ$
- B. $\sin 45^\circ + \sin 30^\circ$
- C. $\sin 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ$
- D. $\cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ$

Use the following information to answer the next question.

A student solves the equation $\tan x = -1$ in their graphing calculator as shown in the diagram below.



The student determines the general solution of this graph is $-\frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi, n \in I$

2. The general solution to the equation $\tan(5x) = -1$ is

- A. $-\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{n\pi}{10}, n \in I$
- B. $-\frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi, n \in I$
- C. $-\frac{5\pi}{4} + 5n\pi, n \in I$
- D. $-\frac{\pi}{20} + \frac{n\pi}{5}, n \in I$

Numerical Response

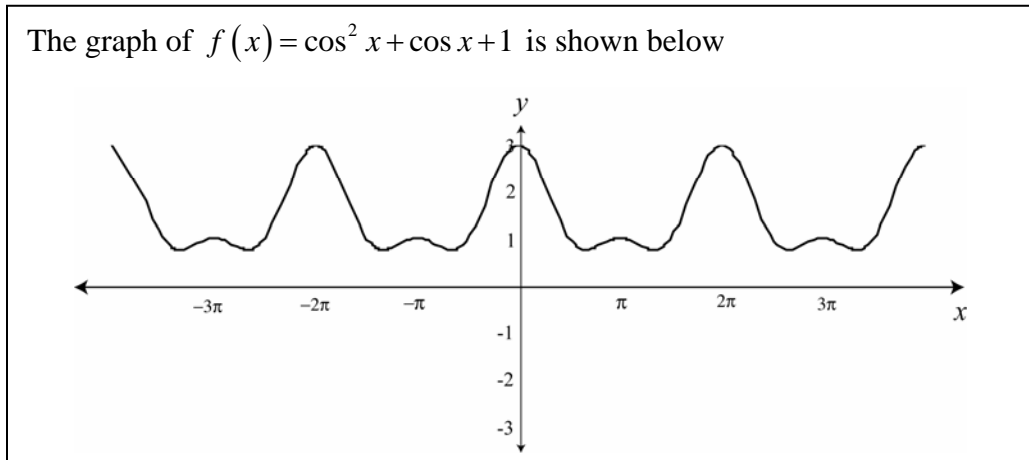
1. The identity $\cot^2 x + \csc x = \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin x}{\sin^2 x}$ may be verified by substituting 2.1 rad for x on each side. When this substitution is made, the numerical value of each side, to the nearest hundredth, is _____.

Use the following information to answer the next question.

A Ferris wheel at an amusement park, with a diameter of 12 m, can be modeled using the equation $h(t) = -6 \cos \frac{\pi}{20} t + 9$, where $h(t)$ is the height above the ground in metres, and t is the time in seconds.

3. The number of seconds required for a rider to reach a height of 14 m for the first time is, to the nearest tenth,
- A. 16.3 s
 - B. 16.5 s
 - C. 20.4 s
 - D. 932 s
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4. The expression $\cot^2 x + \csc x - 4$ is equivalent to
- A. $\csc^2 x + \csc x - 5$
 - B. $\csc^2 x + \csc x - 3$
 - C. $\frac{\cos^2 x}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{1}{\cos x} - 4$
 - D. -4

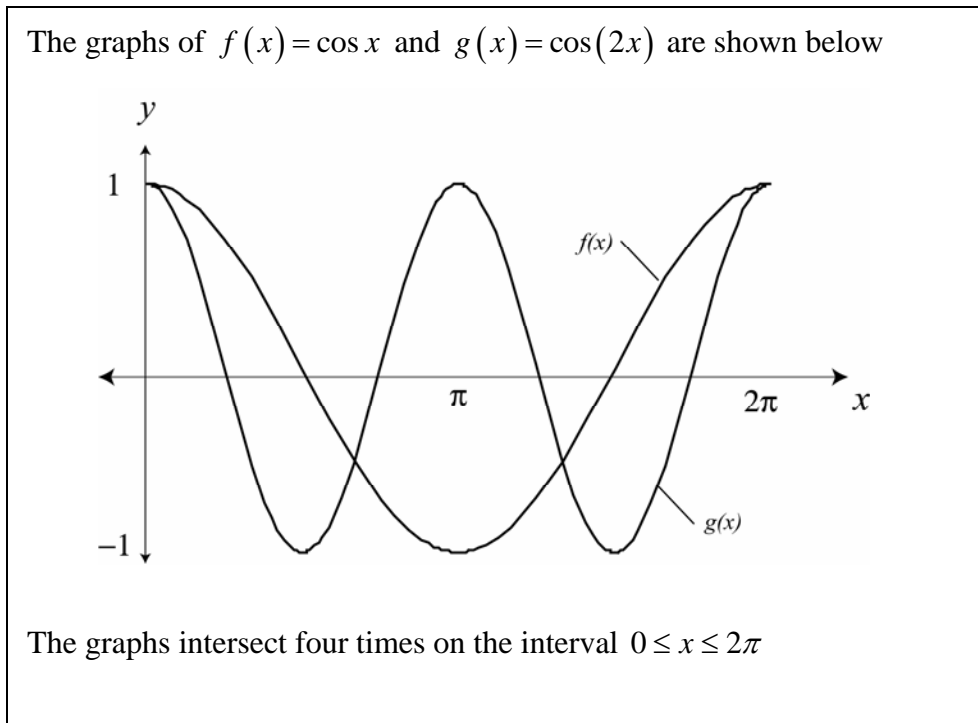
Use the following information to answer the next question.



5. If the equation $\cos^2 x + \cos x + 1 = 3$ has the general solution $2n\pi$, $n \in I$, then a possible solution to the equation $\cos^2\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + 1 = 3$ is
- A. 2π
 - B. 3π
 - C. 9π
 - D. 12π
6. If $\sin A = \frac{m}{n}$ and $\tan A = \frac{m^2}{n^3}$, where $m, n \neq 0$, then $\cos A$ is equivalent to
- A. $\frac{n^2}{m}$
 - B. $\frac{m^3}{n^4}$
 - C. mn^2
 - D. $\frac{1}{mn^2}$

7. The expression $\sqrt{\frac{1 + \tan^2 x}{1 - \sin^2 x}}$, is equivalent to
- A. $\sqrt{\frac{(1 + \tan x)(1 - \tan x)}{(1 + \sin x)(1 - \sin x)}}$
 - B. 1
 - C. $\sec x$
 - D. $\sec^2 x$
8. If $\tan^2 x = \frac{5}{7}$, then $\sec^2 x$ is equivalent to
- A. $\frac{12}{7}$
 - B. $\frac{7}{5}$
 - C. $\frac{5\sqrt{74}}{74}$
 - D. $\frac{\sqrt{74}}{7}$
9. The expression $\cos^2(4\pi) - \sin^2(4\pi)$ is equivalent to
- A. $\cos^2(4\pi)$
 - B. $\sin^2(8\pi)$
 - C. $\cos(8\pi)$
 - D. $\cos(4\pi)\sin(4\pi)$

Use the following information to answer the next question.



10. If the domain is changed to $0 < x < 2\pi$, (*the equality has been removed*) a correct statement is
- A. There are more solutions
 - B. There are fewer solutions
 - C. There are the same number of solutions
 - D. There is no change in the number of solutions

Numerical Response

2. The equation $\csc^2 x - 2 = \cos^2 x$ has four solutions in the interval $0 < x < 2\pi$. The number of solutions for x in the interval $0 < x < 14\pi$ is _____.

Use the following information to answer the next question.

The steps used by a student to simplify the expression $(\sin x + \cos x)^2$ are shown below

Step 1: $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x$

Step 2: $\sin^2 x + (1 - \sin^2 x)$

Step 3: $(1 - \cos^2 x) + (1 - \sin^2 x)$

Step 4: $2 - \sin^2 x - \cos^2 x$

Numerical Response

3. The step which contains a mathematical error is step _____.

11. The value of m in the equation $\frac{m \sin x \cot x}{4 \csc x \tan x} = 8$ is

- A. $\frac{\sin x \cos x}{32}$
- B. $\frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{\tan x}$
- C. $32 \sec^2 x$
- D. $32 \sec x \csc x$

12. The solutions to the equation $\cos^2 x = \cos x$, where $0 \leq x < 2\pi$ are

- A. $0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi$
- B. $\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$
- C. $0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$
- D. $0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi$

13. The expression $\frac{\cos x}{1 - 2 \sin x}$ is undefined when the values of x are

- A. $\frac{\pi}{6} \pm 2n\pi, \frac{5\pi}{6} \pm 2n\pi$
- B. $\frac{\pi}{6} \pm n\pi$
- C. $\frac{\pi}{6} \pm 2n\pi, \frac{5\pi}{6} \pm 2n\pi, \frac{\pi}{2} \pm n\pi$
- D. $\frac{n\pi}{2}$

14. The expression $\sec\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ is equivalent to

- A. $\sec x - \sec \frac{\pi}{2}$
- B. $\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$
- C. $\csc x$
- D. $-\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$

Numerical Response

4. If $\frac{1}{1 + \cot^2 x} = 0.43$, and $0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{2}$, then the value of x in radians, to the nearest tenth, is _____.

15. The expression $\frac{\sin x}{\tan x} + \frac{1}{\sec x}$ is equivalent to

- A. $2 \cos x$
- B. $2 \sec x$
- C. $\frac{\sin x + 1}{\tan x + \sec x}$
- D. $\frac{\sin x}{\tan x \sec x}$

16. Given $\sin A = \frac{7}{8}$ and $\cos B = \frac{4}{5}$, where A and B are acute angles, the value of $\cos(A - B)$ is equal to
- A. $\frac{3}{8}$
 B. $\frac{16}{25} + \frac{49}{64}$
 C. $\frac{4\sqrt{15} + 21}{40}$
 D. $\frac{28 - 3\sqrt{15}}{40}$
17. If the equation $-5 \csc^2 x + 12 \cot^2 x - 9 = 0$ is simplified using the identity $1 + \cot^2 x = \csc^2 x$, the resulting equation is
- A. $-5 \tan^2 x + 12 \sec^2 x - 9 = 0$
 B. $\cot^2 x = 2$
 C. $12 \cot^2 x - 9 - 5 \sec^2 x = 0$
 D. $\sec 2x(1 - \tan^2 x) = 6$
18. The expression $\cos(x - y) - \cos(x + y)$ is equivalent to
- A. $2 \sin x \sin y$
 B. 0
 C. $-2 \cos y$
 D. $\cos\left(\frac{x - y}{x + y}\right)$
19. The line $y = \frac{1}{2}$ intersects the graph of $\cos^2 x - \sin x$ twice in the interval $0 \leq x < 2\pi$. An equation that can be used to solve for x is
- A. $\cos^2 x = \sin x$
 B. $2 \cos^2 x - 2 \sin x - 1 = 0$
 C. $\sin x - \cos^2 x = 2$
 D. $2 \cos^2 x + 2 \sin x - 1 = 0$

20. The expression $\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{5}\right)\cos\left(\frac{2\theta}{7}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{5}\right)\sin\left(\frac{2\theta}{7}\right)$ is equivalent to

A. $\cos\left(\frac{17\theta}{35}\right)$

B. $\sin\left(\frac{17\theta}{35}\right)$

C. $\sin\left(\frac{3\theta}{35}\right)$

D. $\sin\left(\frac{-3\theta}{35}\right)$

21. If $\frac{\csc 2x}{\sec 2x} = \sqrt{5}$, then the value of x , to the nearest hundredth of a radian is

A. $1.15 + 3.14n, n \in I$

B. $0.42 + 3.14n, n \in I$

C. $0.54 + 1.57n, n \in I$

D. $0.21 + 1.57n, n \in I$

Use the following information to answer the next question.

A student is given four different trigonometric expressions

I $\frac{1}{9} \sec x \cos x$

II $\cot^2 x - \csc^2 x$

III $2\cos^2 x + 2\sin^2 x$

IV $2\cot x - \frac{2\cos x}{\sin x}$

Numerical Response

5. If the expressions are simplified are ranked, from smallest to largest, the correct order is _____.

22. Given $\sin x = m$, an expression for $\cos 2x$, in terms of m , is

- A. $1 - 2m^2$
- B. $1 - 2m$
- C. $2m^2 - 1$
- D. $2m - 1$

23. The expression $\frac{1 + \csc x}{\sin x}$ is equivalent to

- A. $\csc x + \sin x$
- B. $\frac{\sin x + 1}{\cos^2 x + 1}$
- C. $\frac{\sin x + 1}{\sin^2 x}$
- D. 1

24. Given $x = 45^\circ$, an equivalent expression to $\frac{\cos(x + y)}{\cos y}$ is

- A. $\cos\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) + 1$
- B. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(1 - \tan y)$
- C. $\cos x$
- D. $\frac{2 + \sqrt{2} \cos y}{2 \cos y}$

25. The exact value of $\sec\left(-\frac{\pi}{12}\right)$ is

- A. $\frac{4}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}$
- B. $\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}$
- C. -75°
- D. $\frac{11\pi}{12}$

Numerical Response

6. The expression $\cos x$ may be written as $\cos^2 kx - \sin^2 kx$. The value of k , to the nearest tenth, is _____.
26. Using the identity $\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$, the expression $\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x - 1 + 2 \sin x$ can be simplified to
- A. $2 \sin x(1 - \sin x)$
 - B. $\sin x(1 - 2 \sin x)$
 - C. $\sin 2x + 2 \sin x$
 - D. $2 \sin 2x + 1$
27. If $\tan x = -\frac{6}{7}$ and $\sin y = -\frac{2}{5}$, the exact value of $\sec(x + y)$, given that $\frac{3\pi}{2} \leq x < 2\pi$, $\frac{3\pi}{2} \leq y < 2\pi$, is
- A. $\sqrt{21} - 5$
 - B. $5 - \sqrt{21}$
 - C. $\frac{7\sqrt{21}}{12\sqrt{85} - 5}$
 - D. $\frac{5\sqrt{85}}{7\sqrt{21} - 12}$
28. The expression $\csc x - \sin x$ is equivalent to
- A. $\frac{1}{\sin^2 x}$
 - B. 1
 - C. $\frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x}$
 - D. $\cot x \cos x$

Numerical Response

7. The number of solutions in the equation $\tan^2 x = 1$, where $0 \leq x < 2\pi$, is _____.
29. The expression $\frac{\sin x + \tan x}{\cos x + 1}$ is equivalent to
- A. $\csc^2 x$
 - B. $\tan x$
 - C. $\frac{2 \sin x}{\cos x + 1}$
 - D. $2 \tan x$
30. The expression $\csc^4 x - 1$ is equivalent to
- A. $\frac{\csc^4 x}{\sec^4 x}$
 - B. $\cot^4 x$
 - C. $\cot^2 x(\csc^2 x + 1)$
 - D. $\cot^2 x(\sec^2 x + 1)$
31. The general solution to the equation $\sin 4x = -\frac{1}{2}$ is
- A. $\frac{7\pi}{24} \pm \frac{n\pi}{2}$
 - B. $\frac{5\pi}{12} \pm \frac{n\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{12} \pm \frac{n\pi}{4}$
 - C. $\frac{7\pi}{24} \pm \frac{n\pi}{2}, \frac{11\pi}{24} \pm \frac{n\pi}{2}$
 - D. $\frac{3\pi}{12} \pm \frac{n\pi}{4}$

32. The expression $\sec 2x$ is undefined when x is the angle

- A. $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- B. $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- C. π
- D. 2π

Use the following information to answer the next question.

A student solves the equation $\cos^2 x - 2 = 0$ algebraically, using the steps shown below

$$(\cos x - \sqrt{2})(\cos x + \sqrt{2}) = 0$$

$$\cos x - \sqrt{2} = 0 \rightarrow x \text{ has no solution.}$$

$$\cos x + \sqrt{2} = 0 \rightarrow x \text{ has no solution.}$$

33. The reason why $\cos^2 x - 2 = 0$ has no solution is because

- A. $\cos x$ is undefined for $x = \sqrt{2} \pm 2n\pi$
- B. The range of $y = \cos x$ is $-1 \leq y \leq 1$
- C. $\cos^2 x - 2 = 0$ cannot be factored
- D. $\cos^2 x$ must be replaced with $\sin^2 x - 1$ before factoring

Use the following information to answer the next question.

A student graphs the following function in a graphing calculator.

$$f(x) = 8 - 3\sin^2 x$$

x is measured in radians, and the student wishes to analyze the graph for $-2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$

Written Response – 10%

1.

- Explain how the student would have to type the above equation into their graphing calculator in order to obtain the correct graph. Indicate appropriate window settings.

- The student now wishes to solve the equation $6.2 = f(x)$. State the general solution to this equation in radian decimal form, to the nearest hundredth.

- The graph of $f(x)$ can be expressed in the form $g(x) = a \cos b[x - c] + d$. Write the equation for $g(x)$

- Algebraically solve the equation $7 + \sin^2 x = 8 - 3\sin^2 x$. Show all steps required in obtaining the answer.

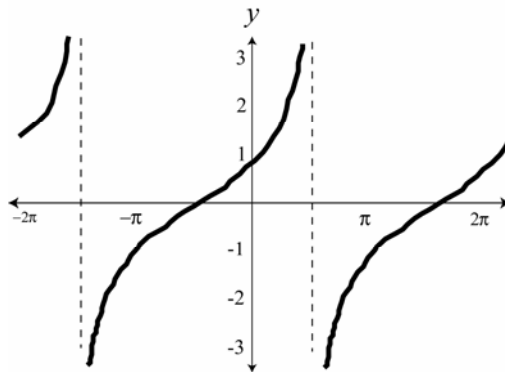
Written Response – 10%

2.

- Verify the identity $\frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} = \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$ for $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

Use the following additional information to answer the next part of the question.

The graphs of $y_1 = \frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x}$ and $y_2 = \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$ are shown below.



- The graphs of $y_1 = \frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x}$ and $y_2 = \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$ are **not** identical. Explain the difference between the graphs of y_1 and y_2 .

- Algebraically prove the identity $\frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} = \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x}$

- Algebraically show that $\frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} + \frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{2 \cos x}{1 - \sin x}$

Written Response – 10%

3.

- Prove the identity $\frac{1 + \cos 2x}{\sin 2x} = \cot x$

- Prove the identity $(\sin x + \cos x)^2 = 1 + \sin 2x$

- Prove the identity $\sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cos x$

- Solve algebraically: $2 \sin x \cos x = \cos x$

- Solve algebraically: $\frac{\sin x}{2} = \frac{\sin x}{3}$

- Solve algebraically: $\frac{\csc x}{5} + \frac{\csc x}{3} = \frac{16}{15}$