

MA 15400

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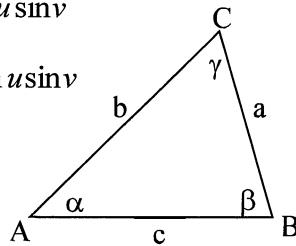
Exam 2

Solutions

$$\sin(u+v) = \sin u \cos v + \cos u \sin v$$

$$\cos(u+v) = \cos u \cos v - \sin u \sin v$$

$$\tan(u+v) = \frac{\tan u + \tan v}{1 - \tan u \tan v}$$



$$\sin(u-v) = \sin u \cos v - \cos u \sin v$$

$$\cos(u-v) = \cos u \cos v + \sin u \sin v$$

$$\tan(u-v) = \frac{\tan u - \tan v}{1 + \tan u \tan v}$$

$$\sin(2u) = 2 \sin u \cos u$$

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

$$\tan(2u) = \frac{2 \tan u}{1 - \tan^2 u}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta$$

$$1 + \cot^2 \theta = \csc^2 \theta$$

1. Given $\triangle ABC$ with $\gamma=90^\circ, \alpha=30^\circ$, and $b=15$, find the exact value of side a .

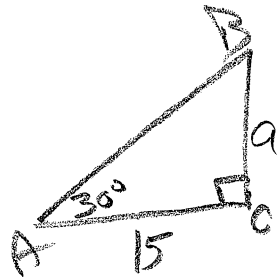
A. $15\sqrt{3}$

B. $10\sqrt{3}$

C. $\frac{5}{\sqrt{3}}$

D. $\frac{15}{2}$

E. $5\sqrt{3}$



$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{a}{15}$$

$$15(\tan 30^\circ) = a$$

$$15\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = a$$

$$a = \frac{15}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{15\sqrt{3}}{3} = 5\sqrt{3}$$

2. Given $\triangle ABC$ with $\gamma=90^\circ$, angle $\alpha=21^\circ$, and side $b=8.6$, approximate the perimeter of the triangle to the nearest tenth.

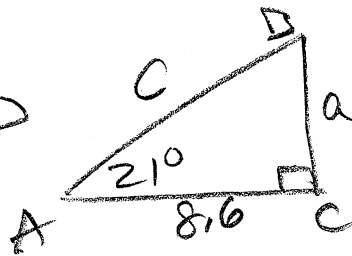
A. 17.4

B. 21.1

C. 19.9

D. 18.1

E. 23.6



$$\tan 21^\circ = \frac{a}{8.6}$$

$$8.6 \tan 21^\circ = a$$

$$a = 3.3012$$

$$c^2 = 8.6^2 + 3.3^2$$

$$c^2 = 84.8581$$

$$c = 9.2118$$

$$P = 3.3 + 9.2 + 8.6 = 21.1$$

3. Given the indicated parts of $\triangle ABC$ with $\gamma=90^\circ$, express the third part in terms of the first two.

$a, \beta; c$

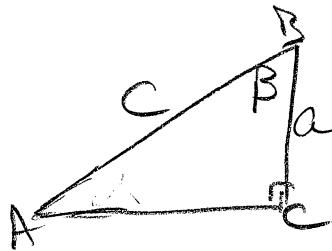
A. $c = a \tan \beta$

B. $c = a \csc \beta$

C. $c = a \sec \beta$

D. $c = a \cos \beta$

E. $c = a \sin \beta$



$$\cos \beta = \frac{a}{c}$$

$$c = \frac{a}{\cos \beta} = a \sec \beta$$

4. From a distance of 1 mile on level ground, a certain tower has an angle of elevation of 8° . Determine its height to the nearest foot. (1 mile = 5280 feet)

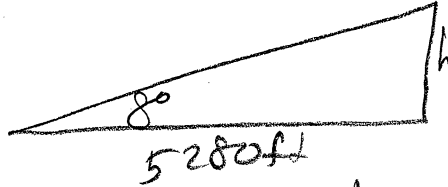
A. 742 feet

B. 836 feet

C. 734 feet

D. 826 feet

E. None of the above



$$\tan 8^\circ = \frac{h}{5280}$$

$$h = 5280(\tan 8^\circ)$$

$$h = 742.0556$$

5. A ladder, 30 feet long, leans against the side of a building, and the angle between the ladder and the building is 16° .

If the distance from the bottom of the ladder to the building is increase by 3.0 feet, approximate the angle the ladder now makes with the building to the nearest 0.1° .

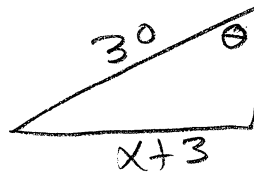
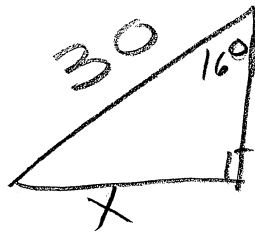
A. 10.1°

B. 10.5°

C. 22.1°

D. 21.7°

E. None of the above



$$\sin 16^\circ = \frac{x}{30}$$

$$x = 30 \sin 16^\circ$$

$$x = 8.2691$$

$$x + 3 = 11.2681$$

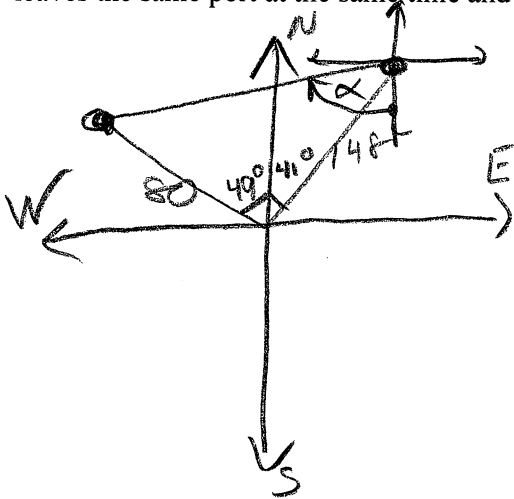
$$\sin \theta = \frac{11.2681}{30}$$

$$\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{11.2681}{30}\right)$$

$$\theta = 22.0637^\circ$$

Questions 6 and 7. The following is a love story of two ships that do not pass in the night.

A ship leave port at 2:00 pm and sails in the direction $N 41^\circ E$ at a rate of 37 mph. Another ship leaves the same port at the same time and sails in the direction $N 49^\circ W$ at a rate of 20 mph.



$$D = rt \quad t = 4 \text{ hrs}$$

$$D_1 = 37(4) = 148 \text{ mi}$$

$$D_2 = 20(4) = 80 \text{ mi}$$

6. To the nearest whole mile, approximately how far apart are the ships at 6:00 pm?

- A. 136 miles
- B. 126 miles
- C. 175 miles
- D. 168 miles
- E. None of the above

$$x^2 = 148^2 + 80^2$$

$$x = 168.2379 \text{ mi}$$

7. What is the bearing, to the nearest degree, from the first ship to the second?

- A. $S 78^\circ W$
- B. $S 66^\circ W$
- C. $S 69^\circ W$
- D. $S 13^\circ W$
- E. None of the above

$$S 41^\circ + \alpha W$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{80}{148}$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{80}{148}\right)$$

$$\alpha = 28.3930^\circ$$

$$+ 41.0^\circ$$

$$69.3930^\circ$$

8. Find all solutions of the equation using n as an arbitrary integer.

$$\tan \theta = -\sqrt{3}$$

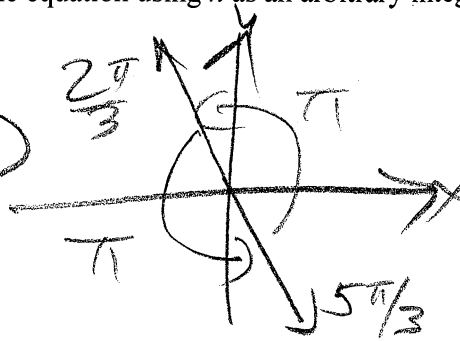
A. $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + \pi n$

B. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + 2\pi n$

C. $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\pi n$

D. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + \pi n$

E. None of the above



$$\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + \pi n$$

9. Find all solutions of the equation using n as an arbitrary integer.

$$\sin(2x) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

A. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{8} + \pi n, \frac{3\pi}{8} + \pi n$

B. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6} + \pi n, \frac{\pi}{3} + \pi n$

C. $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + \pi n, \frac{5\pi}{6} + \pi n$

D. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6} + \pi n, \frac{5\pi}{6} + \pi n$

E. None of the above



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

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

$$x = \frac{\pi}{6} + \pi n$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{3} + \pi n$$

10. Find all solutions of the equation in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$

$$\cos\left(2x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 0$$

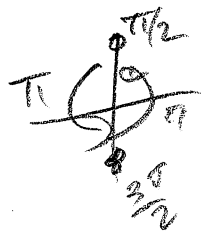
$$2x - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2} + \pi n$$

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

$$x = \frac{3\pi}{8} + \frac{\pi}{2} n$$

$$x = \frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{4\pi}{8} n$$

n	x
0	$\frac{3\pi}{8}$
1	$\frac{7\pi}{8}$
2	$\frac{11\pi}{8}$
3	$\frac{15\pi}{8}$
4	TOO BIG
-1	TOO SMALL



A. $\theta = \frac{5\pi}{24}, \frac{17\pi}{24}, \frac{29\pi}{24}, \frac{41\pi}{24}$

B. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{5\pi}{8}, \frac{9\pi}{8}, \frac{13\pi}{8}$

C. $\theta = \frac{7\pi}{24}, \frac{19\pi}{24}, \frac{31\pi}{24}, \frac{43\pi}{24}$

D. $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{7\pi}{8}, \frac{11\pi}{8}, \frac{15\pi}{8}$

E. None of the above

$$x = \frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{7\pi}{8}, \frac{11\pi}{8}, \frac{15\pi}{8}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

11. Find all solutions of the equation in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$

$$2\sin^2 \theta - 3\sin \theta + 1 = 0$$

$$(2\sin \theta - 1)(\sin \theta - 1) = 0$$

A. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$

B. $\theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}$

C. $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}$

D. $\theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$

E. None of the above

$$2\sin \theta - 1 = 0 \quad \sin \theta - 1 = 0$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \quad \sin \theta = 1$$



$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}$$

12. Express as a trigonometric function of one angle.

$$\sin(35^\circ)\cos(15^\circ) - \cos(35^\circ)\sin(15^\circ)$$

- A. $\cos(50^\circ)$
- B. $\sin(20^\circ)$**
- C. $\cos(20^\circ)$
- D. $\sin(50^\circ)$
- E. None of the above

Handwritten work for problem 12:

$$\sin(u-v)$$

$$\sin(35^\circ - 15^\circ)$$

$$\sin(20^\circ)$$

13. Find all solutions of the equation in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$.

$$\sin t - \sin 2t = 0$$

- A. $t = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}$
- B. $t = 0, \pi, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$**
- C. $t = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$
- D. $t = 0, \pi, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}$
- E. None of the above

Handwritten work for problem 13:

$$\sin t - 2\sin t \cos t = 0$$

$$\sin t(1 - 2\cos t) = 0$$

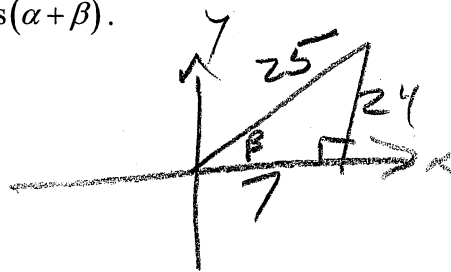
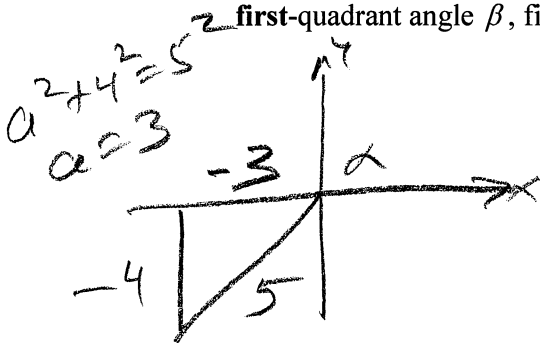
$$\sin t = 0 \quad 1 - 2\cos t = 0$$

$$\cos t = \frac{1}{2}$$

Solutions for $\sin t = 0$: $t = 0, \pi$

Solutions for $\cos t = \frac{1}{2}$: $t = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$

14. If $\sin \alpha = \frac{-4}{5}$ and $\cos \beta = \frac{7}{25}$, for a **third**-quadrant angle α and a **first**-quadrant angle β , find $\cos(\alpha + \beta)$.



$25^2 = a^2 + 7^2$
 $a = 24$

A. $\frac{-4}{5}$

B. $\frac{-117}{125}$

C. $\frac{44}{125}$

D. $\frac{3}{5}$

E. None of the above

$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$

$= \left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{7}{25}\right) - \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)\left(\frac{24}{25}\right)$

$= \frac{-21}{125} - \frac{-96}{125} = \frac{-21 + 96}{125}$

$= \frac{75}{125} = \frac{3}{5}$

15. Find the exact value of $\cos 2\theta$ if $\tan \theta = \frac{-5}{6}$ and $270^\circ < \theta < 360^\circ$

A. $\frac{-11}{61}$

B. $\frac{-60}{61}$

C. $\frac{5}{61}$

D. $\frac{60}{61}$

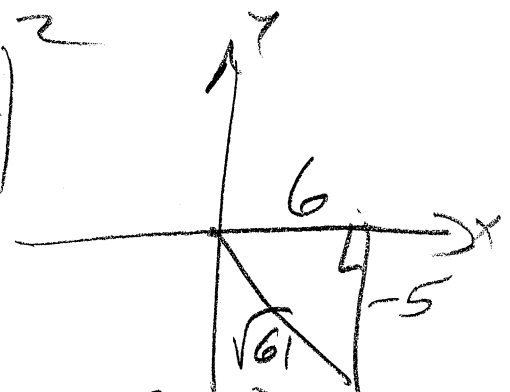
E. None of the above

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

$= \left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{61}}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{-5}{\sqrt{61}}\right)^2$

$= \frac{36}{61} - \frac{25}{61}$

$= \frac{11}{61}$



$c^2 = 6^2 + 5^2$
 $c = \sqrt{61}$

Question	Answers	Letters
1.	$5\sqrt{3}$	E
2.	21.1	B
3.	$c = a \sec \beta$	C
4.	742 feet	A
5.	22.1°	C
6.	168 miles	D
7.	$S69^\circ W$	C
8.	$\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + \pi n$	A
9.	$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6} + \pi n, \frac{\pi}{3} + \pi n$	B
10.	$\theta = \frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{7\pi}{8}, \frac{11\pi}{8}, \frac{15\pi}{8}$	D
11.	$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}$	C
12.	$\sin(20^\circ)$	B
13.	$t = 0, \pi, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$	B
14.	$\frac{3}{5}$	D
15.	$\frac{11}{61}$	E