

# MATH 12

## TRIG PROBLEM SET

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FINAL SCORE:

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BE SURE TO SHOW ALL YOUR WORK

UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, FINAL ANSWERS MUST  
BE EXACT (NO DECIMALS) AND IN LOWEST TERMS

1. Convert the following angles from one mode to the other. (2 marks)

a) Convert  $204^\circ$  to radians.

$$204^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = \boxed{\frac{17\pi}{15}}$$

b) Convert  $-\frac{43\pi}{20}$  to degrees.

$$-\frac{43\pi}{20} \times \frac{180}{\pi} = \boxed{-387^\circ}$$

2. Rounded to the nearest hundredth, find the ratio for each trigonometric expression. (2 marks)

a)  $\tan(-57^\circ)$

$$= \boxed{-1.54}$$

b)  $\sec 2.28$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos 2.28} = \boxed{-1.54}$$

3. Find the exact ratio of each trigonometric expression. (2 marks)

a)  $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

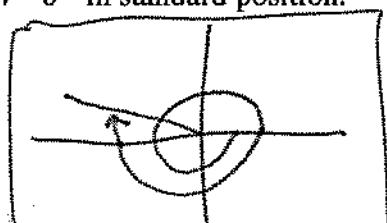
b)  $\csc\left(-\frac{4\pi}{3}\right)$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin\left(-\frac{4\pi}{3}\right)} = \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \boxed{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}} = \boxed{\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}}$$

ref L =  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  in quad. 2

4. Use the standard angle  $\theta = -\frac{19\pi}{6}$  to answer the following questions. (2 marks)

- a) Draw  $\theta$  in standard position.



- b) What is the reference angle for  $\theta$ ?

$$\text{ref L} = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

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5. If the point  $P(1, -5)$  is on the terminal arm of the standard angle  $\theta$ , what is the exact ratio for  $\sec \theta$ ? (2 marks)

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

$$r^2 = (1)^2 + (-5)^2$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{26}}$$

$$r = \sqrt{26}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{26}}} = \boxed{\sqrt{26}}$$

6. If  $\tan \theta = \sqrt{3}$  and the value of  $\sin \theta$  is negative, then what is the exact radian value of the angle  $\theta$ ? (2 marks)

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{1}$$

$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  radians but if  $\sin \theta$  is negative the angle must

be in quadrant  $\pi/3$  so  $\therefore$

$$\theta = \boxed{\frac{4\pi}{3}}$$

7. Given that the graph shown below is the graph of a cosine function, find the following information. (2 marks)

a) Amplitude:

$$\frac{\max - \min}{2} = \frac{1 - (-3)}{2} = \boxed{2}$$

b) Period Length:

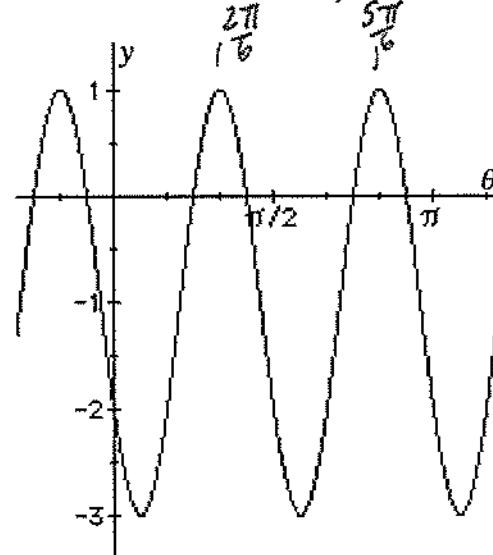
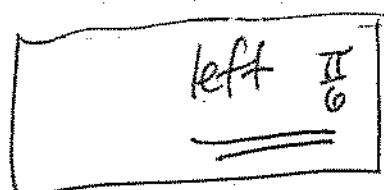
$$\boxed{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

c) Vertical displacement:

$$\frac{1 + (-3)}{2} = \boxed{-1}$$

d) phase shift:

$$-\frac{\pi}{6}$$



8. Write the equation of a sine function with the following properties:

(2 marks)

> Max. Value: 2

amplitude

$$= \frac{\text{max} - \text{min}}{2} = \frac{2 - (-6)}{2} = 4$$

> Min. Value: -6

$$b = \frac{2\pi}{P} = \frac{2\pi}{10\pi} = \frac{1}{5}$$

> Period Length:  $10\pi$

> Phase shift:  $-\frac{\pi}{4}$

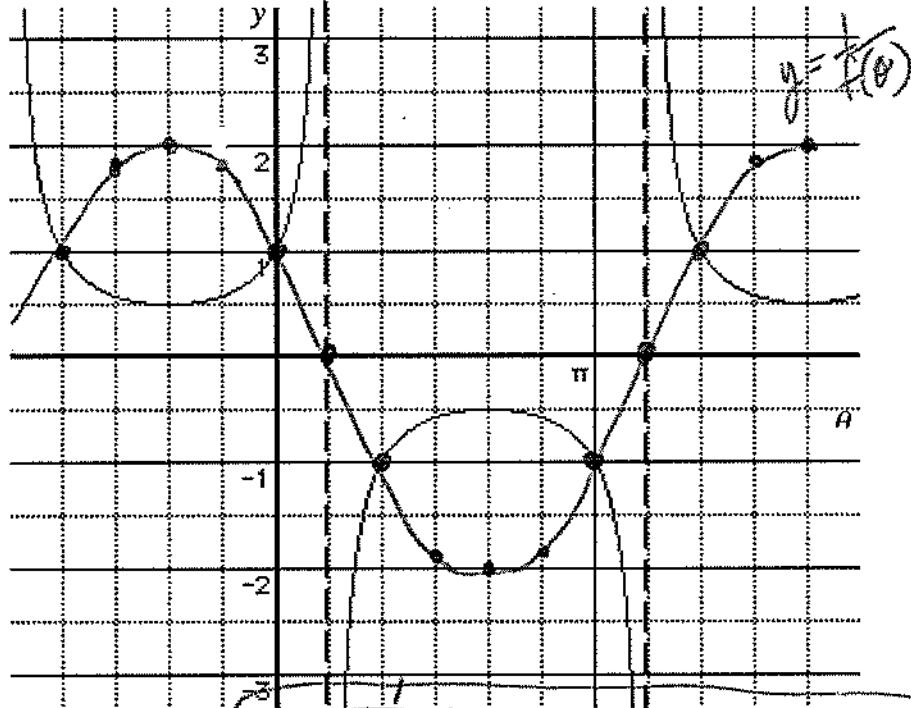
vertical displacement

$$= \frac{\text{max} + \text{min}}{2} = \frac{2 + (-6)}{2} = -2$$

$$\boxed{y = 4 \sin \frac{1}{5}(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) - 2}$$

9. Use the graph of  $y = f(\theta)$  shown on the grid to the right to answer the following questions. (4 marks)

a) On the same grid, sketch the graph of  $y = \frac{1}{f(\theta)}$ . Be as accurate as possible.



b) If  $y = f(\theta)$  is a secant function, then what is the actual equation of the original graph.

a.)  $f(1) + f(-1)$  remain the same  
asymptotes become zeros  
& zeros become asymptotes.  
all other pts  $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, \frac{1}{y})$

b.)  $y = 2 \cos(\theta + \frac{\pi}{3}) \rightarrow y = \frac{1}{2} \sec(\theta + \frac{\pi}{3})$

10. To the nearest degree, what is the measure of the sector angle whose arc is 24 cm if the diameter of the circle is 17 cm? (2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} C &= \pi d \\ &= \pi(17) \\ &= 53.38 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{24 \text{ cm}}{53.38 \text{ cm}} = \frac{x}{360^\circ}$$

$$\boxed{x \approx 162^\circ}$$

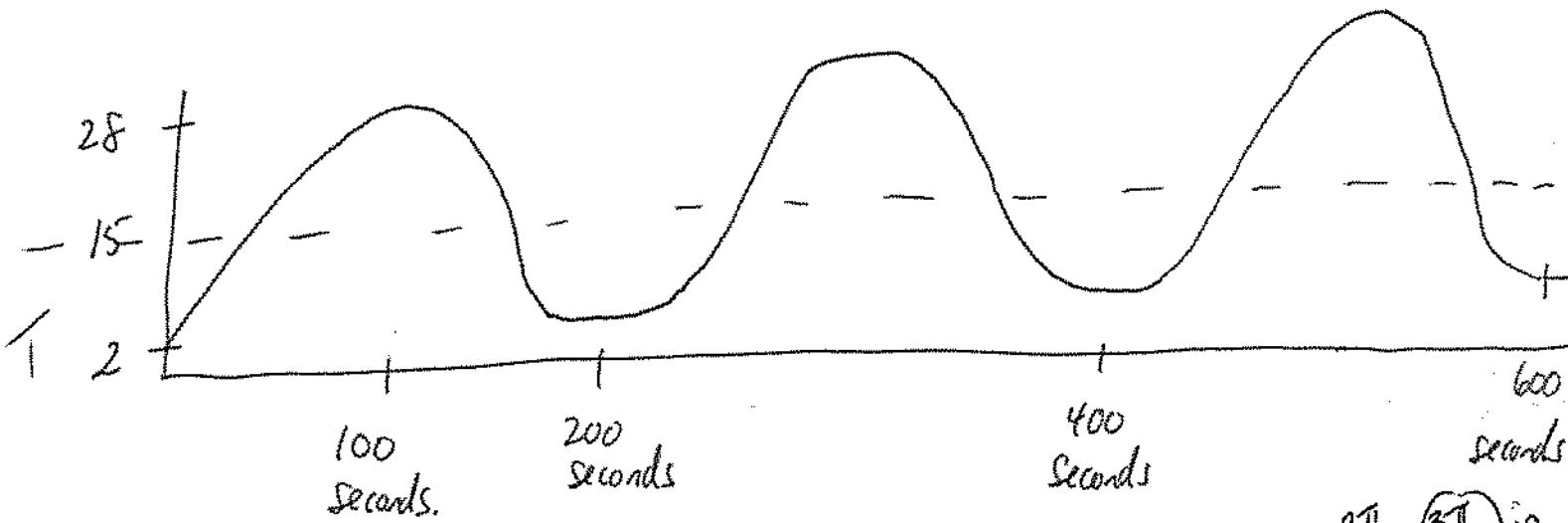
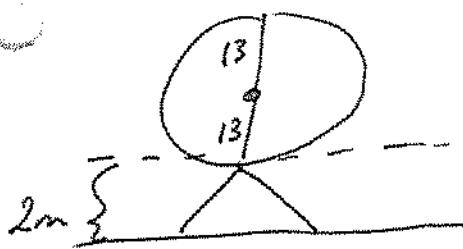
11. A giant Ferris Wheel has a radius of 13 m and takes ten minutes to complete three full revolutions. Britney boards the Ferris wheel at its lowest point which is 2 m above the ground. (3 marks)

a) If  $h(t)$  represents the height of Britney above the ground  $t$  seconds after the ride begins, what sinusoidal equation can be used to model her ride on the Ferris Wheel?

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If the total ride takes 16 min and 40 sec to complete, how many times during the ride will Britney be exactly 20 m above the ground?

height ranges from 28 m (max) to 2 m (min)



$$\text{amplitude} = \frac{28 - 2}{2} = 13$$

$$\text{period} = 200 \text{ seconds}$$

$$\text{phase shift} = 100 \text{ for cosine}$$

$$\text{vertical displacement} = \frac{28 + 2}{2} = 15$$

$$y = 13 \cos \frac{\pi}{100}(t-100) + 15$$

equation

$$y = 13 \cos \frac{\pi(t-100)}{100} + 15$$

$0^{\circ}$  if  $\sin(t-50)$

# of times at 20m during 16 minute & 40 second ride:

$$\text{period} = 200 \text{ seconds} \quad \text{ride duration} = 1000 \text{ seconds}$$

or  $-13 \cos 2\pi \left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + 15$

$$\frac{1000 \text{ seconds}}{200 \text{ seconds}} = 5 \text{ cycles.}$$

during each cycle there are 2 points where 20m is reached.  $\therefore 10 \text{ times}$

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