



Pre-Calculus

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Unit 8 Test (ART)

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Target 8.1: I can use and apply fundamental trigonometric identities.

1. Simplify $\sec(-1) \cos(-1)$ to either 1 or -1.

$$\sec(-1) \cos(-1) = \frac{1}{\cos(-1)} \cdot \cos(-1) = \boxed{1}$$

2. Prove $\frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{\sec^2 x}{\tan^2 x} = 2 \csc^2 x$.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{\sec^2 x}{\tan^2 x} &= \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{\frac{1}{\cos^2 x}}{\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x}} = \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{1}{\cancel{\cos^2 x}} \cdot \frac{\cancel{\cos^2 x}}{\sin^2 x} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} \\ &= \frac{2}{\sin^2 x} \\ &= 2 \csc^2 x \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

3. Simplify the expression $\tan x \cdot \sin x$ to a single trigonometric function.

$$\begin{aligned} \tan x \cdot \cos x &= \frac{\sin x}{\cancel{\cos x}} \cdot \cancel{\cos x} \\ &= \boxed{\sin x} \end{aligned}$$

oops - should have been $\tan x \cdot \cos x$

4. Find all solutions to the equation in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$ for the equation $2 \cos x \sin x - \cos x = 0$.

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

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

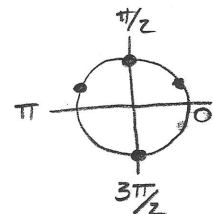
$$\cos x = 0 \text{ or } 2 \sin x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = \pi/2, 3\pi/2$$

$$\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \pi/6, 5\pi/6$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}}$$



Target 8.2: I can prove trigonometric identities.

5. Prove $(\cos x)(\tan x + \sin x \cot x) = \sin x + \cos^2 x$

$$\begin{aligned} (\cos x)(\tan x + \sin x \cot x) &= (\cos x) \left(\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \sin x \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \right) \\ &= \sin x + \cos^2 x \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

6. Prove $\frac{\cos^2 x - 1}{\cos x} = -\tan x \cdot \sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\cos^2 x - 1}{\cos x} &= \frac{-\sin^2 x}{\cos x} \\ &= \frac{-\sin x \cdot \sin x}{\cos x} \end{aligned}$$

$$= -\tan x \cdot \sin x \checkmark$$

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

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

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

7. Prove $\sec x - \cos x = \sin x \cdot \tan x$

$$\sec x - \cos x = \frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{\cos^2 x}{\cos x}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \cos^2 x}{\cos x}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos x}$$

$$= \frac{\sin x \cdot \sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$= \sin x \cdot \tan x \checkmark$$

Target 8.3: I can use and apply sum and difference identities.

8. Prove that $\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\cos x$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \sin x \cos \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \cos x \\ &= \sin x (0) - (1) \cos x \\ &= -\cos x \checkmark\end{aligned}$$

9. Evaluate $\cos(75^\circ)$ exactly.

$$\begin{aligned}\cos 75^\circ &= \cos(45^\circ + 30^\circ) \\ &= \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ - \sin 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4}\end{aligned}$$

10. Write $\sin 37^\circ \cdot \cos 14^\circ + \sin 14^\circ \cdot \cos 37^\circ$ as a single sine or cosine expression.

$$\sin(37^\circ + 14^\circ)$$

$$\sin(51^\circ)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin x \cdot \cos y + \sin y \cdot \cos x \\ \sin(x + y)\end{aligned}$$

11. Prove $\sin(x - y) + \sin(x + y) = 2 \sin x \cdot \cos y$ ← oops - should have been y

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(x - y) + \sin(x + y) &= (\sin x \cos y - \cancel{\sin y \cos x}) + (\sin x \cos y + \cancel{\sin y \cos x}) \\ &= \sin x \cos y + \sin x \cos y \\ &= 2 \sin x \cos y \checkmark\end{aligned}$$

Target 8.4: I can use and apply multiple angle identities.

12. Prove $\cos 2x = 2\sin^2 x - 1$. ← oops - should have been $1 - 2\sin^2 x$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2x &= \cos(x+x) \\ &= \cos x \cos x - \sin x \sin x \\ &= \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x \\ &= (1 - \sin^2 x) - \sin^2 x \\ &= 1 - 2\sin^2 x \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\sin 2x = \sin x$$

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$$\sin 2x - \sin x = 0$$

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

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

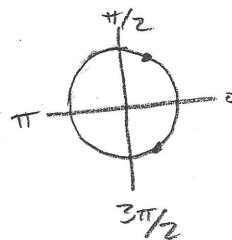
$$\sin x = 0 \quad 2\cos x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = 0, \pi$$

$$\cos x = 1/2$$

$$x = \pi/3, 5\pi/3$$

$0, \pi, \pi/3, 5\pi/3$



14. Use a half-angle identity to evaluate $\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{12}\right)$ exactly.

$$\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{12}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\frac{5\pi}{6}}{2}\right)$$

$$= \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos\frac{5\pi}{6}}{2}}$$

$$= \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - (-\sqrt{3}/2)}{2}}$$

$$= \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \sqrt{3}/2}{2}}$$

$$= \pm \sqrt{\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{4}} = \frac{\pm \sqrt{2 + \sqrt{3}}}{2}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{u}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos u}{2}}$$