

2/3 Unit Math Homework for Year 12

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11 Trigonometry 1

11.1 The Fundamental Identity

Definition: $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$
 $\tan^2 \theta + 1 = \sec^2 \theta$
 $1 + \cot^2 \theta = \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$

Example 11.1.1 Prove the following identities:

1. $\frac{1 - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta} = \cos^2 \theta$

Solution: $\frac{1 - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{1}$
 $= \cos^2 \theta$

2. $\frac{\cos \theta}{1 - \sin \theta} - \tan \theta = \sec \theta$

Solution: $\frac{\cos \theta}{1 - \sin \theta} - \tan \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{1 - \sin \theta} - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$
 $= \frac{\cos^2 \theta - \sin \theta (1 - \sin \theta)}{(1 - \sin \theta) \cos \theta}$
 $= \frac{1 - \sin \theta}{(1 - \sin \theta) \cos \theta}$
 $= \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$
 $= \sec \theta$

3. $\sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta = \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta$

Solution: $\sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta = \sin^2 \alpha (1 - \sin^2 \beta) - (1 - \sin^2 \alpha) \sin^2 \beta$
 $= \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta - (\sin^2 \beta - \sin^2 \alpha \sin^2 \beta)$
 $= \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta$

4. $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$

Solution: $\sec \theta + \tan \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$
 $= \frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$

Exercise 11.1.1

1.
$$\frac{\cos \theta \cot \theta}{\cot \theta + \cos \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta}{1 + \sin \theta}$$

2.
$$\frac{1 + \cot \theta}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta} - \frac{\sec \theta}{\tan \theta + \cot \theta} = \cos \theta$$

3.
$$\frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} = \sin \theta \tan \theta$$

4.
$$1 + \frac{1}{\cot^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

5.
$$\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$$

11.2 Symmetry properties of trigonometric Functions

Symmetry properties

Degrees	Radians
$\sin(90^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta$ $\cos(90^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta$ $\tan(90^\circ - \theta) = \cot \theta$	$\sin(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta) = \cos \theta$ $\cos(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta) = \sin \theta$ $\tan(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta) = \cot \theta$
$\sin(180^\circ - \theta) = \sin \theta$ $\cos(180^\circ - \theta) = -\cos \theta$ $\tan(180^\circ - \theta) = -\tan \theta$	$\sin(\pi - \theta) = \sin \theta$ $\cos(\pi - \theta) = -\cos \theta$ $\tan(\pi - \theta) = -\tan \theta$
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$\sin(360^\circ - \theta) = -\sin \theta$ $\cos(360^\circ - \theta) = \cos \theta$ $\tan(360^\circ - \theta) = -\tan \theta$	$\sin(2\pi - \theta) = -\sin \theta$ $\cos(2\pi - \theta) = \cos \theta$ $\tan(2\pi - \theta) = -\tan \theta$
$\sin(360^\circ + \theta) = \sin \theta$ $\cos(360^\circ + \theta) = \cos \theta$ $\tan(360^\circ + \theta) = \tan \theta$	$\sin(2\pi + \theta) = \sin \theta$ $\cos(2\pi + \theta) = \cos \theta$ $\tan(2\pi + \theta) = \tan \theta$

Some exact values

	0	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\pi}{2}$
sin	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	1
cos	1	$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	0
tan	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\sqrt{3}$	1	-
cosec	-	2	$\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\sqrt{2}$	1
sec	1	$\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$	2	$\sqrt{2}$	-
cot	-	$\sqrt{3}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	1	0

Example 11.2.1 Find all values of θ between 0 and 2π for which:

1. $\sin \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Solution: $\sin \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$, Since $\sin \theta$ is negative, θ lies in the 3rd and 4th quadrants.
 $\therefore \theta = \pi + \frac{\pi}{4}, 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{4}$
 $= \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$

2. $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Solution: $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$, Since $\cos \theta$ is positive, θ lies in the 1st and 4th quadrants.
 $\therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, 2\pi - \frac{\pi}{6}$
 $= \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$

Exercise 11.2.1

1. $\sec \theta = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

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

3. $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$

4. $\sin \theta = -1$

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

11.3 Derivative of $\sin x$, $\cos x$ and $\tan x$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Definition: } \frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) &= \cos x \\ \frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) &= -\sin x \\ \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) &= \sec^2 x\end{aligned}$$

11.4 Derivative of $\sin(ax + b)$, $\cos(ax + b)$ and $\tan(ax + b)$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Definition: } \frac{d}{dx} \sin(ax + b) &= a \cos(ax + b) \\ \frac{d}{dx} \cos(ax + b) &= -a \sin(ax + b) \\ \frac{d}{dx} \tan(ax + b) &= a \sec^2(ax + b)\end{aligned}$$

Example 11.4.1 Differentiate the following:

1. $\sin 5x$.

$$\text{Solution: } \text{let } y = \sin 5x, \frac{dy}{dx} = 5 \cos 5x$$

2. $\cos^2 x$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Solution: } \text{Let } y &= \cos^2 x = u^2, \text{ where } u = \cos x \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx} = 2u \times -\sin x = -2 \cos x \sin x\end{aligned}$$

3. $\sin(x^2)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Solution: } \text{Let } y &= \sin(x^2) = \sin u, \text{ where } u = x^2, \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx} = \cos u \times 2x = 2x \cos(x^2)\end{aligned}$$

4. $x^2 \sin x$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Solution: } \text{Let } y &= x^2 \sin x = uv, \text{ where } u = x^2 \text{ and } v = \sin x \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= v \cdot \frac{du}{dx} + u \cdot \frac{dv}{dx} \quad (\text{product rule}) \\ &= \sin x \cdot 2x + x^2 \cos x \\ &= 2x \sin x + x^2 \cos x\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 11.4.1 Differentiate the following with respect to x :

1. $x^2 \cos 2x$

2. $x(3 \cos x + 2 \sin x)$.

3. $\cos^2 3x$

4. $\tan(x^2 - 1)$

5. $\frac{1}{2} \cos 2x + x \sin x$

11.5 Practical Exam Questions

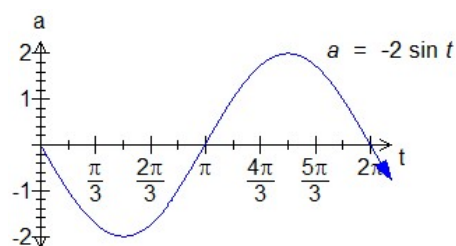
Exercise 11.5.1 A particle P is moving along the x axis. Its position at time t seconds is given by $x = 2 \sin t - t$, where $t \leq 0$.

1. Find an expression for velocity of the particle.

2. In what direction is the particle moving at $t = 0$?

3. Determine when the particle first comes to rest.

4. When is the acceleration negative for $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$?



5. Calculate the total distance travelled by the particle in the first π seconds.

