

Trigonometry — Exam 2
MAT 145, Spring 2025— D. Ivanšić

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$\sin(u \pm v) = \sin u \cos v \pm \cos u \sin v$	$\sin(2u) = 2 \sin u \cos u$
$\cos(u \pm v) = \cos u \cos v \mp \sin u \sin v$	$\cos(2u) = \cos^2 u - \sin^2 u = 2 \cos^2 u - 1 = 1 - 2 \sin^2 u$
$\tan(u \pm v) = \frac{\tan u \pm \tan v}{1 \mp \tan u \tan v}$	$\tan(2u) = \frac{2 \tan u}{1 - \tan^2 u}$
$\cos^2 \frac{u}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos u}{2}$	$\sin^2 \frac{u}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos u}{2}$
$\tan^2 \frac{u}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos u}{1 + \cos u}$	

1. (16pts) Use an identity (sum, difference, half- or double-angle) to find the exact values of the trigonometric functions below (do not use the calculator).

$$\sin \frac{11\pi}{12} =$$

$$\cos 67.5^\circ =$$

2. (8pts) Without using the calculator, find the exact values (in radians) of the following expressions. Draw the unit circle to help you.

$$\arccos(-3) = \quad \arccos \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \quad \arcsin \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) = \quad \arctan(-1) =$$

3. (6pts) Find the exact value of the expressions (do not use the calculator). For one of them, you will need a picture.

$$\tan(\arctan 3.7) = \quad \arcsin \left(\sin \frac{7\pi}{5} \right) =$$

4. (6pts) Find the exact value of the expression (do not use the calculator). Draw the appropriate picture.

$$\tan\left(\arccos\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)\right) =$$

5. (8pts) Use identities to simplify the following expression.

$$\left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) + \sin\theta\right)\left(\cos\theta - \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)\right) =$$

Show the identities:

6. (8pts) $\sin\theta(\csc\theta - \sin\theta) = \cos^2\theta$

7. (10pts) $\tan\theta + \cot\theta = \frac{2}{\sin(2\theta)}$

8. (5pts) Solve the equation in radians (state general solution).

$$4 \sin \theta - 2\sqrt{2} = 0$$

9. (7pts) Use your calculator to solve the equation on the interval $[0^\circ, 360^\circ)$ (answers in degrees). A picture will help.

$$\sin \theta = -0.33$$

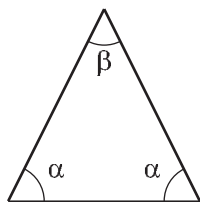
10. (14pts) Solve the equation in radians.

a) State the general solution.

b) List all the solutions that fall in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$.

$$6 \cos^2 \theta - \cos \theta - 1 = 0$$

11. (12pts) An isosceles triangle has two sides of equal length and two angles of same measure. If an isosceles triangle has angles α , α and β , and $\cos \alpha = \frac{1}{3}$, find the exact value of $\cos \beta$ (do not use the calculator).



Bonus. (10pts) Suppose that $\pi < \alpha < \frac{3\pi}{2}$ and $\frac{3\pi}{2} < \beta < 2\pi$ are angles so that $\cos \alpha = -\frac{2}{5}$ and $\cos \beta = \frac{2}{7}$. Find the exact value of $\sin(2\alpha + 2\beta)$.