MATH 1550: PRECALCULUS

Fall 2010, Section 10

Mid Term Test 03 - MAKEUP

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Instructions

- Attempt all ten (10) problems.
- The test graded out of 60 points.
- You can earn UP TO 67% (i.e. 2/3) of the OF THE POINTS LOST, for each problem.
- It is recommended that you do all the problems for practice even if you answered them correct on the proper test.
- Point allocation for each problem is given at the end of each problem.
- Please write the answers on this book.
- Show all necessary work to earn full credit.
- Please write clearly.
- You may use a scientific calculator without graphical capabilities.

1. Simplify/evaluate the following trigonometric expressions without explicitly using the calculator. Leave the solution in **exact form**. Clearly state the identity/identities used (e.g. cos-sec reciprocal identity, Pythagorean, sin A plus B, sum-to-product, double angle for sin, half angle for cos, etc.).

[Total: 12 points]

(a)
$$\sin^2(8\pi/7) + \cos^2(8\pi/7)$$
 [1 point]

(b)
$$\cos(1050^{\circ})$$
 [2 point]

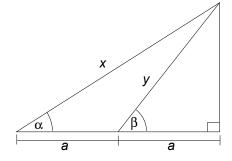
(c)
$$\tan(\pi/12)$$
 [2 point]

(d)
$$\cos(75^{\circ}) + \cos(15^{\circ})$$
 [2 point]

(e)
$$\sin(37.5^{\circ})\sin(7.5^{\circ})$$
 [2 point]

(f)
$$\sec(15^\circ)$$
 (Hint: First find $\cos(15^\circ)$) [3 point]

2. For the following figure, show that $y = \frac{x \cos \alpha}{2 \cos \beta}$ [Total: 3 points]

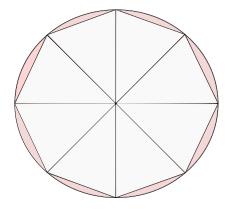


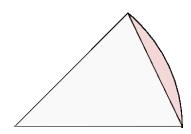
3. Prove the following identities

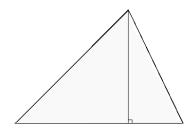
(a)
$$\frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta} + \frac{1}{1 + \cos \theta} = 2 + 2 \cot^2 \theta$$

(b)
$$\frac{1}{2}\sin 2A = \frac{\tan A}{1 + \tan^2 A}$$
 [6 point]

4. A metal worker hopes to make triangular pieces of sheet metal by first taking a circular sheet of metal with an *diameter* of 12 inches, cut it in to 8 equal parts to get wedges and cut off its circular sector to finally obtain a triangular shape. Your task is to find the amount of metal wasted in this process. Answer the following questions to do this calculation. [Total: 9 points]







(a) Find the radius of the circle.

/1 point/

(b) Find the circumference of the circular sheet of metal. (Hint: $2\pi r$)

- /1 point/
- (c) Find the arc length of the curved side of **one piece** of metal cut out.
- /1 point/
- (d) Find the angle (in radians) between the two straight edges of a piece of metal.
- /1 point/

(e) Find the area of a wedge of metal cut out.

- [1 point]
- (f) Find the height of the triangular piece of metal as shown on the picture.
- [1 point]
- (g) Find the area of a triangular piece of metal finally obtained. (Hint: $\frac{1}{2}bh$)
- [1 point]

(h) Find the area of metal wasted per piece.

[1 point]

(i) Find the area of metal wasted during the whole project.

[1 point]

5. Consider the trigonometric function given by $y = 3\cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{16}\right)$

[Total: 13 points]

(a) Find its (fundamental) period

[1 point]

(b) Find its Phase shift

[1 point]

(c) Find its amplitude

[1 point]

(d) Find its vertical shift

/1 point/

(e) Sketch its graph for a few cycles

[3 point]

(f) Use the above graph to sketch the graph of $y = 3\csc\left(\frac{\pi x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{16}\right)$ for a few cycles [3 points]

(g) Use the above graph to sketch the graph of $y = 3\csc\left(\frac{\pi|x|}{2} - \frac{\pi}{16}\right)$ for a few cycles [3 points]

6. You are given that $\cos \theta = \frac{-5}{13}$ for some angle θ

[Total: 5 points]

(a) What quadrants can this angle θ be in?

[1 point]

(b) If you are also told that $\tan \theta$ is negative what quadrant can this angle θ be in?

[1 point]

(c) If you are also told that $\tan \theta$ is negative find the values of $\sin \theta$ and $\tan \theta$.

[3 point]

- 7. The Far-Far-Away Land has two banks. State Bank of Far-Far-Away (SBoF) and Far-Far-Away National Bank (FNB). The SBoF pays an interest rate of 7% compounded annually. The FNB on the other hand, pays 6.9% interest compounded continuously. [Total: 6 points]
 - (a) Dronkey has invested \$ 3000 at the SBoF. How much money will be in Dronkey's account after 2 years if no subsequent transactions were made.

 [3 point]

(b) Instead, if Dronkey invested \$ 3000 at the FNB, how long does it take to end up with the same amount that was found in part (a). [3 point]

8. Consider the rational function $y = \frac{2x}{(x-2)(x+2)}$

 $[\mathit{Total:}\ \mathit{8}\ \mathit{points}]$

(a) Find the vertical asymptotes

[1 point]

(b) Find the x-intercepts and y-intercepts

[1 point]

(c) Find the horizontal asymptotes

[1 point]

(d) Find the excluded regions

[3 point]

(e) Use these information to sketch the graph $\,$

[2 point]

9. Solve the following equations. ONE EXTRA POINT EACH for checking the solutions

[Total: 16 points]

(a) Solve |3x - 9| = 6

[3 point]

(b) Given that f(0) = 2, solve $3f(x^2 + 2x) - 2 = 4$

[3 point]

(c) Solve $8^3x = 16^{x^2+1}$

[3 point]

(d) Solve $\log_2(x+5) + \log_2(2x-9) - \log_2(x^2) = 1$

[3 point]

10. Find the domain of $f(x) = \sqrt{\frac{-(x+2)}{(x^2+5x+4)}}$

[Total: 4 points]