

# Transformations with A, C, and D

## Part I — Basic Structure: Amplitude, Midline, Max/Min, Range

1. For the function  $y = A\sin(x - C) + D$ . Describe the effect of,  $A$ ,  $C$ , and  $D$  on the graph of  $y = \sin x$ . Include amplitude, reflections, phase shifts, vertical shifts, and the midline.
2. For  $y = 4\sin x + 3$  determine the midline, the maximum value, the minimum value, how far the graph extends from the midline.
3. Determine the transformations of each parent function in the correct order.

a)  $y = 3\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1$

d)  $y = 5\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) - 2$

b)  $y = 2\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 3$

e)  $y = -3\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 2$

c)  $y = -4\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 2$

4. Without graphing  $y = -7\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + 4$ , determine:
  - the maximum value
  - the minimum value
  - the range

## Part II — Phase Shift and Starting Behaviour

5. For  $y = 2\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 3$  determine the starting point, maximum value, minimum value, and midline.
6. Without graphing  $y = 5\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) - 2$ , determine:
  - whether the graph begins by increasing or decreasing
  - the maximum value
  - the minimum value
  - the phase shift

## Part III — Mapping Key Points

7. The parent function  $y = \sin x$  has key points:  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(\frac{\pi}{2}, 1)$ ,  $(\pi, 0)$ ,  $(\frac{3\pi}{2}, -1)$ ,  $(2\pi, 0)$ . Determine the transformed coordinates of the key points for  $y = 2\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 3$ .

8. The parent function  $y = \cos x$  has key points:  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0)$ ,  $(\pi, -1)$ ,  $(\frac{3\pi}{2}, 0)$ ,  $(2\pi, 1)$ . Determine the transformed coordinates of the key points for  $y = -3\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) - 2$ .

#### Part IV — Graphing Transformed Functions

9. Determine the five key points for one complete cycle of  $y = 3\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1$ . Then sketch one complete cycle.
10. Determine the five key points for one complete cycle of  $y = -4\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 2$ . Then sketch one complete cycle.

#### Part V — Intercepts and Comparing Graphs

11. Explain why  $y = 2\sin x + 5$  has no x-intercepts. Then explain why  $y = 5\cos x - 1$  does have x-intercepts. Use range, midline, and transformation behavior.
12. Compare  $y = 2\sin x + 1$  and  $y = 2\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1$ . Describe:
- what stayed the same
  - what changed
13. Compare the graphs of  $y = \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  and  $y = -2\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) - 3$ . Describe:
- reflection
  - phase shift
  - vertical shift
  - amplitude change