

Trigonometric Functions & Proofs Review (Part 1)

1. **(Medium)** Determine whether the following pairs of angles are **coterminal**. If they are coterminal, write a **general formula** for all coterminal angles.

a) $\frac{7\pi}{4}$ and $\frac{23\pi}{4}$

b) $-\frac{11\pi}{6}$ and $\frac{13\pi}{6}$

2. **(Spicy)** Suppose angles A and B are **coterminal**. Determine whether each statement is **Always True**, **Sometimes True**, or **Never True**. Justify your reasoning.

a) $\sin A = \sin B$

b) $\tan A = \tan B$

c) $A - B = 2\pi n$, where n is an integer

3. **(Medium)** Determine the **exact value** without a calculator.

a) $\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$

b) $\cos\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right)$

c) $\tan\left(\frac{11\pi}{6}\right)$

4. **(Spicy)** Suppose $\sin \theta = -\frac{5}{13}$. Determine:

a) **all possible coordinates** on the unit circle

b) **all possible values** of $\cos \theta$

c) **all possible values** of $\tan \theta$

d) the **possible quadrants**

5. **(Medium)** Determine the **exact value**.

a) $\csc\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

b) $\sec\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$

c) $\cot\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right)$

6. **(Spicy)** Determine whether each equation is **possible**. Explain your reasoning.

a) $\csc \theta = -3$

c) $\cot \theta = 0$

b) $\sin \theta = 1.2$

d) $\sec \theta = 0.5$

7. **(Medium)** Solve on the interval $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

a) $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$

b) $\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

8. **(Spicy)** Solve on the interval $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

$$3\sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta - 2 = 0$$

9. **(Medium)** Solve on the interval $0^\circ \leq \theta < 360^\circ$.

$$3\sin \theta = 2$$

Round answers to the **nearest tenth of a degree**.

10. **(Spicy)** Determine whether the equation

$$\sec \theta = 0.8$$

has a solution on $0^\circ \leq \theta < 360^\circ$. If a solution exists, solve. If no solution exists, explain why.

11. **(Medium)** For $y = -\cos(2x)$ determine:

- the **amplitude**
- the **period**
- the **quarter-period**
- the **five key points** for one complete cycle

12. **(Spicy)** Compare the graphs $y = \sin(2x)$ and $y = -\cos(2x)$

- Compare the **amplitudes**.
 - Compare the **periods**.
 - Compare the **starting behaviour**.
 - Compare the **number of cycles** on $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$.
 - Describe the **transformations** from the parent functions.
 - Sketch both graphs on the same set of axes.**
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13. **(Medium)** Determine all values of x on the interval $0 < x < 2\pi$ for which

$$\sin x = \cos x$$

State the **coordinates of the intersection points**.

14. **(Spicy)** Suppose the graphs $y = \sin x$ and $y = k$ intersect **exactly once** on the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$. Determine all possible values of k and justify your reasoning.
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15. **(Medium)** Without graphing, determine the **maximum value**, **minimum value**, **range**, and **midline** for

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

16. **(Spicy)** Explain why $y = 2\sin x + 5$ has **no x-intercepts**. Use the **range**, **amplitude**, and **midline** in your explanation.
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17. **(Medium)** For $y = 3\cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1$ determine:

- the **first key x-value**
- the **last key x-value**
- the **quarter-period**
- the **five key points** for one complete cycle

18. **(Spicy)** A trigonometric graph has **amplitude 5**, **midline** $y = -2$ and **phase shift** $\frac{\pi}{4}$ **right**. Determine:

- sketch the graph
- the **five key points** for one complete cycle of a possible sine function

Trigonometric Functions & Proofs Review (Part 2)

19. **(Medium)** Determine the **period** and **number of cycles** on $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

a) $y = \sin(3\theta)$

b) $y = \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$

20. **(Spicy)** Determine the **number of x-intercepts** of $y = \sin(5\theta)$ on $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$. Explain your reasoning using:

- **period**
- **number of cycles**
- **properties of sine graphs**

21. **(Medium)** Determine whether the function $y = 3 \sin(2\theta) + 5$ has any **x-intercepts**. Justify without solving algebraically.

22. **(Spicy)** Without graphing, determine the **amplitude**, **period**, **number of cycles** on $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$, **maximum value**, **minimum value**, **range**, and **all the x-intercepts** for

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

23. **(Medium)** Write a **cosine function** with:

- **maximum** value 8
- **minimum** value 2
- **phase shift** $\frac{\pi}{3}$ right

24. **(Spicy)** Design **two different trigonometric equations** that produce **exactly the same graph**. Explain why they are equivalent using **transformations**.

25. **(Medium)** A city receives **15 hours of daylight** at its maximum and **9 hours of daylight** at its minimum. Determine:

- a) the **amplitude**
b) the **midline**

26. **(Spicy)** A Ferris wheel has:

- **maximum height 54 m**
- **minimum height 6 m**
- **period 20 minutes**

A rider starts at the **lowest point**.

- a) Create a **trigonometric model**.
b) Determine **all times during the first revolution** when the rider is above **40 m**.

27. **(Medium)** Identify the **identity family** that would be most useful.

- a) $\sec^2 \theta - 1$
b) $1 - \sin^2 \theta$
c) $\tan \theta \cdot \cot \theta$

28. **(Spicy)** Simplify completely.

$$\frac{\tan \theta + \cot \theta}{\sec \theta \cdot \csc \theta}$$

Show all steps and identify the identities used.

29. **(Medium)** Prove algebraically:

$$(\sec \theta - \tan \theta)(\sec \theta + \tan \theta) = 1$$

30. **(Spicy)** Prove algebraically:

$$\sec^2 x + \csc^2 x = \sec^2 x \csc^2 x$$

Your proof should be fully justified and simplified.

31. **(Medium)** Identify the **single trigonometric function** represented by:

$$\cos 70^\circ \cos 20^\circ + \sin 70^\circ \sin 20^\circ$$

32. **(Spicy)** Rewrite the angle as a **sum or difference of special angles** and determine the **exact value**:

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

Show all work.

33. **(Medium)** Given $\sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}$ and θ is in **Quadrant I**, determine:

- a) $\sin(2\theta)$
- b) $\cos(2\theta)$

34. **(Spicy)**

- a) Rewrite as a **single trigonometric function**: $2\sin(3x)\cos(3x)$
- b) Rewrite as a **single trigonometric function**: $\cos^2(2x) - \sin^2(2x)$
- c) Explain how the two answers are connected through the **double-angle identities**.