Math 5 – Trigonometry – Chapter 5 Fair Game.

- 1. If the arclength  $t = \frac{29\pi}{6}$  is traced counterclockwise along the unit circle from (1,0) then
  - a. What is the reference number for *t*?
  - b. What are the coordinates of the terminal point P(x,y) ?
  - c. Draw the unit circle and plot the terminal point P(x,y).
- 2. For arclength  $t = \frac{31\pi}{6}$  extending counterclockwise along the unit circle from (1,0)
  - a. Find the reference number for *t*.
  - b. Find the coordinates of the terminal point P(x,y).
  - c. Illustrate this point's position on a plot of the unit circle.
- 3. Consider the point  $\left(\frac{5}{13}, \frac{12}{13}\right)$ 
  - a. Verify that the point lies on the unit circle.
  - b. Use the diagram at right to approximate to the nearest tenth a value of *t* so that

$$\cos(t) = \frac{5}{13} \approx 0.38$$

- c. Approximate to the nearest tenth the interval in the first quadrant where  $\frac{5}{12} \le \tan(t) \le \frac{12}{5}$
- 4. Consider the point  $\left(\frac{8}{17}, \frac{15}{17}\right)$



- a. Verify that the point lies on the unit circle.
- b. Use the diagram to approximate to the nearest tenth a value of t so that  $\cos(t) = \frac{8}{17} \approx 0.47$
- c. Approximate to the nearest tenth a value of t so that  $tan(t) = \frac{8}{15}$
- 5. Recall that a function is even if f(-x) = f(x) and odd if f(-x) = -f(x). Of the six trigonometric functions: sin(x), cos(x), tan(x), sec(x), csc(x) and cot(x)
  - a. Which functions are even?
  - b. Which functions are odd?

- 6. Suppose that  $\cos(t) = \frac{\sqrt{91}}{10}$  and point and  $\sin(t) < 0$ . Find  $\sin(t), \tan(t), \sec(t), \csc(t)$  and  $\cot(t)$ .
- 7. Write sec(t) in terms of tan(t), assuming the terminal point for t is in quadrant III.
- 8. Find the amplitude, period and phase shift of  $y = 5 + 5\sin\left(20\pi\left(x \frac{1}{50}\right)\right)$ , construct a table of values and graph one period of the function, clearly showing the position of key points.
- 9. Suppose that  $\cos(t) = \frac{99}{101}$  and point and  $\sin(t) < 0$ . Find  $\sin(t)$ ,  $\tan(t)$ ,  $\sec(t)$ ,  $\csc(t)$  and  $\cot(t)$ .
- 10. Write sec(t) in terms of tan(t), assuming the terminal point for t is in quadrant III.
- 11. Find the amplitude, period and phase shift of  $y = 5 + 4\sin\left(2\pi\left(x + \frac{1}{4}\right)\right)$ , construct a table of values and graph one period of the function, clearly showing the position of key points.
- 12. Find an equation for the sinusoid whose graph is shown:



- 13. Consider the function  $f(x) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$ .
  - a. Find the equations for two adjacent vertical asymptotes and sketch them in with dashed lines.
  - b. Find the *x*-coordinates where y = 0 and where  $y = \pm 1$ .
  - c. Carefully construct a graph of the function showing how it passes through the points where y = -1, y = 0, y = 1 and how it approaches the vertical asymptotes.
- 14. Suppose  $\cos t = 9/28$  and *t* is in the first quadrant. Find the following:
  - a.  $\cos(t+\pi)$
  - b.  $\cos\left(t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ c.  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - t\right)$
- 15. Consider the function  $f(x) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\left(x \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$ .
  - a. Find the equations for two adjacent vertical asymptotes and sketch them in with dashed lines.
  - b. Find the *x*-coordinates where y = 0 and where  $y = \pm 1$ .
  - c. Carefully construct a graph of the function showing how it passes through the points where y = -1, y = 0, y = 1 and how it approaches the vertical asymptotes.
- 16. Suppose sin t = 16/65 and t is in the first quadrant. Find the following:
  - a.  $\sin(t+\pi)$ b.  $\sin(t+\frac{\pi}{2})$
  - c.  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}-t\right)$
- 17. Complete the table of values for  $f(t) = \cos(\pi t) + 2\sin(\pi t)$ , plot the points and sketch a graph.

t	0	1/6	1/4	1/3	1/2	2/3	3/4	5/6	1
$\cos(\pi t)$									
$\overline{2\sin(\pi t)}$									
f(t)									

18. The Millennium Wheel rotates once every 30 minutes. Its highest point is about 135 meters above the ground and the lowest point is about 5 meters above the ground. Write a function that gives the height of a rider *t* minutes after boarding the Millennium Wheel.

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- 1. For arclength  $t = \frac{29\pi}{6}$  extending counterclockwise along the unit circle from (1,0)
  - a. Find the reference number for *t*. ANS:  $t = \frac{(12+12+5)\pi}{6} = 2\pi + 2\pi + \frac{5\pi}{6}$  so the reference number is  $\frac{5\pi}{6}$ .
  - b. Find the coordinates of the terminal point *P*(*x*,*y*).ANS: Since this point is in the second

quadrant, x < 0 and y > 0 so

$$x = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \ y = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{1}{2}.$$

c. Illustrate this point's position on a plot of the unit circle.

ANS: The point 
$$\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$
.



-0.5

-0.5

 $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ 

0.5

2. For arclength  $t = \frac{31\pi}{6}$  extending counterclockwise along the unit circle from (1,0) a. Find the reference number for *t*.

- ANS:  $t = \frac{31\pi}{6} = \frac{(12+12+6+1)\pi}{6} = 2\pi + 2\pi + \pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$  so the reference number is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ . b. Find the coordinates of the terminal point P(x,y). ANS: Since this point is in the third quadrant, both x and y are negative and so  $x = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  and  $y = -\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$ .
  - c. Illustrate this point's position on a plot of the unit circle.

ANS: The point 
$$\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

- 3. Consider the point  $\left(\frac{8}{17}, \frac{15}{17}\right)$ 
  - a. Verify that the point lies on the unit circle.

ANS: 
$$\left(\frac{8}{17}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{15}{17}\right)^2 = \frac{64}{289} + \frac{225}{289} = \frac{289}{289} = 1$$

b. Use the diagram at right to approximate to the nearest tenth a value of t so that  $\cos(t) = \frac{8}{17} \approx 0.47$ 

ANS: A vertical segment is drawn from 0.47 on the *x*-axis intersects the circle at t near 1.1

c. Approximate to the nearest tenth a value of t so that  $\tan(t) = \frac{8}{15}$ 



- ANS: Since  $\cot(t) = \cos(t)/\sin(t) = 8/15$  and  $\tan(\pi/2 t) = \cot(t)$ . So choose t = 1.6 1.1 = 0.5
- 4. Suppose that  $\cos(t) = \frac{99}{101}$  and point and  $\sin(t) < 0$ . Find  $\sin(t)$ ,  $\tan(t)$ ,  $\sec(t)$ ,  $\csc(t)$  and  $\cot(t)$ .

ANS: 
$$\sin(t) = -\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 t} = -\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{99}{101}\right)^2} = -\sqrt{1 - \frac{9801}{10201}} = -\sqrt{\frac{10201 - 9801}{10201}} = -\sqrt{\frac{400}{10201}} = -\frac{20}{101}$$
  
Thus  $\tan(t) = -\frac{20}{99}$ ;  $\sec(t) = \frac{101}{99}$ ;  $\csc(t) = -\frac{101}{20}$ ;  $\cot(t) = -\frac{99}{20}$ 

5. Write  $\sec(t)$  in terms of  $\tan(t)$ , assuming the terminal point for *t* is in quadrant III. ANS: Starting with  $\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$ , divide through by  $\cos^2 t$  to obtain  $1 + \tan^2 t = \sec^2 t$ . Since  $\sec(t)$  is negative in quadrant III,  $\sec t = -\sqrt{1 + \tan^2 t}$ 

6. Find the amplitude, period and phase shift of  $y = 5 + 4 \sin \left( 2\pi \left( x + \frac{1}{x} \right) \right)$  construct a

of  $y = 5 + 4\sin\left(2\pi\left(x + \frac{1}{4}\right)\right)$ , construct a

table of values and graph one period of the function, clearly showing the position of key points.

ANS: The amplitude is 4, the period is 1 and the phase angle is -1/4.

Graph is shown at right.



7. Find an equation for the sinusoid whose graph is shown:

ANS: The lowest point is at y=7 and the highest point is at 23 so the line of equilibrium is at the average of these: y = (7+23)/2 = 15. and the amplitude is (23 - 7)/2 = 8.

The two peaks shown in the graph here are where x = 0.5 and x = 2.5, so the period is 2.5 - 0.5 = 2. Thus an equation for the sinusoid is  $y = 15 + 8\sin(\pi x)$ .

- 30 28 26 24 22 20 18 16 14 1/2 10 8 6 4 2 0 0.5 1.5
- 8. Consider the function  $f(x) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\left(x \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$ .
  - a. Find the equations for two adjacent vertical asymptotes and sketch them in with dashed lines.

ANS: We want the input to the tangent to be  $\pm \frac{\pi}{2}$ , that is

$$\frac{\pi}{2}\left(x-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \pm\frac{\pi}{2} \Leftrightarrow x-\frac{1}{2} = \pm 1 \Leftrightarrow \boxed{x=\frac{1}{2}\pm 1 = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \frac{3}{2}}$$

b. Find *x*-coords where y = 0 and  $y = \pm 1$ . ANS: We want to find where the input to the tangent function is equal to  $\pm \frac{\pi}{4}$ , that is

$$\frac{\pi}{2}\left(x-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \pm\frac{\pi}{4} \Leftrightarrow x-\frac{1}{2} = \pm\frac{1}{2}.$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \boxed{x=0 \text{ or } x=1}$$

c. Graph of the function showing how it passes through the points where y = -1, y = 0, y = 1 and how it approaches the vertical asymptotes.



9. Suppose sin t = 16/65 and t is in the first quadrant. Find the following:

a. 
$$\sin(t+\pi) = -\frac{16}{65}$$
  
b.  $\sin\left(t+\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\cos(t) = -\sqrt{1-\left(\frac{16}{65}\right)^2} = -\sqrt{1-\frac{256}{4225}} = -\sqrt{\frac{3969}{4225}} = \frac{63}{65}$   
c.  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}-t\right) = \frac{63}{65}$ 



10. Complete the table of values for  $f(t) = \cos(\pi t) + 2\sin(\pi t)$ , plot the points and sketch a graph.



11. The Millennium Wheel rotates once every 30 minutes. Its highest point is about 135 meters above the ground and the lowest point is about 5 meters above the ground. Write a function that gives the height of a rider *t* minutes after boarding the Millennium Wheel. ANS:  $h(t) = 70 - 65 \cos(\pi t / 15)$