

Name Solutions

- You have 15 minutes
- No calculators
- Show sufficient work

1. (3 points) Given an acute angle θ for which $\sin(\theta) = \frac{1}{3}$, evaluate the following quantities.

(a) $\sec(\theta)$

Method 1

$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta) &= 1 \\ \cos^2(\theta) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 &= 1 \\ \cos^2(\theta) &= 1 - \frac{1}{9} = \frac{8}{9} \\ \cos(\theta) &= \pm \sqrt{\frac{8}{9}} \\ \theta \text{ acute} &\Rightarrow \cos(\theta) = \sqrt{\frac{8}{9}} \\ \sec(\theta) &= \frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8/9}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Method 2

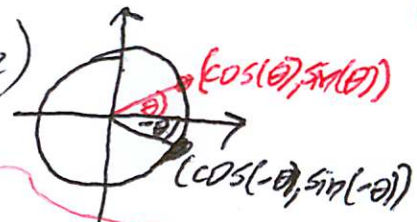
Pythagorean Theorem $\Rightarrow A^2 + 1^2 = 3^2 \Rightarrow A = \sqrt{8}$

$$\sec(\theta) = \frac{3}{\sqrt{8}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

(b) $\sin(-\theta)$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(-\theta) &= -\sin(\theta) \\ &= -\frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

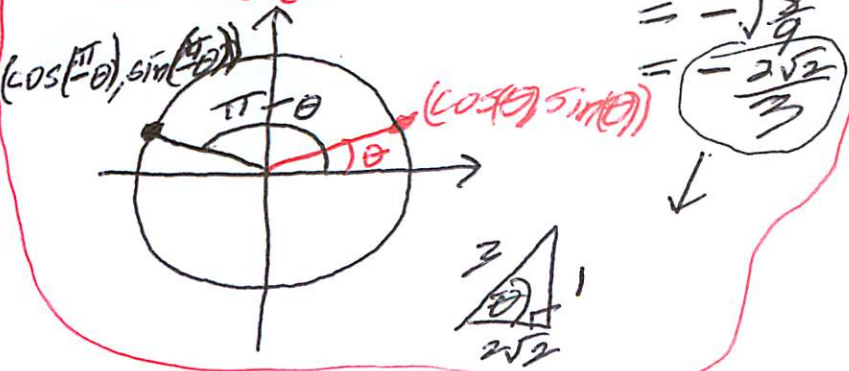
since sine is an odd function (see unit circle)



(c) $\cos(\pi - \theta)$

Method 1

unit circle



$$\begin{aligned} \cos(\pi - \theta) &= -\cos(\theta) \\ &= -\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}} \\ &= -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Method 2

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(x - y) &= \cos(x)\cos(y) + \sin(x)\sin(y) \\ \cos(\pi - \theta) &= \cos(\pi)\cos(\theta) + \sin(\pi)\sin(\theta) \\ &= -1 \cdot \cos(\theta) + 0 \cdot \sin(\theta) \\ &= -\cos(\theta) \\ &= -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \end{aligned}$$

2. (4 points) Determine the domain of the given function.

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin(x^2 - 4)}{\sqrt{102} - \sqrt{200 - 2x^2}}$$

No restrictions
on domain
from this
numerator

From $\sqrt{200 - 2x^2}$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} 200 - 2x^2 &\geq 0 &\Rightarrow -2x^2 &\geq -200 \\ & &\Rightarrow x^2 &\leq 100 \\ & &\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2} &\leq \sqrt{100} \\ & &\Rightarrow |x| &\leq 10 \\ & &\Rightarrow -10 &\leq x \leq 10 \end{aligned}$$

The denominator equals 0 when

$$\sqrt{102} - \sqrt{200 - 2x^2} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{102} = \sqrt{200 - 2x^2}$$

$$102 = 200 - 2x^2$$

$$2x^2 = 98$$

$$x^2 = 49$$

$$x = \pm 7$$

Thus $x \neq \pm 7$

Domain of $f(x)$ is

$$[-10, -7) \cup (-7, 7) \cup (7, 10]$$

3. (3 points) Determine whether the following function is even, odd or neither. Give a very clear justification for your answer.

$$w(t) = t^5 \sin(t^3)$$

$$w(-t) = (-t)^5 \sin((-t)^3)$$

$$= -t^5 \sin(-t^3)$$

$$= -t^5 \cdot -\sin(t^3)$$

since sine
is an
odd function

$$= t^5 \sin(t^3)$$

$$= w(t)$$

$$w(-t) = w(t) \Rightarrow w \text{ is an}$$

even function