

# Math 110 Common Exam II

March 8, 2017

**Time:** 1 hour and 25 minutes

**Instructions:** Show all work for full credit.  
No outside materials or calculators allowed.

**Extra Space:** Use the backs of each sheet for extra space. Clearly label when doing so.

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**Instructor/Section:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Problem(s)	Score	Total

## Relevant Formulas for this Exam

$$\sin(a + b) = \sin(a) \cos(b) + \cos(a) \sin(b)$$

$$\sin(a - b) = \sin(a) \cos(b) - \cos(a) \sin(b)$$

$$\cos(a + b) = \cos(a) \cos(b) - \sin(a) \sin(b)$$

$$\cos(a - b) = \cos(a) \cos(b) + \sin(a) \sin(b)$$

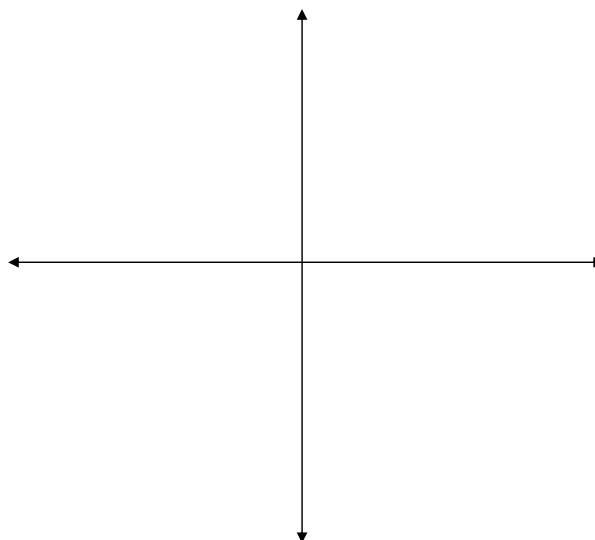
$$\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos \theta}{2}}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{2}}$$

*Rationalize any and all denominators, if necessary.*

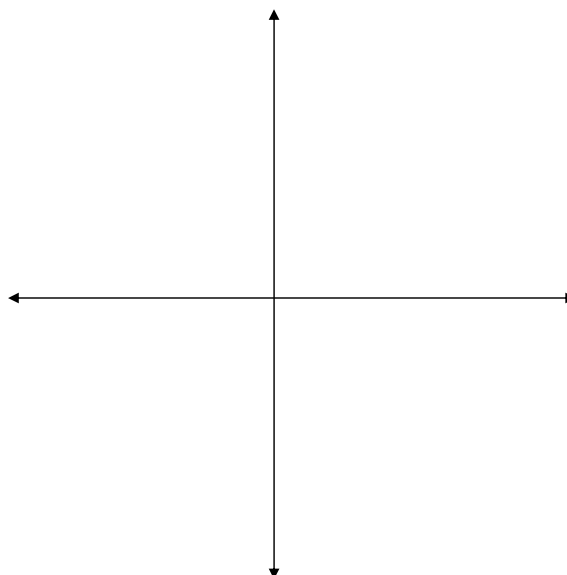
1. a) (8 pts) Graph two periods of the trigonometric function below. Clearly show and label any asymptotes and zeros.

$$y = 2 \tan\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

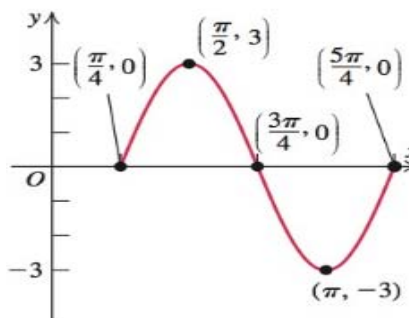


- b) (8 pts) Graph one period of the function. Clearly show and label all key quarter period points.

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



- c) (4 pts) The graph of a sinusoidal function is given below. Write an equation for a sine wave of the general form:  $y = a \sin b(x - c)$  (where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are unknown constants) that when graphed will result in the given graph below.



2. (8 pts) Use an appropriate trigonometric identity and find the exact value of the following. *Draw a quadrant diagram, if necessary.*

a)  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right)$

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b)  $\sin(105^\circ)$

3. (15 pts) Evaluate the following. *Draw a quadrant diagram, if necessary.*

a)  $\sin\left(\frac{32\pi}{3}\right)$

b)  $\tan(-135^\circ)$

c)  $\sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$

d)  $\cos^{-1}\left[\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right]$

e)  $\sin\left[\frac{\pi}{2} + \tan^{-1}(1)\right]$

4. (16 pts) If  $\cos \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$  with  $\alpha$  in Quad. IV, and  $\tan \beta = -\frac{5}{12}$  with  $\beta$  in Quad. II, find the following. *Draw a quadrant diagram, if necessary.*

a)  $\cos(\alpha + \beta)$

b)  $\sin(\alpha - \beta)$

c)  $\sin(2\beta)$

d)  $\cos(2\alpha)$

5. A Ferris wheel is built such that the height  $h$  (in feet) above ground of a seat on the wheel at time  $t$  (in seconds) can be modeled by:  $h(t) = 53 + 50 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{10}t - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ ,

a) (2 pts) Find the period of the model. What does the period tell you about the ride?

b) (4 pts) Find the maximum and minimum height  $h$  (in feet) above ground of a seat on the wheel during the ride and a possible time when each may occur.

c) *Extra Credit:* (2 pts)

What is the diameter of the wheel?

6. Use the fundamental trigonometric identities and the appropriate algebraic operations to perform the following:

a) (4 pts) Verify the identity:  $\frac{\cos x}{1 - \sin x} = \tan x + \sec x$ .

b) (4 pts) Simplify the trigonometric expression completely:  $1 + \cos(2x) + 2 \sin^2(x)$ .

c) (5 pts) Use the double angle identities to find a triple angle identity for  $\cos 3x$  in terms of  $\cos x$  only.

7. (12 pts) Given that  $\cos \theta = \frac{a}{b}$ , with angle  $\theta$  in quadrant I. Assume 'a' and 'b' are positive constants. Find the value of the following trigonometric expression in terms of 'a' and 'b'. *Draw a quadrant diagram, if necessary.*

a)  $1 - \sin^2 \theta$

b)  $3 \cos^2(\theta) + 2 \sin^2(\theta)$

c)  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)$

d)  $(\tan^2 \theta + 1)^3$



8. (10 pts) A wheel has a radius of 3 inches. A point on the rim of the wheel has the initial coordinates of  $(-1, 2\sqrt{2})$  relative to the center of the wheel. Find the coordinates of this point relative to the center of the wheel after the wheel rolls  $23\pi$  inches to the left. *Draw a quadrant diagram, if necessary.*