

Math 1151, Lecture 010, Evaluative Exercise 3

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You have twenty-five minutes to complete the following six problems, without using your notes or your book. You may use a scientific a calculator.

Sum and Difference Formulas

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

Double-angle Formulas

$$\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\cos(2\theta) = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$$

$$\cos(2\theta) = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta$$

Half-angle Formulas

$$\sin^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{2}$$

$$\cos^2 \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{2}$$

1. Solve the equation. Give a general formula for all the solutions. List six solutions.

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

2. Solve the equation on the interval $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$:

$$2\sin^2\theta = \cos\theta + 1$$

3. David is building a wheelchair ramp from ground level to a doorway, which is 3 feet above the ground. He wants to make sure that the inclination of the ramp is no more than 15° . How long should the ramp be in order for the angle of inclination to be 15° ?

4. For the triangle: $A = 30^\circ$, $B = 20^\circ$, $a = 5$,

- (a) Solve the triangle.
(b) Compute the area of the triangle.

5. For the triangle: $a = 3$, $b = 4$, $C = 40^\circ$,

(a) Solve the triangle.

(b) Compute the area of the triangle.

6. **Challenge:** Solve the triangle: $a = 6$, $b = 8$, $A = 35^\circ$.