

## Lab on Identities

### 1. Theta (1 point)

Refer to lab page 2. Let angle CAD be represented as  $\theta$ . What is angle C'A'D' ?

- a.  $-\theta$       b.  $\theta + 45^\circ$       c.  $\theta + 90^\circ$       d.  $2\theta$

### 2. Match color (1 point)

Refer to lab page 2. Match the cyan, magenta, yellow, and green lines with the appropriate trig functions.

1. cyan      a.  $\sin 2\theta$   
2. magenta      b.  $\cos \theta$   
3. yellow      c.  $\sin \theta$   
4. green      d.  $\cos 2\theta$

### 3. Animate (1 point)

Refer to lab page 2. Hit the Revolve D button and note what happens.

- a. angle C'A'D' goes through one revolution, angle CAD goes through 2 revolutions  
b. angle CAD goes through one revolution, angle C'A'D' goes through 2 revolutions  
c. angle CAD spins and spins  
d. angle CAD goes through half a revolution, angle C'A'D' goes through one revolution  
e. angle CAD goes through one revolution, angle C'A'D' goes through half a revolution

### 4. Period (1 point)

Refer to lab page 2. What is the period of the function  $y = \cos(2x)$  ?

- a.  $\pi/2$       b.  $\pi$       c.  $2\pi$       d.  $4\pi$

### 5. Grapher zoom (1 point)

Refer to lab page 3. Use the utility to graph  $\cos(2x)$ . Now zoom in to find the x coordinate of the smallest positive x intercept. Answer accurate to three decimal places.

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### 6. Period of $\cos x^2$ (1 point)

Refer to lab page 3. Refresh the grapher's display and plot  $\cos(x)^2$  (the syntax for the grapher is  $\cos(x)^2$ ). What is the period of  $\cos(x)^2$  ?

- a.  $\pi/2$       b.  $\pi$                   c.  $2\pi$                   d.  $4\pi$

**7.  $\cos^2 - \sin^2$  (1 point)**

Refer to lab page 3. Now plot  $\cos(x)^2 - \sin(x)^2$  in the other color. What fact about the new graph supports the fact that  $\cos(2x) = \cos(x)^2 - \sin(x)^2$  is a trig identity?

- a. The graph is identically 0  
b. The graph is identically 1  
c. The graph coincides with the graph of  $\sin(2x)$   
d. The graph coincides with the graph of  $\cos(2x)$   
e. The graph matches the graph of  $(\cos(x) - \sin(x))(\cos(x) + \sin(x))$

**8. Identity 1 (0.5 point)**

Use the grapher on page 3. What right hand side  $f(x)$  makes  $(\cos x)^2 (1 + (\tan x)^2) = f(x)$  an identity?

- a. -1                  b. 0                  c. 1                  d.  $(\sin x)^2$                   e.  $(\cot x)^2$

**9. Identity 2 (0.5 point)**

Use the grapher on page 3. What right hand side  $f(x)$  makes  $\sin(\pi/2 + x) = f(x)$  an identity?

- a.  $\sin x$     b.  $-\sin x$     c.  $\cos x$     d.  $-\cos x$     e.  $\pi/2 + \sin x$     f.  $\pi/2 + \cos x$

**10. Identity 3 (0.5 point)**

Use the grapher on page 3. What right hand side  $f(x)$  makes  $1 - (\cos x)^2 / (1 + \sin x) = f(x)$  an identity?

- a. -1                  b. 0                  c. 1                  d.  $\sin x$                   e.  $\cos x$                   f.  $-\sin x$                   g.  $-\cos x$

**11. Identity 4 (0.5 point)**

Use the grapher on page 3. What right hand side  $f(x)$  makes  $(\cos x)^4 - (\sin x)^4 = f(x)$  an identity?

- a.  $\sin x$     b.  $\cos x$     c.  $\sin x/2$     d.  $\cos x/2$     e.  $\sin 2x$     f.  $\cos 2x$

**12. Period variations (1 point)**

Use the grapher on page 3. For  $a$  between -10 and 10 there are three values of  $a$  in the list below for which  $\sin x = \cos(x - a)$ . What are they?

- a. -7.28    b. -4.66    c. -2.72    d. 1.553    e. 1.784    f. 3.143    g. 6.286    h. 7.864