

TOPIC 8

Topic Review

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1. How do trigonometric identities and equations help you solve problems involving real or complex numbers?

Vocabulary Review

Choose the correct term to complete each sentence.

2. A(n) _____ is a trigonometric equation that is true for all values of the variable for which both sides of the equation are defined.
3. The _____ has two axes, like the Cartesian coordinate plane, which are the real axis and the imaginary axis.
4. The horizontal axis, also called the _____, is for the real part of a complex number.
5. The vertical axis, also called the _____, is for the imaginary part of a complex number.
6. The _____ is the length of the segment from the point that corresponds to the complex number to the origin.
7. The angle θ measured counterclockwise from the positive real axis to the segment is the _____.

- Law of Sines
- Law of Cosines
- trigonometric identity
- complex plane
- real axis
- imaginary axis
- modulus of a complex number
- argument
- polar form of a complex number

Concepts & Skills Review

LESSON 8-1

Solving Trigonometric Equations Using Inverses

Quick Review

An inverse trigonometric function allows you to input the values in a limited range of a trigonometric function and find the corresponding measure of an angle in the domain of the trigonometric function.

Example

Solve the trigonometric equation

$5 \sin \theta = 3 \sin \theta + 1$ for values between 0 and 2π .

$5 \sin \theta = 3 \sin \theta + 1$ Write the original equation.

$2 \sin \theta = 1$ Subtract $3 \sin \theta$.

$\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ Divide by 2.

$\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$ Find the sine inverse.

$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ Solve.

Reflect the angle $\frac{\pi}{6}$ across the y -axis; that angle will also have a sine of $\frac{1}{2}$. That angle is

$$\pi - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{5\pi}{6}.$$

Practice & Problem Solving

Evaluate each function. Angle values must be within the range of each inverse function. Give answers in radians and in degrees.

8. $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3})$

9. $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$

10. $\tan^{-1}(-1)$

11. $\cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$

Solve each trigonometric equation for values between 0 and 2π .

12. $3 \tan x - \sqrt{3} = 0$

13. $2 \cos x + \sqrt{2} = 0$

14. **Reason** Why is the domain of the inverse sine function restricted to the interval $[-1, 1]$?

15. **Make Sense and Persevere** A bird flies 78 ft from the top of a 4 ft tall bird feeder to the top of a 65 ft tree. To the nearest degree, find the angle of elevation of the line of sight from the top of the bird feeder to the top of the tree.

LESSON 8-2

Law of Sines and Law of Cosines

Quick Review

The Law of Sines and the Law of Cosines allow you to apply trigonometric functions to non-right triangles.

$$\text{Law of Sines: } \frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

$$\text{Law of Cosines: } a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc(\cos A)$$

Example

In $\triangle ABC$, $m\angle A = 93^\circ$, $a = 15$, and $b = 11$. To the nearest degree, what is $m\angle B$?

$$\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} \quad \dots \text{ Use the Law of Sines.}$$

$$\frac{\sin 93}{15} = \frac{\sin B}{11} \quad \dots \text{ Substitute.}$$

$$\frac{11 \sin 93}{15} = \sin B \quad \dots \text{ Isolate the sine function.}$$

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{11 \sin 93}{15}\right) = B \quad \dots \text{ Use the inverse sine function.}$$

$$m\angle B \approx 47^\circ \quad \dots \text{ Solve.}$$

Practice & Problem Solving

Use the Law of Sines to solve.

- In $\triangle MNP$, $m\angle N = 112^\circ$, $n = 14$, and $p = 6$. What is $m\angle P$?
- In $\triangle XYZ$, $m\angle X = 40^\circ$, $m\angle Y = 25^\circ$, and $x = 13$. What is y ?

In $\triangle QRS$, find $m\angle Q$.

- $q = 7$, $r = 6$, $s = 10$
- $q = 8$, $r = 5$, $s = 6$
- Look for Relationships** How do you know whether to use the Law of Sines or the Law of Cosines to solve a problem?
- Make Sense and Persevere** Mark went to the beach, parked his car, and walked 500 yd down a path toward the beach. Mark then turned onto a boardwalk at a 125° angle to his path and walked another 140 yd along the boardwalk to a pier. If Mark turns to face his car, what angle does he turn?

LESSON 8-3

Trigonometric Identities

Quick Review

$$\text{Quotient Identity: } \tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\text{Pythagorean Identity: } \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$$

$$\text{Cofunction Identities: } \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) = \cos x$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) = \sin x$$

$$\text{Odd-Even Identities: } \sin(-x) = -\sin x$$

$$\cos(-x) = \cos x$$

Sum and Difference Formulas:

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

$$\cos(\alpha \pm \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta \mp \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\tan(\alpha \pm \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha \pm \tan \beta}{1 \mp \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$$

Example

What is the simplified form of $\frac{\csc^2 x - 1}{\csc^2 x}$?

$$\frac{\csc^2 x - 1}{\csc^2 x} = \frac{\csc^2 x}{\csc^2 x} - \frac{1}{\csc^2 x} \quad \dots \text{ Rewrite the fraction.}$$

$$= 1 - \sin^2 x \quad \dots \text{ Use the definition of sine.}$$

$$= \cos^2 x \quad \dots \text{ Apply the Pythagorean Identity.}$$

Practice & Problem Solving

Use a trigonometric identity to write a different form of each expression.

- $\tan^2 x + 1$
- $\tan x + \cot x$
- $\frac{1 + \tan^2 x}{1 - \tan^2 x}$
- $\frac{\sec x - 1}{\sec x + 1}$

Find the exact value of each expression. Then evaluate the function on your calculator. Compare the calculator value to your exact value.

- $\sin 15^\circ$
- $\cos 105^\circ$
- $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$
- $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

- Use Structure** Find expressions for $\sin 2\theta$ and $\cos 2\theta$.
- Model With Mathematics** Is a noise with a sound wave modeled by $y = \sin(1,500\pi x)$ cancelled out by another noise with a sound wave modeled by $y = \sin\left[1,500\pi\left(x - \frac{1}{250}\right)\right]$? Explain.

Quick Review

A complex number has the form $a + bi$, where a and b are real numbers. The **complex plane** has two axes. The horizontal axis, or **real axis**, is for the real part of a complex number. The vertical axis, or **imaginary axis**, is for the imaginary part of a complex number. The **modulus of a complex number** is the distance from the point representing the complex number to the origin. The *distance* between two complex numbers is the modulus of the *difference* between the two numbers.

Example

What is the modulus of $4 - 3i$?

$$\begin{aligned} |z| &= \sqrt{z \cdot \bar{z}} \\ &= \sqrt{(4 + 3i)(4 - 3i)} \\ &= \sqrt{16 - 9i^2} \\ &= \sqrt{16 + 9} \\ &= \sqrt{25} \\ &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

Practice & Problem Solving

Find the midpoint of the segment that joins the complex numbers.

$$32. -7 + 5i, 3 - 15i \qquad 33. 1 + 9i, 11 - i$$

Find the modulus of each complex number.

$$34. 13 + 8i \qquad 35. -3 + i$$

Find the distance between the complex numbers.

$$36. r = -14 + 4i, s = -8 + i$$

$$37. r = 7 + 16i, s = -3 - 13i$$

38. **Look for Relationships** What is the relationship between the modulus of a complex number and the modulus of its complex conjugate? Explain.

39. **Make Sense and Persevere** On a coordinate plane, a library is located at the coordinates $(-5, 9i)$. The fire station is located at $(7, -7i)$. The school is halfway between the library and the fire station. What are the coordinates of the school?

Quick Review

Rectangular form of a complex number: $z = a + bi$

Polar form of a complex number: $z = r \operatorname{cis} \theta$

$$r = |z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$a = r \cos \theta \qquad b = r \sin \theta$$

Convert to polar form: $\tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}$ so $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$

Convert to rectangular form: $a = r \cos \theta$, $b = r \sin \theta$

Product Formula: $(r \operatorname{cis} \alpha)(s \operatorname{cis} \beta) = rs \operatorname{cis} (\alpha + \beta)$

Power Formula: $z^n = r^n \operatorname{cis} n\theta$

Example

Express $z = 4 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{3}$ in rectangular form.

$$\begin{aligned} a &= r \cos \theta & b &= r \sin \theta \\ a &= 4 \cos \frac{\pi}{3} & b &= 4 \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \\ a &= 2 & b &= 2\sqrt{3} \\ z &= a + bi = 2 + 2i\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

Practice & Problem Solving

Write each expression in rectangular form.

$$40. z = 3 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{6} \qquad 41. z = 6 \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

Write each expression in polar form.

$$42. z = 3 + 5i \qquad 43. z = -1 - 2i$$

Find the product of $z_1 z_2$.

$$44. z_1 = 1 + i\sqrt{2} \text{ and } z_2 = \sqrt{2} - i$$

45. Find z^3 where $z = -2 - 3i$ in rectangular form.

46. **Reason** What complex number can you square to get $4 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{2}$? Explain.

47. **Use Structure** Determine the voltage in a circuit when there is a current of $3 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{4}$ amps and an impedance of $2 \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3}$ ohms. (*Hint:* Use $E = I \bullet Z$, where E is voltage, I is current, and Z is impedance.)