

**Enrichment stage 1: (other special trig)**

1. Given that  $\sin 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4}$ , find the exact value of:

(a)  $\sin 195^\circ$

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(b)  $\operatorname{cosec} 345^\circ$

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(c)  $\cos 75^\circ$

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(d)  $\cos 15^\circ$  by using Pythagorean identity.

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(e)  $\operatorname{cosec}^2 15^\circ - \cot^2 15^\circ$

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**Enrichment stage 2: (trig expression and equation)**

1. If  $a = \tan\theta + \cot\theta$  and  $b = \sin\theta + \cos\theta$ , prove that  $a(b^2 - 1) = 2$ .

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2. If  $a = \sec\theta + \tan\theta$ , find  $\sin\theta$  in terms of  $a$ .

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3. Solve for  $x$  in  $81^{\cos^2 x} + 81^{\sin^2 x} = 30$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$ .

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**Enrichment stage 3: (trig function)**

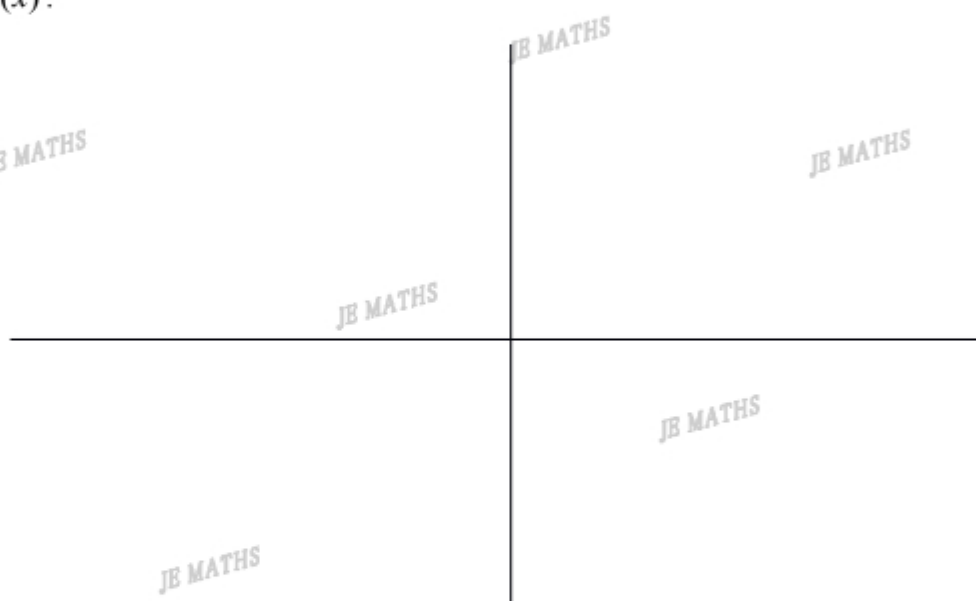
1. Given that  $f(\tan x) = \cos^2 x$ .

(a) Find  $f(x)$ .

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(b) Sketch  $y = f(x)$ .

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(c) Hence, find the exact value(s) of  $f^{-1}(\frac{1}{4})$ .

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**Enrichment stage 4: (trig application)**

1. The diagram below shows a circle with centre  $O$  and diameter  $AB$ .  $P$  is the point on the circumference of the circle.  $PN$  is drawn perpendicular to  $AB$  and  $AP$  is perpendicular to  $PB$ .

Let  $\angle POB = 2x$ .

- (a) Explain why  $\triangle APO$  is isosceles.

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- (b) Explain why  $\angle OAP = \angle OPA = x$ .

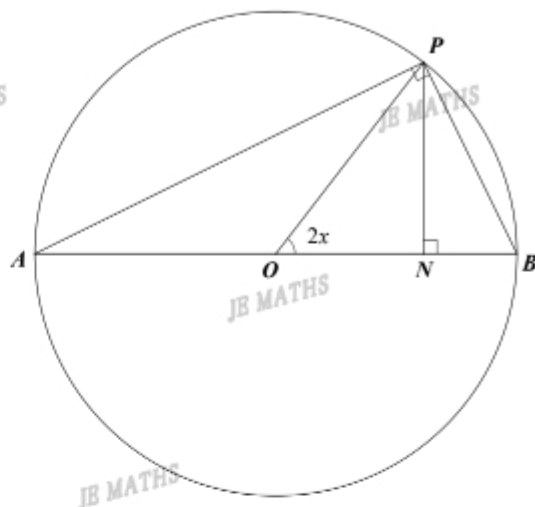
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- (c) Show that  $\sin 2x = \frac{2PN}{AB}$ .

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- (d) Use  $\triangle APN$  and  $\triangle PAB$  to show that  $2 \sin x \cos x = \sin 2x$ .

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2. The horizontal range ( $R$  m) of a rocket varies directly with the square of the velocity of projection ( $v$  m/s) and the sine of twice the angle of elevation ( $A$ ) for  $0^\circ \leq A \leq 90^\circ$ .  
That is:  $R \propto v^2 \sin(2A)$ .

When a rocket is projected with an angle of elevation of  $15^\circ$  and a velocity of  $10\text{ m/s}$  it reaches a range of  $5\text{ m}$ .

- (a) Write a formula for the range of the rocket in terms of  $R$ ,  $v$  and  $A$ .

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- (b) Calculate the angle of elevation required for a rocket projected at  $12\text{ m/s}$  to reach a range of  $10\text{ m}$ . Correct your answer to the nearest degree.

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**Enrichment stage 1: (other special trig)**

1. (a)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin 195^\circ &= \sin(180^\circ + 15^\circ) \\ &= -\sin 15^\circ \\ &= -(\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2})/4 \\ &= (\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{6})/4\end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{cosec} 345^\circ &= \operatorname{cosec}(360^\circ - 15^\circ) \\ &= -\operatorname{cosec} 15^\circ \\ &= -1/\sin 15^\circ \\ &= -4/(\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2}) \\ &= -4 \times (\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2})/4 \\ &= -\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}\cos 75^\circ &= \sin(90^\circ - 15^\circ) \\ &= \sin 15^\circ \\ &= (\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2})/4\end{aligned}$$

(d)

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{(1-\sin^2 15^\circ)} &= \sqrt{[1-(\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2})^2/4]} \\ &= \sqrt{\{[16-(\sqrt{6}-\sqrt{2})^2]/4\}} \\ &= \sqrt{(6+2\sqrt{12}+2)/4} \\ &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2})^2/4} \\ &= (\sqrt{6}+\sqrt{2})/4\end{aligned}$$

(e)

since  $1+\cot \theta = \operatorname{cosec} \theta$ ,  
then  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \cot \theta = 1$   
ie, ans is 1.

**Enrichment stage 2:**

1. If  $a = \tan\theta + \cot\theta$  and  $b = \sin\theta + \cos\theta$ , prove that  $a(b^2 - 1) = 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} a(b^2 - 1) &= (\tan\theta + \cot\theta)[(\sin\theta + \cos\theta)^2 - 1] \\ &= (\tan\theta + \cot\theta)(\sin^2\theta + 2\sin\theta\cos\theta + \cos^2\theta - 1) \\ &= 2\sin\theta\cos\theta(\sin\theta/\cos\theta + \cos\theta/\sin\theta) \\ &= 2(\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta) \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

2. If  $a = \sec\theta + \tan\theta$ , find  $\sin\theta$  in terms of  $a$ .

$$\sec\theta + \tan\theta = a \quad (1)$$

$$\sec^2\theta - \tan^2\theta = 1$$

$$(\sec\theta - \tan\theta)(\sec\theta + \tan\theta) = 1$$

$$\sec\theta - \tan\theta = 1/a \quad (2)$$

$$(1) + (2): 2\sec\theta = a + 1/a$$

$$\sec\theta = (a + 1/a)/2$$

$$\cos\theta = 2/(a + 1/a) \quad (3)$$

$$(1) - (2): 2\tan\theta = a - 1/a$$

$$\tan\theta = (a - 1/a)/2 \quad (4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (3) \times (4): \sin\theta &= (a - 1/a)/(a + 1/a) \\ &= (a^2 - 1)/(a^2 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

3.  $81^{\cos x} + 81^{1 - \cos x} = 30$

$$81^{\cos x} + 81 / 81^{\cos x} = 30$$

$$\text{Let } u = 81^{\cos x}$$

$$u + 81/u = 30$$

$$u^2 + 81 = 30u$$

$$u^2 - 30u + 81 = 0$$

$$(u - 27)(u - 3) = 0$$

$$u = 3, 27$$

$$81^{\cos x} = 3 = 81^{1/4}$$

$$\cos x = 1/4$$

$$\cos x = \pm 1/2$$

$$x = 60^\circ \text{ or } 120^\circ$$

$$81^{\cos x} = 27 = 81^{3/4}$$

$$\cos x = 3/4$$

$$\cos x = \pm \sqrt{3}/2$$

$$x = 30^\circ \text{ or } 150^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 30^\circ, 60^\circ, 120^\circ, 150^\circ$$

**Enrichment stage 3:**

1. (a)

$$\cos x = 1/\sec x$$

$$= 1/(1+\tan x)$$

$$f(\tan x) = 1/(1+\tan x)$$

$$\tan x \rightarrow x, \text{ for } x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\therefore f(x) = 1/(1+x), \text{ for } x \in \mathbb{R}$$

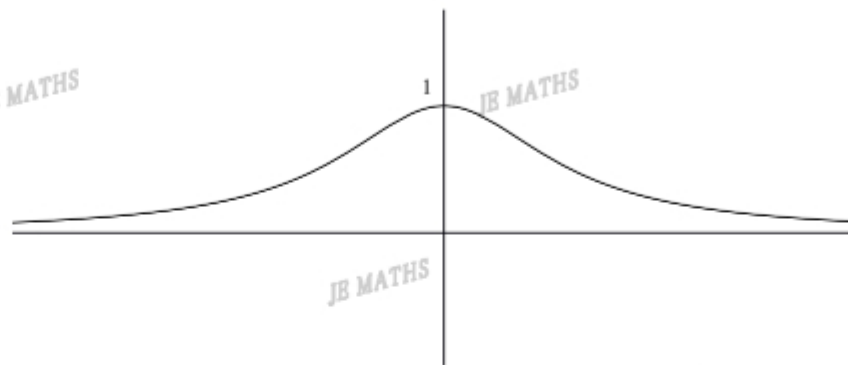
(b)

$$\text{when } x \rightarrow -\infty, y \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{ie, when } x = -99, y = 0.0001$$

$$\text{when } x \rightarrow +\infty, y \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{ie, when } x = 99, y = 0.0001$$



(c)

$$f(\tan x) = \cos x$$

$$f^{-1}(\cos x) = \tan x$$

$$\cos x = 1/4$$

$$\cos x = 1/2$$

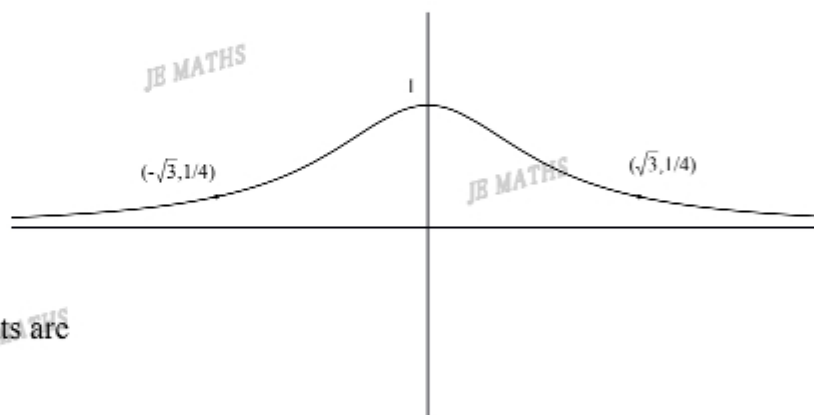
$$x = -60^\circ, 60^\circ$$

$$\text{when } x = -60^\circ, \tan(-60^\circ) = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{when } x = 60^\circ, \tan(60^\circ) = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{ans: } f^{-1}(1/4) = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

Notice that the original two points are  $(-\sqrt{3}, 1/4)$  and  $(\sqrt{3}, 1/4)$ .





**Enrichment stage 4:**

1. (a)

OA = OP (Both are radii)

 $\triangle PAO$  is isosceles (Two equal sides)

(b)

 $\angle OAP = \angle OPA$  (Equal sides are opposite equal angles in  $\triangle APO$ ) $\angle POB = \angle OAP + \angle OPA$  (Exterior angle equals sum of two interior opposite angles)

$$2x = 2\angle OAP$$

$$\angle OAP = x$$

$$\therefore \angle OAP = \angle OPA = x$$

(c)

OP = AB/2 (Diameter is twice the radius)

In  $\triangle PON$ ,

$$\sin 2x = PN/OP$$

$$= PN/(AB/2)$$

$$= 2PN/AB$$

(d)

In  $\triangle APN$ ,

$$\sin x = PN/AP$$

In  $\triangle PAB$ ,

$$\cos x = AP/AB$$

$$2\sin x \cos x = 2PN/AP \times AP/AB$$

$$= 2PN/AB$$

$$= \sin 2x$$

2. (a)

$$R = kv^3 \sin(2A)$$

$$5 = k \times 10^2 \times \sin(2 \times 15^\circ)$$

$$5 = 100k \times 1/2$$

$$k = 1/10$$

$$R = v^3 \sin(2A)/10$$

(b)

$$10 = 1/10 \times 12^2 \times \sin(2A)$$

$$\sin(2A) = 25/36$$

$$2A = 43.982^\circ \text{ or } 136.017^\circ$$

$$A = 22^\circ \text{ or } 68^\circ (\text{nearest degree})$$

