

# Math 142

## Homework Ten

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### 1 Homework

Section 6.4: 1-8, 11-12, 17-22, 27-28, 31-38, 40-41

### 2 Extra Credit

Section 6.4: 42 (pretty hard)

- 41** There are three different triangles, and each triangle provides three equations. Instead of writing  $\sin 60^\circ$ ,  $\sin A$ , etc., I used  $w$ ,  $x$ , and  $y$  for the sines of the angles. Since all of the sines cancel out in the end, this works out fine.

Here are the variables I used:

$$w = \sin ABC$$

$$x = \sin BCA = \sin ACD = \sin BCD$$

$$y = \sin CAD$$

$$z = \sin CDA$$

$$c = BA$$

$$d = AD$$

The equations you need are:

$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{x}{c+d}$$

$$\frac{x}{d} = \frac{y}{r}$$

$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{w}{r}$$

$$\frac{x}{c} = \frac{y}{a}$$

$$\frac{w}{b} = \frac{x}{c}$$

The procedure is:

- solve one of the equations for a variable you want to get rid of (anything other than  $a$ ,  $b$ , or  $r$ ).
- substitute the result into the other equations
- repeat until you end up with an equation with  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $r$
- solve this equation for  $r$

Get rid of  $w$

$$\frac{w}{b} = \frac{x}{c}$$
$$w = \frac{xb}{c}$$

$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{xb}{rc}$$

The equations now are:

$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{x}{c+d}$$
$$\frac{x}{d} = \frac{y}{r}$$
$$\frac{x}{c} = \frac{y}{a}$$
$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{xb}{rc}$$

Get rid of  $z$ :

$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{xb}{rc}$$
$$z = \frac{abx}{rc}$$

$$\frac{z}{a} = \frac{x}{c+d}$$
$$\frac{abx}{arc} = \frac{x}{c+d}$$
$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{1}{c+d}$$

The equations now are:

$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{1}{c+d}$$
$$\frac{x}{d} = \frac{y}{r}$$
$$\frac{x}{c} = \frac{y}{a}$$

Get rid of  $d$ :

$$\frac{x}{d} = \frac{y}{r}$$
$$d = \frac{xr}{y}$$

$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{1}{c + \frac{xr}{y}}$$
$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{y}{yc + xr}$$

The equations now are:

$$\frac{x}{c} = \frac{y}{a}$$
$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{y}{yc + xr}$$

Get rid of  $y$ :

$$\frac{x}{c} = \frac{y}{a}$$

$$y = \frac{xa}{c}$$

$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{y}{yc + xr}$$

$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{xa}{c(xa + xr)}$$

$x$  and  $c$  both cancel:

$$\frac{b}{rc} = \frac{xa}{c(xa + xr)}$$

$$\frac{b}{r} = \frac{xa}{x(a + r)}$$

$$\frac{b}{r} = \frac{a}{a + r}$$

solve for  $r$ :

$$\frac{b}{r} = \frac{a}{a + r}$$

$$b(a + r) = ra$$

$$ab + rb = ra$$

$$ra - rb = ab$$

$$r = \frac{ab}{a - b}$$

### 3 Review

1. A bike with 26 inch diameter wheels is traveling at 15 mph. What is the RPM for the wheels?
2. Find an equation for this graph:

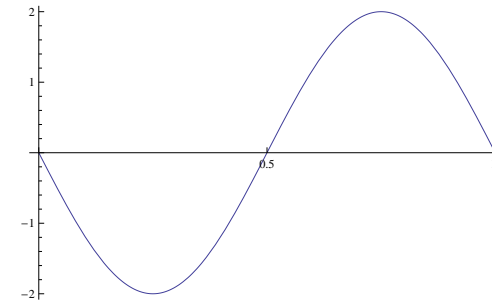


Figure 1: Find the Equation

**Solution:**

$$f(t) = -2 \sin 2\pi t$$

### 4 Section 6.4

1

$$\frac{\sin 98.4^\circ}{376} = \frac{\sin 57^\circ}{x}$$

$$x \approx \boxed{318.8}$$

**2**

$$\frac{\sin 37.5^\circ}{17} = \frac{\sin 114.4^\circ}{x}$$

$$x \approx \boxed{25.43}$$

**3**

$$\frac{\sin 58^\circ}{26.7} = \frac{\sin 52^\circ}{x}$$

$$x \approx \boxed{24.81}$$

**4**

$$\frac{\sin 67^\circ}{80.2} = \frac{\sin \theta^\circ}{56.3}$$

$$\sin \theta \approx 0.6462$$

$$\theta \approx \boxed{40.25^\circ}$$

**5**

$$\frac{\sin 120^\circ}{45} = \frac{\sin \theta^\circ}{36}$$

$$\sin \theta \approx 0.6928$$

$$\theta \approx \boxed{43.85^\circ}$$

**6**

$$\frac{\sin 102^\circ}{185} = \frac{\sin 50^\circ}{x}$$

$$x \approx \boxed{144.9}$$

**7**

$$\frac{\sin 114^\circ}{65} = \frac{\sin 20^\circ}{b}$$

$$b \approx \boxed{24.33}$$

$$\frac{\sin 114^\circ}{65} = \frac{\sin 46^\circ}{a}$$

$$a \approx \boxed{51.18}$$

**8**

$$\frac{\sin 50^\circ}{2} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{a}$$

$$a \approx \boxed{1.305}$$

$$\frac{\sin 50^\circ}{2} = \frac{\sin 100^\circ}{c}$$

$$c \approx \boxed{2.571}$$

**11**

$$\frac{\sin 62^\circ}{230} = \frac{\sin 50^\circ}{a}$$

$$a \approx \boxed{199.5}$$

$$\frac{\sin 62^\circ}{230} = \frac{\sin 68^\circ}{b}$$

$$b \approx \boxed{241.5}$$

**12**

$$\frac{\sin 47^\circ}{50} = \frac{\sin 23^\circ}{a}$$

$$a \approx \boxed{26.71}$$

$$\frac{\sin 47^\circ}{50} = \frac{\sin 110^\circ}{b}$$

$$b \approx \boxed{64.24}$$

**17**

$$\frac{\sin 110^\circ}{28} = \frac{\sin B}{15}$$

$$B \approx \boxed{30^\circ}$$

$$C = 180^\circ - 110^\circ - 30^\circ$$

$$= \boxed{40^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 110^\circ}{28} = \frac{\sin 40^\circ}{c}$$

$$c \approx \boxed{19.1}$$

**18**

$$\frac{\sin 37^\circ}{30} = \frac{\sin C}{40}$$

$$C \approx \boxed{53^\circ}$$

$$B = 180^\circ - 37^\circ - 53^\circ$$

$$= \boxed{90^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 37^\circ}{30} = \frac{\sin 90^\circ}{c}$$

$$c \approx \boxed{49.8}$$

**19**

$$\frac{\sin 125^\circ}{20} = \frac{\sin C}{45}$$

$$\sin C \approx 1.84$$

No solution

**20**

$$\frac{\sin 38^\circ}{42} = \frac{\sin B}{45}$$

$$B \approx \boxed{41^\circ}$$

$$C = 180^\circ - 38^\circ - 41^\circ$$

$$= \boxed{101^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 38^\circ}{42} = \frac{\sin 101^\circ}{c}$$

$$c \approx \boxed{67.0}$$

**21** solution 1:

$$\frac{\sin 25^\circ}{25} = \frac{\sin C}{30}$$
$$C \approx \boxed{30.5^\circ}$$

$$A \approx 180^\circ - 25^\circ - 30.5^\circ$$
$$= \boxed{124.5^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 25^\circ}{25} = \frac{\sin 124.5^\circ}{a}$$
$$a \approx \boxed{48.8}$$

solution 2:

$$C \approx 180^\circ - 30.5^\circ \boxed{149.5^\circ}$$

$$B = 180^\circ - 25^\circ - 149.5^\circ$$
$$= \boxed{5.5^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 25^\circ}{25} = \frac{\sin 5.5^\circ}{a}$$
$$a \approx \boxed{5.7}$$

**22** solution 1:

$$\frac{\sin 30^\circ}{75} = \frac{\sin B}{100}$$
$$B \approx \boxed{41.8^\circ}$$

$$C = 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 41.8^\circ$$
$$= \boxed{108.2^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 30^\circ}{75} = \frac{\sin 108.2^\circ}{c}$$
$$c \approx \boxed{142.5}$$

solution 2:

$$B \approx 180^\circ - 41.8^\circ$$
$$\approx \boxed{138.2^\circ}$$

$$C \approx 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 138.2^\circ$$
$$= \boxed{11.8^\circ}$$

$$\frac{\sin 30^\circ}{75} = \frac{\sin 11.8^\circ}{c}$$
$$c \approx \boxed{30.6}$$

**27** Find  $\angle ABC$ :

$$\frac{\sin 30^\circ}{20} = \frac{\sin ABC}{28}$$
$$\angle ABC \approx 44.4^\circ$$

Since  $\triangle BCD$  is isosceles:

$$\angle BDC = \angle ABC \approx 44.4^\circ$$

The missing angles are the third angles in the two small triangles. You can find them by knowing that the sum of the angles in a triangle is  $180^\circ$ :

$$\angle BCD \approx 180^\circ - 44.4^\circ - 44.4^\circ = \boxed{91.2^\circ}$$

$$\angle DCA \approx 180^\circ - 135.6^\circ - 30^\circ = \boxed{14.4^\circ}$$

**28** Since the smaller triangle on the left is an isosceles triangle:

$$\angle BCD = \angle CBD = 25^\circ$$

The third angle in this triangle is:

$$\angle BDC = 180^\circ - 25^\circ - 25^\circ = 130^\circ$$

Use the Law of Sines to find  $BC$ :

$$\frac{\sin 130^\circ}{BC} = \frac{\sin 25^\circ}{12}$$
$$\angle BC \approx 21.8$$

The third angle in the large triangle is:

$$\angle BAC = 180^\circ - 25^\circ - 50^\circ = 105^\circ$$

Use the Law of Sines to find  $AB$ :

$$\frac{\sin 105^\circ}{21.8} = \frac{\sin 50^\circ}{AB}$$
$$AB \approx 17.3$$

Find the missing length:

$$DA = AB - BD \approx 17.3 - 12 = \boxed{5.3}$$

**31** (a)

$$C = 180^\circ - 84.2^\circ - 93^\circ$$
$$= 2.8^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin 84.2^\circ}{b} = \frac{\sin 2.8^\circ}{50}$$
$$b \approx \boxed{1018 \text{ mi}}$$

(b)

$$\sin 87^\circ = \frac{h}{1018}$$
$$h \approx \boxed{1017 \text{ mi}}$$

**32** (a)

$$\begin{aligned}C &= 180^\circ - 32^\circ - 48^\circ \\ &= 100^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\sin 100^\circ}{5} &= \frac{\sin 48^\circ}{b} \\ b &\approx \boxed{3.77 \text{ mi}}\end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin 32^\circ &= \frac{h}{3.77} \\ h &\approx \boxed{2 \text{ mi}}\end{aligned}$$

**33**

$$\begin{aligned}C &= 180^\circ - 82^\circ - 52^\circ \\ &= 46^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\sin 46^\circ}{200} &= \frac{\sin 52^\circ}{b} \\ b &\approx \boxed{219 \text{ ft}}\end{aligned}$$

**34** Find the other two angles:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\sin B}{312} &= \frac{\sin 48.6^\circ}{527} \\ B &\approx 26.4^\circ \\ C &= 180^\circ - 48.6^\circ - 26.4^\circ \\ &= 105^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Find  $AB$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\sin 48.6^\circ}{527} &= \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{c} \\ c &\approx \boxed{679 \text{ ft}}\end{aligned}$$

**35** Find the third angle:

$$\begin{aligned}C &= 180^\circ - (90^\circ - 5.6^\circ) - 29.5^\circ \\ &= 66.1^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Find the height

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\sin 66.4^\circ}{105} &= \frac{\sin 29.2^\circ}{h} \\ h &\approx \boxed{56 \text{ m}}\end{aligned}$$



**36**

$$\frac{\sin C}{165} = \frac{\sin 67^\circ}{180}$$
$$C \approx 57.54^\circ$$

$$B \approx 180^\circ - 67^\circ - 57.54^\circ = 55.46^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin 55.46^\circ}{b} = \frac{\sin 67^\circ}{180}$$
$$b \approx \boxed{161 \text{ ft}}$$

**37** Find the angle at the top of the tree:

$$A = 180^\circ - 52^\circ - 90^\circ = 38^\circ$$

Find the height:

$$\frac{\sin 38^\circ}{215} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{h}$$
$$h \approx \boxed{175 \text{ ft}}$$

**38** Find the angle at the top of the tower:

$$A = 180^\circ - 58^\circ - 12^\circ - 90^\circ = 20^\circ$$

Find the remaining angle:

$$B = 180^\circ - 20^\circ - 12^\circ = 148^\circ$$

Find the length of the wire:

$$\frac{\sin 20^\circ}{100} = \frac{\sin 148^\circ}{a}$$
$$a \approx \boxed{155 \text{ m}}$$

**40** Find the angle at the top of the tower:

$$\frac{\sin 8^\circ}{30} = \frac{\sin A}{120}$$
$$A \approx 33.83^\circ$$

The angle of inclination of the hill completes a right triangle:

$$B = 90^\circ - 33.83^\circ - 8^\circ = \boxed{48.17^\circ}$$

**41** Find the angle between Sun-Earth-Venus

$$\frac{\sin 39.4^\circ}{0.723} = \frac{\sin A}{1}$$
$$A \approx 118.61^\circ$$

Find the remaining angle:

$$B \approx 180^\circ - 118.61^\circ - 39.4^\circ = 22^\circ$$

Find the distance:

$$\frac{\sin 39.4^\circ}{0.723} = \frac{\sin 22^\circ}{d}$$
$$A \approx \boxed{0.4267 \text{ AU}}$$