

Math 120 - Winter 2015  
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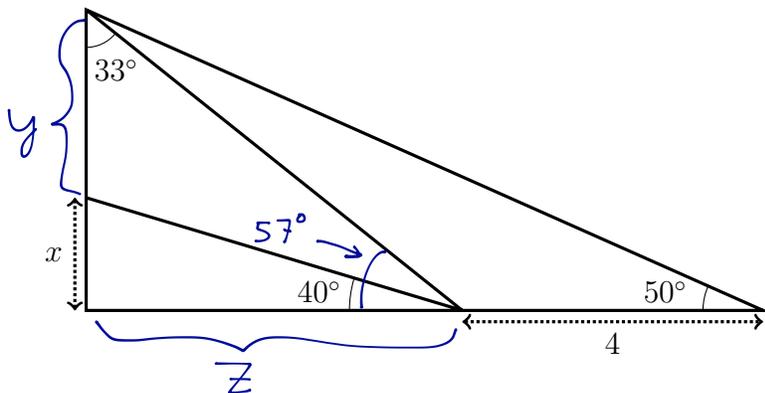
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- This exam consists of EIGHT problems on NINE pages, including this cover sheet.
- Show all work for full credit.
- You may use a scientific calculator during this exam. Graphing calculators are not permitted. Other electronic devices are not allowed, and should be turned off and put away for the duration of the exam.
- You do not need to simplify your answers.
- If you use a trial-and-error or guess-and-check method when a more rigorous method is available, you will not receive full credit.
- If you write on the back of the page, please indicate that you have done so!
- You may use one hand-written double-sided 8.5" by 11" page of notes.
- You have 170 minutes to complete the exam.

1. [12 points] In the following figure (not drawn to scale), find  $x$ .



$$\frac{x}{z} = \tan(40^\circ) \longrightarrow x = z \tan(40^\circ)$$

$$\frac{x+y}{z} = \tan(57^\circ) \longrightarrow x+y = z \tan(57^\circ) \longrightarrow \text{set equal?}$$

$$\frac{x+y}{z+4} = \tan(50^\circ) \longrightarrow x+y = (z+4) \tan(50^\circ)$$

$$z \tan(57^\circ) = z \tan(50^\circ) + 4 \tan(50^\circ)$$

$$z(\tan(57^\circ) - \tan(50^\circ)) = 4 \tan(50^\circ)$$

$$z = \frac{4 \tan(50^\circ)}{\tan(57^\circ) - \tan(50^\circ)}$$

So...  $x = z \tan(40^\circ)$

$$x = \left( \frac{4 \tan(50^\circ)}{\tan(57^\circ) - \tan(50^\circ)} \right) \tan(40^\circ) \approx 11.49$$

2. The number of trees in Treeattle grows exponentially.

Treeattle had 600 trees in the year 2008, and 1100 trees in the year 2015.

(a) [4 points] Write a function  $f(x)$  for the number of trees in Treeattle,  $x$  years after the year 2000.

$$f(x) = A_0 b^x$$

$$f(8) = 600 = A_0 b^8$$

$$f(15) = 1100 = A_0 b^{15}$$

Divide  
 $b^7 = \frac{11}{6}$

$$b = \left(\frac{11}{6}\right)^{1/7} \approx 1.09045$$

$$A_0 \left(\left(\frac{11}{6}\right)^{1/7}\right)^8 = 600$$

$$A_0 = \frac{600}{\left(\frac{11}{6}\right)^{8/7}} \approx 300.13$$

$$f(x) = 300.13(1.09045)^x$$

(b) [6 points] Compute  $f^{-1}(x)$ , the inverse of the function you found in part (a).

$$x = 300.13(1.09045)^y$$

$$\frac{x}{300.13} = (1.09045)^y$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{x}{300.13}\right) = y \ln(1.09045)$$

$$y = f^{-1}(x) = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{x}{300.13}\right)}{\ln(1.09045)}$$

(c) [3 points] When will there be 4000 trees in Treeattle? Round your answer to the nearest year.

$$f^{-1}(4000) = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{4000}{300.13}\right)}{\ln(1.09045)} \approx 29.9, \text{ so the year } \boxed{2030}$$

3. (a) [3 points] Write a function  $f(x)$  for an upper semicircle of radius 4 centered at  $(6, 2)$ , defined over the interval  $2 \leq x \leq 10$ .

$$f(x) = 2 + \sqrt{16 - (x-6)^2}$$

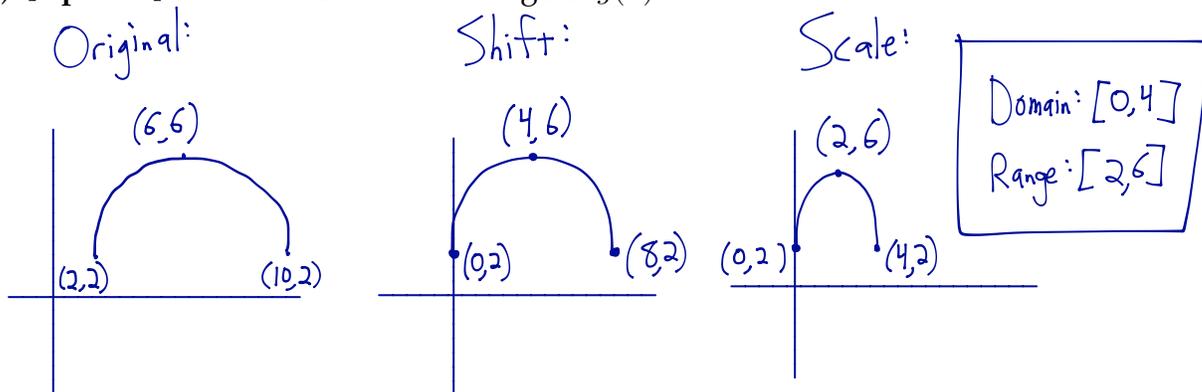
- (b) [3 points] Write a function  $g(x)$  for the curve obtained by taking  $f(x)$  from part (a), moving it 2 units to the left, and then scaling it horizontally by a factor of  $1/2$ .

left 2:  $y = 2 + \sqrt{16 - (x-6)^2}$   
 Scale horiz. by  $1/2$ :  $y = 2 + \sqrt{16 - ((x/2)+2)-6)^2}$

$$g(x) = 2 + \sqrt{16 - (2x-4)^2}$$

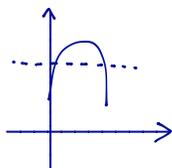
$$g(x) = 2 + \sqrt{16 - (2x-4)^2}$$

- (c) [4 points] Find the domain and range of  $g(x)$ .

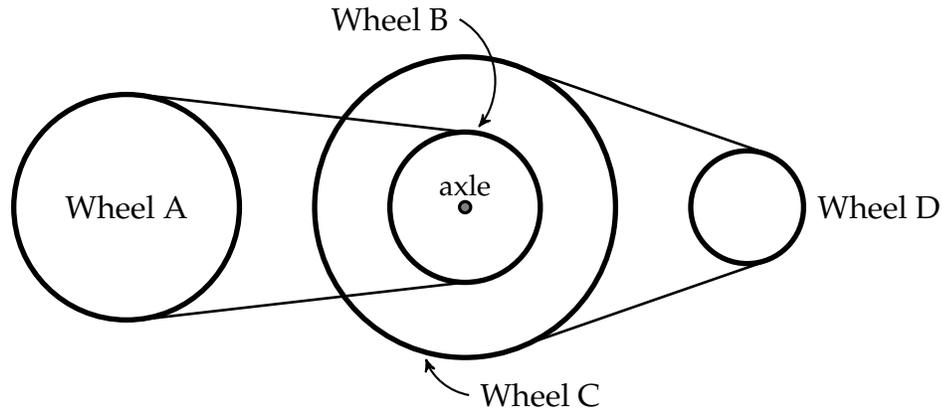


- (d) [3 points] Is  $g(x)$  one-to-one? Explain, briefly.

No, it fails the horizontal line test!



4. [9 points] In the following configuration, wheels A and B are connected by a belt, as are wheels C and D. Wheels B and C are connected by an axle.



Wheel A has a radius of 7 feet and rotates at a speed of 6 revolutions per minute.

Wheel B has a radius of 4 feet, Wheel C has a radius of 8 feet, and Wheel D has a radius of 3 feet.

How many seconds does it take Wheel D to make a complete rotation?

Wheel	(ft/sec)	(rad/sec)	(ft)
	$v$	$\omega$	$r$
A	$\frac{7\pi}{5}$	$\frac{\pi}{5}$	7
B	$\frac{7\pi}{5}$	$\frac{7\pi}{20}$	4
C	$\frac{14\pi}{5}$	$\frac{7\pi}{20}$	8
D	$\frac{14\pi}{5}$	$\frac{14\pi}{15}$	3

$$\omega = \frac{12\pi}{60} \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{5} \text{ rad/sec}$$

For wheel D:  $\omega = \frac{14\pi}{15} \text{ rad/sec}$

$$\Theta = \omega t, \text{ so } 2\pi = \frac{14\pi}{15} t$$

$$t = \frac{30}{14} \approx 2.143 \text{ seconds}$$

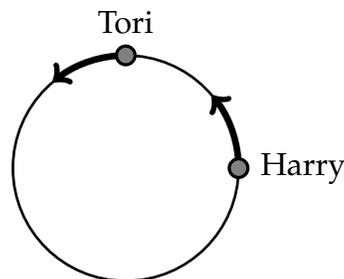
5. Tori and Harry are both running **counter-clockwise** around a circular track of radius 10 meters. Tori begins at the northernmost point and Harry begins at the easternmost point. Harry runs faster.

- (a) [4 points] Tori first reaches the southernmost point after 8 seconds.

What is Tori's speed, in meters per second?

$$\omega = \frac{7\pi}{8} \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$v = \omega r = \frac{7\pi}{8} \cdot 10 = \frac{35\pi}{4} \approx 27.48 \text{ m/s}$$



- (b) [6 points] Harry begins running at the same time as Tori, and catches up to her in 11 seconds.

What is Harry's speed, in meters per second?

Tori has a head start of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  rad, so Harry runs  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  rad more than her in 11 seconds. Tori runs  $(\frac{7\pi}{8})(11)$  radians, so Harry runs  $(\frac{7\pi}{8})(11) + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{15\pi}{8}$  radians

in 11 seconds. His  $\omega$  is  $\frac{\frac{15\pi}{8}}{11} = \frac{15\pi}{88} \text{ rad/sec}$ , and so:

$$v = \omega r = \frac{15\pi}{88} \cdot 10 \approx 5.355 \text{ m/s}$$

- (c) [5 points] Impose a coordinate system with units in meters and the origin at the center of the circle. After 80 seconds, what are Harry's coordinates?

$$x = r \cos(\theta_0 + \omega t) + x_0$$

$$y = r \sin(\theta_0 + \omega t) + y_0$$

$$r = 10$$

$$\theta_0 = 0$$

$$\omega = \frac{15\pi}{88}$$

$$t = 80$$

$$x_0 = 0$$

$$y_0 = 0$$

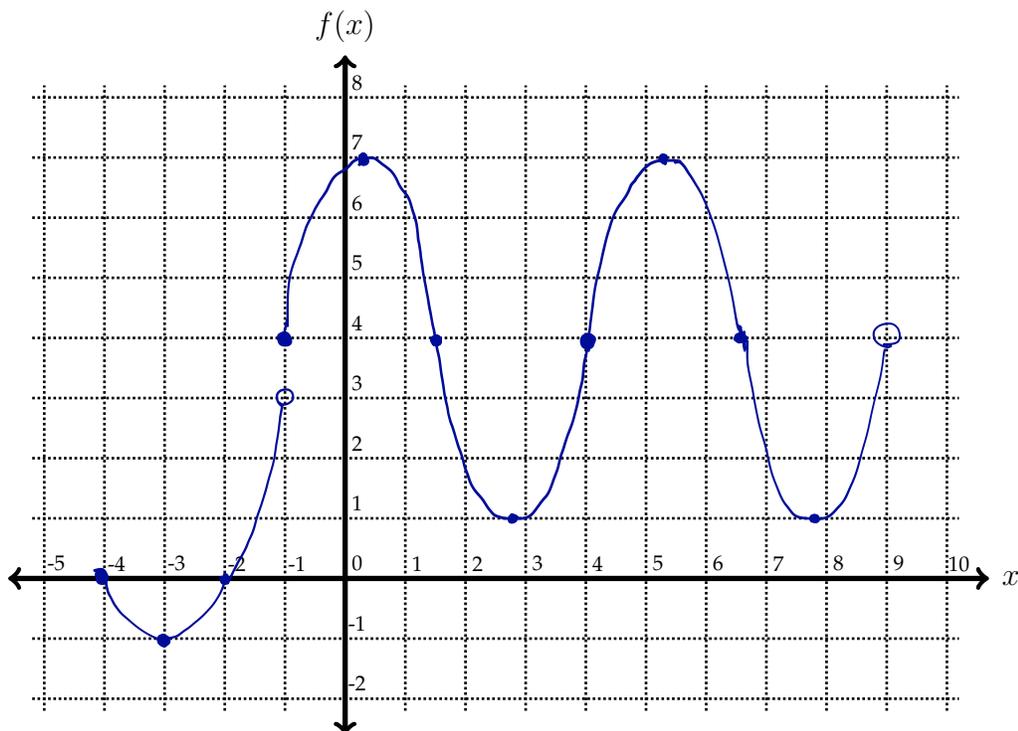
$$x = 10 \cos\left(\frac{15\pi}{88} \cdot 80\right) \approx 4.154$$

$$y = 10 \sin\left(\frac{15\pi}{88} \cdot 80\right) \approx -9.096$$

6. Consider the following multipart function:  $(x+3)^2 - 1$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 6x + 8 & \text{if } -4 \leq x < -1 \\ 3 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}(x+1)\right) + 4 & \text{if } -1 \leq x < 9 \end{cases}$$

(a) [6 points] Sketch a graph of  $f(x)$ . Label your graph clearly.



(b) [7 points] Find all solutions to the equation  $f(x) = 2$ .

First piece:

$$2 = x^2 + 6x + 8$$

$$0 = x^2 + 6x + 6$$

$$x = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 24}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{12}}{2} \text{ } \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{yup} \\ \text{not in domain} \\ -4 \leq x < -1 \end{array} \right\}$$

Second piece:

$$2 = 3 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}(x+1)\right) + 4$$

$$\frac{-2}{3} = \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}(x+1)\right)$$

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{3}\right) = \frac{2\pi}{5}(x+1) \text{ } \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{principal sol'n} \\ \text{symmetry solution} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2\pi} \left( \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-2}{3}\right) \right) - 1 \approx -1.58069$$

$$= 2C + \frac{B}{2} - p = 2.08069$$

List of solutions: :

- 1.58069
- 2.08069
- 3.41931
- 7.08069
- 8.41931
- 12.08069
- ...

} In domain  
-1 ≤ x < 9

So overall:  $\frac{-6 + \sqrt{12}}{2}$ ,  
2.08069,  
3.41931,  
7.08069, and  
8.41931

7. Chloë and Joë are walking around the coordinate plane. They both begin walking at the same time, in straight lines at constant speeds.

(a) [3 points] Chloë starts at  $(-2, -3)$  and walks east at a speed of 4 units per second.

Give parametric equations for Chloë's coordinates after  $t$  seconds.

$$\begin{aligned} x &= -2 + 4t \\ y &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

(b) [4 points] Joë begins at the point  $(6, 3)$  and walks towards the point  $(14, -5)$ , reaching it in 4 seconds.

Give parametric equations for Joë's coordinates after  $t$  seconds.

$$\begin{aligned} x_0 &= 6 & y_0 &= 3 \\ x_1 &= 14 & y_1 &= -5 \\ \Delta x &= 8 & \Delta y &= -8 \\ \Delta t &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 6 + \frac{8}{4}t \\ y &= 3 + \frac{-8}{4}t \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 6 + 2t \\ y &= 3 - 2t \end{aligned}$$

(c) [5 points] When are Chloë and Joë closest together?

$$\text{dist} = \sqrt{((-2+4t)-(6+2t))^2 + (-3-(3-2t))^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-8+2t)^2 + (-6+2t)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{64 - 32t + 4t^2 + 36 - 24t + 4t^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{8t^2 - 56t + 100}$$

quadratic!

$$\text{min at } h = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{56}{16} = 3.5 \text{ seconds}$$

$$= 3.5 \text{ seconds}$$

8. Let  $f(x)$  be the linear-to-linear rational function with an  $x$ -intercept of 5 and a  $y$ -intercept of  $-4$ , passing through the point  $(35, -6)$ .

(a) [7 points] Write a formula for  $f(x)$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{ax+b}{x+d}$$

$$f(0) = -4 \rightarrow \frac{b}{d} = -4 \rightarrow b = -4d \rightarrow -4d = -5a, \text{ so } a = \frac{4}{5}d$$

$$f(5) = 0 \rightarrow \frac{5a+b}{5+d} = 0 \rightarrow b = -5a$$

$$f(35) = -6 \rightarrow \frac{35a+b}{35+d} = -6 \rightarrow 35a+b = -210-6d$$

$$35\left(\frac{4}{5}d\right) + (-4d) = -210-6d$$

$$30d = -210$$

$$d = -7$$

$$a = \frac{4}{5}(-7) = -5.6$$

$$b = -4(-7) = 28$$

$$f(x) = \frac{-5.6x+28}{x-7}$$

(b) [2 points] Write the domain and range of  $f(x)$ .

Domain: Everything but the vertical asymptote:  $(-\infty, 7) \cup (7, \infty)$

Range: Everything but the horizontal asymptote:  $(-\infty, -5.6) \cup (-5.6, \infty)$

(c) [4 points] Solve the equation  $f(f(x)) = 2$ .

$$f(f(x)) = 2$$

$$f\left(\frac{-5.6x+28}{x-7}\right) = 2$$

$$\frac{-5.6\left(\frac{-5.6x+28}{x-7}\right) + 28}{\left(\frac{-5.6x+28}{x-7}\right) - 7} = 2$$

$$\frac{-5.6(-5.6x+28) + 28(x-7)}{(-5.6x+28) - 7(x-7)} = 2$$

mult. num. & denom. by  $(x-7)$

$$\frac{31.36x - 156.8 + 28x - 196}{-12.6x + 77} = 2$$

$$59.36x - 352.8 = -25.2x + 154$$

$$84.56x = 506.8$$

$$x = \frac{506.8}{84.56} \approx 5.9934$$