

MATH 203/2 FALL 2006
ASSIGNMENT 5 SOLUTIONS

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32. $\cos x = -\frac{1}{3}$, $\pi < x < \frac{3\pi}{2}$, i.e. in quadrant 3, so $\sin x$ is also negative and therefore:

$$\begin{aligned}\sin x &= -\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 x} = -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \\ \tan x &= \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = 2\sqrt{2} \\ \cot x &= \frac{1}{\tan x} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \\ \sec x &= \frac{1}{\cos x} = -3 \\ \csc x &= \frac{1}{\sin x} = -\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}\end{aligned}$$

54. Prove

$$\sin^2 x - \sin^2 y = \sin(x+y)\sin(x-y)$$

Start with the right hand side

$$\begin{aligned}&\sin(x+y)\sin(x-y) \\ &= (\sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y)(\sin x \cos y - \cos x \sin y) \\ &= \sin^2 x \cos^2 y - \cos^2 x \sin^2 y \\ &= \sin^2 x (1 - \sin^2 y) - (1 - \sin^2 x) \sin^2 y \\ &= \sin^2 x - \sin^2 y\end{aligned}$$

which is the left hand side.

88. The area A of the triangle is

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{base} \cdot \text{height}$$

If we take the base to be the side a and the height to be h then

$$\frac{h}{b} = \sin \theta$$

whether $\theta < \pi/2$ (acute) or $\theta > \pi/2$ (obtuse), as is easy to see from a diagram. (If $\theta = \pi/2$ we don't have a triangle). Therefore

$$A = \frac{1}{2}ab$$

Section 1.6

68. (a) Let $\theta = \arctan 2$, so $\tan \theta = 2 \Rightarrow \sec^2 \theta = 1 + \tan^2 \theta = 1 + 4 = 5 \Rightarrow \sec \theta = \sqrt{5} \Rightarrow \sec(\arctan 2) = \sec \theta = \sqrt{5}$.

(b) Let $\theta = \sin^{-1} \frac{5}{13}$. Then $\sin \theta = \frac{5}{13}$, so

$$\cos\left(2\sin^{-1}\frac{5}{13}\right) = \cos 2\theta = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta = 1 - 2\left(\frac{5}{13}\right)^2 = \frac{119}{169}.$$

72.

Let $y = \cos^{-1} x$. Then $\cos y = x \Rightarrow \sin y = \sqrt{1-x^2}$ since $0 \leq y \leq \pi$. So
 $\sin(2\cos^{-1} x) = \sin 2y = 2\sin y \cos y = 2x\sqrt{1-x^2}$.

Section 3.4

$$8. y = e^u (\cos u + cu) \Rightarrow y' = e^u (-\sin u + c) + (\cos u + cu)e^u = e^u (\cos u - \sin u + cu + c)$$

$$10. y = \frac{1+\sin x}{x+\cos x} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= \frac{(x+\cos x)(\cos x) - (1+\sin x)(1-\sin x)}{(x+\cos x)^2} = \frac{x\cos x + \cos^2 x - (1-\sin^2 x)}{(x+\cos x)^2} \\ &= \frac{x\cos x + \cos^2 x - (\cos^2 x)}{(x+\cos x)^2} = \frac{x\cos x}{(x+\cos x)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$16. \text{Recall that if } y = fgh, \text{ then } y' = f'gh + fg'h + fgh'. y = x\sin x \cos x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \sin x \cos x + x \cos x \cos x + x \sin x (-\sin x) = \sin x \cos x + x \cos^2 x - x \sin^2 x$$

$$18. \frac{d}{dx}(\sec x) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{\cos x}\right) = \frac{(\cos x)(0) - 1(-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x} = \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x} = \frac{1}{\cos x} \cdot \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \sec x \tan x$$

24. $y = \frac{1}{\sin x + \cos x} \Rightarrow y' = \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{(\sin x + \cos x)^2}$ [Reciprocal Rule]. At $(0,1)$, $y' = \frac{1-0}{(0+1)^2} = 1$, and an equation of the tangent line is $y-1=1(x-0)$, or $y=x+1$.

36.

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 4x}{\sin 6x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sin 4x}{x} \cdot \frac{x}{\sin 6x} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4\sin 4x}{4x} \cdot \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6x}{6\sin 6x} \\ &= 4 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 4x}{4x} \cdot \frac{1}{6} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6x}{\sin 6x} = 4(1) \cdot \frac{1}{6}(1) = \frac{2}{3}\end{aligned}$$