

**Year 11 Mathematics Specialist 1,2**  
**Test 4 2021**

Section 1 Calculator Free  
**Trigonometry**

STUDENT'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: Friday 30 July

TIME: 33 minutes

MARKS: 33

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Standard Items: Pens, pencils, drawing templates, eraser

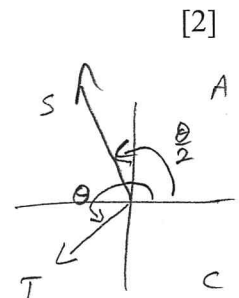
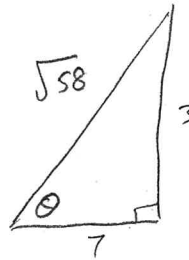
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1. (5 marks)

Given  $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{7}$  and  $180^\circ \leq \theta \leq 270^\circ$ , determine

(a) the exact value of  $\sin \theta$

$$-\frac{3}{\sqrt{58}}$$



[2]

(b) the exact value of  $\cos \frac{\theta}{2}$

[3]

$$\cos \theta = 2\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} - 1$$

$$\pm \sqrt{\frac{\cos \theta + 1}{2}} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$-\sqrt{\frac{-\frac{7}{58} + 1}{2}} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \quad (\text{QUAD 2})$$

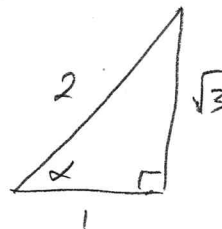
2. (10 marks)

(a) Express  $\sqrt{3} \cos x + \sin x$  in the form  $R \sin(x + \alpha)$  for  $\alpha$ , an acute angle in radians. [4]

$$2 \left( \frac{1}{2} \sin x + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos x \right)$$

$$= 2 \sin \left( x + \alpha \right)$$

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



$$\alpha = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

(b) Determine the minimum value of the expression in (a) and determine the smallest positive value of  $x$  for which this occurs. [3]

$$\text{MIN} = -2 \quad \text{WHEN} \quad x + \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

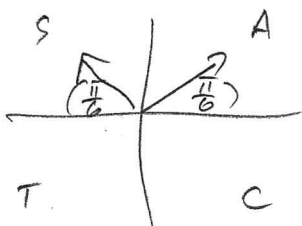
$$x = \frac{7\pi}{6}$$

(c) Hence or otherwise, solve the equation  $\sqrt{3} \cos x + \sin x = 1$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [4]

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

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

$$\text{REF ANGLE} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$



$$x + \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{13\pi}{6}$$

$$x = -\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

3. (8 marks)

[4]

(a) Prove  $\frac{1 - \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta}{1 + \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta} = \tan \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \frac{1 - (1 - 2\sin^2 \theta) + \sin 2\theta}{1 + (2\cos^2 \theta - 1) + \sin 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{2\sin^2 \theta + 2\sin \theta \cos \theta}{2\cos^2 \theta + 2\sin \theta \cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{2\sin \theta (\cancel{\sin \theta} + \cos \theta)}{2\cos \theta (\cos \theta + \cancel{\sin \theta})} \\ &= \tan \theta \\ &= \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

(b) Using the result of (a), show  $\tan 15^\circ = 2 - \sqrt{3}$

[4]

$$\begin{aligned} \tan 15^\circ &= \frac{1 - \cos 30^\circ + \sin 30^\circ}{1 + \cos 30^\circ + \sin 30^\circ} \\ &= \frac{1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{3}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{\frac{3}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} \\ &= \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{3 + \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{3 - \sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{9 - 2\sqrt{3} + 3}{9 - 3} \\ &= \frac{12 - 2\sqrt{3}}{6} \\ &= 2 - \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

4. (5 marks)

If  $(\sin A + \cos B)^2 + (\cos A + \sin B)^2 = 3$ , determine two possible values for the angle  $(A+B)$  where  $0 \leq (A+B) \leq 2\pi$ .

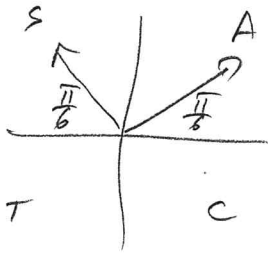
$$\sin^2 A + 2 \sin A \cos B + \cos B^2 + \cos A^2 + 2 \sin B \cos A + \sin^2 B = 3$$

$$1 + 2 \sin A \cos B + 2 \sin B \cos A + 1 = 3$$

$$2(\sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B) = 1$$

$$\sin(A+B) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$A+B = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}$$



REF ANGLE =  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

5. (6 marks)

Solve  $0.5 \sec(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{3}) = 1$

$$\sec(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{3}) = 2$$

$$\cos(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{3}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2\theta - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$2\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\pi n$$

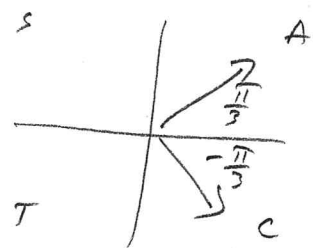
$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + n\pi$$

$$2\theta - \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$2\theta = 0 + 2\pi n$$

$$\theta = \pi n$$

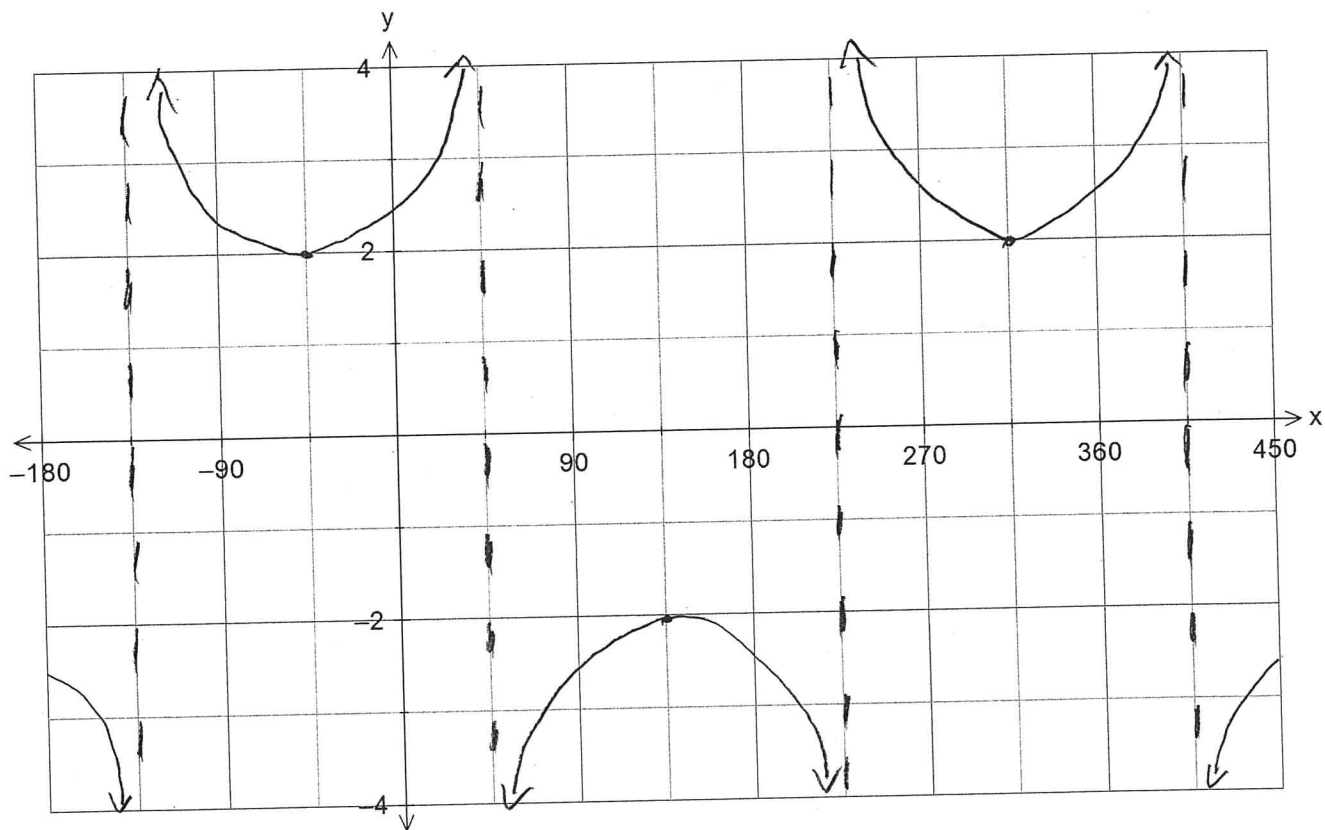
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$$n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

6. (4 marks)

Sketch the graph of  $y = -2\operatorname{cosec}(x - 45^\circ)$  on the axes below.



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Section 2 Calculator Assumed  
**Trigonometry**

STUDENT'S NAME SOLNS.

DATE: Friday 30 July

TIME: 17 minutes

MARKS: 17

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Standard Items: Pens, pencils, drawing templates, eraser

Special Items: Three calculators, notes on one side of a single A4 page (these notes to be handed in with this assessment)

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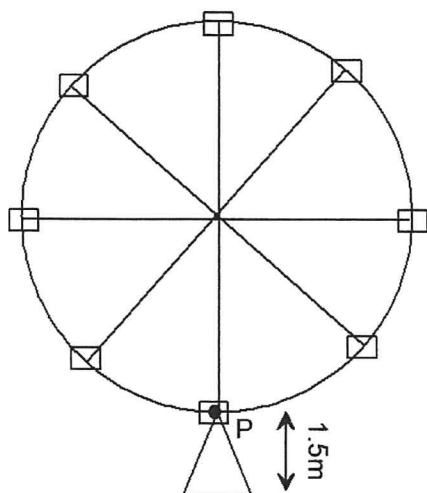
7. (5 marks)

Prove  $\frac{1 + \cot \alpha}{\operatorname{cosec} \alpha} - \frac{\sec}{\cot \alpha + \tan \alpha} = \cos \alpha$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{LHS} &= \frac{1 + \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha}}{\frac{1}{\sin \alpha}} - \frac{\frac{1}{\cos \alpha}}{\frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} + \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha}} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin \alpha} + \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha}}{\frac{1}{\sin \alpha}} - \frac{\frac{1}{\cos \alpha}}{\frac{\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha}} \\
 &= \frac{\sin \alpha + \cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} \times \frac{\sin \alpha}{1} - \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} \times \frac{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha}{1} \\
 &= \sin \alpha + \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha \\
 &= \cos \alpha
 \end{aligned}$$

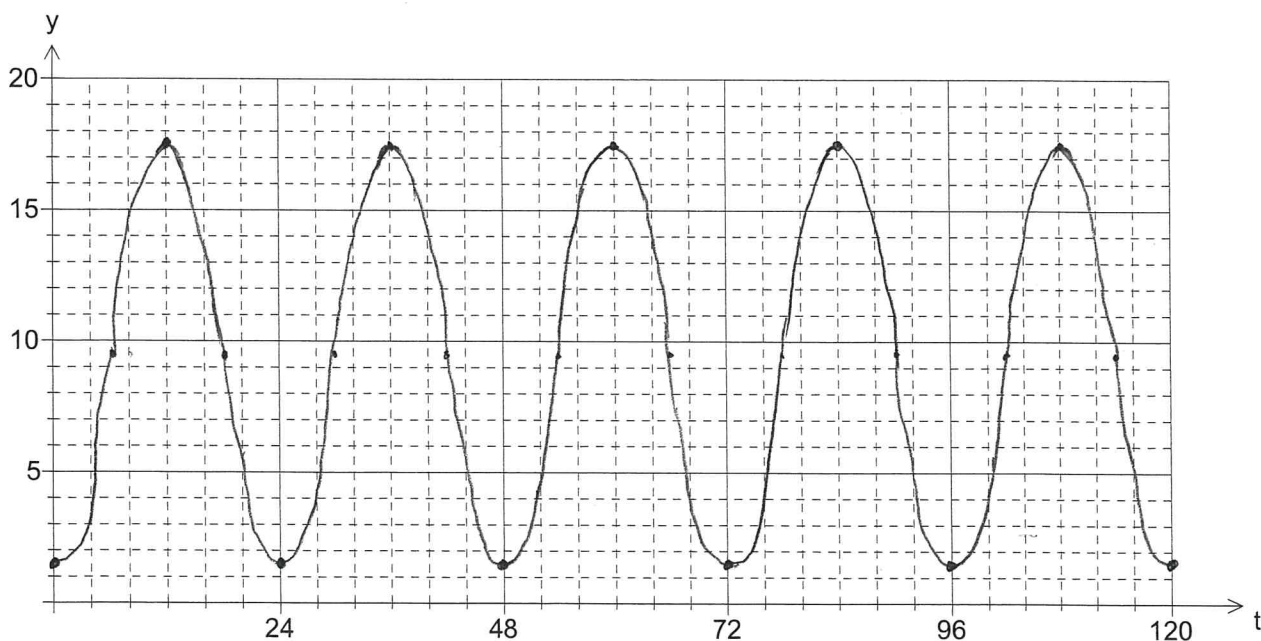
8. (12 marks)

The height above ground of a person sitting in a cart on a Ferris Wheel can be modelled by a trigonometric function.



(a) Paulo is sitting on a chair in a Ferris Wheel of radius 8m. His starting position is 1.5 m above ground as shown in the diagram above. The Ferris Wheel moves around anticlockwise, at a constant velocity, one revolution every 24 seconds.

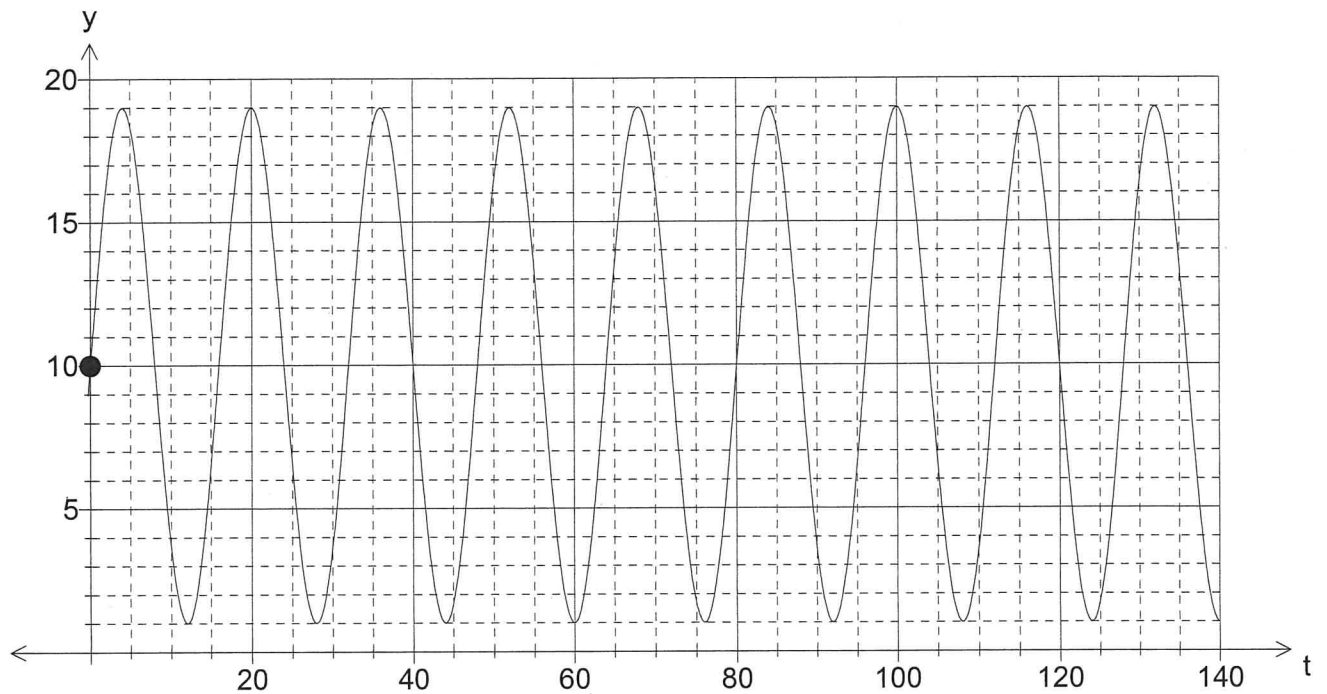
(i) Draw a graph representing how Paulo's height changes over time each revolution, given  $t$  is in seconds and  $y$  is Paulo's height in metres. [3]



(ii) Determine the maximum height reached by Paulo and the times this occurs if the Ferris Wheel stops after 2 minutes. [3]

17.5 m      12, 36, 60, 84, 108 sec

- (b) The graph below shows Matia's height above ground over time when sitting in a cart of a different Ferris wheel to Paulo. This Ferris Wheel also moves around anticlockwise.



Matia's height above ground over time is modelled by the equation

$$y = a \sin bt + c$$

where  $y$  is Matia's height above the ground in m, at time  $t$ , secs and  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are constants.

- (i) What is the radius of this Ferris Wheel?  $9\text{ m}$  [1]
- (ii) Determine the time taken for one revolution.  $16\text{ sec}$  [1]
- (iii) Determine the value of  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ .  $a$   $9\text{ m}$  [3]  
 $b$   $22.5$   
 $c$   $10\text{ m}$
- (iv) On the Ferris Wheel below, indicate Matia's starting position. [1]

