

OU MathDay 2001

TRIGONOMETRY TEST

1. Find $\cot\left(\frac{1}{2}\arcsin\left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)\right)$
- A. -3; B. 3; C. $\frac{1}{3}$; D. $-\frac{1}{3}$; E. none of these
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2. The amplitude of $y = 4\cos\left(\frac{3}{5}x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ is:
- A. 4; B. $\frac{3}{5}$; C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$; D. $\frac{10\pi}{3}$; E. none of these
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3. If $1 + \tan^2 x = \csc^2 56^\circ$, then x could be
- A. 56° ; B. 34° ; C. 28° ; D. -56° ; E. none of these
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4. The expression $\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x$ is identical to:
- A. $1 + \sin x$; B. $\sec^2 x + \tan^2 x$; C. $\frac{1}{1 - \sin x}$; D. $\sec^2 x$;
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- E. none of these
5. If $\sin \frac{3x}{5} \cos \frac{2x}{5} + \cos \frac{3x}{5} \sin \frac{2x}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$, then
- A. $\sin \frac{x}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$; B. $\cos x = \frac{1}{2}$; C. $\sin x = \frac{1}{2}$; D. $\cos \frac{x}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$;
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- E. none of these
6. $\tan\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} + A\right) =$
- A. $\tan A$; B. $\cot A$; C. $-\tan A$; D. $-\cot A$; E. none of these
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7. If the sides of a triangle are in the ratio 4:6:8, then the cosine of the smallest angle is:
- A. $\frac{1}{2}$; B. $\frac{7}{8}$; C. $\frac{11}{36}$; D. $-\frac{1}{6}$; E. none of these
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8. The sum of the solutions of $\sin 2x - \cos x = 0$ in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$ is:
- A. $\frac{19\pi}{6}$; B. 4π ; C. $\frac{5\pi}{2}$; D. $\frac{19\pi}{3}$; E. none of these

9. Which of the following identities is false?

- A.** $\sin \theta \csc \theta = 1$; **B.** $\cos 2\theta = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta$;
- C.** $\frac{1}{1 - \sin x} + \frac{1}{1 + \sin x} = 2 \sec^2 x$; **D.** $\sec^2 A + \csc^2 A = \sec^2 A \csc^2 A$;
- E.** $\frac{\sin^3 B + \cos^3 B}{\sin B + \cos B} = 1 - \sin^2 B$

10. At a certain point on the horizontal with the foot of a flag pole, the angle of elevation of its top is 60° . If the point is 100 ft. from the foot of the flag pole, find the height of the flag pole (accurate to one decimal place).

- A.** 57.7 ft.; **B.** 86.6 ft.; **C.** 50 ft.; **D.** 114 ft.; **E.** 173.2 ft.

11. The trigonometric (or polar) form of $2i$ is:

- A.** $2 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$; **B.** $2(\cos \pi + \sin \pi)$; **C.** $2 \left(\sin \frac{3\pi}{2} + i \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} \right)$;
- D.** $-2(\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)$; **E.** none of these

12. If you are given the following information for triangle ABC, $m\angle B = 30^\circ$, side $a = 30$, and side $b = 20$, then the triangle has:

- A.** no solution; **B.** exactly one solution with $\sin A = \frac{3}{4}$;
- C.** two solutions with $\sin A = \frac{3}{4}$; **D.** one solution with $\sin A = \frac{2}{3}$;
- E.** none of these

13. On a circle of diameter 50 cm, what is the length, in cm, of the arc intercepted by a central angle of 150° ?

- A.** $\frac{125\pi}{3}$; **B.** $\frac{125\pi}{6}$; **C.** 3750; **D.** 1875; **E.** $\frac{30}{\pi}$

14. Solve for x: $\arctan \frac{1}{2}x + \arctan \frac{2}{3}x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

- A.** $-\frac{3}{2}, 2$; **B.** $\frac{3}{2}, -2$; **C.** $\frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{97}}{4}$; **D.** $\frac{-7 + \sqrt{58}}{2}$;

- E.** none of these

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15. In triangle ABC, $m\angle A = 45^\circ$, $m\angle B = 30^\circ$, and side $c = 18$. Find the area of the triangle.

- A. $18\sqrt{3} - 18$; B. $36\sqrt{3} - 36$; C. $81\sqrt{3} - 81$; D. $162\sqrt{3} - 162$;
E. none of these
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16. An ellipse has the polar equation $r^2 = \frac{144}{7\cos^2\theta + 9}$. Find length of the latus rectum.

- A. 4.5; B. $\frac{32}{3}$; C. 5.5; D. $\frac{23}{3}$; E. none of these
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17. The distance between the points whose polar coordinates are $(7, \frac{\pi}{2})$ and $(6, \frac{\pi}{6})$ is:

- A. $\sqrt{43}$; B. 43; C. $\sqrt{85}$; D. 85; E. none of these
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18. $\frac{\sin 100^\circ - \sin 40^\circ}{\cos 100^\circ + \cos 40^\circ} =$

- A. $\tan 70^\circ$; B. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$; C. $\sqrt{3}$; D. 1; E. none of these
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19. Given the right triangle ACD with right angle at D. B is a point on side AD between A and D. The length of segment AB is 1. If $m\angle DAC = \alpha$ and $m\angle DBC = \beta$, find the length of side DC.

- A. $\frac{1}{\cot \alpha - \cot \beta}$; B. $\frac{1}{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}$; C. $\frac{1}{\cot \beta - \cot \alpha}$;
D. $\frac{1}{\cot \alpha + \cot \beta}$; E. none of these
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20. Which of the following is equivalent to the function $f(x) = \sin^4 x$?

- A. $\frac{3 + 4 \cos 2x + \cos 4x}{8}$; B. $\frac{3 - 4 \cos 2x + \cos 4x}{8}$;
C. $\frac{3 - 4 \cos 2x - \cos 4x}{8}$; D. $\frac{1 - 2 \cos 3x + \cos 4x}{8}$; E. none of these

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1. Evaluate: $\csc\left(\sin^{-1}\frac{1}{2} - \cos^{-1}\frac{1}{2}\right)$
A. -2; **B.** 2; **C.** $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$; **D.** $-\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$; **E.** none of these

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2. Which of the following is not a fifth root of 1?
- A. $\cos 72^\circ + i \sin 72^\circ$; B. $\cos 108^\circ + i \sin 108^\circ$; C. $\cos 144^\circ + i \sin 144^\circ$;
D. $\cos 216^\circ + i \sin 216^\circ$; E. $\cos 288^\circ + i \sin 288^\circ$.

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3. If the square of the length of a side of a rhombus is the product of the lengths of its diagonals, find the number of degrees in the acute angle between the sides.
- A. 15° ; B. 30° ; C. 45° ; D. 60° ; E. 75°