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Course: Pre-Calculus Pre AP (Master Course)

Assignment: 7.5 Classwork (Day 2)

1. Establish the identity.

$$\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 1$$

Choose the sequence of steps below that verifies the identity.

- A.  $\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} - \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 1$
- B.  $\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} + \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 1$
- C.  $\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta} - \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\cos \alpha \cos \beta} = \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 1$
- D.  $\frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta + \cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} + \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 1$

2. Find the exact value of the expression.

$$\cos \left[ \tan^{-1} \frac{12}{5} - \cos^{-1} \frac{8}{17} \right]$$

$$\cos \left[ \tan^{-1} \frac{12}{5} - \cos^{-1} \frac{8}{17} \right] = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

(Simplify your answer, including any radicals. Use integers or fractions for any numbers in the expression.)

3. Solve the equation.

$$\cos \theta - \sqrt{3} \sin \theta = 1$$

What is the solution in the interval  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ ? Select the correct choice and fill in any answer boxes in your choice below.

- A.  $\theta = \{ \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \}$   
(Simplify your answer. Type an exact answer, using  $\pi$  as needed. Type your answer in radians. Use integers or fractions for any numbers in the expression. Use a comma to separate answers as needed.)
- B. There is no solution.

$$1. \quad A. \quad \frac{\cos(\alpha + \beta)}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \frac{\cos \alpha \cos \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} - \frac{\sin \alpha \sin \beta}{\sin \alpha \sin \beta} = \cot \alpha \cot \beta - 1$$

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$$2. \quad \frac{220}{221}$$

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$$3. \quad A. \quad \theta = \left\{ 0, \frac{4\pi}{3} \right\}$$

(Simplify your answer. Type an exact answer, using  $\pi$  as needed. Type your answer in radians. Use integers or fractions for any numbers in the expression. Use a comma to separate answers as needed.)

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## 7.5 classwork day 2

$$\textcircled{1} \frac{\cos(A+B)}{\sin A \sin B} = \cot A \cot B - 1$$

\* use equation

$$\frac{\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B}{\sin A \sin B} =$$

\* put over common denominator

$$\frac{\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B}{\sin A \sin B} =$$

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$$\boxed{\cot A \cot B - 1}$$

$\boxed{A}$

## 7.5 classwork day 2 continued

$$\textcircled{2} \cos \left[ \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{12}{5} \right) - \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{8}{17} \right) \right]$$

$$\tan A = \frac{12}{5} = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\cos B = \frac{8}{17} = \frac{x}{r}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

$$5^2 + 12^2 = r^2$$

$$8^2 + y^2 = 17^2$$

$$r = 13$$

$$y = 15$$

$$\cos A = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\sin B = \frac{15}{17}$$

$$\sin A = \frac{12}{13}$$

\* Formula

~~cos(A-B) = cos A cos B + sin A sin B~~

$$\cos(A-B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

~~cos(A-B) = cos A cos B + sin A sin B~~

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$$= \left( \frac{5}{13} \right) \left( \frac{8}{17} \right) + \left( \frac{12}{13} \right) \left( \frac{15}{17} \right) = \boxed{\frac{220}{221}}$$

## 7.5 classwork day 2 continued

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \cos \theta - \sqrt{3} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta} - \sqrt{3} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = 1 + \sqrt{3} \sin \theta$$

\* square both sides \*

$$1 - \sin^2 \theta = 1 + 2\sqrt{3} \sin \theta + 3\sin^2 \theta$$

$$0 = 4\sin^2 \theta + 2\sqrt{3} \sin \theta$$

$$0 = 2\sin \theta (2\sin \theta + \sqrt{3})$$

$$\sin \theta = 0$$

$$\theta = \{0, \pi\}$$

$$\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\theta = \left\{ \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3} \right\}$$

$$\theta = \left\{ 0, \frac{4\pi}{3} \right\}$$

\*  $\pi$  and  $\frac{5\pi}{3}$  do not work  
in original  
equation