

Homework for April 1, 2018.

Algebra/Trigonometry.

Please, complete the previous homework assignments from this year. Review the classwork handout on trigonometric functions. Additional reading on trigonometric functions is Read Gelfand & Saul, Trigonometry, Chapter 2 (pp. 42-54) and Chapters 6-8 (pp. 123-163),

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Trigonometric_functions

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sine>. Solve the following problems.

Problems.

1. Find the sum of the following series,

$$S = \cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 3x + \cos 4x + \cdots + \cos Nx$$

(hint: multiply the sum by $2 \sin x/2$)

2. Find all x for which,

- a. $\sin x \cos x = \frac{1}{2}$

- b. $\sin x \cos x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

3. Simplify the following expression:

- a. $(1 + \sin \alpha)(1 - \sin \alpha)$

- b. $(1 + \cos \alpha)(1 - \cos \alpha)$

- c. $\sin^4 \alpha - \cos^4 \alpha$

- d. $\cos^2 \left(\alpha - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) + \cos^2 \left(\alpha + \frac{\pi}{6} \right) + \sin^2 \alpha =$

4. Calculate:

- a. $\cos 75^\circ + \cos 15^\circ =$

- b. $\cos \frac{\pi}{12} - \cos \frac{5\pi}{12} =$

5. Solve the following equation:

- a. $\cos^2 \pi x + 4 \sin \pi x + 4 = 0$

6. Prove the following equalities:

a. $\frac{1}{\sin \alpha} + \frac{1}{\tan \alpha} = \cot \frac{\alpha}{2}$

b. $\sin^2 \left(\frac{7\pi}{8} - 2\alpha \right) - \sin^2 \left(\frac{9\pi}{8} - 2\alpha \right) = \frac{\sin 4\alpha}{\sqrt{2}}$

c. $(\cos \alpha - \cos \beta)^2 + (\sin \alpha - \sin \beta)^2 = 4 \sin^2 \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}$

d. $\frac{\cot^2 2\alpha - 1}{2 \cot 2\alpha} - \cos 8\alpha \cot 4\alpha = \sin 8\alpha$

e. $\sin^6 \alpha + \cos^6 \alpha + 3 \sin^2 \alpha \cos^2 \alpha = 1$

f. $\frac{\sin 6\alpha + \sin 7\alpha + \sin 8\alpha + \sin 9\alpha}{\cos 6\alpha + \cos 7\alpha + \cos 8\alpha + \cos 9\alpha} = \tan \frac{15\alpha}{2}$

g. $\sin^6 \alpha + \cos^6 \alpha = \frac{5 + 3 \cos 4\alpha}{8}$

h. $16 \sin^5 \alpha - 20 \sin^3 \alpha + 5 \sin \alpha = \sin 5\alpha$

i. $\frac{\cos 64^\circ \cos 4^\circ - \cos 86^\circ \cos 26^\circ}{\cos 71^\circ \cos 41^\circ - \cos 49^\circ \cos 19^\circ}$

j. $\sin 20^\circ \sin 40^\circ \sin 60^\circ \sin 80^\circ = \frac{3}{16}$

k. $\frac{1}{\sin 10^\circ} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\cos 10^\circ} = 4$

7. Simplify the following expressions:

a. $\sin^2 \left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + 2\beta \right) - \sin^2 \left(\frac{\alpha}{2} - 2\beta \right)$

b. $2 \cos^2 3\alpha + \sqrt{3} \sin 6\alpha - 1$

c. $\cos^4 2\alpha - 6 \cos^2 2\alpha \sin^2 2\alpha + \sin^4 2\alpha$

d. $\sin^2(135^\circ - 2\alpha) - \sin^2(210^\circ - 2\alpha) - \sin^2 195^\circ \cos(165^\circ - 4\alpha)$

e. $\frac{\cos 2\alpha - \cos 6\alpha + \cos 10\alpha - \cos 14\alpha}{\sin 2\alpha + \sin 6\alpha + \sin 10\alpha + \sin 14\alpha}$

8. Find the period of the function $y = \sin 5x - 2 \sin 7x$

9. Let A, B and C be angles of a triangle. Prove that

$$\tan \frac{A}{2} \tan \frac{B}{2} + \tan \frac{B}{2} \tan \frac{C}{2} + \tan \frac{C}{2} \tan \frac{A}{2} = 1$$

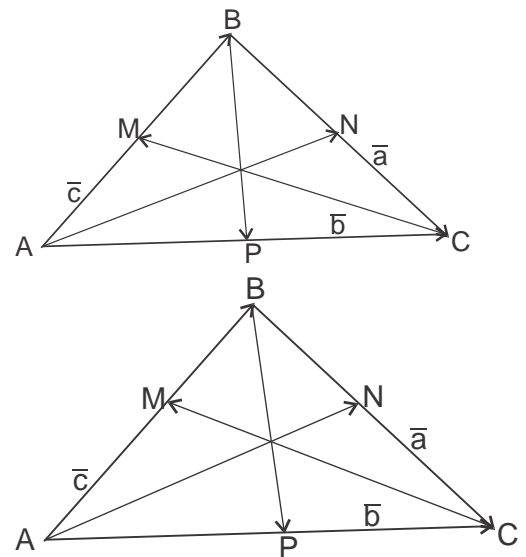
10. Solve the following equations and inequalities:
- $\sin x + \sin 2x + \sin 3x = \cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 3x$
 - $\cos 3x - \sin x = \sqrt{3}(\cos x - \sin 3x)$
 - $\sin^2 x - 2 \sin x \cos x = 3 \cos^2 x$
 - $\sin 6x + 2 = 2 \cos 4x$
 - $\cot x - \tan x = \sin x + \cos x$
 - $\sin x \geq \pi/2$
 - $\sin x \leq \cos x$

Geometry.

Please, complete the previous homework assignments from this year. Review the classwork handout on vectors. Solve the following problems.

Problems.

- In a triangle ABC , vectors \overrightarrow{AB} , \overrightarrow{AC} and \overrightarrow{BC} (\mathbf{c} , \mathbf{b} and \mathbf{a}) are the sides. \overrightarrow{AN} , \overrightarrow{CM} and \overrightarrow{BP} are the medians.
 - Express vectors \overrightarrow{AN} , \overrightarrow{CM} and \overrightarrow{BP} through vectors \mathbf{c} , \mathbf{b} and \mathbf{a} .
 - Find the sum of vectors \overrightarrow{AN} , \overrightarrow{CM} and \overrightarrow{BP} .
- Solve the same problem for bisectors \overrightarrow{AN} , \overrightarrow{CM} and \overrightarrow{BP} in a triangle ABC .
- Coxeter, Greitzer, problem #9 to Sec. 2.1 (p. 31): How far away is the horizon as seen from the top of a mountain 1 mile high? (Assume the Earth to be a sphere of diameter 7920 miles.)
- In a rectangle $ABCD$, A_1 , B_1 , C_1 and D_1 are the mid-points of sides AB , CD , BC and DA , respectively. M is the crossing point of the segments A_1B_1 , and C_1D_1 , connecting two pairs of midpoints.
 - Express vector $\overrightarrow{A_1M}$ through \overrightarrow{AB} , \overrightarrow{BC} and \overrightarrow{CD} .
 - Prove that M is the mid-point of segments, A_1B_1 and C_1D_1 , i.e. $|A_1M| = |MB_1|$ and $|C_1M| = |MD_1|$.
- In a parallelogram $ABCD$, find $\overrightarrow{AB} + \overrightarrow{BD} - 2\overrightarrow{AD}$.



6. M is a crossing point of the medians in a triangle ABC . Prove that $\overrightarrow{AM} = \frac{1}{3}(\overrightarrow{AB} + \overrightarrow{AC})$.
7. For three points, $A(-1,3)$, $B(2,-5)$ and $C(3,4)$, find the (coordinates of) following vectors,
- $\overrightarrow{AB} - \overrightarrow{BC}$
 - $\overrightarrow{AB} + \overrightarrow{CB} + \overrightarrow{AC}$
 - $\overrightarrow{AB} + \frac{1}{2}\overrightarrow{BC} + \frac{1}{3}\overrightarrow{CA}$
8. For two triangles, ABC and $A_1B_1C_1$, $\overrightarrow{AA_1} + \overrightarrow{BB_1} + \overrightarrow{CC_1} = 0$. Prove that medians of these two triangles cross at the same point M .