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PC5-2A: Solving Trig Equations #1

Solve each equation on the interval $[0, 2\pi]$

A. BASIC EQUATIONS: *Isolate the basic trig function, then solve with Unit Circle* [n] = number of solutions

1) $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ [2]

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

3) $2 \sin \theta - 1 = 0$ [2]

4) $\sin \theta + \sqrt{2} = -\sin \theta$ [2]

5) $\sqrt{3} \csc \theta - 2 = 0$ [2]

6) $3 \sin \theta + 1 = \sin \theta$ [2]

Be sure to write \pm for all square roots, and find all solutions

7) $\tan^2 \theta - 1 = 0$ [4]

8) $4 \sin^2 \theta - 1 = 0$ [4]

9) $3 \sec^2 \theta - 4 = 0$ [4]

B. FRACTIONALS & MULTIPLES: *Isolate the basic trig function, then solve with Unit Circle. Let x = the value inside the parenthesis (Substitution).*

10) $\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) = \frac{1}{2}$ [2]

11) $\cos\left(\frac{1}{3}\theta\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$ [1]

12) $\tan\left(\frac{1}{4}\theta\right) = \sqrt{3}$ [1]

13) $\csc\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) + 2 = 0$ [0]

14) $\sqrt{3} \sec\left(\frac{1}{3}\theta\right) = 2$ **[1]**

15) $5 \cot\left(\frac{1}{4}\theta\right) - 5 = 0$ **[1]**

16) $\sin(2\theta) = \frac{1}{2}$ **[4]**

17) $\cos(3\theta) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ **[6]**

18) $\tan(4\theta) = -\sqrt{3}$ **[8]**

19) $3 \sin(2\theta) = -3$ **[2]**

20) $-2 \sec(3\theta) = -4$ **[6]**

21) $4 \csc(4\theta) = 8$ **[8]**