

PreCalculus – Scientific Calculator Only!  
Practice Quiz A – Graphing Sine and Cosine

Name Key

/ 51 Points (Not for a Grade)

Graph each function, labeling all critical points on the x-axis and y-axis. Identify the characteristics.  
(2 points each blank. 5 points each graph.)

Degrees?

1. Graph  $y = 3 \cos(2x)$

amplitude = 3

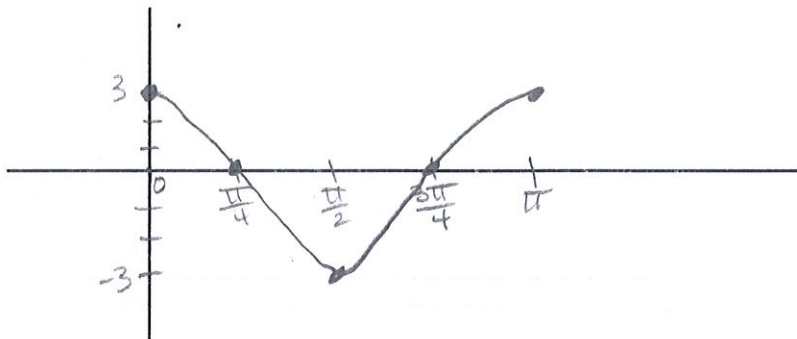
period =  $\frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$

phase shift = none

vertical shift = none

domain:  $[0, \pi]$

range:  $[-3, 3]$



2.  $y = -2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\theta\right) - 3$

Reflected

amplitude = 2

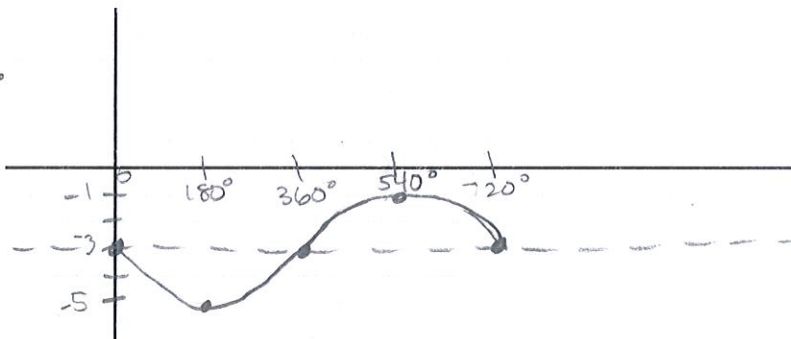
period =  $\frac{360^\circ}{1/2} = 360^\circ \cdot 2 = 720^\circ$

phase shift = none

vertical shift = -3

domain:  $[0, 720^\circ]$

range:  $[-5, -1]$



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

amplitude = 3

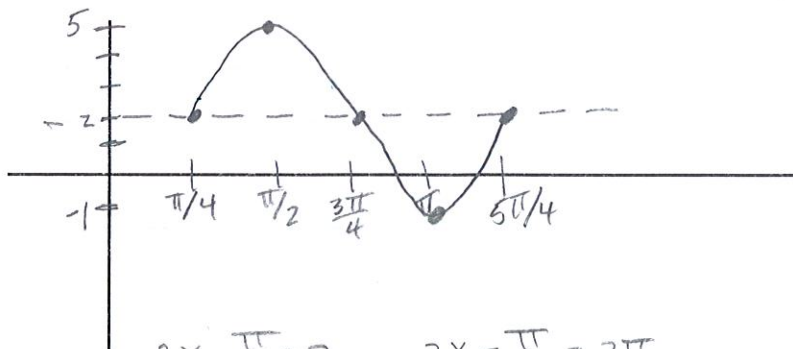
period =  $\frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$

phase shift =  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

vertical shift = 2

domain:  $\left[\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}\right]$

range:  $[-1, 5]$



$$2x - \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$$

$$2x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$2x - \frac{\pi}{2} = 2\pi$$

$$2x = \frac{4\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$2x = \frac{5\pi}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{5\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

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Practice Quiz B - Graphing Sine and Cosine

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Graph each function, labeling all critical points on the x-axis and y-axis. Identify the characteristics.  
(2 points each blank. 5 points each graph.)

Degrees?

1. Graph  $y = 3\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$

amplitude = 3

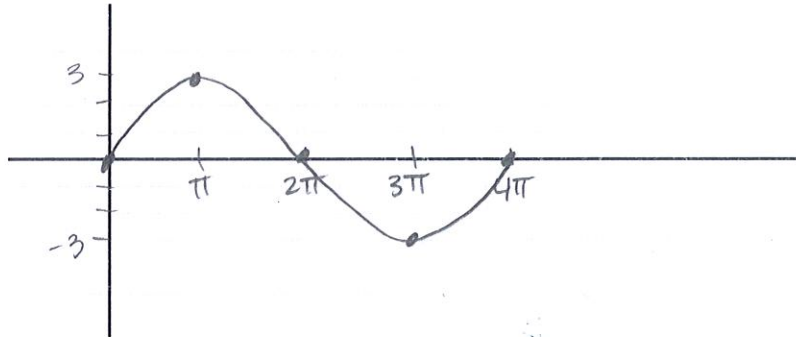
period =  $\frac{2\pi}{1/2} = 2\pi \cdot 2 = 4\pi$

phase shift = none

vertical shift = none

domain:  $[0, 4\pi]$

range:  $[-3, 3]$



2.  $y = -2\cos(3\theta) + 3$   
↳ reflection!

amplitude = 2

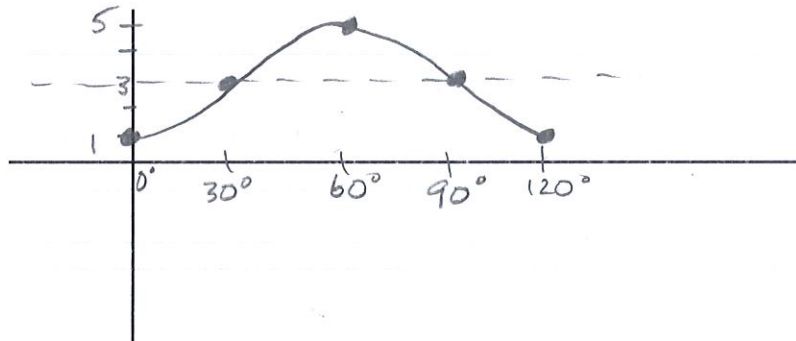
period =  $\frac{360}{3} = 120^\circ$

phase shift = none

vertical shift = 3

domain:  $[0, 120^\circ]$

range:  $[1, 5]$



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

Phase Shift  $2x - \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$       $2x - \frac{\pi}{2} = 2\pi$

$(\div 2) 2x = \frac{\pi}{2} (\div 2)$

$2x = \frac{4\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$

$x = \pi/4$

$(\div 2) 2x = \frac{5\pi}{2} (\div 2)$

$x = 5\pi/4$

amplitude = 3

period =  $\frac{2\pi}{2} = 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \pi$

phase shift =  $\pi/4$

vertical shift = -1

domain:  $[\pi/4, 5\pi/4]$

range:  $[-4, 2]$

