

Warm-up #2: Solving Equations & Unit Circle

Solve:

1. $100n^2 - 9 = 27$

$$100n^2 = 36$$

$$n^2 = \frac{36}{100}$$

$$n = \pm \frac{6}{10} = \boxed{\pm \frac{3}{5}}$$

2. $p^2 + 10p = -16$

$$p^2 + 10p + 16 = 0$$

$$(p+8)(p+2) = 0$$

$$p+8=0 \quad p+2=0$$

$$\boxed{p = -8}$$

$$\boxed{p = -2}$$

Find theta in terms of radians: $[0, 2\pi)$

3. $\sin\theta = \frac{-1}{2}$

$$\boxed{\theta = \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}}$$

4. $\cot\theta = \sqrt{3}$

$$\boxed{\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}}$$