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Solving Trigonometric Equations

Exercise 1: Solve the multiply-angle equation.

1) $\cos 2x = \frac{1}{2}$

2) $\sin 2x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

3) $\tan 3x = 1$

4) $\sec 4x = 2$

5) $\cos \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

6) $\sin \frac{x}{2} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Exercise 2: Find the x-intercepts of the graph.

1) $y = \sin \frac{\pi x}{2} + 1$

2) $y = \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4}x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$

3) $y = \sin \pi x + \cos \pi x$

4) $y = \tan^2 \left(\frac{\pi x}{6} \right) - 3$

5) $y = \sec^4 \left(\frac{\pi x}{8} \right) - 4$

Exercise 3: Find the solutions (to three decimal places) of the equation in the interval $(0, 2\pi)$.

1) $2 \sin x + \cos x = 0$

2) $4 \sin^3 x + 2 \sin^2 x - 2 \sin x - 1 = 0$

3) $\frac{1 + \sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} = 4$

4) $\frac{\cos x \cot x}{1 - \sin x} = 3$

5) $\tan x - 1 = 0$

6) $\sec^2 x + 0.5 \tan x - 1 = 0$

7) $\csc^2 x + 0.5 \cot x - 5 = 0$

8) $2 \tan^2 x + 7 \tan x - 15 = 0$

9) $6 \sin^2 x - 7 \sin x + 2 = 0$

10) $\cos x - 1 = 0$