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**Prep-Year Math II**  
**MIDTERM EXAM**  
**Semester I, Term 061**  
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*"Sources of Problems"*

**MASTER VERSION**

1. If for the function  $f(x) = -3\sin(\pi x - 2) + 5$ ,  $A$  is its amplitude,  $P$  is its period,  $M$  is its maximum value and  $m$  is its minimum value, then  $\frac{A+P}{M+m} =$

~~(a)~~  $\frac{1}{2}$  See examples 2 and 3 p. 514-515  
3 and 4 p. 531

(b) 2 See problems 1 to 8 p. 535

(c)  $\frac{1}{4}$   $f(x) = a \sin(bx + c) + d$

(d) 4  $a = -3$  ,  $b = \pi$   $c = -2$   $d = 5$

(e) 1  $A = |a| = 3$  ,  $P = \frac{2\pi}{b} = \frac{2\pi}{\pi} = 2$

$M = |a| + d = 3 + 5 = 8$  ,  $m = -|a| + d = -3 + 5 = 2$

$$\frac{A+P}{M+m} = \frac{3+2}{8+2} = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

2. If  $f^{-1}$  is the inverse of the function  $f(x) = 2^{-x+1} - 3$ , then  $f^{-1}(x) =$

~~(a)~~  $1 - \log_2(x+3)$

(b)  $3 + \log_2(x-1)$

(c)  $-1 + \log_2(x+3)$

(d)  $3 + \log_2(x+3)$

(e)  $-1 + \log_2(3-x)$

A direct application of the relation between the exponential and logarithmic functions as inverses of one another.

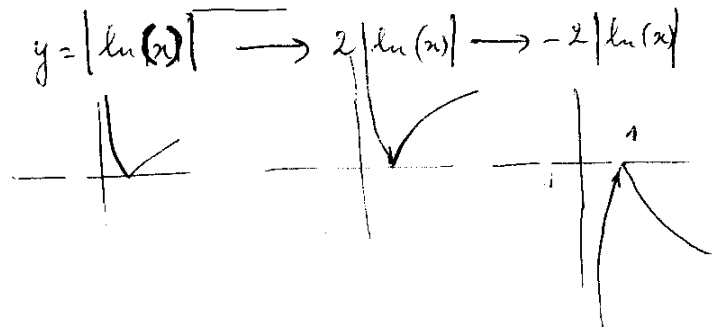
$y = 2^{-x+1} - 3$   
 $x = 2^{-y+1} - 3$   
 $x + 3 = 2^{-y+1}$   
 Change to log for  $y$

$-y+1 = \log_2(x+3)$   
 $-y = -1 + \log_2(x+3)$   
 $y = 1 - \log_2(x+3)$   
 $f^{-1}(x)$

3. Which one of the following statements is **TRUE** about the function  $f(x) = -2|\ln x|$  and its graph?

- ~~(a)~~ increases on  $(0, 1)$   
 (b) increases on  $(1, \infty)$   
 (c) decreases on  $(\frac{1}{2}, 2)$   
 (d)  $f$  has no maximum value  
 (e)  $x = 2$  is a vertical asymptote

See problems 61, 62 and 67  
 P. 392



4. The domain of  $f(x) = \log_{x-1} x$  is

- ~~(a)~~  $(1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$   
 (b)  $(1, 2)$   
 (c)  $(1, \infty)$   
 (d)  $(0, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$   
 (e)  $(2, \infty)$

To make sure that  
 the base is a positive  
 number different from 1  
 and  $\log_b x$  is defined  
 only for  $x > 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} & x > 0 \quad \& \quad 0 < x - 1 \quad \& \quad x - 1 \neq 1 \\ & x > 1 \quad \& \quad x \neq 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$$

5. Which one of the following statements is **TRUE** for all  $x > 0$ ,  $y > 0$ ,  $b > 0$  and  $b \neq 1$ ?

~~(a)~~  $\log_b \sqrt{x} = \frac{\ln x}{2 \ln b}$

See problems 31 to 40 p. 404

(b)  $\log_b(x + y) = \log_b x + \log_b y$

b, c, d, e are clearly

(c)  $\log_b x \cdot \log_b y = \log_b x + \log_b y$

false.

(d)  $\log_b \frac{x}{y} = \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b y}$ ,  $y \neq 1$

a)  $\log_b \sqrt{x} = \frac{\ln \sqrt{x}}{\ln b}$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \ln x}{\ln b}$$

(e)  $\frac{\log_b x}{\log_b y} = \log_b x - \log_b y$ ,  $y \neq 1$

6. The value of  $(\ln 10000)(\log \sqrt{e})(\log_3 \sqrt{5})(\log_5 9)$  is

~~(a)~~ 2

See problems 41 and 42 p. 404

(b) 8

$$\ln 10^4 \cdot \frac{\ln \sqrt{e}}{\ln 10} \cdot \frac{\ln \sqrt{5}}{\ln 3} \cdot \frac{\log 9}{\ln 5}$$

(c) 1

$$(4 \ln 10) \cdot \frac{(\frac{1}{2} \ln e)}{\ln 10} \cdot \frac{\cancel{\frac{1}{2} \ln 5}}{\ln 3} \cdot \frac{\cancel{2 \ln 3}}{\ln 5}$$

(d) 4

(e) 6

$$2 \ln e = 2$$

7.  $\frac{\tan 155^\circ - \cot 35^\circ}{1 + \tan 155^\circ \cot 35^\circ} =$

~~(a)  $-\tan 80^\circ$~~

(b)  $\tan 20^\circ$

(c)  $-\tan 75^\circ$

(d)  $-\tan 25^\circ$

(e)  $\tan 15^\circ$

An application of:

- $\cot \alpha = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha\right)$

- $\tan(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$

$$\frac{\tan 155^\circ - \tan(90 - 35^\circ)}{1 + \tan 155^\circ \tan(90 - 35^\circ)} = \frac{\tan(155^\circ) - \tan 55^\circ}{1 + \tan 155^\circ \tan 55^\circ}$$

$$= \tan(100^\circ) = \boxed{-\tan(80^\circ)}$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\text{II} \rightarrow \tan \ominus$   
 $\alpha = 80^\circ$

8. If  $\frac{10^x - 10^{-x}}{10^x + 10^{-x}} = \frac{1}{2}$ , then  $x =$

~~(a)  $\log \sqrt{3}$~~

(b)  $\log \sqrt[3]{2}$

(c)  $\log 3$

(d)  $\log 2$

(e)  $\frac{3}{\log 2}$

See example 4 p.410

See problems 39 to 46 p.415

$$2(10^x - 10^{-x}) = 10^x + 10^{-x}$$

$$2(10^x)^2 - 2 \cdot 10^{-x} = 10^x + 10^{-x}$$

$$10^x - 3 \cdot 10^{-x} = 0$$

$$(10^x)^2 - 3 = 0$$

$$(10^x)^2 = 3$$

$$10^x = \pm \sqrt{3} \quad \text{rejected}$$

$$\boxed{x = \log \sqrt{3}}$$

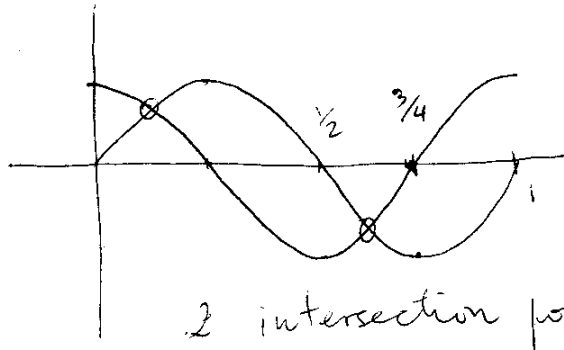
$\times 10^x$

9. The number of **intersection** points of the graphs of  $y = \sin 2\pi x$  and  $y = \cos 2\pi x$ , over the interval  $0 \leq x \leq \frac{3}{4}$ , is

- (a) 2
- (b) 1
- (c) 5
- (d) 3
- (e) 4

See problems 63 and 64 p. 519

Graph  $P = \frac{2\pi}{2\pi} = 1$



10. If  $x = \frac{3}{2} \sin \theta$ , where  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ , then the expression  $\frac{12x^2}{(9-4x^2)^{3/2}}$  simplifies to

- (a)  $\tan^2 \theta \sec \theta$
- (b)  $\tan^2 \theta \sin \theta$
- (c)  $\tan^2 \theta \cos \theta$
- (d)  $\cot^2 \theta \sec \theta$
- (e)  $\cot^2 \theta \sin \theta$

A direct application of the Fundamental Trigonometric Identities of section 6.1

$$\begin{aligned}
 x^2 &= \frac{9}{4} \sin^2 \theta \\
 \frac{12 x^2}{(9-4 x^2)^{3/2}} &= \frac{3 \cdot 9 \cdot \sin^2 \theta}{(9-9 \sin^2 \theta)^{3/2}} = \frac{27 \sin^2 \theta}{[9(1-\sin^2 \theta)]^{3/2}} \\
 &= \frac{27 \sin^2 \theta}{27 \cdot \cos^3 \theta} = \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \tan^2 \theta \cdot \sec \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

11. The expression  $\frac{\sin^3 x - \cos^3 x}{\sin x - \cos x}$  simplifies to

~~(a)~~  $1 + \sin x \cos x$

See Problem 59 p. 561

(b)  $1 + 2 \sin x \cos x$

$$\frac{\sin^3 x - \cos^3 x}{\sin x - \cos x} = \frac{(\sin x - \cos x)(\sin^2 + \sin x \cos x + \cos^2)}{(\sin x - \cos x)}$$

(c)  $1 - 2 \sin x \cos x$

(d)  $-1 - \sin x \cos x$

$$= \sin^2 x + \sin x \cos x + \cos^2 x$$

(e)  $-1 + \sin x \cos x$

$$= 1 + \sin x \cos x$$

12. If  $y = 2 \cot 2x$ , then the number of vertical asymptotes over the interval  $(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4})$  is equal to

~~(a)~~ 2

See example 3 p. 523

(b) 1

See problems 31, 32, 40, 45

(c) 3

and 48 p. 527

(d) 4

First find the eq<sup>n</sup> of the V.A.

(e) 0

sin in denominator of cotangent

$$\Rightarrow 2x = n\pi \xrightarrow[\text{for } x]{\text{solve}} x = n \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$-\frac{\pi}{4} < n \frac{\pi}{2} < \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$-\frac{\pi}{2} < n < \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} < n < \frac{3}{2}$$

n integer so

$$n = 0, 1$$

2 Vert. Asym.

x

13. If  $\sin \alpha = \frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\alpha$  lies in second quadrant, and  $\cos \beta = -\frac{5}{13}$ ,  $\beta$  lies in third quadrant, then  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha + \beta\right) =$

~~(a)  $-\frac{16}{65}$~~

(b)  $\frac{48}{65}$

(c)  $-\frac{48}{65}$

(d)  $\frac{12}{65}$

(e)  $-\frac{36}{65}$

See problems 69 and 70 p. 51,  
then problems 39 to 48 p. 570-571

$\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha + \beta\right)$  reminds of  $\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha$  in cofunction identity

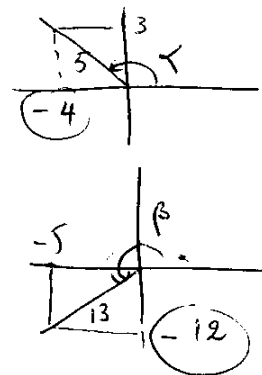
$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - (\alpha - \beta)\right) = \cos(\alpha - \beta)$$

$$= \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$= \left(\frac{-4}{5}\right)\left(\frac{-5}{13}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{-12}{13}\right)$$

$$= \frac{20 - 36}{65}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{16}{65}}$$



14. If a wheel of radius 8 centimeters is rotating at 450 revolutions per minute, then the linear speed of a point on the edge of the wheel in centimeters per seconds is equal to

~~(a)  $120\pi$~~

(b)  $240\pi$

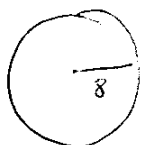
(c)  $110\pi$

(d)  $220\pi$

(e)  $230\pi$

See example 8 p. 471

see problems 73 and 74 p. 473



$$v = \omega \cdot r$$

$$= 450 \frac{\text{rev}}{\text{min}} \cdot 8 \text{ cm}$$

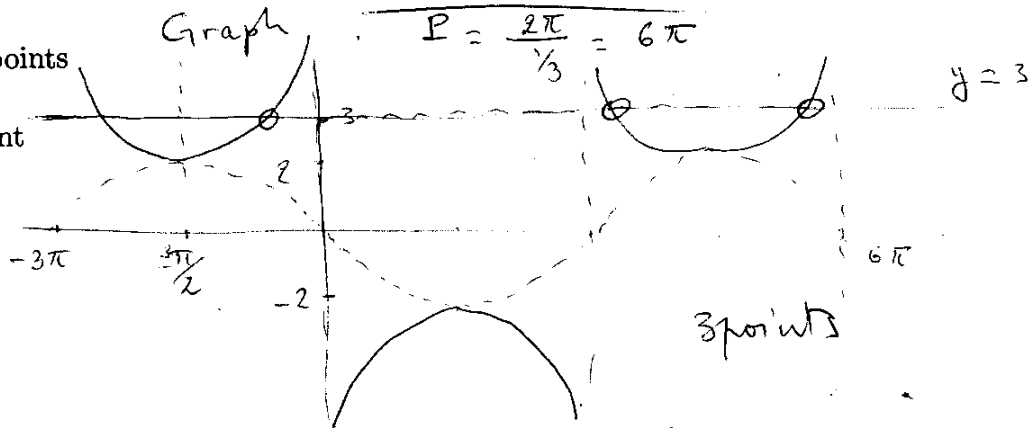
$$= \cancel{450} \cdot \frac{15}{15} \cdot \frac{2\pi}{60} \cdot 8 \text{ cm/sec}$$

$$= 120\pi \text{ cm/sec}$$



15. The line  $y = 3$  intersects the graph of  $y = -2 \csc \frac{x}{3}$  over the interval  $(-\frac{3\pi}{2}, 6\pi)$  at

- (a) ~~three points~~ See example 4 p. 524  
 (b) one point See problems 33, 34, 38, 41, and 44 p. 527  
 (c) two points  
 (d) four points  
 (e) no point



16. The reference angle  $\theta'$ , in radians, of the angle  $\theta = -1656^\circ$  is equal to

- (a)  ~~$\frac{\pi}{5}$~~  See example 3 p. 494  
 (b)  $\frac{\pi}{7}$  See problems 25 to 36 p. 497  
 (c)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$   $\theta = -1656^\circ$  contains 4 neg rev.  
 → so add  $(4+1)$  rev  
 (d)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$   $-1656^\circ + 4(360^\circ) = -1656^\circ + 1440^\circ$   
 $= -216^\circ \in \text{II}$   
 (e)  $\frac{\pi}{9}$  ref angle:  $180^\circ - 144^\circ = 36^\circ$

$$36^\circ = 36^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} \text{ rad}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{5} \text{ rad}$$

17. The expression  $\frac{\tan t}{1 + \sec t} + \frac{1 + \sec t}{\tan t}$  simplifies to

(a)  ~~$2 \csc t$~~

See example 4 p. 558

(b)  $2 \sec t$

See problems 49 to 52 p. 560

(c)  $2 \cot t$

First, notice  $(1 + \sec t)(1 - \sec t) = 1 - \sec^2 t$   
 conjugate  $= 1 - \tan^2 t - 1$   
 $= -\tan^2 t$

(d)  $2 \tan t$

(e)  $2 \sin t$

$$\frac{\tan t (1 + \sec t)}{(1 + \sec t)(1 - \sec t)} + \frac{1 + \sec t}{\tan t}$$

$$\frac{\cancel{\tan t} (1 - \sec t)}{-\tan^2 t} + \frac{(1 + \sec t)}{\tan t}$$

$$\frac{-1 + \sec t + 1 + \sec t}{\tan t} = \frac{2 \sec t}{\tan t} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\cot t} \cdot \frac{\cancel{\cot t}}{\sin t} = \boxed{2 \csc t}$$

18. If the terminal side of an angle  $\theta$  lies on the line  $3x + 4y = 0$ , where  $x > 0$ , then the value of  $\cot \theta + \cos \theta$  is

(a)  ~~$-\frac{8}{15}$~~

See example 1 p. 491

(b)  $-\frac{32}{15}$

See problems 1 to 8 p. 497

(c)  $\frac{32}{15}$

Choose  $x = 4 \Rightarrow 3(4) + 4y = 0 \Rightarrow 4y = -12$

(d)  $\frac{1}{15}$

$\cot \theta = \frac{x}{y} = \frac{4}{-3} = -\frac{4}{3}$ ,  $r = \sqrt{4^2 + (-3)^2} = 5$   
 $\boxed{y = -3}$

(e)  $-\frac{1}{5}$

$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r} = \frac{4}{5}$

$\cot \theta + \cos \theta = -\frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{5} = -\frac{20}{15} + \frac{12}{15}$   
 $= \boxed{-\frac{8}{15}}$

19. Which one of the following is an **odd** function?

- (a)  $f(x) = \frac{3 \cos x}{x^2 \tan x + \csc x}$  *even odd*  
*See Problems 41 & 48 p. 508*
- (b)  $f(x) = x^3 + \tan^2 x$  *neither*
- (c)  $f(x) = \frac{1 + x \cos x}{\sin x + \tan x}$  *with*
- (d)  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{3 + \cos x}$  *even*
- (e)  $f(x) = x^3 \csc x + 1$   
*odd odd*

20. The exact value of the expression

$$2 \cos\left(-\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) \tan(240^\circ) - \sqrt{6} \csc\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)$$

is

*see problems 65 and 66 p. 498*

- (a)  $3\sqrt{6}$
- (b)  $2\sqrt{6}$
- (c)  $\sqrt{6}$
- (d)  $-\sqrt{6}$
- (e)  $-2\sqrt{6}$
- 2 cos*  $\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) \tan 240^\circ - \sqrt{6} \frac{1}{\sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)}$   
*↓, → cos ⊕, α = π/4* *sin(7π/6) ↓ III → sin ⊖ α' = π/6*
- $2 \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \tan 60^\circ - \sqrt{6} \frac{1}{(-\sin \frac{\pi}{6})}$
- $= 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \sqrt{3} - \frac{\sqrt{6}}{-\frac{1}{2}}$
- $= \sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{6} = 3\sqrt{6}$

21. The range  $R$  and the period  $P$  of the function  $y = -\left|3 \sin \frac{x}{2}\right|$  are given by [Hint: Sketch]

~~(a)~~  $R = [-3, 0], P = 2\pi$

(b)  $R = [-3, 3], P = 2\pi$

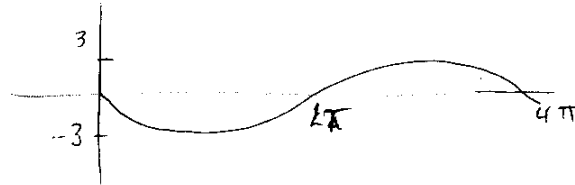
(c)  $R = [-3, 0], P = 4\pi$

(d)  $R = [-3, 0], P = \pi$

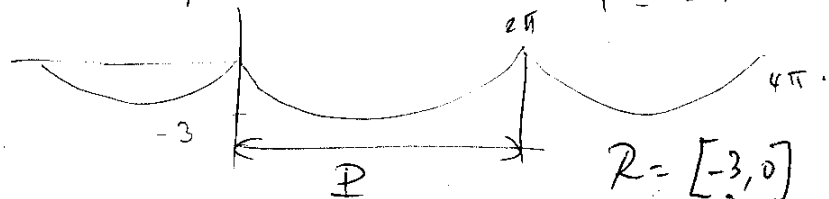
(e)  $R = [-3, 0], P = \frac{\pi}{2}$

See problems 55 & 58 p. 527

$y = -3 \sin \frac{x}{2} \quad P = 4\pi$



$y = -\left|3 \sin \frac{x}{2}\right|$



22. If  $L$  is the distance between the two points  $P_1(\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$  and  $P_2(\cos 2\theta, \sin 2\theta)$ , then  $L^2 =$

~~(a)~~  $2 - 2 \cos \theta$

(b)  $2 + 2 \sin \theta$

(c)  $2 + 2 \cos 3\theta$

(d)  $3 - \cos \theta$

(e)  $3 - \cos 3\theta$

see the distance between two points given p. 563 of section 6.2

(d)  $L = d(P_1, P_2) = \sqrt{(\cos 2\theta - \cos \theta)^2 + (\sin 2\theta - \sin \theta)^2}$

(e)  $= \sqrt{(\cos 2\theta - \cos \theta)^2 + (\sin 2\theta - \sin \theta)^2}$

$\Rightarrow L^2 =$

23. If, in the given figure, the length of  $AC$  is 10 cm, then the length of  $BD$  is

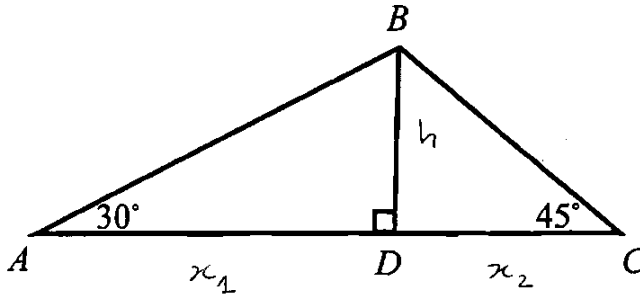
~~(a)~~  $\frac{10}{1 + \sqrt{3}}$  cm

(b)  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$  cm

(c)  $\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{1 + \sqrt{3}}$  cm

(d)  $\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$  cm

(e)  $\frac{20}{1 + \sqrt{3}}$  cm



An application of the tangent (or cotangent) function.

$x_1 + x_2 = 10$

$\tan 45^\circ = 1 \Rightarrow x_2 = h$

$\Rightarrow h = 10 - x_1$

$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{h}{10 - h} \Rightarrow h\sqrt{3} = 10 - h$

$h = \frac{10}{1 + \sqrt{3}}$

24. If the points  $(-1, 3)$  and  $(2, 81)$  lie on the graph of the exponential function  $f(x) = b^{x+c}$ , then  $b+c =$

~~(a)~~ 5

(b) 3

(c) -1

(d) 4

(e) -2

A point lies on the graph of a function  $\Rightarrow$  the point satisfies the equation of the graph.

$3 = b^{-1+c} = \frac{b^c}{b} \Rightarrow b^c = 3b$

$81 = b^{2+c} = b^c \cdot b^2 = (3b)b^2 = 3b^3$

$\Rightarrow \frac{81}{3} = b^3 \Rightarrow 27 = b^3 \Rightarrow b = 3$

$b^c = 3^c = 3(3) = 9 \Rightarrow c = 2$

$\Rightarrow (b+c) = 5$

25. If the given graph represents the function  $y = a \tan(bx + c)$  over the interval  $(-1, 3)$ , then the values of  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are given by

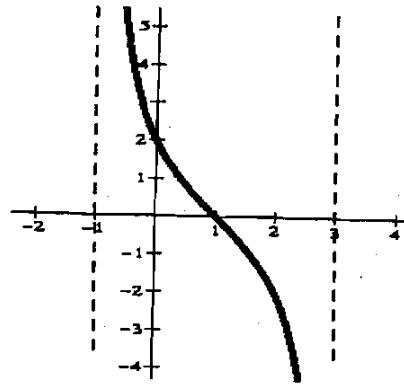
(a)  $a = -2$ ,  $b = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , and  $c = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

(b)  $a = 2$ ,  $b = \frac{\pi}{4}$ , and  $c = \frac{\pi}{4}$

(c)  $a = -2$ ,  $b = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ , and  $c = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

(d)  $a = 2$ ,  $b = -\frac{\pi}{4}$ , and  $c = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

(e)  $a = -2$ ,  $b = 4\pi$ , and  $c = -4\pi$



See problem 50 p. 527

$$P = 3 - (-1) = 4 = \frac{\pi}{b} \Rightarrow \boxed{b = \frac{\pi}{4}}$$

Shape of  $-tan \Rightarrow \boxed{a = -2}$

PS: middle point of cycle = 1 =  $-\frac{c}{b} = -\left(\frac{c}{\frac{\pi}{4}}\right)$

$$\boxed{c = -\frac{\pi}{4}}$$