

**Selected solutions to problems in 7.7...**

4 (a)  $\cos^{-1}(-\frac{1}{2})$ :

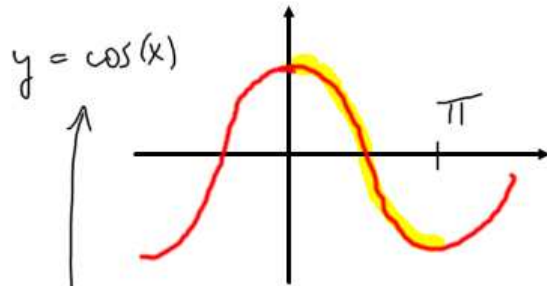


value  
btwn 0 and  $\pi$   
where cosine  
is  $-\frac{1}{2}$

Solve  $\cos(x) = -\frac{1}{2}$

$$x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore \cos^{-1}(-\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$



restricted to  $[0, \pi]$ .

$\arccos(x)$  defined  
on  $[-1, 1]$ .

range:  $[0, \pi]$ .

Q (a)  $\sin(2 \cos^{-1}(\frac{1}{2}))$ ;

First,  $\cos^{-1}(\frac{1}{2}) = x$   
 where  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$   
 and  $\cos(x) = \frac{1}{2}$ .

$x = \frac{\pi}{3} = \cos^{-1}(\frac{1}{2})$

$\sin(2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{3}) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

Q3.  $f(x) = \sec^{-1}(2x^2)$ .

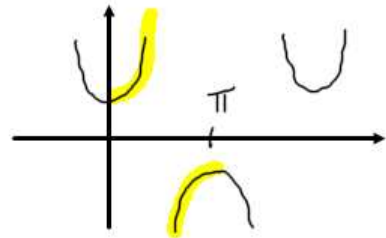
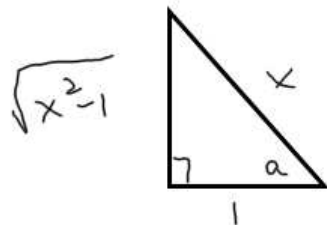
$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{|2x^2| \sqrt{(2x^2)^2 - 1}} \cdot 4x$$

$$= \frac{2}{x \sqrt{4x^4 - 1}}$$

Q:  $\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(x)$  ?  
in the book

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{\sec(a) \tan(a)} = \frac{1}{|x| \sqrt{x^2 - 1}}$$

where  $\sec(a) = x$



26.  $\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{r}{r+1}\right)$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx} \arcsin(u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dr} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\left(\frac{r}{r+1}\right)^2}} \cdot \frac{d}{dr} \left( \frac{r}{r+1} \right)$$

quotient rule.

do it.

31.  $f(x) = \sqrt{c^2 - x^2} + c \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{c}\right), c > 0.$

$c$  is a  
positive  
constant.

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} (c^2 - x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (-2x) + c \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (x/c)^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{c}$$

Note:  $\frac{x}{c} = \frac{1}{c} \cdot x$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x}{c} \right) = \frac{1}{c}.$

41.  $\int_0^{1/\sqrt{2}} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \arcsin(x) \Big|_0^{1/\sqrt{2}}$

$$= \arcsin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) - \arcsin(0)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} - 0 = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \textcircled{46.} \int_2^5 \frac{dx}{9+(x-2)^2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \arctan\left(\frac{x-2}{3}\right) \Big|_2^5 \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} [\arctan(1) - \arctan(0)] \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} - 0 \right] \\
 &= \pi/12.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2+u^2} du = \frac{1}{a} \arctan\left(\frac{u}{a}\right) + C$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) = \frac{1}{1+(\frac{x}{a})^2} \cdot \frac{1}{a}$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{a^2+x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{a}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{a} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) = \frac{1}{a^2+x^2}$$

$$\textcircled{60.} \int \frac{\tan^{-1}x}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} (\arctan(x))^2 + C$$