

Section 4.4 Practice Worksheet

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For #1-3, graph the equation. Make sure to include 2 periods of the graph and all critical points.

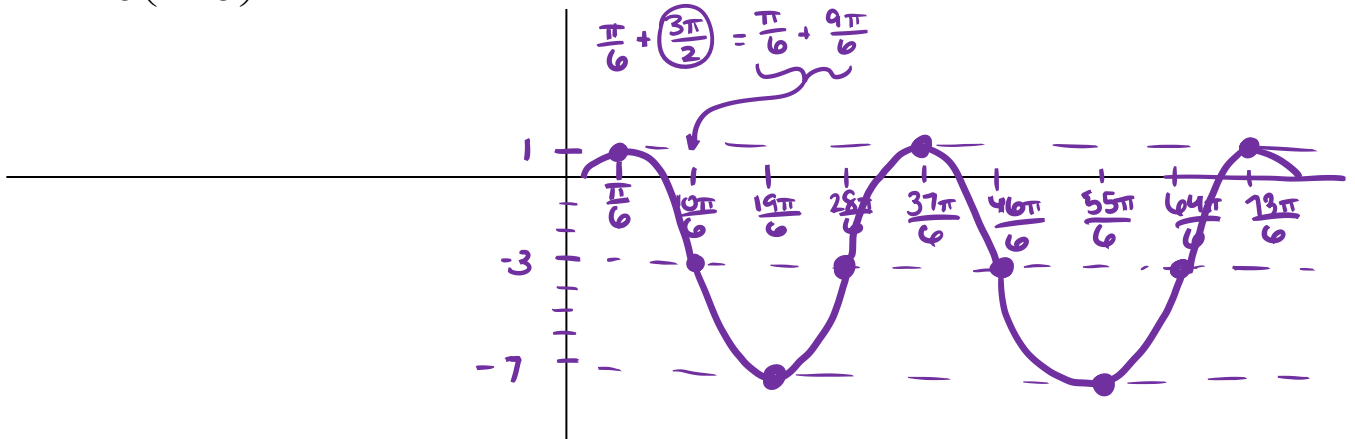
1.  $y = 4 \cos \frac{1}{3} \left( x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) - 3$

$A = 4$   
 $C = -3$

$B = \frac{1}{3}$  Per =  $6\pi$   
 $D = \frac{\pi}{6}$  Shift Right  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

Crit pts every  $\frac{6\pi}{4} = \frac{3\pi}{2}$

$\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{3\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{9\pi}{6}$

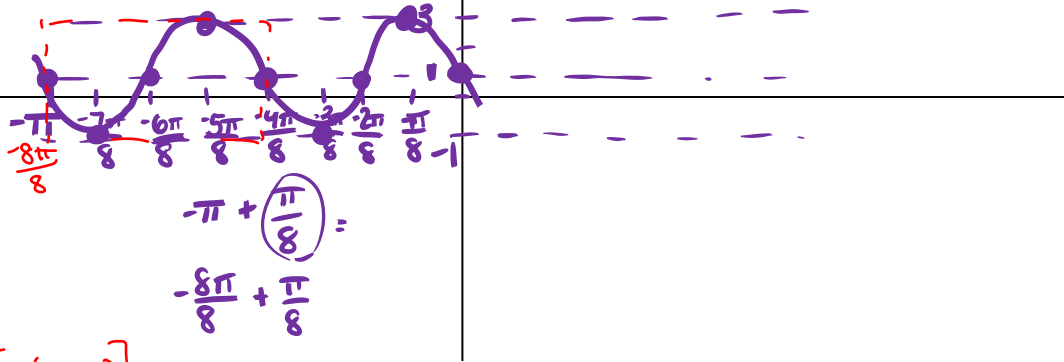


2.  $y = -2 \sin 4(x + \pi) + 1$

$A = 2$ , vert. refl.  
 $C = 1$

$B = 4$  Per =  $\frac{2\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 $D = \pi$  Shift Left  $\pi$

Crit pts every  $\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{\pi}{8}$



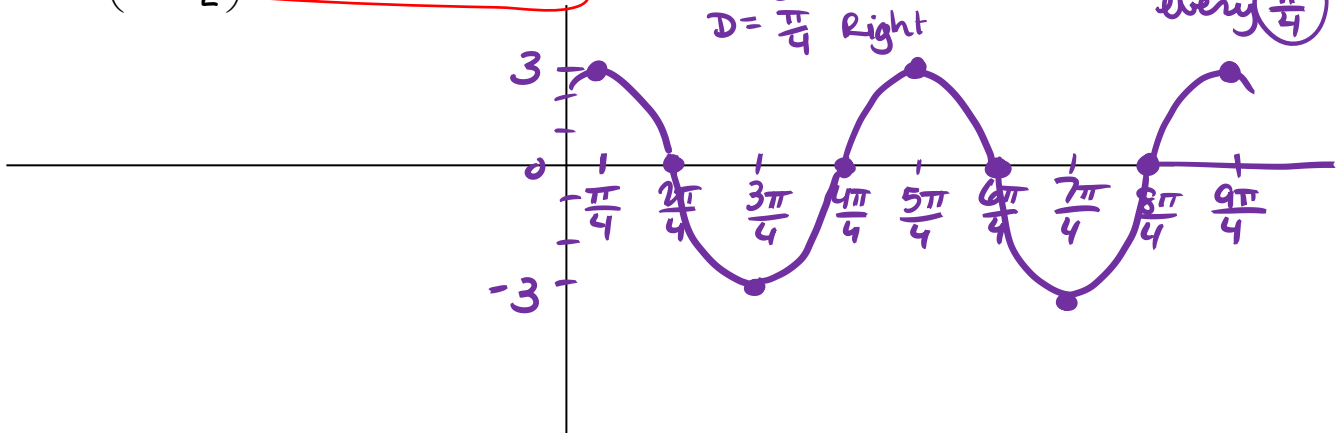
$A \cos [B(x - D)] + C$

3.  $y = 3 \cos \left( 2x - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = 3 \cos 2 \left( x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$

$A = 3$   
 $B = 2$   
 $D = \frac{\pi}{4}$  Right

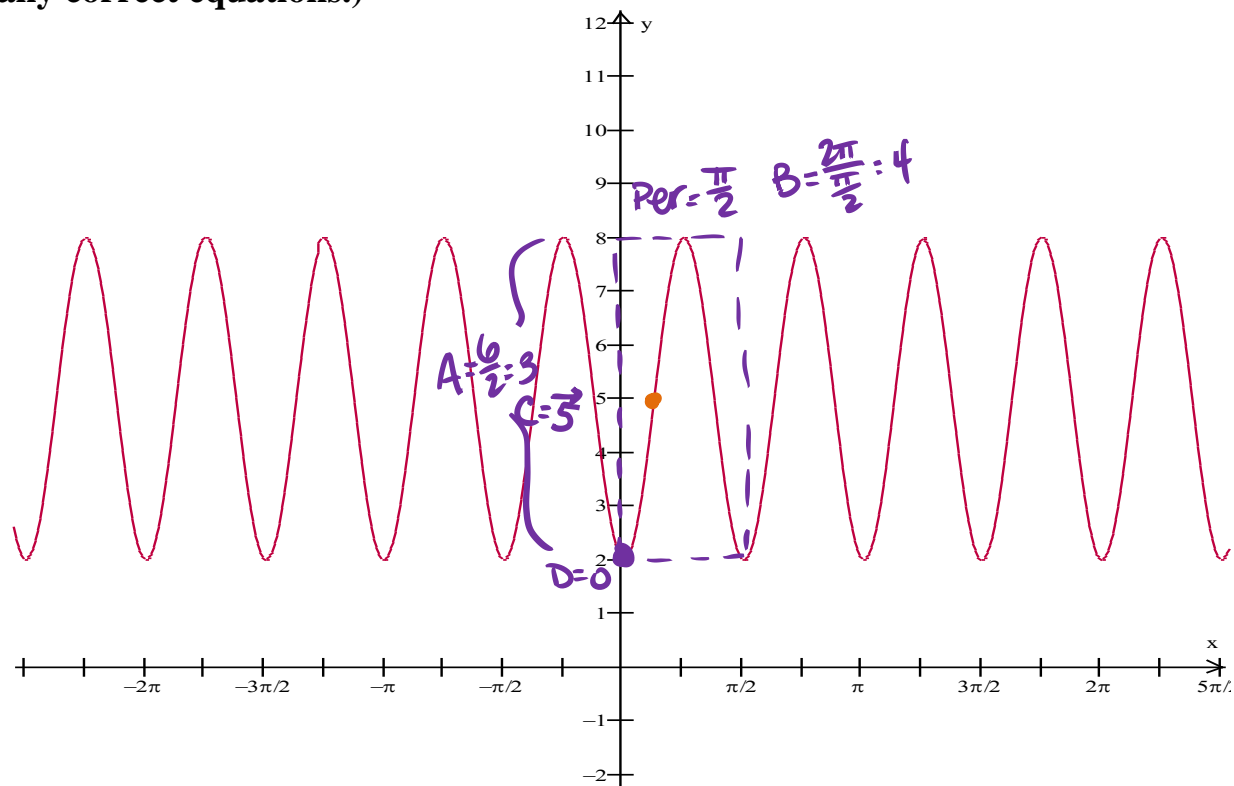
Per =  $\frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$

Crit pts every  $\frac{\pi}{4}$



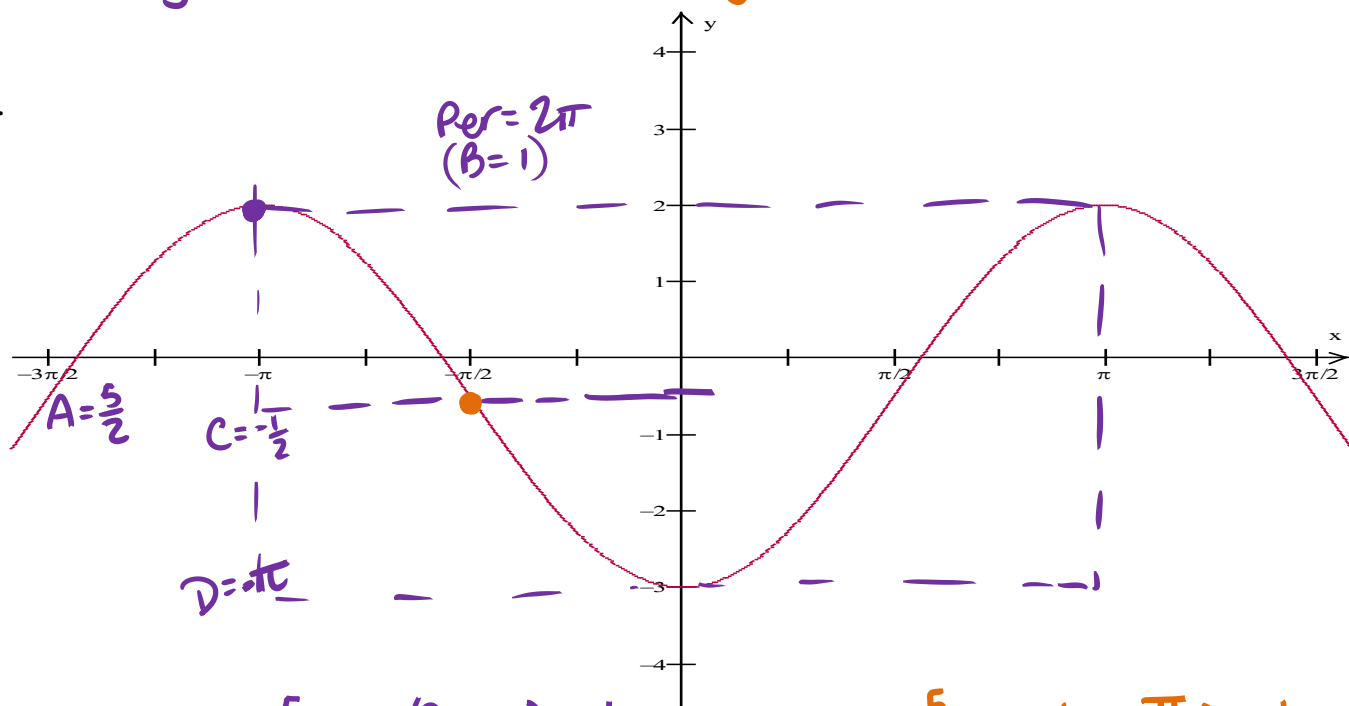
For #4-5, write the equation that best represents the graph. (Reminder: there will be many correct equations.)

4.



Equation:  $y = -3\cos 4\theta + 5$   $y = 3\sin 4(\theta - \frac{\pi}{4}) + 5$

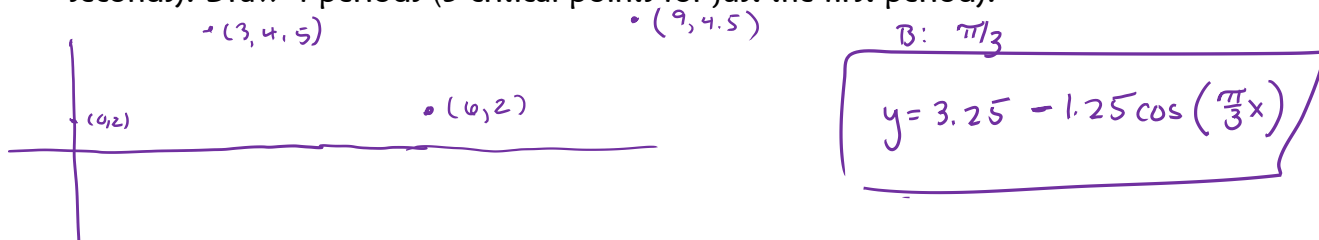
5.



Equation:  $y = \frac{5}{2}\cos(\theta + \pi) - \frac{1}{2}$   $y = -\frac{5}{2}\sin(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}) - \frac{1}{2}$

6. Charlotte is on a swing at the playground. When she sits on the swing, she is 2 feet from the ground. Her mom pulls her back to give her a swing, and her height off the ground goes to 4.5 feet off the ground. Assume that she swings forward to a height off the ground of 4.5 feet, and that Her mom pushes her so that she keeps the same motion. It takes Charlotte 6 seconds to complete one "swing," from back to front to back again.

A) Draw a graph of Charlotte's height from the ground (in feet) versus the time (in seconds). Draw 4 periods (5 critical points for just the first period).



B) Write an equation to model your graph.

C) What is Charlotte's height off the ground at 3.4 seconds? At 15.2 seconds? (Round to the 10<sup>th</sup>.) (CALCULATOR)

$$3.4 \text{ secs} \Rightarrow 4.4 \text{ ft}$$

$$15.2 \text{ secs} \Rightarrow 4.5 \text{ ft}$$

D) What is the first time that Charlotte is 3 feet off the ground? What is the *third* time she is 3 feet off the ground? (Round to the 10<sup>th</sup> of a second.) (CALCULATOR)

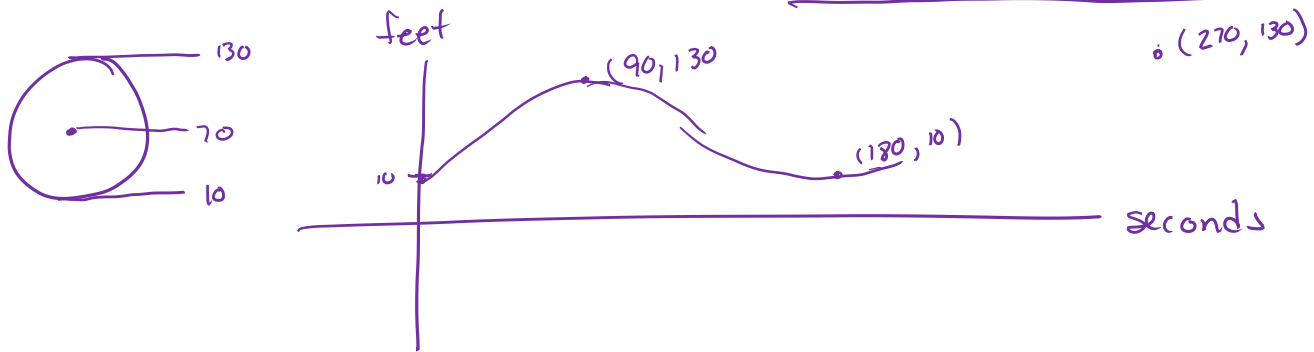
$$1^{\text{st}} \text{ time} \approx 1.3 \text{ secs}$$

$$3^{\text{rd}} \text{ time} \approx 7.3 \text{ secs}$$

7. A Ferris wheel 120 feet in diameter completes 1 revolution every 180 seconds. The lowest point is 10 feet above ground.

$$B = \frac{2\pi r}{180} = \frac{\pi}{90}$$

a) Draw the graph of the situation, starting with a person getting on at the bottom of the wheel at time  $t = 0$  seconds. Assume the person gets to ride for 4 revolutions.



b) Determine an equation to represent the rider's path.

$$y = 70 - 60 \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{90}\right)$$

c) How high will the rider be after 10 minutes?

10 minutes  $\Rightarrow$  600 seconds

100 feet

d) When will the rider be 100 feet above ground for the first time?

60 seconds

