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ASSIGNMENT: Unit Circle

DIRECTIONS: Utilizing your new knowledge about the unit circle, find the exact measurements for the following problems. Note: "Exact" means simplified radicals with no decimals. If you need extra help, there is a completed unit circle and tutorial video on my website.

Step 1: Sketch an x and y-axis

Step 2: Draw the triangle in the correct quadrant

Step 3: The hypotenuse is always 1

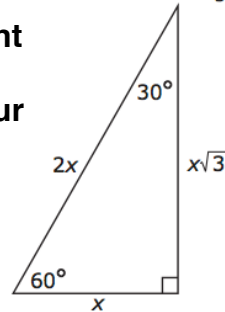
Step 4: Complete the other two sides using your knowledge of special right triangles.

Step 5: Sine is the "y" coordinate

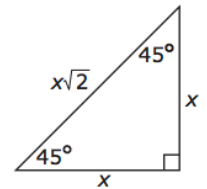
Step 6: Cosine is the "x" coordinate

Step 7: Tangent is sine divided by cosine

30° - 60° - 90° triangle



45° - 45° - 90° triangle



1.) Find the sine, cosine, and tangent for 120°

SINE 1a.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$ B: $1/2$ C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$ D: $-1/2$ E: $-\sqrt{3}$

COSINE 1b.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$ B: $1/2$ C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$ D: $-1/2$ E: $-\sqrt{3}$

TANGENT 1c.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$ B: $1/2$ C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$ D: $-1/2$ E: $-\sqrt{3}$

2.) Find the sine, cosine, and tangent for 150°

SINE 2a.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$ B: $1/2$ C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$ D: $-1/2$ E: $\sqrt{3}$

COSINE 2b.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$ B: $1/2$ C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$ D: $-1/2$ E: $\sqrt{3}$

TANGENT 2c.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$ B: $1/2$ C: $-\sqrt{3}/3$ D: $\sqrt{3}/3$ E: $\sqrt{3}$

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3.) Find the sine, cosine, and tangent for 300°

SINE	3a.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$	B: $1/2$	C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$	D: $-1/2$	E: $-\sqrt{3}$
COSINE	3b.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$	B: $1/2$	C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$	D: $-1/2$	E: $-\sqrt{3}$
TANGENT	3c.) A: $\sqrt{3}/2$	B: $1/2$	C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$	D: $-1/2$	E: $-\sqrt{3}$

4.) Find the sine, cosine, and tangent for 225°

SINE	4a.) A: $\sqrt{2}/2$	B: $-\sqrt{2}/2$	C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$	D: -1	E: 1
COSINE	4b.) A: $\sqrt{2}/2$	B: $-\sqrt{2}/2$	C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$	D: -1	E: 1
TANGENT	4c.) A: $\sqrt{2}/2$	B: $-\sqrt{2}/2$	C: $-\sqrt{3}/2$	D: -1	E: 1

5.) Find the coordinates for the unit circle at each degree or radian measurement.

270°	5a.) A: (0, 1)	B: (1, 0)	C: (0, -1)	D: (-1, 0)
300°	5b.) A: $(1/2, \sqrt{3}/2)$	B: $(1/2, -\sqrt{3}/2)$	C: $(\sqrt{3}/2, -1/2)$	D: $(\sqrt{3}/2, 1/2)$
315°	5c.) A: $(\sqrt{2}/2, \sqrt{2}/2)$	B: $(-\sqrt{2}/2, \sqrt{2}/2)$	C: $(\sqrt{2}/2, -\sqrt{2}/2)$	D: (1, -1)

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Answer Key

1.) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$; $\frac{-1}{2}$; $\sqrt{3}$; ADE

2.) $\frac{1}{2}$; $\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}$; $\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{3}$

3.) $\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}$; $\frac{1}{2}$; $-\sqrt{3}$

4.) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$; $\frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}$; -1

5.) $(0, -1)$; $(1/2, -\sqrt{3}/2)$; $(\sqrt{2}/2, -\sqrt{2}/2)$