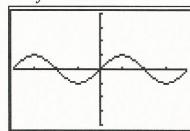
Summary of Graphing Trig Functions





$$y = a \sin b(x - c) + d$$

Amplitude = a

Period =
$$\frac{360}{b}$$
 or $\frac{2\pi}{b}$

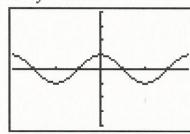
Vertical Shift = d

Period =
$$\frac{360}{b}$$
 or $\frac{2\pi}{b}$ $\frac{0}{b}$ + $\frac{2\pi}{b}$

Steps to sketch

- x-coordinate Graph begins at Horizontal Shift and ends at H.S. + period. Use midpoint rule to locate intermediate points.
- 2. y-coordinate. Baseline shifts by Vertical Shift. Compute maximum and minimum y-values by adding and subtracting amplitude from baseline.
- 3. Locate high, low, and baseline points. Sine wave starts at baseline, goes to max, then back to baseline, down to min, and back to baseline. Connect all points with a smooth, rounded curve.

2.
$$y = \cos x$$



$$y = a\cos b(x-c) + d$$

Amplitude = a

Period =
$$\frac{360}{h}$$
 or $\frac{2\pi}{h}$

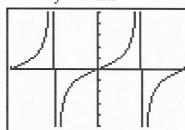
Horizontal Shift = c

Vertical Shift = d

Steps to sketch

- x-coordinate Graph begins at Horizontal Shift and ends at H.S. + period. Use midpoint rule to locate intermediate points.
- 2. y-coordinate. Baseline shifts by Vertical Shift. Compute maximum and minimum y-values by adding and subtracting amplitude from baseline.
- 3. Locate high, low, and baseline points. Cosine wave starts at max, goes to baseline, down to min, back to baseline, and back to max. Connect all points with a smooth, rounded curve.

3. $y = \tan x$



$$y = a \tan b (x - c) + d$$

Amplitude = does not apply

Period =
$$\frac{180}{b}$$
 or $\frac{\pi}{b}$

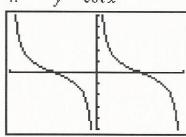
Horizontal Shift = c

Vertical Shift = d

Steps to sketch

- 1. x-coordinate. x-intercept at Horizontal Shift. Vertical asymptotes occur one-half period either side of x-intercept.
- 2. y-coordinate. Baseline shifts by Vertical Shift.
- 3. Graph starts in lower left region, swings through the x-intercept, and continues up to the upper right region.

4. $y = \cot x$



 $y = a \cot b(x - c) + d$

Amplitude = does not apply

Period =
$$\frac{180}{b}$$
 or $\frac{\pi}{b}$

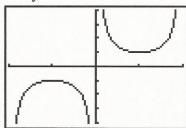
Horizontal Shift = c

Vertical Shift = d

Steps to sketch

- 1. x-coordinate. Left asymptote occurs at Horizontal Shift. Right asymptote occurs a full period to the right. x-intercept occurs midway between the asymptotes
- 2. y-coordinate. Baseline shifts by Vertical Shift.
- 3. Graph starts in upper left region, swings through the x-intercept, and continues up to the lower right region.

5. $y = \csc x$



$$y = a \csc b(x - c) + d$$

Amplitude = doesn't apply

Period =
$$\frac{360}{h}$$
 or $\frac{2\pi}{h}$

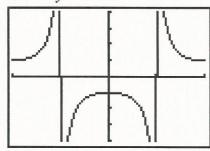
Horizontal Shift = c

Vertical Shift = d

Steps to sketch

- 1. x-coordinate Graph begins at Horizontal Shift and ends at H.S. + period. Use midpoint rule to locate intermediate points. Draw a dashed sine wave. Whenever, the sine crosses the x-axis, draw a vertical asymptote
- 2. y-coordinate. Baseline shifts by Vertical Shift. Locate max and min points of sine wave. Minimum point of cosecant is at the maximum of sine wave. The minimum is at Vertical Shift + a. Maximum point of cosecant is at the minimum of sine wave. The minimum is at Vertical Shift a.
- 3. Draw U-shaped graphs from the max/min points out to the vertical asymptotes.

6. $y = \sec x$



$$y = a \sec b(x - c) + d$$

Amplitude = doesn't apply

Period =
$$\frac{360}{h}$$
 or $\frac{2\pi}{h}$

Horizontal Shift = c

Vertical Shift = d

Steps to sketch

- x-coordinate Graph begins at Horizontal Shift and ends at H.S. + period. Use midpoint rule to locate intermediate points. Draw a dashed cosine wave. Whenever, the cosine crosses the x-axis, draw a vertical asymptote
- 2. y-coordinate. Baseline shifts by Vertical Shift. Locate max and min points of sine wave. Minimum point of secant is at the maximum of cosine wave. The minimum is at Vertical Shift + a. Maximum point of cosecant is at the minimum of cosine wave. The minimum is at Vertical Shift a.
- 3. Draw U-shaped graphs from the max/min points out to the vertical asymptotes.