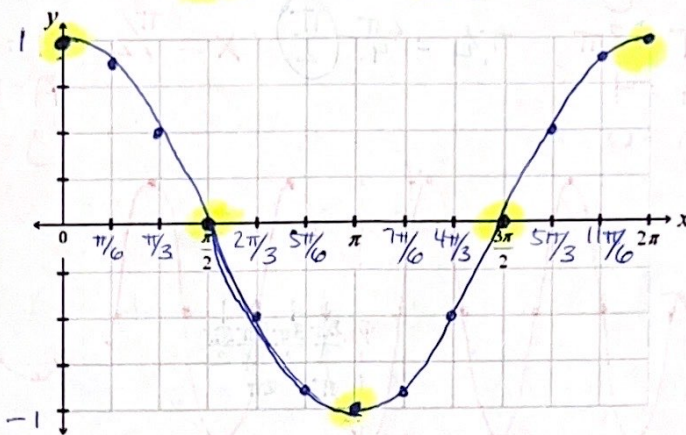
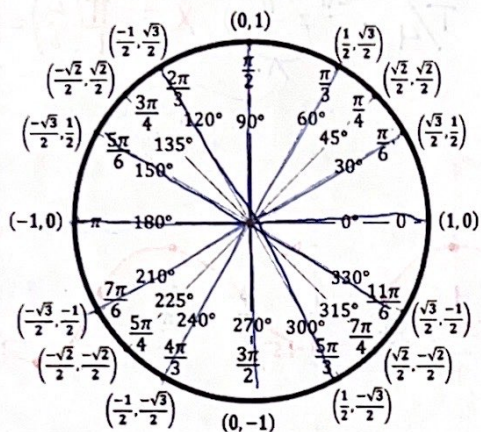


## Notes: 34.3 Cosine Graph

Note:  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = .86$

"Unwrapping" Cosine from the Unit Circle:

On the Unit Circle:  $x = \cos \theta$  &  $y = \sin \theta$  On the Cosine Graph:  $x = \theta$  from Unit Circle &  $y = \cos \theta$  from Unit Circle



Period:  $T = 2\pi$  Amplitude:  $A = 1$  Midline:  $y = 0$

Key Points for Cosine:  $(0, 1)$   $(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0)$   $(\pi, -1)$   $(\frac{3\pi}{2}, 0)$   $(2\pi, 1)$

Amplitude and Period (Vertical stretch/shrink and Horizontal stretch/shrink):

- $y = A \cos(Bx)$
- Amplitude: the distance from the midline to the top (or midline to the bottom) is  $A$  OR multiply the  $y$ -values by  $A$
- Period: the length of one full cycle (or period) is  $T = \frac{2\pi}{B}$  OR multiply the  $x$ -values by  $\frac{1}{B}$

Identify the period, amplitude, and midline, then graph. Identify the domain and range.

1.  $y = 4 \cos(\frac{1}{2}x)$

$T = \frac{2\pi}{\frac{1}{2}} = 2\pi(\frac{2}{1}) = 4\pi$

$A = 4$   $\frac{T}{4} = \pi$

$y = 0$

$D: (-\infty, \infty)$

$R: [-4, 4]$

2.  $y = \frac{3}{2} \cos(3x)$

$T = \frac{2\pi}{3}$   $\frac{T}{4} = \frac{2\pi}{3} / 4 = \frac{2\pi}{3}(\frac{1}{4}) = \frac{2\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$A = 1.5$

$y = 0$

$D: (-\infty, \infty)$

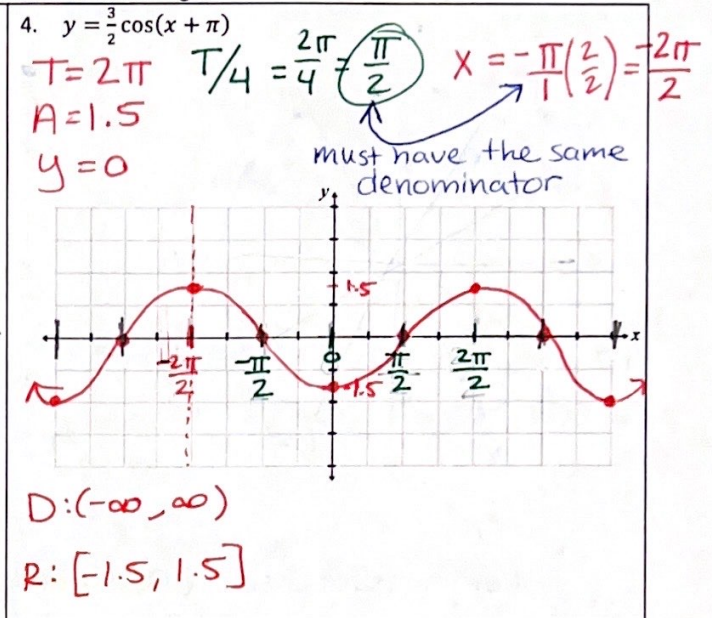
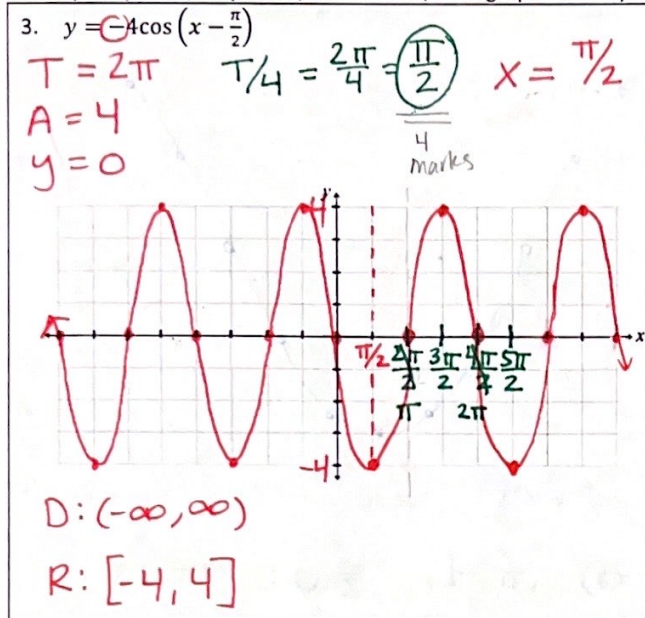
$R: [-1.5, 1.5]$



Phase Shift (Horizontal shift/left-right movement):

- $y = A \cos(B(x - C))$
- Phase shift: the new "beginning/start" of the period is  $x = C$  OR move the graph  $C$  units left/right

Identify the period, amplitude, and midline, then graph. Identify the domain and range.



Midline Changes (vertical shift/up-down movement):

- $y = A \cos(B(x - C) + D)$
- Midline: the line that splits the graph in half horizontally goes through  $y = D$  OR move the graph  $D$  units up/down

Identify the period, amplitude, and midline, then graph. Identify the domain and range.

