5.2 - Trig Functions: The Unit Circle Approach

2. Find the exact values of the six trig functions of quadrantal angles:

a.)
$$\theta = 0 = 0^{\circ}$$

b.)
$$\theta = 3\pi/2 = 270^{\circ}$$

3. Find the exact value of:

a.)
$$\sin (3\pi) =$$

b.)
$$\cos (-270^{\circ}) =$$

4. Find the exact values of the six trig functions of $\pi/4$.

5. Find the exact values of the following expressions:

b.)
$$\tan (\pi/4) - \sin (3\pi/2) =$$

c.) sec
$$(\pi/4)^2$$
 + csc $(\pi/2)$ =

6. Find the exact values of the following:

b.)
$$\cos 5\pi/4 =$$

f.)
$$\tan 5\pi/3 =$$

7. Use a calculator to approximate the value of (round to the nearest hundredth):

a.)
$$cos 48^{\circ} =$$

b.) csc
$$21^{\circ}$$
 =

c.)
$$\tan \pi/12 =$$

-When using a circle of radius *r* to evaluate trig functions:

For any angle θ in standard position, let P(x,y) be the point on the terminal side of θ that is also on $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}$$
 $\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$ $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$, $x \neq 0$
 $\csc \theta = \frac{r}{y}$ $\sec \theta = \frac{r}{x}$ $\cot \theta = \frac{x}{y}$, $y \neq 0$

8. Find the exact value of the 6 trig functions of angle θ if (4, -3) is a point on its terminal side.

** Hint: use $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ to find r, and then use in conjunction with the given x,y coordinates of (4, -3).

- <u>Projectile Motion:</u> The path of a projectile fired at an inclination θ to the horizontal with an initial speed of v_0 is a parabola. The range R of a projectile, that is, the horizontal distance that the projectile travels, is found by using the formula: $R = \frac{(v_0)^2 (sin2\theta)^2}{g} \text{ where } g = 32.2 \text{ ft/sec or } 9.8 \text{ m/sec, is the acceleration due to gravity.}$

The max height of the projectile is H = $\frac{(v_0)^2(sin\theta)^2}{2g}$

9. Find the range R and the max height H of a projectile fired at 30° to the horizontal with an initial speed of 150 meters/sec.