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## Chapter two Functions

### 2-1- Exponential and Logarithm functions :

Exponential functions : If  $a$  is a positive number and  $x$  is any number , we define the exponential function as :

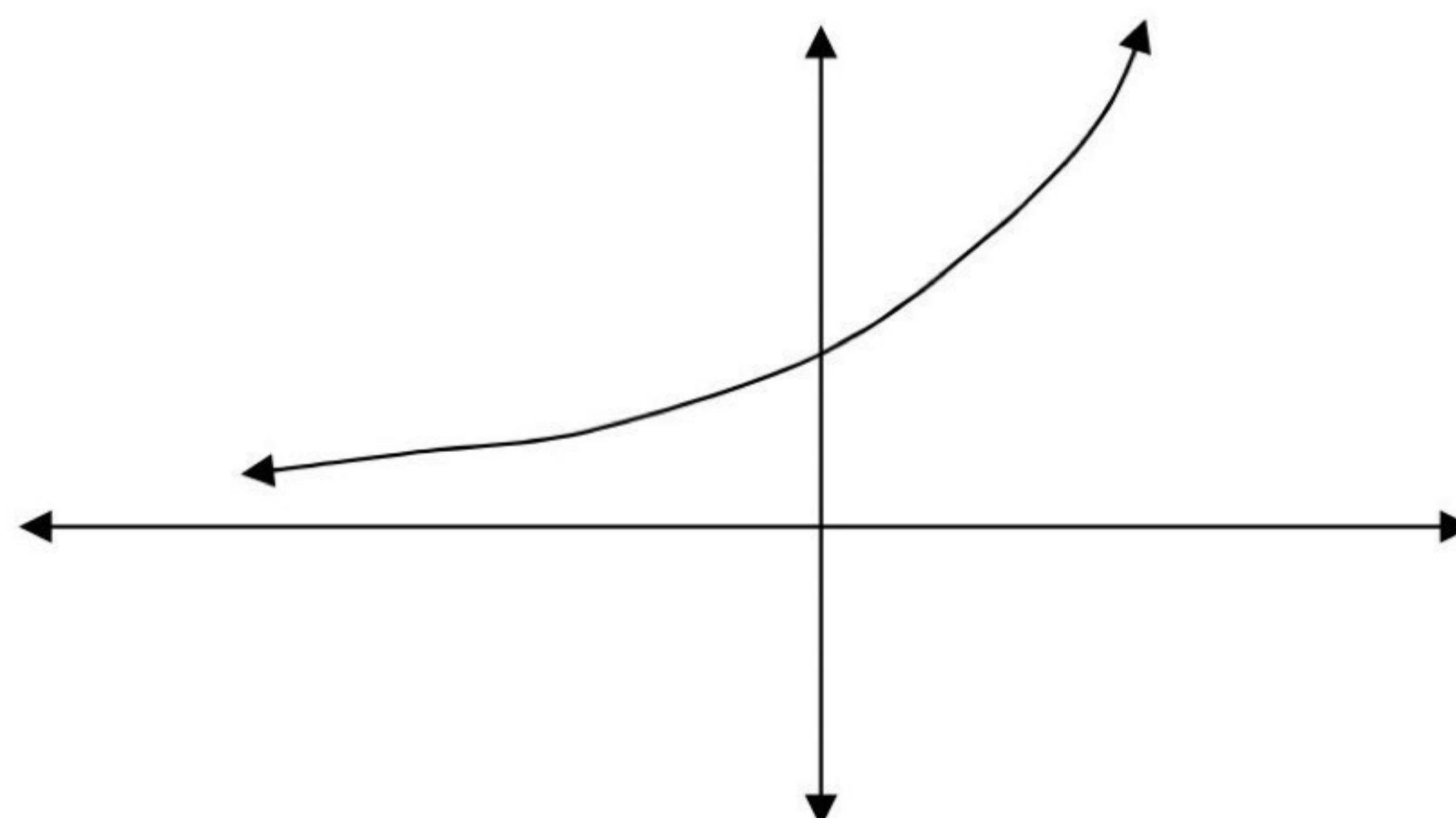
$$y = a^x \quad \text{with domain} : -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$\text{Range} : y > 0$$

The properties of the exponential functions are :

1. If  $a > 0 \leftrightarrow a^x > 0$  .
2.  $a^x \cdot a^y = a^{x+y}$  .
3.  $a^x / a^y = a^{x-y}$  .
4.  $(a^x)^y = a^{x \cdot y}$  .
5.  $(a \cdot b)^x = a^x \cdot b^x$  .
6.  $a^{\frac{x}{y}} = \sqrt[y]{a^x} = (\sqrt[y]{a})^x$  .
7.  $a^{-x} = 1/a^x$  and  $a^x = 1/a^{-x}$  .
8.  $a^x = a^y \leftrightarrow x = y$  .
9.  $a^0 = 1$  ,  
 $a^\infty = \infty$  ,  $a^{-\infty} = 0$  , where  $a > 1$  .  
 $a^\infty = 0$  ,  $a^{-\infty} = \infty$  , where  $a < 1$  .

The graph of the exponential function  $y = a^x$  is :



Logarithm function : If  $a$  is any positive number other than 1 , then the logarithm of  $x$  to the base  $a$  denoted by :

$$y = \log_a x \quad \text{where } x > 0$$

At  $a = e = 2.7182828\dots$  , we get the natural logarithm and denoted by :

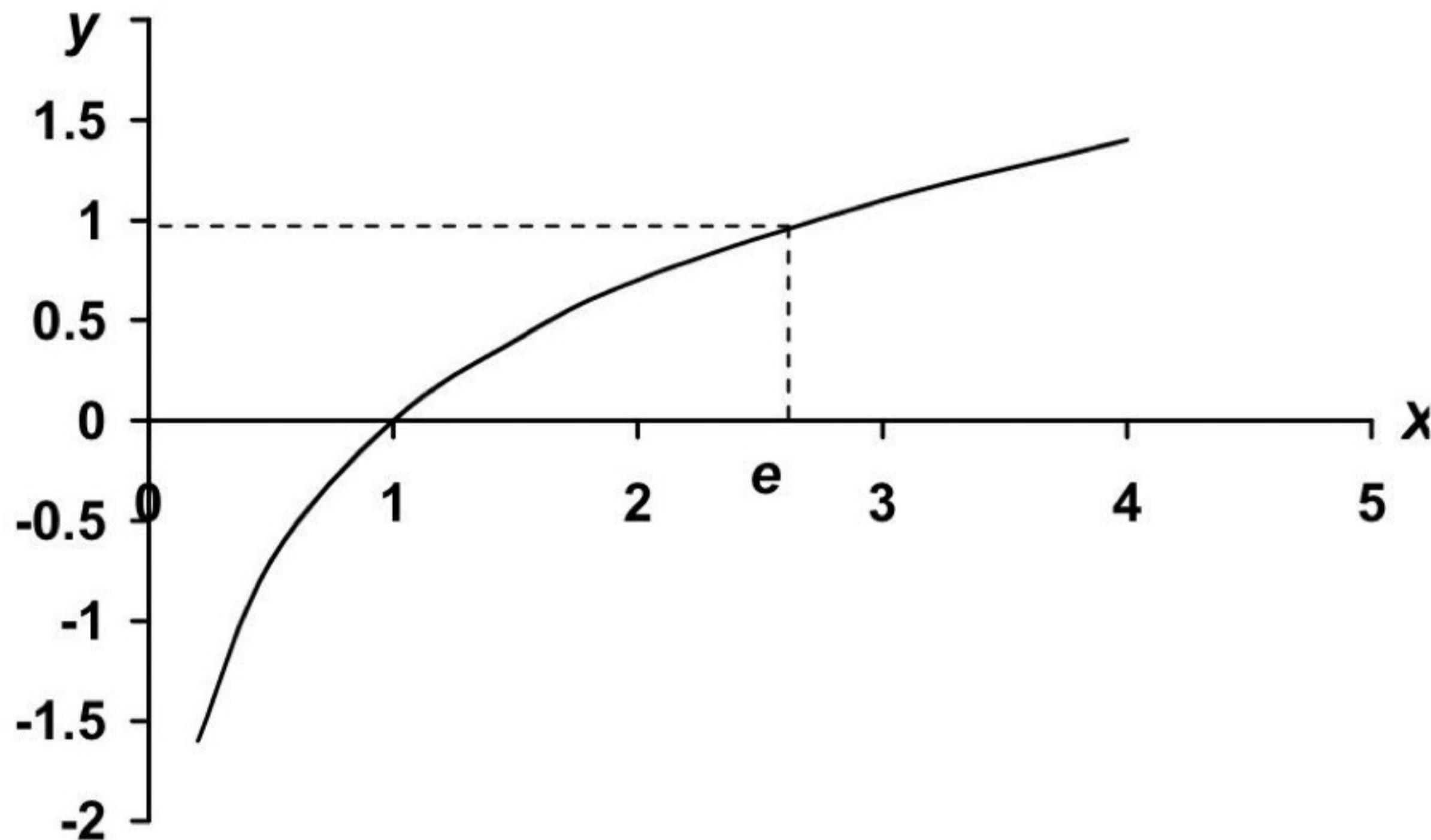
$$y = \ln x$$

Let  $x, y > 0$  then the properties of logarithm functions are :

1.  $y = a^x \leftrightarrow x = \log_a y$  and  $y = e^x \leftrightarrow x = \ln y$  .
2.  $\log_e x = \ln x$  .
3.  $\log_a x = \ln x / \ln a$  .

4.  $\ln(x \cdot y) = \ln x + \ln y$  .
5.  $\ln(x/y) = \ln x - \ln y$  .
6.  $\ln x^n = n \cdot \ln x$  .
7.  $\ln e = \log_a a = 1$  and  $\ln 1 = \log_a 1 = 0$  .
8.  $a^x = e^{x \cdot \ln a}$  .
9.  $e^{\ln x} = x$  .

The graph of the function  $y = \ln x$  is :



### Application of exponential and logarithm functions :

We take Newton's law of cooling :

$$T - T_S = (T_0 - T_S) e^{tk}$$

where  $T$  is the temperature of the object at time  $t$ .

$T_S$  is the surrounding temperature .

$T_0$  is the initial temperature of the object .

$k$  is a constant .

**EX-1-** The temperature of an ingot of metal is  $80 {}^\circ C$  and the room temperature is  $20 {}^\circ C$ . After twenty minutes, it was  $70 {}^\circ C$ .

- What is the temperature will the metal be after 30 minutes?
- What is the temperature will the metal be after two hours?
- When will the metal be  $30 {}^\circ C$ ?

**Sol :**

$$T - T_S = (T_0 - T_S) e^{tk} \Rightarrow 50 = 60 e^{20k} \Rightarrow k = \frac{\ln 5 - \ln 6}{20} = -0.0091$$

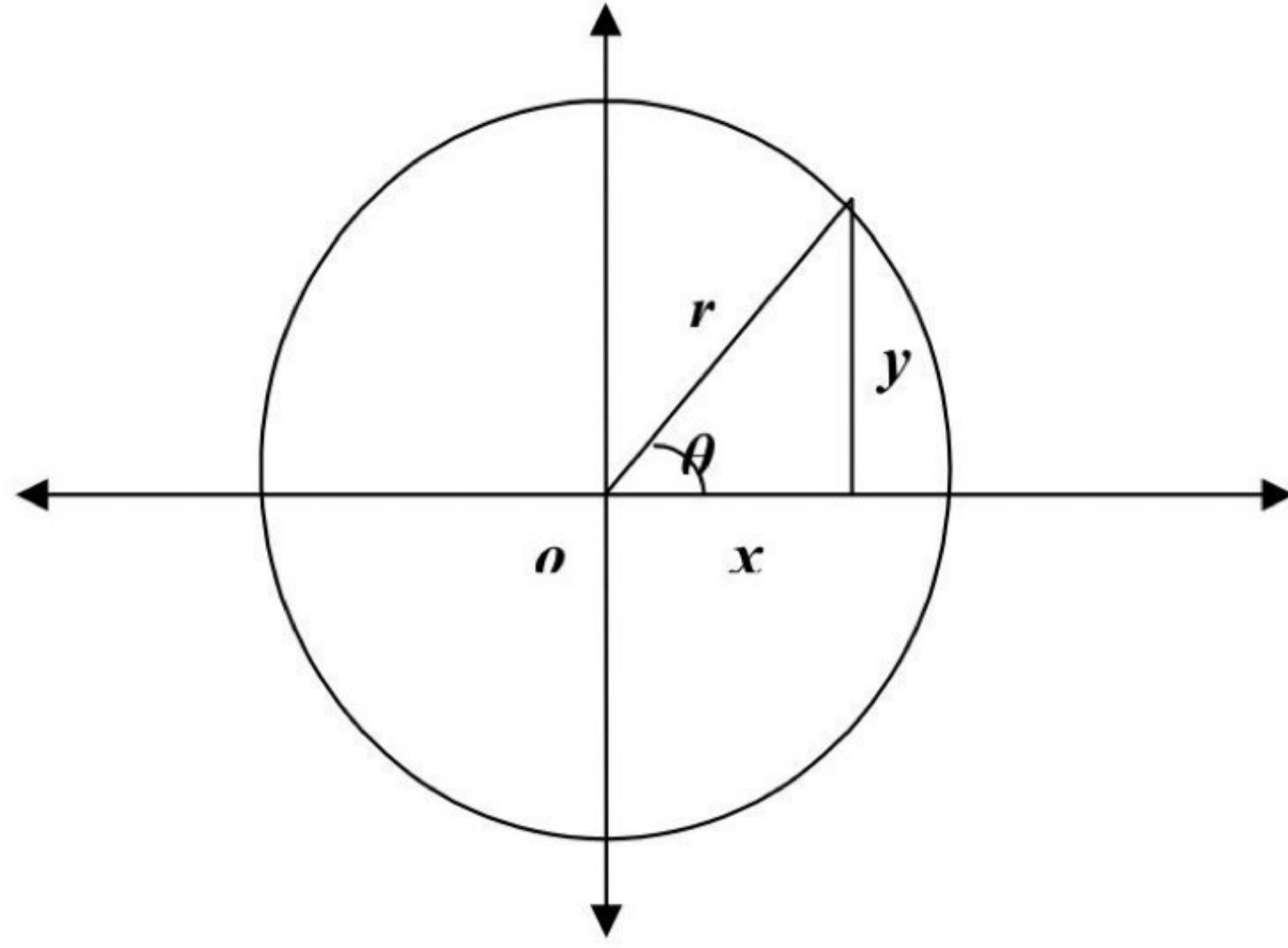
$$a) \quad T - 20 = 60 e^{30(-0.0091)} = 60 * 0.761 = 45.6 {}^\circ C \Rightarrow T = 65.6 {}^\circ C$$

$$b) \quad T - T_S = 60 e^{120(-0.0091)} = 60 * 0.335 = 20.1 {}^\circ C \Rightarrow T = 40.1 {}^\circ C$$

$$c) \quad 10 = 60 e^{-0.0091 t} \Rightarrow -0.0091 t = -\ln 6 \Rightarrow t = 3.3 \text{ hrs.}$$

**2-2- Trigonometric functions :** When an angle of measure  $\theta$  is placed in standard position at the center of a circle of radius  $r$ , the trigonometric functions of  $\theta$  are defined by the equations :

$$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{1}{\csc \theta}, \quad \cos \theta = \frac{x}{r} = \frac{1}{\sec \theta}, \quad \tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{\cot \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$



The following are some properties of these functions :

- 1)  $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$
- 2)  $1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta \quad \text{and} \quad 1 + \cot^2 \theta = \csc^2 \theta$
- 3)  $\sin(\theta \mp \beta) = \sin \theta \cdot \cos \beta \mp \cos \theta \cdot \sin \beta$
- 4)  $\cos(\theta \mp \beta) = \cos \theta \cdot \cos \beta \pm \sin \theta \cdot \sin \beta$
- 5)  $\tan(\theta \mp \beta) = \frac{\tan \theta \mp \tan \beta}{1 \pm \tan \theta \cdot \tan \beta}$
- 6)  $\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta \quad \text{and} \quad \cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$
- 7)  $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2}$
- 8)  $\sin(\theta \mp \frac{\pi}{2}) = \mp \cos \theta \quad \text{and} \quad \cos(\theta \mp \frac{\pi}{2}) = \pm \sin \theta$
- 9)  $\sin(-\theta) = -\sin \theta \quad \text{and} \quad \cos(-\theta) = \cos \theta \quad \text{and} \quad \tan(-\theta) = -\tan \theta$
- 10)  $\sin \theta \cdot \sin \beta = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(\theta - \beta) - \cos(\theta + \beta)]$   
 $\cos \theta \cdot \cos \beta = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(\theta - \beta) + \cos(\theta + \beta)]$   
 $\sin \theta \cdot \cos \beta = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(\theta - \beta) + \sin(\theta + \beta)]$

$$11) \quad \sin \theta + \sin \beta = 2 \sin \frac{\theta + \beta}{2} \cdot \cos \frac{\theta - \beta}{2}$$

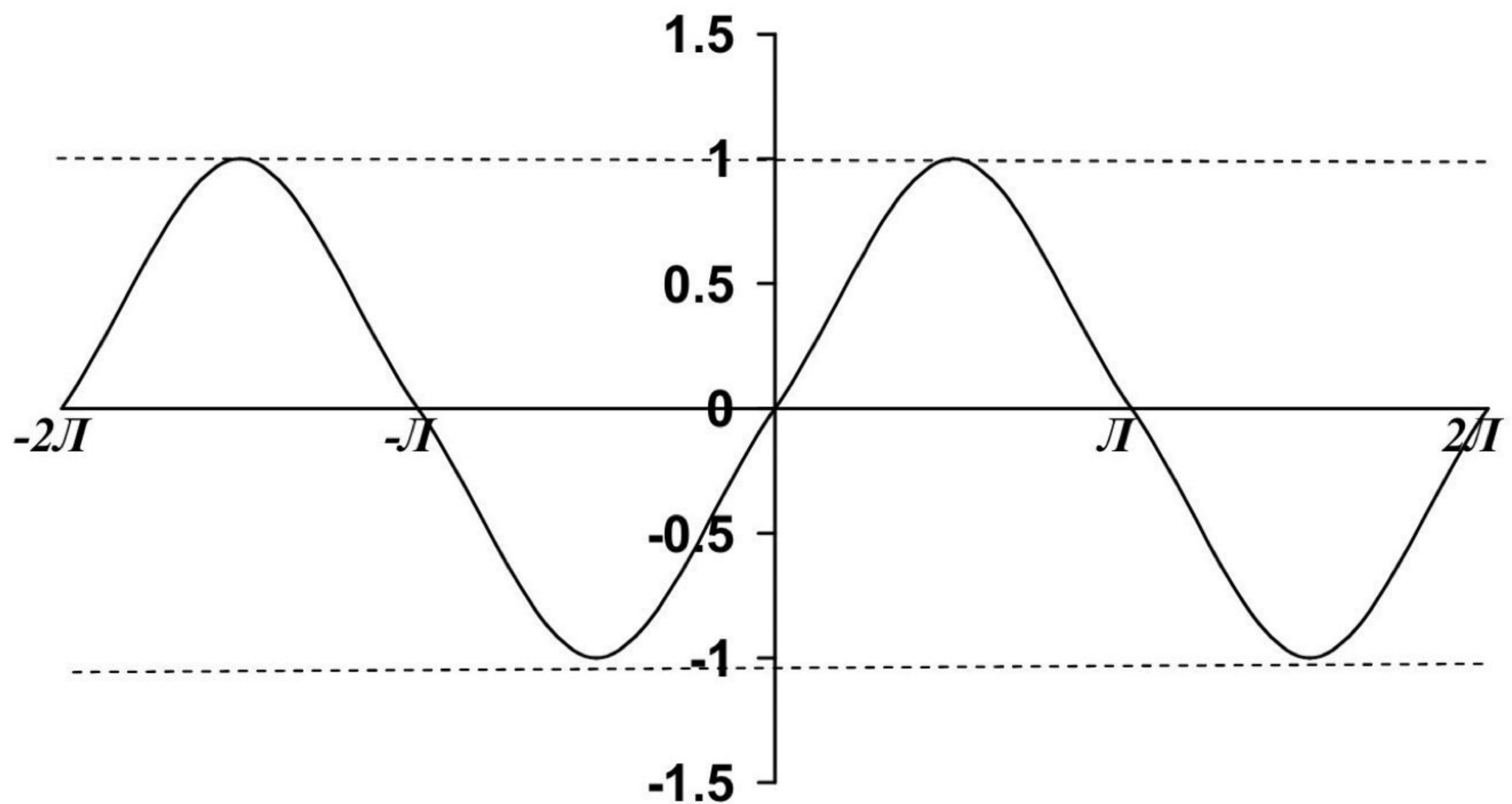
$$\sin \theta - \sin \beta = 2 \cos \frac{\theta + \beta}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{\theta - \beta}{2}$$

$$12) \quad \cos \theta + \cos \beta = 2 \cos \frac{\theta + \beta}{2} \cdot \cos \frac{\theta - \beta}{2}$$

$$\cos \theta - \cos \beta = -2 \sin \frac{\theta + \beta}{2} \cdot \sin \frac{\theta - \beta}{2}$$

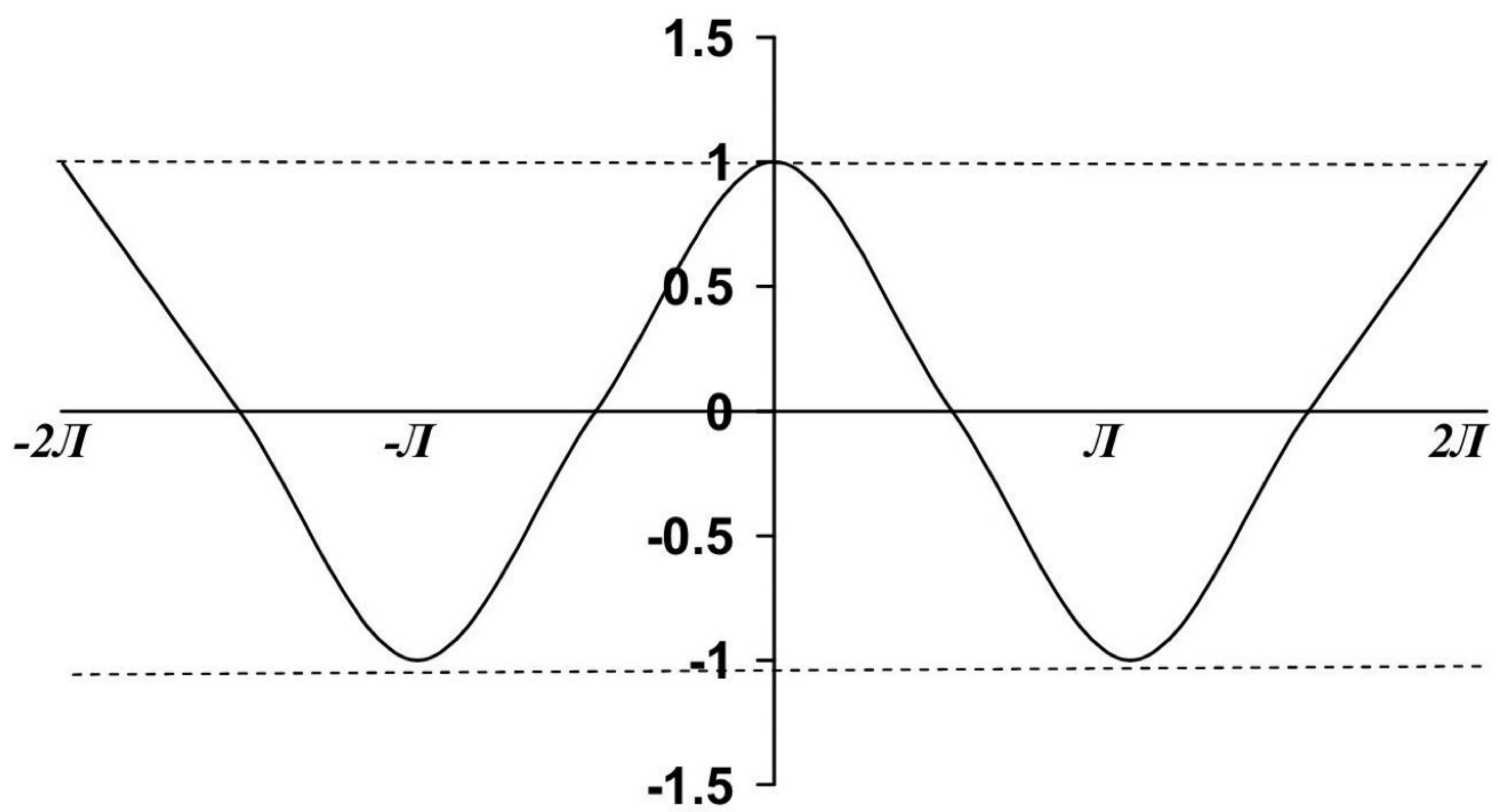
$\theta$	0	$\pi/6$	$\pi/4$	$\pi/3$	$\pi/2$	$\pi$
$\sin \theta$	0	$1/2$	$1/\sqrt{2}$	$\sqrt{3}/2$	1	0
$\cos \theta$	1	$\sqrt{3}/2$	$1/\sqrt{2}$	$1/2$	0	-1
$\tan \theta$	0	$1/\sqrt{2}$	1	$\sqrt{3}$	$\infty$	0

Graphs of the trigonometric functions are :

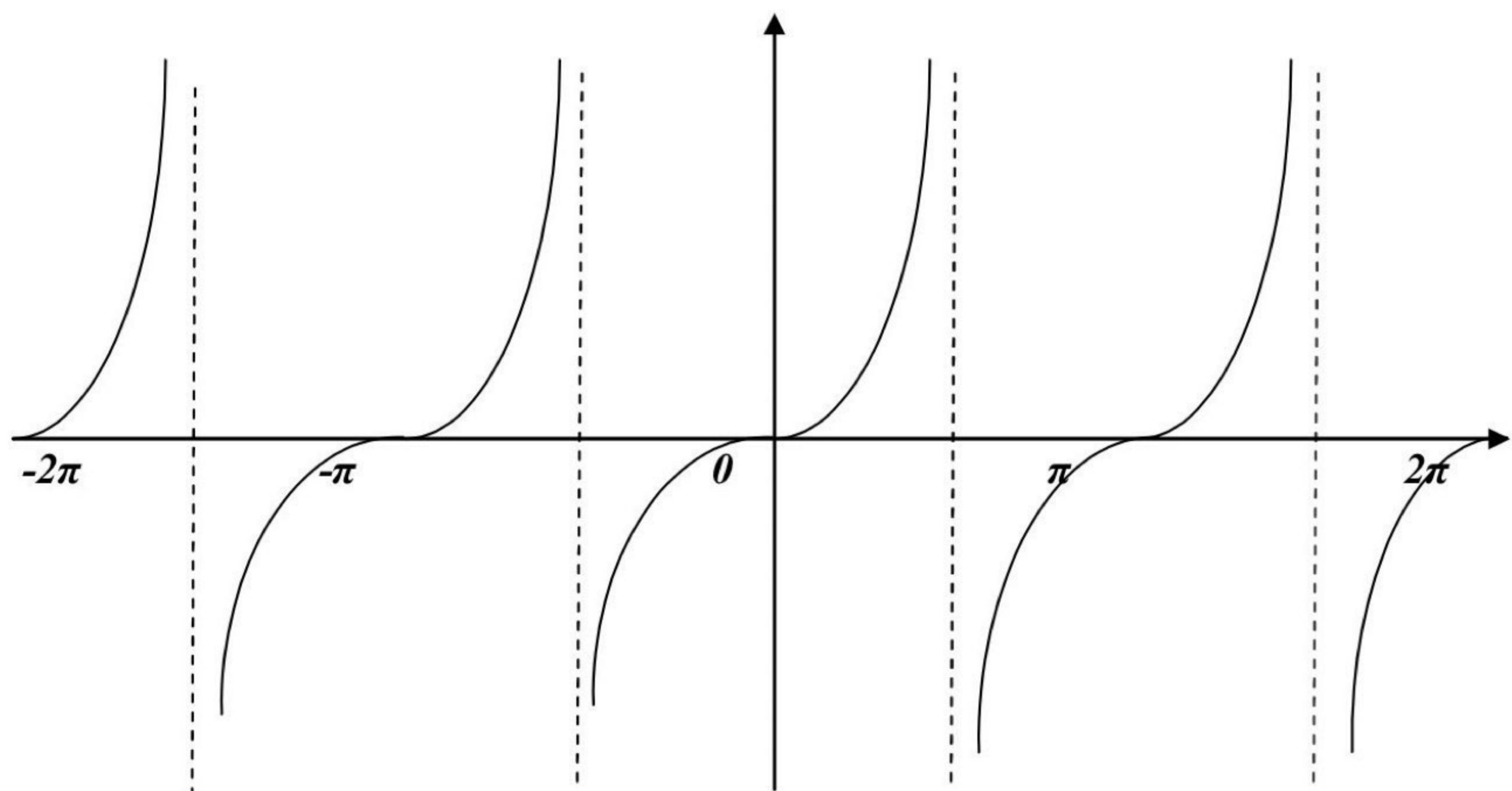


$$y = \sin x \quad D_x : \forall x$$

$$R_y : -1 \leq y \leq 1$$

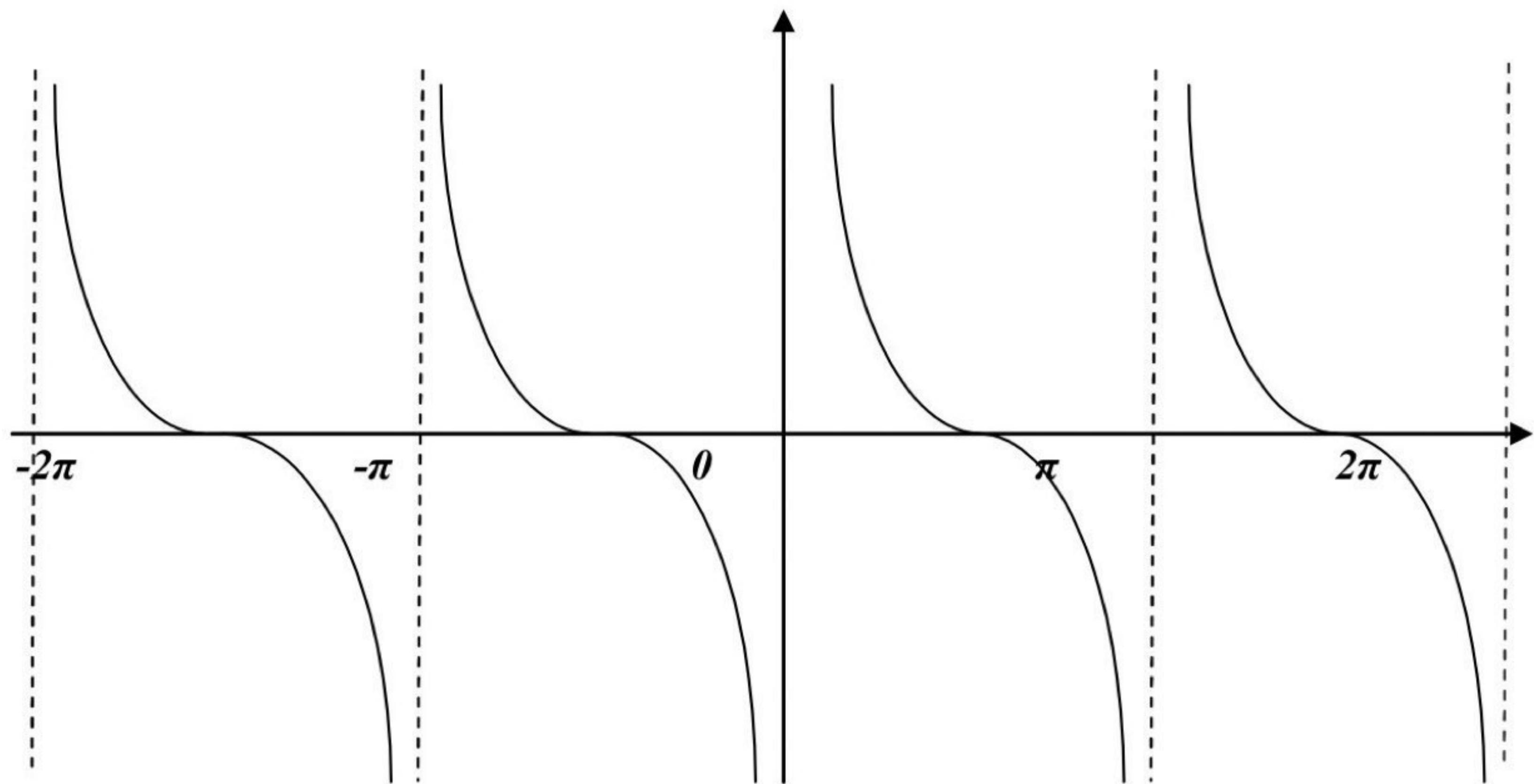


$$y = \cos x \quad D_x : \forall x \\ R_y : -1 \leq y \leq 1$$

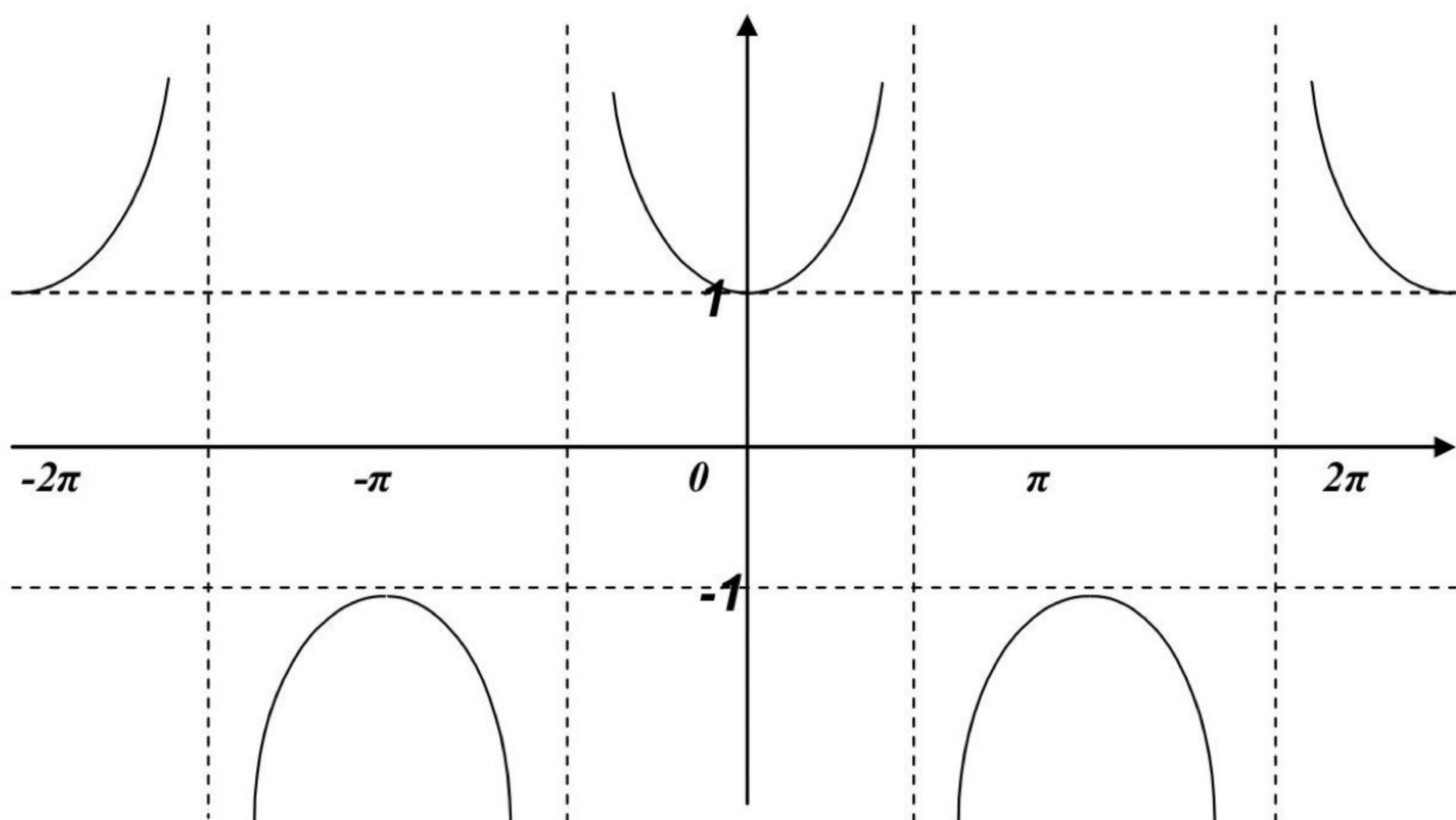


$$y = \tan x \quad D_x : \forall x \neq \frac{2n+1}{2}\pi \\ R_y : \forall y$$

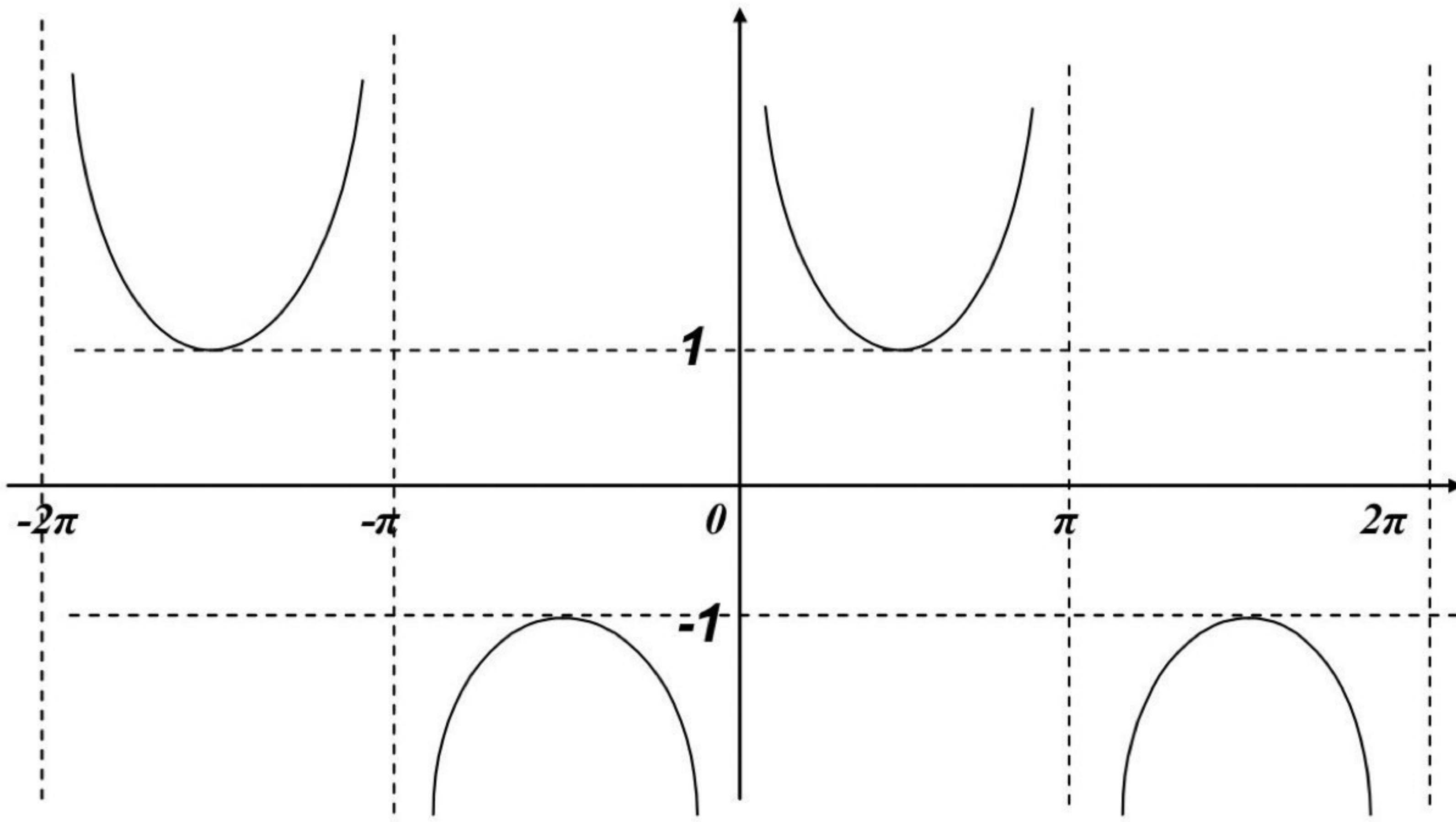
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$$y = \operatorname{Cot} x \quad D_x : \forall x \neq n\pi \\ R_y : \forall y$$



$$y = \operatorname{Sec} x \quad D_x : \forall x \neq \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2} \\ R_y : \forall y \geq 1 \text{ or } y \leq -1$$



$$y = \csc x \quad D_x : \forall x \neq n\pi$$

$$R_y : \forall y \geq 1 \text{ or } y \leq -1$$

Where  $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots$

EX-2 - Solve the following equations , for values of  $\theta$  from  $0^\circ$  to  $360^\circ$  inclusive .

$$\text{a)} \tan \theta = 2 \sin \theta \quad \text{b)} 1 + \cos \theta = 2 \sin^2 \theta$$

Sol.-

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a)} \tan \theta = 2 \sin \theta &\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = 2 \sin \theta \\ &\Rightarrow \sin \theta (1 - 2 \cos \theta) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{either } \sin \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 0^\circ, 180^\circ, 360^\circ$$

$$\text{or } \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ, 300^\circ$$

Therefore the required values of  $\theta$  are  $0^\circ, 60^\circ, 180^\circ, 300^\circ, 360^\circ$ .

$$\text{b)} 1 + \cos \theta = 2 \sin^2 \theta \Rightarrow 1 + \cos \theta = 2(1 - \cos^2 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 \cos \theta - 1)(\cos \theta + 1) = 0$$

$$\text{either } \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ, 300^\circ$$

$$\text{or } \cos \theta = -1 \Rightarrow \theta = 180^\circ$$

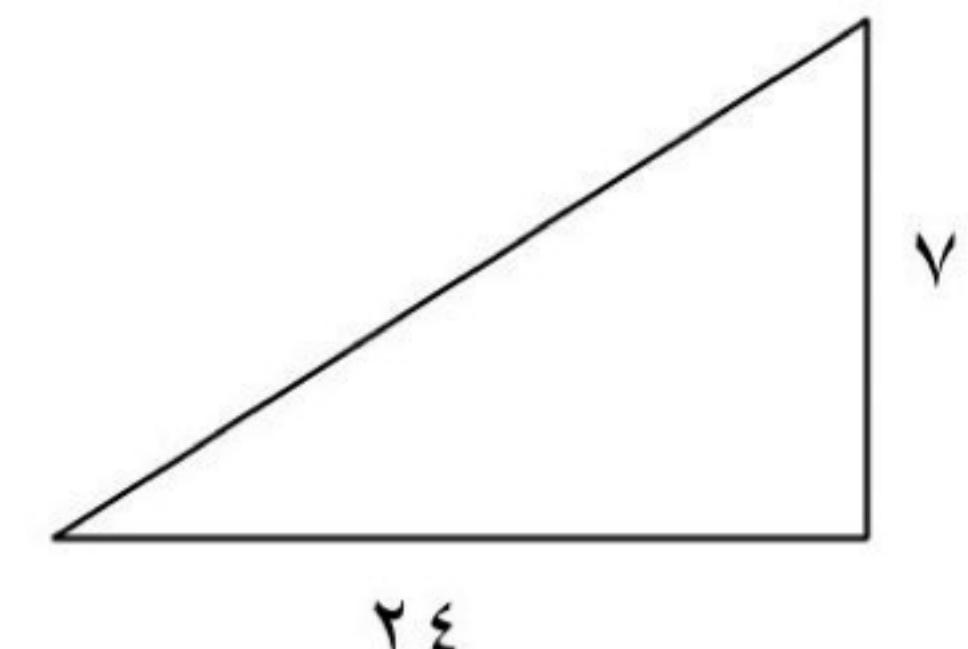
There the roots of the equation between  $0^\circ$  and  $360^\circ$  are  $60^\circ, 180^\circ$  and  $300^\circ$ .

**EX-3-** If  $\tan \theta = 7/24$ , find without using tables the values of  $\sec \theta$  and  $\sin \theta$ .

**Sol.-**

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} = \frac{7}{24} \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{7^2 + 24^2} = 25$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{r}{x} = \frac{25}{24} \quad \text{and} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{7}{25}$$



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**EX-4-** Prove the following identities :

$$a) \ Csc \theta + \tan \theta \cdot \sec \theta = Csc \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta$$

$$b) \ \cos^4 \theta - \sin^4 \theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$c) \ \frac{\sec \theta - \csc \theta}{\tan \theta - \cot \theta} = \frac{\tan \theta + \cot \theta}{\sec \theta + \csc \theta}$$

**Sol.-**

$$a) \ L.H.S. = \csc \theta + \tan \theta \cdot \sec \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cdot \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} = \csc \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta = R.H.S.$$

$$b) \ L.H.S. = \cos^4 \theta - \sin^4 \theta = (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta)(\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$= \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = R.H.S.$$

$$c) \ L.H.S. = \frac{\sec \theta - \csc \theta}{\tan \theta - \cot \theta} = \frac{\frac{1}{\cos \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin \theta}}{\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} - \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}} = \frac{1}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta} \cdot \frac{\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta}{1} = \frac{\tan \theta + \cot \theta}{\sec \theta + \csc \theta} = R.H.S.$$

**EX-5-** Simplify  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}$  when  $x = a \csc \theta$  .

$$\text{Sol.-} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 \csc^2 \theta - a^2}} = \frac{1}{a \sqrt{\cot^2 \theta}} = \frac{1}{a} \tan \theta .$$

**EX-6-** Eliminate  $\theta$  from the equations :

$$i) \ x = a \sin \theta \text{ and } y = b \tan \theta$$

$$ii) \ x = 2 \sec \theta \text{ and } y = \cos 2\theta$$

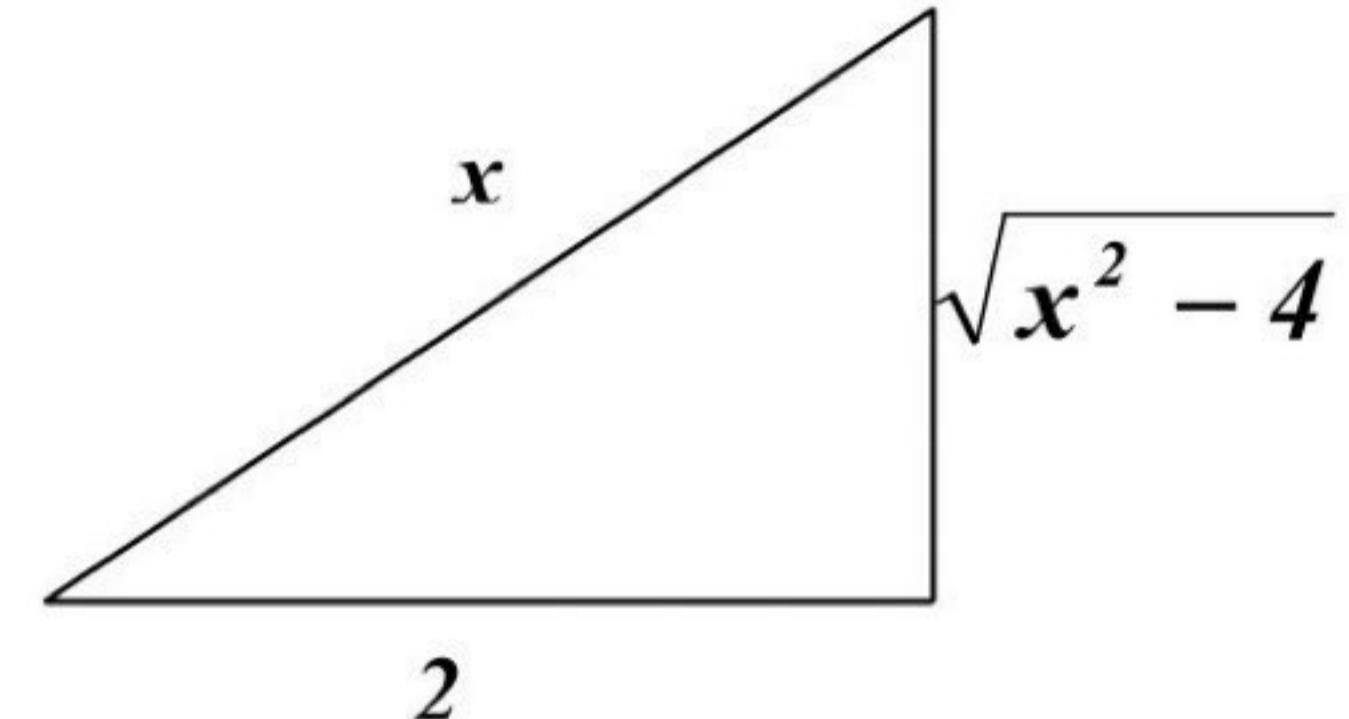
**Sol.-**

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$$i) \quad x = a \cdot \sin \theta \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{x}{a} \Rightarrow \csc \theta = \frac{a}{x}$$

$$y = b \tan \theta \Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{y}{b} \Rightarrow \cot \theta = \frac{b}{y}$$

Since  $\csc^2 \theta = \cot^2 \theta + 1 \Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{x^2} = \frac{b^2}{y^2} + 1$



$$ii) \quad x = 2 \sec \theta \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$y = \cos 2\theta \Rightarrow y = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$y = \frac{4}{x^2} - \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2} \Rightarrow x^2 y = 8 - x^2$$

EX-7- If  $\tan^2 \theta - 2 \tan^2 \beta = 1$ , show that  $2 \cos^2 \theta - \cos^2 \beta = 0$ .

Sol. -

$$\tan^2 \theta - 2 \tan^2 \beta = 1 \Rightarrow \sec^2 \theta - 1 - 2(\sec^2 \beta - 1) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec^2 \theta - 2 \sec^2 \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} - \frac{2}{\cos^2 \beta} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos^2 \theta - \cos^2 \beta = 0 \quad Q.E.D.$$

EX-8- If  $a \sin \theta = p - b \cos \theta$  and  $b \sin \theta = q + a \cos \theta$ . Show that :  
 $a^2 + b^2 = p^2 + q^2$

Sol. -

$$p = a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta \quad \text{and} \quad q = b \sin \theta - a \cos \theta$$

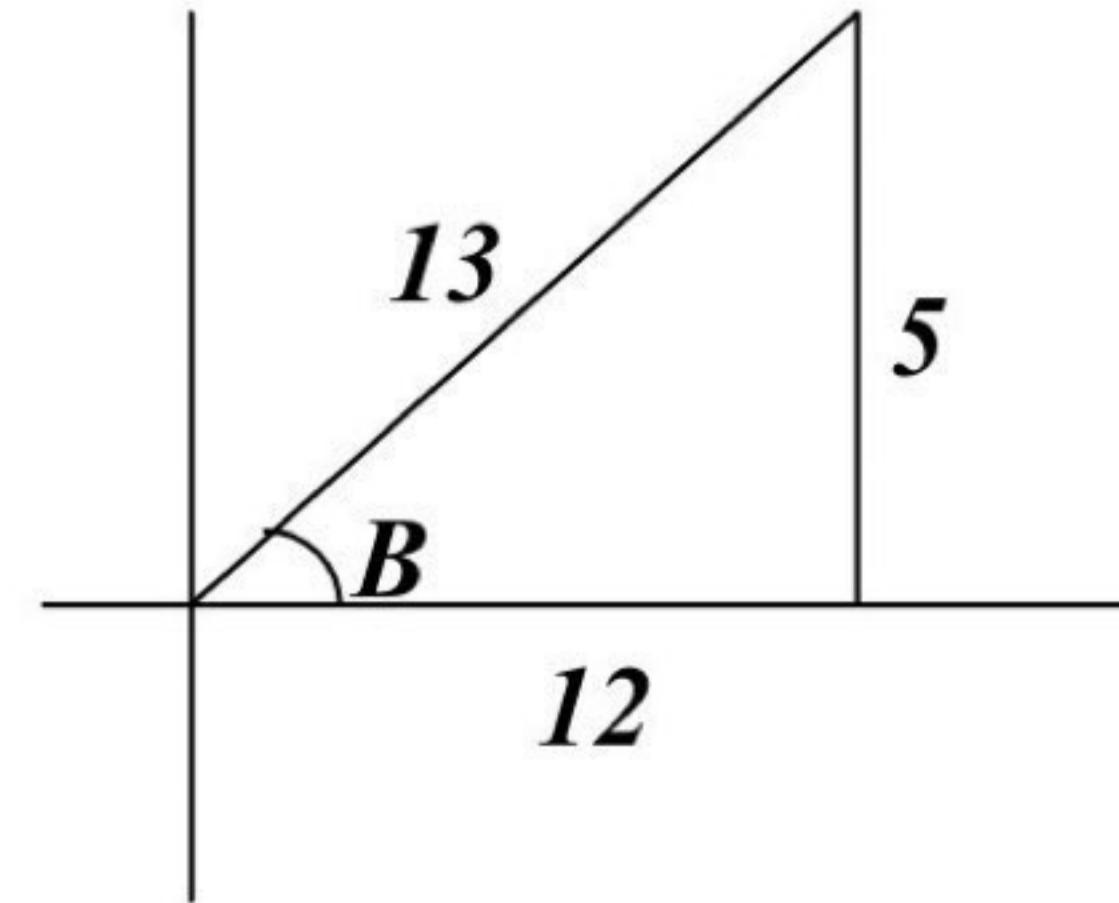
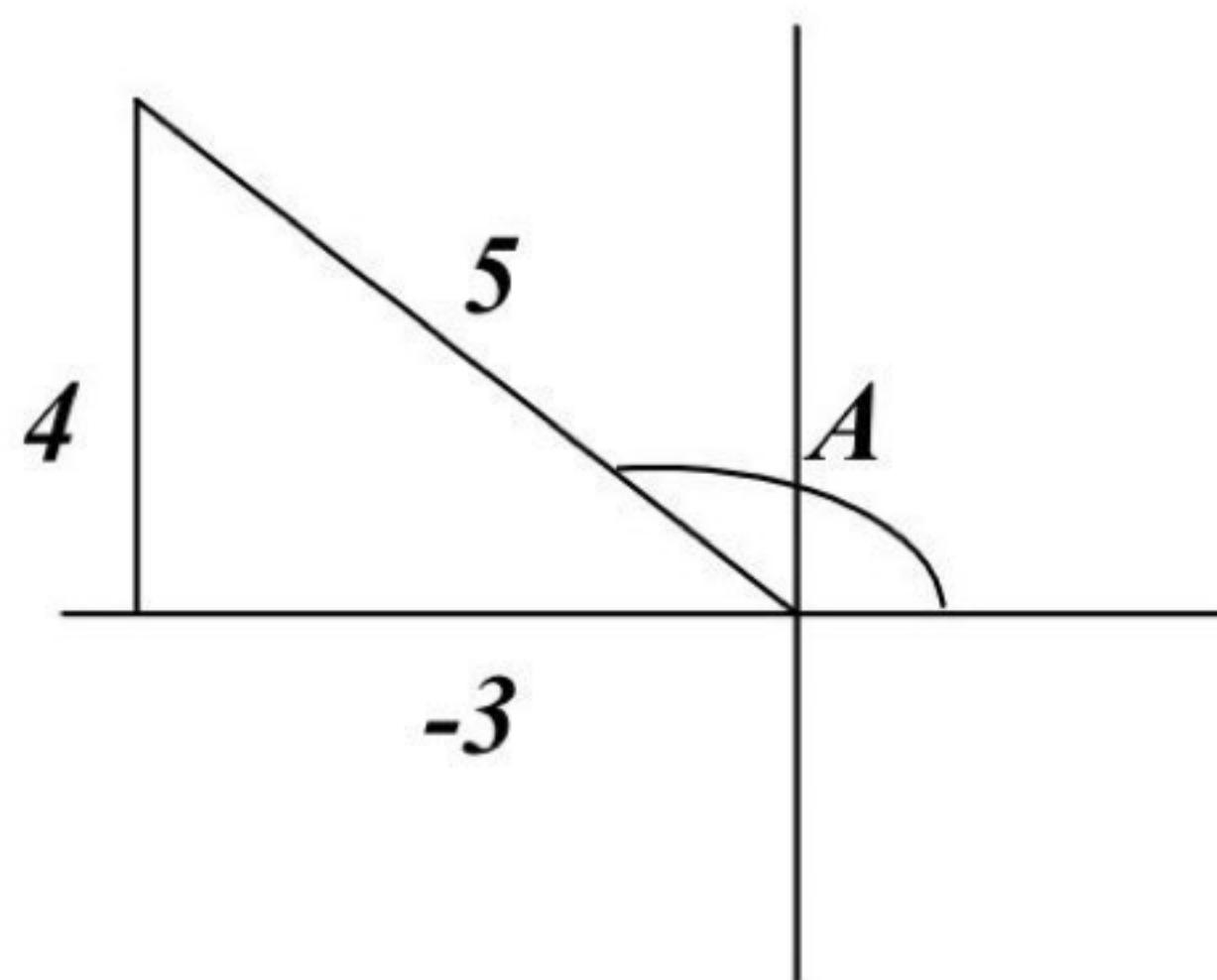
$$p^2 + q^2 = (a \sin \theta + b \cos \theta)^2 + (b \sin \theta - a \cos \theta)^2$$

$$= a^2 (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) + b^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = a^2 + b^2$$

EX-9- If  $\sin A = 4/5$  and  $\cos B = 12/13$ , where  $A$  is obtuse and  $B$  is acute. Find, without tables, the values of :

- a)  $\sin(A - B)$ , b)  $\tan(A - B)$ , c)  $\tan(A + B)$ .

Sol. -



$$a) \quad \sin(A - B) = \sin A \cdot \cos B - \cos A \cdot \sin B$$

$$= \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{12}{13} + \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{5}{13} = \frac{63}{65}$$

$$b) \quad \tan(A - B) = \frac{\tan A - \tan B}{1 + \tan A \cdot \tan B}$$

$$= \frac{-\frac{4}{3} - \frac{5}{12}}{1 - \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{12}} = -\frac{63}{16}$$

$$c) \quad \tan(A + B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \cdot \tan B}$$

$$= \frac{-\frac{4}{3} + \frac{5}{12}}{1 + \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{12}} = \frac{33}{56}$$

**EX-10 – Prove the following identities:**

$$a) \quad \sin(A + B) + \sin(A - B) = 2 \cdot \sin A \cdot \cos B$$

$$b) \quad \tan A + \tan B = \frac{\sin(A + B)}{\cos A \cdot \cos B}$$

$$c) \quad \sec(A + B) = \frac{\sec A \cdot \sec B \cdot \csc A \cdot \csc B}{\csc A \cdot \csc B - \sec A \cdot \sec B}$$

$$d) \quad \frac{\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta + 1}{\sin 2\theta - \cos 2\theta + 1} = \cot \theta$$

Sol.-

$$a) \quad L.H.S. = \sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B)$$

$$= \sin A \cdot \cos B + \cos A \cdot \sin B + \sin A \cdot \cos B - \cos A \cdot \sin B$$

$$= 2 \cdot \sin A \cdot \cos B = R.H.S.$$

$$b) \quad R.H.S. = \frac{\sin(A+B)}{\cos A \cdot \cos B} = \frac{\sin A \cdot \cos B + \cos A \cdot \sin B}{\cos A \cdot \cos B}$$

$$= \tan A + \tan B = L.H.S.$$

$$c) \quad R.H.S = \frac{\sec A \cdot \sec B \cdot \csc A \cdot \csc B}{\csc A \cdot \csc B - \sec A \cdot \sec B} = \frac{\frac{1}{\cos A} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos B} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin A} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin B}}{\frac{1}{\sin A} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin B} - \frac{1}{\cos A} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos B}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos A \cdot \cos B - \sin A \cdot \sin B} = \frac{1}{\cos(A+B)}$$

$$= \sec(A+B) = L.H.S.$$

$$d) \quad L.H.S. = \frac{\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta + 1}{\sin 2\theta - \cos 2\theta + 1} = \frac{2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta + (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) + 1}{2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta - (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) + 1}$$

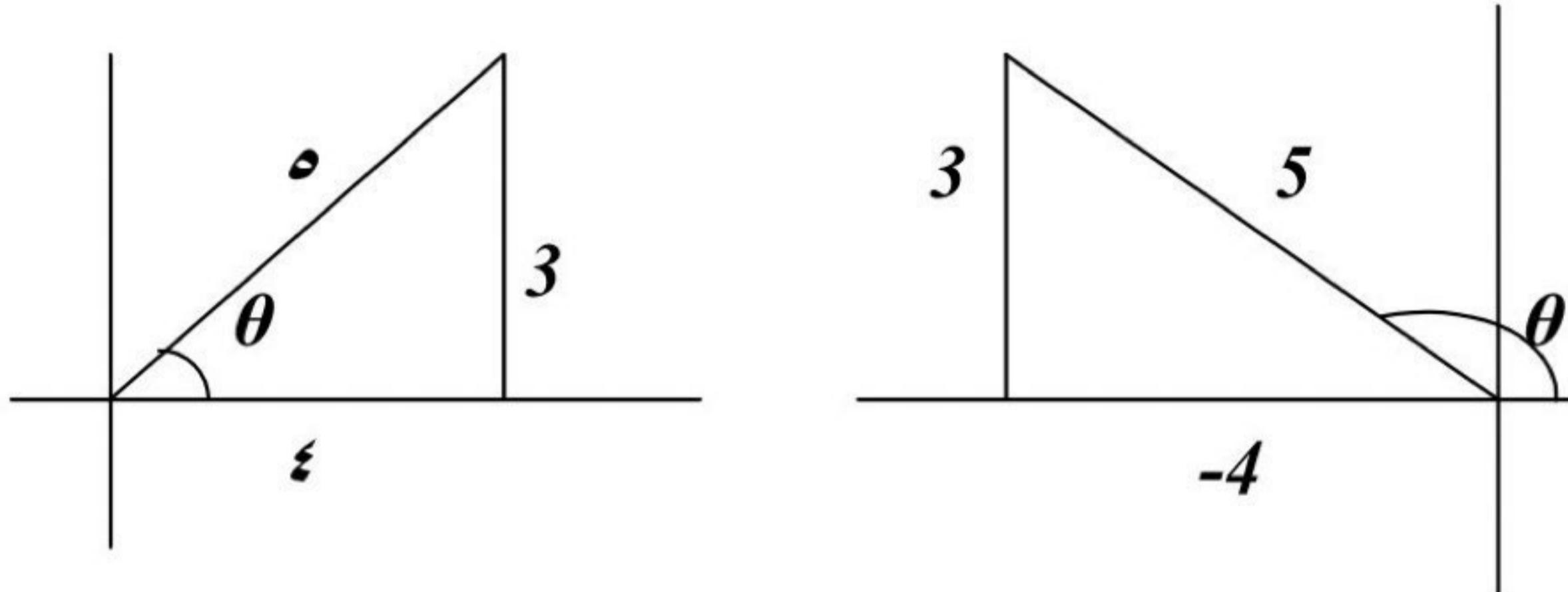
$$= \frac{2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta + 2\cos^2 \theta}{2\sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta + 2\sin^2 \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \cot \theta = R.H.S.$$

**EX-11** – Find , without using tables , the values of  $\sin 2\theta$  and  $\cos 2\theta$ , when:

a)  $\sin \theta = 3/5$  , b)  $\cos \theta = 12/13$  , c)  $\sin \theta = -\sqrt{3}/2$  .

Sol. –

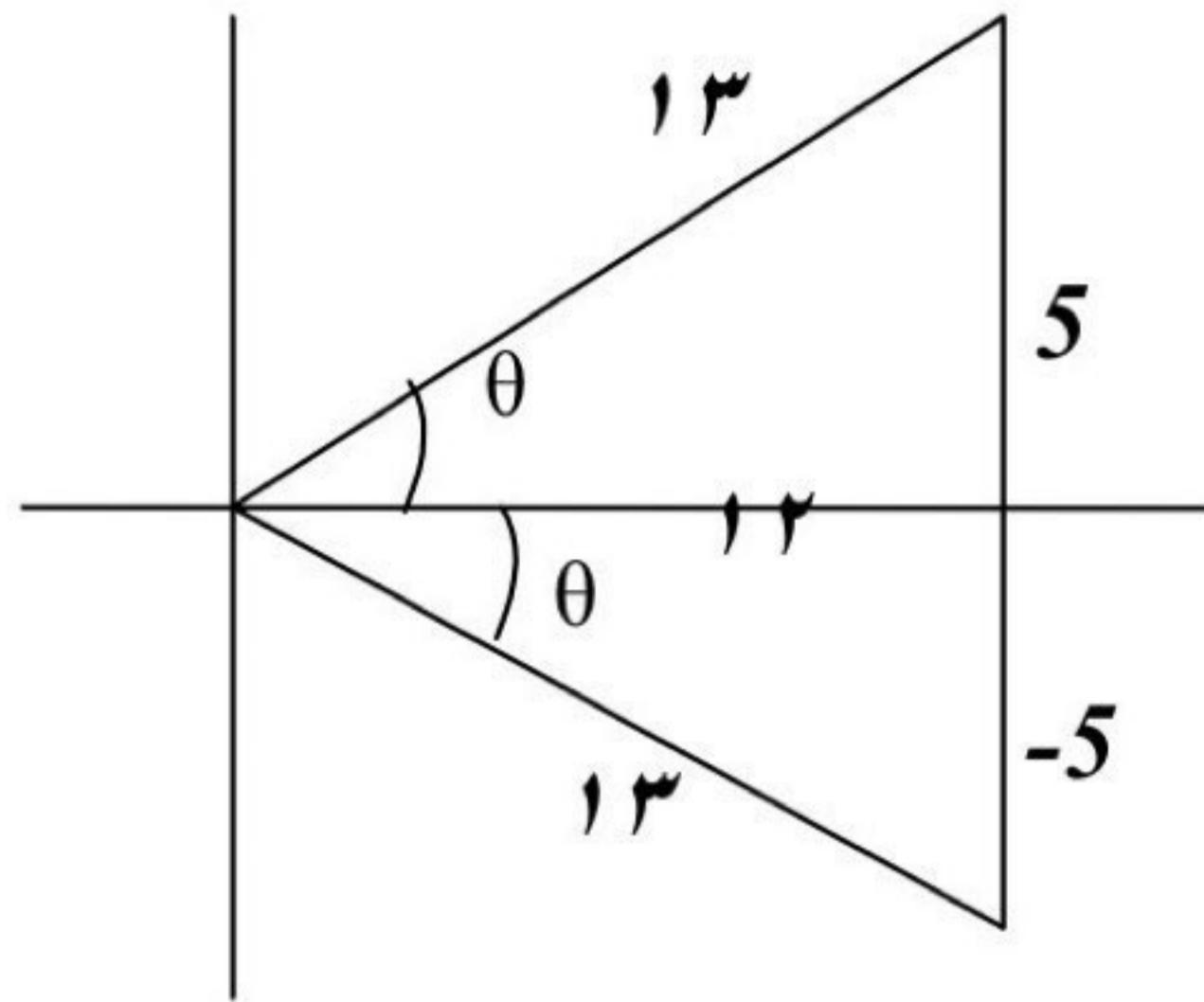
a)



$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \cdot \sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta = 2 \cdot \frac{3}{5} \cdot \left(\mp \frac{4}{5}\right) = \mp \frac{24}{25}$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = \left(\mp \frac{4}{5}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{7}{25}$$

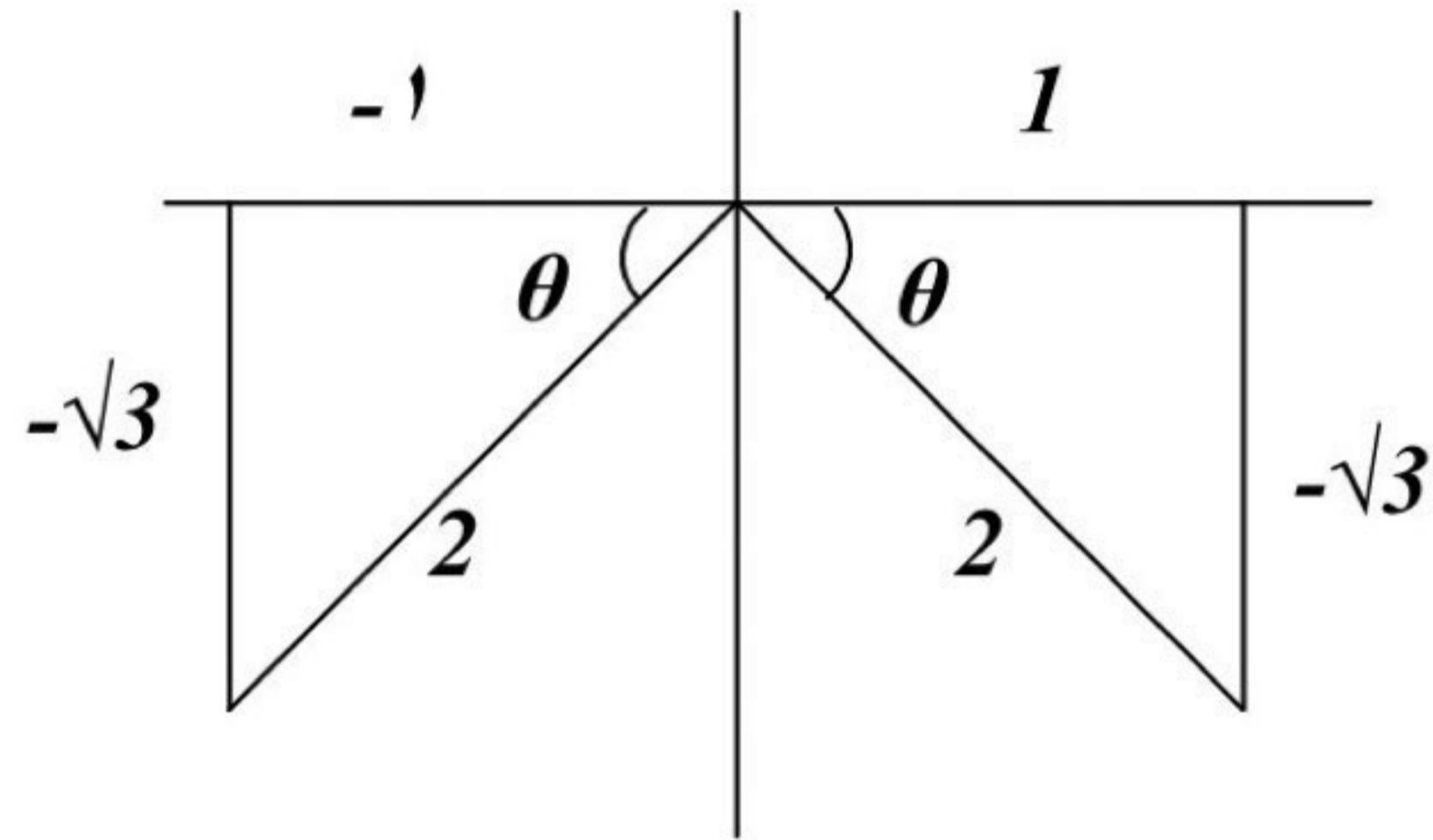
b)



$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \cdot \sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta = 2(\mp \frac{5}{13}) \cdot (\frac{12}{13}) = \mp \frac{120}{169}$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = (\frac{12}{13})^2 - (\mp \frac{5}{13})^2 = \frac{119}{169}$$

c)



$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta = 2(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) \cdot (\mp \frac{1}{2}) = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = (\mp \frac{1}{2})^2 - (-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})^2 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

**EX-12-** Solve the following equations for values of  $\theta$  from  $0^\circ$  to  $360^\circ$  inclusive:

a)  $\cos 2\theta + \cos \theta + 1 = 0$  ,    b)  $4 \tan \theta \cdot \tan 2\theta = 1$

Sol.-

$$a) \quad \cos 2\theta + \cos \theta + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow 2\cos^2 \theta - 1 + \cos \theta + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(2\cos\theta + 1) = 0$$

either  $\cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 90^\circ, 270^\circ$

or  $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 120^\circ, 240^\circ$

$$\theta = \{90^\circ, 120^\circ, 240^\circ, 270^\circ\}$$

$$b) \quad 4 \cdot \tan \theta \cdot \tan 2\theta = 1 \Rightarrow 4 \cdot \tan \theta \cdot \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 \tan^2 \theta = 1$$

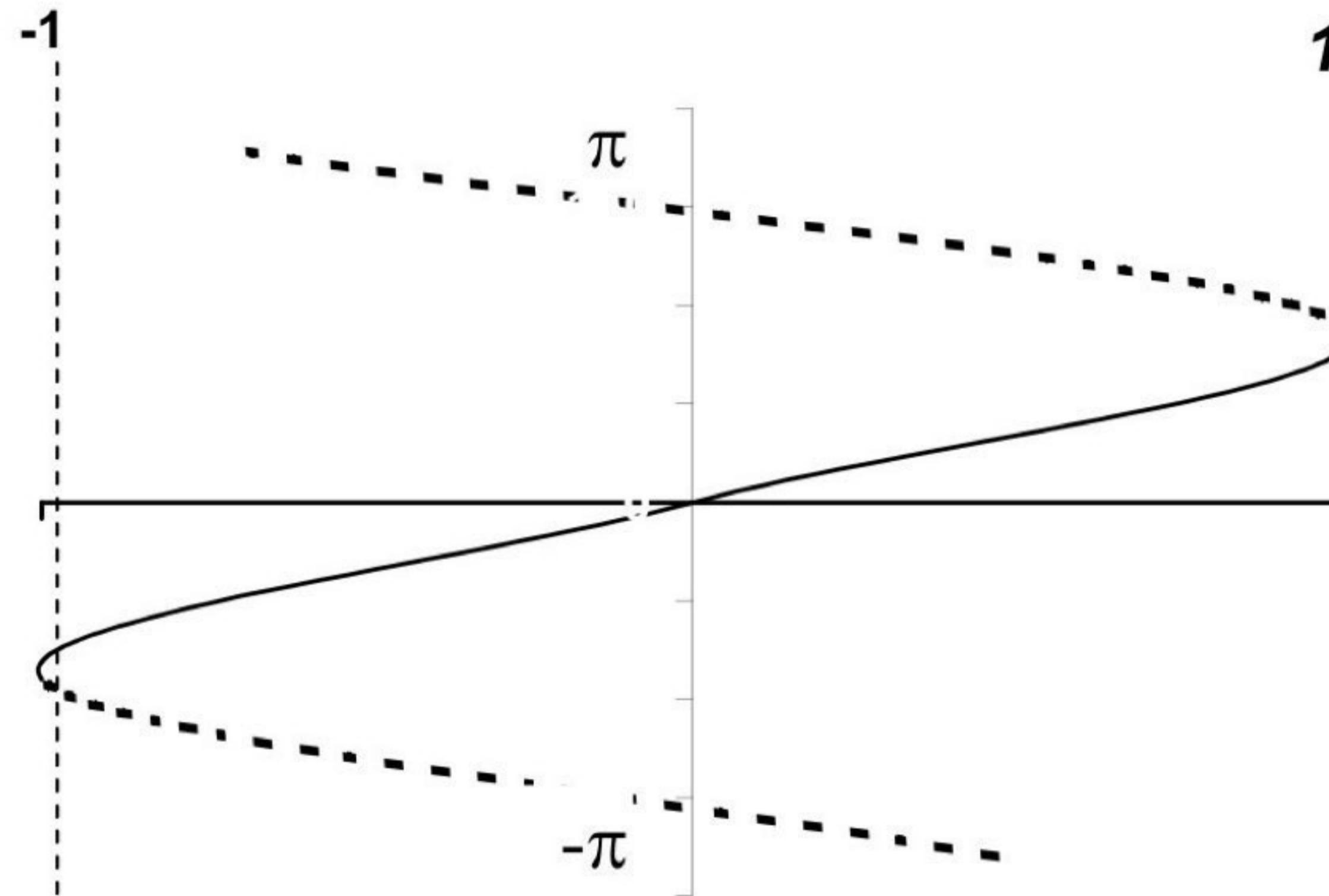
either  $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \theta = 18.4^\circ, 198.4^\circ$

or  $\tan \theta = -\frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \theta = 161.6^\circ, 341.6^\circ$

$$\theta = \{18.4^\circ, 161.6^\circ, 198.4^\circ, 341.6^\circ\}$$

**2-3- The inverse trigonometric functions :** The inverse trigonometric functions arise in problems that require finding angles from side measurements in triangles :

$$y = \sin x \Leftrightarrow x = \sin^{-1} y$$



$$y = \sin^{-1} x \quad D_x : -1 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$R_y : -90^\circ \leq y \leq 90^\circ$$