

Graphing Tan, Cot, Sec, Csc Video Lecture

Sections 6.5 and 6.6

Course Learning Objectives:

Demonstrate an understanding of trigonometric functions and their applications.

Weekly Learning Objectives:

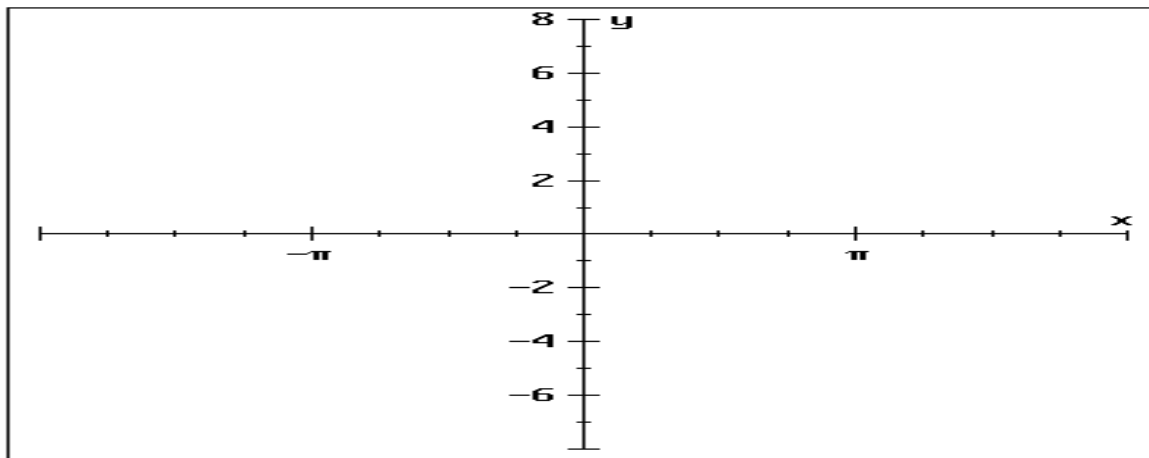
- 1) Graph functions of the form $y=a(\tan bx+c)+d$ and $y=a(\cot bx+c)+d$ using transformations.
- 2) Graph functions of the form $y=a(\csc bx+c)+d$ and $y=a(\sec bx+c)+d$ using transformations.
- 3) Determine the domain, range, amplitude, period, intercepts, extrema, asymptotes and symmetry of the tangent, cotangent, secant and cosecant functions.
- 4) Graph tangent, cotangent, secant and cosecant functions using key points.

Graphing Tangent, Cotangent, Secant and Cosecant

$$f(x) = \tan x$$

Note: $\tan(t + n\pi) = \tan t$ We say $\tan t$ has a period of π

x	$\tan x$	x	$\tan x$	x	$\tan x$	x	$\tan x$
0		$\frac{2\pi}{3}$		$\frac{7\pi}{6}$		$\frac{5\pi}{3}$	
$\frac{\pi}{6}$		$\frac{3\pi}{4}$		$\frac{5\pi}{4}$		$\frac{7\pi}{4}$	
$\frac{\pi}{3}$		$\frac{5\pi}{6}$		$\frac{4\pi}{3}$		$\frac{11\pi}{6}$	
$\frac{\pi}{2}$		π		$\frac{3\pi}{2}$		2π	



Domain:

Range:

Symmetry:

Period:

Intercepts:

V. Asymp:

The most general form of the equation is

$$f(x) = a \tan (bx + c) + d = a \tan b\left(x + \frac{c}{b}\right) + d$$

a → vertical stretch/compression

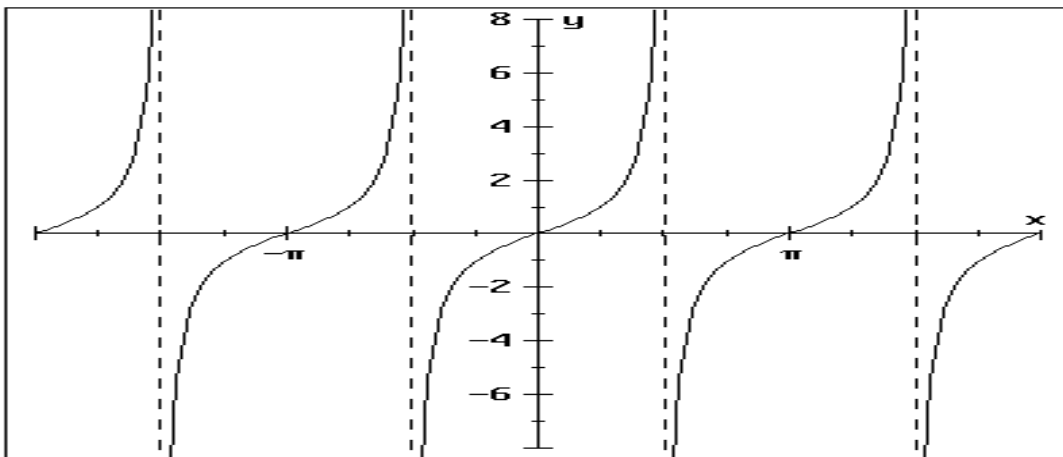
b → horizontal stretch/compression (period)

$\frac{c}{b}$ → horizontal translation (phase shift)

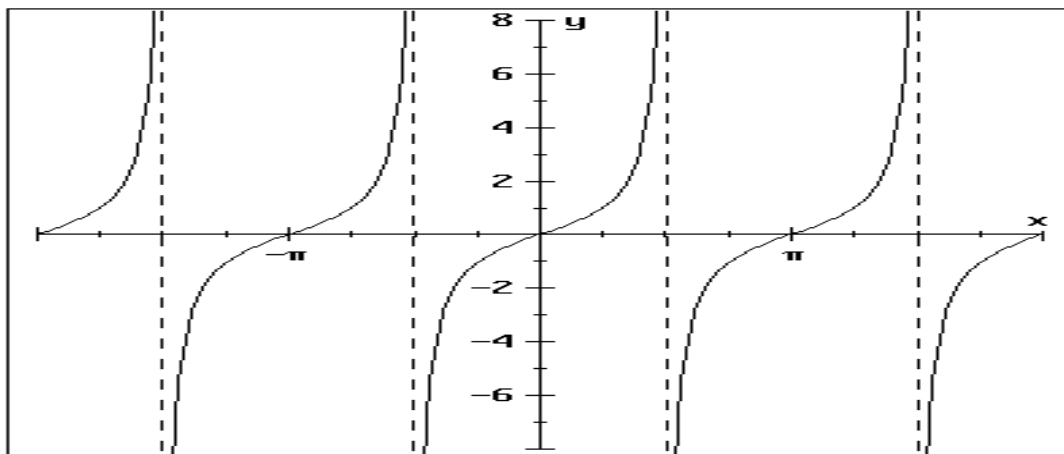
d → vertical translation

Indicate the transformations implied and sketch the graph of each of the following:

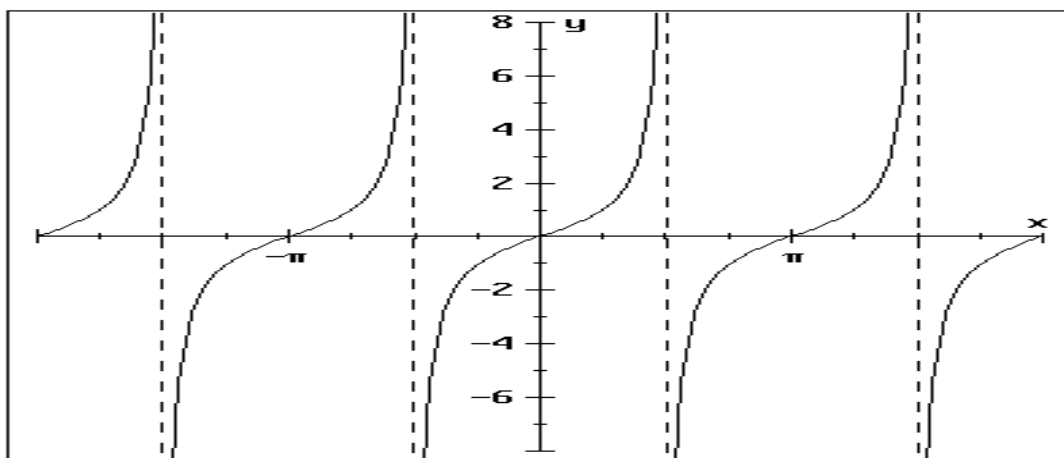
$$f(x) = 2 \tan x$$



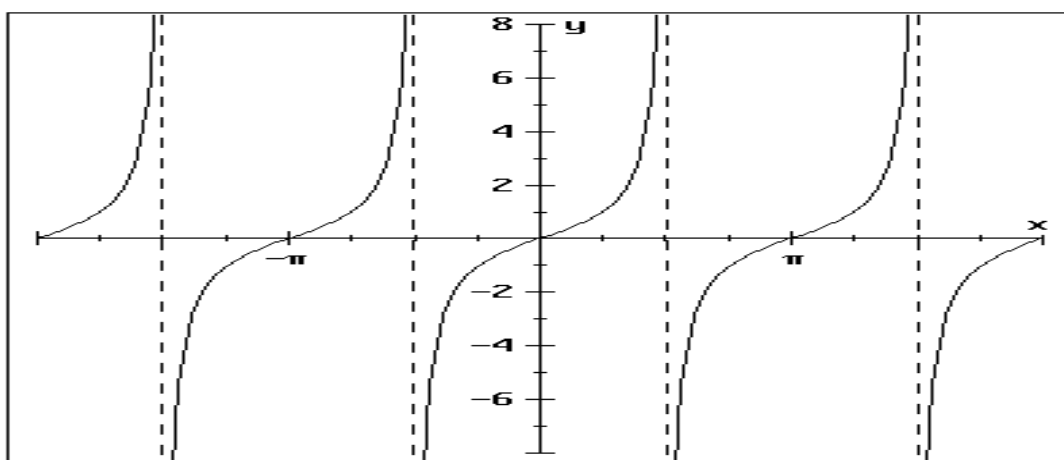
$$g(x) = -\frac{1}{2}\tan x$$



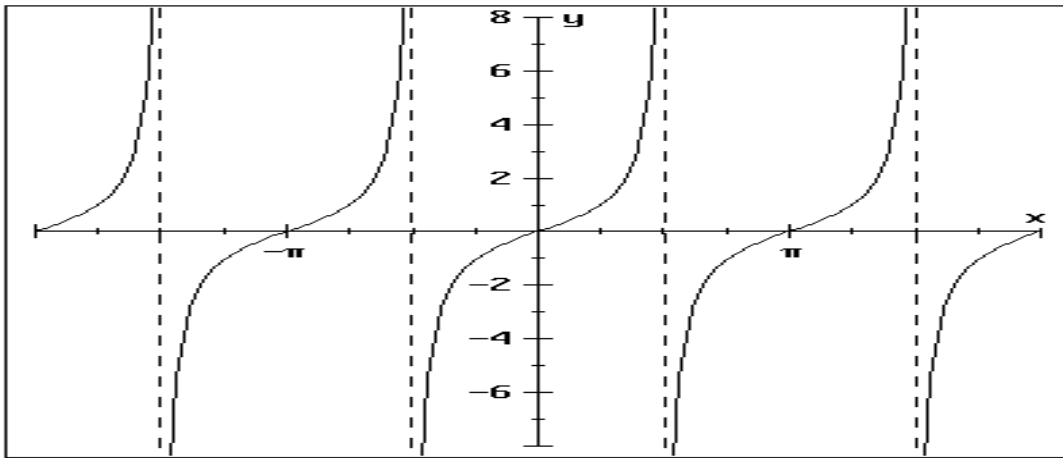
$$l(x) = \tan\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$



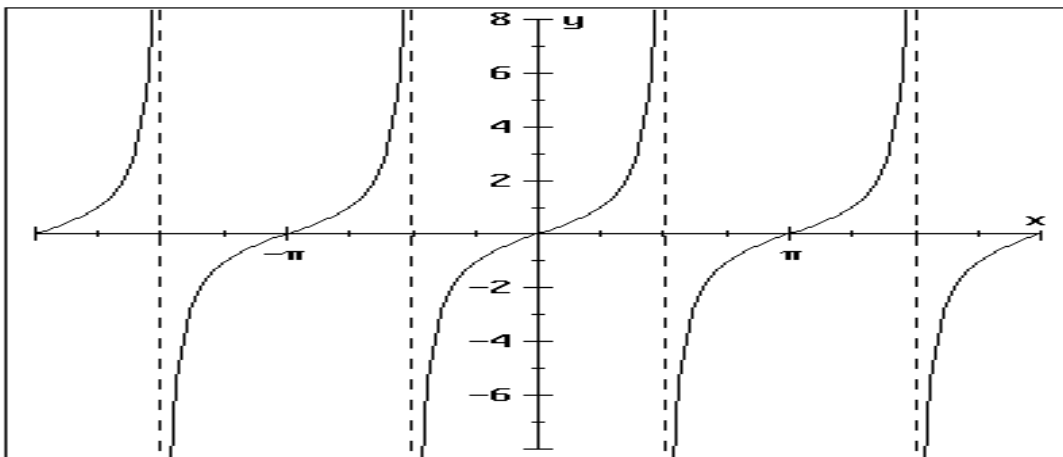
$$r(x) = 4\tan 2x$$



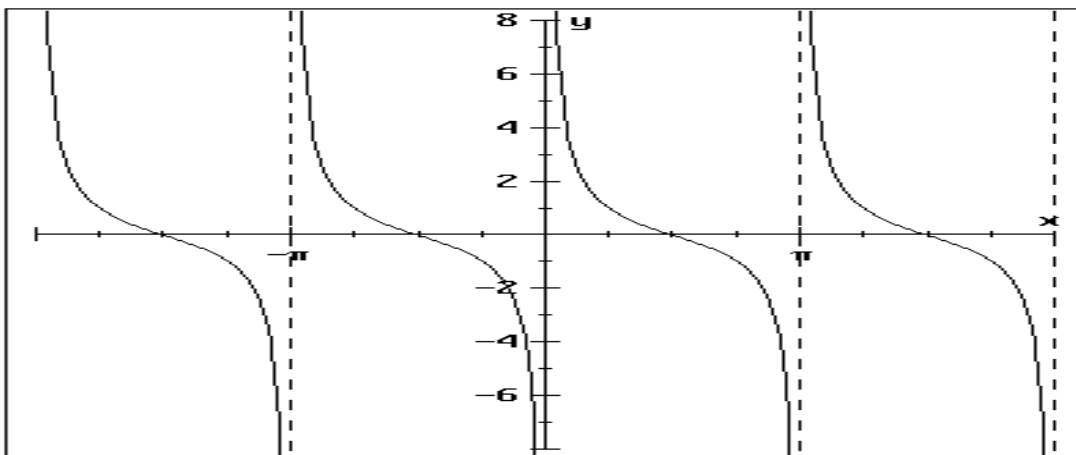
$$h(x) = |\tan x|$$



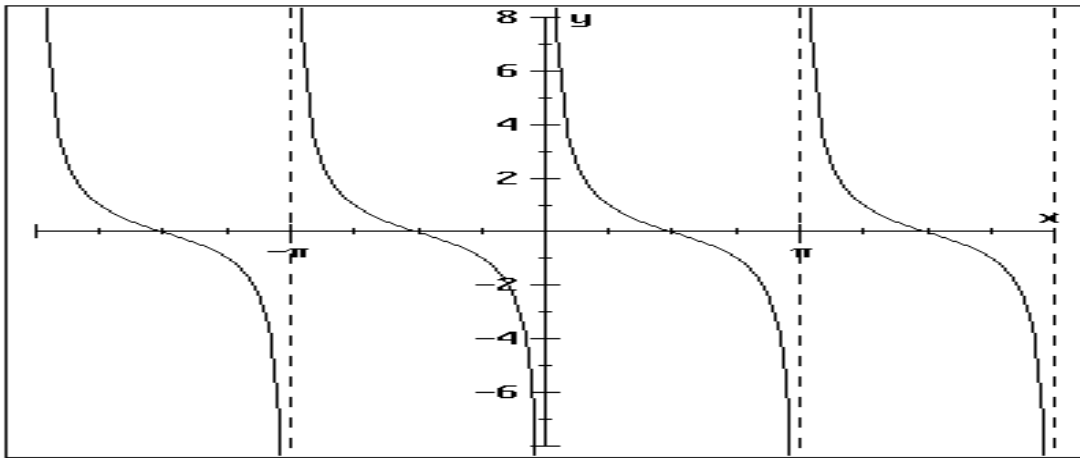
$$f(x) = \cot(x) = \frac{1}{\tan x}$$



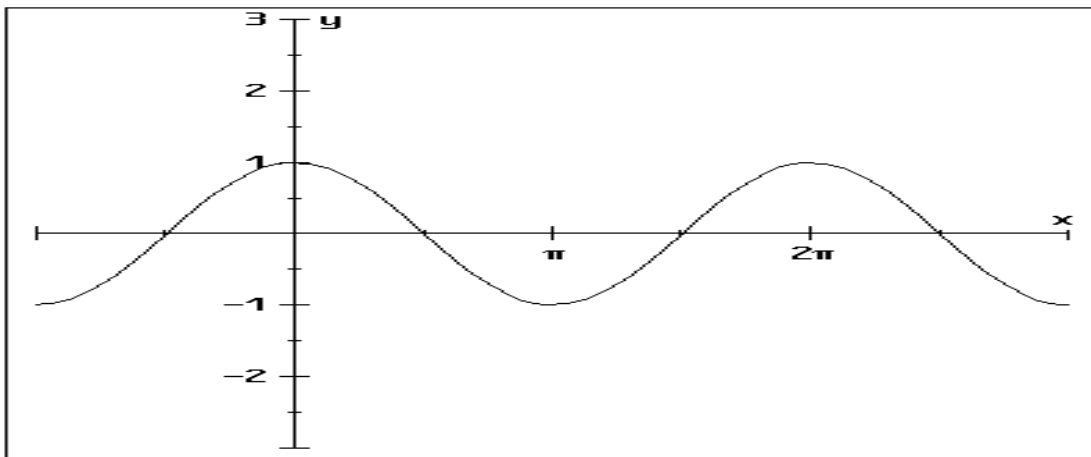
$$g(x) = \cot\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$



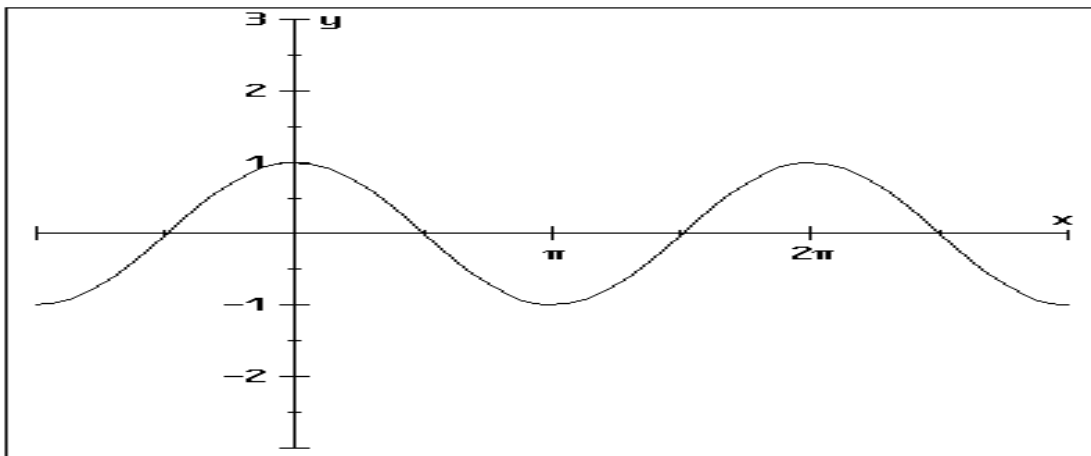
$$g(x) = 2\cot 2x$$



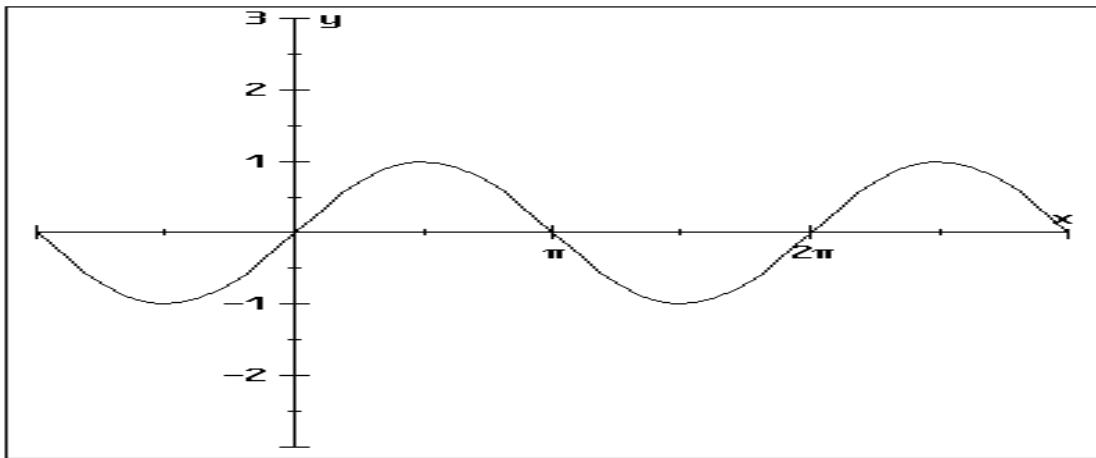
$$f(x) = \sec\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$



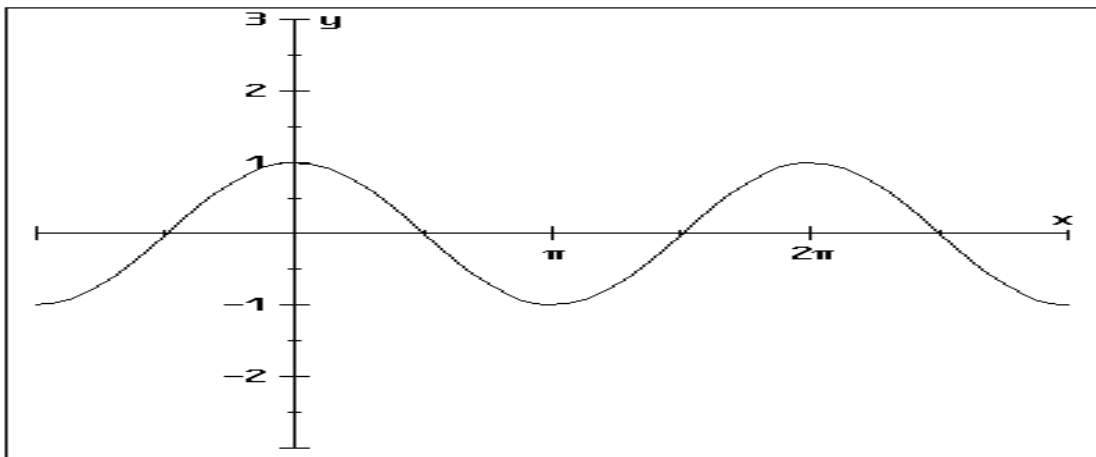
$$h(x) = \sec 2x$$



$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}\csc(2x)$$



$$h(x) = \sec x + 1$$



$$g(x) = -\tan \pi x$$

$$f(x) = \sec \frac{\pi}{2}x - 1$$