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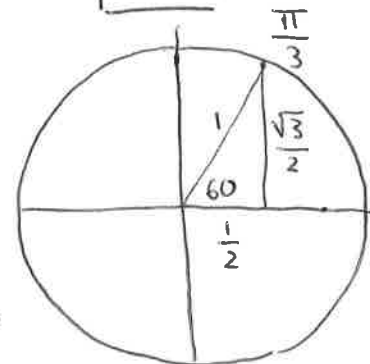
MATH 200 - Quiz 1

(1) Suppose $h(x) = \sqrt{x^3 + 1}$. State functions $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ such that $f \circ g = h$.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f(x) = \sqrt{x} \\ g(x) = x^3 + 1 \end{array} \right\} \text{because then } f(g(x)) = f(x^3 + 1) = \sqrt{x^3 + 1} = h(x)$$

(2) Convert 135 degrees to radians. $\text{rad} = \frac{135}{180} \pi = \frac{3 \cdot 45}{4 \cdot 45} \pi = \boxed{\frac{3}{4} \pi}$

$$(3) \tan(\pi/3) = \frac{\sin(\pi/3)}{\cos(\pi/3)} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \boxed{\sqrt{3}}$$



(4) (Optional) Name one mathematician (not from VCU) from the past or present.
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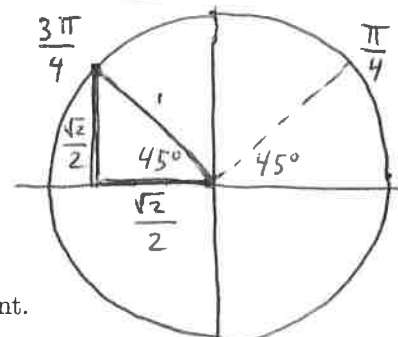
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(1) Suppose $h(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + 2}$. State functions $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ such that $f \circ g = h$.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \\ g(x) = x^2 + 2 \end{array} \right\} \text{because then } f(g(x)) = \frac{1}{g(x)} = \frac{1}{x^2 + 2} = h(x)$$

(2) Convert 75 degrees to radians. $\text{rad} = \frac{75}{180} \pi = \frac{25}{60} \pi = \boxed{\frac{5}{12} \pi}$

$$(3) \tan(3\pi/4) = \frac{\sin(3\pi/4)}{\cos(3\pi/4)} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}} = \boxed{-1}$$



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Gauss