

Re: Trig question

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"Bart Goddard" <goddardbe@xxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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morpheus@xxxxxxxxxxxxx wrote:

Asking about ONE such problem and seeing the solution won't alter the assignment or the student's understanding of the assignment's matter very much, if the student has 30 more to do. As such it is harmless.

Unless the kid is in the middle of an exam and posted here by text'ing on his phone....

If the kid can access sci.math from his mobile, and he's thought of that as a solution to pass his exams, I'd say he passes trig, should proceed to calculus asap and should go for a degree in CS.

Even so, it's too much effort for too few points. Such a problem cannot possibly be worth more than 2-5/100 points on a quiz that has 20 similar problems.

Still not worth the effort.

Bart

Ioannis

The best way to predict reality, is to know exactly what you DON'T want.

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