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Problem Solving Set A -> Chapter 10:

Bronze:

a) $2 \sin x = 5 \cos x$

$$\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \frac{5}{2}$$

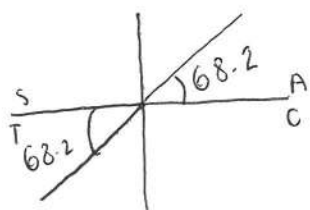
$$\underline{\tan x = 5/2}$$

b) $\tan(\theta + 20^\circ) = 5/2$

$$20^\circ \leq \theta + 20^\circ \leq 380^\circ$$

$$\theta + 20^\circ = \tan^{-1}(5/2)$$

$$= 68.2$$



$$180 + 68.2 = 248.2$$

68.2° } principal solutions
 248.2° }

$$68.2 - 20 = \underline{48.2^\circ}$$

$$248.2 - 20 = \underline{228.2^\circ}$$

Silver:

$$\frac{\sin 3x + 1}{1 - \sin 3x} = 2$$

$$0^\circ \leq 3x \leq 540^\circ$$

$$\sin 3x + 1 = 2(1 - \sin 3x)$$

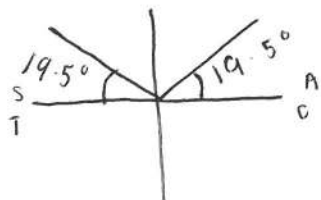
$$\sin 3x + 1 = 2 - 2\sin 3x$$

$$3\sin 3x = 1$$

$$\sin 3x = 1/3$$

$$3x = \sin^{-1}(1/3)$$

$$= 19.5$$



$$180 - 19.5 = 160.5$$

19.5° } principal solutions
 160.5° }

$$19.5 + 360 = 379.5$$

$$160.5 + 360 = \underline{520.5}$$

$$\frac{19.5}{3} = \underline{6.5^\circ}$$

$$\frac{160.5}{3} = \underline{53.5^\circ}$$

$$\frac{379.5}{3} = \underline{126.5^\circ}$$

$$\frac{520.5}{3} = \underline{173.5^\circ}$$

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Gold:

$$-375 \leq 2x - 15 \leq 345$$

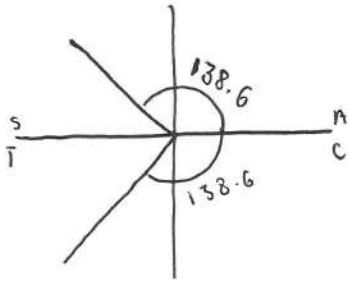
$$4 \cos(2x - 15) + 3 = 0$$

$$4 \cos(2x - 15) = -3$$

$$\cos(2x - 15) = -3/4$$

$$2x - 15 = \cos^{-1}(-3/4)$$

$$= 138.6$$



$$360 - 138.6 = 221.4$$

138.6 } principal
221.4 } solutions

$$138.6 - 360 = -221.4$$

$$221.4 - 360 = -138.6$$

$$\frac{138.6 + 15}{2} = 76.8$$

$$\frac{221.4 + 15}{2} = 118.2$$

$$\frac{-138.6 + 15}{2} = -61.8$$

$$\frac{-221.4 + 15}{2} = -103.2$$

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Problem Solving Set B → Chapter 10:

Bronze:

$$a) \frac{3\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = 5$$

$$\frac{3\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} + \frac{\cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = 5$$

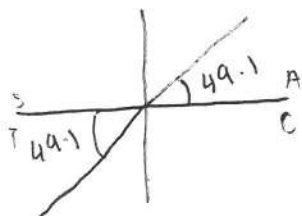
$$3\tan^2 x + 1 = 5$$

$$3\tan^2 x = 4$$

$$\tan^2 x = 4/3$$

$$b) \tan x = \pm \sqrt{4/3} \quad 0 \leq x < 360$$

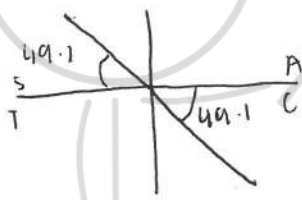
$$x = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{4/3}) \\ = 49.1$$



$$180 + 49.1 = 229.1$$

$$\frac{49.1}{229.1}$$

$$x = \tan^{-1}(-\sqrt{4/3}) \\ = -49.1$$



$$180 - 49.1 = 130.9$$

$$360 - 49.1 = 310.9$$

$$\frac{130.9}{310.9}$$

Silver:

$$a) 4\cos^2 x + 9\sin x - 6 = 0$$

$$4(1 - \sin^2 x) + 9\sin x - 6 = 0$$

$$4 - 4\sin^2 x + 9\sin x - 6 = 0$$

$$-4\sin^2 x + 9\sin x - 2 = 0 \quad \text{OR} \quad \underline{4\sin^2 x - 9\sin x + 2 = 0}$$

b) Using quadratic formula

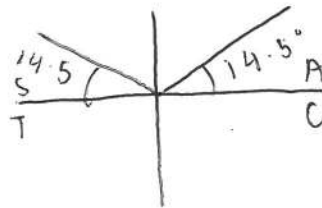
$$\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

where $a = 4$
 $b = -9$
 $c = 2$

$$\underline{0 \leq x < 720}$$

~~$\sin x = 2$~~ OR $\sin x = 1/4$

$$x = \sin^{-1}(1/4) \\ = 14.5$$



$$180 - 14.5 = 165.5$$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} 14.5 \\ 165.5 \end{array} \right\}$ principal solutions

$$14.5 + 360 = \underline{374.5}$$

$$165.5 + 360 = \underline{525.5}$$

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Gold:

$$5(\cos 3x - 1) = 3 \sin 3x \tan 3x$$

$$5(\cos 3x - 1) = 3 \sin 3x \left(\frac{\sin 3x}{\cos 3x} \right)$$

$$5(\cos 3x - 1) = \frac{3 \sin^2 3x}{\cos 3x}$$

$$5 \cos 3x - 5 = \frac{3 \sin^2 3x}{\cos 3x}$$

$$\cos 3x (5 \cos 3x - 5) = 3 \sin^2 3x$$

$$5 \cos^2 3x - 5 \cos 3x = 3(1 - \cos^2 3x)$$

$$5 \cos^2 3x - 5 \cos 3x = 3 - 3 \cos^2 3x$$

$$8 \cos^2 3x - 5 \cos 3x - 3 = 0$$

$$0 \leq 3x \leq 270$$

Using quadratic formula: $\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

where $a = 8$
 $b = -5$
 $c = -3$

$$\cos 3x = 1$$

$$3x = \cos^{-1}(1) \\ = 0$$

$$\cos 3x = -3/8$$

$$3x = \cos^{-1}(-3/8) \\ = 112.02$$



$$360 - 112.02 \\ = 247.98$$

112.02 } principal
247.98 } solutions

$$112.02 \div 3 = \underline{37.3}$$

$$247.98 \div 3 = \underline{82.7}$$