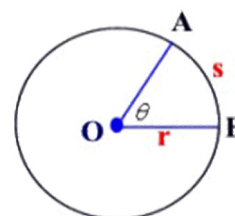
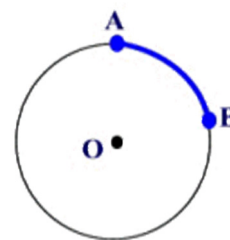


S4.1

RADIAN MEASURE

**KEY CONCEPTS**

- An **arc** of a circle is a "portion" of the circumference of the circle.
- The **length of an arc** is simply the length of its "portion" of the circumference. Actually, the circumference itself can be considered an arc length.
- The length of an arc (or arc length) is traditionally symbolized by  $s$ .
- In the diagram at the right, it can be said that " $\widehat{AB}$  subtends angle  $\theta$ ".  
*Definition: **subtend** - to be opposite to*



- The **radian measure**  $\theta$  of a central angle of a circle is defined as the ratio of the length of the arc the angle subtends,  $s$ , divided by the radius of the circle,  $r$ .

$$\theta = \frac{s}{r} = \frac{\text{length of subtended arc}}{\text{length of radius}}$$

From this definition we can obtain:

**RADIANS**  
 Arc length of a circle:  
 $arc\ length = \theta r$   
 $s = \theta r$

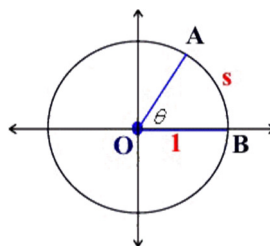
**DEGREES**  
 Arc length of a circle:  
 $arc\ length = \theta \cdot \frac{\pi}{180} \cdot r$



- When working in the unit circle, with radius 1, the length of the arc equals the radian measure of the angle.

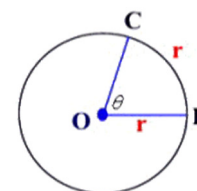
$$\theta = \frac{s}{r} = \frac{s}{1} = s$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\theta = s}$



- A **radian** is the measure of an angle  $\theta$  that, when drawn as a central angle, subtends an arc whose length equals the length of the radius of the circle.

$$\theta = \frac{s}{r} = \frac{r}{r} = 1$$



$\angle COD = 1$  radian

- **Relationship between Degrees and Radians:**

When the arc length equals an entire circumference, we can use  $s = \theta r$  to get  $2\pi r = \theta r$ , and  $2\pi = \theta$ . This implies that  $2\pi = 360^\circ$ .

So,  $1^\circ = \frac{\pi}{180}$  radians and  $1 \text{ radian} = \frac{180}{\pi}$  degrees

$$1 \text{ radian} = \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = 57.296^\circ$$

To change  
from degrees to radians,  
multiply by  $\frac{\pi}{180^\circ}$

To change  
from radians to degrees,  
multiply by  $\frac{180^\circ}{\pi}$



- The time rate of change of angle  $\theta$  by a rotating body is the **angular velocity**, written  $\omega$  (omega). It is measured in radians/second.

If  $v$  is the **linear velocity** (in m/s) and  $r$  is the radius of the circle (in m), then  $v = r\omega$ .

**Note:** If  $r$  is in cm,  $v$  will be in cm/s.

Examples:

1. Convert  $50^\circ$  to radians.

2. Convert  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  to degrees.

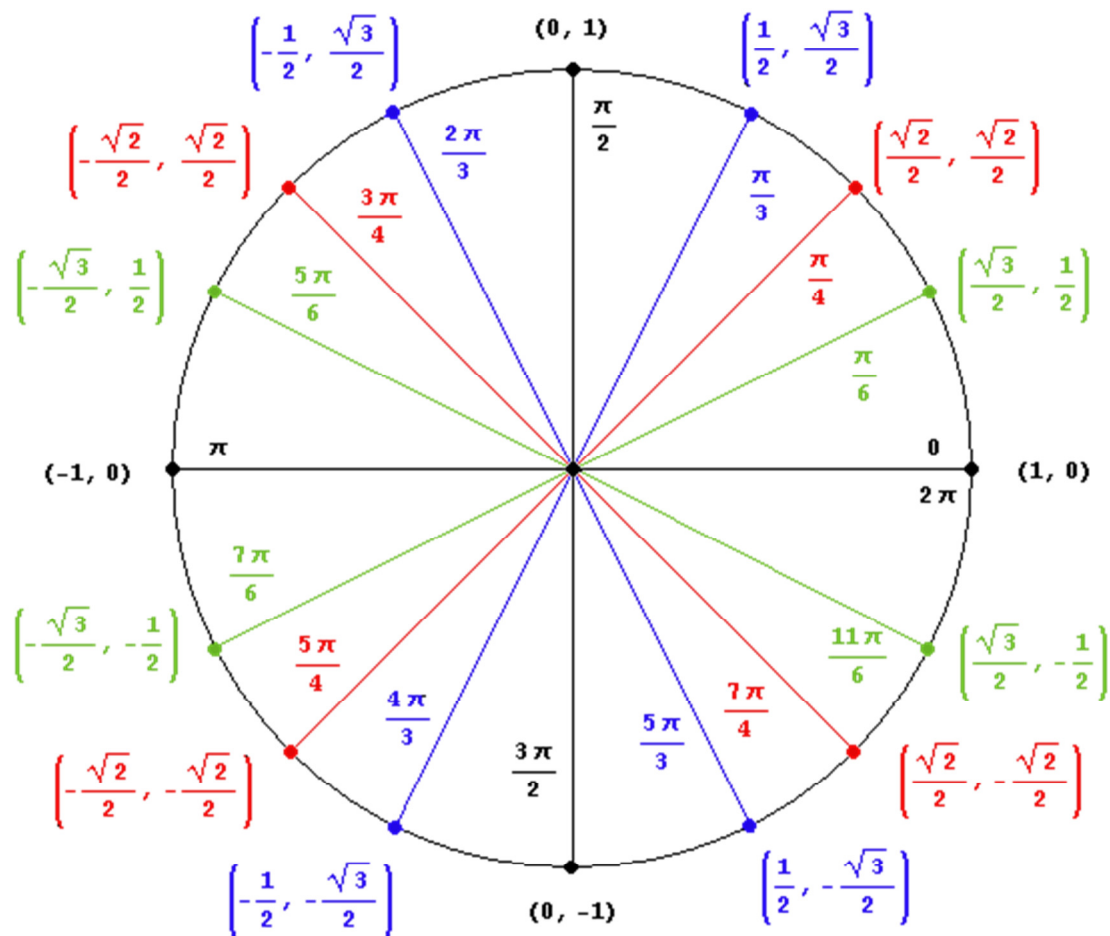
3. How long is the arc subtended by an angle of  $\frac{7\pi}{4}$  radians on a circle of radius 20 cm?

4. A bicycle with tires 90 cm in diameter is travelling at 25 km/h. What is the angular velocity of the tire in radians per second?

## S4.2

TRIGONOMETRIC RATIOS & SPECIAL ANGLES**KEY CONCEPTS**

- Special angles between 0 and  $2\pi$  together with their sine and cosine are displayed on a unit circle. These special angles may be useful in solving trigonometry problems.



## §4.3

EQUIVALENT TRIGONOMETRIC EXPRESSIONS**KEY CONCEPTS**

- **Equivalent trigonometric expressions** are expressions that yield the same value for all values of the variable.
- An **identity** is an equation that is true for all values of the variable for which the expressions on both sides of the equation are defined.
- An identity involving trigonometric expressions is called a **trigonometric identity**.

Trigonometric Identities Featuring $\frac{\pi}{2}$			
Cofunction Identities		More Identities Involving $\frac{\pi}{2}$	
$\sin x = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$	$\cos x = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$	$\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos x$	$\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\sin x$
$\tan x = \cot\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$	$\cot x = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$	$\tan\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\cot x$	$\cot\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\tan x$
$\csc x = \sec\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$	$\sec x = \csc\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$	$\csc\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sec x$	$\sec\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\csc x$

Examples:

1. Given that  $\cot\frac{2\pi}{7} \approx 0.7975$ , use equivalent expressions to evaluate the following to four decimal places.

a)  $\tan\frac{3\pi}{14}$

b)  $\tan\frac{11\pi}{14}$

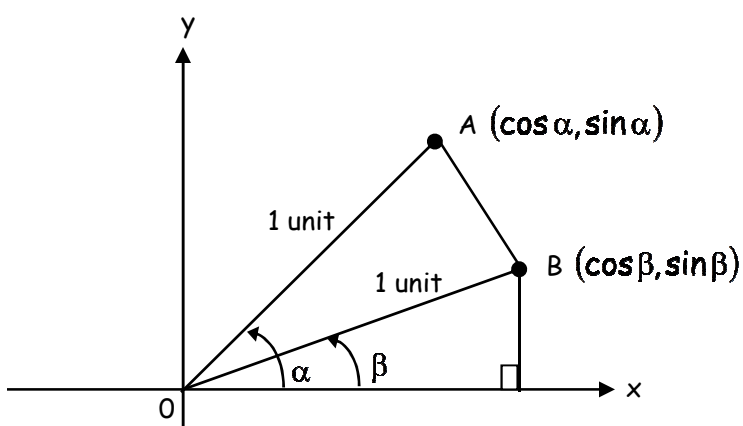
## S4.4

COMPOUND ANGLE FORMULAS**KEY CONCEPTS**

- A trigonometric expression that depends on two or more angles is known as a **compound angle expression**.
- **Subtraction Formula (Cosine)**

$$\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

Proof:



We will use this diagram to help prove the subtraction formula.

In general, we will compute  $c^2$  in two ways (using the Law of Cosines and also using the distance formula) and compare the two results.

- **Addition Formula (Cosine)**

$$\cos(A + B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

Proof:

$$\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

} *subtraction formula for Cosine*

$$\cos(A - (-B)) = \cos A \cos(-B) - \sin A \sin(-B)$$

} *replacing b with -b*

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

} *negative angles*

- **Addition Formula (Sine)**

$$\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

Proof:

Recall the cofunction identities  $\sin x = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$  and  $\cos x = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)$ .

Apply these and the subtraction formula for the cosine.

$$\sin(A + B) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - (A + B)\right)$$

} *apply a cofunction identity*

$$= \cos\left(\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - A\right) - B\right)$$

} *regroup the terms in the brackets*

$$= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - A\right)\cos B + \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - A\right)\sin B$$

} *apply subtraction formula for Cosine*

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

- **Subtraction Formula (Sine)**

$$\sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$$

Proof:

$$\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

} *addition formula for Sine*

$$\sin(A - (-B)) = \sin A \cos(-B) + \cos A \sin(-B)$$

} *replacing B with -B*

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

} *negative angles*

Example:

1. Use an appropriate compound angle formula to determine an exact value for  $\cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{12}\right)$ .

2. Use the appropriate compound angle formula to express the following as a single trigonometric function, and then determine an exact value for it.

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{4}$$

3. Angles  $x$  and  $y$  are located in the first quadrant such that  $\sin y = \frac{24}{25}$  and  $\cos x = \frac{3}{5}$ . Determine an exact value for  $\sin(x - y)$ .

**S4.5****PROVE TRIGONOMETRIC IDENTITIES****KEY CONCEPTS**

- In this section, you will use the following basic trigonometric identities to prove other identities.

**Pythagorean Identity**

$$\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha = 1$$

**Quotient Identity**

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha}$$

**Reciprocal Identities**

$$\csc \alpha = \frac{1}{\sin \alpha} \quad \sec \alpha = \frac{1}{\cos \alpha} \quad \cot \alpha = \frac{1}{\tan \alpha}$$

**Compound Angle Formulas**

$$\sin (A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$$

$$\sin (A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos (A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$$

$$\cos (A + B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

**Double Angle Identities**

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

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

$$= 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$$

$$= 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta$$

**Examples:**

1. Prove  $\frac{\cos \theta + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta - \sin \theta} - \frac{\cos \theta - \sin \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta} = 2 \tan 2\theta$ .



2. Prove  $\frac{1 - \sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta} = \frac{\cos 2\theta}{1 + \sin 2\theta}$ .