
4.1 Discovering Trigonometry

https://betterexplained.com/articles/intuitive-guide-to-angles-degrees-andradians/

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Converting Between Degrees and Radians:

## Conversion Factor:

Ex.) Convert the following:
$270^{\circ} \quad \frac{3 \pi}{2}$
$45^{\circ}$
$\frac{5 \pi}{4}$
$210^{\circ}$
$\frac{11 \pi}{6}$
$540^{\circ}$

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Terminology:
Reference Angles:

Principle Angles:

Co-terminal Angles:


Ex.) Determine one positive and one negative co-terminal angle:
a) $\theta=120^{\circ}$
b) $\theta=\frac{5 \pi}{4}$

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Ex.) Given the following angles, determine the reference angle:
a) $315^{\circ}$
b) $470^{\circ}$
c) $\frac{-5 \pi}{6}$
d) $\frac{5 \pi}{3}$


Arc Length:

$$
\theta=\frac{a}{r}
$$

Ex.) A circle with radius 7 cm , has a central angle of $160^{\circ}$ that subtends an arc. What is the length of the arc to the nearest tenth of a centimetre?

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Ex.) An angle of 1.8 subtends an arc 4.5 mm . What is the radius of the circle?

Ex.) A circle with an arc length of 25 m has a radius of 11 m . What is the central angle, to the nearest degree?

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4.2 The Unit Circle



Special Triangles:


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Using the Unit Circle:
a) $\tan 45^{\circ}$
b) $\tan 240^{\circ}$
c) $\tan \pi$
d) $\tan (\pi / 2)$

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Ex.) Do the following points exist on the Unit Circle?

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Ex.) The point $P(5 / 6, y)$ is on the unit circle. What is/are the value(s) of ' $y$ '?

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4.3 Trigonometric Ratios

Recall: Good ol' SOH CAH TOA. This gave us the three primary trigonometric ratios. However, they all have companions:

Companions to the primary trig ratios are reciprocal trig ratios:

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Here's what we get on the formula sheet:

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\tan \theta=\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} & \cot \theta=\frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \\
\csc \theta=\frac{1}{\sin \theta} & \sec \theta=\frac{1}{\cos \theta} \\
\cot \theta=\frac{1}{\tan \theta} &
\end{array}
$$



Ex.) Determine the 6 trig ratios for the point $P(3,4)$ on the terminal arm of an angle in standard position.

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Ex.) Determine the 6 trig ratios for the point $P(-3,2)$ on the terminal arm of an angle in standard position.


Ex.) If $\cos \theta=2 / 5$ in quadrant IV, determine the other 5 trigonometric ratios.

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Ex.) If $\cos \theta=3 / 5$ and $\tan \theta<0$, determine the reference angle and the angle in standard position.


Ex.) Given $\sec \theta=2 / \sqrt{3}$, determine $\theta:-2 \pi<\theta<2 \pi$.

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4.4 Solving Linear Trig Equations

Grade 10: $\sin \theta=0.3216$

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Grade 12: All solutions $0 \leq \theta \leq 360^{\circ}$ or $0 \leq \theta \leq 2 \pi$


Ex.) Solve the following equations $0 \leq \theta \leq 360^{\circ}$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq 2 \pi$ :
a) $2 \sin \theta=-1$
b) $\sin \theta=\sqrt{ } 3-\sin \theta$

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c) $5 \cos \theta+2=1+3 \cos \theta$
d) $3 \csc \theta-6=0$

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4.5 Solving Quadratic Trig Equations

Factor using the substitution method:

Ex.) Solve the following for $0 \leq \theta \leq 360^{\circ}$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq 2 \pi$.
a)

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b)

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c)

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d)

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e)

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4.6 Trigonometric Graphs

Terminology:
Periodic Function - a function that repeats itself after a certain amount of time
Period - time to complete one cycle
Sinusoidal Functions - wavy functions like Sine or Cosine
Median - middle of the graph
Amplitude - distance form the median to the max. or min. value

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Transformations of Sinusoidal Graphs:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& y=a \sin [b(x-c)]+d \\
& y=a \cos [b(x-c)]+d
\end{aligned}
$$



Ex.) Compare the following and state the characteristics:
a) $\sin x$ and $2 \sin x$
b) $\sin x$ and $-3 \sin x$

c) $\cos x$ and $\cos (x)+2$

d) $\cos x$ and $\cos (x)-2$


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e) $\sin x$ and $\sin \left(x-90^{\circ}\right)$

f) $\cos x$ and $\cos (2 x)$


4.7 Writing Sinusoidal Equations

Determine $a, b, c, d$ from the graph and sub into the equation on the formula sheet.

$$
\text { Recall: } y=\operatorname{asin}[b(x-c)]+d \quad \& \quad y=\operatorname{acos}[b(x-c)]+d
$$

a:
b:
c:
d:

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Ex.) Determine the characteristics of the following sinusoidal functions.



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Ex.) Consider the equation $y=4 \cos \left(x-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)+2$. Determine the:
a) Amplitude
e) Y -intercept
b) Period
f) Domain
c) Phase shift
g) Range
d) Median
h) Sketch

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Ex.) What is the equation of the cosine function below?


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Ex.) What is the equation of the sine functions below?


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Ex.) What is the equation of the sine function below?


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Ex.) Determine the equation of the graph in the form $y=A \cos B(x-C)+D$.


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Ex.) Determine the equations of the graph in the following forms;

$$
y=A \cos B(x-C)+D \quad y=A \sin B(x-C)+D
$$




Trig Applications:
Ex.) By using the averages of high and low tide levels, the depth of water, $d(t)$, in metres, in a seaport can be approximated by the sine function

$$
d(t)=2.5 \sin 0.164 \pi(t-1.5)+13.4
$$

a) Graph the function on your calculator.
b) What is the period of the tide?
c) A cruise ship needs a depth of at least 12 m of water to dock safely. For how many hours per tide cycle can the ship dock safely?

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Ex.) A Ferris wheel has a radius of 20 m . It rotates once every 40 s . Passengers get on at a point $S$, which is 1 m above ground level. Suppose you get on at $S$ and the wheel starts to rotate.
a) Graph how your height above the ground varies during the first two cycles.
b) Write an equation that expresses your height as a function of the elapsed time.
c) Estimate your height above the ground after 45 s .
d) Estimate one of the times when your height is 35 m above the ground.


Ex.) A Ferris wheel has a diameter of 14 m . It makes 2 cycles in 60 s . If you get on the Ferris wheel at the lowest point, 1 m above the ground, determine
a) an equation that represents the motion of the Ferris wheel.
b) the height at 40 s .
c) the first time that you will reach a height of 15 m on the Ferris wheel.

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Ex.) According to statistical data from Environment Canada, the lowest normal daily temperature is $-14^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ on January 26 and the greatest normal daily maximum temperature in Edmonton is $23^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ on July 26, day 208.
a) Write a sine and cosine function to approximate the temperature in Edmonton.
b) Use your equation to predict the maximum temperature on November 10, day 324.
c) What is the first day of the year where the maximum temperature is zero?

4.8 Solving Trig Equations with General Solutions

When giving a general solution for a trig equations, it means that there are infinite solutions as you can rotate around an infinite angle.

Ex.) For the following trig equations, give (a) the solution for $\left[0^{\circ}, 360^{\circ}\right.$ ) and (b) the general solution.
a) $2 \cos \theta=\sqrt{ } 2$

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b) $2 \cos ^{2} x-1=0$

c) $16=6 \cos [(\pi / 6) x]+14$

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d) $10=6 \sin [(\pi / 4) \mathrm{x}]+8$

4.9 Trig Identities

When working with Trig Identities, you can prove them three ways:

1) Graphically: $L S=R S\left(y_{1}=y_{2}\right)$ and see if the graphs overlap.
2) Numerically: Substitute an angle into the equations and check to see if LS = RS.
3) Algebraically: Simplify the identities using the formula sheet.

* This will be presented in a "Two-Column Proof"/"T-Form Proof" arrangement. You never cross the equal sign.
* Most problems can be solved by changing to sin and cosine.


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Common Misconception:

$$
\sin x^{2} \text { vs. } \sin ^{2} x
$$

Helpful Understandings:


Ex.) Prove the following identities numerically:
a) $\sin \theta \cot \theta=\cos \theta$, when $\theta=30^{\circ}$
b) $\tan ^{2} x=\sec ^{2} x-1$, when $x=\pi / 7$


Ex.) Prove the following identities algebraically:
a) $\frac{\sin x}{\tan x}=\cos x, \quad \tan x \neq 0$
b) $\frac{1}{\cos x}-\cos x=\sin x \tan x$

c) $\frac{\sec ^{2} x}{\sec ^{2} x-1}=\csc ^{2} x$ $\overline{\sec ^{2} x-1}$
d) $\sin ^{3} x+\cos ^{2} x \sin x=\frac{1}{\csc x}$

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e) $(\tan x-1)^{2}=\sec ^{2} x-2 \tan x$

f) $(\sin x+\cos x)^{2}+(\sin x-\cos x)^{2}=2$

*Trick for fractions with binomial denominators...multiply by the conjugate.
g) $\frac{1+\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}=\frac{\sin \theta}{1-\cos \theta}$

4.10 Sum and Difference Identities
$\sin (\alpha+\beta)=\sin \alpha \cos \beta+\cos \alpha \sin \beta$
$\sin (\alpha-\beta)=\sin \alpha \cos \beta-\cos \alpha \sin \beta$
$\cos (\alpha+\beta)=\cos \alpha \cos \beta-\sin \alpha \sin \beta$
$\cos (\alpha-\beta)=\cos \alpha \cos \beta+\sin \alpha \sin \beta$
$\tan (\alpha+\beta)=\frac{\tan \alpha+\tan \beta}{1-\tan \alpha \tan \beta}$
$\tan (\alpha-\beta)=\frac{\tan \alpha-\tan \beta}{1+\tan \alpha \tan \beta}$

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Ex.) Determine the exact value of angles that are not multiples of the standard reference angles (ie. 0, 30, 45, 60, 90, etc.).
a) $\cos \left(105^{\circ}\right)$
b) $\sin 15^{\circ}$

c) $\tan 15^{\circ}$

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Ex.) Simplify the following to a single trig function:
a) $\sin 35^{\circ} \cos 40^{\circ}+\cos 35^{\circ} \sin 40^{\circ}$
b) $\tan 10^{\circ}+\tan 35^{\circ}$
$1-\tan 10^{\circ} \tan 35^{\circ}$


Ex.) Prove the following identity:

$$
\sin (\pi / 2+M)=\cos M
$$

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4.11 Double Angle Identities

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sin (2 \alpha)=2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha \\
& \cos (2 \alpha)=\cos ^{2} \alpha-\sin ^{2} \alpha \\
& \cos (2 \alpha)=2 \cos ^{2} \alpha-1 \\
& \cos (2 \alpha)=1-2 \sin ^{2} \alpha \\
& \tan (2 \alpha)=\frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1-\tan ^{2} \alpha}
\end{aligned}
$$

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Ex.) Simplify:
a)
b)
c)

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Ex.) Prove:
a)
b)

c)

Ex.) Determine the exact value of $\cos (2 x)$ when $\tan x=5 / 12$ and $\cos x<0$.

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Ex.) Determine the exact value of $\tan 2 \mathrm{~A}$ when $\cos A=3 / 5$ in quadrant $I$.

