

Precalculus

Lesson 7.6: Double-angle and Half-angle Formulas

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And more identities.....

Double-Angle Formulas

$$\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

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

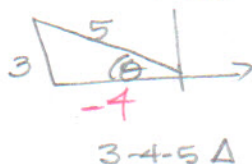
$$\cos(2\theta) = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta$$

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

$$\tan(2\theta) = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta}$$

Find the exact value using the double-angle formulas:

Given $\sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}$, $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi$ Q II



$$\cos \theta = \frac{A}{H} = \frac{-4}{5}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{O}{A} = \frac{3}{-4}$$

$\sin 2\theta$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{3}{5} \right) \left(\frac{-4}{5} \right) \\ &= \frac{-24}{25} \end{aligned}$$

$\cos 2\theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \#1: &= \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \\ &= \left(\frac{-4}{5} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{3}{5} \right)^2 = \frac{16}{25} - \frac{9}{25} \\ &= \boxed{\frac{7}{25}} \end{aligned}$$

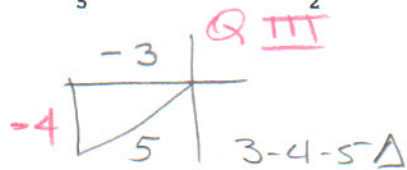
$$\begin{aligned} \#2: &1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta = 1 - 2 \left(\frac{3}{5} \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{25}{25} - \frac{18}{25} = \boxed{\frac{7}{25}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \#3: &2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 = 2 \left(\frac{16}{25} \right) - 1 \\ &= \frac{32}{25} - \frac{25}{25} = \boxed{\frac{7}{25}} \end{aligned}$$

$\tan 2\theta$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{2 \left(\frac{-3}{4} \right)}{\frac{16}{16} - \frac{9}{16}} \\ &= \frac{-\frac{3}{2}}{\frac{7}{16}} \\ &= -\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{16}{7} = \boxed{\frac{-24}{7}} \end{aligned}$$

Given: $\cos \theta = -\frac{3}{5}$, $\pi < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$



$$\sin \theta = \frac{O}{H} = \frac{-4}{5}$$

$$\pi < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} < \frac{\theta}{2} < \frac{3\pi}{2 \cdot 2}$$

$\therefore$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} < \frac{\theta}{2} < \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$\frac{\theta}{2}$ in Quad II



$$\sin \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 - (-\frac{3}{5})}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\frac{5}{5} + \frac{3}{5}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\frac{8}{5}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}}$$

$$\cos \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$= -\sqrt{\frac{1 + (-\frac{3}{5})}{2}}$$

$$= -\sqrt{\frac{\frac{5}{5} - \frac{3}{5}}{2}}$$

$$= -\sqrt{\frac{\frac{2}{5}}{2}} = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{5}}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}}$$

$$\tan \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = \frac{1 - (-\frac{3}{5})}{-\frac{4}{5}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{5}{5} + \frac{3}{5}}{-\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{\frac{8}{5}}{-\frac{4}{5}} = \boxed{-2}$$

For a good value
 lesson, extra
 problems !!!

#1

$$\sin(2 \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2}) \Rightarrow \sin(2(\frac{\pi}{6}))$$

$$= \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}$$

#2

Substitute θ as $\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5}$

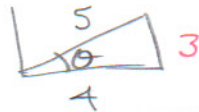
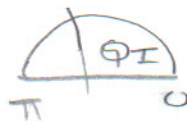
$$\sin(2 \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5}) = \sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$= 2 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{24}{25}}$$

$$\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5} = \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{4}{5}$$



$$\sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}$$

