

Precalculus

Lesson 7.6: Double-angle and Half-angle Formulas

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And more identities.....

Double-Angle Formulas

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

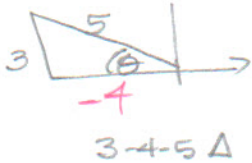
$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

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

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

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

Find the exact value using the double-angle formulas:

<p>Given $\sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}$, $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi$ Q II</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">3-4-5 Δ</p> $\cos \theta = \frac{A}{H} = \frac{-4}{5}$ $\tan \theta = \frac{O}{A} = \frac{3}{-4}$	<p style="text-align: center;">$\sin 2\theta$</p> $= 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$ $= 2 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)$ $= \frac{-24}{25}$
<p style="text-align: center;">$\cos 2\theta$</p> <p>#1: $-\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$</p> $= \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{16}{25} - \frac{9}{25}$ $= \boxed{\frac{7}{25}}$ <p>#2: $1 - 2\sin^2 \theta = 1 - 2\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2$</p> $= \frac{25}{25} - \frac{18}{25} = \boxed{\frac{7}{25}}$ <p>#3: $2\cos^2 \theta - 1 = 2\left(\frac{16}{25}\right) - 1$</p> $= \frac{32}{25} - \frac{25}{25} = \boxed{\frac{7}{25}}$	<p style="text-align: center;">$\tan 2\theta$</p> $= \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{2\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)}{\frac{16}{16} - \frac{9}{16}}$ $= \frac{-\frac{3}{2}}{\frac{7}{16}}$ $= -\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{16}{7} = \boxed{\frac{-24}{7}}$

Half-Angle Formulas

$$\sin \frac{\alpha}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{2}}$$

$$\cos \frac{\alpha}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos \alpha}{2}}$$

$$\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha}}$$

$$\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{1 - \cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{1 + \cos \alpha}$$

Find the exact values using the half-angle formulas:

$\cos 15^\circ$ $15^\circ \rightarrow \text{Q I}$

$$15 = \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$30 = \alpha$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos 30}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2 + \sqrt{3}}}{\sqrt{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{2 + \sqrt{3}}}{2}$$

$\sin(-15^\circ)$ $-15^\circ \rightarrow \text{Q IV}$

$$-15 = \frac{\alpha}{2} \quad -\sin 15^\circ$$

$$-30 = \alpha$$

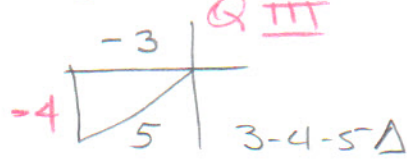
$$= -\sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos 30}{2}} = -\sqrt{\frac{1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{2}}$$

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

$$= -\frac{\sqrt{2 - \sqrt{3}}}{\sqrt{4}} =$$

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

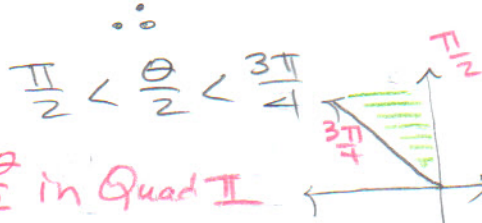
Given: $\cos \theta = -\frac{3}{5}$, $\pi < \theta < \frac{3\pi}{2}$



$$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{-4}{5}$$

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

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



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

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

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

$$= \sqrt{\frac{8}{10}}$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For a good value
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 problems!!!

#1

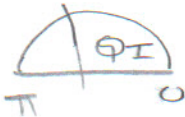
$$\begin{aligned} \sin(2 \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2}) &\Rightarrow \sin(2(\frac{\pi}{6})) \\ &= \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \theta &= \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \\ \sin \theta &= \frac{1}{2} &= \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} \\ \theta &= \frac{\pi}{6} \end{aligned}$$

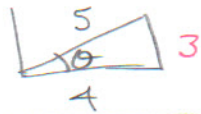
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Substitute θ as $\cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(2 \cos^{-1} \frac{4}{5}) &= \sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{24}{25}} \end{aligned}$$

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

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




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