

Pre-Calculus 12

6.2 Sum Difference and Double Angle Identities

**Sum Identities**

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

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

$$\tan(A + B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B}$$

**Difference Identities**

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

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

$$\tan(A - B) = \frac{\tan A - \tan B}{1 + \tan A \tan B}$$

1. Simplify to a single trig function

$$\sin \frac{\pi}{8} \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{\pi}{8} \sin \frac{3\pi}{5}$$

sin sum

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

$$A = \frac{\pi}{8} \quad B = \frac{3\pi}{5}$$

We are given the right side,  
 ∴ create the left side of the identity

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin(A + B) \\ &= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{3\pi}{5}\right) \\ &= \sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{40} + \frac{24\pi}{40}\right) \\ &= \sin\left(\frac{29\pi}{40}\right) \end{aligned}$$



$\pi, \pi, \pi, \pi, \pi, 5\pi$       ~~$20^\circ, 40^\circ, 45^\circ, 240^\circ, 120^\circ, 150^\circ, 135^\circ$~~

$\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{5\pi}{6}, 30^\circ, 60^\circ, 45^\circ, 240^\circ, 120^\circ, 150^\circ, 135^\circ$ 
2. Find an exact value for  $\cos \frac{\pi}{12}$ 

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{12}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{6}}{2(2)} = \frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{6}}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

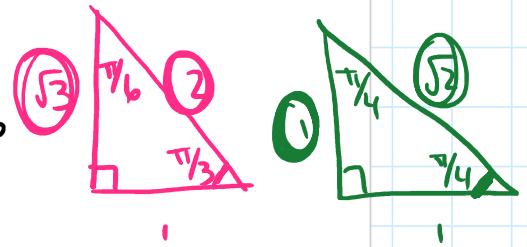
$$\frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{4\pi}{12} - \frac{3\pi}{12}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{3\pi}{12} - \frac{2\pi}{12}$$

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

We have the left  
∴ Create the right side



$$2A = A + A$$

3. Simplify and create a double angle identity

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(2A) &= \sin(A+A) \\ &= \sin A \cos A + \cos A \sin A \\ &= 2 \sin A \cos A \end{aligned}$$

$$\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$\tan(2A)$$

$$= \frac{\tan A + \tan A}{1 - \tan A \tan A}$$

$$= \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(2A) &= \cos(A+A) \\ &= \cos A \cos A - \sin A \sin A \\ &= \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A \\ &= \cos^2 A - (1 - \cos^2 A) \\ &= 2 \cos^2 A - 1 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\sin^2 A = 1 - \cos^2 A$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2A &= \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A \\ \cos 2A &= 1 - \sin^2 A - \sin^2 A \\ \cos 2A &= 1 - 2 \sin^2 A \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 A + \cos^2 A &= 1 \\ \cos^2 A &= 1 - \sin^2 A \end{aligned}$$

**Double Angle Identities**

$$\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$\cos 2A = \begin{cases} \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A \\ 2\cos^2 A - 1 \\ 1 - 2\sin^2 A \end{cases}$$

$$\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$

4. Write as a single trig function

$$\frac{6 \tan 20^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 20^\circ}$$

$$= \frac{3(2 \tan 20^\circ)}{1 - \tan^2 20^\circ}$$

$$= 3 \left[ \frac{2 \tan 20^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 20^\circ} \right] = 3 \left[ \tan 2(20^\circ) \right] = 3 \tan 40^\circ$$

5. Evaluate without a calculator

$$10 \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{12} \right) - 5$$

$$5 \left( 2 \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{12} - 1 \right)$$

$$5 \left( \cos 2 \left( \frac{\pi}{12} \right) \right)$$

$$5 \cos \frac{\pi}{6}$$

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

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

$$\frac{3(2x+1)}{7}$$

$$3 \left( \frac{2x+1}{7} \right)$$

similar to

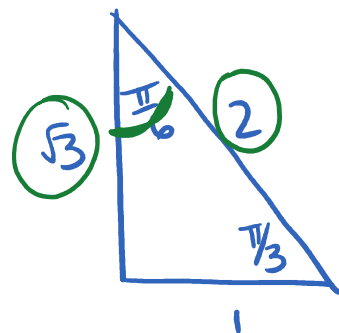
$$\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$

$$A = 20^\circ$$

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

$$A = \frac{\pi}{12}$$

create the left



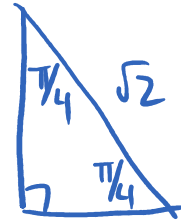
6. Evaluate without a calculator

$$\begin{aligned} & \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \cos \frac{\pi}{8} \\ &= \frac{2}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \cos \frac{\pi}{8} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (2 \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \cos \frac{\pi}{8}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2(\frac{\pi}{8})) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \end{aligned}$$

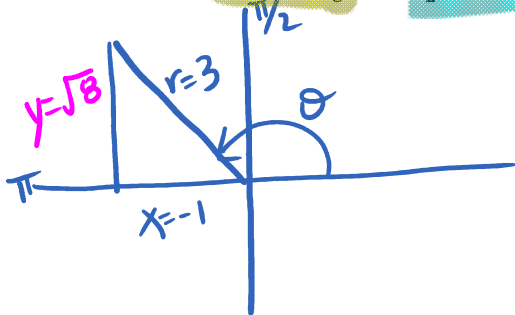
$\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$

$A = \frac{\pi}{8}$

create the left side of the identity



7. If  $\cos \theta = \frac{-1}{3}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \pi$ , find a value for:



$$\begin{aligned} \cos \theta &= \frac{x}{r} \\ x^2 + y^2 &= r^2 \\ (-1)^2 + y^2 &= 3^2 \\ 1 + y^2 &= 9 \\ y^2 &= 8 \\ y &= \pm \sqrt{8} \end{aligned}$$

$\cos \theta = \frac{-1}{3}$

a)  $\sin 2\theta$

b)  $\cos(\theta + \pi)$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 2\theta &= 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= \frac{2}{1} (\frac{\sqrt{8}}{3}) (\frac{-1}{3}) \\ &= -\frac{2\sqrt{8}}{9} \\ &= -\frac{2(2\sqrt{2})}{9} \\ &= -\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{9} \end{aligned}$$

$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{8} \\ &= \sqrt{4 \cdot 2} \\ &= \sqrt{4} \cdot \sqrt{2} \\ &= 2\sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(\theta + \pi) &= \cos \theta \cos \pi - \sin \theta \sin \pi \\ &= (\frac{-1}{3})(-1) - (\frac{\sqrt{8}}{3})(0) \\ &= \frac{1}{3} - 0 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

