

**EXAMPLE 10.2**

Given that  $\sin \theta = 0.3$ , where  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$  find

- (a)  $\sin(\pi + \theta)$       (b)  $\sin(2\pi - \theta)$       (c)  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)$

**EXAMPLE 10.3**

Given that  $\cos \theta = k$  and  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$  find

- (a)  $\cos(\pi + \theta)$       (b)  $\cos(2\pi - \theta)$       (c)  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right)$

**EXAMPLE 10.4**

Given that  $\sin \theta = k$  and  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$  find

- (a)  $\tan \theta$       (b)  $\operatorname{cosec} \theta$       (c)  $\sec(\pi + \theta)$

**EXAMPLE 10.5**

Find the exact values of

- (a)  $\sec 45^\circ$       (b)  $\operatorname{cosec} 150^\circ$       (c)  $\cot \frac{11\pi}{6}$       (d)  $\sec 0$

**EXAMPLE 10.7**

Simplify

- (a)  $\frac{\sin(\pi + \theta)}{\cos(2\pi - \theta)}$       (b)  $\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)}{\cos(\pi + \theta)}$ , where  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

## Solutions

**Solution**

- (a) From the reduction formulae, we have that  $\sin(\pi + \theta) = -\sin \theta$ .  
Therefore,  $\sin(\pi + \theta) = -0.3$ .
- (b) From the reduction formulae, we have that  $\sin(2\pi - \theta) = -\sin \theta$ .  
Therefore,  $\sin(\pi + \theta) = -0.3$ .
- (c) From the reduction formulae, we have that  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) = \sin \theta$ .

Therefore,  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) = 0.3$ .

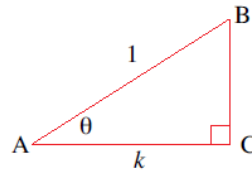
**Solution**

- (a)  $\cos(\pi + \theta) = -\cos \theta \therefore \cos(\pi + \theta) = -k$ .
- (b)  $\cos(2\pi - \theta) = \cos \theta \therefore \cos(2\pi - \theta) = k$ .
- (c)  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right) = -\sin \theta$ . However, we only have a value for  $\cos \theta$ .

To determine the value of  $\sin \theta$  that corresponds to  $\cos \theta = k$  we make use of a right-angled triangle where  $\cos \theta = k$ .

Construct a right-angled triangle ABC, where  $\angle BAC = \theta$

so that  $AC = k$  and  $AB = 1$  (i.e.,  $\cos \theta = \frac{AC}{AB} = \frac{k}{1} = k$ ).



Then, from Pythagoras's theorem, we have

$$1^2 = k^2 + BC^2 \Leftrightarrow BC = \pm\sqrt{1-k^2}$$

Therefore, as  $\sin \theta = \frac{BC}{AB} \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{\pm\sqrt{1-k^2}}{1} = \pm\sqrt{1-k^2}$ .

However, as  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ , then  $\theta$  is in the first quadrant and so,  $\sin \theta > 0 \therefore \sin \theta = \sqrt{1-k^2}$ .

Now that we have the value of  $\sin \theta$  we can complete the question:

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right) = -\sin \theta \therefore \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right) = -\sqrt{1-k^2}$$



**Solution**

As we are looking for trigonometric ratios based solely on that of the sine ratio, we start by constructing a right-angled triangle satisfying the relationship,  $\sin \theta = k$

In this case, as  $\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = k \Rightarrow \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{BC}{AB} = \frac{k}{1}$

(using the simplest ratio).

Using Pythagoras's theorem, we have

$$1^2 = k^2 + AC^2 \Leftrightarrow AC = \pm\sqrt{1-k^2}$$

(a)  $\tan \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}} = \frac{k}{\pm\sqrt{1-k^2}}$ .

However, as  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $\tan \theta > 0 \therefore \tan \theta = \frac{k}{\sqrt{1-k^2}}$ .

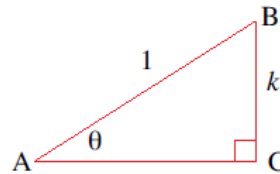
(b)  $\text{cosec} \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \therefore \text{cosec} \theta = \frac{1}{k}$ .

(c)  $\sec(\pi + \theta) = \frac{1}{\cos(\pi + \theta)} = -\frac{1}{\cos \theta}$ .

But,  $\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\pm\sqrt{1-k^2}}{1} = \pm\sqrt{1-k^2}$ .

However, as  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $\cos \theta > 0 \therefore \cos \theta = \sqrt{1-k^2}$ .

Therefore,  $\sec(\pi + \theta) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-k^2}}$ .



$$(a) \quad \sec 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\cos 45^\circ} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$(b) \quad \operatorname{cosec} 150^\circ = \frac{1}{\sin 150^\circ} = \frac{1}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = 2$$

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$$(c) \quad \cot \frac{11\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{\tan\left(\frac{11\pi}{6}\right)} = \frac{1}{\tan\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right)} = \frac{1}{-\tan\frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{1}{-\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)} = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$(c) \quad \sec 0 = \frac{1}{\cos 0} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

$$(a) \quad \frac{\sin(\pi + \theta)}{\cos(2\pi - \theta)} = \frac{-\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \\ = -\tan \theta$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)}{\cos(\pi + \theta)} = \frac{\cos \theta \sin \theta}{-\cos \theta} \\ = -\sin \theta$$

# EXERCISES 10.1

**1.** Convert the following angles to degrees.

(a)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$  (b)  $\frac{3\pi}{5}$  (c)  $\frac{12\pi}{10}$

**2.** Convert the following angles to radians.

(a)  $180^\circ$  (b)  $270^\circ$  (c)  $140^\circ$

**3.** Find the exact value of

(a)  $\sin 120^\circ$  (b)  $\cos 120^\circ$  (c)  $\tan 120^\circ$   
 (e)  $\sin 210^\circ$  (f)  $\cos 210^\circ$  (g)  $\tan 210^\circ$

**4.** Find the exact value of

(a)  $\sin \pi$  (b)  $\cos \pi$  (c)  $\tan \pi$  (d)  $\sec \pi$   
 (e)  $\sin \frac{3\pi}{4}$  (f)  $\cos \frac{3\pi}{4}$  (g)  $\tan \frac{3\pi}{4}$  (h)  $\operatorname{cosec} \frac{3\pi}{4}$

**5.** Find the exact value of

(a)  $\sin(-210^\circ)$  (b)  $\cos(-30^\circ)$   
 (e)  $\cot(-60^\circ)$  (f)  $\sin(-150^\circ)$

## EXERCISE 10.1

**1.** (a)  $120^\circ$  (b)  $108^\circ$  (c)  $216^\circ$  (d)  $50^\circ$  **2.** (a)  $\pi^c$  (b)  $\frac{3\pi^c}{2}$  (c)  $\frac{7\pi^c}{9}$  (d)  $\frac{16\pi^c}{9}$  **3.** (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (b)  $-\frac{1}{2}$   
 (c)  $-\sqrt{3}$  (d)  $-2$  (e)  $-\frac{1}{2}$  (f)  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (g)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (h)  $\sqrt{3}$  (i)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (j)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (k)  $1$  (l)  $-\sqrt{2}$  (m)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (n)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 (o)  $-1$  (p)  $\sqrt{2}$  (q)  $0$  (r)  $1$  (s)  $0$  (t) undefined **4.** (a)  $0$  (b)  $-1$  (c)  $0$  (d)  $-1$  (e)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (f)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (g)  $-1$   
 (h)  $\sqrt{2}$  (i)  $-\frac{1}{2}$  (j)  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (k)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (l)  $\sqrt{3}$  (m)  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (n)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (o)  $-\sqrt{3}$  (p)  $2$  (q)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (r)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (s)  $-1$   
 (t)  $-\sqrt{2}$  **5.** (a)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (c)  $1$  (d)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (e)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (f)  $-\frac{1}{2}$  (g)  $-\sqrt{2}$  (h)  $-\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$  **6.** (a)  $-\frac{1}{2}$  (b)  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$