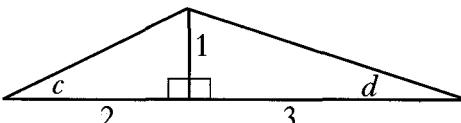


# Higher : Trigonometry Addition Formulae

<p>2008 P1</p>	<p>9. Given that <math>0 \leq a \leq \frac{\pi}{2}</math> and <math>\sin a = \frac{3}{5}</math>, find an expression for <math>\sin(x + a)</math>.</p> <p>A <math>\sin x + \frac{3}{5}</math>      B <math>\frac{4}{5}\sin x + \frac{3}{5}\cos x</math>      C <math>\frac{3}{5}\sin x - \frac{4}{5}\cos x</math>      D <math>\frac{2}{5}\sin x - \frac{3}{5}\cos x</math></p>	<p>2</p>
<p>Ans</p>	<p>B</p>	
<p>2008 P2</p>	<p>5. Solve the equation <math>\cos 2x^\circ + 2\sin x^\circ = \sin^2 x^\circ</math> in the interval <math>0 \leq x &lt; 360</math>.</p>	<p>5</p>
<p>Ans</p>	<p><math>90^\circ, 199.5^\circ, 340.5^\circ</math></p>	
<p>2007 P1</p>	<p>6. Solve the equation <math>\sin 2x^\circ = 6\cos x^\circ</math> for <math>0 \leq x \leq 360</math>.</p>	<p>4</p>
<p>Ans</p>	<p><math>x = 90, 270</math></p>	
<p>2007 P2</p>	<p>2. The diagram shows two right-angled triangles with angles <math>c</math> and <math>d</math> marked as shown.</p> <p>(a) Find the exact value of <math>\sin(c + d)</math>.      (b) (i) Find the exact value of <math>\sin 2c</math>.      (ii) Show that <math>\cos 2d</math> has the same exact value.</p> 	<p>4 4</p>
<p>Ans</p>	<p>(a) <math>\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}</math>      (b) (i) <math>\frac{4}{5}</math></p>	
<p>2006 P1</p>	<p>7. Solve the equation <math>\sin x^\circ - \sin 2x^\circ = 0</math> in the interval <math>0 \leq x \leq 360</math>.</p>	<p>4</p>
<p>Ans</p>	<p><math>x = 0, 180, 360, 60, 300</math></p>	

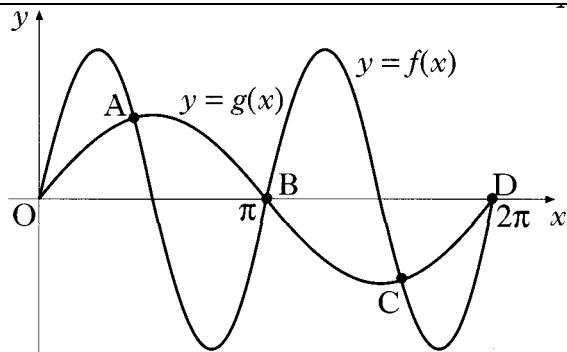
<p><b>2006 P2</b></p> <p>8. The diagram shows a right-angled triangle with height 1 unit, base 2 units and an angle of <math>a^\circ</math> at A.</p> <p>(a) Find the exact values of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) <math>\sin a^\circ</math>;</li> <li>(ii) <math>\sin 2a^\circ</math>.</li> </ul> <p>(b) By expressing <math>\sin 3a^\circ</math> as <math>\sin(2a + a)^\circ</math>, find the exact value of <math>\sin 3a^\circ</math>.</p>		<p>4 4</p>
<p><i>Ans</i></p> <p>(a) (i) <math>\sin a^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}</math></p> <p>(ii) <math>\sin 2a^\circ = \frac{4}{5}</math></p> <p>(b) <math>\sin 3a^\circ = \frac{11}{5\sqrt{5}}</math></p>		
<p><b>2005 P1</b></p> <p>9. If <math>\cos 2x = \frac{7}{25}</math> and <math>0 &lt; x &lt; \frac{\pi}{2}</math>, find the exact values of <math>\cos x</math> and <math>\sin x</math>.</p>		4
<p><i>Ans</i></p> <p><math>\cos(x) = \frac{4}{5}</math></p> <p><math>\sin(x) = \frac{3}{5}</math></p>		
<p><b>2005 P2</b></p> <p>2. Triangles ACD and BCD are right-angled at D with angles <math>p</math> and <math>q</math> and lengths as shown in the diagram.</p> <p>(a) Show that the exact value of <math>\sin(p + q)</math> is <math>\frac{84}{85}</math>.</p> <p>(b) Calculate the exact values of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) <math>\cos(p + q)</math>;</li> <li>(ii) <math>\tan(p + q)</math>.</li> </ul>		<p>4 3</p>
<p><i>Ans</i></p> <p>(a) <math>\cos(p) = \frac{8}{17}</math>, <math>\sin(p) = \frac{15}{17}</math>  <math>\cos(q) = \frac{8}{10}</math>, <math>\sin(q) = \frac{6}{10}</math></p> <p>From <math>\sin(A+B) = \sin(A)\cos(B) + \cos(A)\sin(B)</math></p> $\frac{15}{17} \times \frac{8}{10} + \frac{8}{17} \times \frac{6}{10} = \frac{84}{85}$ <p>(b) (i) <math>-\frac{13}{85}</math>  (ii) <math>-\frac{84}{13}</math></p>		

2005 P2

8. Two functions,  $f$  and  $g$ , are defined by  $f(x) = k \sin 2x$  and  $g(x) = \sin x$  where  $k > 1$ .

The diagram shows the graphs of  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = g(x)$  intersecting at O, A, B, C and D.

$$\text{Show that, at A and C, } \cos x = \frac{1}{2k}.$$



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Ans

$$k \sin(2x) = \sin(x)$$

$$k \times 2 \sin(x) \cos(x)$$

$$\sin(x) \times (2k \cos(x) - 1) = 0$$

$$\sin(x) = 0 \text{ and } \cos(x) = \frac{1}{2k}$$

$$\sin(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0, \pi, 2\pi \text{ at (O), B}$$

and D

$$\text{and } \cos(x) = \frac{1}{2k} \text{ at A and C}$$

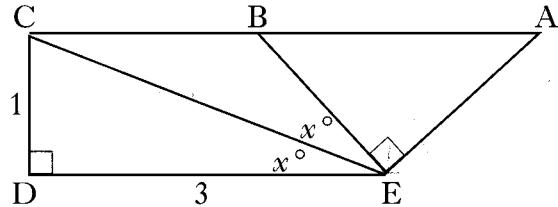
2004 P1

10. In the diagram

angle DEC = angle CEB =  $x^\circ$  and  
angle CDE = angle BEA =  $90^\circ$ .

CD = 1 unit; DE = 3 units.

By writing angle DEA in terms of  $x^\circ$ , find the exact value of  $\cos(\hat{D}EA)$ .



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Ans

$$\cos \hat{D}EA = -\frac{6}{10}$$

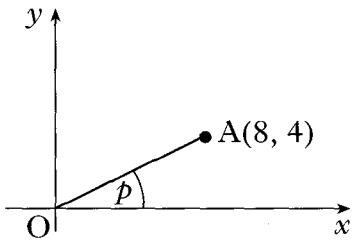
2003 P1

10. A is the point  $(8, 4)$ . The line OA is inclined at an angle  $p$  radians to the  $x$ -axis.

(a) Find the exact values of:

$$(i) \sin(2p);$$

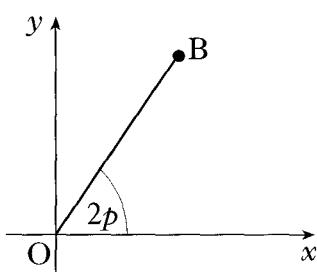
$$(ii) \cos(2p).$$



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The line OB is inclined at an angle  $2p$  radians to the  $x$ -axis.

(b) Write down the exact value of the gradient of OB.



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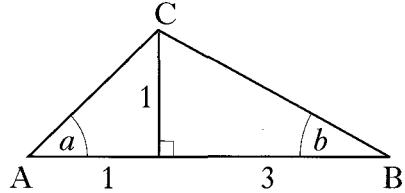
Ans

$$(a) (i) \frac{4}{5}$$

$$(ii) \frac{3}{5}$$

$$(b) \frac{4}{3}$$

2003 P2	<p><b>10.</b> Solve the equation <math>3\cos(2x) + 10\cos(x) - 1 = 0</math> for <math>0 \leq x \leq \pi</math>, correct to 2 decimal places.</p>	5
Ans	<b>1.23 radians only</b>	
2002W P2	<p><b>5.</b> Solve the equation <math>\cos 2x - 2\sin^2 x = 0</math> in the interval <math>0 \leq x &lt; 2\pi</math>.</p>	4
Ans	$\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$	
2002 P1	<p><b>3.</b> Functions <math>f</math> and <math>g</math> are defined on suitable domains by <math>f(x) = \sin(x^\circ)</math> and <math>g(x) = 2x</math>.</p> <p>(a) Find expressions for:</p> <p>(i) <math>f(g(x))</math>;  (ii) <math>g(f(x))</math>.</p> <p>(b) Solve <math>2f(g(x)) = g(f(x))</math> for <math>0 \leq x \leq 360</math>.</p>	2 5
Ans	<p>(a) (i) <math>\sin(2x^\circ)</math>  (ii) <math>2\sin(x^\circ)</math></p> <p>(b) <math>4\sin(x^\circ)\cos(x^\circ) - 2\sin(x^\circ) = 0</math>  <math>2\sin(x^\circ)(2\cos(x^\circ) - 1) = 0</math>  <math>\sin(x^\circ) = 0, \cos(x^\circ) =</math>  <math>0^\circ, 60^\circ, 180^\circ, 300^\circ, 360^\circ</math></p>	
2002 P1	<p><b>5.</b> In triangle ABC, show that the exact value of <math>\sin(a+b)</math> is <math>\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}</math>.</p>	4
Ans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <math>AC = \sqrt{2}</math> and <math>BC = \sqrt{10}</math></li> <li>• <math>\sin(a+b) = \sin a \cos b + \cos a \sin b</math></li> <li>• <math>= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}</math></li> <li>• <math>= \frac{4}{\sqrt{20}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{4 \times 5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}</math></li> </ul>	



2001 PI	<p>5. (a) Solve the equation <math>\sin 2x^\circ - \cos x^\circ = 0</math> in the interval <math>0 \leq x \leq 180</math>.</p> <p>(b) The diagram shows parts of two trigonometric graphs, <math>y = \sin 2x^\circ</math> and <math>y = \cos x^\circ</math>. Use your solutions in (a) to write down the coordinates of the point P.</p>	4 1
Ans	<p>(a) 30, 90, 150</p> <p>(b) <math>\left(150, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)</math></p>	
2001 PI	<p>7. Functions <math>f(x) = \sin x</math>, <math>g(x) = \cos x</math> and <math>h(x) = x + \frac{\pi}{4}</math> are defined on a suitable set of real numbers.</p> <p>(a) Find expressions for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) <math>f(h(x))</math>;</li> <li>(ii) <math>g(h(x))</math>.</li> </ul> <p>(b) (i) Show that <math>f(h(x)) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos x</math>.</p> <p>(ii) Find a similar expression for <math>g(h(x))</math> and hence solve the equation <math>f(h(x)) - g(h(x)) = 1</math> for <math>0 \leq x \leq 2\pi</math>.</p>	2 5
Ans	<p>(a) (i) <math>\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)</math>;  (ii) <math>\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)</math></p> <p>(b) (i) <math>\sin x \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \cos x \sin \frac{\pi}{4}</math>  (ii) <math>x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}</math></p>	

<p><i>2000 P1</i></p> <p>1. On the coordinate diagram shown, A is the point (6, 8) and B is the point (12, -5). Angle AOC = <math>p</math> and angle COB = <math>q</math>. Find the exact value of <math>\sin(p + q)</math>.</p>		<p>4</p>
<p><i>Ans</i></p> $\frac{63}{65}$		
<p><i>Specimen 2 P1</i></p> <p>7. Using triangle PQR, as shown, find the exact value of <math>\cos 2x</math>.</p>		<p>3</p>
<p><i>Ans</i></p> $\cos x = \frac{2}{\sqrt{11}}$ $\cos 2x = 2 \times \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{11}} \right)^2 - 1 = -\frac{3}{11}$		
<p><i>Specimen 1 P1</i></p> <p>4. If <math>x^\circ</math> is an acute angle such that <math>\tan x^\circ = \frac{4}{3}</math>, show that the exact value of <math>\sin(x + 30)^\circ</math> is <math>\frac{4\sqrt{3} + 3}{10}</math>.</p>		<p>3</p>
<p><i>Ans</i></p> $\begin{aligned} & \sin x^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \cos x^\circ \sin 30^\circ \\ &= \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{4\sqrt{3} + 3}{10} \end{aligned}$		
<p><i>Specimen 1 P2</i></p> <p>7. (a) Show that <math>2\cos 2x^\circ - \cos^2 x^\circ = 1 - 3\sin^2 x^\circ</math>.</p> <p>(b) Hence</p> <p>(i) write the equation <math>2\cos 2x^\circ - \cos^2 x^\circ = 2\sin x^\circ</math> in terms of <math>\sin x^\circ</math></p> <p>(ii) solve this equation in the interval <math>0 \leq x &lt; 90</math>.</p>		<p>2</p> <p>3</p>

*Ans*

$$\begin{aligned}(a) \quad & 2(1 - 2\sin^2 x^\circ) - \cos^2 x^\circ \\&= 2 - 4\sin^2 x^\circ - \cos^2 x^\circ \\&= 2 - 4\sin^2 x^\circ - (1 - \sin^2 x^\circ) \\&= 1 - 3\sin^2 x^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(b) \quad & (\text{i}) \quad 3\sin^2 x^\circ + 2\sin x^\circ - 1 = 0 \\& (\text{ii}) \quad 19.5\end{aligned}$$