

Trigonometry and modelling 7C

1 $\sin 2A = \sin(A+A) = \sin A \cos A + \cos A \sin A$
 $= 2 \sin A \cos A$

2 a $\cos 2A = \cos(A+A)$
 $= \cos A \cos A - \sin A \sin A$
 $= \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A$

b i $\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A$
 Use $\cos^2 A + \sin^2 A = 1$ to simplify, so
 $\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - (1 - \cos^2 A)$
 $= 2 \cos^2 A - 1$

ii $\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A$
 $= (1 - \sin^2 A) - \sin^2 A$
 $= 1 - 2 \sin^2 A$

3 $\tan 2A = \tan(A+A)$
 $= \frac{\tan A + \tan A}{1 - \tan A \tan A} = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$

4 a $2 \sin 10^\circ \cos 10^\circ = \sin 20^\circ$
 (using $2 \sin A \cos A \equiv \sin 2A$)

b $1 - 2 \sin^2 25^\circ = \cos 50^\circ$
 using $\cos 2A \equiv 1 - 2 \sin^2 A$

c $\cos^2 40^\circ - \sin^2 40^\circ = \cos 80^\circ$
 using $\cos 2A \equiv \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A$

d $\frac{2 \tan 5^\circ}{1 - \tan^2 5^\circ} = \tan 10^\circ$
 using $\tan 2A \equiv \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$

e $\frac{1}{2 \sin 24.5^\circ \cos 24.5^\circ} = \frac{1}{\sin 49^\circ}$
 $= \operatorname{cosec} 49^\circ$

f $6 \cos^2 30^\circ - 3 = 3(2 \cos^2 30^\circ - 1)$
 $= 3 \cos 60^\circ$

g $\frac{\sin 8^\circ}{\sec 8^\circ} = \sin 8^\circ \cos 8^\circ$
 $= \frac{1}{2}(2 \sin 8^\circ \cos 8^\circ) = \frac{1}{2} \sin 16^\circ$

h $\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{16} - \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{16} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{16} = \cos \frac{\pi}{8}$

5 a $2 \sin 22.5^\circ \cos 22.5^\circ = \sin 2 \times 22.5^\circ$
 $= \sin 45^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

b $2 \cos^2 15^\circ - 1 = \cos(2 \times 15^\circ)$
 $= \cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

c $(\sin 75^\circ - \cos 75^\circ)^2$
 $= \sin^2 75^\circ + \cos^2 75^\circ - 2 \sin 75^\circ \cos 75^\circ$
 $= 1 - \sin(2 \times 75^\circ)$
 as $\sin^2 75^\circ + \cos^2 75^\circ = 1$, and this gives
 $(\sin 75^\circ - \cos 75^\circ)^2 = 1 - \sin 150^\circ$
 $= 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

d $\frac{2 \tan \frac{\pi}{8}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\pi}{8}} = \tan \left(2 \times \frac{\pi}{8} \right) = \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1$

6 a $(\sin A + \cos A)^2$
 $= \sin^2 A + 2 \sin A \cos A + \cos^2 A$
 $= 1 + \sin 2A$

b $\left(\sin \frac{\pi}{8} + \cos \frac{\pi}{8} \right)^2$
 $= 1 + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = 1 + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{2 + \sqrt{2}}{4}$

7 a $\cos^2 3\theta - \sin^2 3\theta = \cos(2 \times 3\theta) = \cos 6\theta$

b $6 \sin 2q \cos 2q = 3(2 \sin 2q \cos 2q)$
 $= 3 \sin(2 \times 2q)$
 $= 3 \sin 4q$

c $\frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \tan \left(2 \times \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = \tan \theta$

7 d

$$2 - 4 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \left(1 - 2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\theta}{2} \right) \right)$$

$$= 2 \cos \left(2 \times \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = 2 \cos \theta$$

e

$$\sqrt{1 + \cos 2q} = \sqrt{1 + (2\cos^2 q - 1)}$$

$$= \sqrt{2\cos^2 q}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \cos q$$

f

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta &= \frac{1}{4}(4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta) \\&= \frac{1}{4}(2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)^2 \\&= \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 2\theta\end{aligned}$$

g

$$\begin{aligned}4 \sin q \cos q \cos 2q &= 2(2 \sin q \cos q) \cos 2q \\&= 2 \sin 2\theta \cos 2\theta \\&= \sin 4\theta\end{aligned}$$

As $\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$ with $A = 2\theta$

h

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\tan q}{\sec^2 q - 2} &= \frac{\tan q}{(1 + \tan^2 q) - 2} \\&= \frac{\tan q}{\tan^2 q - 1} \\&= -\frac{\tan q}{1 - \tan^2 q} \\&= -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\&= -\frac{1}{2} \tan 2\theta\end{aligned}$$

i

$$\begin{aligned}\cos^4 q - 2 \sin^2 q \cos^2 q + \sin^4 q &= (\cos^2 q - \sin^2 q)^2 \\&= \cos^2 2q\end{aligned}$$

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$$p = 2 \cos \theta \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{p}{2}$$

$$\cos 2\theta = q$$

Using $\cos 2\theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow q &= 2 \left(\frac{p}{2} \right)^2 - 1 \\&\Rightarrow q = \frac{p^2}{2} - 1\end{aligned}$$

9 a

$$\cos^2 q = x, \cos 2q = 1 - y$$

Using $\cos 2\theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - y = 2x - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2 - 2x = 2(1 - x)$$

Any form of this equation is correct

b

$$y = \cot 2\theta \Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{1}{y}$$

$$x = \tan \theta$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} = \frac{2x}{1 - x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xy = 1 - x^2$$

Any form of this equation is correct

c

$$\begin{aligned}x = \sin q, y = 2 \sin q \cos q \\&\Rightarrow y = 2x \cos \theta \\&\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{y}{2x}\end{aligned}$$

Using $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta \equiv 1$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \frac{y^2}{4x^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^4 + y^2 = 4x^2$$

$$\text{or } y^2 = 4x^2(1 - x^2)$$

Any form of this equation is correct

d

$$x = 3 \cos 2\theta + 1 \Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \frac{x-1}{3}$$

$$y = 2 \sin \theta \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{y}{2}$$

Using $\cos 2\theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{3} = 1 - \frac{2y^2}{4} = 1 - \frac{y^2}{2}$$

Multiplying both sides by 6 gives

$$2(x-1) = 6 - 3y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y^2 = 6 - 2(x-1) = 8 - 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{2(4-x)}{3}$$

Any form of this equation is correct

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$$\begin{aligned}\cos 2x &= 2 \cos^2 x - 1 \\&= 2 \left(\frac{1}{4} \right)^2 - 1 = \frac{1}{8} - 1 = -\frac{7}{8}\end{aligned}$$

11 $\cos 2q = 1 - 2\sin^2 q$

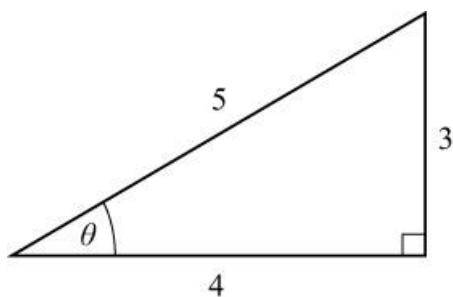
$$\text{So } \frac{23}{25} = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 \theta = 1 - \frac{23}{25} = \frac{2}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \pm \frac{1}{5}$$

- 12** Draw a right-angled triangle with θ as one of the angles. The hypotenuse is 5



$$\text{So } \sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}, \cos \theta = \frac{4}{5}, \tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$$

a i $\tan 2\theta = \frac{2\tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{1 - \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{\frac{7}{16}} = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{16}{7} = \frac{24}{7}$

ii $\sin 2\theta = 2\sin \theta \cos \theta = 2 \times \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{4}{5} = \frac{24}{25}$

iii $\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = \frac{16}{25} - \frac{9}{25} = \frac{7}{25}$

b

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 4\theta &= 2\sin 2\theta \cos 2\theta \\ &= 2 \times \frac{24}{25} \times \frac{7}{25} = \frac{336}{625} \end{aligned}$$

13 a i $\cos 2A = 2\cos^2 A - 1$

$$= 2\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 - 1 = \frac{2}{9} - 1 = -\frac{7}{9}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{7}{9} = 1 - 2\sin^2 A$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2 A = 1 + \frac{7}{9} = \frac{16}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 A = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A = \pm \frac{\sqrt{8}}{3} = \pm \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

But A is in the second quarter so $\sin A$ is positive, and the solution is

$$\sin A = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

iii $\operatorname{cosec} 2A = \frac{1}{\sin 2A} = \frac{1}{2\sin A \cos A}$

$$= \frac{1}{2 \times \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \times \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)} = -\frac{9}{4\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{9\sqrt{2}}{8}$$

b $\tan 2A = \frac{\sin 2A}{\cos 2A} = \frac{-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{9}}{-\frac{7}{9}} = -\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{9} \times -\frac{9}{7} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{7}$

14 Using $\tan \theta = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{4} = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - 3 \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 8 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + 8 \tan \frac{\theta}{2} - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(3 \tan \frac{\theta}{2} - 1\right) \left(\tan \frac{\theta}{2} + 3\right) = 0$$

so $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{3}$ or $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = -3$

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

As $\frac{\theta}{2}$ is in the second quadrant, so $\tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ is

negative, and the solution is $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = -3$

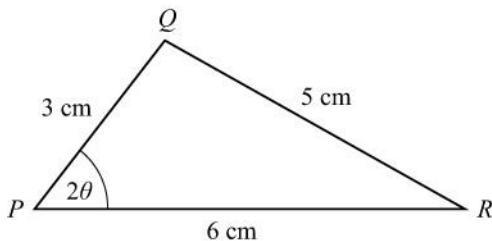
15 $\cos x + \sin x = m$

$$\cos x - \sin x = n$$

Multiply the equations

$$\begin{aligned}(\cos x + \sin x)(\cos x - \sin x) &= mn \\ \Rightarrow \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x &= mn \\ \Rightarrow \cos 2x &= mn\end{aligned}$$

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a Using cosine rule with

$$\begin{aligned}\cos P &= \frac{q^2 + r^2 - p^2}{2qr} \\ \cos 2\theta &= \frac{36 + 9 - 25}{2 \times 6 \times 3} = \frac{20}{36} = \frac{5}{9}\end{aligned}$$

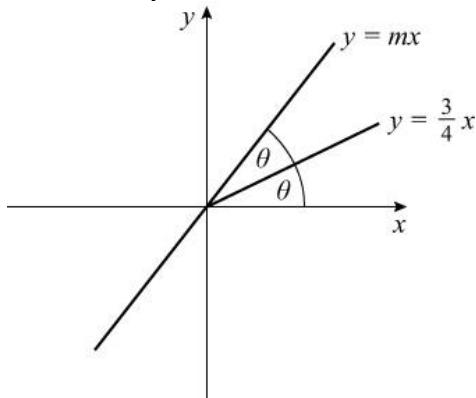
b Using $\cos 2\theta = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{5}{9} &= 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta \\ \Rightarrow 2\sin^2 \theta &= 1 - \frac{5}{9} = \frac{4}{9} \\ \Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta &= \frac{2}{9} \\ \Rightarrow \sin \theta &= \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}\end{aligned}$$

As 2θ is acute, θ must be in the first quadrant so $\sin \theta$ is positive, so

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

17 Sketch the problem,



a The gradient of line l is $\frac{3}{4}$, which is $\tan \theta$.

$$\text{So } \tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$$

b The gradient of $y = mx$ is m and as $y = \frac{3}{4}x$ bisects the angle between $y = mx$ and the x -axis

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

$$18 \text{ a } \cos 2A = \cos(A+A)$$

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

b The lines intersect when

$$4\cos 2x = 6\cos^2 x - 3\sin 2x$$

This equation can be written as
 $\cos 2x + 3\cos 2x = 6\cos^2 x + 3\sin 2x$

Use the fact that $3\cos 2x = 6\cos^2 x - 3$, so the equation becomes

$$\begin{aligned}\cos 2x + 6\cos^2 x - 3 &= 6\cos^2 x - 3\sin 2x \\ \Rightarrow \cos 2x - 3 &= 3\sin 2x \\ \Rightarrow \cos 2x + 3\sin 2x - 3 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}19 \tan 2A &\equiv \frac{\sin 2A}{\cos 2A} \equiv \frac{2\sin A \cos A}{\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A} \\ &\equiv \frac{\frac{2\sin A \cos A}{\cos^2 A}}{\frac{\cos^2 A - \sin^2 A}{\cos^2 A}} \\ &\equiv \frac{\frac{2\sin A}{\cos A}}{1 - \frac{\sin^2 A}{\cos^2 A}} \\ &\equiv \frac{2\tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}\end{aligned}$$