



The Answer Series

Gr 12 Maths BOOKWORK



2023/2024

(Extracts from TAS Gr 12 Maths 2-in-1 and Toolkit)

All the proofs you need to know!

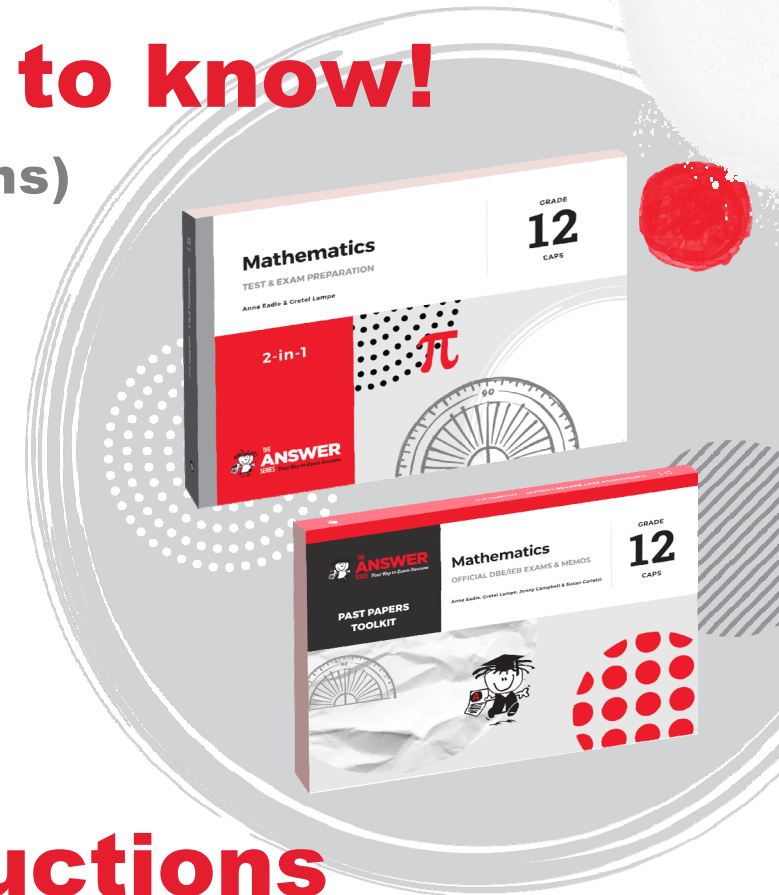
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Paper 1: *(a maximum of 6 marks)*
Arithmetic & Geometric Series

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Paper 2: *(a maximum of 12 marks)*
Geometry (7 theorems) and
Trigonometry (4 proofs & 5 formulae derivations)

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Plus Calculator Instructions



PAPER 1: PROOFS

Arithmetic and Geometric Series

S_n : the sum of n terms

► Arithmetic Series:

$$S_n = a + (a+d) + (a+2d) + \dots + T_n \quad \dots n \text{ terms}$$

$$\& S_n = T_n + (T_n-d) + (T_n-2d) + \dots + a \quad \dots n \text{ terms}$$

$$\therefore 2S_n = (a+T_n) + (a+T_n) + (a+T_n) + \dots + (a+T_n) \quad \dots n \text{ terms}$$

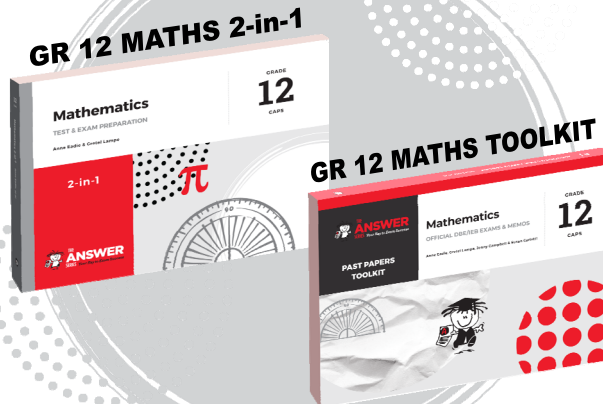
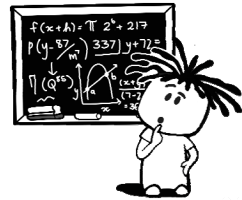
$$\therefore 2S_n = n(a+T_n)$$

$$\therefore S_n = \frac{n}{2}(a+T_n) <$$

But $T_n = a + (n-1)d$

$$\therefore S_n = \frac{n}{2}[a + a + (n-1)d]$$

$$\therefore S_n = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)d] <$$



► Geometric Series:

$$S_n = a + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots + ar^{n-2} + ar^{n-1} \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\times r) \therefore rS_n = ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots + ar^{n-1} + ar^n \quad \dots \textcircled{2}$$

the 'middle bit' falls away.

$$\textcircled{1} - \textcircled{2}: \therefore S_n - rS_n = a - ar^n$$

$$\therefore S_n(1-r) = a(1-r^n)$$

$$\therefore S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r} \quad \dots \text{for } r < 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \times \frac{(-1)}{(-1)}: S_n = \frac{a(r^n-1)}{r-1} \quad \dots \text{for } r > 1$$



Notice that: $\frac{b-a}{d-c} = \frac{-(a-b)}{-(c-d)} = \frac{a-b}{c-d}$

Also remember:

- $S_\infty = S_n$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ if $-1 < r < 1$

$$= \frac{a(1-0)}{1-r} \quad \dots r^n \rightarrow 0 \text{ if } -1 < r < 1$$

$$= \frac{a}{1-r}$$
- $\sum_{k=1}^n T_k = S_n$ and $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} T_k = S_\infty$ if $-1 < r < 1$

PAPER 2: EXAMINABLE PROOFS 2023/2024

These are the examinable proofs required:

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The Answer Series Mathematics publications have been designed to develop ...

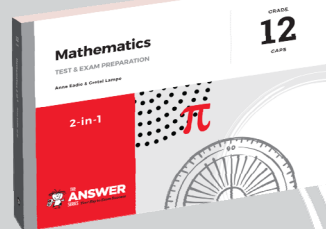
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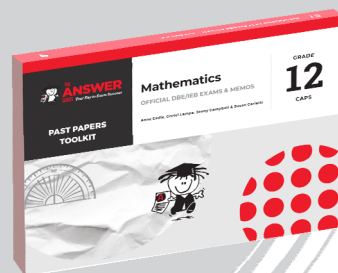
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EUCLIDEAN GEOMETRY

► Circle Geometry Theorems

- 1 The line segment drawn from the centre of a circle, perpendicular to a chord, bisects the chord.

Given: $\odot O$ with $OP \perp AB$

To Prove: $AP = PB$

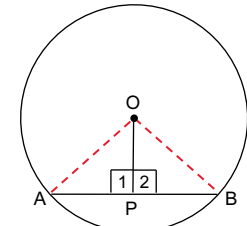
Construction: Join OA and OB

Proof: In $\triangle OPA$ & OPB

- (1) $OA = OB$... radii
 (2) $\hat{P}_1 = \hat{P}_2 (= 90^\circ)$... given
 (3) OP is common

$\therefore \triangle OPA \equiv \triangle OPB$... RHS

$\therefore AP = PB$, i.e. OP bisects chord AB <



- 2 The line drawn from the centre of a circle that bisects a chord is perpendicular to the chord.

Given: $\odot O$ with $AP = PB$

To Prove: $OP \perp AB$

Construction: Join OA and OB

Proof: In $\triangle OPA$ & OPB

- (1) $OA = OB$... radii
 (2) $AP = PB$... given
 (3) OP is common

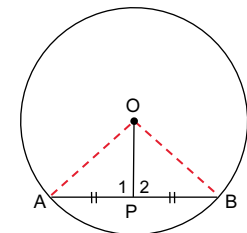
$\therefore \triangle OPA \equiv \triangle OPB$... SSS

$$\hat{P}_1 = \hat{P}_2$$

But, $\hat{P}_1 + \hat{P}_2 = 180^\circ$... \angle^s on a straight line

$$\therefore \hat{P}_1 = \hat{P}_2 = 90^\circ$$

i.e. $OP \perp AB$ <



This proof has been added in the 2021 Exam Guidelines.



3 The angle which an arc of a circle subtends at the centre is double the angle it subtends at any point on the circumference.

Given: $\odot O$, arc AB subtending $\hat{A}OB$ at the centre and $\hat{A}PB$ at the circumference.

To Prove: $\hat{A}OB = 2\hat{A}PB$

Construction: Join PO and produce it to Q.

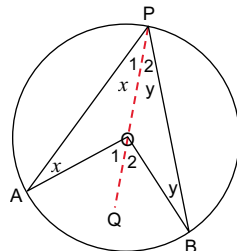
Proof: Let $\hat{P}_1 = x$

Then $\hat{A} = x \dots \angle^s$ opposite equal radii

$\therefore \hat{O}_1 = 2x \dots$ exterior \angle of $\triangle AOP$

Similarly, if $\hat{P}_2 = y$, then $\hat{O}_2 = 2y$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \hat{A}OB &= 2x + 2y \\ &= 2(x + y) \\ &= 2\hat{A}PB \quad \leftarrow \end{aligned}$$



4 The opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral are supplementary.

Given: $\odot O$ and cyclic quadrilateral ABCD

To Prove: $\hat{A} + \hat{C} = 180^\circ$ & $\hat{B} + \hat{D} = 180^\circ$

Construction: Join BO and DO.

Proof: Let $\hat{A} = x$

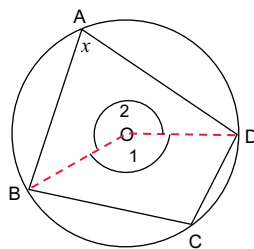
Then $\hat{O}_1 = 2x \dots \angle$ at centre = $2 \times \angle$ at circumference

$\therefore \hat{O}_2 = 360^\circ - 2x \dots \angle^s$ round point O

$\therefore \hat{C} = \frac{1}{2}(360^\circ - 2x) = 180^\circ - x \dots \angle$ at centre = $2 \times \angle$ at circumference

$\therefore \hat{A} + \hat{C} = x + 180^\circ - x = 180^\circ$

& $\therefore \hat{B} + \hat{D} = 180^\circ \leftarrow \dots$ sum of \angle^s in quad = 360°



5 The angle between a tangent to a circle and a chord drawn from the point of contact is equal to the angle subtended by the chord in the alternate segment.

Method 1

Draw radii and use ' \angle at centre' theorem.



Given: $\odot O$ with tangent at N and chord NM subtending \hat{K} at the circumference.

RTP: $\hat{M}NQ = \hat{K}$

Construction: radii OM and ON

Proof: Let $\hat{M}NQ = x$

$\hat{O}NQ = 90^\circ \dots$ radius \perp tangent

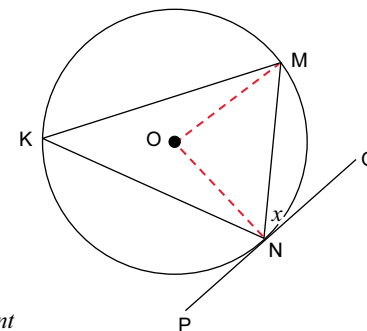
$\therefore \hat{O}NM = 90^\circ - x$

$\therefore \hat{O}MN = 90^\circ - x \dots \angle^s$ opposite equal radii

$\therefore \hat{M}ON = 2x \dots$ sum of \angle^s in \triangle

$\therefore \hat{K} = x \dots \angle$ at centre = $2 \times \angle$ at circumference

$\therefore \hat{M}NQ = \hat{K} \quad \leftarrow$



These proofs are logical & easy to follow.

Method 2

We use 2 'previous' facts involving right \angle^s



- 1 tangent \perp diameter \dots so, draw a diameter!
- 2 \angle in semi- $\odot = 90^\circ \dots$ so, join RK!

Given: $\odot O$ with tangent at N and chord NM subtending \hat{K} at the circumference.

RTP: $\hat{M}NQ = \hat{M}KN$

Construction: diameter NR; join RK

Proof: $\hat{R}NQ = 90^\circ \dots$ tangent \perp diameter
& $\hat{R}KN = 90^\circ \dots \angle$ in semi- \odot

Then ...

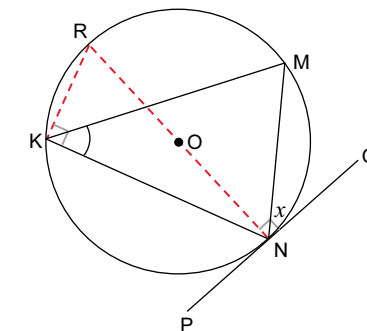
Let $\hat{M}NQ = x$

$\therefore \hat{R}NM = 90^\circ - x$

$\therefore \hat{R}KN = 90^\circ - x \dots \angle^s$ in the same seg

$\therefore \hat{M}KN = x$

$\therefore \hat{M}NQ = \hat{M}KN \quad \leftarrow$

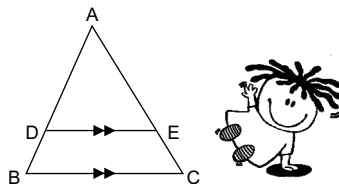


► The Proportion Theorem

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A line parallel to one side of a triangle divides the other two sides proportionally.

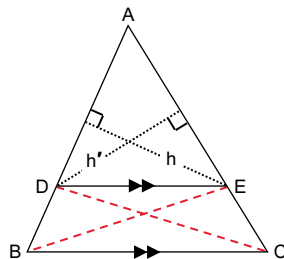
$$\text{i.e. } DE \parallel BC \Rightarrow \frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$$



Given: $\triangle ABC$ with $DE \parallel BC$,
D & E on AB & AC respectively.

To prove: $\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$

Construction: Join DC & BE



Proof: $\frac{\text{Area of } \triangle ADE}{\text{Area of } \triangle DBE} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}AD \cdot h}{\frac{1}{2}DB \cdot h} = \frac{AD}{DB}$

h is the height of $\triangle ADE$ and $\triangle DBE$



Similarly: $\frac{\text{Area of } \triangle ADE}{\text{Area of } \triangle EDC} = \frac{AE}{EC} \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{2}AE \cdot h' \\ \frac{1}{2}EC \cdot h' \end{array} \right]$

h' is the height of $\triangle ADE$ and $\triangle EDC$

But: $\triangle DBE = \triangle EDC$, in area ... *on the same base DE ; between || lines, DE & BC*

and: $\triangle ADE$ is common

$$\therefore \frac{\text{Area of } \triangle ADE}{\text{Area of } \triangle DBE} = \frac{\text{Area of } \triangle ADE}{\text{Area of } \triangle EDC}$$

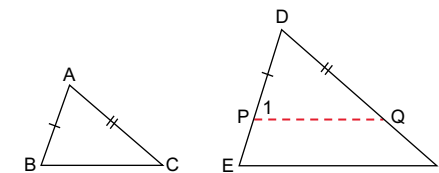
$$\therefore \frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC} \leftarrow$$



► The Similar \triangle^s Theorem

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If two triangles are equiangular, then their sides are proportional and, therefore, they are similar.



Given: $\triangle ABC$ & $\triangle DEF$ with $\hat{A} = \hat{D}$ $\hat{B} = \hat{E}$ & $\hat{C} = \hat{F}$

To prove: $\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF} = \frac{BC}{EF}$

Construction: Mark P & Q on DE & DF such that DP = AB & DQ = AC

Proof: In \triangle^s DPQ & ABC



- (1) DP = AB ... construction
- (2) DQ = AC ... construction
- (3) $\hat{D} = \hat{A}$... given

stage 1:
congruency

$$\therefore \triangle DPQ \equiv \triangle ABC \dots S \angle S$$

$$\therefore \hat{P}_1 = \hat{B} = \hat{E} \dots \text{given}$$

stage 2:
corresponding \angle^s

The focal point
 $\therefore PQ \parallel EF \dots$ corresponding \angle^s equal
 $\therefore \frac{DP}{DE} = \frac{DQ}{DF} \dots$ proportion theorem;
 $PQ \parallel EF$

stage 3:
parallel lines

But DP = AB and
DQ = AC ... construction
 $\therefore \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF}$

stage 4:
proportions

Similarly, by marking S and T on DE and EF such that SE = AB and ET = BC, it can be proved that: $\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF}$

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF} = \frac{BC}{EF} \leftarrow$$

$\therefore \triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$ are similar.



Similar \triangle^s

\triangle^s are similar if: **A:** they are equiangular, and
B: their sides are proportional

In this proof, we show that **A** \Rightarrow **B**

\therefore The \triangle^s are similar ... Both conditions, **A** and **B**, apply

*The converse statement says: **B** \Rightarrow **A***
 \therefore The \triangle^s are similar



TRIGONOMETRY PROOFS

Area, Sine & Cosine Rules

1 The Area rule

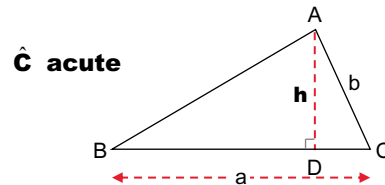
$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

CONSTRUCTION: Draw $AD \perp BC$

PROOF: Area of $\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} ah$... ①

But, in $\triangle ACD$: $\frac{h}{b} = \sin C$
 $\therefore h = b \sin C$... ②

② in ①: \therefore Area of $\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$



2 The Sine rule

$$\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

CONSTRUCTION: Draw $CD \perp AB$

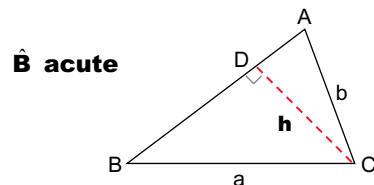
PROOF: In $\triangle ADC$: $\frac{h}{b} = \sin A$
 $\therefore h = b \sin A$... ①

In $\triangle BDC$: $\frac{h}{a} = \sin B$
 $\therefore h = a \sin B$... ②

Equating ① & ②: $\therefore b \sin A = a \sin B$
 $\div ab$ $\therefore \frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b}$

Similarly, by drawing a perpendicular from **B**, one can prove: $\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$

$$\therefore \frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$



3 The Cosine rule

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

CONSTRUCTION: Draw $CD \perp BA$

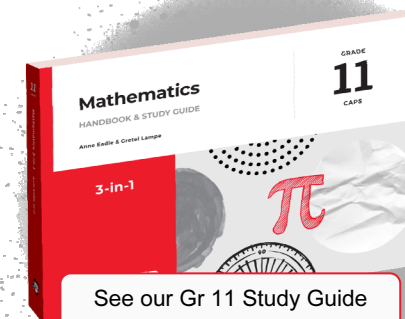
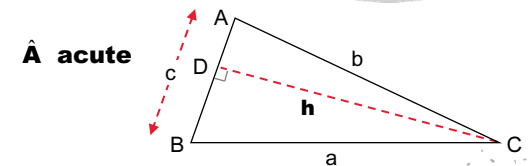
PROOF: $a^2 = BD^2 + h^2$... Pythagoras

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore a^2 &= (c - AD)^2 + h^2 \\ &= c^2 - 2c \cdot AD + AD^2 + h^2 \\ &= c^2 - 2c \cdot AD + b^2 \quad \dots \text{Pythagoras} \\ &= b^2 + c^2 - 2c \cdot AD \quad \dots \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

In $\triangle ADC$: $\frac{AD}{b} = \cos A$
 $\therefore AD = b \cos A$... ②

② in ①:

$$\therefore a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$



See our Gr 11 Study Guide for graded exercises and assessments.



For CONSTRUCTIONS in all 3 proofs, Area Rule, Sine Rule & Cosine Rule

Always construct the height from a vertex NOT involved in the formula

- To prove: Area = $\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$, draw a height from **A** or **B**, not **C**.
- To prove: $\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b}$, draw a height from **C**, not **A** or **B**.
- To prove: $a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$, draw a height from **B** or **C**, not **A**.

Compound Angle Formulae



1. $\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$
 2. $\sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$
 3. $\cos(A + B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$
 4. $\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$
- Sign stays the same
sine & cosine of A
and B mixed*
*Sign changes
cosine of A and B first,
then sine of A & B*

- The **PROOF** of the formula: $\cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$ is examinable. So, too, **derivations 1, 2 & 3** from this formula.



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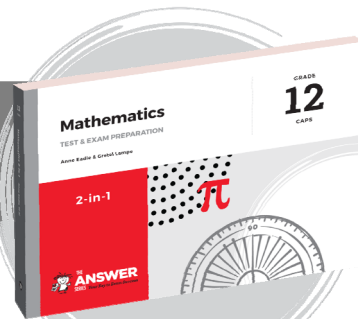
Double Angle Formulae



5. $\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$... Derived from formula **no. 1**.
 6. $\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A$... Derived from formula **no. 3**.
- or $\cos 2A = 1 - 2 \sin^2 A$ or $\cos 2A = 2 \cos^2 A - 1$



Refer to our **Gr 12 Maths 2-in-1 (#9 P. 25)**

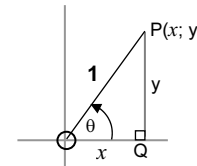


Proof of the Formula:

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

NOTE:

First, an important concept!



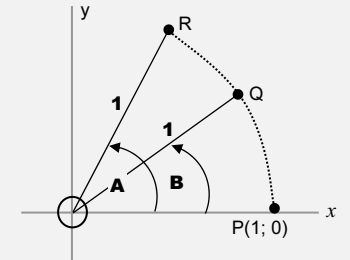
If OP = 1 unit!

then: $\frac{x}{1} = \cos \theta$ and $\frac{y}{1} = \sin \theta$
 i.e. $x = \cos \theta$ and $y = \sin \theta$
 i.e. **P is the point (cos θ; sin θ)**

See \hat{A} and \hat{B} placed in standard position alongside.

$$\hat{R}\hat{O}\hat{Q} = \hat{A} - \hat{B}$$

The coordinates of the points **R** and **Q**, both **1 unit** from the origin, are:



R(cos A; sin A) & Q(cos B; sin B) ... See **NOTE** above

- Determine **two expressions** for RQ^2

$$\begin{aligned} RQ^2 &= 1^2 + 1^2 - 2(1)(1) \cos(A - B) \quad \dots \text{COSINE RULE} \\ &= 2 - 2 \cos(A - B) \quad \dots \text{1} \end{aligned}$$

- & $RQ^2 = (\cos A - \cos B)^2 + (\sin A - \sin B)^2$... **DISTANCE FORMULA**

$$\begin{aligned} &= \cos^2 A - 2 \cos A \cos B + \cos^2 B + \sin^2 A - 2 \sin A \sin B + \sin^2 B \\ &= 2 - 2 \cos A \cos B - 2 \sin A \sin B \quad \dots \text{2} \quad \dots \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1 \end{aligned}$$

- Equate the two expressions for RQ^2 above:

$$\text{1} = \text{2} \quad \therefore 2 - 2 \cos(A - B) = 2 - 2 \cos A \cos B - 2 \sin A \sin B$$

- Subtract 2: $\therefore -2 \cos(A - B) = -2 \cos A \cos B - 2 \sin A \sin B$

- Divide by -2 $\therefore \cos(A - B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$ <

(or \times by $-\frac{1}{2}$):



Derivation of Compound Angle Formulae

We accept and use the formula:

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

• $\cos(A + B) = \cos[A - (-B)]$ ← The **cos** of the **difference** of the two angles

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

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

$$= \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B <$$

• $\sin(A + B) = \cos[90^\circ - (A + B)]$

$$= \cos[90^\circ - A - B]$$

$= \cos[(90^\circ - A) - B]$ ← The **cos** of the **difference** of the two angles

$$= \cos(90^\circ - A) \cos B + \sin(90^\circ - A) \sin B$$

$$= \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B <$$

• $\sin(A - B) = \cos[90^\circ - (A - B)]$

$$= \cos[90^\circ - A + B]$$

$= \cos[(90^\circ - A) - (-B)]$ ← The **cos** of the **difference** of the two angles

$$= \cos(90^\circ - A) \cos(-B) + \sin(90^\circ - A) \sin(-B)$$

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

$$= \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B <$$



Practice is essential!

See our graded exercises and copious exam questions in TAS Grade 12 study guides.

Derivation of Double Angle Formulae

• $\sin 2A$

$$\sin 2A = \sin(A + A) \quad \dots \text{ see } \sin(A + B) \text{ above}$$

$$= \sin A \cos A + \cos A \sin A \quad \dots \text{ add like terms: } xy + yx = 2xy$$

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

• $\cos 2A$

$$\cos 2A = \cos(A + A) \quad \dots \text{ see } \cos(A + B) \text{ above}$$

$$= \cos A \cos A - \sin A \sin A$$

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

$$\text{But: } \sin^2 A + \cos^2 A = 1$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 A = 1 - \sin^2 A \quad \& \quad \sin^2 A = 1 - \cos^2 A$$

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

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

OR

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

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

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



It is easier to memorise formulae which we understand.



CALCULATOR INSTRUCTIONS

A General Guide to Calculations

MEAN AND STANDARD DEVIATION

There are 3 phases for each calculator procedure:

- STEP 1:** How to get there
STEP 2: How to enter the data
STEP 3: How to find the **mean** and the **standard deviation**.
 (and, in the next column, **A**, **B** and **r**)



Ungrouped Data

You'll see:

	X	FREQ
1	...	If frequency is
2	...	on this
3	...	becomes 1 as
4	...	data is entered

STEP 1:

- Press **MODE**; Select **STAT**;
 Select **1 - VAR**

STEP 2:

- Enter each value, followed by =.
 After the last value: = then press **AC** ← *

STEP 3:

- To find the **mean**: **SHIFT** **STAT**; Select **Var**;
 Select \bar{x} =
- To find the **S.D.**: **SHIFT** **STAT**; Select **Var**;
 Select $x\sigma n$ =

* →

Note



It is essential to use **[AC]** at the end of entering all the data.

If this is not done, the mean and standard deviation will be added as entries in the data table.

Grouped Data/Frequency Tables

You'll see:

	X	FREQ
1
2
3

STEP 1:

- Press **MODE**; Select **STAT**;
 Select **1 - VAR**
- SHIFT** **SETUP**; Scroll down (use arrow)
 Select **STAT**; Select **ON**

STEP 2:

- Enter the midpoint of each interval,
 followed by =, then ...
 After the last value: = (**and not AC**) then ...
- Use to move to the top of the right-hand column.
- Type in the correct frequencies followed by = each time;
 after the last frequency: = **AC** ← *

STEP 3:

- To find the **mean**: **SHIFT** **STAT**; Select **Var**;
 Select \bar{x} =
- To find the **S.D.**: **SHIFT** **STAT**; Select **Var**;
 Select $x\sigma n$ =

REGRESSION & CORRELATION

The equation of the regression line

$$y = A + Bx$$

STEP 1:

- Press **MODE**; Select **STAT**;
 Select **A + Bx**

You'll see:

	x	y	FREQ
1
2
3

STEP 2:

Enter the **x** and **y** values, each followed by =

(Use to move to the top of the right-hand column.)

After the last y value, press =, then press **AC**

STEP 3:

- Press **SHIFT** **STAT**; Select **Reg**

then:

Select **A**, press = or Select **B**, press =

To find **B** after **A**, press **AC**
 and then do the whole of **STEP 3**.

and

The correlation coefficient, r

Just like for **A** and **B** in the regression function:

FOLLOW STEPS 1, 2 & 3 above:

But, now: Select **r**, press =.

If you have found **A** and **B** first, press **AC**
 before going back to the beginning of **STEP 3**.

To clear completely: Press **SHIFT** **CLR**; **1** = **AC**