

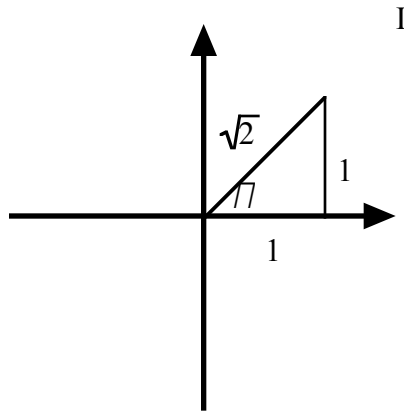
Reference Triagle Worksheet

Name: _____

Find the exact trig ratios using the special reference triangle in each quadrant. Would you use a floor jack to lift weights? Don't use your calculator for this. This is an excercise for your brain.

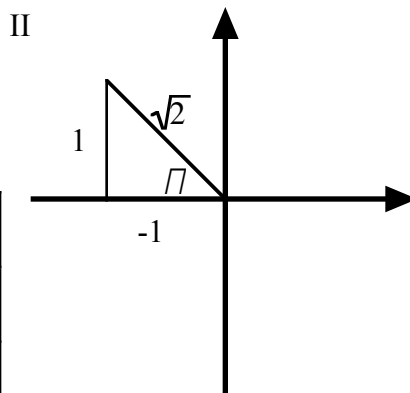
θ coterminal with 45° or $\frac{\pi}{4}$

$\sin \theta =$		$\csc \theta =$	
$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
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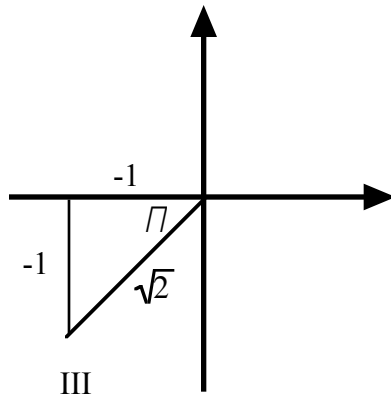
θ coterminal with 135° or $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

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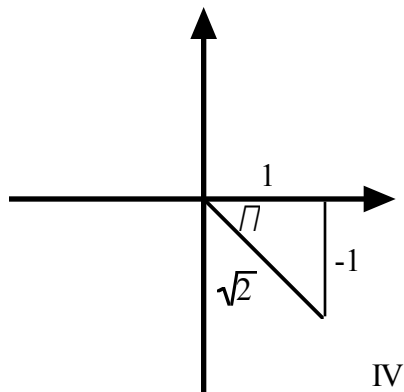
θ coterminal with 225° or $\frac{5\pi}{4}$

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$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
$\tan \theta =$		$\cot \theta =$	



θ coterminal with 315° (-45°) or $\frac{7\pi}{4}$ ($-\frac{\pi}{4}$)

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$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
$\tan \theta =$		$\cot \theta =$	

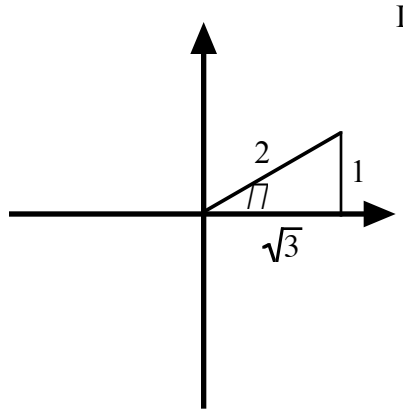


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Find the exact trig ratios using the special reference triangle in each quadrant

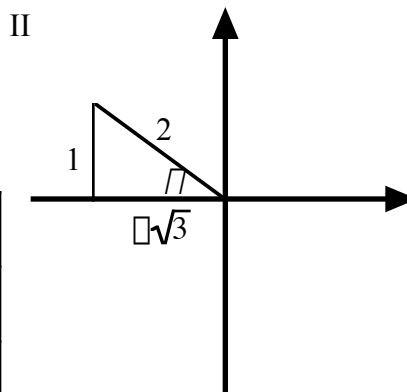
θ coterminal with 30° or $\frac{\theta}{6}$

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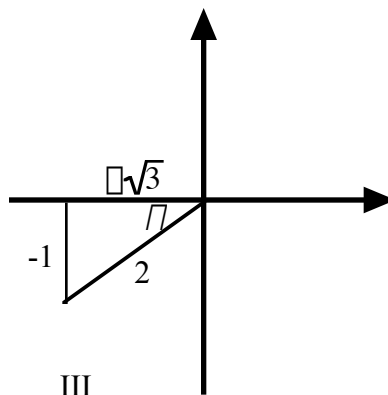
θ coterminal with 150° or $\frac{5\theta}{6}$

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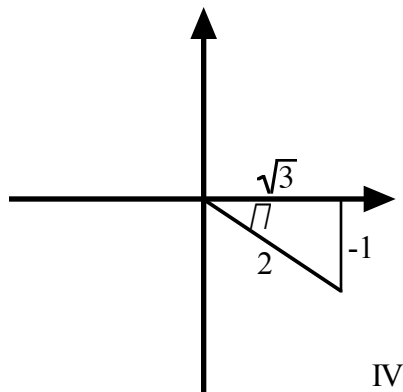
θ coterminal with 210° or $\frac{7\theta}{6}$

$\sin \theta =$		$\csc \theta =$	
$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
$\tan \theta =$		$\cot \theta =$	



θ coterminal with 330° (-30°) or $\frac{11\theta}{6}$ ($-\frac{\theta}{6}$)

$\sin \theta =$		$\csc \theta =$	
$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
$\tan \theta =$		$\cot \theta =$	

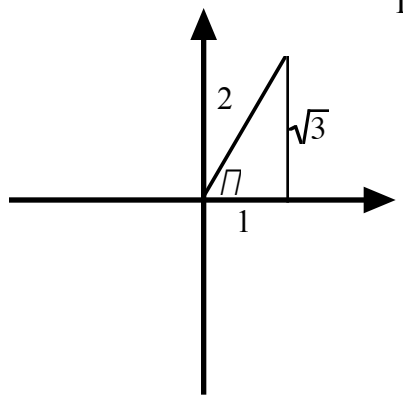


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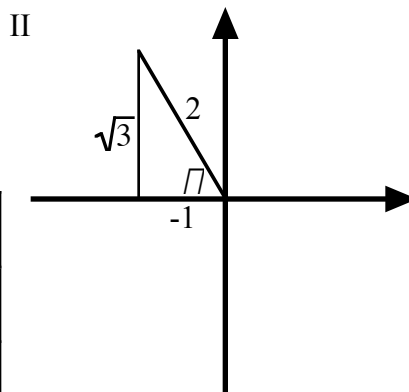
θ coterminal with 60° or $\frac{\theta}{3}$

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$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
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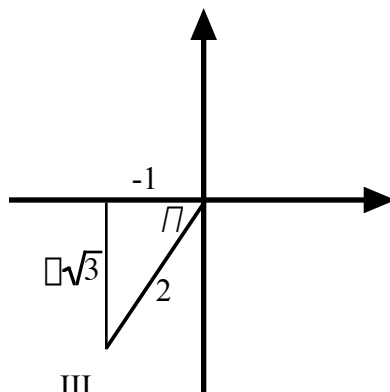
θ coterminal with 120° or $\frac{2\theta}{3}$

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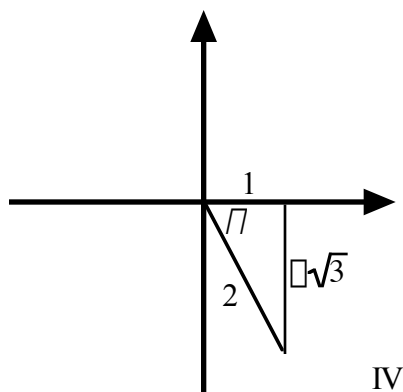
θ coterminal with 240° or $\frac{4\theta}{3}$

$\sin \theta =$		$\csc \theta =$	
$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
$\tan \theta =$		$\cot \theta =$	



θ coterminal with 300° (-60°) or $\frac{5\theta}{3}$ ($-\frac{\theta}{3}$)

$\sin \theta =$		$\csc \theta =$	
$\cos \theta =$		$\sec \theta =$	
$\tan \theta =$		$\cot \theta =$	



Now you can use the previous tables with the addition and subtraction formulas to find the exact values of other angles! For instance, since $75^\circ = 45^\circ + 30^\circ$, we can use the addition formula with the exact values:

$$\sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \quad \cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \cos 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

For example: $\sin(75^\circ) = \sin(45^\circ + 30^\circ) = \sin 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ + \cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ$
 $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4}$

Now you try:

$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

1. $\sin 15^\circ = \sin(45^\circ - 30^\circ) =$

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

2. $\cos(75^\circ) =$

$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

3. $\cos(15^\circ) =$

$$\tan \alpha + \beta = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$$

4. $\tan(75^\circ) =$

$$\tan \alpha - \beta = \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$$

5. $\tan(15^\circ) =$

6. (Now you need to use something other than 45° and 30°) $\sin(105^\circ) =$

7. $\cos(120^\circ) =$ (Use the addition formula with 60°)

Answers:

(1) $\frac{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$ (2) $\frac{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$ (3) $\frac{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$ (4) $\frac{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$ (5) $\frac{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$ (6) $\frac{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$ (7) $\frac{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$