



Example:

Find the exact value of  $\tan\left(\frac{5\pi}{12}\right)$

## Double-Angle Identities

1. Use the identity  $\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$  to create an identity for  $\sin(2A)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(2A) &= \sin(A + A) \\ &= \sin A \cos A + \cos A \sin A\end{aligned}$$

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

2. Use the identity  $\cos(A + B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$  to create an identity for  $\cos(2A)$ .

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

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

3. Use the Pythagorean identity  $\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A = 1$  to write an identity for  $\cos(2A)$  that contains only the cosine ratio.

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

$$\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - [1 - \cos^2 A]$$

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

4. Write an identity for  $\cos(2A)$  that contains only the sine ratio.

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

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

$$\cos 2A = [1 - \sin^2 A] - \sin^2 A$$

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

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

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

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

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

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

Examples:

Given that  $\sin \theta = -\frac{5}{13}$  and  $\cos \theta = \frac{12}{13}$ , find  $\tan 2\theta$ .

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

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \theta &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \\ &= \frac{-5}{13} \div \frac{12}{13} \end{aligned}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{-5}{12}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tan 2\theta &= \frac{2 \left( \frac{-5}{12} \right)}{1 - \left( \frac{-5}{12} \right)^2} \rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{-5}{6} \div \frac{119}{144} \\ &= \frac{-5}{6} \div \frac{119}{144} \\ &= \frac{-5}{6} \times \frac{144}{119} \\ &= \frac{-5(6 \cdot 2 \cdot 12)}{6 \cdot 119} \\ \tan 2\theta &= \frac{-120}{119} \end{aligned}$$

**Your Turn**

Consider the expression  $\frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 2x + 1}$ .

- What are the permissible values for the expression?
- Simplify the expression to one of the three primary trigonometric functions.
- Verify your answer from part b), in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$ , using technology.

$\sin x, \cos x, \tan x$

A) everything But the non permissible values

$$\cos 2x + 1 \neq 0$$

$$\cos 2x \neq -1$$

$$2x \neq \pi + 2\pi k, k \in \mathbb{I}$$

$$x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} + \pi k, k \in \mathbb{I}$$

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$$\frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 2x + 1}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{[2 \cos^2 x - 1] + 1}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{2 \cos^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{2} \sin x \cancel{\cos x}}{\cancel{2} \cos x \cancel{\cos x}}$$

$$= \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \tan x$$

$$\frac{\sin 2x}{\cos 2x + 1}$$

$$\cos 2x + 1$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{[2 \cos^2 x - 1] + 1}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{2 \cos^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{2} \sin x \cancel{\cos x}}{\cancel{2} \cos x \cancel{\cos x}} = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$= \tan x$$