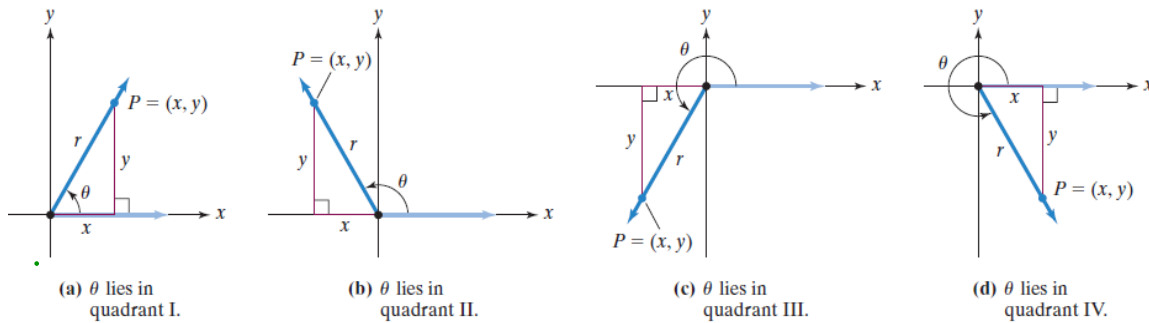


Topic #2 - Day 1 - 4.2 Trig. Functions of Any Angle



Definitions of Trigonometric Functions of Any Angle

Let θ be any angle in standard position and let $P = (x, y)$ be a point on the terminal side of θ . If $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ is the distance from $(0, 0)$ to (x, y) , as shown in Figure 4.41 on the previous page, the **six trigonometric functions of θ** are defined by the following ratios:

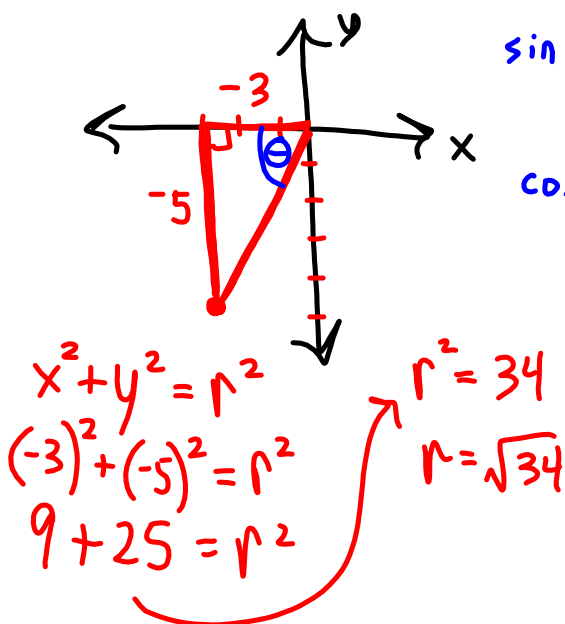
$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}$	$\csc \theta = \frac{r}{y}, y \neq 0$
$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$	$\sec \theta = \frac{r}{x}, x \neq 0$
$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}, x \neq 0$	$\cot \theta = \frac{x}{y}, y \neq 0.$

The ratios in the second column are the reciprocals of the corresponding ratios in the first column.

EXAMPLE 1

 Evaluating Trigonometric Functions

Let $P = (-3, -5)$ be a point on the terminal side of θ . Find each of the six trigonometric functions of θ .



$\sin \theta = \frac{-5}{\sqrt{34}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{34}}{\sqrt{34}} = \frac{-5\sqrt{34}}{34}$ $\csc \theta = \frac{34}{-5\sqrt{34}} = \frac{-\sqrt{34}}{5}$
 $\cos \theta = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{34}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{34}}{\sqrt{34}} = \frac{-3\sqrt{34}}{34}$ $\sec \theta = \frac{34}{-3\sqrt{34}} = \frac{-\sqrt{34}}{3}$
 $\tan \theta = \frac{-5}{-3} = \frac{5}{3}$ $\cot \theta = \frac{3}{5}$

✓ **Check Point 1** Let $P = (1, -3)$ be a point on the terminal side of θ . Find each of the six trigonometric functions of θ .

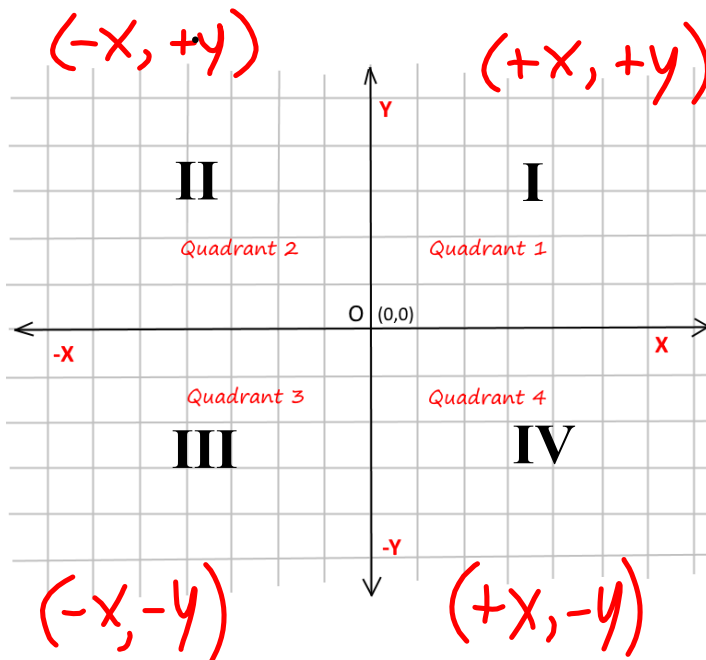
$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + y^2 &= r^2 \\(1)^2 + (-3)^2 &= r^2 \\1 + 9 &= r^2 \\10 &= r^2 \\\sqrt{10} &= r\end{aligned}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{-3\sqrt{10}}{10} \quad \csc \theta = \frac{-\sqrt{10}}{3}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{10} \quad \sec \theta = \sqrt{10}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{-3}{1} = -3 \quad \cot \theta = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Let's Talk About Quadrants and Signs!



$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}$	$\csc \theta = \frac{r}{y}, y \neq 0$
$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$	$\sec \theta = \frac{r}{x}, x \neq 0$
$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}, x \neq 0$	$\cot \theta = \frac{x}{y}, y \neq 0$

* r is always positive!

EXAMPLE 3 Finding the Quadrant in Which an Angle Lies

If $\sin \theta > 0$ and $\cos \theta < 0$, name the quadrant in which angle θ terminates in.

y positive \rightarrow x negative I OR II ✓

If $\sin \theta < 0$ and $\cos \theta > 0$, name the quadrant in which angle θ terminates in.

y neg. x pos. III OR IV ✓

If $\tan \theta > 0$ and $\sin \theta < 0$, name the quadrant in which angle θ terminates in.

$\frac{y}{x}$ OR $\frac{-y}{-x}$ positive \rightarrow y neg. I OR III ✓

If $\cot \theta < 0$ and $\cos \theta > 0$, name the quadrant in which angle θ terminates in.

$\frac{-x}{y}$ OR $\frac{x}{-y}$ negative \rightarrow x pos. II OR IV ✓

EXAMPLE 3 Finding the Quadrant in Which an Angle Lies

If $\csc \theta < 0$ and $\cos \theta < 0$, name the quadrant in which angle θ terminates in.

$\frac{r}{-y}$ neg. \rightarrow x neg. III OR IV ✓

If $\cot \theta < 0$ and $\csc \theta > 0$, name the quadrant in which angle θ terminates in.

$\frac{-x}{y}$ OR $\frac{x}{-y}$ neg. $\frac{r}{+y}$ pos. II OR IV ✓

NICE SUMMARY!

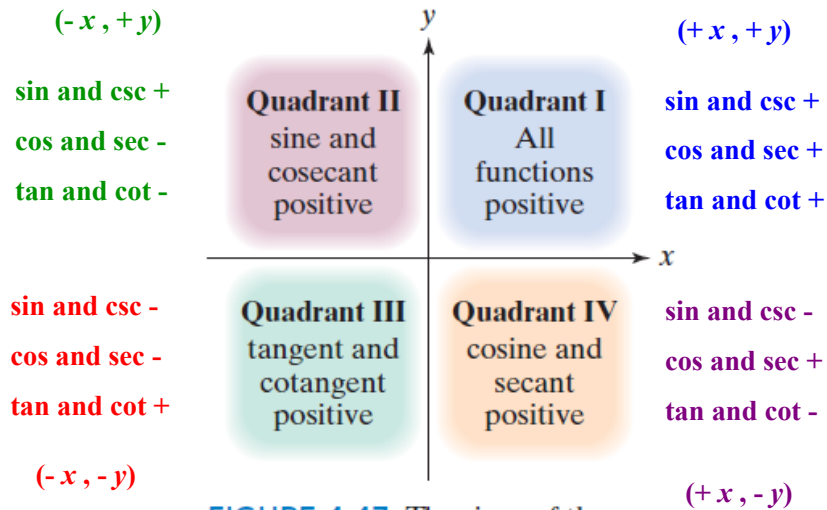


FIGURE 4.47 The signs of the trigonometric functions

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