

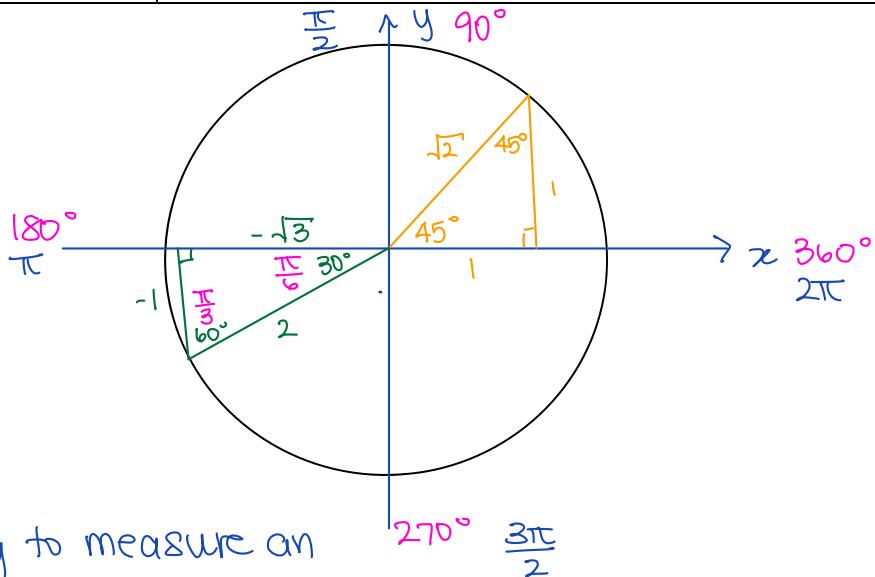
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Learning Goal 4.1

Examining angles in standard position in both radians and degrees. Exploring the unit circle, reference and coterminal angles and special angles.

$$\begin{aligned} 90 + 30 + 60 &= 180 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{3} &= \pi \\ \frac{3\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{6} &= \frac{6\pi}{6} \end{aligned}$$

**Radian Measure**

↳ another way to measure an angle.

Example Convert to radians, leave your answer as an exact value.

$$\text{a. } 60^\circ \times \frac{2\pi}{360^\circ} = \frac{60^\circ \times \pi}{180^\circ} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{b. } 225^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = \frac{45 \times \pi}{36} = \frac{5 \times \pi}{4} = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

Example Convert to radians, round your answer to the nearest hundredth.

$$\text{a. } 18^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = 0.31 \quad * \text{calculator} *$$

$$\text{b. } 312^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = 5.45$$

Example Convert to degrees, round your answer to the nearest degree.

$$\text{a. } \frac{2\pi}{3} \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = 2 \times 60^\circ = 120^\circ$$

$$\text{b. } \frac{7\pi}{6} \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = 7 \times 30^\circ = 210^\circ$$

$$\text{c. } 2.3 \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} = 132^\circ$$

Converting Radians to Degrees

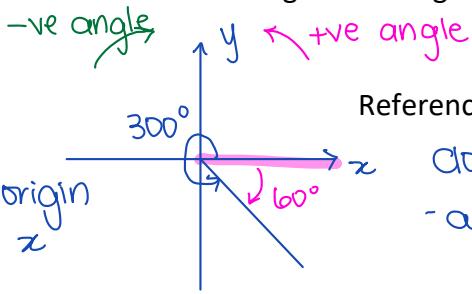
$$R \times \frac{D}{\pi} = D \quad \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi}$$

Converting Degrees to Radians

$$D \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = R$$

Angles in Standard Position

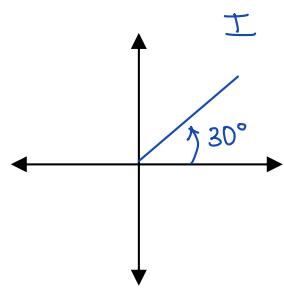
- the terminal arm passes through the origin
- measuring from +ve x



Reference Angle - measured off the closest x -axis.
- always +ve.

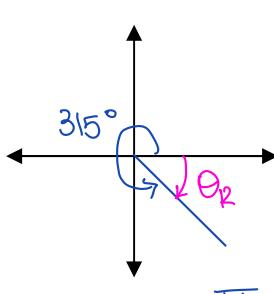
Example Draw each angle in standard position. Find the reference angle. Determine one positive and one negative co-terminal.

a. 30°



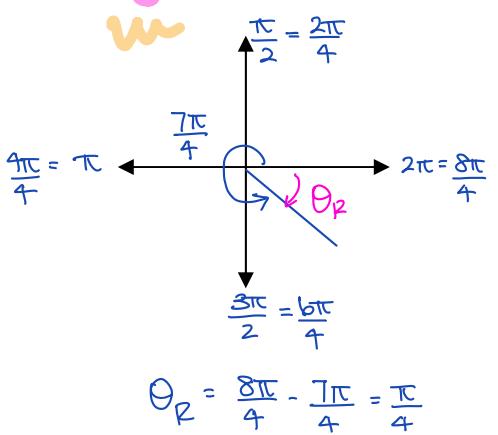
$$\theta_R = \theta = 30^\circ$$

b. 315°



$$\theta_R = 360^\circ - 315^\circ = 45^\circ$$

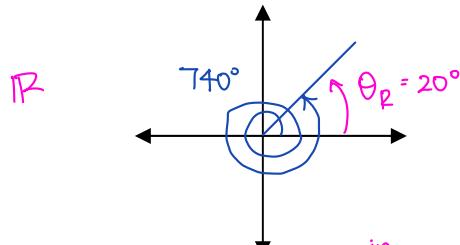
c. $\frac{7\pi}{4}$



$$\theta_R = \frac{8\pi}{4} - \frac{7\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

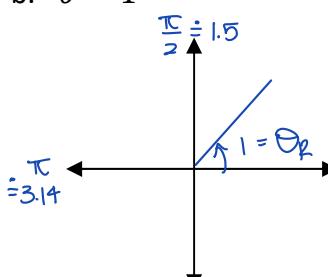
Example Determine one positive and one negative co-terminal angle of the following angles. Illustrate each angle with a diagram. Write a general formula for coterminal angles in each case.

a. $\theta = 740^\circ = \frac{360^\circ + 360^\circ + 20^\circ}{2 \text{ full rotations}}$



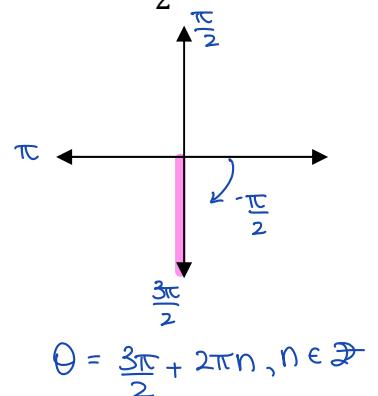
General Formula:
 $\theta = 20^\circ + 360n, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

b. $\theta = 1$



$$\theta = 1 + 2\pi n, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

c. $\theta = -\frac{\pi}{2}$



$$\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2} + 2\pi n, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Example A circle has radius 8.2 cm. Calculate the length of an arc of this circle subtended by 3.5 radians. Express the length to the nearest tenth of a centimetre.

