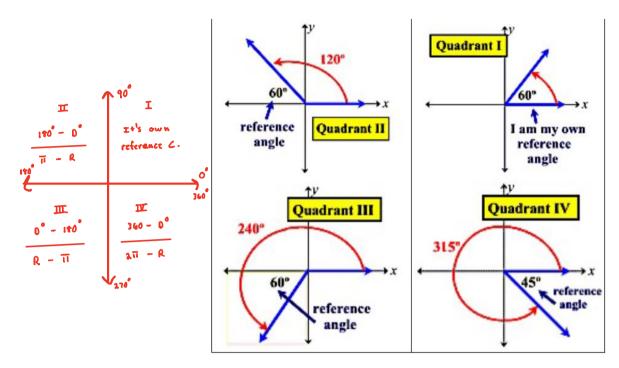
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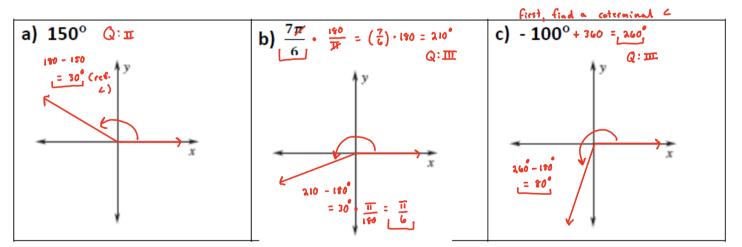
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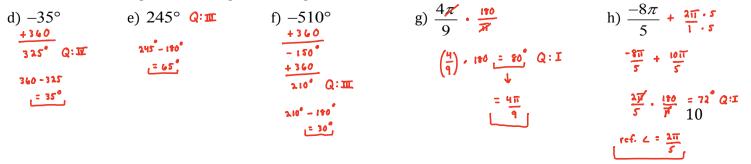
An angle drawn in standard position has a **reference angle**. The reference angle is an **acute angle** formed by the terminal side of the given angle to the x-axis.



Examples: Draw the angle in standard position and then find the reference angle.



Find the reference angle for each angle with the given measure.



Reference Triangle

• Formed by "dropping" a perpendicular from the terminal ray of a standard position angle to the *x*-axis.

Example 1: If θ is an angle in standard position and P(-3, 4) is a point on the terminal side of θ , what is the value of $\cos \theta$?

Example 2: If θ is an angle in standard position and P(3, -2) is a point on the terminal side of θ , what is the value of $\csc \theta$?

On Your Own:

1. If θ is an angle in standard position and P(-4, 3) is a point on the terminal side of θ , what is the value of $\sin \theta$?

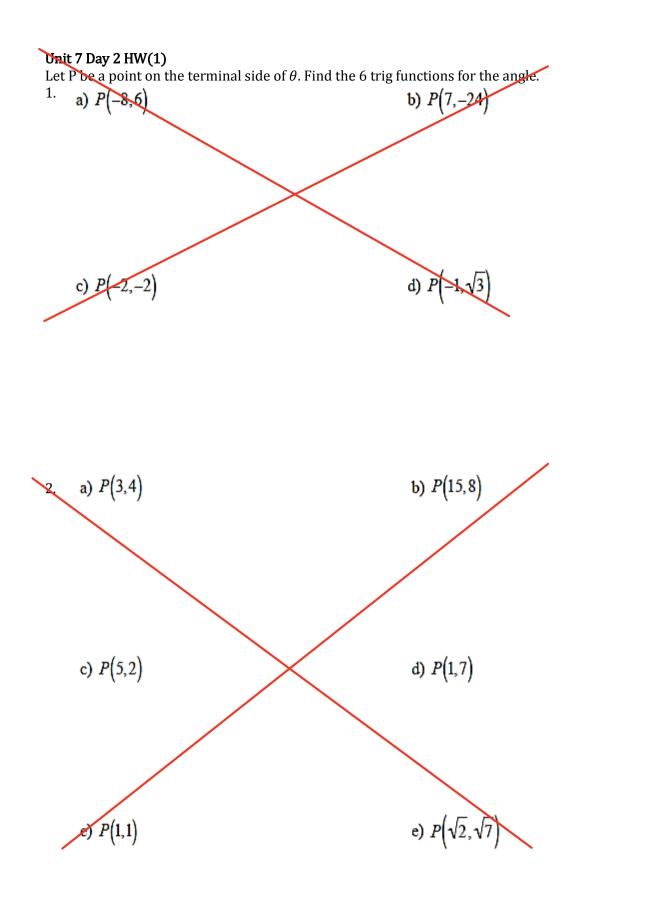
2. If the terminal side of θ passes through point (-8, -6), what is the value $\cos \theta$?

Sketch the angle in standard position in the coordinate plane that passes through each given point, and find all six trigonometric ratios for that point.

3) (7, 24)

4) (8, 15)

5) (-3, 3√3)



3. If θ is an angle in standard position and P(-5, 13) is a point on the terminal side of θ , what is the value of sec θ and $\cot \theta$?

4. If the terminal side of θ passes through point (-5, -2), what is the value $\cos \theta$ and $\sin \theta$?

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For questions 1 – 6, find the reference angle for the given angle.

1–6 Find the reference angle for the given angle.					
1. (a) 225°	(b) −35°	(c) 181°			
2. (a) 290°	(b) 750°	(c) 570°			
3. (a) 335°	(b) −95°	(c) 165°			
4. (a) $\frac{3\pi}{5}$	(b) $\frac{7\pi}{6}$	(c) $-\frac{2\pi}{3}$			
5. (a) $\frac{17\pi}{3}$	(b) $-\frac{\pi}{4}$				
6. (a) $\frac{23\pi}{11}$	(b) 23 N	(c) $\frac{17\pi}{7}$			

1. Let P be a point on the terminal side of θ . Draw a picture showing the reference angle and find the 6 trig functions of θ .

