

# Double-Angle Formulas

$$\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

Replace B by A,

$$\sin(A + A) = \sin A \cos A + \cos A \sin A$$

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

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

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

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

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

Find an expression for  $\sin 3x$  in terms of  $\sin x$ .

$$\sin 3x = \sin(2x + x)$$

$$= \sin 2x \cos x + \cos 2x \sin x$$

$$= 2 \sin x \cos x \cdot \cos x + (1 - 2 \sin^2 x) \sin x$$

$$= 2 \sin x \underbrace{\cos^2 x} + \sin x - 2 \sin^3 x$$

$$= 2 \sin x (1 - \sin^2 x) + \sin x - 2 \sin^3 x$$

$$= 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x$$

Verify

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

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

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

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

Graph  $y = 2 - 4 \cos^2 x$

Recall

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

$$y = 2(1 - 2 \cos^2 x)$$

$$y = -2(2 \cos^2 x - 1)$$

$$y = -2 \cos 2x$$

S.P.  $2x = 0$       $x = 0$       $y = -2$

MP  $2x = \pi$       $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$       $y = 2$

E.P.  $2x = 2\pi$       $x = \pi$       $y = -2$

