

Product-to-Sum Formulas

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

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

$$\cos(A + B) + \cos(A - B) = 2 \cos A \cos B$$

$$\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A - B) + \cos(A + B)]$$

$$\cos(A - B) - \cos(A + B) = 2 \sin A \sin B$$

$$\sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A - B) - \cos(A + B)]$$

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

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

$$\sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B) = 2 \sin A \cos B$$

$$\sin A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B)]$$

$$\sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B)]$$

$$\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A-B) + \cos(A+B)]$$

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Find exact value for $\cos 45^\circ \sin 15^\circ$

$$\cos 45^\circ \sin 15^\circ = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(45^\circ + 15^\circ) + \sin(45^\circ - 15^\circ)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [\sin 60^\circ + \sin 30^\circ]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} [\sqrt{3} + 1]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (\sqrt{3} + 1)$$

Find exact value for $4 \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) \sin(x - \frac{\pi}{4})$

$$4 \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) \sin(x - \frac{\pi}{4}) = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos(\underbrace{\quad}_{\frac{\pi}{2}}) - \cos(\underbrace{\quad}_{2x}) \right]$$

$$x + \frac{\pi}{4} - (x - \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$x + \frac{\pi}{4} + x - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2x$$

$$\cos \frac{\pi}{2} = \cos 90^\circ = 0$$

$$= 2 \left[\cos \frac{\pi}{2} - \cos 2x \right]$$

$$= 2 \left[0 - \cos 2x \right]$$

$$= \boxed{-2 \cos 2x}$$

Evaluate $\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} \cos \frac{\pi}{12}$

$$\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} \cos \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos(\underbrace{\quad}_{\frac{\pi}{3}}) + \cos(\underbrace{\quad}_{\frac{\pi}{2}}) \right]$$

$$\frac{5\pi}{12} - \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{4\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$$

$$\frac{5\pi}{12} + \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{6\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{2} + 0 \right]$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{4}}$$