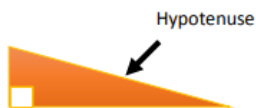


Pythagoras Theorem

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

Pythagoras is used to find missing sides in **Right-angled triangles**

Key Facts



HYPOTENUSE

This is the longest side in a right-angled triangle and is **ALWAYS** opposite the right angle

Method to find the hypotenuse

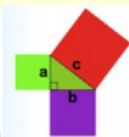
[Pythagoras video 257](#)

- Square side a
- Square side b
- Add together
- Square root

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

Method to find a shorter side

- Square side c
- Square side a/b (whichever is known)
- Subtract a/b from c
- Square root



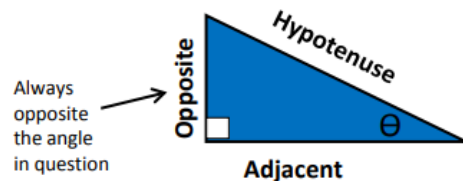
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[Trigonometry Video 329, 330, 331](#)

Trigonometry

Used to find missing sides and angles in right-angled triangles

You must label your sides correctly



Using the Tangent Ratio:

A right-angled triangle with a small square at the bottom-left corner. The angle at the bottom-right is labeled with the Greek letter theta (θ). The side opposite to theta is labeled 'Opposite' and the side adjacent to theta is labeled 'Adjacent'.

$$Opp = \tan \theta \times Adj$$

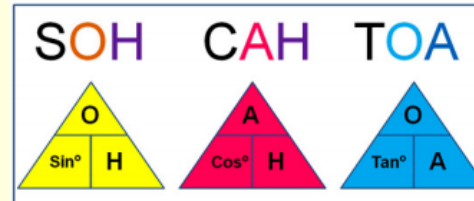
$$Adj = \frac{Opp}{\tan \theta}$$

$$\tan^{-1} \theta = \frac{Opp}{Adj}$$

Press shift and then tan on your calculator

SOH – CAH – TOA Pyramids

Cover the letter which is the unknown value, and then Multiply for horizontal relationships and Divide for vertical relationships



Using the Sine Ratio

A right-angled triangle with a small square at the bottom-left corner. The angle at the bottom-right is labeled with the Greek letter theta (θ). The side opposite to theta is labeled 'Opposite' and the hypotenuse is labeled 'Hypotenuse'.

$$Opp = \sin \theta \times Hyp$$

$$Hyp = \frac{Opp}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\sin^{-1} \theta = \frac{Opp}{Hyp}$$

Press shift and then sin on your calculator

Using the Cosine Ratio:

A right-angled triangle with a small square at the bottom-left corner. The angle at the top-left is labeled with the Greek letter theta (θ). The side opposite to theta is labeled 'Opposite' and the hypotenuse is labeled 'Hypotenuse'.

$$Adj = \cos \theta \times Hyp$$

$$Hyp = \frac{Adj}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\cos^{-1} \theta = \frac{Adj}{Hyp}$$

Press shift and then cos on your calculator

The **probability** of something (let's call it outcome **A**) happening is written as **P(A)**, and must be between 0 and 1.

If **P(A) = 0**, it is **impossible**.

If **P(A) = 1**, it is **certain** to happen.



The probability of A **not** happening is written as **P(A')**. Since A will either happen or not happen,

P(A) + P(A') = 1

[Video 250: Events not happening](#)

We call the two outcomes above "**mutually exclusive**" – this means they cannot happen at the same time. The probabilities of all possible outcomes for an event always add up to 1, because one of them is certain to happen.

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Example:

Event: rolling **3** on a fair six-sided dice.

$P(3) = 1/6$
 $P(3') = 5/6$

These two outcomes are **mutually exclusive** and cover every possibility, so their probabilities **add up to 1**

[Video 249: Independent Events](#)

If the outcome of one event doesn't affect the outcome of another, we call those events **independent**. For example, **flipping a coin** and **rolling a dice** are independent of each other.

Experimental probability is about **estimating** probability based on **previous outcomes**, (unlike **theoretical** probability, which was used above and is based on **what should happen**). Experimental probability would be written as

[Video 248: Relative Frequency](#)

$$\frac{\text{frequency of desired outcomes}}{\text{total number of trials}}$$

"Trials" refers to **what you actually do** for your experiment (flipping a coin; counting cars as they drive past). Each time you do it counts as **one trial**.

Example:

Experiment: spinning a fair four-numbered spinner 100 times (i.e. 100 trials)

Score	1	2	3	4
Frequency	23	26	30	21

Based on these results, the **P(1) = 23/100**, or **0.23**. To estimate **relative frequency**, multiply the number of intended trials by the experimental probability, e.g. for **200 trials**, we would predict **46** results will be 1 because **200 x 0.23 = 46**, and **60** results will be 3 because **200 x 0.30 = 60**.

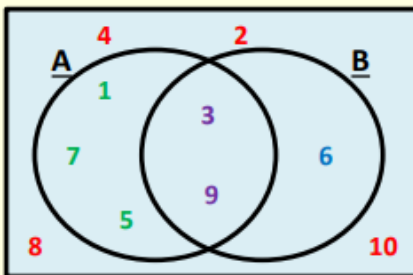
Venn diagrams show how two or more **sets** (groups) can overlap, and we can use them to calculate the probability of a given **element** (item in a set) being chosen. They can have each element individually written in them (**Example 1**), or just the quantity of each section (**Example 2**). The **universal set** (ξ) contains **everything** being considered.

Example 1

ξ : Integers up to 10

A: Odd numbers

B: Multiples of 3



$A \cap B$: **only** elements in both **A** and **B**

$A \cup B$: **all** elements in **A** or **B** or both

If picking a number at random,

$P(A \cap B') = 3/10$

$P(A' \cap B) = 1/10$

$P(A \cap B) = 2/10$

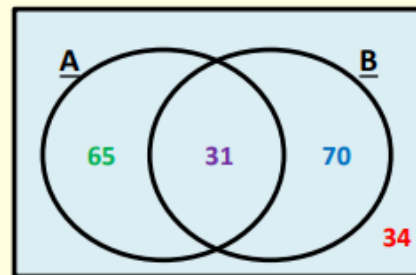
$P(A' \cap B') = 4/10$

Example 2

ξ : Year 10 students (200 in total)

A: Students who walk to school

B: Students who like football



$A \cap B'$: elements in **A** and **not** in **B**

$A' \cap B$: elements in **B** and **not** in **A**

[Video 380: Venn Diagrams](#)

If picking a student at random,

$P(A \cap B') = 65/200$

$P(A' \cap B) = 70/200$

$P(A \cap B) = 31/200$

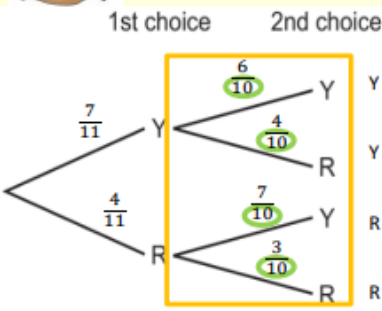
$P(A' \cap B') = 34/200$

Probability "tree" diagrams show the possible outcomes of multiple events one after the other. The "branches" are for each outcome and every set of branches adds to 1.



There are 11 balls in the bag, so the first choice is out of 11. The second choice is out of 10, since a ball has been taken out, so the denominators change

The second choice has two sets of branches because there are two possible scenarios for it (either after a yellow or after a red).



Y then Y: $P(YY) = \frac{7}{11} \times \frac{6}{10} = \frac{42}{110}$

Y then R: $P(YR) = \frac{7}{11} \times \frac{4}{10} = \frac{28}{110}$

R then Y: $P(RY) = \frac{4}{11} \times \frac{7}{10} = \frac{28}{110}$


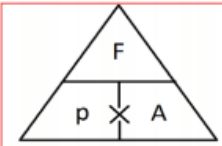
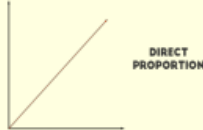

R then R: $P(RR) = \frac{4}{11} \times \frac{3}{10} = \frac{12}{110}$

To find the final probability, multiply along the branches as shown.

(For example, the probability of picking red both times is **12/110**).

[Video 252: Tree Diagrams](#)

Unit 14 Foundation Multiplicative Reasoning

$0.1 = \frac{1}{10} = 10\%$ $0.01 = \frac{1}{100} = 1\%$	The original amount of something is always 100%, if it is increased then the final amount is more than 100%. If it is decreased then it is less than 100%.
To find out a percentage of something, convert the % to a decimal and multiply	e.g. Find 80% of 45 $0.8 \times 45 = 36$ V233
To calculate percentage change:	$\text{Percentage change} = \frac{\text{actual change}}{\text{original amount}} \times 100$
Compound vs simple interest: in compound interest, you are paid interest on the amount. The second time interest is paid, it is paid on the <i>original</i> amount <i>and</i> the interest added before Calculating compound interest: $\text{Final amount} = \text{initial amount} \times \text{interest rate}^{\text{time}}$ V236	
Density: is a measure of the mass of a substance contained in a certain volume Usually measured in g/cm^3	 V384
	Pressure: is the force applied per unit area Pressure is usually measured in N/m^2 V385
Kinematics Formulae: these are also called equations of motion, but you don't need to learn them in Maths. v = final speed, u = initial speed, a = acceleration, t = time, s = distance	<div style="border: 1px dashed red; padding: 5px;"> $v = u + at$ $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$ $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$ </div>
Velocity vs speed: velocity is speed in a certain direction (often measured in m/s)	Acceleration: is the rate of change of velocity (often measured in m/s^2)
Direct Proportion: if two quantities are in direct proportion, as one increases, the other increases by the same percentage <div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> $y \propto x$ $y = kx, \text{ where } k \text{ is a constant value}$ </div>  V254	Indirect Proportion: is when one value increases as the other value decreases. <div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> $y \propto \frac{1}{x}$ $y = \frac{k}{x}$ </div>  V255