

# ANGLES AND RADIAN MEASURE – SECTION 4.1

**1) Definition of an angle:** ( ) ( )

An **angle** is formed by \_\_\_\_\_ with a common \_\_\_\_\_.

Drawing:

**2) Definition of an Angle in Standard Position (SP):**

An angle is in standard position if:

- Its vertex is at \_\_\_\_\_
- Its initial side lies along \_\_\_\_\_
- The terminal side: \_\_\_\_\_

Positive angles are generated by \_\_\_\_\_ rotations of the terminal side.

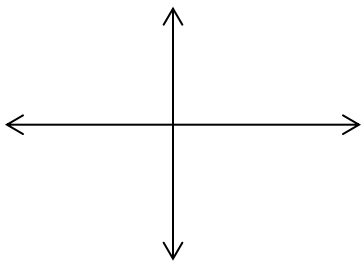
Negative angles are generated by \_\_\_\_\_ rotations of the terminal side.

**3) Definition of Quadrantal Angle:**

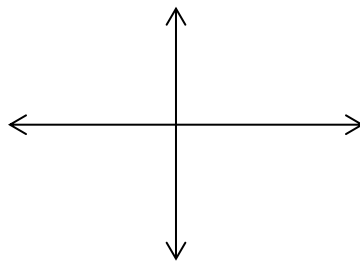
An angle in Standard Position with the terminal side lying on an axis.

Ex: Draw an angle in **SP** with the following measures: All drawings must include an *initial side*, a *terminal side*, and *the direction*. In BLUE ink write the quadrant < lies in. In RED in draw & find <'s **Reference angle**.

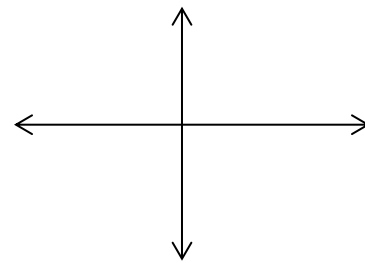
1)  $190^\circ$



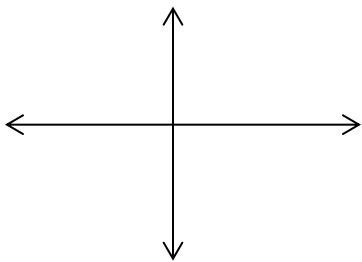
2)  $-375^\circ$



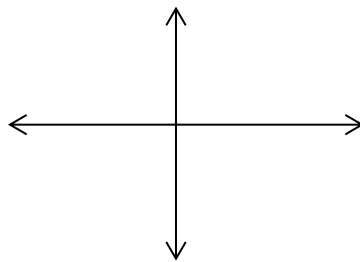
3)  $-1440^\circ$



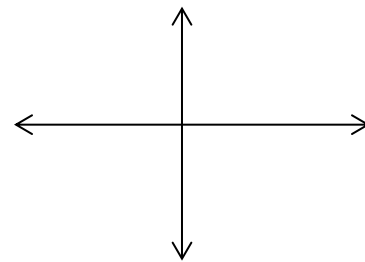
4)  $420^\circ$



5)  $270^\circ$



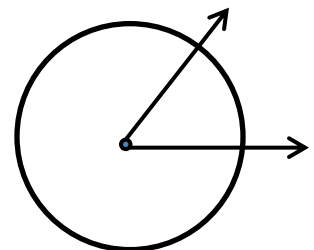
6)  $-220^\circ$



**Measuring Angles Using Radians:**

One radian measure is the measure of the central angle of a circle that intercepts an arc equal in length to the radius.  $\theta^R = \frac{s}{r}$ , where  $\theta^R$  is the angle in radian measurement,  $s$  is the arc length, and  $r$  is the radius.

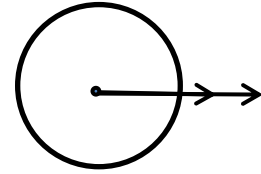
Examples of angles measuring one (1) radian measure:



**Relationship between Degrees and Radians**

Let's find the radian measure of the angle below. Notice, the terminal side has completed **one full rotation** which is equivalent to the **circumference of the circle**.

(Manually **draw** the **direction** as a positive angle). **Label** the radius as "r".



The intercepted arc (s)= \_\_\_\_\_ radius = \_\_\_\_\_.

Using the formula for radian measure  $\theta^R = \frac{s}{r}$ , we get  $\theta^R = \frac{\text{_____}}{\text{_____}} =$

Therefore, one full revolution in radian measure = \_\_\_\_\_ and in degree measure = \_\_\_\_\_

Based on this discovery, then fill out the following table:

Rotations	Radian measure	Degree measure
1		
1/2		
1/4		
3/2		
-3/4		
-1		

Can you find a pattern to make conversions from radians to degrees and from degrees to radian?

Ex - convert to radians

- a) 30°    b) 90°    c) - 135°

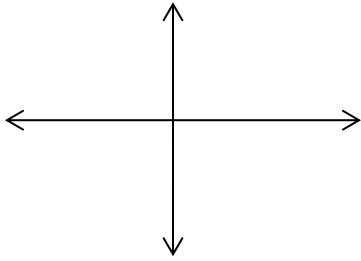
Ex - convert to degrees

- a)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$     b)  $-\frac{5\pi}{3}$     c) 1 radian

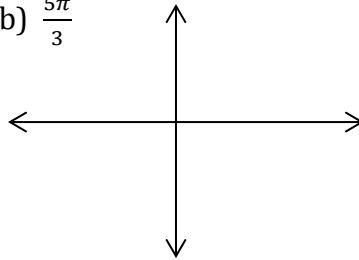
**Drawing Angles in Standard Position with Radian Measures:** Note: Must include initial and terminal sides, direction, and angle.

Ex.

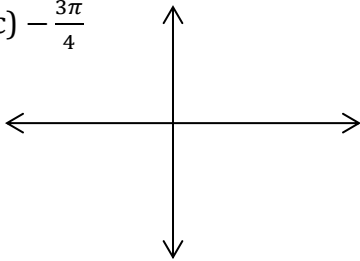
a)  $\frac{7\pi}{6}$



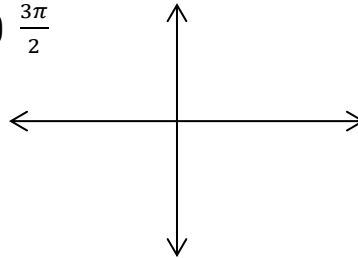
b)  $\frac{5\pi}{3}$



c)  $-\frac{3\pi}{4}$



d)  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$



**4) Definition of Coterminal Angles:**

Two angles are coterminal if they are in standard position but have possibly different rotations.

Ex.: Find one positive and one negative coterminal angle for each problem:

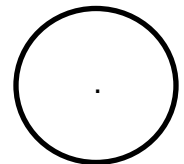
a) 60 degrees

b)  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

**The Length [s] of a Circular Arc:**

Ex. Find "s" if the central angle of a circle measures  $120^\circ$  and the radius "r" = 10 inches. Label the circle below

Formula:



By the end of 4.1, you need to have LEARNED the definitions for:

- Angle
- Angle in Standard Position
- Quadrantal Angle
- Coterminal Angles
- Reference Angles