

5.3C WS Key

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PreCalculus Power Reducing and Half Angle Practice 5.3C WS

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Use a power reducing formula in order to rewrite each expression as a trig expression that does not contain powers of trig functions greater than 1.

1) $2\sin^4 A$

2) $12\sin^2 A \cos^2 A$

$$\frac{3}{4} - \cos 2A + \frac{1}{4} \cos 4A$$

$$\frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{2} \cos 4A$$

3) $14\cos^4 x$

4) $160\sin^2 x$

$$\frac{21}{4} + 7\cos 2x + \frac{7}{4} \cos 4x$$

$$80 - 80\cos 2x$$

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Given the quadrant in which the angle A lies, state where the half angle would lie.

5) A is in II

I

6) A is in III

II

7) A is in IV

II

Use a half angle formula to find the EXACT VALUE of each.

8) $\sin \frac{7\pi}{12}$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{3}}}{2}$$

9) $\cos(-\frac{7\pi}{8})$

$$-\frac{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}}{2}$$

10) $\sin(-157.5^\circ)$

$$-\frac{\sqrt{2-\sqrt{2}}}{2}$$

11) $\tan(\frac{3\pi}{8})$

$$\sqrt{2} + 1$$

Given $\sin A = -12/13$ and A is in Quad III, find each ratio.

12) $\cos(A/2)$

$$-\frac{2\sqrt{13}}{13}$$

13) $\sin(A/2)$

$$\frac{3\sqrt{13}}{13}$$

14) Given $\cot A = -7/24$ and A is in IV, find $\tan(A/2)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1-\cos x}{\sin x} &= \frac{1-\frac{7}{25}}{-\frac{24}{25}} \cdot \frac{25}{25} \\ &= \frac{25-7}{-24} = \frac{18}{-24} = -\frac{3}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$-\frac{3}{4}$$

