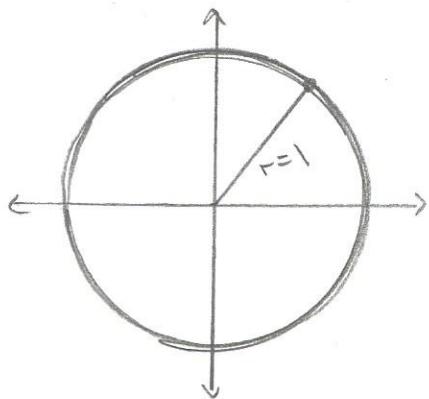


## Standard Position

- \* Determine the value of trig functions given a point on a terminal side & given a value of a quadrant.

\* think back to unit  $\theta$ .



\* what is special is that the radius is 1.

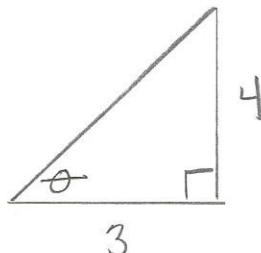
$\therefore$  the trig functions were based off  $x$ 's  $y$  values since the radius is 1.

- So now what happens beyond the unit  $\theta$ .

\* Given a point on the terminal side

(3,4) find  $\sin \theta = ?$

- think about a  $\triangle$



(3,4)

( $x, y$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so: } x^2 + y^2 &= r^2 \\ 3^2 + 4^2 &= r^2 \\ 25 &= r^2 \\ 5 &= r \end{aligned}$$

• 3 represents  $x$ ; 4 represents  $y$ .  
 $\therefore$  we are missing the hypotenuse which is the new radius.

• Now  $\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{4}{5}$

# Standard Position cont...

- So given a coord  $(x, y)$ , knowing the radius helps determine trig function values.
- Trig Values:  $\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}$        $\csc \theta = \frac{r}{y}$   
 $\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$        $\sec \theta = \frac{r}{x}$   
 $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$        $\cot \theta = \frac{x}{y}$

ex:  $(4, -6)$  find  $\csc \theta = ?$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{1st: Find } r & \quad x^2 + y^2 = r^2 & \text{2nd: } \csc \theta = \frac{r}{y} \\ & 4^2 + (-6)^2 = r^2 & = \frac{2\sqrt{13}}{-6} \\ & 52 = r^2 & \\ & 2\sqrt{13} = r & \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\csc \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{13}}{3}}$$

ex:  $(-3, 7)$  find  $\cos \theta = ?$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 &= r^2 & \cos \theta &= \frac{x}{r} \\ (-3)^2 + 7^2 &= r^2 & &= \frac{-3}{\sqrt{58}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{58}}{\sqrt{58}} \\ 58 &= r^2 & &= \frac{-3\sqrt{58}}{58} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sqrt{58} = r$$

$$\boxed{\cos \theta = \frac{-3\sqrt{58}}{58}}$$

# Standard Position cont..

- Now given a value & quad,  
find trig value.

\* Given  $\cos \theta = \frac{5}{13}$  ; Quad IV

find  $\tan \theta = ?$

$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$ , so we have  $\frac{x}{r} = \frac{5}{13}$ ,  $\therefore x = 5$ ,  $r = 13$

to find  $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$ ; we need "y"

$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$

$5^2 + y^2 = 13^2$

$y^2 = 144$

$y = 12$

Now  $\tan \theta = \frac{12}{13}$

but since QIV, tan is -

so  $\tan \theta = -\frac{12}{13}$

Ex:  $\cot \theta = 3$  ; Quad III find  $\sin \theta = ?$

$\cot \theta = 3$  which is  $\frac{x}{y}$ , so  $x = 3$ ,  $y = 1$

$3^2 + 1^2 = r^2$

$10 = r^2$

$\sqrt{10} = r$

so,  $\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$   
 $= \frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}$

\* but since QIII

$\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}$