

Background (1A)

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CORDIC Background

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Complex Multiplication

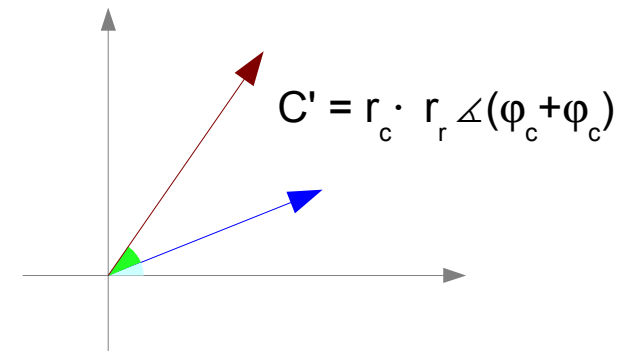
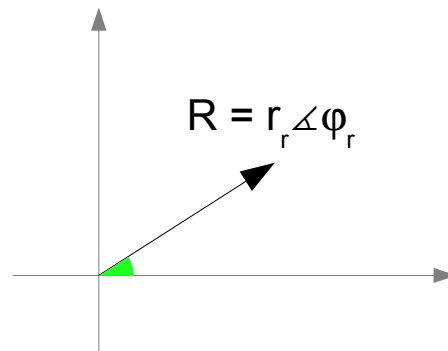
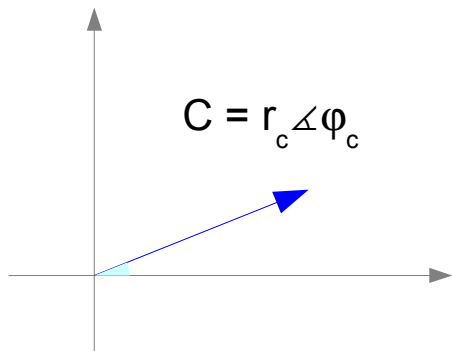
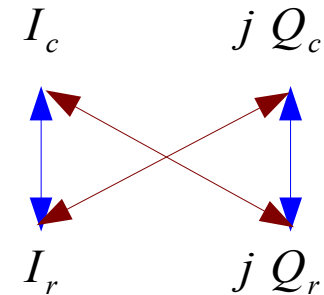
Given Complex Value $C = I_c + j Q_c$

Rotated Complex Value $C' = I_c' + j Q_c'$

Rotation Value $R = I_r + j Q_r$

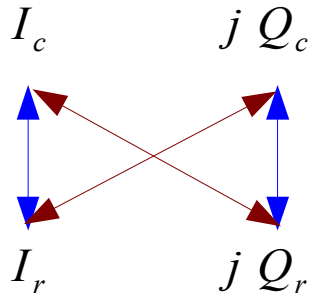
$$C' = C \cdot R$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_c' + j Q_c' &= (I_c + j Q_c) \cdot (I_r + j Q_r) \\ &= (I_c I_r - Q_c Q_r) + j (Q_c I_r + I_c Q_r) \end{aligned}$$



Adding / Subtracting Phase

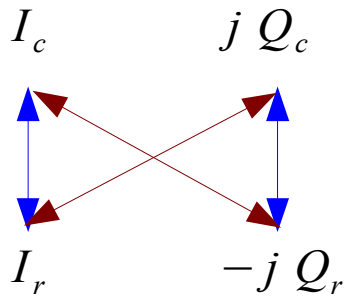
To add R' phase to C



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To sub R' phase to C

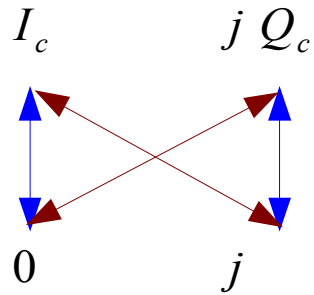


$$C' = C \cdot R^*$$

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Adding / Subtracting 90 Degrees

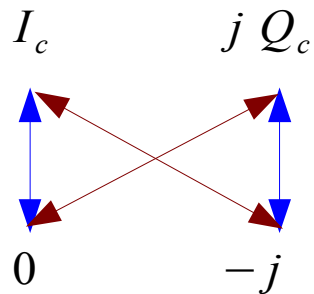
To add R' phase to C



$$C' = C \cdot R$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_c' + j Q_c' &= (I_c + j Q_c) \cdot (0 + j) \\ &= (-Q_c) + j (I_c) \end{aligned}$$

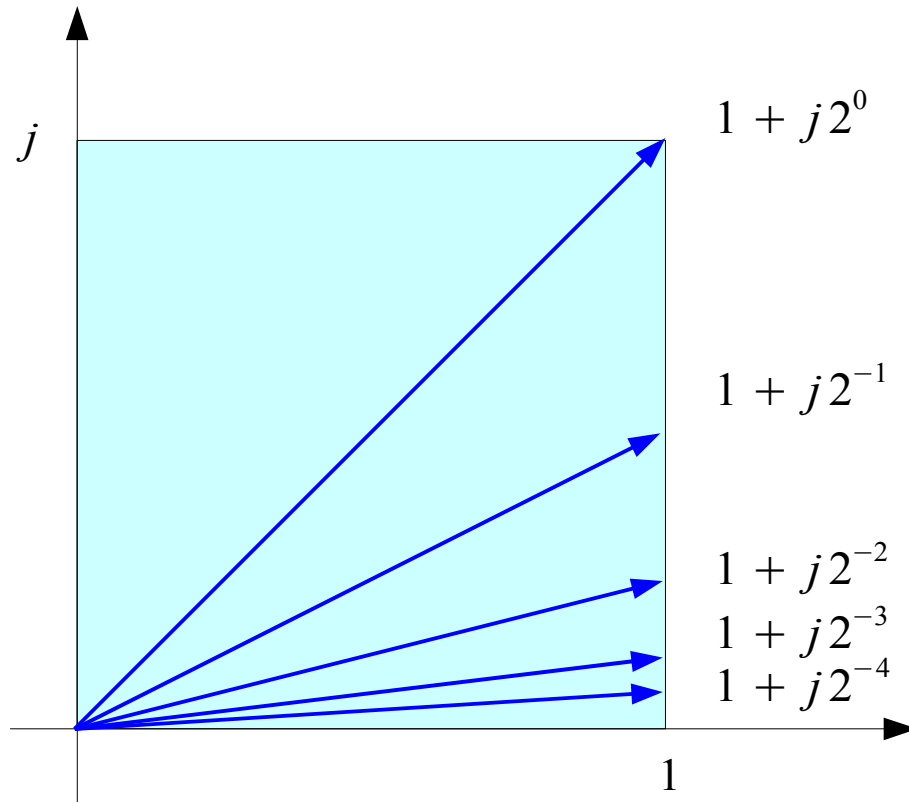
To sub R' phase to C



$$C' = C \cdot R^*$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_c' + j Q_c' &= (I_c + j Q_c) \cdot (0 - j) \\ &= (Q_c) + j (-I_c) \end{aligned}$$

atan(K)



$$\theta_0 = \tan^{-1}(2^0) = 45.00000$$

$$\theta_1 = \tan^{-1}(2^{-1}) = 26.56505$$

$$\theta_2 = \tan^{-1}(2^{-2}) = 14.03624$$

$$\theta_3 = \tan^{-1}(2^{-3}) = 7.12502$$

$$\theta_4 = \tan^{-1}(2^{-4}) = 3.57633$$

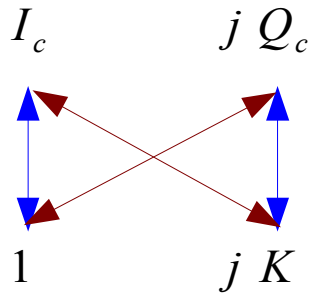
$$\theta_L = \tan^{-1}(2^{-L}) = \tan^{-1}(K)$$

Represent arbitrary angle θ

in terms of $\pm\theta_0, \pm\theta_1, \pm\theta_2, \pm\theta_3, \dots, \pm\theta_L, \dots$ $\left(K = \frac{1}{2^L}, L = 0, 1, 2, \dots\right)$

Adding / Subtracting atan(K)

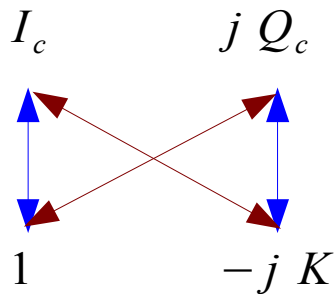
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$$\begin{aligned} I_c' + j Q_c' &= (I_c + j Q_c) \cdot (1 + j K) \\ &= (I_c - K Q_c) + j (Q_c + K I_c) \\ &= (I_c - 2^{-L} Q_c) + j (Q_c + 2^{-L} I_c) \end{aligned}$$

To sub R' phase to C



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$$K = \frac{1}{2^L}, \quad L = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

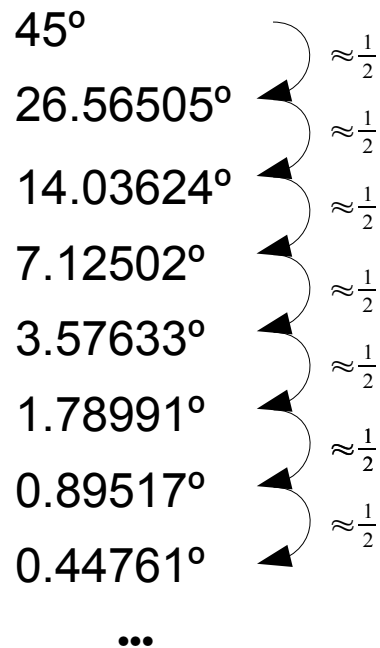
Phase and Magnitude of $1 + jK$ (1)

L	$K = \frac{1}{2^L}$	$R = 1 + jK$	<i>Phase of R</i>	<i>Magnitude of R</i>	<i>CORDIC Gain</i>
0	1.0	$1 + j1.0$	45°	1.41421356	1.414213562
1	0.5	$1 + j0.5$	26.56505°	1.11803399	1.581138830
2	0.25	$1 + j0.25$	14.03624°	1.03077641	1.629800601
3	0.125	$1 + j0.125$	7.12502°	1.00778222	1.642484066
4	0.0625	$1 + j0.0625$	3.57633°	1.00195122	1.645688916
5	0.03125	$1 + j0.03125$	1.78991°	1.00048816	1.646492279
6	0.015625	$1 + j0.015625$	0.89517°	1.00012206	1.646693254
7	0.007813	$1 + j0.007813$	0.44761°	1.00003052	1.646743507
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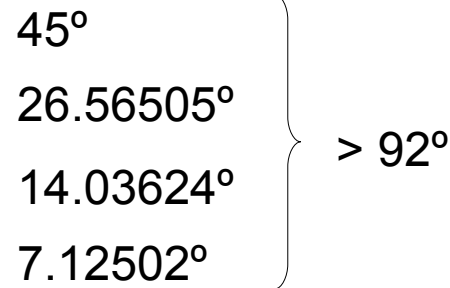
Phase and Magnitude of $1 + jK$ (2)

$K = \frac{1}{2^L}$ \Rightarrow Shift and Add \Rightarrow No multiplier

Phase of R



Phase of R



Binary Search

4 or more rotations
 $R = 1 \pm jK$
 \downarrow
 [-90, +90] rotation
 \downarrow
 $R = 0 \pm j$
 \downarrow
 [-180, +180] rotation

Phase and Magnitude of $1 + jK$ (3)

$$\sqrt{1^2 + K^2} > 1.0$$



Magnitude of R

CORDIC Gain

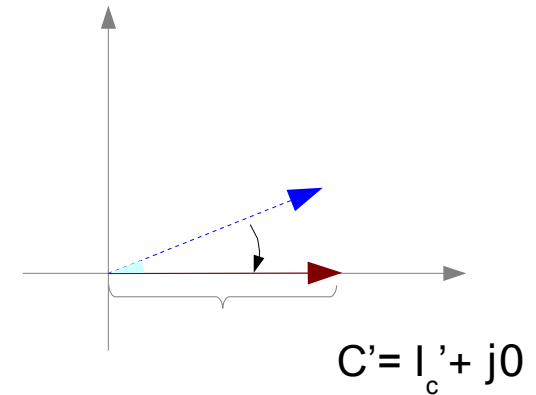
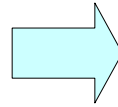
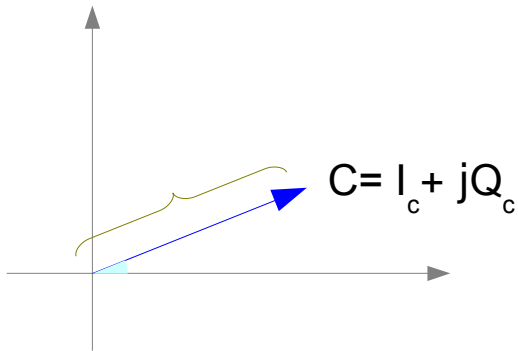
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...		...



1.647

*The actual CORDIC Gain
depends on the number of iterations*

Calculating Magnitude



$I'_c \rightarrow \text{magnitude}$

Each iteration, the magnitude is increased by $\sqrt{1^2 + K^2}$

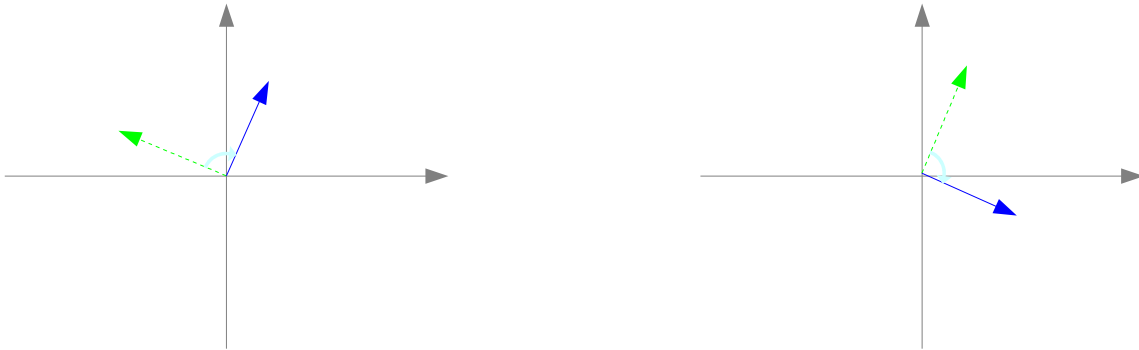
CORDIC Gain (cumulative gain)

$$\simeq 1.647 = 0.607^{-1}$$

*Can't perform gain adjustment
multiplication ← simple shift and add*

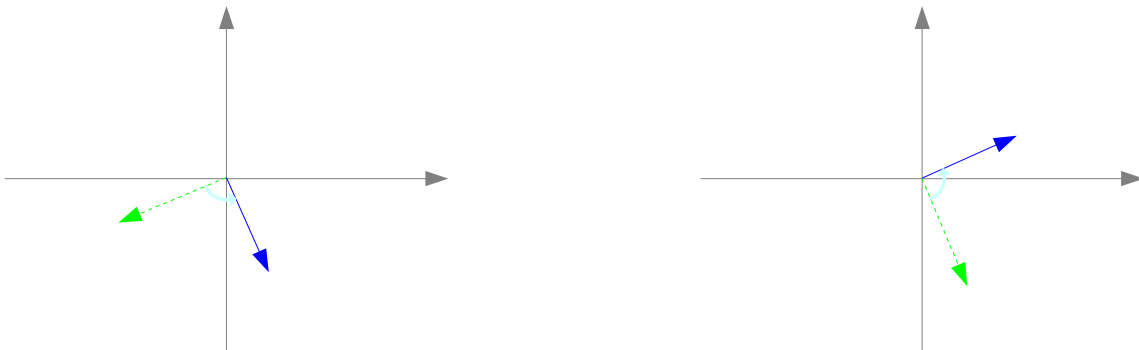
Calculating Magnitude (1)

Positive Phase ($Q_c > 0$) → Rotate by -90 degrees



$$\begin{array}{cc}
 I_c & j Q_c \\
 \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \downarrow \\ 0 \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \downarrow \\ -j \end{array} \\
 (Q_c) & + j (-I_c)
 \end{array}$$

Negative Phase ($Q_c > 0$) → Rotate by $+90$ degrees



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 (-Q_c) & + j (I_c)
 \end{array}$$

Resulting Phase → $[-90, +90]$

Calculating Magnitude (2)

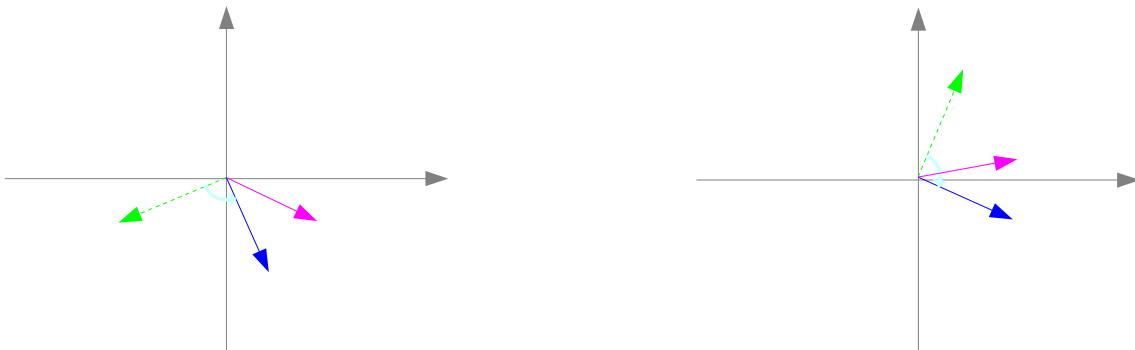
Positive Phase ($Q_c > 0$) \Rightarrow Rotate by $1 - jK$



$$\begin{array}{cc}
 I_c & j Q_c \\
 \uparrow & \uparrow \\
 \downarrow & \downarrow \\
 1 & -j K
 \end{array}$$

$$(I_c + 2^{-L} Q_c) + j (Q_c - 2^{-L} I_c)$$

Negative Phase ($Q_c > 0$) \Rightarrow Rotate by $1 + jK$

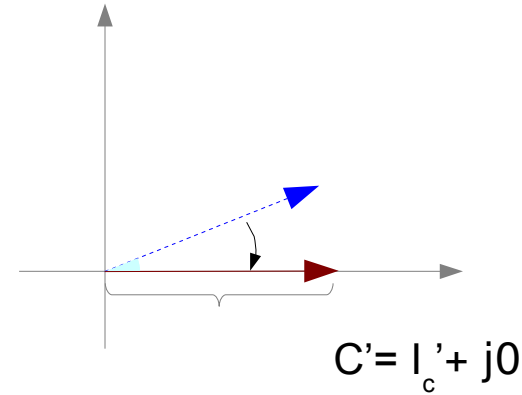
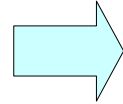
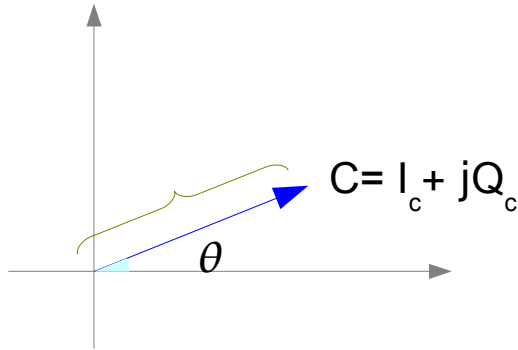


$$\begin{array}{cc}
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 1 & j K
 \end{array}$$

$$(I_c - 2^{-L} Q_c) + j (Q_c + 2^{-L} I_c)$$

After iterations, the result $\Rightarrow I_c + j 0$

Calculating Phase



Phase of R

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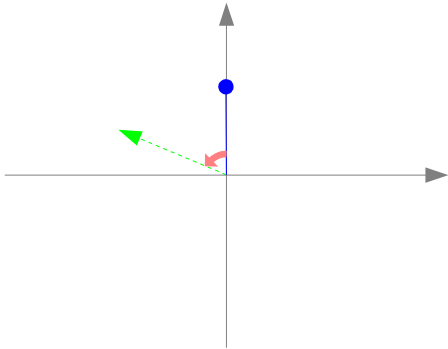
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$$\theta \pm \theta_0 \pm \theta_1 \pm \theta_2 \pm \theta_3 \dots = 0$$

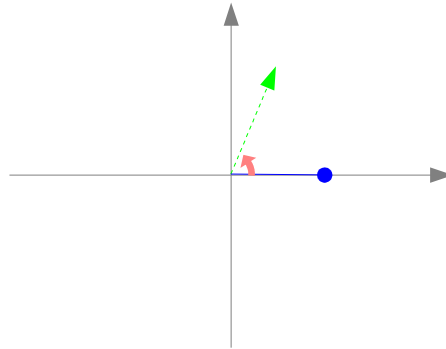
*Accumulate each rotating angles
Then negate the result*

Calculating Sine and Cosine (1)

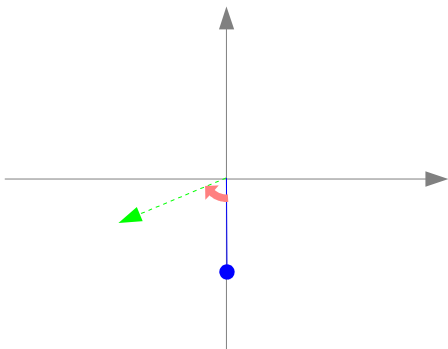
$\Theta > +90$ \Rightarrow starting from $0 + j1$



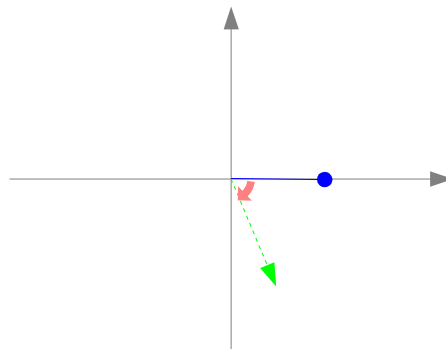
$\Theta < +90$ \Rightarrow starting from $1 + j0$



$\Theta < -90$ \Rightarrow starting from $0 - j1$



$\Theta > -90$ \Rightarrow starting from $1 - j0$



Initialize the accumulate rotation \Rightarrow -90, +90, 0

Calculating Sine and Cosine (2)

In each iteration

\ominus – the accumulated rotation < 0

➔ then **add** the next angle

\ominus – the accumulated rotation > 0

➔ then **subtract** the next angle

The final

I_c ➔ **cosine**

Q_c ➔ **sine**

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