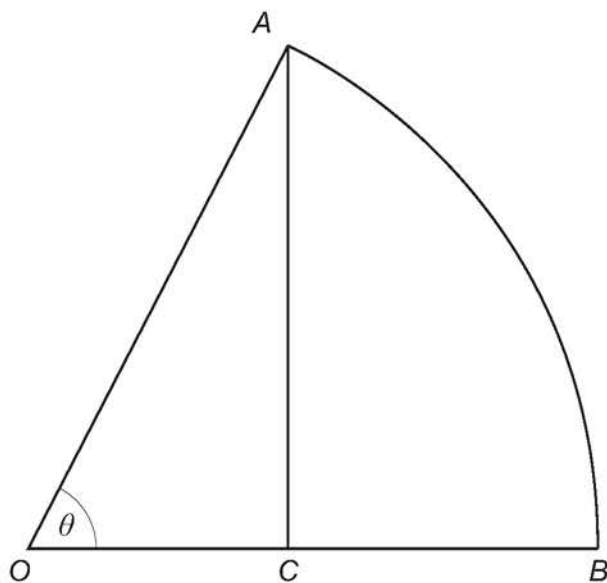


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The diagram shows a sector of a circle OAB .



The point C lies on OB such that AC is perpendicular to OB .

Angle AOB is θ radians.

- 10 (a)** Given the area of the triangle OAC is half the area of the sector OAB , show that

$$\theta = \sin 2\theta$$

[4 marks]

- 10 (b)** Use a suitable **change of sign** to show that a solution to the equation

$$\theta = \sin 2\theta$$

lies in the interval given by $\theta \in \left[\frac{\pi}{5}, \frac{2\pi}{5} \right]$

[2 marks]

- 10 (c)** The Newton-Raphson method is used to find an approximate solution to the equation

$$\theta = \sin 2\theta$$

- 10 (c) (i)** Using $\theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{5}$ as a first approximation for θ apply the Newton-Raphson method twice to find the value of θ_3

Give your answer to three decimal places.

[3 marks]

- 10 (c) (ii)** Explain how a more accurate approximation for θ can be found using the Newton-Raphson method.

[1 mark]

- 10 (c) (iii)** Explain why using $\theta_1 = \frac{\pi}{6}$ as a first approximation in the Newton-Raphson method does not lead to a solution for θ .

[2 marks]