# 4.1.1/4.1.2 Notes

# **Basic Definitions**

- Central angle:
- Degree:
- Minutes:
- Seconds:
- Course/bearing:
- Line of travel:
- Radian:

## DMS Conversion

Degree (°) minute (') second (")

1 minute = 1/60 of a degree; 1 second = 1/(60\*60) of a degree

Convert 48.125° to DMS

Convert 124°56'12" to degrees

### Radian Conversions

To convert from radians (rad) to degrees (°), multiply the radian value by

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#### How many radians is 305°?

#### $\oplus$ How many degrees is $7\pi/3$ ?

# Arc Length

Since a central angle of 1 radian always intercepts an arc of one radius in length, it follows that a central angles of θ radians in a circle of radius *r* intercepts an arc of length θ*r*.

Arc length formula (radian measure):

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#### Arc length formula (degree measure):

Find the perimeter of a slice of apple pie, given the diameter of the pie is 9" and there are 8 slices of pie.

### Work Through Example 4 (pg. 323)



### Angular and linear motion

- Angular speed is measured in units like revolutions per minute
- Linear speed is measured in units like mph, fps, etc.
- Based on conversion factors (like radians to degrees or degrees to DMS)

# Problem

Tonie's truck has 42" Mickey Thompson tires. If the wheels are rotating at 630 rpm, what is her truck's mph?

# Problem 2

Cary races BMX. His wheels have a 13" radius. When he is traveling at a speed of 37 ft/sec, how many revolutions per minute are the wheels making?