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## Part 1: Building a Foundation

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**What is the formula for calculating the arc length of a circle?**

*Hint: Consider the relationship between the central angle and the radius.*

- Arc Length =  $(\theta/360) \times \pi r^2$
- Arc Length =  $(\theta/360) \times 2\pi r$  ✓
- Arc Length =  $\pi r^2$
- Arc Length =  $2\pi r$

■ The correct formula for arc length involves the central angle and the radius.

**Which of the following are necessary to calculate the sector area of a circle? (Select all that apply)**

*Hint: Think about what measurements are needed for area calculations.*

- Radius ✓
- Diameter
- Central Angle ✓
- Circumference

■ You need the radius and the central angle to calculate the sector area.

**Explain the difference between arc length and sector area in a circle.**

*Hint: Consider how each measurement relates to the circle's geometry.*

**Arc length measures the distance along the curve of the circle, while sector area measures the space enclosed by two radii and the arc.**

**List the components needed to calculate the arc length of a circle.**

*Hint: Think about the variables involved in the arc length formula.*

1. What is the first component?

**Radius**

2. What is the second component?

**Central Angle**

**You need the radius and the central angle to calculate the arc length.**

**What is the central angle of a circle?**

*Hint: Think about the definition of a central angle.*

- The angle formed by two radii at the circumference
- The angle subtended at the center of the circle by an arc ✓**
- The angle formed by a tangent and a radius
- The angle between two chords

**The central angle is the angle formed at the center of the circle by two radii.**

## Part 2: comprehension and Application

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**If the central angle of a circle is doubled, what happens to the arc length?**

*Hint: Consider how the arc length formula incorporates the central angle.*

- It remains the same
- It is halved
- It is doubled ✓**
- It is quadrupled

**|** Doubling the central angle will double the arc length.

**Which statements are true about the relationship between the central angle and the sector area?  
(Select all that apply)**

*Hint: Think about how changes in the central angle affect the area.*

- A larger central angle results in a larger sector area. ✓**
- The sector area is independent of the central angle.
- The sector area is proportional to the central angle. ✓**
- A smaller central angle results in a smaller sector area. ✓**

**|** A larger central angle results in a larger sector area, and the sector area is proportional to the central angle.

**Describe how the radius of a circle affects both the arc length and the sector area.**

*Hint: Consider the formulas for both measurements.*

**|** The radius directly affects both the arc length and the sector area, as both are proportional to the radius.

**A circle has a radius of 5 cm and a central angle of 60 degrees. What is the arc length?**

Hint: Use the arc length formula with the given values.

- 5.24 cm
- 6.28 cm
- 3.14 cm
- 4.19 cm ✓

Calculate the arc length using the formula and the provided radius and angle.

Given a circle with a radius of 10 cm, which of the following central angles will result in a sector area of 50 cm<sup>2</sup>? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the formula for sector area and how the angle affects it.

- 90 degrees ✓
- 60 degrees
- 45 degrees
- 30 degrees

You need to calculate the sector area for each angle to determine which ones yield 50 cm<sup>2</sup>.

Calculate the sector area of a circle with a radius of 7 cm and a central angle of 120 degrees. Show your work.

Hint: Use the sector area formula and substitute the values.

The sector area can be calculated using the formula  $A = (\theta/360) \times \pi r^2$ .

### Part 3: Analysis, Evaluation, and Creation

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If two circles have the same central angle but different radii, how do their arc lengths compare?

Hint: Think about how radius affects arc length.

- The arc lengths are the same.
- The arc length is longer for the circle with the larger radius. ✓**
- The arc length is shorter for the circle with the larger radius.
- The arc lengths are inversely proportional to the radii.

■ The arc length will be longer for the circle with the larger radius.

**Which factors affect the calculation of both arc length and sector area? (Select all that apply)**

*Hint: Consider the variables involved in both calculations.*

- Radius ✓**
- Diameter
- Central Angle ✓**
- Circumference

■ The radius and central angle are key factors in both calculations.

**Analyze how changing the radius of a circle impacts the proportionality between arc length and sector area.**

*Hint: Consider the formulas for both measurements.*

■ **Changing the radius affects both arc length and sector area proportionally, as both are directly related to the radius.**

**Which scenario would result in the largest sector area?**

*Hint: Consider both the radius and the central angle in your evaluation.*

- A circle with a radius of 5 cm and a central angle of 90 degrees
- A circle with a radius of 10 cm and a central angle of 45 degrees
- A circle with a radius of 7 cm and a central angle of 60 degrees
- A circle with a radius of 8 cm and a central angle of 30 degrees ✓**

The largest sector area will be determined by the combination of the largest radius and the largest central angle.

**Evaluate the following statements and select those that correctly describe the relationship between arc length and sector area. (Select all that apply)**

*Hint: Think about how both measurements relate to the central angle and radius.*

- Both are directly proportional to the central angle. ✓
- Both increase as the radius increases. ✓
- Sector area is more sensitive to changes in the central angle than arc length. ✓
- Arc length is independent of the radius.

Both arc length and sector area are directly proportional to the central angle and increase with the radius.

**Design a real-world problem involving arc length and sector area, and explain how you would solve it. Include all necessary calculations and reasoning.**

*Hint: Think about a scenario where you would need to calculate these measurements.*

**Create a problem that requires calculating both arc length and sector area, and explain the steps to solve it.**