

**Question 1.** A circle with radius of  $63.010\mu\text{m}$  is centered at the origin of a CCS. Angles  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are in standard position,  $\alpha = 1.100$  radians, and  $\beta = 1.257$  radians.

- (a) What is the length of the arc that is captured between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ ?
- (b) To the nearest degree, what is the size of the angle between the terminal side of  $\alpha$  and the terminal side of  $\beta$ ?

*Solution.* (a) The arc between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  connects the endpoints of the terminal sides of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Therefore, it subtends the angle  $\beta - \alpha = 1.257 - 1.1 = 0.157$  radians. Thus, the length of this arc is

$$(\beta - \alpha)R = 0.157 \cdot 63.010 \approx 9.89\mu\text{m}.$$

(b) We have calculated above that this angle is  $\beta - \alpha = 0.157$  radians. It only remains to express this angle measure in degrees:

$$0.157 \text{ radians} = 0.157 \cdot \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} \approx 9^\circ.$$

*Answer:*

- (a)  $\approx 9.89\mu\text{m}.$
- (b)  $\approx 9^\circ.$

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