

Finding the Values of Basic Trigonometric Functions

Here are the definitions for the basic trigonometric functions. Remember that “opposite” means the leg across from the angle of interest, “adjacent” means the leg that makes up one side of the angle of interest, and “hypotenuse” is the side of the triangle opposite the right angle.

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$$

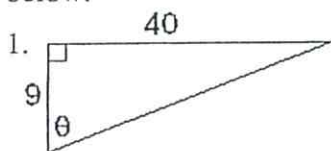
$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{adjacent}}$$

$$\csc \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \frac{\text{hypotenuse}}{\text{opposite}}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\text{hypotenuse}}{\text{adjacent}}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta} = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{opposite}}$$

Use the formulas above and the Pythagorean Theorem to find the six trigonometric functions for the angles below.



$\sin \theta = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

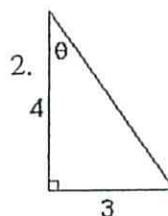
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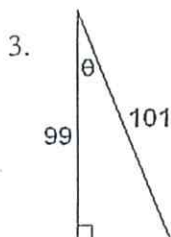
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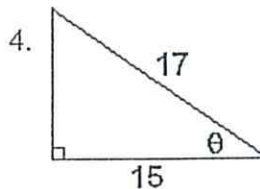
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For 5 & 6, use the given information to draw and label a triangle. Find the missing side using the Pythagorean Theorem. Then find the remaining 5 trig ratios.

5. $\tan \theta = \frac{12}{5}$

6. $\sec \theta = \frac{10}{6}$

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