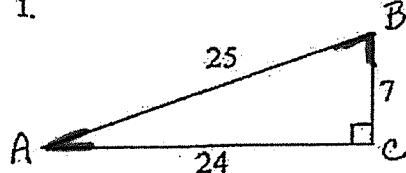


**Remember "SOH CAH TOA"**

#1-2: Write the sin, cos and tan of each angle as a fraction in simplest form.

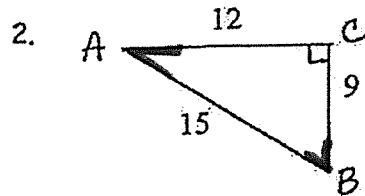
1.



$$\sin A = \frac{7}{25} \quad \cos B = \frac{7}{25}$$

$$\sin B = \frac{24}{25} \quad \tan A = \frac{7}{24}$$

$$\cos A = \frac{24}{25} \quad \tan B = \frac{24}{7}$$



$$\tan A = \frac{9}{12} \quad \cos A = \frac{12}{15}$$

$$\tan B = \frac{12}{9} \quad \sin B =$$

$$\sin A = \frac{9}{15} \quad \cos B = \frac{9}{15}$$

#3-11: Find the trig value using a calculator or the trig chart. Round to 4 decimal places.

3.  $\sin 32 = 0.520$

4.  $\cos 49 = 0.656$

5.  $\sin 75 = 0.966$  Calculator

6.  $\tan 19 = 0.3443$

7.  $\tan 35 = 0.700$

8.  $\sin 13 = 0.2250$

9.  $\sin 51 = 0.7771$

10.  $\tan 54 = 1.3764$

11.  $\cos 14 = 0.9703$

# "Read"

Notes  
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Right Triangles and SOH CAH TOA: Finding the Length of a Side Given One Side and One Angle

Keep in mind-**SOH CAH TOA**

Example #1:

Calculate the value of  $x$  to the nearest tenth:  $\sin 38^\circ = \frac{x}{80}$

- ① Find  $\sin 38^\circ = 0.62$
- ② Replace  $0.62 = \frac{x}{80}$

③ Solve for  $x$  by cross multiply

$$x = (0.62)(80) = \boxed{49.3 = x}$$

Calculate the value of  $y$  to the nearest tenth:  $\cos 52^\circ = \frac{y}{80}$

- ① Find  $\cos 52^\circ = 0.62$
- ② Replace  $0.62 = \frac{y}{80}$

③ Solve for  $y$  by cross multiply

$$y = (0.62)(80) = \boxed{y = 49.3}$$

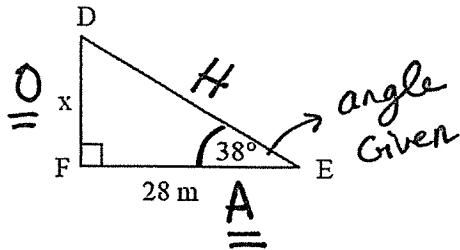
Calculate the value of  $z$  to the nearest hundredth:  $\tan 24^\circ = \frac{z}{34}$

- ① Find  $\tan 24^\circ = 0.45$
- ② Replace  $0.45 = \frac{z}{34}$

③ Solve for  $z$  by cross multiply

$$z = (0.45)(34) = \boxed{z = 15.14}$$

Example #2: Find  $x$  using trig ratios



SOH CAH TOA

O and A are given

$$\tan 38^\circ = \frac{O}{A} = \frac{x}{28}$$

Solve for  $x$

$$0.78 = \frac{x}{28} \\ x = (0.78)(28) = \boxed{21.9 = x}$$

SOH CAH TOA

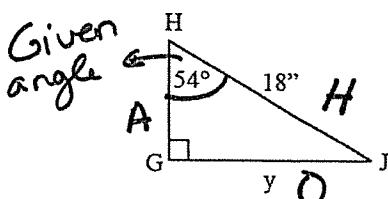
H and O are given

$$\sin 54^\circ = \frac{O}{H}$$

$$\sin 54^\circ = \frac{y}{18}$$

Solve for  $y$

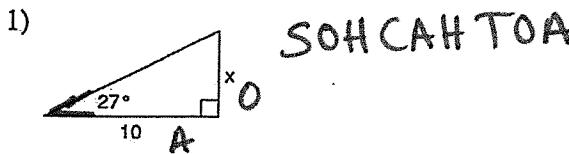
$$0.81 = \frac{y}{18} \\ y = (0.81)(18) = \boxed{y = 14.6''}$$



## Using Trigonometry To Find Lengths

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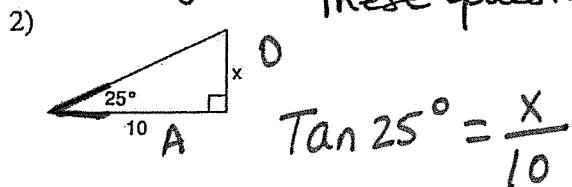
Find the missing side. Round to the nearest tenth.



$$\tan 27^\circ = \frac{x}{10}$$

$$0.51 = \frac{x}{10}$$

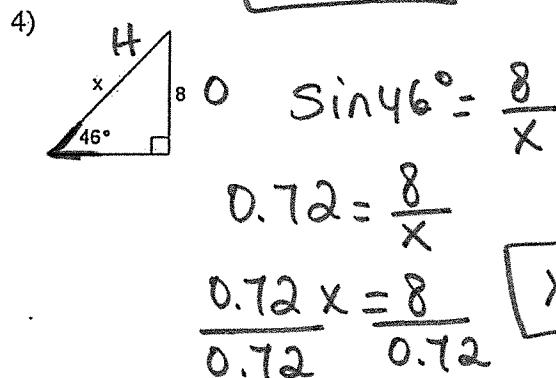
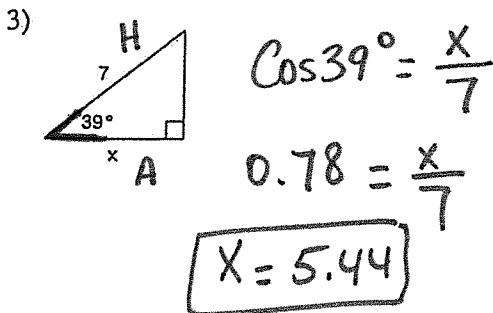
X = 5.1



$$\tan 25^\circ = \frac{x}{10}$$

$$0.47 = \frac{x}{10}$$

X = 4.7

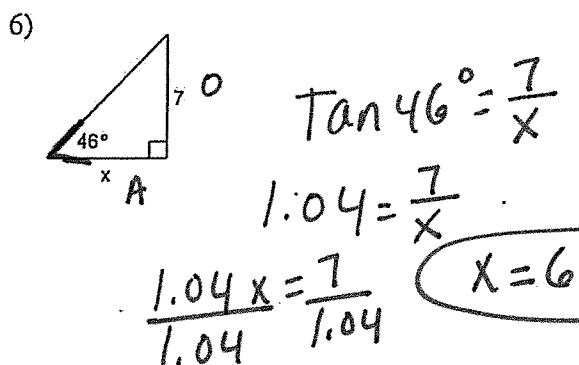
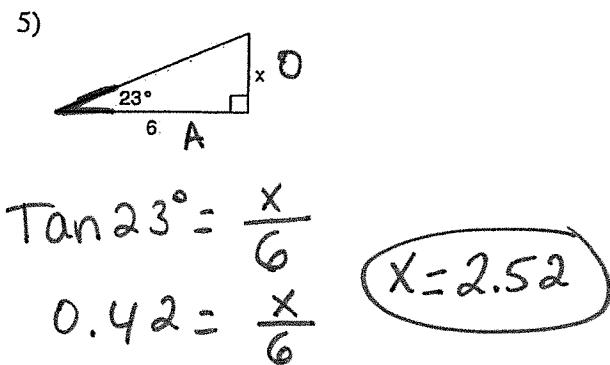


$$\sin 46^\circ = \frac{8}{x}$$

$$0.72 = \frac{8}{x}$$

$$\frac{0.72}{0.72} x = \frac{8}{0.72}$$

X = 11.1

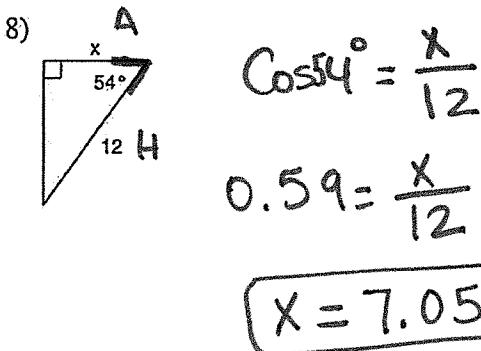
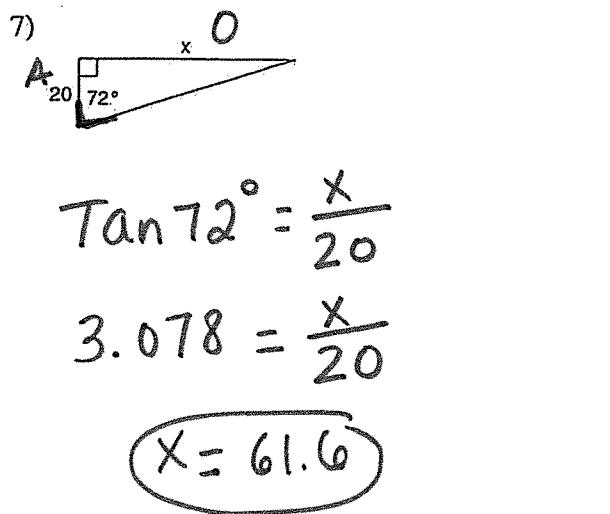


$$\tan 46^\circ = \frac{7}{x}$$

$$1.04 = \frac{7}{x}$$

$$\frac{1.04}{1.04} x = \frac{7}{1.04}$$

X = 6.76



$$\cos 54^\circ = \frac{x}{12}$$

$$0.59 = \frac{x}{12}$$

X = 7.05

## Special Right Triangle Review

Summary

**Isosceles Right (45-45-90) Triangle Shortcut**

$$\text{hypotenuse} = \text{leg} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{1}$$

$$\text{leg} = \text{hypotenuse} \div \frac{\sqrt{2}}{1}$$

Key

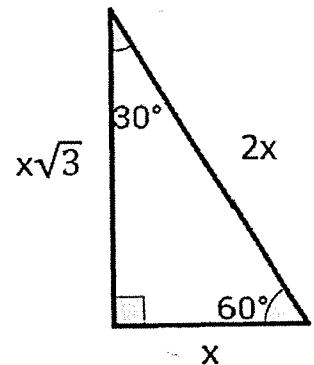
A 30-60-90 right triangle has two legs and a hypotenuse. The leg opposite the  $30^\circ$  angle is called the short leg. The leg opposite the  $60^\circ$  angle is called the long leg.

$$\text{Hypotenuse} = \text{short leg} \times \frac{2}{1}$$

$$\text{Long leg} = \text{short leg} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{1}$$

$$\text{Short leg} = \text{hypotenuse} \div \frac{2}{1}$$

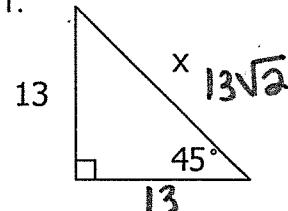
$$\text{Short leg} = \text{long leg} \div \frac{\sqrt{3}}{1}$$



PRACTICE "Use the Rules above"

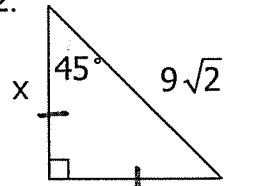
In questions 1-9, use **special right triangles** to find the value of x and y. **Show your work.**

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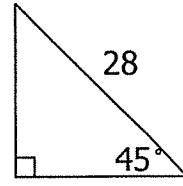
$$x = 13\sqrt{2}$$

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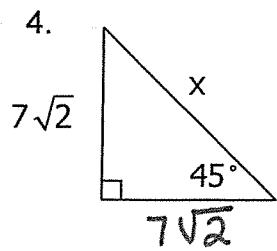


$$x = 9$$

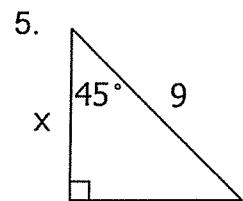
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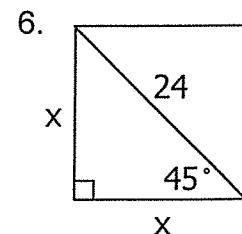
$$x = \frac{28(\sqrt{2})}{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2})} = 14\sqrt{2}$$



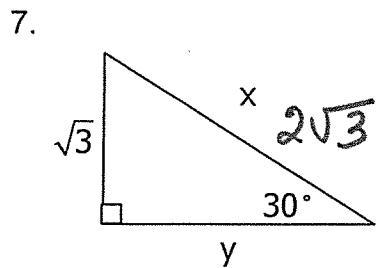
$$x = \frac{7(\sqrt{2})(\sqrt{2})}{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2})} = 14$$



$$x = \frac{9(\sqrt{2})}{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2})} = \frac{9\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

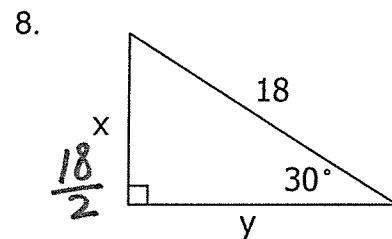


$$x = \frac{24(\sqrt{2})}{\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2})} = 12\sqrt{2}$$



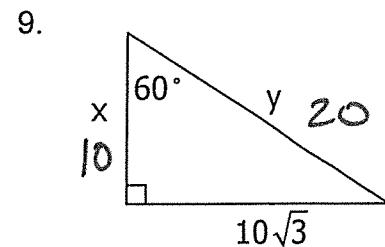
$$x = 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$y = (\sqrt{3})(\sqrt{3}) = 3$$



$$x = \frac{18}{2}$$

$$y = 9\sqrt{3}$$



$$x = 10$$

$$y = 20$$

