

Unit 5 Practice

I can classify a triangle as acute, right or obtuse given the length of its sides

Example: The lengths of three sides of a triangle are given. Describe each triangle as *acute*, *right*, or *obtuse*.

1. 14, 48, 50

Right

2. 6, 7, 9

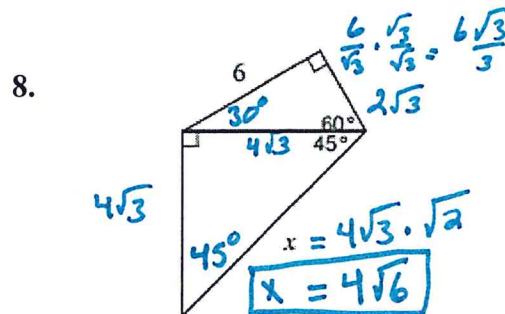
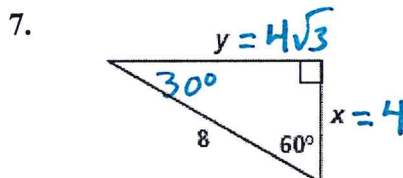
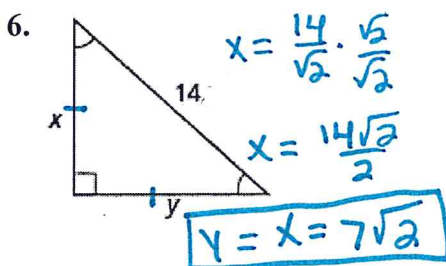
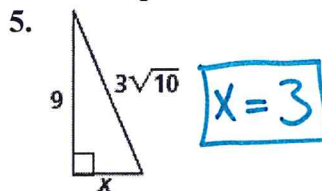
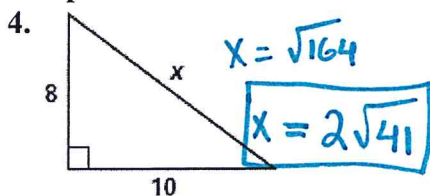
Acute

3. $\sqrt{11}$, 5, 7

Obtuse

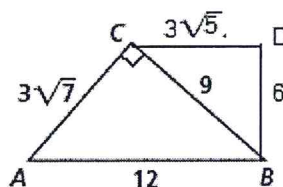
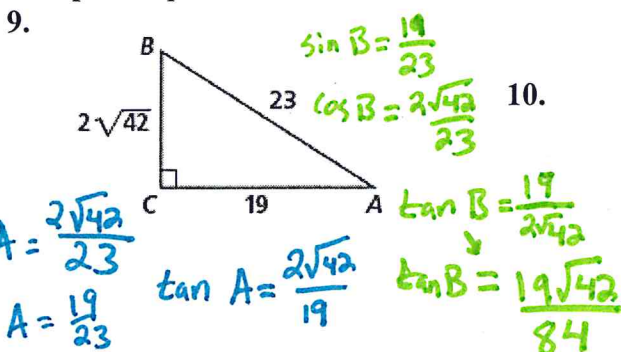
I can use Pythagorean Theorem and special right triangles relations to solve for missing side

Example: Find the values of the variables. Leave your answers in simplest radical form.



I can determine the ratio of $\sin \theta$, $\cos \theta$ and $\tan \theta$, when θ is an acute angle of a right triangle and the sides of the triangle are given.

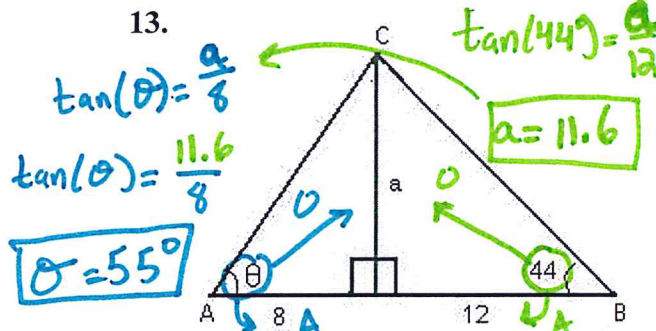
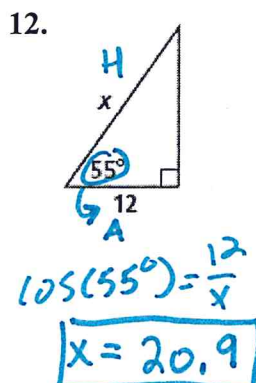
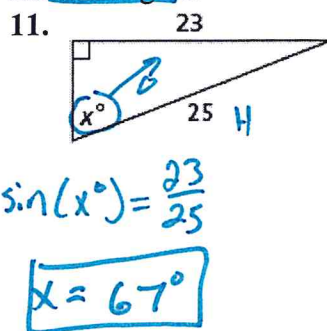
Example: Express $\sin A$, $\cos A$, and $\tan A$ as ratios.



$\sin \angle ABC = \frac{3\sqrt{7}}{12} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$
 $\cos \angle BCD = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{9} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$
 $\tan \angle BAC = \frac{9}{3\sqrt{7}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}} = \frac{3\sqrt{7}}{7}$
 $\sin \angle CBD = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{9} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$
 $\tan \angle BCD = \frac{9}{3\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{5}$

I can use SOHCAHTOA to find the measure of a missing side or a missing angle of a right triangle

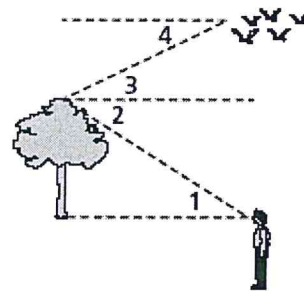
Example: Find the value of x . Round lengths of segments to the nearest tenth and angle measures to the nearest degree.



I can identify angle of depression and angle of elevation

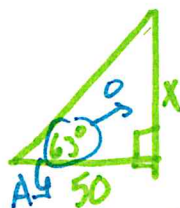
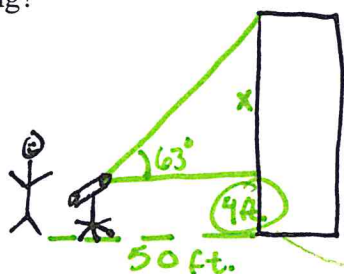
Example: Describe each angle as it relates to the objects in the diagram.

a. $\angle 1$	b. $\angle 2$	c. $\angle 3$	d. $\angle 4$
Elevation from person to tree	Depression from tree to person	Elevation from tree to birds	Depression from birds to tree



I can solve different situations applying properties of right triangle.

Example: 14. A surveyor measures the top of a building 50 ft away from him. His angle-measuring device is 4 ft above ground. The angle of elevation to the top of the building is 63° . How tall is the building?



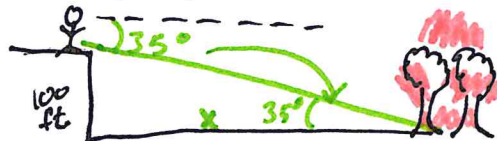
$$\tan(63^\circ) = \frac{x}{50}$$

$$x \approx 98 \text{ ft.}$$

$$+ 4$$

$$\boxed{102 \text{ ft. tall}}$$

15. A forest ranger looking out from a ranger's station can see a forest fire at a 35° angle of depression. The ranger's position is 100 ft above the ground. How far is it from the ranger's station to the fire?



$$\tan(35^\circ) = \frac{100}{x}$$

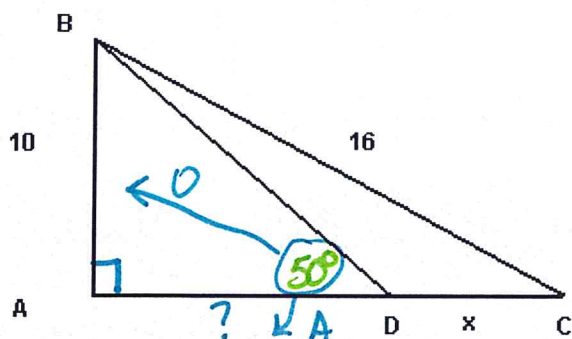
$$\boxed{x = 142.8 \text{ ft.}}$$

Hyp.
(174.3 ft)

16. Let Θ and β be two angles so $\Theta + \beta = 90^\circ$. What is the value of $\sin\Theta - \cos\beta$?

$\boxed{\text{Zero}}$

17. If $m\angle ADB = 50^\circ$ and $m\angle BAD = 90^\circ$, what is the value of x?



$$AC = 10^2 + 16^2$$

$$AC = \sqrt{16^2 - 10^2} = 12.49$$

$$AD = \tan(50^\circ) = \frac{10}{?} = 8.391$$

$$x = AC - AD = 12.49 - 8.391$$

$$\boxed{x = 4.1} \text{ (4.099)}$$

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