

25 Triangle Trigonometry

Concepts:

- Trigonometry for Acute and Obtuse Angles
 - The Law of Cosines
 - The Law of Sines
- Area of a Triangle
- Heron's Formula

(Sections 8.3 & 8.4)

1. Solve each triangle.
 - (a) Triangle ABC when $a = 4$, $B = 59.2^\circ$, and $C = 90^\circ$.
 - (b) Triangle ABC when $b = 4$, $a = 5.5$, and $C = 90^\circ$.
 - (c) Triangle ABC when $c = 10.3$, $a = 4.5$, and $C = 90^\circ$.

2. Solve each triangle.
 - (a) Triangle ABC when $a = 20.1$, $b = 15.6$, and $C = 41^\circ$.
 - (b) Triangle ABC when $A = 37^\circ$, $B = 18.6^\circ$, and $a = 3$.

3. Solve the triangle $\triangle ABC$.
 - (a) $B = 40^\circ$, $a = 12$, $c = 20$
 - (b) $A = 118.2^\circ$, $b = 16.5$, $c = 10.7$
 - (c) $C = 52.5^\circ$, $a = 6.5$, $b = 9$
 - (d) $a = 8$, $b = 5$, $c = 10$
 - (e) $a = 6.8$, $b = 12.4$, $c = 15.1$

4. Find the angles of the triangle whose vertices are $(-3, 4)$, $(5, -2)$, $(1, -4)$.
5. Solve the triangle $\triangle ABC$.
- (a) $B = 33^\circ$, $C = 46^\circ$, $b = 4$
 - (b) $A = 67^\circ$, $C = 28^\circ$, $a = 9$
 - (c) $b = 30$, $c = 50$, $C = 60^\circ$
 - (d) $a = 30$, $b = 40$, $A = 30^\circ$
 - (e) $a = 6.8$, $b = 12.4$, $c = 15.1$
6. Find the area of the triangle $\triangle ABC$.
- (a) $b = 10$, $c = 14$, $A = 36^\circ$
 - (b) $a = 9$, $b = 13$, $C = 75^\circ$
 - (c) $a = 4$, $c = 12$, $C = 14$
 - (d) $a = 17$, $b = 27$, $c = 40$
 - (e) $a = b = c$
7. A soldier with a range finder determines that at certain time an enemy truck is 300 feet from him. One second later the truck is 350 feet away from him. If the soldier had to move his range finder through an angle of 12.83° to make the second measurement, how fast is the truck going?