



Topic: Non-Calculator Trigonometry

Time: 45 mins

Marks: /45 marks

No calculator allowed

Question One: [2, 2, 2: 6 marks]

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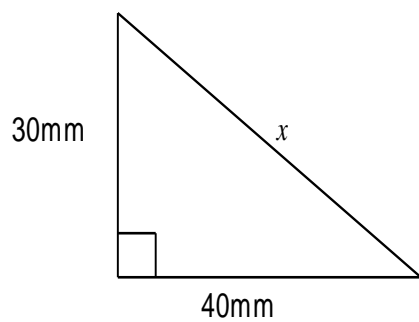
b) $0.26 = \frac{y}{12}$

c) $z^2 + 3^2 = 5^2$

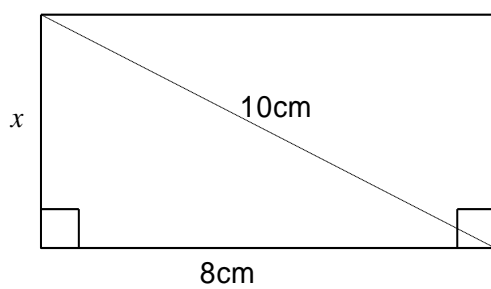
Question Two: [3, 3: 6 marks]

Calculate the length of the unknown side.

a)

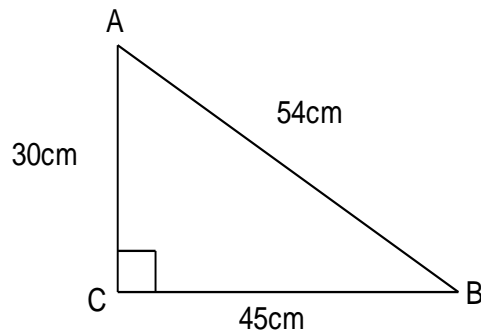


b)



Question Three: [2, 2: 4 marks]

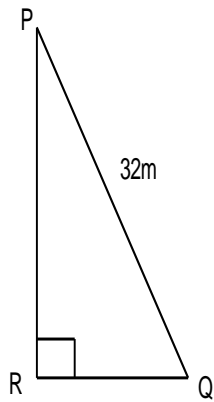
Consider the following triangle.



- a) Determine the value of $\sin \angle BAC$.
- b) If the lengths of the sides of the triangle were all doubled in size, how would this effect the value of $\sin \angle BAC$?

Question Four: [3, 5: 8 marks]

Consider triangle PQR where $\cos \angle QPR = \frac{5}{8}$ and side PQ has length 32 m.



- a) Determine the length of side RQ .
- b) $\tan \angle PQR = \frac{4}{5}$, hence or otherwise, determine the area of the triangle. Explain your answer.

Question Five: [4, 5: 9 marks]

- a) In triangle ABC , the length of side AB is 6cm, $\sin C = 0.6$ and $\sin B = 0.8$.

Determine the exact length of side AC .

- b) In triangle MNO , the length of side MN is 4cm, the length of side MO is 6cm and $\cos M = \frac{2}{3}$.

Determine the exact length of side NO .

Question Six: [4 marks]

In triangle DEF , $d = 6\text{ cm}$, $e = 5\text{ cm}$ and $f = 7\text{ cm}$.

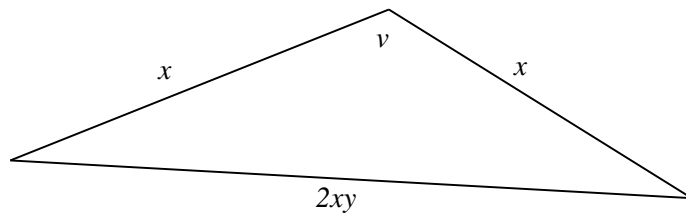
Given that the area of the triangle is 15 cm^2 , determine the value of $\sin E$.

Question Seven: [4 marks]

Harry was 15m due south of Zayn. If Liam is due east of Harry and on a bearing of 158° from Zayne, calculate the distance between Harry and Liam. You may wish to use the approximation of $\tan 22 = 0.4$.

Question Eight: [4 marks]

Consider the following diagram



Show that $1 - 4y^2 = \cos v$



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SOLUTIONS

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Question One: [2, 2, 2: 6 marks]

Solve the following:

a) $0.3 = \frac{6}{x}$

$$x = \frac{6}{0.3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{60}{3} = 20 \quad \checkmark$$

b) $0.26 = \frac{y}{12}$

$$12 \times 0.26 = y \quad \checkmark$$

$$3.12 = y \quad \checkmark$$

c) $z^2 + 3^2 = 5^2$

$$z^2 + 9 = 25$$

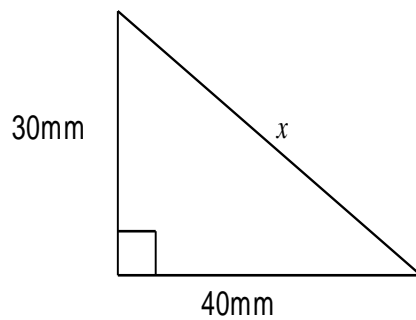
$$z^2 = 16 \quad \checkmark$$

$$z = \pm 4 \quad \checkmark$$

Question Two: [3, 3: 6 marks]

Calculate the length of the unknown side.

a)



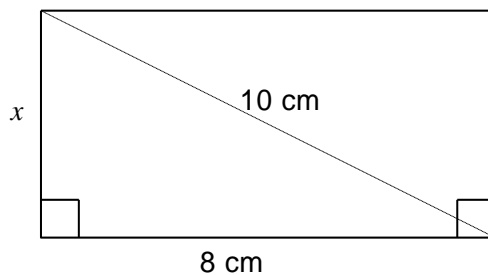
$$x = \sqrt{30^2 + 40^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = \sqrt{900 + 1600}$$

$$x = \sqrt{2500} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = 50mm \quad \checkmark$$

b)



$$10^2 = x^2 + 8^2 \quad \checkmark$$

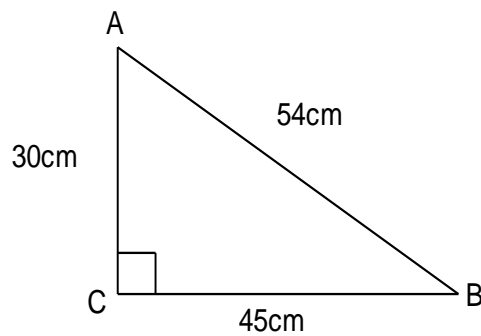
$$x = \sqrt{100 - 64}$$

$$x = \sqrt{36} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = 6cm \quad \checkmark$$

Question Three: [2, 2: 4 marks]

Consider the following triangle.



- a) Determine the value of $\sin \angle BAC$.

$$= \frac{45}{54}$$



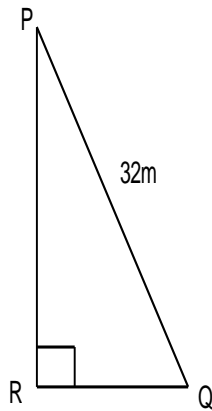
- b) If the lengths of the sides of the triangle were all doubled in size, how would this effect the value of $\sin \angle BAC$? Explain your answer.

Not at all, similar triangles have the same size angles.



Question Four: [3, 5: 8 marks]

Consider triangle PQR where $\cos \angle QPR = \frac{5}{8}$ and side PQ has length 32m.



- a) Determine the length of side RQ .

$$\cos P = \frac{x}{32} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{5}{8} = \frac{x}{32} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = 20 \text{ m} \quad \checkmark$$

- b) $\tan \angle PQR = \frac{4}{5}$, hence or otherwise, determine the area of the triangle.

$$\frac{x}{y} = \tan Q \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{20}{y} = \frac{4}{5} \quad \checkmark$$

$$y = 25 \quad \checkmark$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times 25 \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 250 \text{m}^2 \quad \checkmark$$

Question Five: [4, 5: 9 marks]

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Determine the exact length of side AC .

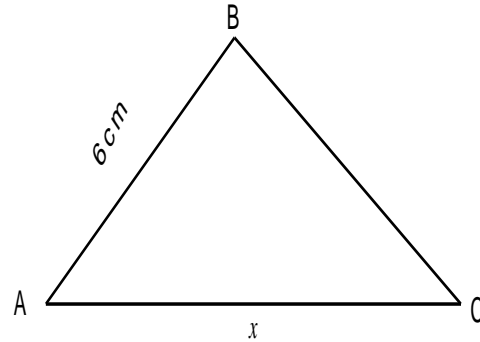
$$\frac{x}{\sin B} = \frac{6}{\sin C} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{x}{0.8} = \frac{6}{0.6} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = \frac{6 \times 0.8}{0.6}$$

$$= \frac{24}{5} \times \frac{5}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 8\text{cm} \quad \checkmark$$



- b) In triangle MNO , the length of side MN is 4cm, the length of side MO is 6cm and $\cos M = \frac{2}{3}$.

Determine the exact length of side NO .

$$x^2 = 4^2 + 6^2 - 2(4)(6) \times \frac{2}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x^2 = 16 + 36 - 48 \times \frac{2}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x^2 = 52 - 32 \quad \checkmark$$

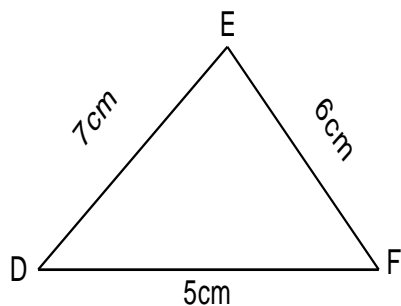
$$x^2 = 20 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = \sqrt{20} \quad \checkmark$$

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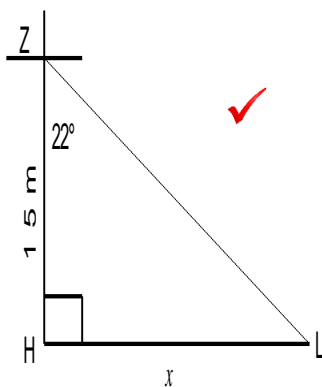
$$\frac{30}{42} = \sin E$$

$$\sin E = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$15 = \frac{1}{2} \times 7 \times 6 \times \sin E$$

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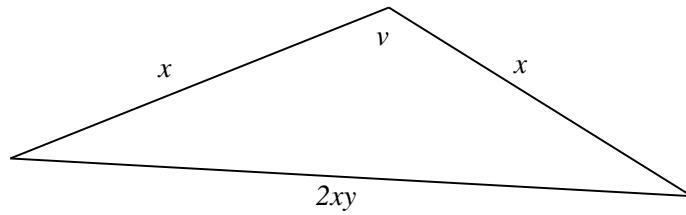
$$\tan 22^\circ = \frac{x}{15}$$

$$\frac{2}{5} = \frac{x}{15}$$

$$x \approx 6\text{m}$$

Question Eight: [4 marks]

Consider the following diagram



Show that $1 - 4y^2 = \cos v$

$$\cos v = \frac{x^2 + x^2 - 2(2xy)^2}{2x^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\cos v = \frac{2x^2 - 2(4x^2y^2)}{2x^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\cos v = \frac{2x^2 - 8x^2y^2}{2x^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\cos v = \frac{2x^2(1 - 4y^2)}{2x^2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\cos v = 1 - 4y^2 \quad \checkmark$$