

## Homework 1

Question 1 (parts a and b); Question 2.

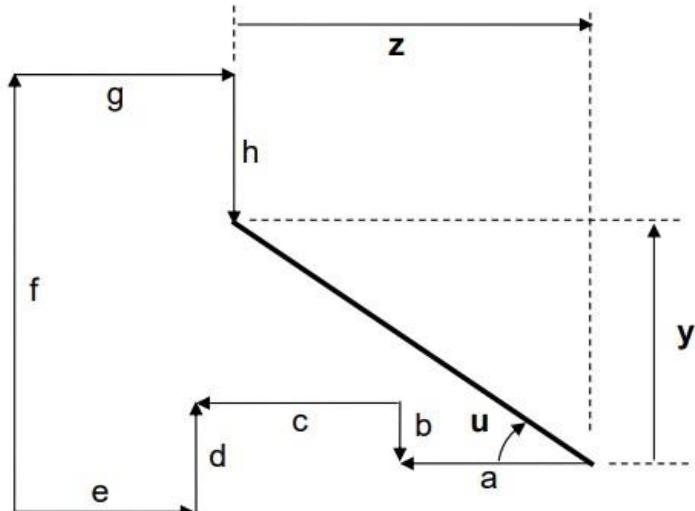
### 1. Sign Conventions

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The diagram below shows a number of directed distances. Using the sign conventions used in this class, determine equations for

- (a) the tangent of the angle u and
- (b) the directed distance z

in terms of a, b, c, d, e, f, g, and h.



**2. Fermat's Principle**

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Use Fermat's principle to derive the law of reflection. Explain, with the use of a diagram, the sign conventions and reference definitions you use for this problem.