Trigonometric Ratios - Review and Some Preliminary Results



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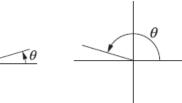
For the angle θ , $\sin \theta = \frac{7}{25}$ and $\cos \theta = -\frac{24}{25}$

1 Solution

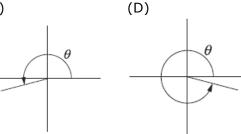
Which diagram best shows the angle θ ?

(A)





(C)

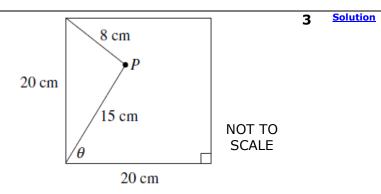


16 12 Square tiles of side length 20 cm are

being used to tile a bathroom. The tiler needs to drill a hole in one of the tiles at a point P which is 8 cm from one corner and 15 cm from an adjacent

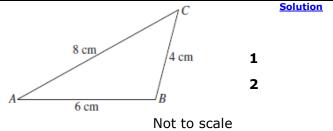
To locate the point P the tiler needs to know the size of the angle θ shown in the diagram.

Find the size of the angle θ to the nearest degree.



15 13 The diagram shows $\triangle ABC$ with sides

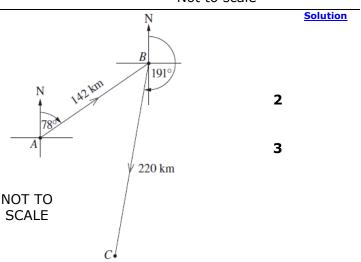
- **a** AB = 6 cm, BC = 4 cm and AC = 8 cm.
 - (i) Show that $\cos A = \frac{7}{8}$.
 - (ii) By finding the exact value of $\sin A$, determine the exact value of the area of $\triangle ABC$.



14 13 Chris leaves island *A* in a boat and

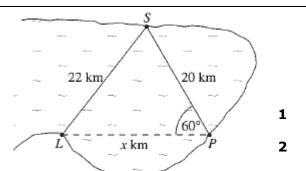
sails 142 km on a bearing of 078° to island *B*. Chris then sails on a bearing of 191° for 220 km to island *C*, as shown in the diagram.

- (i) Show that the distance from island *C* to island *A* is approximately 210 km.
- (ii) Chris wants to sail from island *C* directly to island *A*. On what bearing should Chris sail? Give your answer correct to the nearest degree.



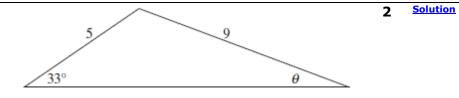
Solution

11 In the diagram, the shop at S is 20 kilometres across the bay from the post office at P. The distance from the shop to the lighthouse at L is 22 kilometres and $\angle SPL$ is 60°. Let the distance PL be x kilometres.



- (i) Use the cosine rule to show that $x^2 - 20x - 84 = 0.$
- Hence, find the distance from (ii) the post office to the lighthouse. Give your answer correct to the nearest kilometre.

Find the value of θ in the 06 **1**d diagram. Give your answer to the nearest degree.



05 **3b** The lengths of the sides of a triangle are 7 cm, 8 cm and 13 cm.

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Solution

Find the size of the angle opposite the longest side. (i)

(ii) Find the area of the triangle. 1