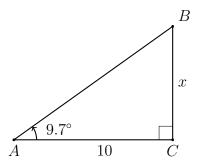
## 6.15 Exam: Tangent applications

## CCSS.HSG.SRT.C.8

1. Given right  $\triangle ABC$  with AC = 10,  $m \angle A = 40^{\circ}$ . Find the value of BC = x.



2. Graph and label  $\triangle ABC$  with A(0,0), B(5,3), and C(5,0). Calculate the length of each side of the triangle.

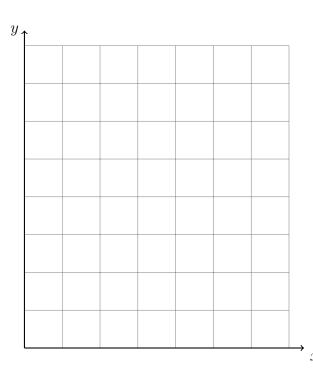
(a) 
$$AC =$$

(b) 
$$BC =$$

(c) Express first as a radical, then approximate with a decimal rounded to two decimal places.

(hint: use the Pythagorean theorem  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$ )

$$AB =$$



(d) Find the slope of each line.

$$m_{AB} =$$

$$m_{AC} =$$

$$m_{BC} =$$

- 3. Calculate each value. Round to the nearest thousandth.
  - (a)  $\tan 39^{\circ}$

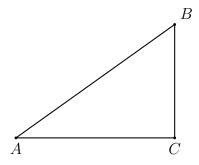
- (b)  $\tan 11^{\circ}$
- 4. Find  $\theta$ . Round to the nearest whole degree.
  - (a)  $\theta = \tan^{-1}(\frac{3}{10})$

- (b)  $\tan \theta = \frac{2.6}{4.9}$
- 5. Convert radians and degrees. (nearest whole degree, nearest hundredth radian).
  - (a)  $85^{\circ} =$

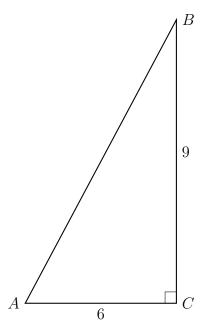
- (b) 1.15 radians =
- 6. Solve each equation for x, rounding to the nearest hundredth.
  - (a)  $\tan 33^\circ = \frac{x}{21}$

(b)  $\tan 16^{\circ} = \frac{3.7}{x}$ 

7. Given right  $\triangle ABC$  with  $\overline{AC} \perp \overline{BC}$ , BC = 6,  $m \angle B = 50^{\circ}$ . Let x = AC.



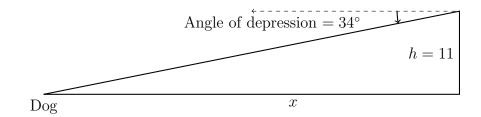
- 8.  $\triangle ABC$  is shown with  $m \angle C = 90^{\circ}$  and the lengths of the triangle's sides are AC = 6, BC = 9. (not drawn to scale)
  - (a) Write down the value of  $\tan A$ .



(b) Find the measure of  $\angle A$ .

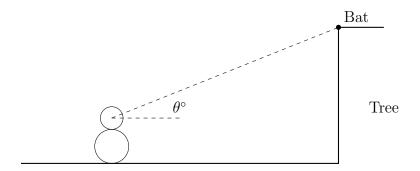
(c) Find AB.

9. From the top of a hill a dog is visible at an angle of depression of  $34^{\circ}$ . If the hill is 11 meters tall, determine the distance from the dog to the base of the hill, x, to the nearest foot.



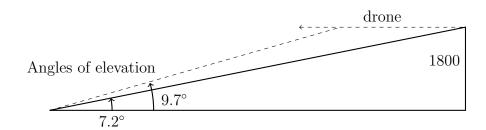
- 10. A bear is standing 22 feet away from the base of a tree, looking up at a bat 16 feet off the ground. The bear is 5 feet tall.
  - (a) Mark the scenario.
  - (b) Find the angle from the bear's head to the bat,  $\theta$ , to the nearest tenth degree.

(not drawn to scale)

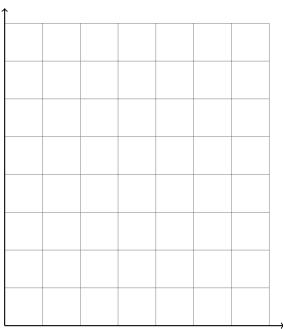


11. A drone flying at an altitude of 1,800 meters is observed twice. The first time the angle of elevation is 7.2° and exactly one minute later the angle of elevation is 9.7°.

Find the distance the drone flies over the minute and its speed in kilometers per hour.



12. Challenge: A square is partitioned into two rectangles. The sum of the perimeters of the



two rectangles is 36. Find the area of the square.

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