Math 10

Lesson 7-2 Answers

Lesson Questions

Question 1

XY is the opposite side and YZ is the adjacent side, therefore we use the tan function.

$$tan70 = \frac{XY}{YZ}$$

$$YZ tan 70 = XY$$

$$5.0 \tan 70 = XY$$

$$13.7cm = XY$$

Question 2

WX is the opposite side and VX is the adjacent side, therefore we use the tan function.

$$tan42 = \frac{WX}{VX}$$

$$VX tan 42 = WX$$

$$VX = \frac{WX}{tan42}$$

$$VX = \frac{7.2}{tan42}$$

$$VX = 8.0 cm$$

Question 3

$$tan8 = \frac{tower}{200}$$

$$200 tan 8 = tower$$

Question 4

PR is the hypotenuse and PQ is the opposite side, therefore we use the sine function.

$$\sin = \frac{opp}{hyp}$$

$$\sin 67 = \frac{PQ}{10.4}$$

$$10.4\sin 67 = PQ$$

$$9.6 \, \text{cm} = PQ$$



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Question 5

JK is the hypotenuse and MJ is opposite the angle, therefore we use the sine function.

$$\sin = \frac{opp}{hyp}$$

$$\sin 65 = \frac{7.6}{JK}$$

$$JK = \frac{7.6}{\sin 65}$$

$$JK = 8.4 cm$$

Question 6

The horizontal distance is adjacent to the angle and we are trying to find the hypotenuse, therefore we use the cosine function.

$$cos = \frac{adj}{hyp}$$

$$cos 32.5 = \frac{35.6}{hyp}$$

$$hyp = \frac{35.6}{cos 32.5}$$

$$hyp = 42.2 km$$

Assignment

- 1. a) 2.2 cm b) 2.8 cm c) 2.8 cm
- 2. a) 5.6 cm b) 4.1 cm c) 3.8 cm
- 3. 3.8 m

5. 40.3 cm²

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- 7. a) Approximately 38.7°
 - b) Approximately 63.4°
- 8. a) 25.3 cm b) 8.0 cm c) 7.7 cm d) 12.4 cm
- 9. 29.7 m
- 10. a) 48.3 m
 - b) The surveyor could use the tangent ratio or the Pythagorean Theorem.
- 11. 4.0 km
- 12. 2813 m
- 13. a) i) 21.0 cm ii) 15.1 cm
- 14. 186 mm

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