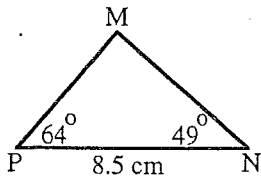
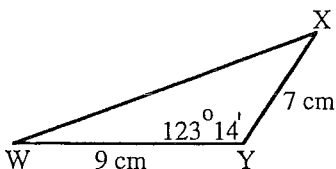


1.



Find the length of MP.
(correct to 3 significant figures)

2.



Find, correct to 1 decimal place:

- (a) the length of XW.
- (b) the area of triangle XYW.

3. In triangle RST, $RS = 18$ cm, $ST = 20$ cm and $TR = 13$ cm.

Find, to the nearest minute, the size of the largest angle of triangle RST.

4. In triangle PQR, $QR = 15.3$ cm, $PQ = 7.8$ cm and $\angle PRQ = 23^\circ 40'$.

Find, to the nearest minute, the size of $\angle RPQ$.

5. In parallelogram ABCD, $AB = 19$ cm, $AD = 14$ cm and $\angle BAD = 135^\circ$.

Find, in its simplest surd form, the exact value of the area of parallelogram ABCD.

6. The angle of elevation of the top of a tower D from a point A is 27° .
On walking 120 m towards the tower, the angle of elevation from a point B is 41° .
Given the points A and B are in line with the foot of the tower C:

- (a) draw a diagram to illustrate this information.
- (b) find, correct to 1 decimal place, the height of the tower.

7. A hiker starts from point P and walks 8 km on a bearing of $143^\circ T$ to point Q.
He then walks 12 km on a bearing of $292^\circ T$ to point R.

- (a) Draw a diagram to illustrate this information.
- (b) Find the distance of R from P.
(correct to 1 decimal place)
- (c) Find the bearing of R from P.
(to the nearest degree)

*8. To find the height of an inaccessible tower, the elevation of its summit is observed from two points A and B which are on the same level as the foot of the tower.

From point A, due south of the tower, the angle of elevation is 26° and from point B, due east of the tower, the angle of elevation is 34° .
The distance between the points A and B is 200 metres.

- (a) Draw a diagram to illustrate this information.
- (b) Show that the height, h, of the tower is given by

$$h = \frac{200}{\sqrt{\cot^2 26^\circ + \cot^2 34^\circ}}$$

- (c) Hence find the height of the tower.
(to the nearest metre)

*9. A person walking along a straight horizontal road observes the summit of a tower on a bearing of $056^\circ T$, at an elevation of 13° .
After walking 1200 metres, the summit of the tower bears $312^\circ T$, at an elevation of 28° .

- (a) Draw a diagram to illustrate this information.
- (b) Show that the height, h, of the tower is given by

$$h = \frac{1200}{\sqrt{\cot^2 13^\circ + \cot^2 28^\circ - 2 \cot 13^\circ \cot 28^\circ \cos 104^\circ}}$$

- (c) Hence find the height of the tower.
(to the nearest metre)

Solutions

Trigonometry Test 2.

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$$\angle M = 180^\circ - 64^\circ - 49^\circ = 67^\circ$$

$$\frac{n}{\sin N} = \frac{m}{\sin M}$$

$$\frac{MP}{\sin 49^\circ} = \frac{8.5}{\sin 67^\circ}$$

$$MP = \frac{8.5}{\sin 67^\circ} \times \sin 49^\circ$$

$$MP = 6.97 \text{ cm (c.t. 3 sig fig.)}$$

$$y^2 = x^2 + w^2 - 2xw \cos Y$$

$$xw^2 = 9^2 + 7^2 - 2 \times 9 \times 7 \cos 123^\circ 14'$$

$$xw^2 = 130 - 126 \cos 123^\circ 14'$$

$$w^2 = 149.05 \text{ (c.t. 2 dec. pl.)}$$

$$xw = \sqrt{149.05}$$

$$xw = 14.1 \text{ cm (c.t. 1 dec. pl.)}$$

area of ΔXYW

$$= \frac{1}{2} x w \sin Y$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 9 \times 7 \times \sin 123^\circ 14'$$

$$= 31.5 \sin 123^\circ 14'$$

$$= 26.3 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (c.t. 1 dec. pl.)}$$

Largest angle is opposite the longest side

Largest angle is $\angle R$.

$$\cos R = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

$$\cos R = \frac{13^2 + 18^2 - 20^2}{2 \times 13 \times 18}$$

$$= \frac{93}{468}$$

$$\angle R = 78^\circ 32'$$

$$\frac{\sin P}{p} = \frac{\sin R}{r}$$

$$\frac{\sin P}{15.3} = \frac{\sin 23^\circ 40'}{7.8}$$

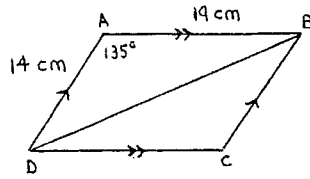
$$\sin P = 15.3 \times \frac{\sin 23^\circ 40'}{7.8}$$

$$\sin P = 0.787 \text{ (c.t. 3 dec. pl.)}$$

$$\angle P = 51^\circ 57', (180^\circ - 51^\circ 57')$$

$$\angle P = 51^\circ 57' \quad 128^\circ 3'$$

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area of parallelogram ABCD

$$= 2 \times \text{area of } \Delta BAD$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} bd \sin A$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 14 \times 19 \times \sin 135^\circ$$

$$= 266 \times \sin 45^\circ$$

$$= 266 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

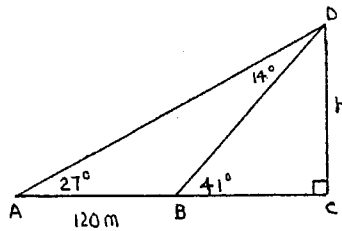
$$= \frac{266}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{266\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$= 133\sqrt{2} \text{ cm}^2$$

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$$\angle ADB = 41^\circ - 27^\circ$$

$$= 14^\circ$$

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in ΔADB

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{d}{\sin D}$$

$$\frac{DB}{\sin 27^\circ} = \frac{120}{\sin 14^\circ}$$

$$DB = \frac{120 \sin 27^\circ}{\sin 14^\circ} \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{1}$$

in ΔBDC

$$\sin B = \frac{DC}{DB}$$

$$\sin 41^\circ = \frac{DC}{DB}$$

$$DC = DB \sin 41^\circ \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{2}$$

sub $\textcircled{1}$ into $\textcircled{2}$

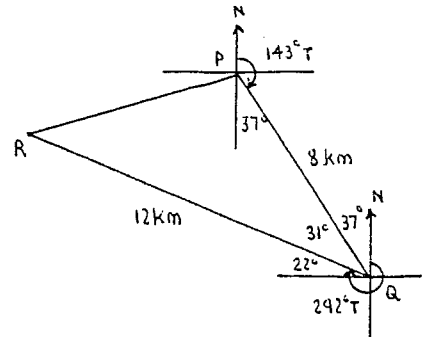
$$DC = \frac{120 \sin 27^\circ}{\sin 14^\circ} \times \sin 41^\circ$$

$$DC = 147.7 \text{ (c.t. 1 dec. pl.)}$$

\therefore the height of the tower is 147.7 m.

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$$\angle PQR = 90^\circ - [(180^\circ - 143^\circ) + (292^\circ - 270^\circ)]$$

$$= 90^\circ - (37^\circ + 22^\circ)$$

$$= 90^\circ - 59^\circ$$

$$= 31^\circ$$

b/

$$q^2 = p^2 + r^2 - 2pr \cos A$$

$$PR^2 = 12^2 + 8^2 - 2 \times 12 \times 8 \times \cos 31^\circ$$

$$PR^2 = 208 - 192 \cos 31^\circ$$

$$PR^2 = 43.42 \text{ (c.t. 2 dec. pl.)}$$

$$PR = \sqrt{43.42}$$

$$PR = 6.6 \text{ km (c.t. 1 dec. pl.)}$$

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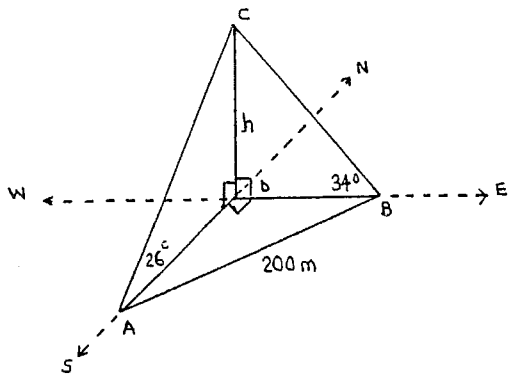
$$\cos P = \frac{q^2 + r^2 - p^2}{2qr}$$

$$\cos P = \frac{6.6^2 + 8^2 - 12^2}{2 \times 6.6 \times 8}$$

$$= \frac{-36.44}{105.6}$$

$$\angle P = 110^\circ \text{ (to nearest degree)}$$

\therefore the bearing of R from P is $(143 + 110)^\circ \text{ T} = 253^\circ \text{ T}$



in $\triangle ACD$ in $\triangle BCD$

$$\tan A = \frac{CD}{AD} \quad \tan B = \frac{CD}{BD}$$

$$\tan 26^\circ = \frac{h}{AD} \quad \tan 34^\circ = \frac{h}{BD}$$

$$AD = \frac{h}{\tan 26^\circ} \quad BD = \frac{h}{\tan 34^\circ}$$

$$AD = h \cot 26^\circ \quad BD = h \cot 34^\circ$$

in $\triangle ADB$ (by Pythagoras)

$$AB^2 = AD^2 + BD^2$$

$$200^2 = (h \cot 26^\circ)^2 + (h \cot 34^\circ)^2$$

$$200^2 = h^2 (\cot^2 26^\circ + \cot^2 34^\circ)$$

$$h^2 = \frac{200^2}{\cot^2 26^\circ + \cot^2 34^\circ}$$

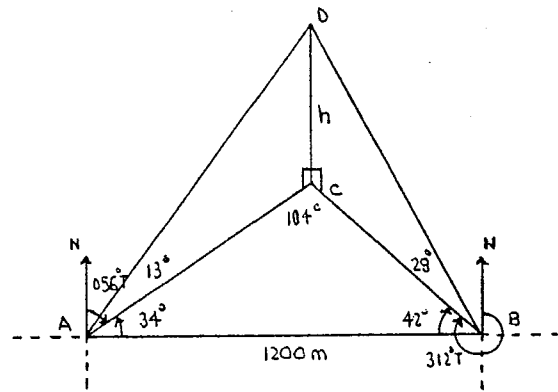
$$h = \frac{200}{\sqrt{\cot^2 26^\circ + \cot^2 34^\circ}}$$

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$$h = 79 \text{ m (to nearest metre)}$$

\therefore tower is 79 m high

9y



$$\angle ACB = 180^\circ - [(90^\circ - 56^\circ) + (312^\circ - 270^\circ)]$$

$$= 180^\circ - (34^\circ + 42^\circ)$$

$$= 104^\circ$$

by

<p>in $\triangle ADC$</p> $\tan A = \frac{DC}{AC}$ $\tan 13^\circ = \frac{h}{AC}$ $AC = \frac{h}{\tan 13^\circ}$ $AC = h \cot 13^\circ$	<p>in $\triangle BDC$</p> $\tan B = \frac{DC}{BC}$ $\tan 28^\circ = \frac{h}{BC}$ $BC = \frac{h}{\tan 28^\circ}$ $BC = h \cot 28^\circ$
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in $\triangle ACB$ (by the Cos Rule)

$$AB^2 = AC^2 + BC^2 - 2 \times AC \times BC \times \cos \angle ACB$$

$$1200^2 = (h \cot 13^\circ)^2 + (h \cot 28^\circ)^2 - 2 \times h \cot 13^\circ \times h \cot 28^\circ \times \cos 104^\circ$$

$$1200^2 = h^2 (\cot^2 13^\circ + \cot^2 28^\circ - 2 \cot 13^\circ \cot 28^\circ \cos 104^\circ)$$

$$h^2 = \frac{1200^2}{\cot^2 13^\circ + \cot^2 28^\circ - 2 \cot 13^\circ \cot 28^\circ \cos 104^\circ}$$

$$h = \frac{1200}{\sqrt{\cot^2 13^\circ + \cot^2 28^\circ - 2 \cot 13^\circ \cot 28^\circ \cos 104^\circ}}$$

9y

$$h = 234 \text{ m (to nearest metre)}$$

\therefore tower is 234 m high