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NOTES: Section 13.5 – Apply the Law of Sines

Goals: #1 - I can solve a triangle using the Law of Sines (need to know at least one angle and the opposite side).

#2 - I can find the area of a triangle when given two sides and that included angle.

Homework: Lesson 13.5 Worksheet



Warm Up:

1. Evaluate the expression. Give your answer in both radians and degrees. NO CALCULATOR.

a. $\sin^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

b. $\cos^{-1} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

c. $\tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$

2. Solve the equation $\tan \theta = -2.5$; $90^\circ < \theta < 180^\circ$

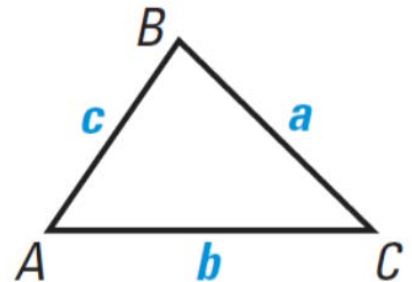
Notes:

How do we solve _____ with NO _____ angles?

- _____:

_____ = _____ = _____

_____ = _____ = _____



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This can be used to _____ triangles when _____ angles and the length of any _____ are known.

- _____:

- _____:

- _____:

Example #1: Solve $\triangle ABC$ with $C = 107^\circ$, $B = 25^\circ$, and $b = 15$

Example #2: Solve $\triangle ABC$ with $A = 115^\circ$, $a = 20$, and $b = 11$

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You practice: Solve $\triangle ABC$ with $A = 127^\circ$, $a = 63$, and $b = 42$

Example #3: Solve $\triangle ABC$ with $A = 51^\circ$, $a = 3.5$, and $b = 5$

Example #4: Solve $\triangle ABC$ with $A = 40^\circ$, $a = 13$, and $b = 16$

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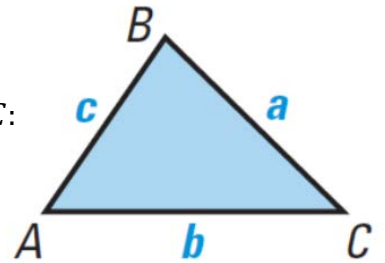
You practice: Solve $\triangle ABC$ with $B = 105^\circ$, $b = 13$, and $a = 6$

Notes:

_____:

There are _____ ways we can _____ the area of $\triangle ABC$:

- Area =
- Area =
- Area =



Example #5: A piece of land is bordered by three roads as shown. Find the area of the land.

