

Rubric

AMAT100: PreCalculus Worksheet 5

Due: Announced In Class or Digitally

— Instructions —

- This homework should be submitted in class or digitally on the date listed above.
- **You must show all work.** You may receive zero or reduced points for insufficient work. **Your work must be neatly organised and written.** You may receive zero or reduced points for incoherent work.
- If you are writing your answers on anything other than this sheet, you should only have **one question per page**. You can have parts a), b) and c) on the page for example, but problems 1) and 2) should be on separate pages.
- **Put a box or circle around your final answer** for each question.
- The problems on this assignment will be **graded on correctness and completeness**.
- These problems are designed to be done without a calculator. Whilst there is nothing stopping you using a calculator when working through this assignment, be aware of the fact that you are not permitted to use calculators on exams so you might want to practice without one.

* pb 1 5 pts

* pb 2 4 pts

* pb 3 5 pts

pb 4 4 pts

pb 5 6 pts

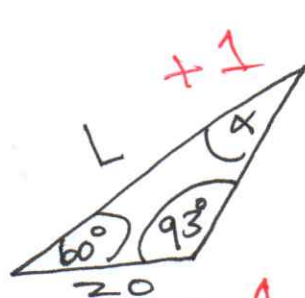
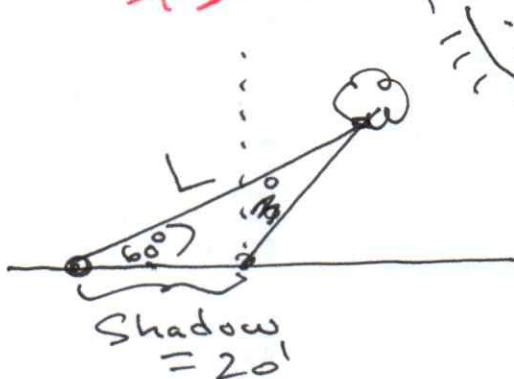
* Extra Credit.

Total : 10 pts

+ 14 pts Extra Credit
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24 pts.

1. (Optional or Extra Credit) A big pine tree has grown so that it is tilted 3° from vertical toward the sun. When its shadow is 20 ft long, the angle of elevation from the tip of its shadow to the top of the tree is 60° . Approximately how tall is the tree? (i.e. what is its length?)

+1 Interpretation:



$$\alpha = 180 - (60 + 93) = 27$$

Law of Sines:

$$\frac{20}{\sin 27} = \frac{L}{\sin 93}$$

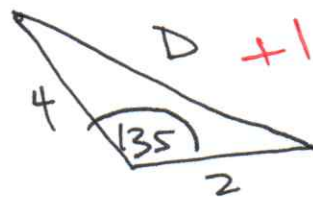
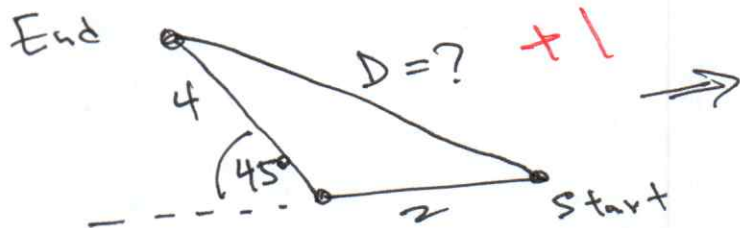
$$L = \frac{20 \sin 93}{\sin 27}$$

$$\approx 44$$

5 pts Total

2. (Optional or Extra Credit) A person leaves his house and walks 2 miles west and then 4 miles northwest. Approximately how far is he from home?

Interpretation:



Law of Cosines:

$$D^2 = 4^2 + 2^2 - 2(4)(2)\cos(135^\circ)$$

$$D = \sqrt{20 - 16\cos(135^\circ)} \approx 4.78 \text{ miles.}$$

4 pts Total.

3. (Optional or Extra Credit) Given a triangle with sides $a = 6$, $b = 8$, and $c = 11$, find opposite angles A , B , and C .

$$\angle C = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{11^2 - (6^2 + 8^2)}{-2(6)(8)} \right) \approx 102.6^\circ +1$$

$$\angle A = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{6^2 - (11^2 + 8^2)}{-2(11)(8)} \right) \approx 32.2^\circ +1$$

$$\angle B \approx 180 - (A + C) = 45.2^\circ +1$$

+1: Student recognizes the need to use the Law of Cosines to find the first angle.

+1: Student uses the Law of Sines or Cosines to find the value of the second angle.

5 pts Total.

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4. Using the double angle formulas, calculate $2 \sin(12^\circ) \cos(12^\circ)$.

Recall: $\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin\theta \cos\theta +1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } 2 \sin(12^\circ) \cos(12^\circ) &+2 \\ &= \sin(2 \cdot 12^\circ) \\ &= \boxed{\sin(24^\circ)} +1 \end{aligned}$$

4 pts Total

5. Use the sum and difference formulas to solve the problems below.

(a) Calculate $\cos(57^\circ)\cos(22^\circ) - \sin(57^\circ)\sin(22^\circ)$.

$$= \cos(57^\circ + 22^\circ)$$

$$= \cos(79^\circ) \quad + 2$$

2 pts Total

(b) Suppose $\cos \alpha = \frac{3}{5}$ and $\sin \beta = \frac{5}{13}$, where α is in quadrant I and β is in quadrant II. Find $\sin(\alpha + \beta)$.

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta \quad + 1$$

$$= \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)\left(-\frac{12}{13}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{5}{13}\right) \quad + 1$$

$$= \frac{-48 + 15}{45} = -\frac{33}{45} = \boxed{-\frac{11}{15}} \quad + 1$$



$$\sqrt{13^2 - 5^2} = 12$$

$$\cos \beta = \frac{12}{13} \Rightarrow -\frac{12}{13} \text{ in Quadrant II} \quad + 1$$

4 pts Total