### **RIGHT TRIANGLE** $\mathbf{N}$ a d TRIGONOMETRY e I Π $\mathbf{e}$ $\mathbf{R}$ REACH FOR THE STARS $\mathbf{e}$

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ANCIENT GREEKS USED TRIGONOMETRY TO MEASURE THE DISTANCE TO THE STARS









IN 140 B.C. HIPPARCHUS BEGAN TO USE AND WRITE TRIGONOMETRY







TRIGONOMETRY

## GREEK WORD MEANING: TRIANGLE

MEASURE



## •WE WILL DEAL ONLY WITH RIGHT TRIANGLES

RIGHT TRIANGLES MUST HAVE A 90 DEGREE ANGLE

90

#### HYPOTENUSE

LEG ADJACENT TO

ANGLE B

В

#### LEG OPPOSITE TO B





#### LEG ADJACENT TO B

## SINE OF B =<u>LENGTH OF LEG OPPOSITE B</u> LENGTH OF HYPOTENUSE COSINE OF B = <u>LENGTH OF LEG ADJACENT TO B</u> LENGTH OF HYPOTENUSE

TANGENT OF B = LENGTH OF LEG OPPOSITE BLENGTH OF LEG ADJACENT TO I



#### 1. TO FIND VALUES OF TRIGOMETRIC FUNCTIONS.

# 2. TO APPLY THE TRIGOMETRIC FUNCTIONS TO SOLVE RIGHT -TRIANGLE PROBLEMS.





#### SAMPLE RIGHT TRIANGLE PROBLEMS



A.) 
$$\sin \emptyset = \frac{B/A}{C}$$
  
B.)  $\cos \emptyset = \frac{C/A}{C}$   
C.)  $\tan \emptyset = B/C$ 



Find the values to the nearest tenth of:

A.) 
$$\overline{XY} = \underline{11.5}$$
  
B.)  $\overline{YZ} = \underline{23.1}$ 



#### **APPLICATIONS:**



To avoid a steep descent, a plane flying at 30,000 ft. starts its descent 130 miles away from the airport. For the angle of descent ø, to be constant, at what angle should the plane descend?









# An observer 5.2 km from a launch pad observes a rocket ascending.

A. At a particular time the angle of elevation is 37 degrees. How high is the rocket?

B. How far is the observer from the rocket?

C. What will the angle of elevation be when the rocket reaches 30 km?





375.2
A. Tan 37 = <u>A</u>
5.2
B. Cos 37 = <u>5.2</u>
B

$$T_{\text{A}} = 30 = 30 = 5.2$$

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# A ship sails 340 kilometers on a bearing of 75 degrees.

A. How far north of its original position is the ship?B. How far east of its original position is the ship?







# A. $\cos 75 = \frac{A}{340}$

# **B.** Sin 75 = $\frac{B}{340}$









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