

# Chapter Practice

## Chapter 14

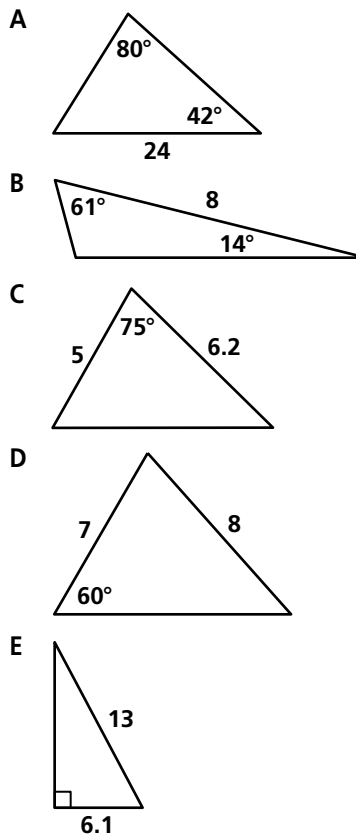
For Exercises 1–8, choose the correct letter.

- Which of the following are the solutions of  $-2 \sin \theta = 1$  in the interval from 0 to  $2\pi$ ?
  - $\theta = 3.66, 5.76$
  - $\theta = 3, 5$
  - $\theta = 0, 2\pi$
  - $\theta = -4, -6$
  - none of the above
- Two airplanes leave the same airport at 2 P.M. One plane flies northwest at 600 mi/h and the other due south at 700 mi/h. Which of the following distances is how far apart the planes are at 4 P.M.?
  - 600 mi
  - 700 mi
  - 1200 mi
  - 1300 mi
  - 2400 mi
- In right triangle  $ABC$ ,  $\cos A = \frac{3}{5}$ . What is  $\tan A$ ?
 

A $\frac{4}{3}$	B $\frac{3}{4}$
C $\frac{4}{5}$	D $\frac{5}{4}$
- Simplify  $\frac{\sec^2 x - \tan^2 x}{\sin x}$ .
 

A $\csc x$	B $\sec x$
C $\cos x$	D not here

- The Law of Sines cannot be used with one of these triangles. Which one?



- Compare the values in Column A and Column B. Choose the best answer.

**Column A**

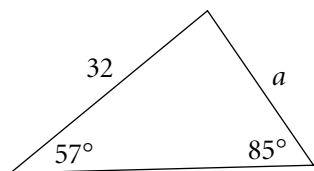
**Column B**

the angle measure  $\sin^{-1}(0.6)$

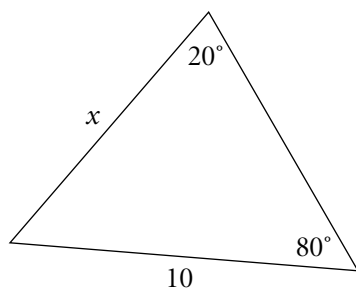
the angle measure  $\tan^{-1}(0.8)$

- The value in Column A is greater.
- The value in Column B is greater.
- The two values are equal.
- The relationship cannot be determined on the basis of the information supplied.

7. Which of the following is the measure of side  $a$  for this triangle? Round your answer to the nearest whole number.



- A 4                      B 21  
C 27                     D 151
8. Which of the following is the measure of side  $x$  in this triangle? Round your answer to the nearest whole number.



- A 40                      B 30  
C 29                     D none of these

For Exercises 9–19, write your answer.

9. Use the Law of Sines to find  $m\angle A$  if  $a = 4$ ,  $b = 6$ , and  $m\angle B = 120^\circ$ . Round your answer to the nearest hundredth.
10. Simplify  $\frac{\cos^2 x}{1 - \sin x}$ .
11. Use angle identities to find the exact value of  $\cos 225^\circ$ .
12. Show that  $\cos(A + B) = \cos A + \cos B$  is not an identity by finding values for  $A$  and  $B$  for which the equation is false.

13. **Open-Ended** Verify the identity  $\cot^2 x - \cos^2 x = \cot^2 x \cdot \cos^2 x$ .

14. In right triangle  $ABC$ ,  $\cos A = \frac{1}{3}$ . The longest side of the triangle has length 15 units. Find the length of the shortest side.

15. Find  $m\angle A$  if  $a = 14$ ,  $b = 8$ , and  $c = 12$ . Round your answer to the nearest tenth.

16. Find the value of  $\cos 70^\circ \cos 20^\circ - \sin 20^\circ \sin 70^\circ$ .

17. **Writing** In a right triangle you know the sine of one angle is  $\frac{4}{5}$ . Explain how to find the cosine and tangent of this angle.

18. Prove that for all  $\theta$ ,  $(\cos \theta)^2 + (\sin \theta)^2 = 1$

19. Prove that for all  $\theta$ ,  $(1 + (\tan \theta)^2)(\cos \theta)^2 = 1$