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USE A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER FOR THESE PROBLEMS.

Be sure to draw a picture and write an equation for each problem. Round to the nearest 10th.

- 1. Standing across the street 50 feet from a building, the angle of elevation to the top of the building is 40° . An antenna sits on the front edge of the roof of the building. The angle of elevation to the top of the antenna is 52° .
- (a) How tall is the building?
- (b) How tall is the antenna itself, not including the height of the building?
- 2. A tower 250 meters high casts a shadow 176 meters long. Find the angle of elevation of the sun.
- 3. The angle of depression from the top of a building 25 feet tall to a fire hydrant on the street directly in front of the building is 39.7° . Find the distance from the building to the fire hydrant.
- 4. Susie's house is 12 miles east and 7 miles south of the high school. What bearing should Susie take if she walks from her house directly to the school?
- 5. A helicopter hovers 800 feet directly above a small island that is off the California coast. From the helicopter, the pilot takes a sighting to a point on the mainland at the water's edge. If the angle of depression to the point on the shoreline is 35° , how far off the coast is the island?
- 6. A lamp post is 10 feet tall and casts a shadow. The distance from the top of the lamp post to the tip of the shadow is 20 feet. What is the angle of elevation?
- 7. Given an isosceles triangle with legs of length 18.8 cm and base angles of 62° . Find: (a) the length of the base of the isosceles triangle and (b) the measure of the vertex angle.
- 8. Determine the angle of elevation from a point on the ground 40 feet from the base of a vertical tower if the tower has a height of 84 feet.
- 9. A ship leaves the port of Miami with a speed of 17 knots and travels due east of Miami for 2 hours. After 2 hours, the captain heads due north at the same speed for $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours. What bearing should the ship follow if the captain then wants to sail directly back to Miami?

- 10. One leg of a right triangle measures 20 cm and the hypotenuse measures 25 cm. Find the measure of the smallest angle of the right triangle.
- 11. A clock tower casts a shadow 63 feet long when the angle of elevation to the sun is $12^{0}42'$. Find the height of the clock tower.
- 12. The vertex angle of an isosceles triangle is 74° and the triangle's legs are each 17 inches long. Find the length of the altitude to the base of the triangle.
- 13. A homeowner needs to construct a ramp to his front door to make it wheelchair accessible. How long will the ramp be if the door is 4 feet above ground level and the angle of elevation is 20.4° ?
- 14. The legs of an isosceles triangle measure 220 cm and the base measures 275 cm. Find the measure of the vertex angle of the triangle.
- 15. A man on the top of a cliff 1237 feet above sea level sees two ships due west of the foot of the cliff. The angles of depression to the two ships are 56.2° and 32.8° . Find the distance between the ships.
- 16. An equilateral triangle has an altitude of 8.73 in. Find the perimeter of the triangle.
- 17. A jeep leaves a campsite on an off road trip traveling 48 mph with a bearing of $E29.3^{\circ}5$. Determine the distance the jeep has traveled east and the distance he has traveled south after 45 minutes.
- 18. Find the area of an isosceles triangle if one base angle measures 32.40 and one leg measures 14.1 cm.