MAC 1114 Practice Test #1 Chapters 1-2 Lial

1. Find an angle supplementary to 37°30' Answer: 142°30'

2. Find the angle of smallest possible positive angle coterminal with 530° Answers: 170°

3. A pulley rotates at 450 rpm. How many revolutions does the pulley make in one second? Answer: 7.5

4. A pulley rotates through 60° in one second. How many rotations does the pulley make in one minute? Answer: 10 rotations

5. In the diagram below, triangle ABC is similar to triangle ADE. Find the length of the side AC.



Answer: 10

6. Use cofunctions identities to find the solution of cos θ = sin 50. Assume θ is acute. Answer: θ =15°

7. Find the coordinates of the point P on the circle of radius 2, if the central angle is 60°.



Answer: (1, $-\sqrt{3}$)

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8. In the triangle pictured below, $\cos(\theta) = 0.712$. What is the length of *a* to the nearest tenth?



Answer: a = 10.7

9. A painter needs to reach a ladder to a point 6.5 meters up the side of a house. If the ladder is to make a 55° angle with the ground, how long must the ladder be?

Answer: 7.9 meters

10. Solve the triangle pictured in the figure below. Give θ to the nearest degree.

Answer: $\theta = 31^{\circ}, a = 21.71$

11. The point $(-\sqrt{3}, -2)$ is on the terminal side of an angle θ . Find the exact value of $\cos \theta$.

Answer: $\cos \theta = -\sqrt{3/7}$

12. If $\cos x = -2/5$ and $\sin <0$, find $\tan x$ exactly.

Answer: $\tan x = \sqrt{21}/2$

13. Find the following trigonometric ratios of the triangle:



Ans: $\cos \theta = 3/5$, $\tan (90^{\circ} - \alpha) = 4/3$, $\csc \theta = 5/4$, $\cot \theta = 3/4 \tan \alpha = 3/4$ sec $(90^{\circ} - \theta) = 5/4$

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14. The angle of depression from the top of a tall building to the top of a shorter building is 40°. The angle of depression from the top of a tall building to the base of the shorter building is 65°. If the shorter building is 150 feet tall, what is the distance between the two buildings? How high is the tall building? Answer: Distance 115ft. (110ft to two significant digits); height 246ft (250ft to two significant digits)



15. An observer is located at the origin of a coordinate system. Find the bearing of an object located at the point $(-1, \sqrt{3})$. You must express your answer using the two ways of describing bearings discussed in book. Answers: 330°; W 60 N

16. From one point on the ground, the angle of elevation to the top of a tree is measured at 37°. From another point 25 feet closer, the angle of elevation is 48°. How tall is the tree? Answer: 59 feet



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