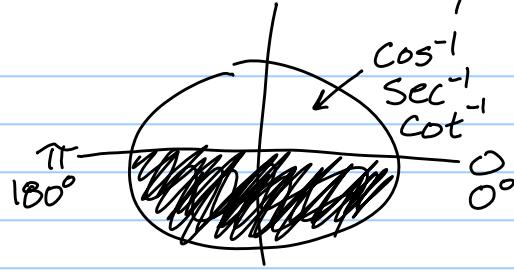
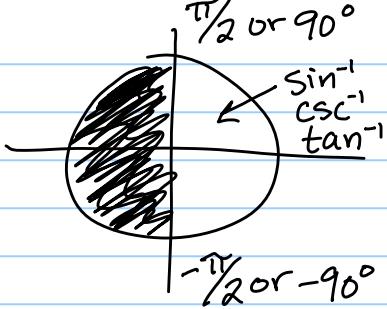


Precalculus - Unit 6 Review Key



1. $\tan^{-1}(0) = \boxed{0}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = 0$ +

2. $\arcsin(\sqrt{3}/2) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{3}}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = \frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2}$ +

3. $\sec^{-1}(-\sqrt{2}) = \boxed{4}$
 $= \cos^{-1}(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$
 $= \cos^{-1}(-\sqrt{2}/2) = \boxed{3\pi/4}$

4. $\arctan(-\sqrt{3}) = \boxed{-\frac{\pi}{3}}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2}$ N

5. $\sec^{-1}(\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}) = \boxed{1}$
 $= \sec^{-1}(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}})$
 $= \cos^{-1}(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}}$

6. $\cos^{-1}(-1) = \boxed{\pi}$ +

7. $\cot^{-1}(0) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{2}}$
 $\frac{x}{y} = 0$ +

8. $\arcsin(-\sqrt{2}/2) = \boxed{-\frac{\pi}{4}}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}/2}{1/2}$ N

9. $\text{arccsc}(-2) = \arcsin(-\frac{1}{2}) = \boxed{-\frac{\pi}{6}}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = -\frac{1}{2}$ N

10. $\cos^{-1}(-\frac{1}{2}) = \boxed{120^\circ}$
 $\frac{x}{y} = -\frac{1/2}{1/2}$ N

11. $\arctan(1) = \boxed{45^\circ}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = 1 \quad \frac{\sqrt{2}/2}{\sqrt{2}/2}$ +

12. $\cot^{-1}(-\sqrt{3}) = \boxed{150^\circ}$
 $\frac{x}{y} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2}$ N

13. $\arcsin(1/2) = \boxed{30^\circ}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = \frac{1/2}{1/2}$ +

14. $\text{arcsec}(2) = \text{arccos}(1/2) = \boxed{60^\circ}$ +

15. $\cos^{-1}(1) = \boxed{0^\circ}$
 $\frac{x}{y} = 1$ +

16. $\arctan(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}) = \arctan(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}) = \boxed{-30^\circ}$
 $\frac{y}{x} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2}$ N

$$17. \csc^{-1}(-\sqrt{2})$$
$$= \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

$$= \sin^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = [-45^\circ]$$

$$18. \arcsin(-1) = [-90^\circ]$$

$$19. \arccos(\cos(\frac{11\pi}{6}))$$

$$= \arccos(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) \leftarrow \text{in QI}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$20. \tan^{-1}(\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}))$$

$$= \tan^{-1}(1) = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\frac{y}{x} = 1$$

$$21. \cot(\sec^{-1}(-2))$$
$$= \cot(\cos^{-1}(-\frac{1}{2}))$$

$$= \cot(\frac{2\pi}{3})$$

$$= \boxed{-1/\sqrt{3} \text{ or } -\sqrt{3}/3}$$

$$22. \tan(\cos^{-1}(\frac{8}{17})) = \boxed{\frac{15}{8}}$$

↑
What is $\tan \theta$? $\cos \theta = 8/17$
 θ is between 0 & π

$y = \sqrt{17^2 - 8^2} = 15$
 $\tan \theta = \frac{15}{8}$

$$23. \sin(\operatorname{arccot}(-12/5))$$

↑
What is $\cot \theta = -12/5$
 θ is between 0 & π

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

$$\sin \theta = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$24. \csc(\tan^{-1}(x))$$

↑
What is $\tan \theta = \frac{x}{1}$ $\frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}}$
is $\csc \theta$?

$$\csc \theta = \frac{\text{hyp}}{\text{opp}} = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{x^2+1}}{x}}$$

$$\text{hyp} = \sqrt{x^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$$

$$25. \sec(\arcsin(x/2))$$

↑
What is $\sin \theta = \frac{x}{2}$ $\frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}}$
Sec θ ?

$$\text{leg} = \sqrt{\text{hyp}^2 - \text{leg}^2}$$

$$\text{leg} = \sqrt{2^2 - x^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4 - x^2}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{\text{hyp}}{\text{adj}} = \boxed{\frac{2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}}$$

$$26. \cos(\sin^{-1}(4x))$$

↑
What is $\sin \theta = \frac{4x}{1}$ $\frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}}$
Cos θ ?

$$\text{leg} = \sqrt{\text{hyp}^2 - \text{leg}^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1^2 - (4x)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - 16x^2}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \boxed{\sqrt{1 - 16x^2}}$$

$$27. 2 \cos \theta - 1 = 0$$
$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + 2\pi k \text{ or } \theta = \frac{5\pi}{3} + 2\pi k$$

$$28. 2 \cos^2 \theta + \cos(2\theta) = 0$$

$$2 \cos^2 \theta + 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 = 0$$

$$4 \cos^2 \theta - 1 = 0$$

$$\sqrt{\cos^2 \theta} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\cos \theta = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + \pi k \text{ or } \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} + \pi k$$

You can also write
as 4 angles
with $\pi/2\pi k$

29. $\tan\left(\frac{\theta}{4}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$
 $\tan\left(\frac{\theta}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ $\frac{1/2}{\sqrt{3}/2}$

$4\left(\frac{\theta}{4}\right) = (30^\circ + 180^\circ k)(4)$

$\boxed{\theta = 120^\circ + 720^\circ k}$

30. $\sin\theta \tan\theta - \sin\theta = 0$
 $\sin\theta (\tan\theta - 1) = 0$
 $\sin\theta = 0 \quad \tan\theta = 1$

$\boxed{\theta = 0^\circ + 180^\circ k \text{ or } \theta = 45^\circ + 180^\circ k}$

31. $3\cos x = 2\cos^2 x + 1$
 $2\cos^2 x - 3\cos x + 1 = 0$
 $u = \cos x$
 $2u^2 - 3u + 1 = 0$ $2(1) = 2$ ← mult to 2
 $2u^2 - 2u - u + 1 = 0$ add to -3
 $2u(u-1) - 1(u-1) = 0$ $-2 \neq -1$
 $(u-1)(2u-1) = 0$
 $u = 1 \quad u = \frac{1}{2}$
 $\cos x = 1 \quad \cos x = \frac{1}{2}$

$\boxed{x = 360^\circ k \text{ or } x = 60^\circ + 360^\circ k \text{ or } x = 300^\circ + 360^\circ k}$

33. $1 + \sin x = -\cos x$
 $(1 + \sin x)^2 = (-\cos x)^2$
 $1 + 2\sin x + \sin^2 x = \cos^2 x$
 $1 + 2\sin x + \sin^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$
 $-1 \quad + \sin^2 x \quad -1 + \sin^2 x$
 $2\sin x + 2\sin^2 x = 0$
 $2\sin x(1 + \sin x) = 0$
 $\sin x = 0 \quad \sin x = -1$

$x = 0 \quad x = \pi \quad x = \frac{3\pi}{2}$

32. $\sqrt{3} \sin\theta = \sin(2\theta)$
 $\sqrt{3} \sin\theta = 2\sin\theta \cos\theta$
 $0 = 2\sin\theta \cos\theta - \sqrt{3} \sin\theta$
 $0 = \sin\theta(2\cos\theta - \sqrt{3})$
 $\sin\theta = 0 \quad \cos\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$\boxed{\{0, \pi, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}\}}$

squared both sides → check answers!

$1 + \sin 0 \stackrel{?}{=} -\cos 0 \rightarrow 1 + 0 \neq -1$

$1 + \sin \pi \stackrel{?}{=} -\cos \pi \rightarrow 1 + 0 = -(-1) \checkmark$

$1 + \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) \stackrel{?}{=} -\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) \rightarrow 1 + (-1) = -(-1) \checkmark$

$\boxed{\{\pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\}}$

34. $\sin x \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) - \cos x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$
 $\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$
 $x - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\pi}{6} + 2\pi k \text{ or } x - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{5\pi}{6} + 2\pi k$
 $+ \frac{\pi}{3} \quad + \frac{\pi}{3}$
 $\boxed{\{\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{6}\}}$



35. $\frac{\cos(3\theta)}{\sin(3\theta)} = \frac{\sqrt{3} \sin(3\theta)}{\sin(3\theta)}$ ~~1~~

 $\cot(3\theta) = \sqrt{3}$ ~~$\frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/2}$~~ ~~x~~
 $\frac{3\theta}{3} = \frac{30^\circ + 180^\circ k}{3}$
 $\theta = 10^\circ + 60^\circ k$

$\boxed{\{10^\circ, 70^\circ, 130^\circ, 190^\circ, 250^\circ, 310^\circ\}}$

36. $0 = \sin(2x) - \sin^2(2x) + \cos^2(2x)$

 $0 = \sin(2x) - \sin^2(2x) + 1 - \sin^2(2x)$
 $0 = -2\sin^2(2x) + \sin(2x) + 1$
 $2\sin^2(2x) - \sin(2x) - 1 = 0$
 $u = \sin(2x)$
 $2u^2 - u - 1 = 0$
 $2(-1) = -2 \leftarrow \text{mult to } -2$
 $u(-1) + 1(u-1) = 0 \leftarrow \text{add to } -1$
 $-2+1$
 $2u^2 - 2u + u - 1 = 0$
 $2u(u-1) + 1(u-1) = 0$
 $(u-1)(2u+1) = 0$
 $u = 1 \quad u = -\frac{1}{2}$
 $\sin(2x) = 1 \quad \sin(2x) = -\frac{1}{2}$

~~+~~ ~~+~~

$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{90^\circ + 360^\circ k}{2}$ or $\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{210^\circ + 360^\circ k}{2}$ or $\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{330^\circ + 360^\circ k}{2}$

 $x = 45^\circ + 180^\circ k$ or $x = 105^\circ + 180^\circ k$ or $x = 165^\circ + 180^\circ k$

$\boxed{\{45^\circ, 225^\circ, 105^\circ, 285^\circ, 165^\circ, 345^\circ\}}$

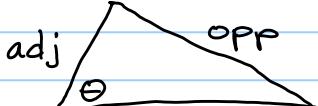
37. Draw the angle in standard position & label the terminal side with the adjacent side measurement.
 Don't label the bottom or draw the opposite side yet.

To figure out how many triangles,
 Think, "Where will the opposite side fit?"

For acute angles

Case 1: If the opposite side is longer than the adjacent side, it only fits off to the right. (If you put it to the left, you'd no longer have θ .) That means there's one triangle

$\boxed{\text{Opp} > \text{adj}}$



~~Opp~~ ~~adj~~ $\theta \leftarrow \text{isn't in triangle anymore!}$

If the opposite side isn't longer than the adjacent side, draw & find the height of the triangle.

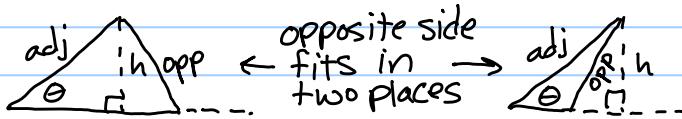
$$\sin \theta = \frac{h}{\text{adj}} \rightarrow h = \text{adj} \sin \theta$$

Case 2: If the opposite side is shorter than the height, it's too short to touch the base, & you can't make a triangle.

$\text{opp} < \text{height}$
no \triangle

Case 3: If the opposite side has a length between the height & the adjacent side, then it will fit between them or to the right, so you can make two triangles.

opp between height & adj
2 \triangle s



For obtuse angles

Case 1: If the opposite side is longer than the adjacent side, it's long enough to touch the base. There's one triangle.

$\text{opp} > \text{adj}$
1 \triangle

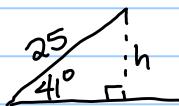


Case 2: If the opposite side is shorter than the adjacent side, it will be too short to touch the base, so no triangle will be possible.

Obtuse angle
$\text{opp} < \text{adj}$
no \triangle



38. $\gamma = 41^\circ$ $b = 25$ $c = 17$
 adj opp



$$\sin 41^\circ = \frac{h}{25}$$

$$h = 25 \sin 41^\circ \approx 16.4$$

opp btwn height & adj

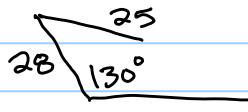
$2 \triangle$ s

39. $\beta = 102^\circ$ $b = 34$ $c = 31$
 opp adj



1 \triangle

40. $\alpha = 130^\circ$ $a = 25$ $c = 28$
 opp adj



$\text{opp} < \text{adj}$

no Δ

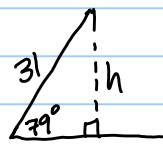
41. $\gamma = 82^\circ$ $b = 33$ $c = 37$
 adj opp



$\text{opp} > \text{adj}$

1 Δ

42. $\alpha = 79^\circ$ $c = 31$ $a = 24$
 adj opp



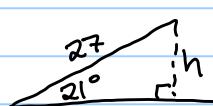
$$\sin 79^\circ = \frac{h}{31}$$

$$h = 31 \sin 79^\circ \approx 30.4$$

$\text{opp} < \text{height}$

no Δ

43. $\beta = 21^\circ$ $a = 27$ $b = 16$
 adj opp



$$\sin 21^\circ = \frac{h}{27}$$

$$h = 27 \sin 21^\circ \approx 9.7$$

$\text{opp btwn height \& adj}$

2 Δ s

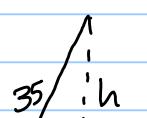
44. $\gamma = 70^\circ$ $c = 29$ $b = 26$
 opp adj



$\text{opp} > \text{adj}$

1 Δ

45. $\alpha = 84^\circ$ $a = 30$ $c = 35$
 opp adj



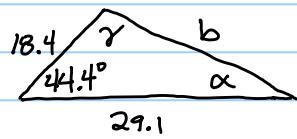
$$\sin 84^\circ = \frac{h}{35}$$

$$h = 35 \sin 84^\circ \approx 34.8$$

$\text{opp} < \text{height}$

no Δ

46. $a = 18.4$ $\beta = 44.4^\circ$ $c = 29.1$



$$b^2 = 18.4^2 + 29.1^2 - 2(18.4)(29.1) \cos 44.1^\circ$$

$$b^2 \approx 420.25$$

$$b \approx 20.5$$

γ might be obtuse, so don't use Law of Sines to go for γ . Go for α first.

$$\frac{\sin 44.4^\circ}{20.5} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{18.4}$$

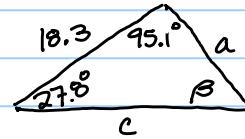
$$\sin \alpha = \frac{18.4 \sin 44.4^\circ}{20.5} \approx .6280$$

$$\alpha \approx 38.9^\circ$$

$$\gamma = 180^\circ - (44.4^\circ + 38.9^\circ)$$

$$\gamma \approx 96.7^\circ$$

47. $\alpha = 27.8^\circ$ $\gamma = 95.1^\circ$ $b = 18.3$



$$\beta = 180^\circ - (27.8^\circ + 95.1^\circ)$$

$$\beta = 57.1^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin 57.1^\circ}{18.3} = \frac{\sin 27.8^\circ}{a}$$

$$\frac{a \sin 57.1^\circ}{\sin 57.1^\circ} = \frac{18.3 \sin 27.8^\circ}{\sin 57.1^\circ}$$

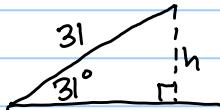
$$a \approx 10.2$$

$$\frac{\sin 57.1^\circ}{18.3} = \frac{\sin 95.1^\circ}{c}$$

$$\frac{c \sin 57.1^\circ}{\sin 57.1^\circ} = \frac{18.3 \sin 95.1^\circ}{\sin 57.1^\circ}$$

$$c \approx 21.7$$

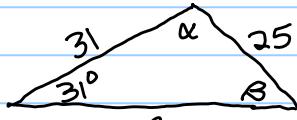
$$48. \gamma = 31^\circ \quad b = \frac{\text{adj}}{31} \quad c = \frac{\text{opp}}{25}$$



$$\sin 31^\circ = \frac{h}{31}$$

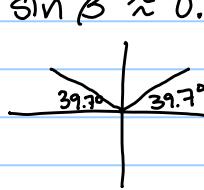
$$h = 31 \sin 31^\circ \approx 16.0$$

opp btwn h & adj
in ΔS



$$\frac{\sin 31^\circ}{25} = \frac{\sin \beta}{31}$$

$$\sin \beta = \frac{31 \sin 31^\circ}{25}$$



$$\sin \beta \approx 0.6386$$

$$\beta = \sin^{-1}(0.6386)$$

$$[\beta \approx 39.7^\circ]$$

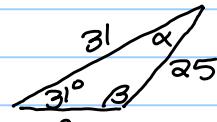
$$\alpha = 180^\circ - (31^\circ + 39.7^\circ)$$

$$[\alpha \approx 109.3^\circ]$$

$$\frac{\sin 31^\circ}{25} = \frac{\sin 109.3^\circ}{a}$$

$$\frac{a \sin 31^\circ}{\sin 31^\circ} = \frac{25 \sin 109.3^\circ}{\sin 31^\circ}$$

$$[a \approx 45.8]$$



$$\beta = 180^\circ - 39.7^\circ$$

$$[\beta \approx 140.3^\circ]$$

$$\alpha = 180^\circ - (31^\circ + 140.3^\circ)$$

$$[\alpha \approx 8.7^\circ]$$

$$\frac{\sin 31^\circ}{25} = \frac{\sin 8.7^\circ}{a}$$

$$\frac{a \sin 31^\circ}{\sin 31^\circ} = \frac{25 \sin 8.7^\circ}{\sin 31^\circ}$$

$$[a \approx 7.3]$$

$$49. \quad a = 11 \quad b = 10 \quad c = 17$$



$$17^2 = 11^2 + 10^2 - 2(11)(10) \cos \gamma$$

$$289 = 221 - 220 \cos \gamma$$

$$\frac{68}{-220} = \frac{-220 \cos \gamma}{-220}$$

$$\cos \gamma \approx -0.309$$

$$[\gamma \approx 108.0^\circ]$$

$$\frac{\sin 108.0^\circ}{17} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{11}$$

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{11 \sin 108.0^\circ}{17} \approx 0.6154$$

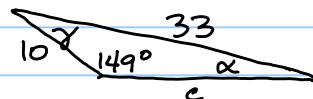
$$[\alpha \approx 38.0^\circ]$$

$$\beta = 180^\circ - (108.0^\circ + 38.0^\circ)$$

$$[\beta \approx 34.0^\circ]$$

$$50. \quad \beta = 149^\circ \quad a = \frac{\text{adj}}{10} \quad b = \frac{\text{opp}}{33}$$

opp > adj $\Rightarrow 1 \Delta$



$$\frac{\sin 149^\circ}{33} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{10}$$

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{10 \sin 149^\circ}{33} \approx 0.1561$$

$$[\alpha \approx 9.0]$$

$$\gamma = 180^\circ - (149^\circ + 9.0^\circ)$$

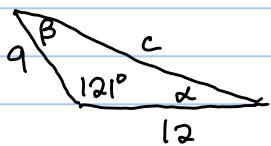
$$[\gamma \approx 22.0^\circ]$$

$$\frac{\sin 149^\circ}{33} = \frac{\sin 22.0^\circ}{c}$$

$$\frac{c \sin 149^\circ}{\sin 149^\circ} = \frac{33 \sin 22.0^\circ}{\sin 149^\circ}$$

$$[c \approx 24.0]$$

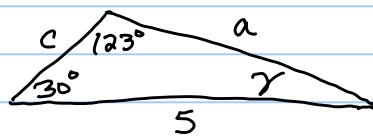
51. $a = 9$ $b = 12$ $\gamma = 121^\circ$



$$A = \frac{1}{2} (9)(12) \sin 121^\circ$$

$$A \approx 46.3 \text{ un}^2$$

52. $\alpha = 30^\circ$ $\beta = 123^\circ$ $b = 5$



$$\gamma = 180^\circ - (30^\circ + 123^\circ)$$

$$\gamma = 27^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin 123^\circ}{5} = \frac{\sin 27^\circ}{c}$$

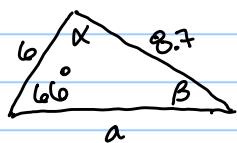
$$\frac{c \sin 123^\circ}{\sin 123^\circ} = \frac{5 \sin 27^\circ}{\sin 123^\circ}$$

$$c \approx 2.7$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} (2.7)(5) \sin 30^\circ$$

$$A \approx 3.4 \text{ un}^2$$

53. $\gamma = 66^\circ$ $b = 6$ $c = 8.7$
 $\text{opp} > \text{adj} \Rightarrow 1 \Delta$



$$\frac{\sin 66^\circ}{8.7} = \frac{\sin \beta}{6}$$

$$\sin \beta = \frac{6 \sin 66^\circ}{8.7} \approx .6300$$

$$\beta \approx 39.1^\circ$$

$$\alpha = 180^\circ - (66^\circ + 39.1^\circ)$$

$$\alpha \approx 74.9^\circ$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} (6)(8.7) \sin 74.9^\circ$$

$$A \approx 25.2 \text{ un}^2$$

54. $a = 4$ $b = 8$ $c = 10$

$$S = \frac{4+8+10}{2} = 11$$

$$A = \sqrt{11(11-4)(11-8)(11-10)}$$

$$A = \sqrt{231}$$

$$A \approx 15.2 \text{ un}^2$$

55. $a = 4.5$ $b = 6$ $c = 8.7$

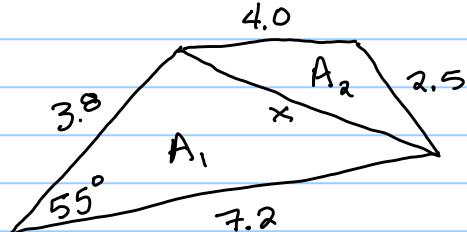
$$S = \frac{4.5+6+8.7}{2} = 9.6$$

$$A = \sqrt{9.6(9.6-4.5)(9.6-6)(9.6-8.7)}$$

$$A = \sqrt{158.6304}$$

$$A \approx 12.6 \text{ un}^2$$

56.



$$A_1 = \frac{1}{2} (3.8)(7.2) \sin 55^\circ$$

$$A_1 \approx 11.2 \text{ un}^2$$

$$x^2 = 3.8^2 + 7.2^2 - 2(3.8)(7.2) \cos(55^\circ)$$

$$x^2 \approx 34.89$$

$$x \approx 5.9$$

$$S = \frac{(4.0+2.5+5.9)}{2} \approx 6.2$$

$$A_2 \approx \sqrt{6.2(6.2-4.0)(6.2-2.5)(6.2-5.9)}$$

$$A_2 \approx 3.9 \text{ un}^2$$

$$A \approx 11.2 + 3.9$$

$$A \approx 15.1 \text{ un}^2$$

