

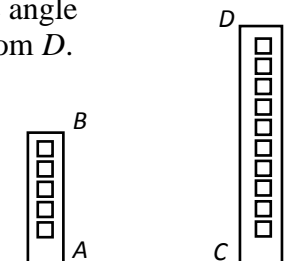
## Applications of Trigonometry

### Multiple Choice Question

**1. [14-15 Final Exam #10]**

In the figure,  $AB$  and  $CD$  are the heights of two buildings on the same level ground. If  $AB = 9$  m,  $AC = 20$  m and the angle of elevation of  $D$  from  $A$  is  $50^\circ$ , find the angle of depression of  $B$  from  $D$ .

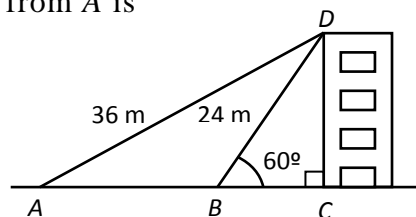
- A.  $21.3^\circ$
- B.  $24.2^\circ$
- C.  $36.6^\circ$
- D.  $53.4^\circ$



**2. [15-16 Final Exam #11]**

The angle of elevation of  $D$  from  $B$  is  $60^\circ$ . If the distance of  $D$  from  $A$  and  $B$  are 36 m and 24 m respectively, then the angle of elevation of  $D$  from  $A$  is

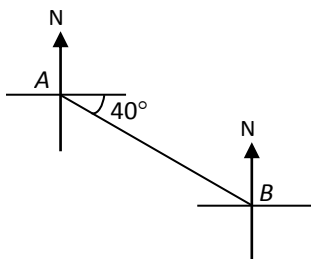
- A.  $35.3^\circ$ .
- B.  $49.1^\circ$ .
- C.  $54.7^\circ$ .
- D.  $70.5^\circ$ .



**3. [15-16 Final Exam #10]**

The compass bearing of  $A$  from  $B$  is

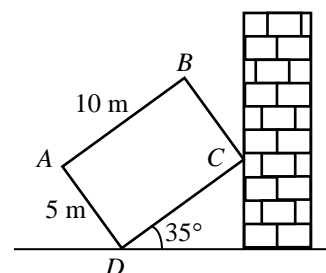
- A.  $N40^\circ W$ .
- B.  $N50^\circ W$ .
- C.  $W40^\circ N$ .
- D.  $W50^\circ N$ .



**4. [15-16 Final Exam #29]**

A rectangular box  $ABCD$  leans against a vertical wall as shown. Find the height of  $B$  from the ground.

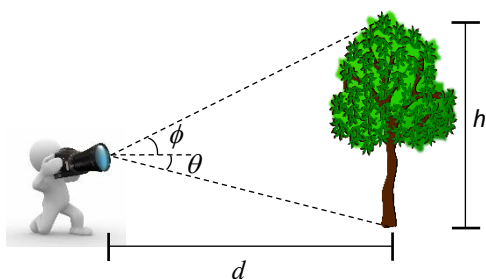
- A. 8.60 m
- B. 9.83 m
- C. 11.0 m
- D. 12.3 m



**5. [16-17 Final Exam #11]**

Find the inclination of a road with the gradient of 1:12.

- A.  $0.00145^\circ$
- B.  $0.0833^\circ$
- C.  $4.76^\circ$
- D.  $12^\circ$

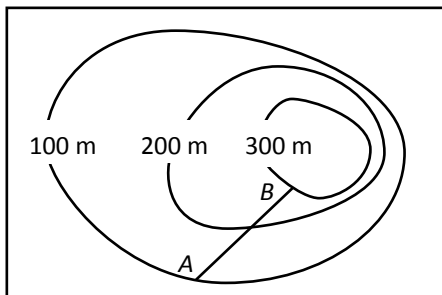
**6. [16-17 Final Exam #22]**

Refer to the figure,  $d =$

- A.  $\frac{h}{\tan \theta + \tan \phi}$ .
- B.  $\frac{h}{\frac{1}{\tan \theta} + \frac{1}{\tan \phi}}$ .
- C.  $h(\tan \theta + \tan \phi)$ .
- D.  $h\left(\frac{1}{\tan \theta} + \frac{1}{\tan \phi}\right)$ .

7. [17-18 Final Exam #9]

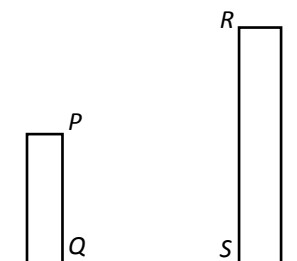
The figure shows part of a contour map drawn in the scale of 1 : 30 000. If road  $AB$  is 3 cm on the map, find the gradient of  $AB$ .



- A.  $\frac{2}{900}$
- B.  $\frac{1}{50}$
- C.  $\frac{1}{9}$
- D.  $\frac{2}{9}$

8. [17-18 Final Exam #20]

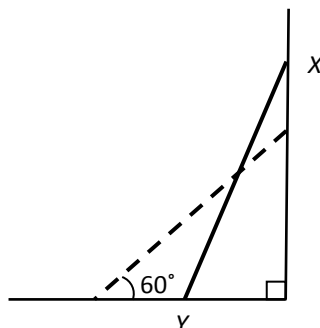
In the figure,  $PQ$  and  $RS$  are the heights of two buildings on the same level ground. If  $PQ = 45$  m,  $RS = 65$  m and the angle of depression of  $P$  from  $R$  is  $55^\circ$ , find the angle of elevation of  $R$  from  $Q$ .



- A.  $77.8^\circ$
- B.  $72.7^\circ$
- C.  $66.2^\circ$
- D.  $23.7^\circ$

9. [17-18 Final Exam #21]

A ladder  $XY$  is leaning against a vertical wall such that the angle between the ladder and the ground is  $a$ . The ladder then slides down such that the distance between the bottom of ladder and the wall is doubled the original distance and it makes an angle of  $60^\circ$  with the ground. Find  $a$  correct to 3 significant figures.



- A.  $64.3^\circ$
- B.  $75.0^\circ$
- C.  $75.5^\circ$
- D.  $80.4^\circ$

10. [18-19 Standardized Test 2, 9]

$A$  and  $B$  are two points on the ground such that  $AB = 40$  m. If the angle of elevation of the top of a building from  $A$  and  $B$  are  $31^\circ$  and  $62^\circ$  respectively, find the height of the building.

- A. 35.3 m
- B. 48.1 m
- C. 58.8 m
- D. 71.3 m

