

Right Triangles

Geometry Review Worksheets

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What is the Pythagorean Theorem?

What is the geometric mean between 3 and 77?

What is the geometric mean between 6 and 157?

Geometric means in a right triangle:

altitude to segment: hypotenuse to leg

What are some common right triangle lengths?

3 - 4 - 5
5 - 12 - 13
7 - 24 - 25
8 - 15 - 17

If the square of the longest side of a triangle is GREATER than the sum of the squares of the other two sides, then the triangle is an obtuse triangle.

If the square of the longest side of a triangle is LESS than the sum of the squares of the other two sides, then the triangle is an acute triangle.

Tan A = $\frac{opp}{adj} = \frac{y}{x}$
Sin A = $\frac{opp}{hyp} = \frac{y}{z}$
Cos A = $\frac{adj}{hyp} = \frac{x}{z}$

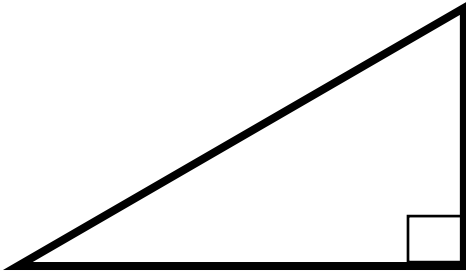
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These are a couple of review pages I made for my son. We have plenty of practice problems, but I wanted to be sure he knew all of the basic facts for this chapter.

If your student needs some extra practice with this material, this pdf is helpful (and has answers provided):

<http://swcontent.spokaneschools.org/cms/lib/WA01000970/Centricity/Domain/3459/Right%20Triangle%20Trig.%20Reveiw%20Packet.pdf>

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Write in: hypotenuse, leg

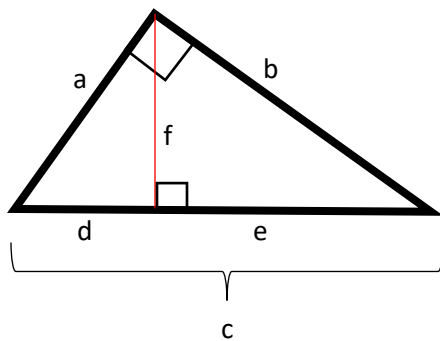
Draw in the altitude.

What is the Pythagorean Theorem?

What is the geometric mean between 3 and 7?

What is the geometric mean between 6 and 15?

Geometric means in a right triangle:



altitude to segments:

hypotenuse to leg

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What are some common right triangle lengths?

3 - -

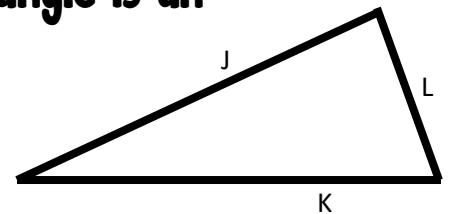
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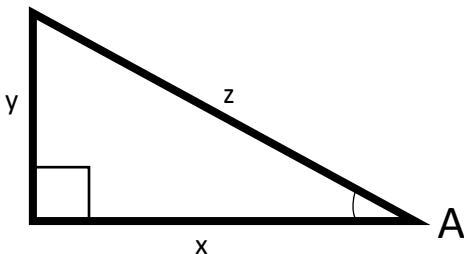
If the square of the longest side of a triangle is GREATER than the sum of the squares of the other two sides, then the triangle is an _____ triangle.

$$J^2 >$$



If the square of the longest side of a triangle is LESS than the sum of the squares of the other two sides, then the triangle is an _____ triangle.

$$J^2 <$$



$$\text{Tan } A = \frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

$$\text{Sin } A = \frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

$$\text{Cos } A = \frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

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$$\text{Sin } \theta =$$

$$\text{Cos } \theta =$$

$$\text{Tan } \theta =$$

S _____

O _____

H _____

C _____

A _____

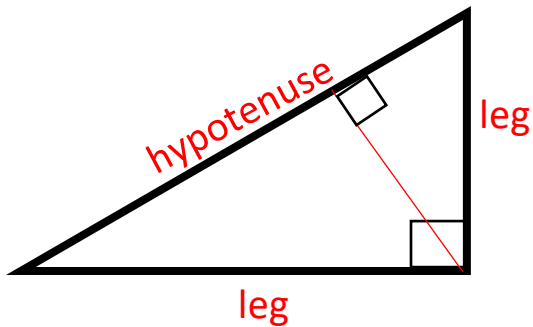
H _____

T _____

O _____

A _____

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Write in: hypotenuse, leg

Draw in the altitude.

What is the Pythagorean Theorem?

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

What is the geometric mean between 3 and 7?

$$\frac{3}{x} = \frac{x}{7}$$

$$21 = x^2$$

$$x = \sqrt{21}$$

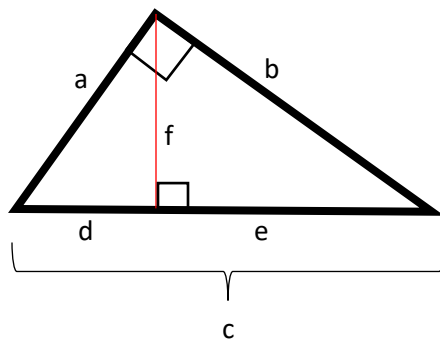
What is the geometric mean between 6 and 15?

$$\frac{6}{x} = \frac{x}{15}$$

$$90 = x^2$$

$$x = 3\sqrt{10}$$

Geometric means in a right triangle:



altitude to segments:

$$\frac{d}{f} = \frac{f}{e}$$

hypotenuse to leg

$$\frac{c}{a} = \frac{a}{d}$$

$$\frac{c}{b} = \frac{b}{e}$$

What are some common right triangle lengths?

3 - 4 - 5 (plus 6-8-10, 9-12-15, 12-16-20, etc.)

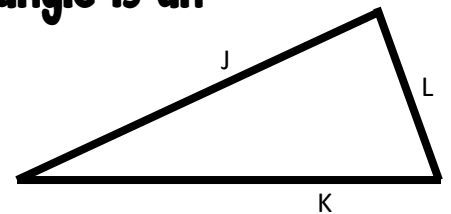
5 - 12 - 13 (plus 10-24-26, etc.)

7 - 24 - 25 (plus 14-48-50, etc.)

8 - 15 - 17 (plus 16-30-34, etc.)

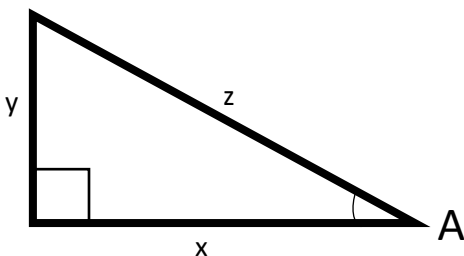
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$$J^2 > K^2 + L^2$$



If the square of the longest side of a triangle is LESS than the sum of the squares of the other two sides, then the triangle is an acute triangle.

$$J^2 < K^2 + L^2$$



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$$\text{Sin } A = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{y}{z}$$

$$\text{Cos } A = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{x}{z}$$

Remember this with the "word": SOH CAH TOA

$$\text{Sin} = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} \quad \text{Cos} = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} \quad \text{Tan} = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}}$$

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$$\text{Sin } \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}}$$

$$\text{Cos } \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}}$$

$$\text{Tan } \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}}$$

S sine

O opposite

H hypotenuse

C cosine

A adjacent

H hypotenuse

T tangent

O opposite

A adjacent