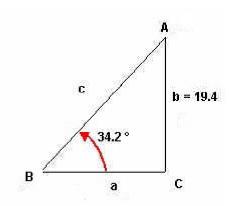


## PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS - RIGHT TRIANGLE TRIGONOMETRY Prepared by Ingrid Stewart, Ph.D., College of Southern Nevada Please Send Questions and Comments to ingrid.stewart@csn.edu. Thank you!

PLEASE NOTE THAT YOU CANNOT ALWAYS USE A CALCULATOR ON THE ACCUPLACER - COLLEGE-LEVEL MATHEMATICS TEST! YOU MUST BE ABLE TO DO SOME PROBLEMS WITHOUT A CALCULATOR!

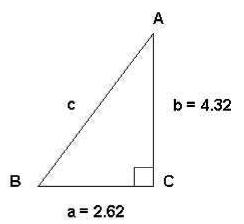
## Problem 1:

Solve the right triangle pictured below. That is, find all unknown sides and angles. Round the final solutions to one decimal place! Solve for angle  $\boldsymbol{A}$  first, then for side  $\boldsymbol{a}$ , and finally for side  $\boldsymbol{c}$ .



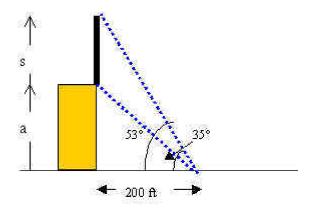
## **Problem 2:**

Solve the right triangle pictured below. Round the final solutions to two decimal places. Solve for angle  $\boldsymbol{A}$  first, then for Angle  $\boldsymbol{B}$ , and finally for side  $\boldsymbol{c}$ .



## **Problem 3:**

At a point 200 feet from the base of a building, the angle of elevation to the bottom of an antenna is  $35^{o}$ , and the angle of elevation to the top is  $53^{o}$ , as shown in the picture. Find the height s of the antenna rounded to one decimal place.



SOLUTIONS

125.4 ft

3.

You can find detailed solutions below the link for this problem set!

1. 
$$A = 55.8^{\circ}$$
,  $a \approx 28.5$ , and  $c$  2.  $A \approx 31.24^{\circ}$ ,  $B \approx 58.76^{\circ}$ , and  $c \approx 5.05$  ft