

1. In triangle  $RPQ$ ,

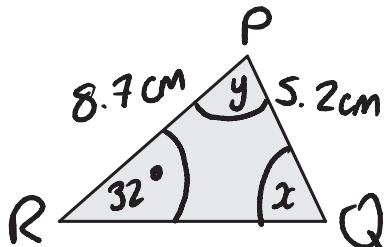
$$RP = 8.7 \text{ cm}$$

$$PQ = 5.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Angle } PRQ = 32^\circ$$

↑ angle <  $90^\circ$

- (a) Assuming that angle  $PQR$  is an acute angle,  
calculate the area of triangle  $RPQ$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.



Sine rule:

$$\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

$$\frac{\sin 32}{5.2} = \frac{\sin x}{8.7} \quad (1)$$

$$\sin x = 8.7 \times \frac{\sin 32}{5.2}$$

$$(1) \quad x = \sin^{-1} \left[ 8.7 \times \frac{\sin 32}{5.2} \right]$$

$$x = 62.44853188^\circ$$

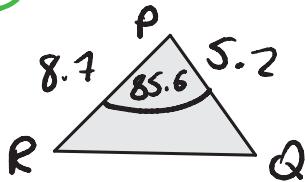
① work out angle Q

② work out angle P

$$\begin{aligned} y &= 180 - 32 - 62.448\ldots \\ &= 85.55146812^\circ \end{aligned}$$

③ calculate area

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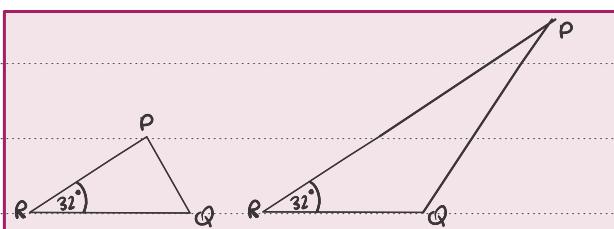


$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 5.2 \times 8.7 \times \sin(85.6) \\ &= 22.55185522 \\ &= 22.6 \text{ (3sf)} \end{aligned}$$

$$22.6 \quad (1) \quad \text{cm}^2$$

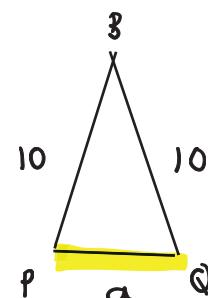
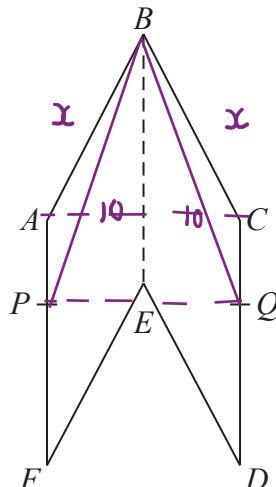
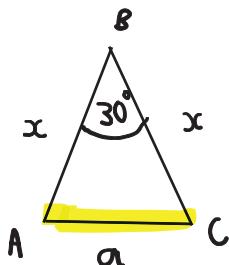
Area of triangle =  $\frac{1}{2}ab\sin(C)$

- (b) If you did not know that angle  $PQR$  is an acute angle, what effect would this have on your calculation of the area of triangle  $RPQ$ ?



We would need to work out the area of two triangles (one when Q is acute and one when obtuse). Since areas could differ (1)

2. The diagram shows a hexagon ABCDEF.



TWO CONGRUENT SHAPES  
ARE IDENTICAL IN SIZE  
AND SHAPE.

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A.$$

$ABEF$  and  $CBED$  are congruent parallelograms where  $AB = BC = x$  cm.

$P$  is the point on  $AF$  and  $Q$  is the point on  $CD$  such that  $BP = BQ = 10$  cm.

Given that angle  $\angle ABC = 30^\circ$ ,

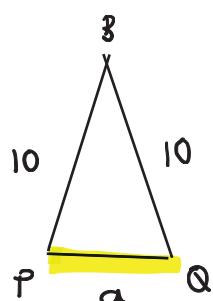
prove that  $\cos PBQ = 1 - \frac{(2 - \sqrt{3})x^2}{200}$  in terms of  $x$

$$\text{ABC: } a = a. \quad b = x. \quad c = x. \quad A = 30^\circ \quad \cos 30 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}. \quad ①$$

$$a^2 = x^2 + x^2 - (2 \times x \times x \times \cos 30)$$

$$a^2 = 2x^2 - 2x^2 \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right). \quad a^2 = 2x^2 - \frac{2x^2\sqrt{3}}{2}. \quad a^2 = 2x^2 - x^2\sqrt{3}.$$

$$a^2 = x^2(2 - \sqrt{3}). \quad ①$$



$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A.$$

$$a = a. \quad b = 10. \quad c = 10. \quad A = \angle PBQ$$

①

$$a^2 = 10^2 + 10^2 - (2 \times 10 \times 10 \times \cos PBQ).$$

$$x^2(2 - \sqrt{3}) = 200 - 200 \cos PBQ \quad ①$$

$$200 \cos PBQ + x^2(2 - \sqrt{3}) = 200. \quad 200 \cos PBQ = 200 - x^2(2 - \sqrt{3}).$$

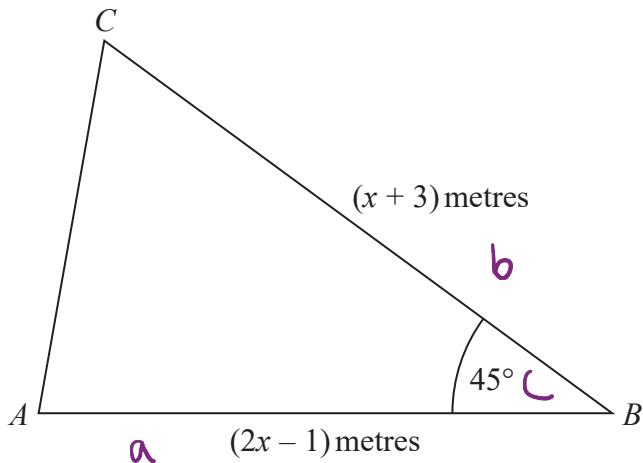
$$\cos PBQ = \frac{200 - x^2(2 - \sqrt{3})}{200}.$$

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$$\cos PBQ = \frac{200}{200} - \frac{x^2(2 - \sqrt{3})}{200}.$$

$$\cos PBQ = 1 - \frac{(2 - \sqrt{3})x^2}{200}. \quad ①$$

3.



The area of triangle  $ABC$  is  $6\sqrt{2}$  m<sup>2</sup>.

$$A = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C.$$

Calculate the value of  $x$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

$$6\sqrt{2} = \frac{1}{2} (2x-1)(x+3) \times (\sin 45^\circ) \quad (1)$$

$$6\sqrt{2} = \frac{1}{2} (2x^2 + 5x - 3) \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \quad (1)$$

$$\div \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \left( 24 = 2x^2 + 5x - 3 \right) \div \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

$$2x^2 + 5x - 3 = 24 \quad (1)$$

$$2x^2 + 5x - 27 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad (1)$$

$$a = 2, b = 5, c = -27$$

$$x = 2.63104\dots$$

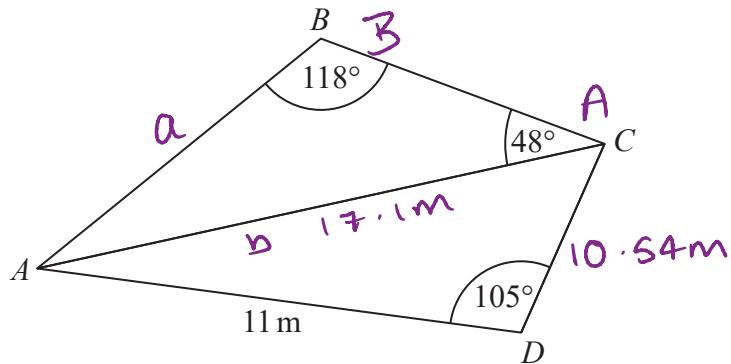
$$x = -5.131043\dots$$

(1)

$$x = 2.63$$

(Total for Question is 5 marks)

4.  $ABC$  and  $ADC$  are triangles.



The area of triangle  $ADC$  is  $56\text{m}^2$

Work out the length of  $AB$ .

Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$$

$$56 = \frac{1}{2} \times 11 \times CD \times \sin 105^\circ$$

$$56 = 5.313 \times CD$$

$$( \div 5.313) \quad ( \div 5.313)$$

$$10.54 = CD$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$AC^2 = 11^2 + 10.54^2 - 2 \times 11 \times 10.54 \times \cos 105^\circ$$

$$AC^2 = 292.107$$

$$\sqrt{AC^2} = \sqrt{292.107}$$

$$AC = 17.1\text{m}$$

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B}$$

$$\frac{AB}{\sin 48^\circ} = \frac{17.1}{\sin 118^\circ}$$

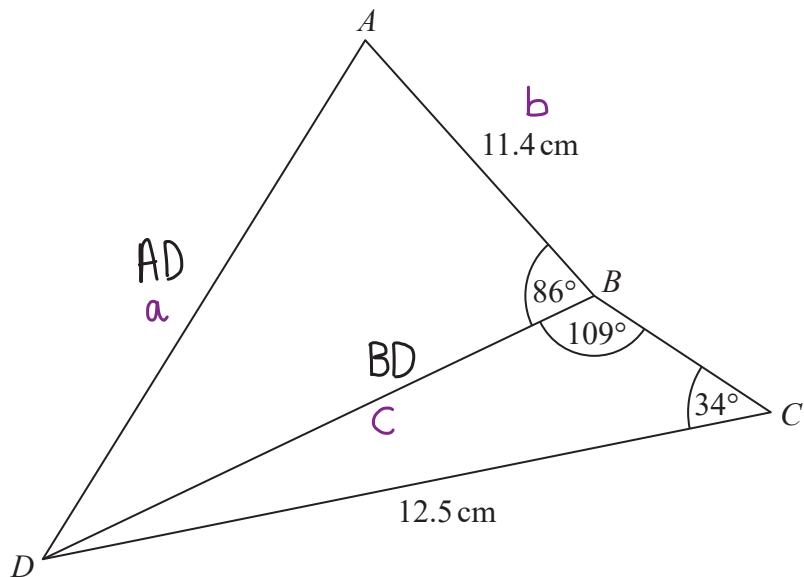
$$AB = \sin 48^\circ \left( \frac{17.1}{\sin 118^\circ} \right)$$

$$AB = 14.4\text{ m} \quad (1.\text{d}.p)$$

$$14.4 \text{ m}$$

(Total for Question is 5 marks)

5.

Work out the length of  $AD$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

Finding  $BD$  from triangle  $BCD$ :

2 angles, 2 sides

$$\text{Sine Rule } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B}$$

$$\frac{BD}{\sin(34)} = \frac{12.5}{\sin(109)} \quad (1)$$

$$BD = \frac{12.5}{\sin(109)} \times \sin(34)$$

$$BD = 7.39... \quad (1)$$

(use the exact value  
in the rest of the question)Finding  $AD$  from triangle  $ABD$ :

3 sides, 1 angle

$$\text{Cosine Rule } a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos(A)$$

$$(AD)^2 = (AB)^2 + (BD)^2 - (2 \times AB \times BD) \times \cos(86)$$

$$(AD)^2 = (11.4^2 + (7.39...)^2) - (2 \times 11.4 \times 7.39... \times \cos(86)) \quad (1)$$

$$(AD)^2 = 172.85... \quad (1)$$

$$AD = \sqrt{172.85}$$

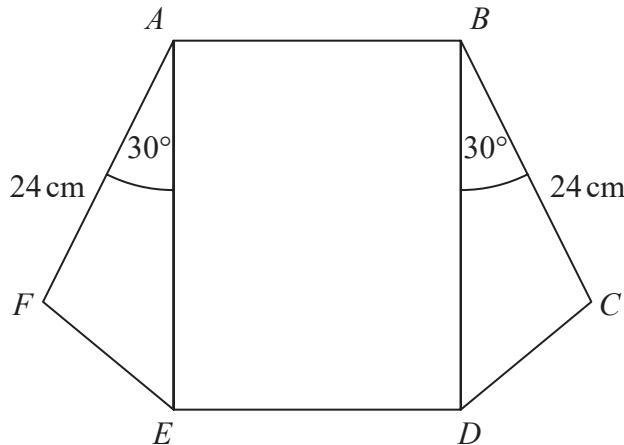
$$AD = 13.147$$

$$AD = 13.1 \text{ to 3SF}$$

13.1 cm

(Total for Question is 5 marks)

6. The diagram shows a rectangle,  $ABDE$ , and two congruent triangles,  $AFE$  and  $BCD$ .



$$\text{area of rectangle } ABDE = \text{area of triangle } AFE + \text{area of triangle } BCD$$

$$AB : AE = 1 : 3$$

Work out the length of  $AE$ .

$$\text{Area of } \triangle AFE = \text{Area of } \triangle BCD = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C.$$

$$\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(24)(AE)(\sin 30) = 6AE. \quad (1)$$

$$\therefore \text{Area of } \square ABDE = 6AE + 6AE = 12AE. \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Let } AB = x \text{ and } AE = 3x. \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Area of } \square ABDE = (x)(3x) = 3x^2$$

$$\text{Area of } \square ABDE = 12AE = 12(3x) = 36x \quad (1)$$

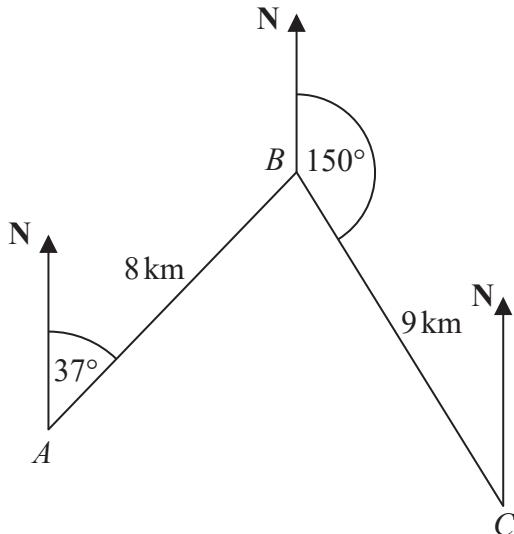
$$\therefore 3x^2 = 36x \quad \dots \dots \dots \text{cm}$$

$$3x = 36$$

(Total for Question is 4 marks)

$$AE = 3x = \underline{\underline{36 \text{ cm}}}.$$

7. The diagram shows the positions of three towns, Acton (A), Barston (B) and Chorlton (C).



Barston is 8 km from Acton on a bearing of  $037^\circ$   
Chorlton is 9 km from Barston on a bearing of  $150^\circ$

Find the bearing of Chorlton from Acton.  
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.  
You must show all your working.

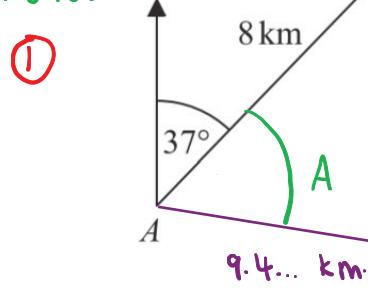
$$\text{bearing} = 37 + A^\circ$$

① co-interior angles  
add up to  $180^\circ$ .

⑤ Angles in  $\Delta = 180^\circ$ :

$$A = 180 - (67 + 51.4\ldots)$$

$$= 61.5786\ldots$$



③ Find length AC Using cosine rule:

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A.$$

$$AC^2 = 8^2 + 9^2 - (2 \times 8 \times 9 \times (\cos 67))$$

$$AC^2 = 88.7347175\ldots$$

$$\therefore AC = 9.419910695\ldots \text{ km.}$$

② Angles around a point  
add up to  $360^\circ$ . ①

$$\therefore B = 360 - (150 + 143) = 67^\circ$$

④ Sine rule:  $\frac{\sin C}{8} = \frac{\sin 67}{9.41\ldots}$

$$(9.41\ldots) \sin C = 8 (\sin 67)$$

$$\sin C = 0.78175\ldots$$

$$\therefore C = 51.42131479\ldots^\circ$$

⑥ Bearing =  $37 + A$

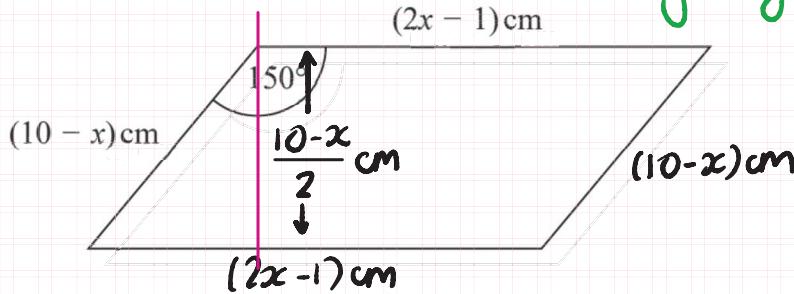
$$= 37 + 61.5786\ldots$$

$$= \underline{\underline{098.6^\circ}} \quad (1 \text{ d.p.}) \quad \text{①}$$

$$098.6$$

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8. The diagram shows a parallelogram.



Do this first to work out height of parallelogram

The area of the parallelogram is greater than  $15 \text{ cm}^2$

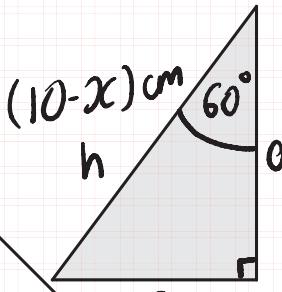
- (a) Show that  $2x^2 - 21x + 40 < 0$

$$\text{Area parallelogram} = \text{base} \times \text{height}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(1)} \quad \text{Area} &= (2x-1) \times \frac{10-x}{2} \\ &= \frac{(2x-1)(10-x)}{2} \\ &= \frac{20x - 2x^2 - 10 + x}{2} \\ &\stackrel{\text{(1)}}{=} \frac{-2x^2 + 21x - 10}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{-2x^2 + 21x - 10}{2} &> 15 \\ -2x^2 + 21x - 10 &> 30 \\ -2x^2 + 21x - 40 &> 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$2x^2 - 21x + 40 < 0$$



$$150 - 90 = 60$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{SOHCAHTOA} \\ \cos\theta = \frac{a}{h} \end{aligned}$$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{a}{10-x}$$

$$\frac{(10-x) \times 1}{2} = \frac{a \times (10-x)}{10-x}$$

$$a = \frac{10-x}{2}$$

(3)

Flip inequality when multiply by  $-1$

(b) Find the range of possible values of  $x$ .

$$2x^2 - 21x + 40 < 0 \quad (1)$$

$$(2x-5)(x-8) < 0$$

$$(2x-5)(x-8) = 0$$

$$2x-5=0$$

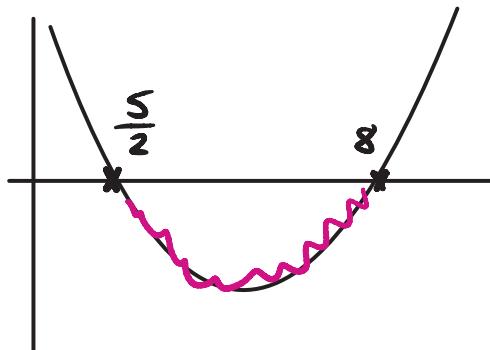
$$2x=5$$

$$x=\frac{5}{2}$$

(1)

$$x-8=0$$

$$x=8$$

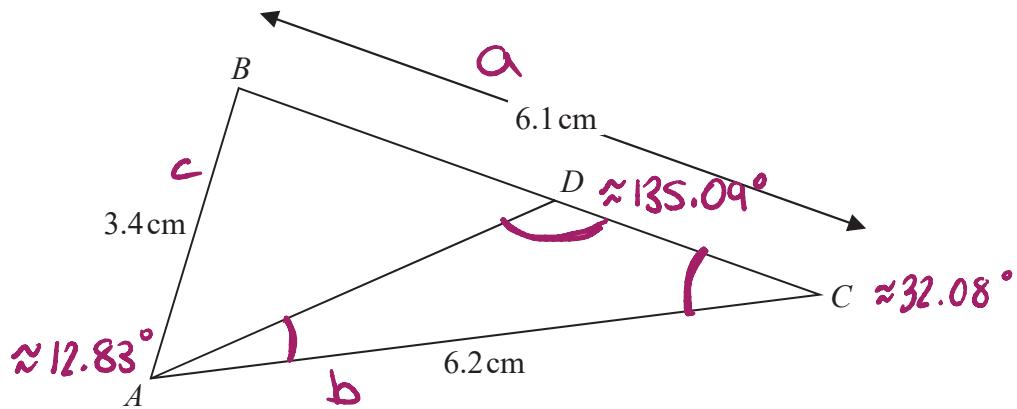


$$\frac{5}{2} < x < 8$$

(3)

(1)

9. The diagram shows triangle ABC.



$$AB = 3.4 \text{ cm} \quad AC = 6.2 \text{ cm} \quad BC = 6.1 \text{ cm}$$

D is the point on BC such that

$$\text{size of angle } DAC = \frac{2}{5} \times \text{size of angle } BCA$$

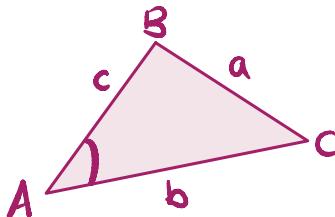
Calculate the length DC.

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

You must show all your working.

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos(A)$$

$\nwarrow$  cosine rule



$$\textcircled{1} \quad c^2 = b^2 + a^2 - 2ba \cos(C)$$

$$3.4^2 = 6.2^2 + 6.1^2 - 2(6.2)(6.1)[\cos(C)]$$

$$11.56 = 38.44 - 75.64 \cos(C)$$

$$+75.64 \cos(C) \quad +75.64 \cos(C)$$

$$11.56 + 75.64 \cos(C) = 75.65$$

$$-11.56 \quad -11.56$$

$$\frac{75.64 \cos(C)}{75.64} = \frac{64.09}{75.64}$$

$$\cos(C) = \frac{64.09}{75.64}$$

$$C = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{64.09}{75.64}\right)$$

$$= 32.08046913^\circ \text{ } \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Size angle } DAC = \frac{2}{5} \times 32.080... \\ = 12.83218765^\circ$$

$$\text{Size angle } ADC = 180 - 32.080... - 12.832... \\ = 135.0876432^\circ$$

$$\frac{DC}{\sin(DAC)} = \frac{AC}{\sin(ADC)}$$

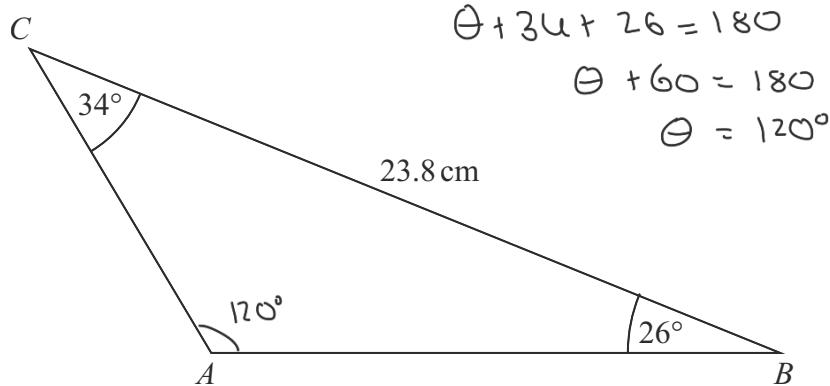
$\nwarrow$  sine rule  $\textcircled{1}$

$$\frac{DC}{\sin(12.832...^\circ)} = \frac{6.2}{\sin(135.087...^\circ)}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad DC = \frac{6.2}{\sin(135.087...^\circ)} \times \sin(12.832...^\circ) \quad \begin{array}{l} 1.95 \text{ cm} \\ (3 \text{ s.f.}) \end{array}$$

$$DC = 1.95035... = 1.95 \text{ cm (3 s.f.)}$$

10. Here is triangle ABC.



Work out the length of AB.

Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

$$\frac{23.8}{\sin 120} = \frac{AB}{\sin 34}$$

$\downarrow \times \sin 34$

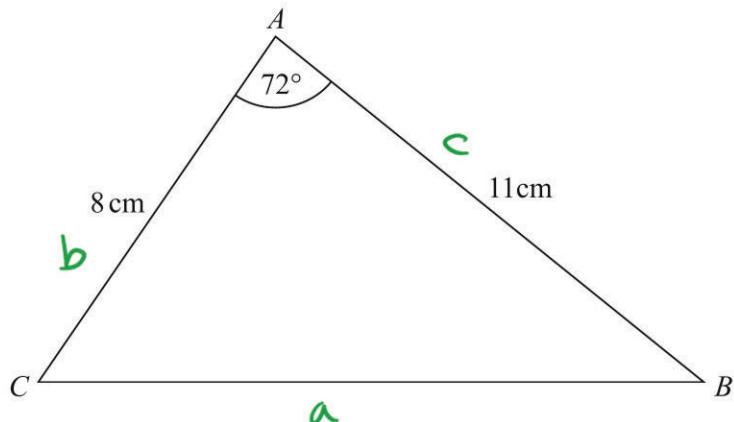
$$AB = \frac{23.8 \times \sin 34}{\sin 120}$$

$$= 15.367\dots \approx 15.4 \text{ cm}$$

..... cm

(Total for Question is 3 marks)

11. Here is triangle  $ABC$ .



(a) Find the length of  $BC$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos(A)$$

$$a^2 = 8^2 + 11^2 - 2(8)(11) \cos(72^\circ) \quad (1)$$

$$a^2 = 130.61\dots \quad (1)$$

$$a = \sqrt{130.61\dots} = 11.4286\dots = 11.4 \text{ (3sf)}$$

11.4 cm  
(3)

(b) Find the area of triangle  $ABC$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area triangle} &= \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C \\ &= \frac{1}{2}cb \sin A \quad (1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(11)(8) \sin(72^\circ) \\ &= 41.846\dots = 41.8 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (3sf)} \end{aligned}$$

41.8 cm<sup>2</sup>  
(2)