

Questions over homework 4.7?

4.8 :: Applications and Models

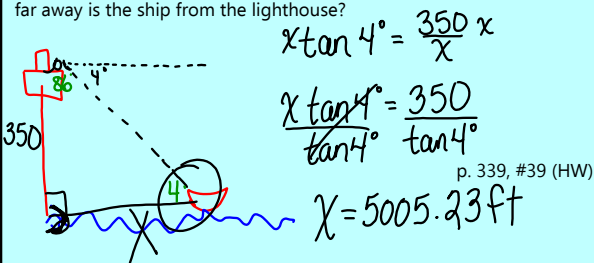
- Angle of Elevation/Depression
- Bearings
- Simple Harmonic Motion

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Angle of Depression

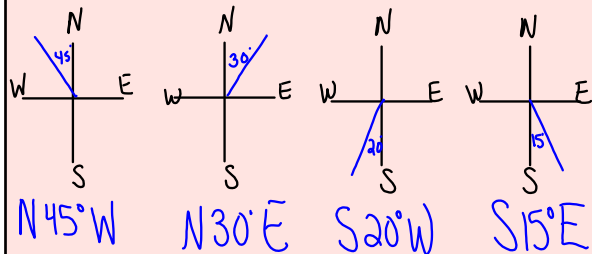
An observer in a lighthouse 350 feet above sea level observes a ship directly offshore. The angle of depression to the ship is 4 degrees. How far away is the ship from the lighthouse?



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Bearings

In navigation, a bearing measures the acute angle a path makes with a fixed north-south line.



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Bearings

A ship leaves port at noon and heads due west at 20 knots, or 20 nautical miles (nm) per hour. At 2 PM, the ship changes course to N 54° W. Find the ship's bearing and distance from the port of departure at 3 PM. Check out Fig. 3.48, p. 333. : 56.18

$\sin 36^\circ = \frac{x}{20}$
 $20 \sin 36^\circ = x$
 $11.76 = x$

$\cos 36^\circ = \frac{y}{20}$
 $20 \cos 36^\circ = y$
 $16.18 = y$

$(56.18)^2 + (11.76)^2 = c^2$
 57.39 nm

$\tan \theta = \frac{56.18}{11.76}$
 $\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{56.18}{11.76} \right) = \text{N } 78.15^\circ \text{ W}$

p. 339, #33 (HW)

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Simple Harmonic Motion

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Simple Harmonic Motion

A point that moves on a coordinate line is said to be **simple harmonic motion** if its distance d from the origin at time t is given by either of the following:

$$d = a \sin \omega t, d = a \cos \omega t$$

where a and ω are real numbers such that $\omega > 0$

amplitude: $|a|$

period: $\frac{2\pi}{\omega}$

frequency (number of cycles per second): $\frac{\omega}{2\pi}$

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Simple Harmonic Motion

Given the equation for simple harmonic motion

$$d = \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} t$$

Find (a) the maximum displacement, (b) the frequency, (c) the value of d when $t=4$, and (d) the least positive value of t for which $d=0$.

a) $|1| = 1$

b) $\frac{3\pi}{4} = 2\pi$
 $\frac{3\pi}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi} = \frac{3}{8}$

c) $d = \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} \cdot 4$
 $d = \cos 3\pi$
 $d = \cos \pi$
 $d = -1$

d) $0 = \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} t$
 $\frac{3\pi}{4} t = \frac{3\pi}{2}$
 $t = \frac{4}{3}$

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Simple Harmonic Motion

Try #51, p. 341...

HOMEWORK

...apply that trig!

4.8 (p. 337): 17, 21(a&c), 25, 29, 33, 37, 39, 51-55 (odd), 60

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