Use $\triangle ABC$ to determine if the equation is true or false.

1.
$$b^2 + a^2 = c^2$$

2.
$$c^2 - a^2 = b^2$$

3.
$$b^2 - c^2 = a^2$$

4.
$$c^2 = a^2 - b^2$$

5.
$$c^2 = b^2 + a^2$$

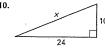
6.
$$a^2 = c^2 - b^2$$

Find the unknown side length. Simplify answers that are radicals. Tell whether the side lengths form a Pythagorean triple.









11.



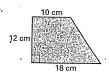


Find the area of the figure. Round decimal answers to the nearest tenth.



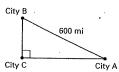


15.



Solve. Round your answer to the nearest tenth.

- 16. A smaller commuter airline flies to three cities whose locations form the vertices of a right triangle. The total flight distance (from city A to city B to city C and back to city A) is 1400 miles. It is 600 miles between the two cities that are furthest apart. Find the other two distances between cities.
- 17. Each base on a standard baseball diamond lies 90 feet from the next. Find the distance the catcher must throw a baseball from 3 feet behind home plate to second base.



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LESSON

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Tell whether the triangle is a right triangle.













Decide whether the numbers can represent the side lengths of a triangle. If they can, classify the triangle as right, acute, or obtuse.

7. 5, 12, 13

8.
$$\sqrt{8}$$
, 4, 6

11.
$$\sqrt{13}$$
, 10, 12

9. 20, 21, 28

Classify the quadrilateral. Explain how you can prove that the quadrilateral is that type.

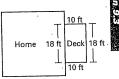


14.





16. Deck A contractor is building a deck adjacent to a home as shown. How can he be sure that the deck is square (the corners are right angles) when he lost his t-square and only has a tape measure? Explain your reasoning.



Roof In Exercises 17 and 18, use the diagram and the following information.

The slope of the roof is $\frac{5}{12}$. The height of the roof is 15 feet.

- 17. What is the length from gutter to peak of the roof?
- 18. If a row of shingles is 5 inches high, how many rows of shingles are needed for one side of the roof?



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Practice B

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Find the value of each variable. Write answers in simplest radical form.







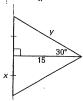












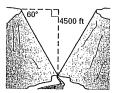
Sketch the figure that is described. Find the requested length. Round decimals to the nearest tenth.

- 10. The perimeter of a square is 20 centimeters. Find the length of a diagonal.
- 11. The altitude of an equilateral triangle is 18 inches. Find the length of a side.
- 12. The hypotenuse of an isosceles right triangle is 16 centimeters. Find the length of a side.
- 13. The length of the diagonal of a square is $\frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}$. Find the length of a side.

Canyon In Exercises 14-16, use the diagram and the following information.

A point on the edge of a symmetrical canyon is 4500 feet above a river that cuts through the canyon floor. The angle of depression from each side of the canyon to the canyon floor is 60°.

- 14. Find the distance across the canyon.
- 15. Find the length of the canyon wall (from the edge to the river).
- 16. Is it more or less than a mile across the canyon? (5280 feet = 1 mile)



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Geometry Chapter 9 Resource Book Practice B 1. true 2. true 3. false 4. false 5. true **6.** true **7.** $2\sqrt{3}$, no **8.** 5, yes **9.** $\sqrt{61}$, no 10. 26, yes 11. 8, no 12. $3\sqrt{21}$, no 13. 25 cm² 14. 45.3 in.² 15. 168 cm² **16.** $400 + 100\sqrt{2} \approx 541.4 \text{ mi},$ $400 - 100\sqrt{2} \approx 258.6 \,\mathrm{mi}$ 17. 130.3 ft

Practice B

1. no 2. yes 3. no 4. yes 5. yes 6. yes 7. yes, right 8. yes, obtuse 9. yes, acute 10. yes, right 11. yes, obtuse 12. yes, right

Practice B

1.
$$x = 8\sqrt{3}, y = 16$$
 2. $x = 5\sqrt{2}, y = 5\sqrt{2}$

3.
$$x = 7, y = 7\sqrt{2}$$
 4. $x = \frac{8\sqrt{3}}{3}, y = \frac{16\sqrt{3}}{3}$
5. $x = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}, y = \frac{20\sqrt{3}}{3}$

5.
$$x = \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}, y = \frac{20\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

6.
$$x = 13, y = 13\sqrt{2}$$
 7. $x = 20\sqrt{3}, y = 40$

8.
$$x = 9\sqrt{2}, y = 9\sqrt{2}$$

9.
$$x = 5\sqrt{3}, y = 10\sqrt{3}$$



12. side≈ 11.3 cm



13. side =
$$\frac{5}{2}$$



14.
$$3000\sqrt{3}$$
 ft ≈ 5196.2 ft

15.
$$3000\sqrt{3}$$
 ft ≈ 5196.2 ft **16.** less