Pythagoras' Theorem

Pythagoras' Theorem	For any right angled triangle:	Finding a Shorter Side
	$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$	y 10 SUBTRACT:
		$a = y, b = 8, c = 10$ $a^{2} = c^{2} - b^{2}$ $y^{2} = 100 - 64$ $y^{2} = 36$
	Used to find missing lengths. a and b are the shorter sides, c is the hypotenuse (longest side).	y = 30 $y = 6$

Trigonometry in Right-Angles Triangles

Trigonometry in Right-Ang	The study of triangles.	
Hypotenuse	The longest side of a right-angled triangle. Is always opposite the right angle.	hypotenuse
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Trigonometric Formulae	Use SOHCAHTOA . $\sin\theta = \frac{0}{H}$ $\cos\theta = \frac{A}{H}$ $\tan\theta = \frac{0}{A}$ When finding a missing angle, use the 'inverse' trigonometric function by pressing the 'shift' button on the calculator.	Use 'Opposite' and 'Adjacent', so use 'tan' $\tan 35 = \frac{x}{11}$ $x = 11 \tan 35 = 7.70 cm$ $7cm$ Use 'Adjacent' and 'Hypotenuse', so use 'cos' $\cos x = \frac{5}{7}$ $x = cos^{-1} \left(\frac{5}{7}\right) = 44.4^{\circ}$

