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### 3.2 Sine and Cosine Ratio

## Extra Examples

## Definitions:

Angle of Elevation: the angle between the line of sight and the horizontal line when the observer is looking upward.


Angle of Depression: the angle between the line of sight and the horizontal line when the observer is looking downward.

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1. John and Sam were passing their soccer ball back and forth. However, John had noticed there was a bird above Sam's head. Where John was standing, the bird was at an angle of elevation of $50^{\circ}$. The bird was also at a distance of 5.2 m from John. At what altitude was the bird above Sam?

$\rightarrow$ how tall/high something is.
(1) What are we finding? hypo. but may assume adjacent opp.
(2) What trig ratio? Sine (SOH)
(3) Solve.

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\begin{aligned}
& \sin \theta=\frac{0}{H} \\
& 5.2 \mathrm{~m}\left(\sin \left(50^{\circ}\right)\right)=\left(\frac{x}{5.2} \mathrm{~m}\right)^{2 / \mathrm{m}} \\
& 5.2 \mathrm{~m}\left(\sin \left(50^{\circ}\right)\right)=x \\
& 3.483 \mathrm{~m}=x
\end{aligned}
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2. Calculate the length of DF to the nearest tenth of a cm .
(1) What are we trying to find? -hypo.

(3) Solve.

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\begin{gathered}
\cos \theta=\frac{A}{H} \\
D F\left(\cos \left(52^{2}\right)\right)=\left(\frac{6.8 \mathrm{~cm}}{D F}\right) D F \\
\frac{D F\left(\cos \left(52^{\circ}\right)\right)}{\cos \left(52^{\circ}\right)}=\frac{6.8 \mathrm{~cm}}{\left.\cos (5)^{\circ}\right)} \\
D F=\frac{6.8 \mathrm{~cm}}{\cos \left(52^{\circ}\right)}=11.045 \ldots \\
=11^{\circ}
\end{gathered}
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