## **PRACTISING**

## 4. Determine the exact value of each trigonometric expression.

**a**)  $\sin 30^{\circ} \times \tan 60^{\circ} - \cos 30^{\circ}$  **c**)  $\tan^2 30^{\circ} - \cos^2 45^{\circ}$ 

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$$\tan^2 30^\circ - \cos^2 45^\circ$$

b)  $2\cos 45^{\circ} \times \sin 45^{\circ}$ 

d) 
$$1 - \frac{\sin 45^{\circ}}{\cos 45^{\circ}}$$

5. Using exact values, show that  $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$  for each angle.

b) 
$$\theta = 45^{\circ}$$

c) 
$$\theta = 60^{\circ}$$

**6.** Using exact values, show that  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \tan \theta$  for each angle.

a)  $\theta = 30^{\circ}$ 

b) 
$$\theta = 45^{\circ}$$

c) 
$$\theta = 60^{\circ}$$

7. Using the appropriate special triangle, determine  $\theta$  if  $0^{\circ} \le \theta \le 90^{\circ}$ .

a)  $\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  c)  $2\sqrt{2}\cos \theta = 2$ b)  $\sqrt{3}\tan \theta = 1$  d)  $2\cos \theta = \sqrt{3}$ 

c) 
$$2\sqrt{2}\cos\theta = 2$$

d) 
$$2\cos\theta = \sqrt{3}$$

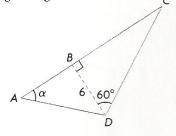
8. A 5 m stepladder propped against a classroom wall forms an angle of 30°

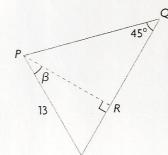
with the wall. Exactly how far is the top of the ladder from the floor? Express your answer in radical form. What assumption did you make?

- 9. Show that  $\tan 30^\circ + \frac{1}{\tan 30^\circ} = \frac{1}{\sin 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ}$ .
- 10. A baseball diamond forms a square of side length 27.4 m. Sarah says that she used a special triangle to calculate the distance between home plate and
  - Describe how Sarah might calculate this distance.
  - Use Sarah's method to calculate this distance to the nearest tenth of a metre.
- 11. Determine the exact area of each large triangle.

 $\mathbf{II}$  a)  $\tan \alpha = 1$ 

$$\mathbf{b)} \quad \cos \beta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$





12. To claim a prize in a contest, the following skill-testing question was asked:

G Calculate  $\sin 45^{\circ}(1 - \cos 30^{\circ}) + 5 \tan 60^{\circ}(\sin 60^{\circ} - \tan 30^{\circ})$ .

- a) Louise used a calculator to evaluate the expression. Determine her answer to three decimal places.
- b) Megan used exact values. Determine her answer in radical form.
- c) Only Megan received the prize. Explain why this might have occurred.

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 $tan^2 30^\circ = (tan 30^\circ)(tan 30^\circ).$ So the expression is squared, not the angle.

> 3. If  $\cot \alpha = \sqrt{3}$ , calculate  $(\sin \alpha)(\cot \alpha) - \cos^2 \alpha$  exactly. extending

14. If  $\csc \beta = 2$ , calculate  $\frac{\tan \beta}{\sec \beta}$ .

**15.** Using exact values, show that  $1 + \cot^2 \theta = \csc^2 \theta$  for each angle. **a)**  $\theta = 30^\circ$  **b)**  $\theta = 45^\circ$  **c)**  $\theta = 60^\circ$