Name $\qquad$ Solutions $\qquad$ Trigonometry, Quiz 5

1) Solve the following right triangle. Be sure to show your work!


To find the hypotenuse use the Pythagorean theorem:

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\begin{gathered}
2^{2}+6^{2}=c^{2} \\
40=c^{2} \\
\sqrt{40}=c
\end{gathered}
$$

To find one angle, say the upper left, we can use a trig function. With all three sides you can use whichever function you like. I'll use sine:

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\begin{gathered}
\sin (\theta)=\frac{6}{\sqrt{40}} \approx 0.95 \\
\theta=\sin ^{-1}\left(\frac{6}{\sqrt{40}}\right) \approx 71.56^{\circ}
\end{gathered}
$$

To get the third angle, either use another trig function or use the fact that all three angles add to $180^{\circ}$.

