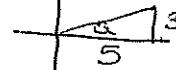


To find an angle, with a known x and y

$$\tan(\alpha) = \frac{y}{x}$$
$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

Ex:  $x = 5, y = 3$

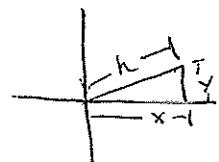


$$\tan(\alpha) = \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 0.6$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}(0.6)$$

$$\alpha = 30.96^\circ$$

To find the slope (hypotenuse)

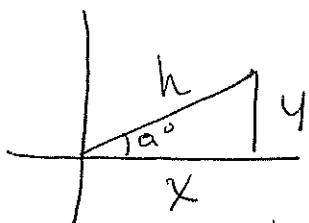


$$h^2 = x^2 + y^2$$
$$h = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

Ex:  $x = 5, y = 3$

$$h^2 = 3^2 + 5^2$$
$$h^2 = 9 + 25$$
$$h^2 = 34$$
$$h = \sqrt{34}$$
$$h = 5.83$$

To find the x and y when given an angle  $\alpha$  and hypotenuse (h)



$$\sin \alpha = \frac{y}{h}$$

$$y = h \sin(\alpha)$$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{x}{h}$$

$$x = h \cos(\alpha)$$

Ex:  $32^\circ$  angle, slope = 6

$$\sin(32^\circ) = \frac{y}{6}$$

$$y = 6(\sin(32^\circ))$$

$$y = 6(.5299)$$

$$y = 3.1795$$

$$\cos(32^\circ) = \frac{x}{6}$$

$$x = 6 \cos(32^\circ)$$

$$x = 6(.848)$$

$$x = 5.088$$

