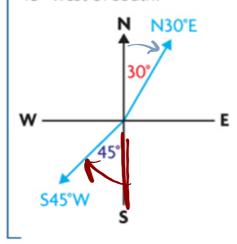


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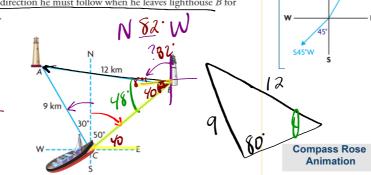
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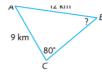
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Applications: Bearings

Ex #1:(p. 122) Using reasoning to determine the measure of an angle

The captain of a small boat is delivering supplies to two lighthouses, as shown. His compass indicates that the lighthouse to his left is located at N30°W and the lighthouse to his right is located at N50°E. Determine the compass direction he must follow when he leaves lighthouse *B* for lighthouse *A*.





I drew a diagram. I labelled the sides of the triangle I knew and the angle I wanted to determine.

$$\frac{\sin B}{AC} = \frac{\sin C}{AB}$$

I knew AC, AB, and $\angle C$, and I wanted to determine $\angle B$. So I used the sine law that includes these four quantities.

I used the proportion with sin *B* and sin *C* in the numerators so the unknown would be in the numerator.

$$\frac{\sin B}{9} = \frac{\sin 80^{\circ}}{12}$$

$$9\left(\frac{\sin B}{9}\right) = 9\left(\frac{\sin 80^{\circ}}{12}\right)$$

$$\sin B = 9\left(\frac{\sin 80^{\circ}}{12}\right)$$

 $\sin B = 0.7386...$

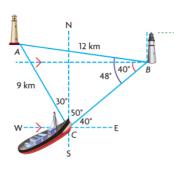
I substituted the given information and then solved for sin *B*.

$$\angle B = \sin^{-1}(0.7386...)$$

 $\angle B = 47.612...^{\circ}$

The measure of $\angle B$ is 48°. -----

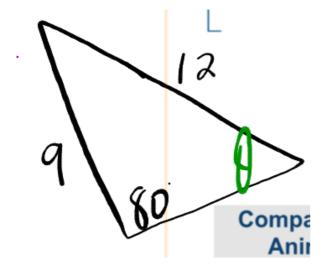
The answer seems reasonable. $\angle B$ must be less than 80°, because 9 km is less than 12 km.



I drew a diagram and marked the angles I knew. I knew east-west lines are all parallel, so the alternate interior angle at *B* must be 40°.

The captain must head N82°W from lighthouse *B*.

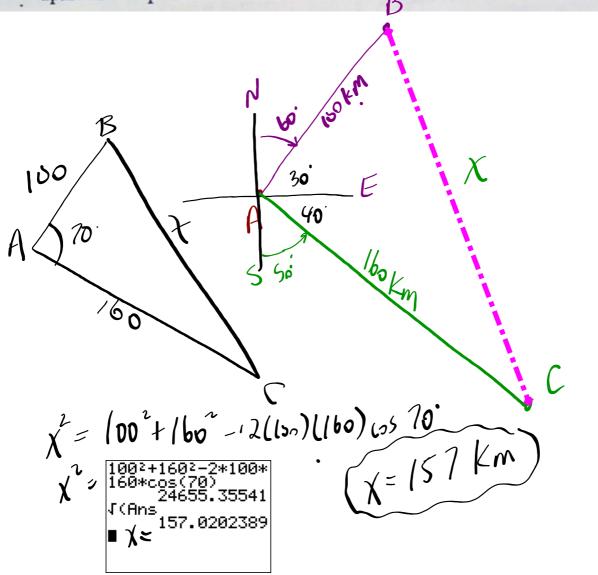
The line segment from lighthouse B to lighthouse A makes an 8° angle with westeast. I subtracted this from 90° to determine the direction west of north.



 $9 \sin \theta = 9 \sin 80'$ $9 \sin 80'$ 12 $\sin 1 \sin \theta = (0.7386)$ $\sin 1 \sin \theta = (48°)$

Booklet Questions... 10.12: #10 - 12 Let's do #8 TOGETHER...

In an airport control tower A, 2 planes at B and C are located at the same altitude on a radar screen. The range finder determines one plane to bear N60°E at 100 km while the other bears S50°E at 160 km. How far apart are the planes from each other?



HOMEWORK...

*** Quiz on Monday

- Primary Trig Ratios & Pythagorean Theorem
- Law of Sines/Cosines
- Finding angles/sides/solving/word problems