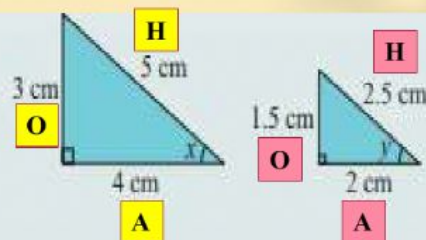


03 Example

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The diagram on the right shows two right-angled triangles. Determine whether all trigonometric ratios of angle x and angle y are equal. State the reason for your answer.



trigonometric ratios

$$\tan \theta = \frac{O}{A}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{O}{H}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{A}{H}$$

Solution:

$$\sin x = \frac{O}{H}$$

$$\cos x = \frac{A}{H}$$

$$\tan x = \frac{O}{A}$$

$$\sin y = \frac{O}{H}$$

$$\cos y = \frac{A}{H}$$

$$\tan y = \frac{O}{A}$$

$$= \frac{1.5}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2.5} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1.5}{2.5} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= \frac{4}{5}$$

The trigonometric ratios of angle x and angle y are because the length of corresponding sides of the two triangles are .