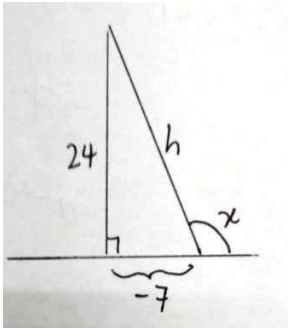


Answers:

(1) Given that $\tan x = -\frac{24}{7}$

$\therefore x = 90^\circ \text{ to } 180^\circ$



$$h = \sqrt{24^2 + (-7)^2} = 25$$

$$\sin x = \frac{24}{25}$$

$$\cos x = -\frac{7}{25}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin x + 2\cos x &= \frac{24}{25} + 2\left(-\frac{7}{25}\right) \\ &= \frac{10}{25} = \frac{2}{5}\end{aligned}$$

(2) (a) $\frac{\sin \angle ADB}{20} = \frac{\sin 28^\circ}{10}$

$$\sin \angle ADB = 2\sin 28^\circ$$

$$\angle ADB = 69.9^\circ \text{ or } 110.1^\circ$$

Since $\angle ADB$ is obtuse, therefore $\angle ADB = 110.1^\circ$

(b) $\angle BAC = 180^\circ - 28^\circ - 110.1^\circ = 41.9^\circ$

$$\frac{BC}{20} = \sin 41.9^\circ$$

$$BC = 13.4 \text{ cm}$$