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Apply geometric reasoning in solving problems.	Apply geometric reasoning, using relational thinking, in solving problems.	Apply geometric reasoning, using extended abstract thinking, in solving problems.

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THE SKY TOWER

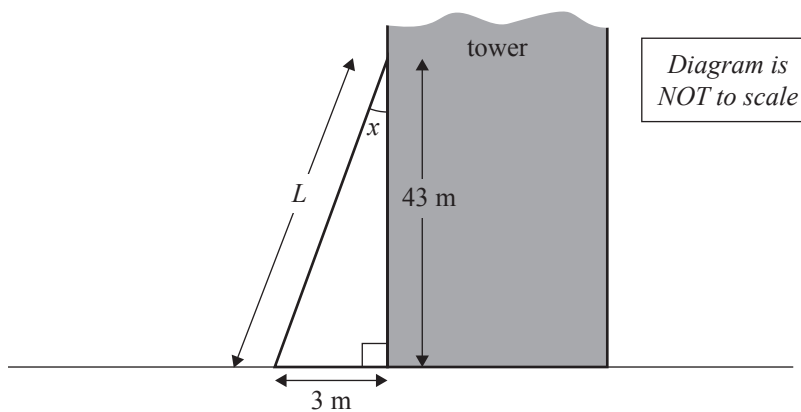


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Auckland's Sky Tower is the tallest man-made structure in the Southern Hemisphere.

QUESTION ONE

- (a) The base of the tower is supported by 8 legs.
 These legs are L metres long and are 3 metres away from the tower at ground level.
 The legs join the tower 43 m above ground level.

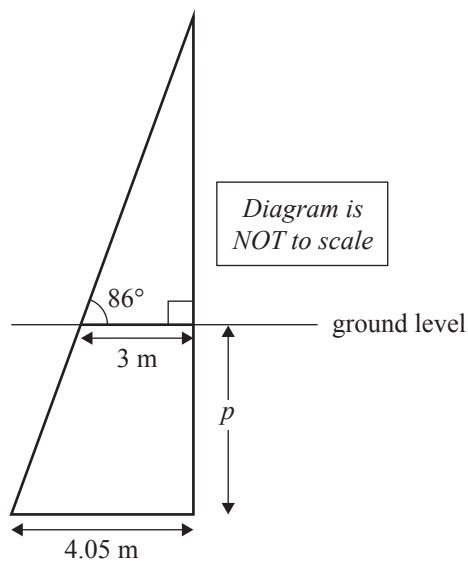


- (i) Calculate the length, L , of the leg from the ground to the tower.

- (ii) Use trigonometry to calculate the size of angle x , where the leg joins the tower.

- (iii) The legs of the tower go below ground level.

The horizontal distance from the tower to the bottom of the leg under the ground is 4.05 metres.



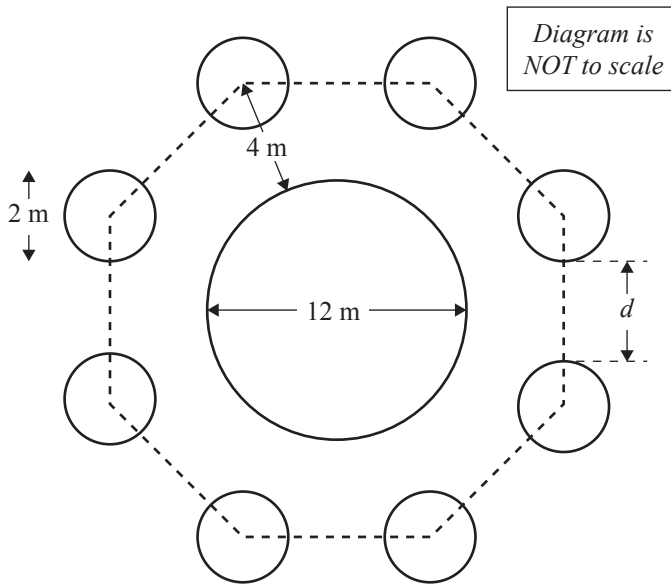
Calculate p , the vertical distance that the legs are built into the ground.

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- (b) The centres of the 8 circular legs form a regular octagonal shape.

The tower has a diameter of 12 metres and each leg has a diameter of 2 metres.

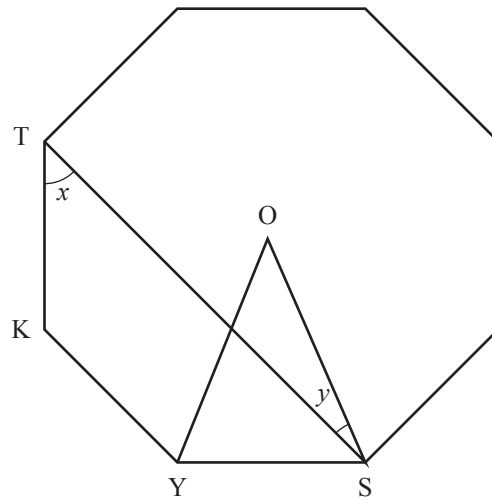
The distance from the outside edge of the tower to the centre of the legs at the ground is 4 metres.



Calculate the shortest distance, d , between adjacent legs at ground level.

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- (c) A simplified diagram of the position of the legs is shown below as a regular octagon. Point O is at the centre of the octagon.



Show that angle y is half the size of angle x .

Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

QUESTION TWO

Below the Sky Tower is a car park made of ramps.

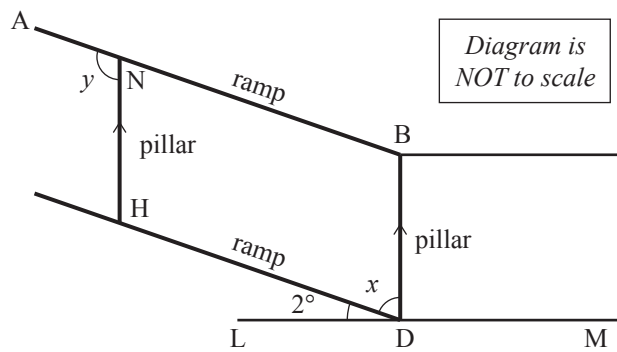
The ramps are at a 2° angle.

There are vertical pillars regularly placed along the ramps for strength.



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- (a) All pillars are parallel to each other. LM is horizontal.



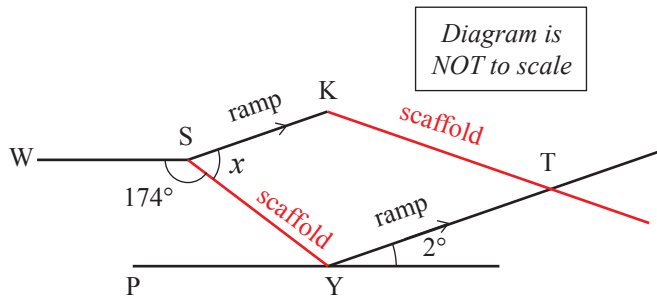
- (i) Calculate the size of angle x in the diagram above.
Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

- (ii) Calculate the size of angle y in the diagram above.
Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

- (iii) Part of the ramp had extra scaffolding added for support, as shown in the diagram below. The lines SK and YT are parallel.

Angle WSY is 174° .

The lines WS and PY are both horizontal.



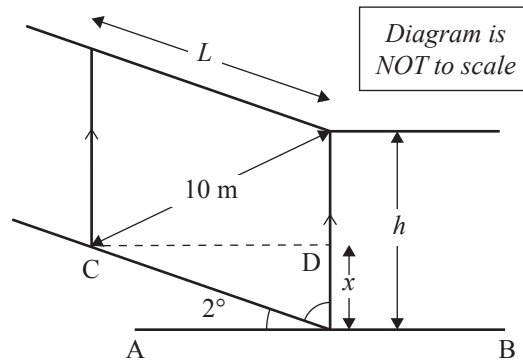
Calculate the size of angle x in the diagram above.

Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

- (b) The length along the slope between two pillars is L metres.

The diagonal distance between the top of one pillar and the base of the next higher pillar is 10 m.

AB and CD are horizontal.



- (i) Find the height, x , in terms of the length L .

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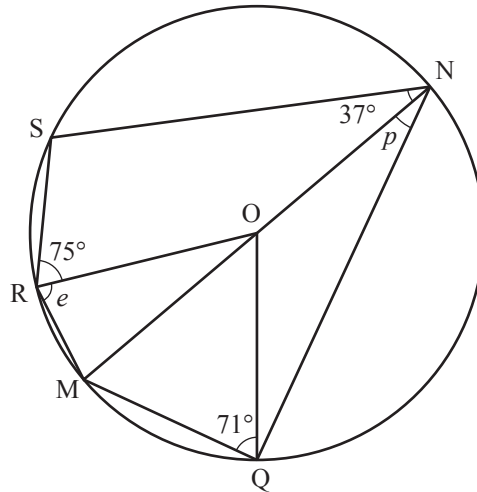
- (ii) Calculate h , the height in metres of a pillar, in terms of L .

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QUESTION THREE

- (a) In the diagram below, the line MN passes through the centre of the circle, O.
Angle MQO is 71° , angle SNO is 37° and angle SRO is 75° .

Diagram is
NOT to scale



- (i) Find the size of angle p .

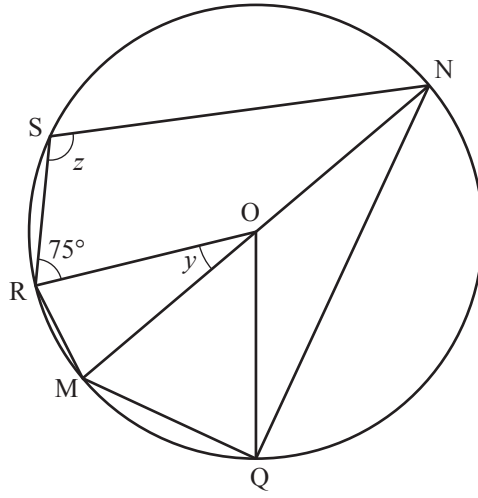
Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

- (ii) Find the size of angle e .

Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

- (iii) In the diagram below, angle SRO is 75° .

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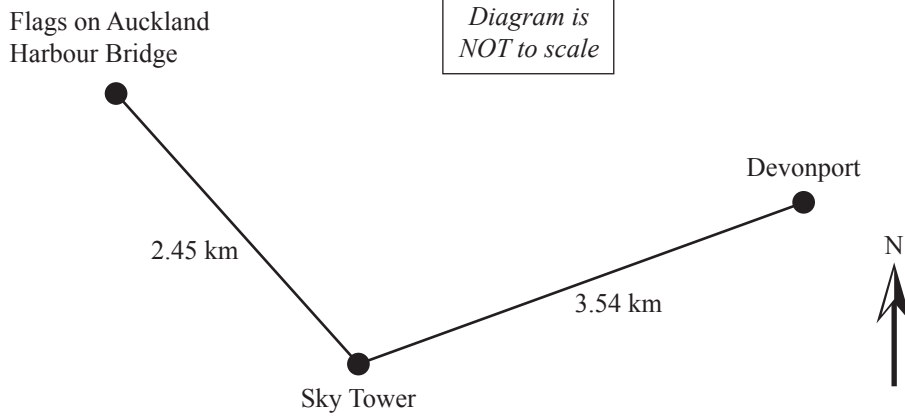


Find an expression for z in terms of y .

Justify your answer with clear geometric reasoning.

(b) Devonport is at a bearing of 059° and 3.54 km from the Sky Tower.

The flags on the Auckland Harbour Bridge are at a bearing of 322° and 2.45 km from the Sky Tower.



Calculate the bearing from the flags on the Auckland Harbour Bridge to Devonport.

Show your working clearly.

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