APPLICATIONS OF TRIG RATIOS

Solve – be sure to draw and label picture first.	
1.	A forest ranger in a 90-foot observation tower sees a fire. The angle of depression to the fire is 7°. What is the horizontal distance between the tower and the fire? Round to the nearest foot.
2.	When the angle of elevation to the sun is 37°, a flagpole casts a shadow that is 24.2 ft long. What is the height of the flagpole to the nearest foot?
3.	To the nearest tenth of a foot, how many feet tall is the tree illustrated in the diagram below?

