## Similarities and Isometries - Supplemental Question 2 with Solution

Right triangles $A B C$ and DEF are isometric (congruent).

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\text { If } \begin{aligned}
& m \overline{A C}=20 \mathrm{~cm} \\
& m \overline{E F}=10 \mathrm{~cm} \\
& m \overline{E A}=7 \mathrm{~cm}
\end{aligned}
$$

What is the length of $\overline{A D}$ to the nearest tenth?
A) 8.4 cm
B) $\mathbf{1 0 . 3} \mathbf{~ c m}$
C) 15.4 cm
D) 17.3 cm

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\begin{aligned}
& \overline{A C}=20 \mathrm{~cm} \\
& \overline{E F}=10 \mathrm{~cm}
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
& 20^{2}-10^{2}=x^{2} \\
& x^{2}=300 \\
& x=17.32
\end{aligned}
$$


17.32
$m \overline{E A}=7 \mathrm{~cm}$
$m \overline{A D}=m \overline{E D}-m \overline{E A}$
$m \overline{A D}=17.32-7=\mathbf{1 0 . 3 2} \mathbf{~ c m}$

