2010-11 PreAP Two Dimensions 2

- 1. Being sure to use correct directions (not just angles). Find the x and y components for the following vectors.
- 2. Given the following x and y components, calculate the magnitude (hypotenuse) and direction of the vector. (*BIG TANGENT HINT: remember to figure out what quadrant your arrow should be in.* Add 180° if necessary.)



- E. ____ Which arrow/s have no x compone E. ____ Which arrow is the negative of A?
- F. ____ Which arrow = -B?
- G. ____ Which arrow has -x and -y components?
- H. What does A + D equal? (*If you walked the direction of A and then the direction of D, what would be your total displacement?*)

Still using the A-H arrows as displacement vectors (distances with directions)....

- 4. A. A strange person (named "Crazy") walks the direction of A, then C, then E, then 2D (D twice). Starting at the point marked "start" draw Crazy's path.
 - B. A second person, standing at the same starting point, watches Crazy walk his crazy path, but being Lazy, walks to Crazy in a straight line. Use an arrow to show Lazy's path. Label this arrow "R" for the resultant (the result of all of Crazy's path).
- 5. * Using the same story of Crazy and Lazy above...
 - A. At the left draw Cray's path: G + F + 2E 2A [opposite of A, twice]. (*It's OK if the path crosses, since he's Crazy.*)
 - B. Draw Lazy's path, labeling it "R".



1A. x = -24.5 m; y = -20.6m 1B. x = 0m; y = -8m. 2A. H = 15.2 m; $\theta = 23.2^{\circ}$;

2B. H = 8.7 m; θ = 149° (must be in 2nd quadrant (to the left and up); tan gives -31° so add 180°);

3A) G (+x means to the right; -y means down) 3B) B



