

Solve the following triangles. Sketch and label triangles with your final answers.

SCORE: ____ / 12 PTS

If no such triangle exists, write "DNE". If more than one triangle is possible, solve for all possible triangles.

[a] ΔTSA

if $t = 4.3$, $s = 7.2$ and $a = 3.1$

$$7.2^2 = 4.3^2 + 3.1^2 - 2(4.3)(3.1)\cos S$$

$$\cos S = \frac{4.3^2 + 3.1^2 - 7.2^2}{2(4.3)(3.1)} \approx -0.8905$$

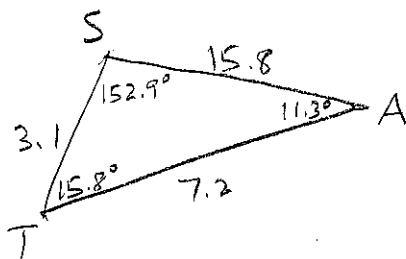
$$S \approx 152.9^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin T}{4.3} = \frac{\sin 152.9^\circ}{7.2}$$

$$\sin T = \frac{4.3 \sin 152.9^\circ}{7.2} \approx 0.2721$$

$$T \approx 15.8^\circ$$

$$A \approx 180^\circ - (152.9^\circ + 15.8^\circ) = 11.3^\circ$$



[b] ΔFDR

if $r = 6.2$, $d = 4.7$ and $D = 41^\circ$

$$6.2 \sin 41^\circ \approx 4.1$$

$$4.1 < 4.7 < 6.2$$

2 Δ 's

$$\frac{\sin R}{6.2} = \frac{\sin 41^\circ}{4.7}$$

$$\sin R = \frac{6.2 \sin 41^\circ}{4.7} \approx 0.8654$$

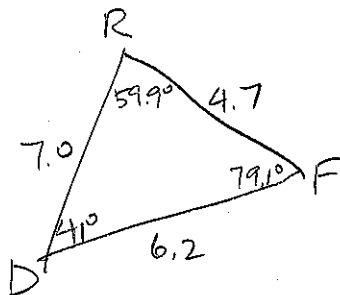
$$R \approx 59.9^\circ \text{ or } 180^\circ - 59.9^\circ = 120.1^\circ$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$F \approx 180^\circ - (41^\circ + 59.9^\circ) = 79.1^\circ$$

$$\frac{f}{\sin 79.1^\circ} = \frac{4.7}{\sin 41^\circ}$$

$$f = \frac{4.7 \sin 79.1^\circ}{\sin 41^\circ} \approx 7.0$$



[c] ΔPBS

if $p = 7$, $b = 3$ and $s = 4$

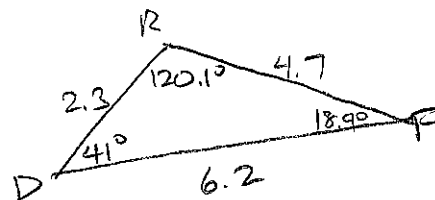
$$3 + 4 > 7$$

DNE

$$\frac{f}{\sin 18.9^\circ} = \frac{4.7}{\sin 41^\circ}$$

$$f = \frac{4.7 \sin 18.9^\circ}{\sin 41^\circ}$$

$$\approx 2.3$$



Suppose that $k = 12$ and $T = 26^\circ$.

SCORE: ____ / 6 PTS

- [a] Find all values of t for which there is exactly one possible triangle. **Do NOT solve the triangle.**

$$t = 12 \sin 26^\circ \approx 5.3$$

or $t \geq 12$

- [b] Find all values of t for which there are two possible triangles. **Do NOT solve the triangles.**

$$5.3 < t < 12$$

- [c] Find all values of t for which there are no possible triangles.

$$t < 5.3$$

Find the areas of the following triangles.

SCORE: ____ / 4 PTS

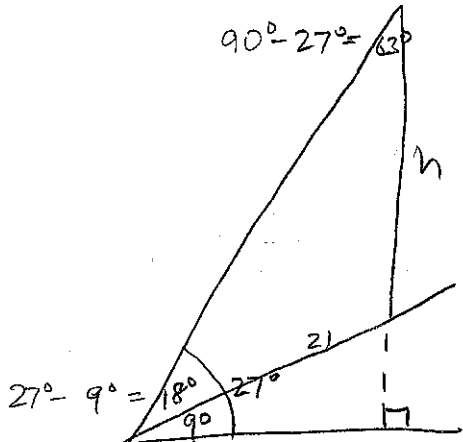
- [a] $\triangle UVW$ if $m = 7.6$, $s = 9.1$, $M = 56.6^\circ$ and $H = 34.8^\circ$

$$\frac{1}{2} (7.6)(9.1) \sin 34.8^\circ \approx 19.7$$

- [b] $\triangle RPG$ if $r = 9$, $p = 4$ and $g = 7$

$$s = \frac{1}{2} (9 + 4 + 7) = 10 \quad \sqrt{10(10-9)(10-4)(10-7)} = \sqrt{180} = 6\sqrt{5}$$
$$\approx 13.4$$

A flagpole at a right angle to the horizontal is located on a slope that makes an angle of 9° with the horizontal. **SCORE: ____ / 8 PTS**
The flagpole's shadow is 21 feet long and points directly down the slope when the angle of elevation from the tip of the shadow to the sun is 27° . Find the height of the flagpole.



$$\frac{h}{\sin 18^\circ} = \frac{21}{\sin 63^\circ}$$

$$h = \frac{21 \sin 18^\circ}{\sin 63^\circ} \approx 7.3 \text{ ft}$$