Triangle Inequality

Sheet 1

If the measures of two sides of a triangle are given, determine the greatest possible whole number measure of the third side.

1) 12 ft, 18 ft

2) 5 in, 8 in

3) 4 yd, 33 yd

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5) 30 in, 10 in

7) 13 ft, 13 ft

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9) The restaurant consists of coffee tables with triangle shaped tops, a perfect fit for the

corners. Each of the two sides of the table top is 18 inches in length. What is the

a) 35 inches

b) 36 inches

c) 37 inches

greatest possible third side length of the table top?