Math 10/11 Honours Section 4.5 Ambiguous Case of Sine Law

1. Given each equation, solve for all values of θ where $0 \le \theta \le 360^{\circ}$. Note: There are two angles!!

b)
$$\sin \theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

c)
$$\sin \theta = -0.55$$

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$$d)\sin\theta = \frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

e)
$$\sin \theta = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}$$
 f) $\sin \theta = \frac{4}{\sqrt{7}}$

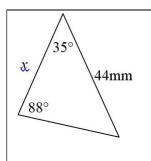
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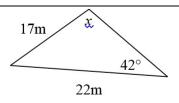
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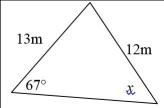
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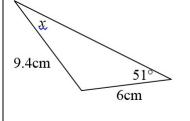
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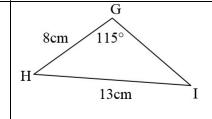
2. Given each of the following triangles, indicate whether if there would be an ambiguous case. State the reason why or why not:

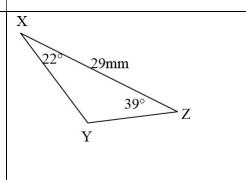






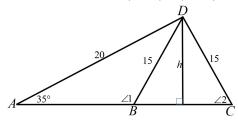






3. Given each triangle, find the missing values and show all your work

Find the value of $\angle 1$, $\angle 2$, h, BC, and AB



$$\angle 1 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \qquad \angle 2 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \qquad h = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \qquad BC = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \qquad AB = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$$

 $\angle 2 = \underline{\qquad} h = \underline{\qquad} BC = \underline{\qquad} AB = \underline{\qquad}$ 4. Given that length MN is 31m, MO is 38m and angle MNO is 62degrees. Draw a diagram for triangle MON and then find the value of $\angle MON, \angle OMN$, and \overline{ON}

$$\angle MON =$$
 (ACUTE) $\angle OMN =$

$$ON =$$

$$\angle MON =$$
 (OBTUSE)

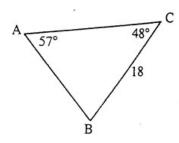
e) Triangle STU has side TU = 36, US = 42, and angle UST = 55 degrees. Draw a diagram for the triangle and consider all cases. Find the length and angles below:

$$\angle STU =$$
 (ACUTE)

$$ST =$$

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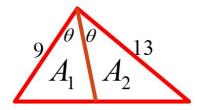
5. Find the area of the following triangle.



- 6. A lighthouse at point Q is 20 km from a yacht at point R and 16 km from a sailboat at point S. From the yacht, the lighthouse and the sailboat are separated by an angle of 39°
- a) Is it necessary to consider the ambiguous case? Explain.
- b) Sketch all possible diagrams for this situation.
- c) Determine all possible the distances from the yacht to the sailboat, to the nearest tenth of a kilometre.

- 7. Jason and Sammy are part of a scientific team studying clouds. The team is about to launch a weather balloon into an active part of the cloud. Jason's rope is 15.4 m long and makes an angle of 42° with the ground. Belle's rope is 12.9 m long.
- a) Is it necessary to consider the ambiguous case? Explain.
- b) Sketch all possible diagrams for this situation.
- c) Determine all possible the distances between Jason and Sammy to the nearest tenth of a meter.

8. Given the following triangle with an area of 200units², what is the area of $\,A_{\!_1}\,$ and $\,A_{\!_2}\,$?



9. Trapezoid ABCD has $AD \mid\mid BC$, BD=1 , $\angle DBA=23^\circ$ and $\angle BDC=46^\circ$. The ratio of BC:AD is 9:5 . What is the length of CD?