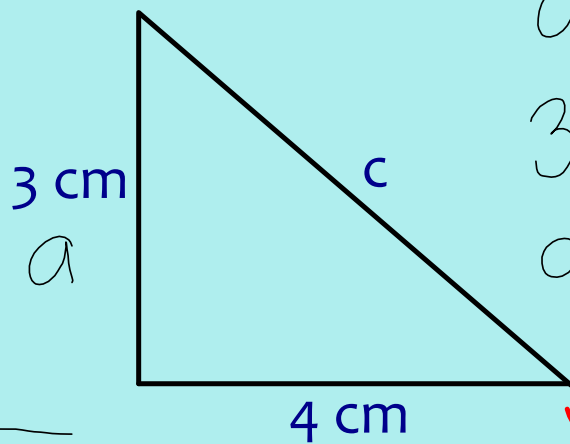


Practice as a class. Find the measure of side length c .



$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

$$3^2 + 4^2 = c^2$$

$$9 + 16 = c^2$$

$$\sqrt{25} = \sqrt{c^2}$$

$$\sqrt{4} = 2$$

$$2 \cdot 2 = 4$$

b

$$\boxed{5 \text{ cm}}$$

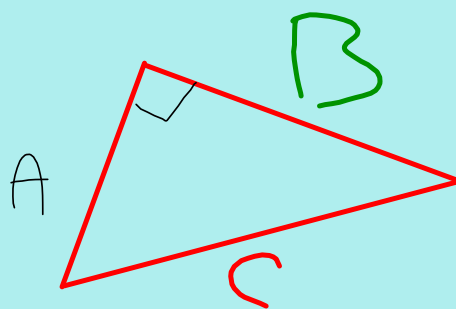
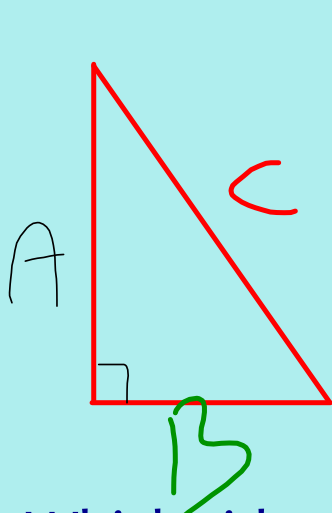
$$5 = c$$

$$\sqrt{16} = 4$$

$$4 \cdot 4$$

$$\sqrt{10} = 3.2$$

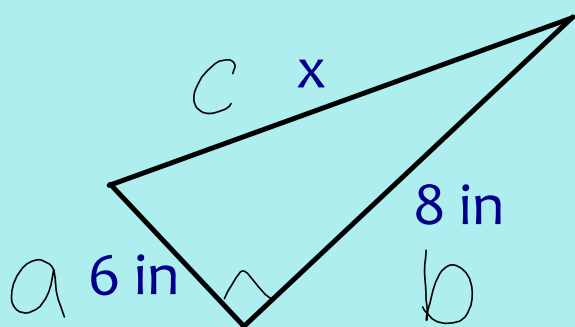
What happens when the right triangle doesn't look like what we are used to?



$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

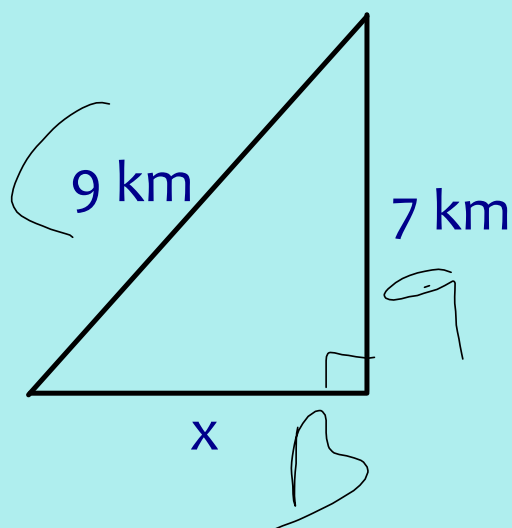
Which sides are the legs and which are the hypotenuse?

Example: Find the measure of the missing side.



$$\begin{aligned}a^2 + b^2 &= c^2 \\6^2 + 8^2 &= c^2 \\36 + 64 &= c^2 \\\sqrt{100} &= \sqrt{c^2} \\10 &= c\end{aligned}$$

Example: Find the measure of the missing side.



$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

$$7^2 + x^2 = 9^2$$

$$49 + x^2 = 81$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -49 \\ \hline \sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{32} \end{array}$$

Classwork: Worksheet #7 - 12

#13-18

Using the Pythagorean Theorem to
Prove a Right Triangle

Example: Do the side lengths make a right triangle?

21, 20, 29

a b c

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

$$21^2 + 20^2 = 29^2$$

$$441 + 400 = 841$$

$$841 = 841$$

yes, \triangle

Example: Do the side lengths make a right triangle?

30, 24, 7
c a b

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$



$$24^2 + 7^2 = 30^2$$

$$576 + 49 = 900$$

$$625 = 900$$

No

Coloring Activity!

a = 6, b = 8, c = 10
Verify if the sides form a right triangle.
If yes, color  1 red.
If no, color  1 yellow.

