

# Law of Cosines

HW: pg 510 #21-35 (o)

HW Q's? Pg 503: #25-43 (o)

m<sup><</sup>A    20    20

m<sup><</sup>B    —    —

m<sup><</sup>C    65    115

2D's

m<sup><</sup>A    80    80

m<sup><</sup>B    —    —

m<sup><</sup>C    65    115

$$\underline{c}^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos \underline{C}$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

USE For

SSS

SAS

$$b^2 = a^2 + c^2 - 2ac \cos B$$



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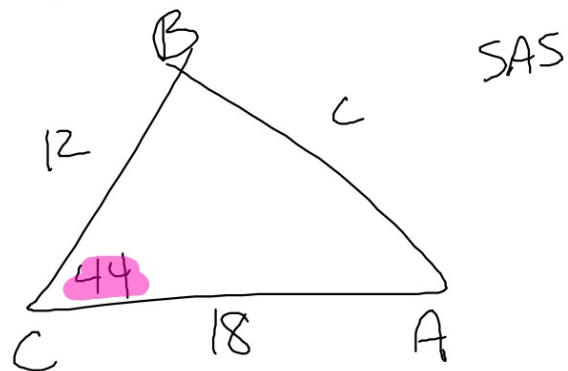
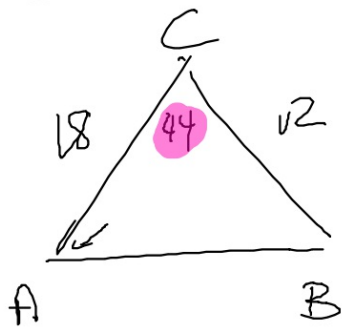
$$c^2 - a^2 - b^2 = -2ab \cos C$$

$$\frac{c^2 - a^2 - b^2}{-2ab} = \cos C$$

$$\frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \cos C$$

$$m\angle C = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} \right)$$

(a)  $a = 12$ ,  $b = 18$ ,  $m^{\circ}C = 44^{\circ}$ . Find  $c$ .



$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$$

$$c^2 = (12)^2 + (18)^2 - 2(12)(18) \cos 44^{\circ}$$

$$c^2 = 157.24$$

$$c = 12.5$$

$$c = \sqrt{\quad}$$

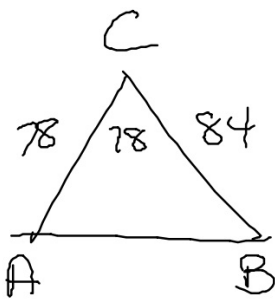
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$$a=84, \quad b=78, \quad m\angle C = 78^\circ$$

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$$c = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C}$$

$$c = \sqrt{(84)^2 + (78)^2 - 2(84)(78)\cos 78^\circ}$$

$$c \approx 102.1$$

① The perimeter is 264.1 units.