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1 In non-right triangle $A B C$ shown below, $A C=5$ in, $B C=8$ in, and $\mathrm{m} \angle C=57^{\circ}$.


What is the area of $\triangle A B C$, to the nearest tenth of a square inch?

1) 10.9
2) 16.8
3) 21.8
4) 33.5

2 In $\triangle A B C, \mathrm{~m} \angle A=120, b=10$, and $c=18$. What is the area of $\triangle A B C$ to the nearest square inch?

1) 52
2) 78
3) 90
4) 156

3 What is the best approximation for the area of a triangle with consecutive sides of 4 and 5 and an included angle of $59^{\circ}$ ?

1) 5.0
2) 8.6
3) 10.0
4) 17.1

4 In $\triangle R S T, \mathrm{~m} \angle S=135, r=27$, and $t=19$. What is the area of $\triangle R S T$ to the nearest tenth of a square unit?

1) 90.7
2) 181.4
3) 256.5
4) 362.7

5 Two sides of a triangular-shaped sandbox measure 22 feet and 13 feet. If the angle between these two sides measures $55^{\circ}$, what is the area of the sandbox, to the nearest square foot?

1) 82
2) 117
3) 143
4) 234

6 In parallelogram $B F L O, O L=3.8, L F=7.4$, and $\mathrm{m} \angle O=126$. If diagonal $\overline{B L}$ is drawn, what is the area of $\triangle B L F$ ?

1) 11.4
2) 14.1
3) 22.7
4) 28.1

7 The area of triangle $A B C$ is 42 . If $A B=8$ and $\mathrm{m} \angle B=61$, the length of $\overline{B C}$ is approximately

1) 5.1
2) 9.2
3) 12.0
4) 21.7

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8 Determine the area, to the nearest integer, of $\triangle S R O$ shown below.


9 Find, to the nearest tenth, the area of $\triangle A B C$ if $a=6, b=10$, and $\mathrm{m} \angle C=18$.

10 In $\triangle D E F, \mathrm{~m} \angle D=40, D E=12$ meters, and $D F=8$ meters. Find the area of $\triangle D E F$ to the nearest tenth of a square meter.

11 In $\triangle A B C, a=12, b=20.5$, and $m \angle C=73$. Find the area of $\triangle A B C$, to the nearest tenth.

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12 The accompanying diagram shows the floor plan for a kitchen. The owners plan to carpet all of the kitchen except the "work space," which is represented by scalene triangle $A B C$. Find the area of this work space to the nearest tenth of a square foot.


13 Two sides of a triangular-shaped pool measure 16 feet and 21 feet, and the included angle measures $58^{\circ}$. What is the area, to the nearest tenth of a square foot, of a nylon cover that would exactly cover the surface of the pool?

14 A landscape architect is designing a triangular garden to fit in the corner of a lot. The corner of the lot forms an angle of $70^{\circ}$, and the sides of the garden including this angle are to be 11 feet and 13 feet, respectively. Find, to the nearest integer, the number of square feet in the area of the garden.

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## Answer Section

1 ANS: 2
$K=\frac{1}{2}(8)(5) \sin 57 \approx 16.8$
REF: spr2403geo
2 ANS: 2
$K=\frac{1}{2}(10)(18) \sin 120=45 \sqrt{3} \approx 78$
REF: fall0907a2
3 ANS: 2
REF: 010219siii
4 ANS: 2
$K=\frac{1}{2}(27)(19) \sin 135 \approx 181.4$
REF: 061602a2
5 ANS: 2
$\frac{1}{2}(22)(13) \sin 55 \approx 117$
REF: 061403a2
6 ANS: 1
$\frac{1}{2}(7.4)(3.8) \sin 126 \approx 11.4$
REF: 011218a2
7 ANS: 3
$42=\frac{1}{2}(a)(8) \sin 61$
$42 \approx 3.5 a$
$12 \approx a$
REF: 011316a2
8 ANS:
$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 15 \cdot 31.6 \sin 125 \approx 194$
REF: 011633a2
9 ANS:
9.3

REF: 088909siii

10 ANS:
30.9

REF: 080216siii
11 ANS:
$K=\frac{1}{2}(12)(20.5) \sin 73 \approx 117.6$

REF: 061022b
12 ANS:
164.2. $K=\frac{1}{2}(12)(31) \sin 62^{\circ} \approx 164.2$

REF: 010225b
13 ANS:
142.5. $K=\frac{1}{2}(16)(21) \sin 58^{\circ} \approx 142.5$

REF: 080226b
14 ANS:
67. $K=\frac{1}{2}(11)(13) \sin 70^{\circ} \approx 67$

REF: 060525b

