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MATH 307

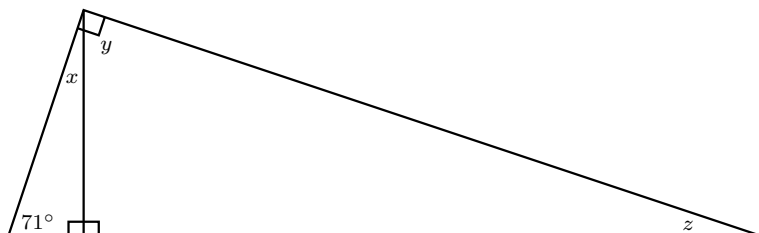
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HW 10: Due 04/14

"There is geometry in the humming of the strings; there is music in the spacing of the spheres."

–Pythagoras

Problem 1. (10pt) Find the angles marked x , y , and z in the triangle given below.



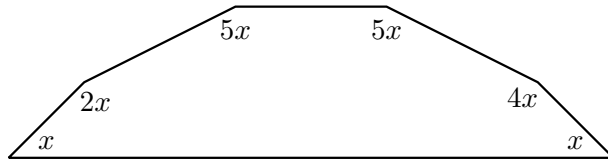
Solution. The sum of the angles in a triangle is 180° . But we know the sum of the angles of the leftmost triangle is $71^\circ + 90^\circ + x = 180^\circ$. But then $x = 19^\circ$. But we know that angle x and y are complementary, i.e. $x + y = 90^\circ$. Then we know $19^\circ + y = 90^\circ$. This implies that $y = 71^\circ$. But we know that the sum of the angles in the rightmost triangle is $90^\circ + z + 71^\circ$. This implies that $z = 19^\circ$. Therefore, we have...

$$x = 19^\circ$$

$$y = 71^\circ$$

$$z = 19^\circ$$

Problem 2. (10pt) Find x in the following figure:



Problem 3. (10pt) A simple closed curve is plotted below. Determine whether the red point is located on the interior or the exterior of the curve. Be sure to justify your answer.

