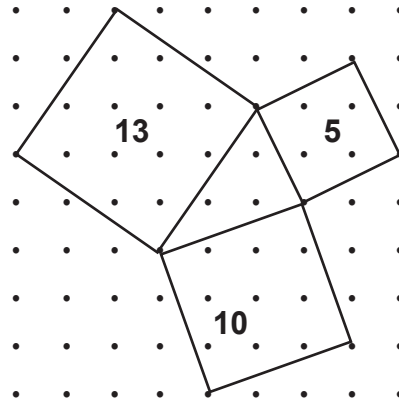
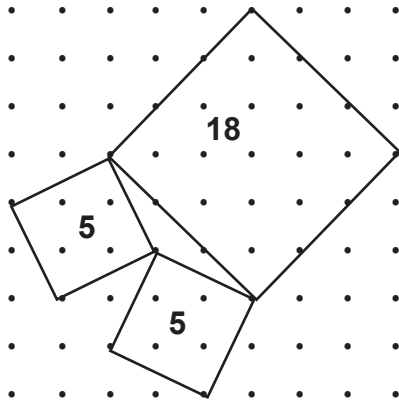


## Inverse of Pythagorean Theorem

**Supplementary material for groups that move at a faster pace than other groups in the class**

We can use the geoboard to show that if the angle opposite to side  $c$  is greater than  $90^\circ$ , then  $a^2 + b^2 < c^2$ , and if the angle opposite to  $c$  is less than  $90^\circ$ , then  $a^2 + b^2 > c^2$ .



- 1) Construct a triangle on the geoboard that does not have a right angle.
- 2) Verify that  $a^2 + b^2 \neq c^2$