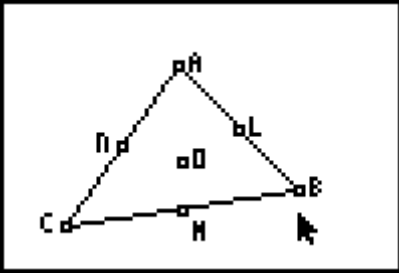
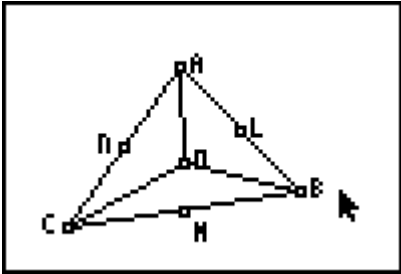
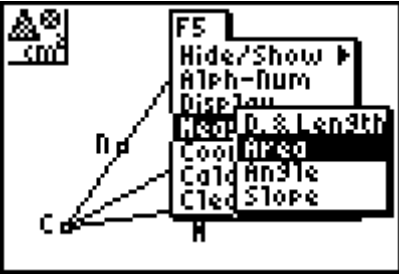
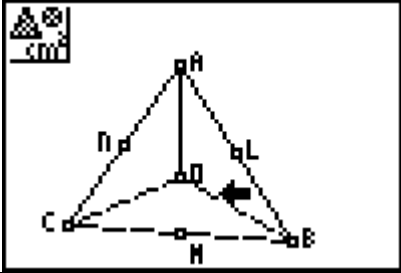
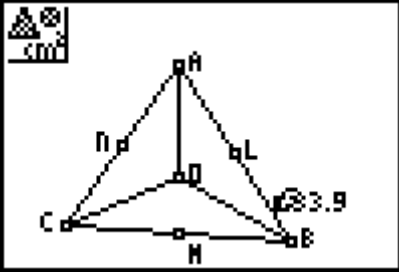


Investigating the area and the centroid of a circle:

<p>Open CTR1 and hide all the medians</p> 	<p>Draw $\triangle BOC$, $\triangle AOC$ and $\triangle AOB$</p> 
<p>Find the areas of $\triangle BOC$, $\triangle AOC$ and $\triangle AOB$</p> 	<p>Move the cursor so that the desired triangle becomes "active" and press ENTER</p> 
	<p>Find the areas of the three triangles then press CLEAR</p> <p>Now select, grab and drag the vertices of the triangle and investigate the results by answering the following questions.</p>

- 1) What is true about the areas of $\triangle BOC$, $\triangle AOC$ and $\triangle AOB$? _____
- 2) How could you find the area of $\triangle ABC$ with this information?

- 3) Write a statement that you believe to be true from your observations.
