



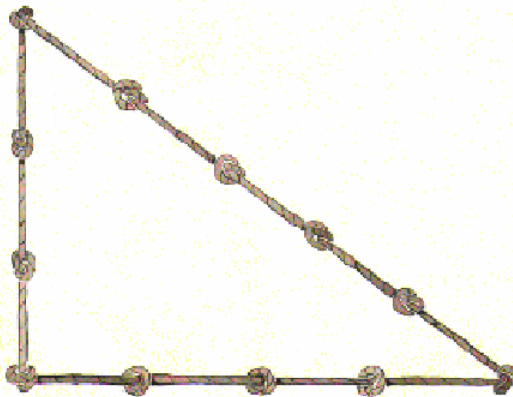
# Egyptian Rope



The ancient Egyptians were said to make right-angled triangles using a rope which was knotted to make 12 equal sections.



If you have a rope knotted like this, what other triangles can you make? (You must have a knot at each corner.)



What regular shapes can you make - that is, shapes with equal sides and equal angles?

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