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r, s ARE ROOTS OF $x^2 + 3x + c = 0$ so $r \cdot s = c, r + s = -3$

B IF $r^2 + s^2 = 33$ THEN $(r + s)^2 = r^2 + 2rs + s^2 = 3^2 = 9$

$(r + s)^2 - (r^2 + s^2) = 2rs = 9 - 33 = -24$ so $rs = \boxed{-12 = c}$

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DROP 1ST AT 12 FE, IF IT BREAKS DROP 2ND AT 1 FE, INCREASE BY 1 UNTIL IT BREAKS. 12TH DROP AT 11 FE
 IF 1ST DID NOT BREAK AT 12 FE DROP 1ST AT 23 FE
 IF IT BREAKS AT 23 FE DROP 2ND AT 13 FE INCREASE BY 1 FE UNTIL IT BREAKS, 12TH TOTAL DROP AT 22 FE.

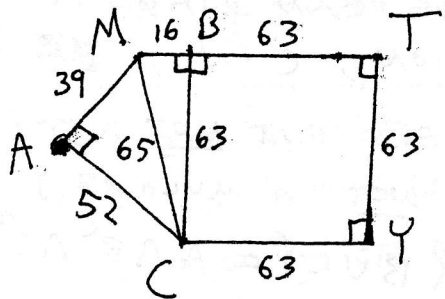
GET A SEQUENCE OF DROP HEIGHTS FOR 1ST IF IT DOES NOT BREAK

PROP 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
12	23	33	42	50	57	63	68	72	75	77	78
	UP BY 11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

IF 1ST BALL BREAKS AT A LEVEL SAY AT 63 FE THEN DROP 2ND AT 58 FE AND INCREASE BY 1 FE.
 ANY HEIGHT FROM 1 FE TO 78 FE CAN BE KNOWN.
 BREAK

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$MB = MT - BT = 79 - 63 = 16$

$(MB)^2 + (BC)^2 = (MC)^2$

$16^2 + 63^2 = 65^2, AM = 39, AC = 52$

SO $\triangle AMC$ IS A RIGHT TRIANGLE

$13 \times (3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5)$ RIGHT TRIANGLE $AM \perp AC$

AREA OF AMTYC IS AREA $\triangle AMC$ + AREA $\triangle MBC$ + AREA SQUARE BTYC

AREA OF AMTYC = $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 39 \cdot 52 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 16 \cdot 63 + 63^2 = 5487$