Name _____   Date _____

Measure each set of lines in inches and write the length on the line. Complete the comparison sentence.

1. Line A   _____

    Line B _____

    Line A measured about _____ inches.   Line B measured about _____ inches.

    Line A is about _____ inches **longer** than Line B.

2. Line C   _____

    Line D   _____

    Line C measured about _____ inches.   Line D measured about _____ inches.

    Line D is about _____ inches **shorter** than Line C.

3. Solve. Check your answers with a related addition or subtraction sentence.

    a. 8 inches – 5 inches = _____inches

        _____inches + 5 inches = 8 inches

b. 8 centimeters + _____ centimeters = 19 centimeters

c. 17 centimeters – 8 centimeters = _____ centimeters

d. _____ centimeters + 6 centimeters = 18 centimeters

e. 2 inches + _____ inches = 7 inches

f. 12 inches - _____ = 8 inches

Answer Key

1. 5; 3; 2

2. 4; 3; 1

3. a. 3; 3

    b. 11; 19 cm − 8 cm = 11 cm

    c. 9; 8 cm + 9 cm = 17 cm

    d. 12; 18 cm − 6 cm = 12 cm

    e. 5; 7 in − 2 in = 5 in

    f. 4; 8 in + 4 in = 12 in