



Problem:

Solve the inequality, using the majorant method:

$$-|y| + x - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 - 1} \geq 1.$$

Solution:

$$-|y| + x - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 - 1} \geq 1 \Rightarrow (*) \quad x - 1 - |y| \geq \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 - 1} \geq 0 \Rightarrow x - 1 - |y| \geq 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow x \geq 1 + |y| \quad (**) \Rightarrow \text{in this case } x^2 + y^2 \geq x^2 \geq 1.$$

Now let's square both parts of (*) (both parts are non-negative) $\Rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 1 + y^2 - 2x + 2|y| - 2x|y| \geq x^2 + y^2 - 1 \Rightarrow 1 \geq x - |y| + x|y|, \Rightarrow x - 1 - |y| \leq -x|y|,$$

but from (**) we have $x - 1 - |y| \geq 0$, where $x \geq 1 \Rightarrow -x|y| \geq x - 1 - |y| \geq 0 \Rightarrow x|y| \leq 0, x \geq 1 \Rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow |y| \leq 0 \Rightarrow y = 0 \Rightarrow x \geq 1, \text{ and evidently in this case } x - \sqrt{x^2 - 1} \geq 1, \text{ as long as } (x - 1)^2 \geq x^2 - 1.$$

So, the solution to the inequality will be the points $(x, y): \begin{cases} y = 0 \\ x \geq 1 \end{cases}.$

Answer: $\{(x, 0) \mid x \geq 1\}.$