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It has been proved that the dimension, ln3/ln2, of the classic Sierpiński Triangle is a strict local minimum of the dimension function for the Sierpiński Pedal Triangles, a family of new fractals that were constructed and studied by Zhang et al. recently. We further investigate the global minimization problem for this dimension function. (Received April 07, 2008)