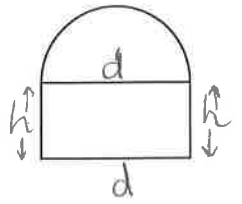


Instructions: Show work and put a box around your final answer.

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1. You are designing a window consisting of a rectangle with a half-circle on top, as illustrated. The client can only afford 1 meter of window framing material. The framing material runs around the outside of the window and between the rectangular and semicircular regions. What should the diameter of the half-circle be to maximize the area of the window?



- (a) Label the diagram with the appropriate variables. Find the function to be optimized.

Constraint - framing material

$$1 = \underbrace{h+d+h+d}_{\text{around rectangle}} + \underbrace{\frac{\pi d}{2}}_{\text{half circumference}}$$

$$1 = 2h + (2 + \frac{\pi}{2})d \quad (\text{relationship})$$

$h \leftrightarrow d$

$$(1 - (2 + \frac{\pi}{2})d) \frac{1}{2} = h$$

$$h = \frac{1}{2} - (1 + \frac{\pi}{4})d$$

Function to be optimized

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \pi r^2 + hd$$

notice  $d = 2r$  by definition of circle's radius and diameter

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \pi (\frac{d}{2})^2 + hd \quad (\text{two vars})$$

$$A(d) = \frac{1}{2} \pi (\frac{d^2}{4}) + (\frac{1}{2} - (1 + \frac{\pi}{4})d)d$$

$$A(d) = \frac{\pi}{8} d^2 + \frac{1}{2} d - (1 + \frac{\pi}{4}) d^2$$

(single-variable)

can consolidate some more if you want

- (b) Find the critical points of this function.

$$A'(d) = \frac{\pi}{4} d + \frac{1}{2} - (2 + \frac{\pi}{2})d \quad (\text{never undef})$$

$$0 = \frac{\pi}{4} d + \frac{1}{2} - (2 + \frac{\pi}{2})d \quad (A' = 0)$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4} d - (2 + \frac{\pi}{2})d$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} = d \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - 2 - \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = d \left( -2 - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \rightarrow \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{(-2 - \frac{\pi}{4})} = d = \frac{1}{4 + \frac{\pi}{2}}$$

- (c) Use the first or second derivative test on the critical points that make sense in the context of this problem.

$$A''(d) = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{2} - 2 - \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{-3}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} < 0 \quad \text{for all } d$$

in particular,  $A''(\text{critical pt}) < 0$

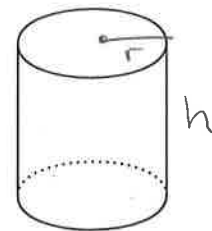
so by the second derivative test,  $d = \frac{1}{4 + \frac{\pi}{2}}$  is the location of a maximum.

- (d) Answer the question.

The diameter should be  $\frac{1}{4 + \frac{\pi}{2}}$  meters.

Instructions: Show work and put a box around your final answer.

1. You are designing a cylindrical can which has a bottom but no lid. The can must have a volume of  $1000\text{cm}^3$ . What should the height and radius of the can be to minimize its surface area?



- (a) Label the diagram with the appropriate variables. Find the function to be optimized.

Constraint - volume

$$V = 1000 = \pi r^2 h$$

$$\frac{1000}{\pi r^2} = h$$

(relationship between  $h$  and  $r$ )

Function to be optimized

$$A = \pi r^2 + 2\pi r h \quad (\text{two variables!})$$

$$A(r) = \pi r^2 + 2\pi r \left( \frac{1000}{\pi r^2} \right)$$

$$A(r) = \pi r^2 + \frac{2000}{r}$$

single variable function

- (b) Find the critical points of this function.

$$A'(r) = 2\pi r - \frac{2000}{r^2} \quad \text{undef at } r=0 \quad (\text{but } r \text{ not in domain of } A, \text{ so it's not a crit. point})$$

$$0 = 2\pi r - \frac{2000}{r^2} \quad (A' = 0)$$

$$2\pi r = \frac{2000}{r^2}$$

$$2\pi r^3 = 2000 \quad \text{so} \quad r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1000}{\pi}} = \frac{10}{\sqrt[3]{\pi}} \quad (\text{critical point})$$

- (c) Use the first or second derivative test on the critical points that make sense in the context of this problem.

We don't want a can with radius = 0, so ignore  $r=0$  critical point

$$A''(r) = 2\pi + \frac{4000}{r^3} > 0 \quad \text{for all positive } r$$

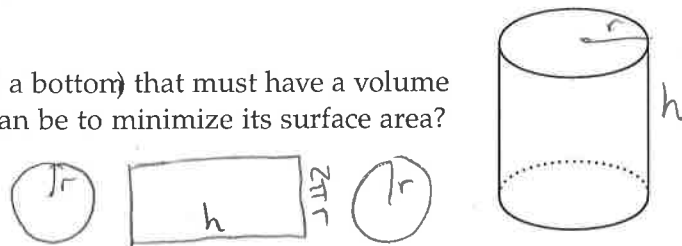
in particular,  $A''(\text{critical point}) > 0$  so by the second derivative test,  $r = \frac{10}{\sqrt[3]{\pi}}$  is the location of a minimum of  $A(r)$

- (d) Answer the question.

$$h = \frac{1000}{\pi r^2} = \frac{1000}{\pi} \frac{\pi^{-2/3}}{100} = \boxed{10 \pi^{-5/3} \text{ cm}} \quad \text{and} \quad \boxed{r = \frac{10}{\sqrt[3]{\pi}} \text{ cm}}$$

Instructions: Show work and put a box around your final answer.

1. You are designing a cylindrical can (with both a top and a bottom) that must have a volume of  $1000\text{cm}^3$ . What should the height and radius of the can be to minimize its surface area?



- (a) Label the diagram with the appropriate variables. Find the function to be optimized.

Constraint - volume

$$V = 1000 = h \cdot \pi r^2$$

$$\frac{1000}{\pi r^2} = h$$

(relationship between  $h$  and  $r$ )

Function to be optimized

$$A = \underbrace{\pi r^2 + \pi r^2}_{\text{area of top \& bottom}} + \underbrace{2\pi r h}_{\text{area of rectangle}}$$

$$A = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r h \quad (\text{two vars!})$$

$$A(r) = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r \left( \frac{1000}{\pi r^2} \right)$$

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single variable function

- (b) Find the critical points of this function.

$$A'(r) = 4\pi r - \frac{2000}{r^2} \quad \text{undefined at } r=0$$

(but  $r$  not in domain of  $A$ , so not a critical point)

$$0 = 4\pi r - \frac{2000}{r^2} \quad (A'=0)$$

$$\frac{2000}{r^2} = 4\pi r$$

$$2000 = 4\pi r^3 \quad \text{so } r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{500}{\pi}} \quad (\text{critical point})$$

- (c) Use the first or second derivative test on the critical points that make sense in the context of this problem.

We don't want a can with radius = 0, so don't bother with  $r=0$

$$A''(r) = 4\pi + \frac{4000}{r^3} > 0 \quad \text{for all positive radius}$$

in particular,  $A''(\text{critical point}) > 0$  so by the second derivative test,  $r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{500}{\pi}}$  is the location of a minimum of  $A(r)$

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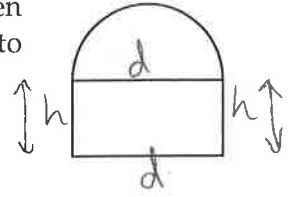
$$h = \frac{1000}{\pi r^2} = \frac{1000}{\pi} \left( \frac{500}{\pi} \right)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \text{ cm} \quad \text{and} \quad r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{500}{\pi}} \text{ cm}$$

↑ plug in  $r$

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- (a) Label the diagram with the appropriate variables. Find the function to be optimized.

Constraint - framing material

$$1 = \underbrace{h + d + h}_{\text{rectangle part}} + \underbrace{\frac{\pi d}{2}}_{\text{half-circle}}$$

$$1 = 2h + \left(1 + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)d \quad (\text{relationship})$$

$h \leftrightarrow d$

$$\left(1 - \left(1 + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)d\right) \frac{1}{2} = h \quad (\text{solving for } h)$$

$$h = \frac{1}{2} - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)d$$

Function to be optimized

$$A = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}\pi r^2}_{\text{half circle}} + \underbrace{hd}_{\text{rectangle}}$$

Remember radius is half of diameter

$$A = \frac{1}{2}\pi \left(\frac{d}{2}\right)^2 + hd \quad (\text{two variables!})$$

$$A(d) = \frac{1}{2}\pi \frac{d^2}{4} + \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{2} - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)d\right)}_{\text{from } h} d$$

$$A(d) = \frac{\pi}{8}d^2 + \frac{1}{2}d - \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)d^2$$

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can consolidate further if you want

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$$-\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}d - d - \frac{\pi}{2}d = -d - \frac{\pi}{4}d = d\left(-1 - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{\left(-1 - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = d = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{1}{2 + \frac{\pi}{2}} \quad \text{so } d = \frac{1}{2 + \frac{\pi}{2}} \text{ is the critical point of } A(d)$$

- (c) Use the first or second derivative test on the critical points that make sense in the context of this problem.

$$A''(d) = \frac{\pi}{4} - \left(1 + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -1 - \frac{\pi}{4} < 0 \quad \text{for all } d$$

in particular,  $A''(\text{critical point}) < 0$ 

so by second derivative test,  $d = \frac{1}{2 + \frac{\pi}{2}}$  is the location of a maximum of the area function.

- (d) Answer the question.

The diameter should be  $\frac{1}{2 + \frac{\pi}{2}}$  meters.