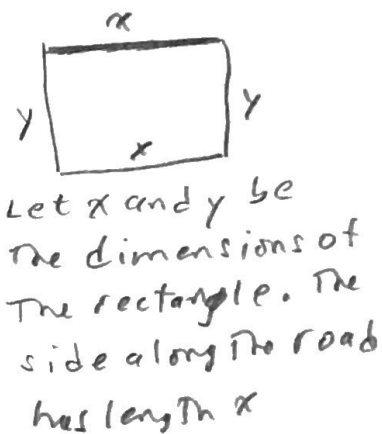


① Cost = (cost of fencing along road)  
 + (cost of fencing on other 3 sides)  
 = (length of fence along road)  $\times$  (cost per foot)  
 + (length of other 3 sides)  $\times$  (cost per foot)

$$C = x \cdot 3 + (x + y + y) \cdot 1 = 4x + 2y$$

$$A = \text{area of pen} = xy$$



a) Maximize  $A = xy$  with constraint Cost = 200. So,  $200 = 4x + 2y$ . Also,  $x \geq 0$  and  $y \geq 0$ .  
 Solve the constraint for  $y$ :  $2y = 200 - 4x$ ,  $y = 100 - 2x$ .  
 So  $A = xy = x(100 - 2x) = 100x - 2x^2$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 50$   
 [ $y \geq 0 \Rightarrow 100 - 2x \geq 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x \leq 50$ ]

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 100 - 4x$$

Critical point occurs when  $100 - 4x = 0$ , or  $x = 25$ .

The area at  $x = 25$  is  $100 \cdot 25 - 2 \cdot 25^2 = 2500 - 2 \cdot 625 = 1250$

At the endpoints, ( $x = 0$  and  $x = 50$ ),  $A$  is 0.

So, 1250 ft<sup>2</sup> is the maximum area. [It occurs when  $x = 25$  ft and  $y = 50$  ft, but the problem does not ask for the dimensions.]

b) Minimize cost subject to the constraint that area = 800  
 Minimize  $C = 4x + 2y$  where  $800 = xy \Rightarrow y = \frac{800}{x}$ .

$$C = 4x + 2 \cdot \frac{800}{x} = 4x + \frac{1600}{x}, \quad x > 0$$

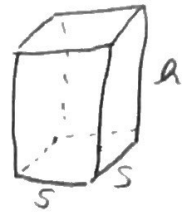
$$\frac{dC}{dx} = 4 - \frac{1600}{x^2}, \quad \text{Critical point: } 4 - \frac{1600}{x^2} = 0 \Rightarrow 4 = \frac{1600}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 = 1600 \Rightarrow x^2 = 400 \Rightarrow x = 20. \quad \text{When } x = 20,$$

$$C = 4 \cdot 20 + \frac{1600}{20} = 80 + 80 = 160. \quad \frac{d^2C}{dx^2} = \frac{3200}{x^3} > 0 \text{ when } x > 0,$$

So  $C = \$160$  is a minimum by 2<sup>nd</sup> derivative Test.

- ② Minimize  $A = 2s^2 + 4sh$ , with the constraint  $V = s^2h = 8$ . Solving the constraint for  $h$  gives  $h = \frac{8}{s^2}$ , and



Let  $s$  be the length of the side of the square bottom and let  $h$  be the height, then Area =  $s^2 + s^2 + sh + sh + sh + sh = 2s^2 + 4sh$

$$A = 2s^2 + 4s \cdot \left(\frac{8}{s^2}\right) = 2s^2 + \frac{32}{s}, \quad s > 0.$$

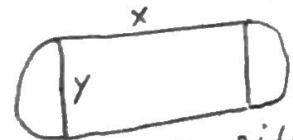
$\frac{dA}{ds} = 4s - \frac{32}{s^2}$ . The critical point occurs when  $4s - \frac{32}{s^2} = 0$ , or  $4s^3 = 32$ , or  $s^3 = 8$ , or  $s = 2$ . When  $s = 2$ ,

$$h = \frac{8}{s^2} = \frac{8}{4} = 2 \text{ also. } \frac{d^2A}{ds^2} = \frac{64}{s^3} > 0 \text{ on}$$

the domain  $s > 0$ . So the function is always

concave up, and  $s = 2 \text{ ft}$ ,  $h = 2 \text{ ft}$  gives a minimum volume.

- ③ Maximize  $A = xy$  subject to the constraint that the perimeter is 440 meters. The perimeter consists of two sides of length  $x$  plus the circumference of a circle of diameter  $y$ , so the constraint is  $440 = 2x + \pi y$ .



Let  $y$  be the side of the rectangle that is also a diameter of the semicircle, and let  $x$  be the other side of the rectangle.

$$\text{Solving for } x, \quad x = \frac{440 - \pi y}{2}$$

$$\text{So } A = xy = \left(\frac{440 - \pi y}{2}\right)y = \frac{1}{2}(440y - \pi y^2),$$

$y$  must be  $\geq 0$ , and we must also have  $\pi y \leq 440$ ,

so, maximize  $A = \frac{1}{2}(440y - \pi y^2)$  on the interval  $0 \leq y \leq \frac{440}{\pi}$ .

$\frac{dA}{dy} = \frac{1}{2}(440 - 2\pi y)$ . Critical point occurs when

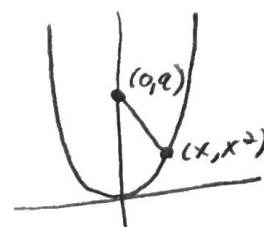
$$440 - 2\pi y = 0, \text{ or } y = \frac{220}{\pi}. \text{ At that point,}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}\left(440 \cdot \frac{220}{\pi} - \pi \left(\frac{220}{\pi}\right)^2\right) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot 220(440 - 220) = \frac{24200}{\pi} \approx 7703.1.$$

At the two end points,  $A = 0$ , so the maximum value is  $A = \frac{24200}{\pi}$  square meters  $\approx 7703.1$  square meters.

④ We want to minimize distance

$D = \sqrt{(x-d)^2 + (x^2-a)^2}$ . It suffices to minimize the square of the distance,



$$S = x^2 + (x^2 - a)^2$$

$$= x^2 + x^4 - 2ax^2 + a^2$$

$$= x^4 + (1-2a)x^2 + a^2 \quad [\text{with no restriction on } x]$$

$$\frac{dS}{dx} = 4x^3 + 2(1-2a)x = 2x(2x^2 + (1-2a))$$

The critical points occur when  $2x = 0$  or

$$2x^2 + (1-2a) = 0; \text{ The second equation says}$$

$2x^2 = -(1-2a) = 2a-1$ , which only has a solution

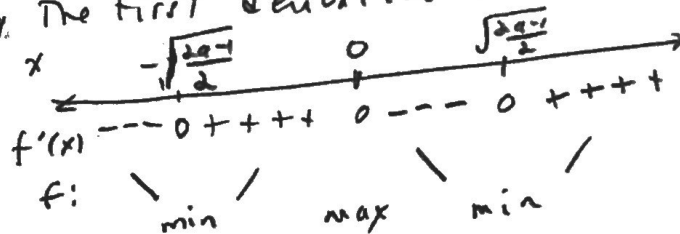
when  $2a-1 \geq 0$ . In that case,  $x^2 = \frac{2a-1}{2}$ ,  $x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2a-1}{2}}$

Case  $2a-1 \geq 0$

$a \geq \frac{1}{2}$

The critical points are  $0, \sqrt{\frac{2a-1}{2}}, -\sqrt{\frac{2a-1}{2}}$

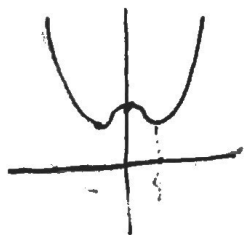
Using the first derivative Test:



We see  $x=0$  gives a local maximum, and  $x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2a-1}{2}}$  gives a minimum.

The value at both points is  $\sqrt{\frac{2a-1}{2}}$

The graph of  $S$  looks like



Case  $2a-1 < 0$

$a < \frac{1}{2}$

The only critical point is  $x=0$ .

$$\frac{d^2S}{dx^2} = 12x^2 + 2(1-2a), \text{ which is}$$

always positive because  $1-2a > 0$ .

So  $x=0$  gives a minimum because

The graph is always concave up

(5) Maximize  $xy^2$ , subject to  $x+y=1$ ,  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$ .

Since  $x+y=1$ ,  $x=1-y$ , and we want to

maximize  $z = (1-y)y^2 = y^2 - y^3$ , where  $0 \leq y \leq 1$ .

$\frac{dz}{dy} = 2y - 3y^2$ , so the critical point occurs when

$y(2-3y) = 0$ , that is, when  $y = 0$  or  $y = \frac{2}{3}$

Checking the endpoints and the critical points,

$z = 0$  when  $y = 0$  or  $y = 1$ , and  $z > 0$  when  $y = \frac{2}{3}$ .

So the maximum occurs when  $y = \frac{2}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{1}{3}$ .

(6) Maximize  $Z = x^n y^m$  subject to  $x+y=1$ ,  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$ .

Then  $Z = x^n (1-x)^m$ , and  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ .

$$\frac{dz}{dx} = x^n \frac{d}{dx} (1-x)^m + (1-x)^m \frac{d}{dx} x^n$$

$$= x^n \cdot m(1-x)^{m-1} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (1-x) + (1-x)^m \cdot n x^{n-1}$$

$$= m x^n (1-x)^{m-1} (-1) + n (1-x)^m \cdot x^{n-1}$$

$$= -m x \cdot x^{n-1} (1-x)^{m-1} + n (1-x) (1-x)^{m-1} x^{n-1}$$

$$= x^{n-1} (1-x)^{m-1} [-m x + n (1-x)]$$

$$= x^{n-1} (1-x)^{m-1} [-m x + n - n x]$$

$$= x^{n-1} (1-x)^{m-1} [n - (n+m)x]$$

Critical points occur when  $x=0$ ,  $x=1$ , or  $n - (n+m)x = 0$ .

That is  $x=0$ ,  $x=1$ ,  $x = \frac{n}{n+m}$ .  $z=0$  at  $x=0$  and  $x=1$

and is positive when  $x = \frac{n}{n+m}$ , so the maximum

occurs when  $x = \frac{n}{n+m}$  and  $y = 1 - \frac{n}{n+m} = \frac{(n+m)-n}{n+m} = \frac{m}{n+m}$ .