

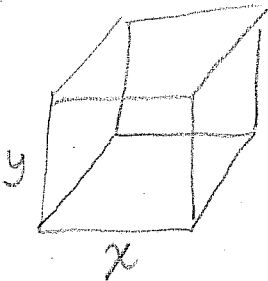
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## Quiz 11

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**Question 1. (10 marks)**

A rectangular storage container with a square base and an open top is to be constructed. It must have a total volume of  $4\text{m}^3$ . Find the dimensions of the container if the total surface area of the storage container is to be a minimum.



$$V = x^2 y$$

$$4 = x^2 y$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4/x^2$$

$$A = x^2 + 4xy$$

$$A = x^2 + 4x\left(\frac{4}{x^2}\right)$$

$$A = x^2 + \frac{16}{x}$$

$$A' = 2x - \frac{16}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = \frac{16}{x^2}$$

$$x^3 = 8$$

$$x = 2$$

$$A'' = 2 + \frac{16}{x^3}$$

$$A''(2) = 4 > 0 \text{ so}$$

$x = 2$  is a min

$$x = 2 \quad y = 4/x^2 = 4/4 = 1$$

The box is  $2\text{m} \times 2\text{m} \times 1\text{m}$ .