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a) Trapezoidal Prism

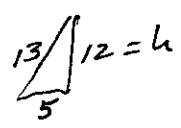
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= Bh \text{ in cm}^3 \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{2}(8+2)4 \right] [10] \text{ cm}^3 \\ &= 200 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

So, the volume of the prism is 200 cm^3

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Surface Area} &= 2B + (8 \times 10) + (2 \times 10) + 2(5 \times 10) \text{ cm}^2 \\ &= 40 + 80 + 20 + 100 \text{ cm}^2 \\ &= 240 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

So, the surface area of the prism is 240 cm^2

b) Square Pyramid

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= \frac{1}{3} Bh \text{ cm}^3 \quad \text{We find } h \text{ using the Pythagorean Theorem.} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} (10 \times 10) (12) \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$


So, the volume of the pyramid is 400 cm^3

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Surface Area} &= B + 4 \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 13 \right) \text{ cm}^2 \\ &= 100 + 260 \text{ cm}^2 \\ &= 360 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

So, the surface area of the pyramid is 360 cm^2

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Understand The Problem

I will consider making a box by cutting squares out of the four corners of a $16'' \times 16''$ piece of material, and the folding up the sides to form the box. As larger squares are cut out of the corners, the box will become taller but more narrow. I seek a box with whole number dimensions that has maximum volume.

Make A Plan

I will make a table and record the boxes' volumes as a function of the size of the square I cut out.

Carry Out The Plan

<u>Size of Square (in)</u>	<u>Dimensions of box (in)</u>	<u>Volume of box (in³)</u>
1x1	14x14x1	196 in ³
2x2	12x12x2	288 in ³
3x3	10x10x3	300 in ³
4x4	8x8x4	256 in ³
5x5	6x6x5	180 in ³

So the box of greatest volume will have dimensions $10'' \times 10'' \times 3''$.

Look Back

This method allowed me to answer the question posed by this problem.

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b) The completed table is shown below. Base areas were computed using the formula $A = \pi r^2$; Volumes were computed using the formula $V = \frac{1}{3} Bh$.

Cone #	1	2	3	4	5	6
Central Angle	45°	90°	135°	225°	270°	315°
Radius (cm) of base	1.25	2.50	3.75	6.25	7.50	8.75
Base Area (cm ²)	4.91	19.63	44.16	122.66	176.63	240.41
Height (cm) of cone	9.92	9.68	9.27	7.81	6.61	4.84
Volume (cm ³) of cone	16.22	63.32	136.44	319.32	389.16	387.86

c) For central angles of decreasing size from 45° down, the volume decreases. As central angles increase in size from 315° up, the volume also decreases. I think the maximum volume occurs for a central angle between 270° and 315°.