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As discussed in the class, the expression for finding the range x of a shell fired from a cannon mounted on the tower of a fortress as a function of launch angle ϑ is given as:

$$x(\vartheta) = \frac{v_0 \cos \vartheta}{g} [v_0 \sin \vartheta + \sqrt{(v_0^2 \sin^2 \vartheta) + 2y_0 g}]$$

Write down the simplest possible analytical expression for launch angle ϑ as a function of range x . Show steps.