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1500 1000 500

3. Perimeter of rectangle = 2(h+a)=237 where a is the length of the other edge of rectangle. Area of the rectangle is = $h \times a$. Use perimeter equation

and solve for $a = \frac{237-2h}{2}$ Then reformulate the area $H = h \times a = \frac{237 \, h}{2} - h^2$ which turns out to be

a quadratic Parabola:

H
3500
2500
2000

Compute the vertex $\frac{237}{4}$ and then plug the vertex into the area which will compute the maximum area.