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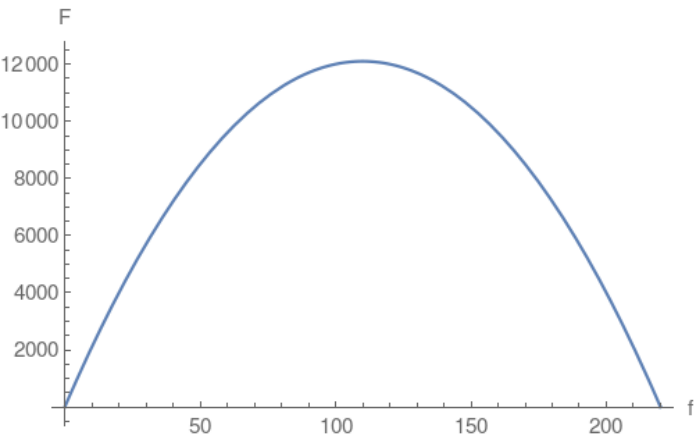
2. Perimeter of rectangle = $2(f+a)=440$ where a is the length of the other edge of rectangle. Area of the rectangle is = $f \times a$.
Use perimeter equation
and solve for a= $\frac{440-2f}{2}$

Then reformulate the area F= $f \times a = 220\,f - f^2$ which turns out to be a quadratic Parabola:



Compute the vertex $\frac{440}{4}$ and then plug the vertex into the area which will compute the maximum area.