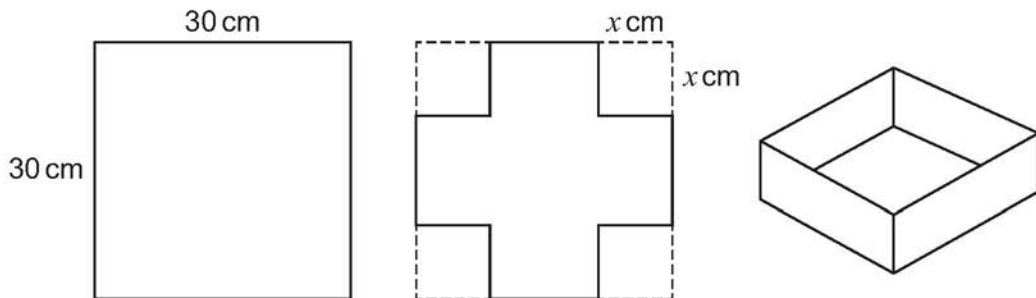


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A square sheet of metal has edges 30 cm long.

Four squares each with edge x cm, where $x < 15$, are removed from the corners of the sheet.

The four rectangular sections are bent upwards to form an open-topped box, as shown in the diagrams.



- 10 (a) Show that the capacity, $C \text{ cm}^3$, of the box is given by

$$C = 900x - 120x^2 + 4x^3$$

[2 marks]

- 10 (b) Find the maximum capacity of the box.

Fully justify your answer.

[7 marks]