

Practice Questions I

① (i) $f(x) = 3x^2 - 7x + 6$ $f'(x) = 6x - 7$

(ii) $f(x) = 10x^{-3} + 5x^{-1/2} - 10x - 1$ $f'(x) = -30x^{-4} - \frac{5}{2}x^{-3/2} - 10$

(iii) $f(x) = \frac{7x^3 + x}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{7}{2} \cdot \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{x}{\sqrt{x}}$

$= \frac{7}{2} x^{5/2} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{x}$

$f'(x) = \frac{7}{2} \times \frac{5}{2} x^{3/2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{35}{4} x^{3/2} + \frac{1}{4\sqrt{x}}$

(iv) $f(x) = \frac{5(x^4 - 7)}{8} = \frac{5}{8} x^4 - \frac{35}{8}$

$f'(x) = \frac{5}{8} \times 4x^3 - 0 = \frac{5}{2} x^3$

(v) $f(x) = \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 \times x \times \frac{1}{x} = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2$

$= x^2 + x^{-2} + 2$

$f'(x) = 2x - 2x^{-3} = 2x - \frac{2}{x^3}$

② (i) $f(x) = x^3 e^x$ $f'(x) = (x^3)' e^x + x^3 (e^x)'$

$= 3x^2 e^x + x^3 e^x$

$= e^x (3x^2 + x^3)$

$= x^2 e^x (3 + x)$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ (ii) } f(x) = 3^x x^{3/2} \quad f'(x) = (3^x)' x^{3/2} + 3^x (x^{3/2})'$$

$$= 3^x \log 3 \cdot x^{3/2} + 3^x \cdot \frac{3}{2} x^{1/2}$$

$$= 3^x x^{3/2} \log 3 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 3^{x+1} x^{1/2}$$

$$\text{(iii) } f(x) = x \log x \quad f'(x) = x' \log x + x (\log x)'$$

$$= 1 \cdot \log x + x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= \log x + 1$$

$$\text{(iv) } f(x) = (5x^3 - 8)e^x \quad f'(x) = (5x^3 - 8)' e^x + (5x^3 - 8) (e^x)'$$

$$= 15x^2 e^x + (5x^3 - 8) e^x$$

$$= e^x (5x^3 + 15x^2 - 8)$$

$$\text{(v) } f(x) = x^2 \log x + 2^x \quad f'(x) = (x^2 \log x)' + (2^x)'$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = (x^2)' \cdot \log x + x^2 (\log x)' + (2^x)'$$

$$= 2x \log x + x^2 \times \frac{1}{x} + 2^x \log 2$$

$$= 2x \log x + x + 2^x \log 2$$

$$\text{(vi) } f(x) = (16x^2 - x)e^x$$

$$f'(x) = (16x^2 - x)' e^x + (16x^2 - x) (e^x)'$$

$$= (32x - 1) e^x + (16x^2 - x) e^x$$

$$= e^x (32x - 1 + 16x^2 - x)$$

$$= e^x (16x^2 + 31x - 1)$$



(2) (vii) $f(x) = x^5 e^x \log x$.

$$f'(x) = (x^5)' e^x \log x + x^5 (e^x)' \log x + x^5 e^x (\log x)'$$

$$= 5x^4 e^x \log x + x^5 e^x \log x + x^5 e^x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= 5x^4 e^x \log x + x^5 e^x \log x + x^4 e^x$$

$$= x^4 e^x [5 \log x + 1]$$

$$= x^4 e^x [5 \log x + x \log x + 1]$$

(viii) $f(x) = 7^x (x^2 + 2x) e^x$

$$f'(x) = (7^x)' (x^2 + 2x) e^x + 7^x (x^2 + 2x)' e^x + 7^x (x^2 + 2x) (e^x)'$$

$$= 7^x \log 7 (x^2 + 2x) e^x + 7^x (2x + 2) e^x + 7^x (x^2 + 2x) e^x$$

$$= 7^x e^x [\log 7 (x^2 + 2x) + (2x + 2) + (x^2 + 2x)]$$

$$= 7^x e^x [x^2 \log 7 + 2x \log 7 + 2x + 2 + x^2 + 2x]$$

$$= 7^x e^x [x^2 \log 7 + 2x \log 7 + x^2 + 4x + 2]$$

(3) (i) $f(x) = \frac{2x+1}{x-1}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x-1)(2x+1)' - (x-1)'(2x+1)}{(x-1)^2} = \frac{(x-1) \times 2 - 1(2x+1)}{(x-1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x - 2 - 2x - 1}{(x-1)^2} = \frac{-3}{(x-1)^2}$$



$$(3) \text{ (ii) } f(x) = \frac{x^3 - x^2 + 1}{x^2 - 1}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x^2 - 1)(x^3 - x^2 + 1)' - (x^2 - 1)'(x^3 - x^2 + 1)}{(x^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(x^2 - 1)(3x^2 - 2x) - (2x)(x^3 - x^2 + 1)}{(x^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x - 2x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x}{(x^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{x^4 - 3x^2}{(x^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$\text{(iii) } f(x) = \frac{\log x}{x^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{x^2(\log x)' - (x^2)'\log x}{(x^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 \times \frac{1}{x} - 2x \cdot \log x}{x^4}$$

$$= \frac{x - 2x \log x}{x^4} = \frac{x(1 - 2 \log x)}{x^4}$$

$$\text{(iv) } f(x) = \frac{e^x}{\log x}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{\log x (e^x)' - (e^x)' \log x}{(\log x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\log x e^x - \frac{1}{x} e^x}{(\log x)^2} = \frac{e^x (\log x - \frac{1}{x})}{(\log x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^x (x \log x - 1)}{x (\log x)^2}$$

$$(v) f(x) = \frac{5}{1-3x} \quad f'(x) = \frac{(1-3x) \cdot (5)' - (1-3x)' \cdot (5)}{(1-3x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(1-3x) \times 0 - (-3) \times 5}{(1-3x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{15}{(1-3x)^2}$$

(4)

$$(i) f(x) = (2x-5)^4$$

$$f'(x) = 4(2x-5)^3 \times (2x-5)'$$

$$= 4(2x-5)^3 \times 2 = 8(2x-5)^3$$

$$(ii) f(x) = \log x^3$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x^3} \times (x^3)' = \frac{1}{x^3} \times 3x^2 = \frac{3}{x}$$

$$(iii) f(x) = \log(\log x)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{\log x} \times (\log x)' = \frac{1}{\log x} \times \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{x \log x}$$

$$(iv) f(x) = e^{2x-4}$$

$$f'(x) = e^{2x-4} \times (2x-4)' = e^{2x-4} \times 2 = 2e^{2x-4}$$

$$(4) \quad (v) \quad f(x) = \frac{e^{2x}}{1+\log x}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(1+\log x)(e^{2x})' - (1+\log x)'(e^{2x})}{(1+\log x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(1+\log x) 2e^{2x} - \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) e^{2x}}{(1+\log x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x} \left[2(1+\log x) - \frac{1}{x} \right]}{(1+\log x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x} \left[2x(1+\log x) - 1 \right]}{x(1+\log x)^2}$$

$$(vi) \quad f(x) = 4^{3x+1}$$

$$f'(x) = 4^{3x+1} \log 4 \cdot (3x+1)'$$

$$= 4^{3x+1} \log 4 \times 3$$

$$(vii) \quad f(x) = e^{x^2} \cdot \log x$$

$$f'(x) = (e^{x^2})' \log x + e^{x^2} (\log x)'$$

$$= e^{x^2} \times 2x \log x + e^{x^2} \times \frac{1}{x}$$



$$= e^{x^2} \left(2x \log x + \frac{1}{x} \right)$$

$$= e^{x^2} \left(\frac{2x^2 \log x + 1}{x} \right)$$

(viii) $f(x) = \log(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^3$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^3} \times \left[(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^3 \right]'$$

$$= \frac{1}{(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^3} \times 3 \cdot (3x^2 + 2x - 5)^2 \times (3x^2 + 2x - 5)'$$

$$= \frac{3(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^2}{(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^3} \times (6x + 2)$$

$$= \frac{3(6x + 2)}{(3x^2 + 2x - 5)^3}$$

(ix) $f(x) = \log(xe^x)$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{xe^x} \times (xe^x)'$$

$$= \frac{1}{xe^x} \times (x'e^x + x \cdot (e^x)')$$

$$= \frac{1}{xe^x} (e^x + xe^x) = \frac{e^x(1+x)}{xe^x} = \frac{1+x}{x}$$

④ (x) $f(x) = (e^{3x} + 1)^4$

$$f'(x) = 4(e^{3x} + 1)^3 \times (e^{3x} + 1)'$$

$$= 4(e^{3x} + 1)^3 \times e^{3x} \times (3x)'$$


$$= 4(e^{3x} + 1)^3 \times e^{3x} \times 3$$

$$= 12e^{3x} (e^{3x} + 1)^3$$

Practice Questions II

① (i) $f(x) = x^2 + 4x + 3$ $f'(x) = 2x + 4$

for Increasing/Decreasing Functions. $f'(x) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow 2x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x = -2$



Interval	Assumed Value	$f'(x)$	Result
$(-\infty, -2)$	$x = -3$	-ve	Decreasing Fn.
$(-2, \infty)$	$x = 0$	+ve	Increasing Fn.

\therefore The function is ~~a~~ ^a Decreasing function when x lies in interval $(-\infty, -2)$ and it is ~~also~~ an increasing function when x lies in the interval $(-2, \infty)$.

(ii) $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x$ $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$

for Inc/Dec fn. $f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 3x^2 - 12x + 9 = 0$

$$3x(x^2 - 4x + 3) = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3x - x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x-3) - 1(x-3) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-1) = 0$$

$$x-3=0 \text{ or } x-1=0$$

$$x=3 \text{ or } x=1$$

$$\therefore x=1, 3$$



Interval	Assumed value	$f'(x)$	Result
$(-\infty, 1)$	$x=0$	+ve	Inc. Fn.
$(1, 3)$	$x=2$	-ve	Dec. Fn.
$(3, \infty)$	$x=4$	+ve	Inc. Fn.

$\therefore f(x)$ is an inc. fn. when x

lies in the interval ~~$(-\infty, 1) \cup (3, \infty)$~~

$$[(-\infty, 1) \cup (3, \infty)]$$

$f(x)$ is a dec. fn. when x lies in the interval $(1, 3)$.

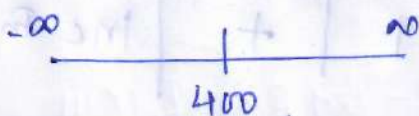
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$$R(x) = 160000 - (x-400)^2$$

$$R'(x) = -2(x-400)$$

For inc/dec fn. $R'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow -2(x-400) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x-400=0 \text{ or } x=400$$



Interval	Assumed val.	$R'(x)$	Result
$(-\infty, 400)$	$x=0$	+	Increasing Fn.
$(400, \infty)$	$x=500$	-	Dec. Fn.

3.

$$AC = x + 5 + \frac{36}{x}$$

$$AC' = 1 + 0 - \frac{36}{x^2} = 1 - \frac{36}{x^2}$$

For Inc. or Dec fn. $AC' = 0 \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{36}{x^2} = 0$

$$1 = \frac{36}{x^2} \Rightarrow x^2 = 36,$$

$$x = 6.$$



Interval	Assumed val	AC'	Result
$(-\infty, 6)$	$x=1$	-	Dec fn.
$(6, \infty)$	$x=7$	+	Inc fn.

4.

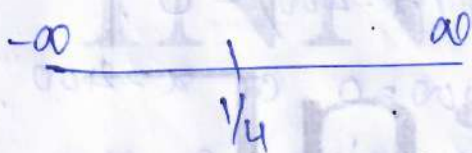
$$f(x) = x^4 - \frac{x^3}{3}$$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - \frac{3x^2}{3} = 4x^3 - x^2 = x^2(4x-1)$$

for Inc./Dec fn. $f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x^2(4x-1) = 0$

Since $x^2 > 0$ for all x $\therefore x^2$ is ignored and value of x is found by putting $4x-1=0$

$$\therefore x = \frac{1}{4}$$



Interval	Assumed val	$f'(x)$	Result
$(-\infty, \frac{1}{4})$	$x=0-1$	-	Dec. Fn.
$(\frac{1}{4}, \infty)$	$x=1$	+	Inc Fn.

5.

$$p = 5a + 3$$

$$p' = 5$$

Since $p' > 0$ for all x

∴ ^{given} Supply fn. is an increasing fn. for all x .

Practice Question III

1.

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 3$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6x + 3$$

$$f''(x) = 6x - 6$$

for Concavity/Convexity put $f'(x) = 0$

[We can also put $f''(x) = 0$ & find x]

$$3x^2 - 6x + 3 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 0$$

$$x-1 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 1$$



Interval	Assumed val.	$f''(x)$	Result
$(-\infty, 1)$	$x = 0$	-	Concave Down
$(1, \infty)$	$x = 2$	+	Concave Up
$x = 1$		0	Pt. of Inflexion.

2.

$$C(x) = 0.001x^3 - 0.3x^2 + 30x + 42$$

$$C'(x) = 0.003x^2 - 0.6x + 30$$

$$= \frac{3}{1000}x^2 - \frac{6}{10}x + 30 \Rightarrow C'(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 600x + 30000}{1000}$$

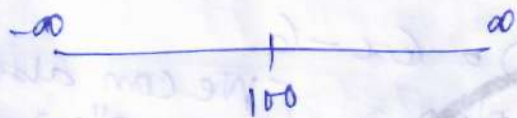
For Concavity/Convexity

$$\text{Put } C'(x) = 0 \quad \frac{3x^2 - 600x + 30000}{1000} = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 600x + 30000 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 200x + 10000 = 0$$

$$(x-100)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 100$$



$$C''(x) = 0.006x - 0.6$$

Interval	Assumed val.	$C''(x)$	Result
$(-\infty, 100)$	$x = 0$	-	Concave Down
$(100, \infty)$	$x = 200$	+	Concave Up
$x = 100$		0	Pt of Inflection

3!

$$y = x^2 + 4$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2$$

Since Second Derivative ($\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$) is positive for all x .

$y = x^2 + 4$ is a Concave Up function.

4!

~~$$y = 2x - 3 + \frac{1}{x}$$~~

~~$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 - 0 - \frac{1}{x^2} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 - \frac{1}{x^2} = 2 - x^{-2}$$~~

~~$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2x^{-3} = \frac{2}{x^3}$$~~

for Concavity/Convexity $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$

Wrong Question

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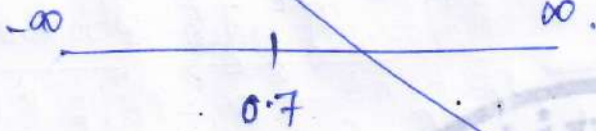
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$$2 - \frac{1}{x^2} = 0$$

$$2 = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.7$$



Interval	Assumed val.	$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$	Result
$(-\infty, 0.7)$	1	+	Concave up

5.

$$P = \frac{50}{x+3}$$

$$P' = \frac{-50}{(x+3)^2}$$

$$P'' = -50 \times [(x+3)^{-2}]'$$

$$= -50 \times (-2(x+3)^{-3})$$

$$= \frac{100}{(x+3)^3}$$

Since $P' < 0$ for all $x \therefore P = \frac{50}{x+3}$ is a Decreasing Fn.

In demand function x represents quantity.

$$\therefore x \geq 0.$$

Hence $P'' = \frac{100}{(x+3)^3} > 0$ for all x

$\therefore P = \frac{50}{x+2}$ is a Concave Up.

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Practice Question IV

1.

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 36x + 18$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 30x + 36$$

For Maxima or Minima

$$f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 6x^2 - 30x + 36 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = 3, 2.$$

$$f''(x) = 12x - 30$$

$$f''(x=3) = 12 \times 3 - 30 = 6 > 0$$

$\therefore x=3$ is the pt. of ~~Maxima~~ Minima

$$f''(x=2) = 12 \times 2 - 30 = -6 < 0$$

$x=2$ is the pt. of Maxima.

2.

(i) $f(x) = 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 1 \Rightarrow f'(x) = 9x^2 - 8x$

For Maxima or Minima $f'(x) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 9x^2 - 8x = 0 \quad x(9x - 8) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad 9x - 8 = 0$$

$$x = 8/9.$$

$$f''(x) = 18x - 8$$

$$f''(x=0) = 18 \times 0 - 8 = -8 < 0$$

$\therefore x=0$ is the pt. of Maxima.

$$f''(x=8/9) = 18 \times \frac{8}{9} - 8 = 8 > 0$$

$\therefore x=8/9$ is the pt. of Minima.

3) (i) $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x - 8$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$$

For Maxima/Minima $f'(x) = 0$

$$3x^2 - 12x + 9 = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3x - x + 3 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-1) = 0$$

$$x = 3, 1.$$

$$f''(x) = 6x - 12$$

$$f''(x=3) = 6 \times 3 - 12 = 6 > 0$$

$\therefore x=3$ is the pt of Minima.

$$f''(x=1) = 6 \times 1 - 12 = -6 < 0$$

$\therefore x=1$ is the pt of Maxima.

2) (ii) $f(x) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 4x + 4$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 6x - 4$$

For Maxima or Minima $f'(x) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 6x^2 - 6x - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow 3x^2 - 3x - 2 = 0.$$

Factors not possible.

4) $3y = x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 11$

$$f(x) = y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - x^2 - 3x + \frac{11}{3}$$

$$f'(x) = x^2 - 2x - 3.$$

For Maxima/Minima $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0$.

$$x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 - 3x + x - 3 = 0.$$

$$(x-3)(x+1) = 0.$$

$$x = 3, -1.$$

4. Continued

$$f''(x) = 2x - 2$$

$$f''(x=3) = 2 \times 3 - 2 = 4 > 0$$

$x=3$ is the pt of Minima.

$$f''(x=-1) = 2 \times (-1) - 2 = -4 < 0$$

$x=-1$ is the pt. of Maxima.

$$f''(x=1) = 2 \times 1 - 2 = 0$$

$\therefore x=1$ is the pt. of inflexion.

5.

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 36x + 18$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 30x + 36$$

For Maxima/Minima $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0$

$$6x^2 - 30x + 36 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = 3, 2.$$

Same as Q1

Practice Questions V

① $C = 0.1x^2 + 3x + 1$

(i) Average Cost = $AC = \frac{C}{x} = \frac{0.1x^2 + 3x + 1}{x}$
 $= 0.1x + 3 + \frac{1}{x}$.

(ii) Marginal Cost = $MC = C' = 0.2x + 3$.

(iii) $MC(x=5) = 0.2 \times 5 + 3 = 4$.

② $C(x) = 0.005x^3 - 0.02x^2 - 30x + 5000$

(i) Average Cost = $AC = \frac{C(x)}{x} = \frac{0.005x^3 - 0.02x^2 - 30x + 5000}{x}$

$= 0.005x^2 - 0.02x - 30 + \frac{5000}{x}$.

(ii) Marginal Cost = $MC = C'(x) = 0.015x^2 - 0.04x - 30$.

(iii) Marginal Average Cost = $MAC = AC'(x)$

$= 0.01x - 0.02 - \frac{5000}{x^2}$

(iv) Rate of change of Marginal Cost

$= MC'(x) = 0.03x - 0.04$

③ Under pure competition

$p = ₹15$

$\therefore TR = px = 15x$.

$AR = \frac{TR}{x} = \frac{15x}{x} = 15$

$MR = (TR)' = 15$.

4.

$$x = 10 - 2p.$$

$$2p = 10 - x$$

$$p = 5 - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$TR = px = \left(5 - \frac{x}{2}\right)x = 5x - \frac{x^2}{2}$$

$$AR = \frac{TR}{x} = \frac{5x - \frac{x^2}{2}}{x} = 5 - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$MR = TR' = 5 - x.$$

5.

$$R(x) = 20x - \frac{x^2}{2}$$

$$(i) AR = \frac{R(x)}{x} = \frac{20x - \frac{x^2}{2}}{x} = 20 - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$(ii) MR = R'(x) = 20 - \frac{1}{2} \times 2x = 20 - x.$$

$$(iii) MR(x=5) = 20 - 5 = 15$$

Practice Questions VI

1. Demand Fn $\Rightarrow p = -0.5x + 20$

$$\text{Total Revenue Product} = px = (-0.5x + 20)x$$

$$= -0.5x^2 + 20x.$$

$$\text{Total Revenue Product} = TRP = -0.5(2t)^2 + 20(2t)$$

$$= -0.5 \times 4t^2 + 20 \times 2t$$

$$= -2t^2 + 40t.$$

Marginal Revenue Product
 $(MRP) = -4t + 40$

$$MRP(t=5) = \cancel{-4 \times 40 + 40} = -4 \times 5 + 40$$

$$= \cancel{-160 + 40} = -20 + 40$$

$$= \cancel{20} = 20$$

2.

$$p = -0.1x^2 + 70$$

$$TR = px = -0.1x^2 + 70x$$

$$TRP = -0.1 \left(\frac{200t - t^2}{20} \right)^2 + 70 \left(\frac{200t - t^2}{20} \right)$$

$$= -0.1 \frac{(200t - t^2)^2}{400} + \frac{70}{20} (200t - t^2)$$

$$= -0.00025 (200t - t^2)^2 + 3.5 (200t - t^2)$$

$$MRP = -0.00025 \times 2 (200t - t^2) (200 - 2t) + 3.5 (200 - 2t)$$

$$= (200 - 2t) [-0.0005 (200t - t^2) + 3.5]$$

$$= (200 - 2t) (-0.1t + 0.0005t^2 + 3.5)$$

$$MRP(t=40) = (200 - 2 \times 40) (-0.1 \times 40 + 0.0005 \times 40^2 + 3.5)$$

$$= 120 \times (-4 + 0.8 + 3.5)$$

$$= 120 \times 0.3$$

$$= 36$$

Practice Questions VII

①.

$$C = 6 + \frac{3}{4}I - \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{I}$$

$$MPC = C' = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{2\sqrt{I}}$$

$$C' = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{6\sqrt{I}}$$

$$MPC (I=25) = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{6 \times \sqrt{25}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{6 \times 5} =$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{30} = \frac{90-4}{120} = \frac{86}{120} = 0.716$$

②.

$$C = 2 + 2\sqrt{I}$$

$$MPC = C' = 2 \times \frac{1}{2\sqrt{I}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{I}}$$

$$MPC (I=100) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{100}} = \frac{1}{10} = \underline{\underline{0.1}}$$

Practice Questions VIII

①.

$$x = 25 - 3p - p^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dp} = -3 - 2p$$

$$\frac{dx}{dp} = -3 - 2 \times 5 = -13.$$

$$p=5 \quad x = 25 - 3 \times 5 - 5^2 \\ = 25 - 15 - 25 = -15.$$

$$\eta_d = -\frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp} = +\frac{5}{-15} \times (-13) = (-) 4.33.$$

(2)

$$p = 4 - 5a^2$$

$$\frac{dp}{da} = -10a \Rightarrow \frac{da}{dp} = \frac{-1}{10a}$$

$$\eta_d = -\frac{p}{a} \times \frac{da}{dp}$$
$$= -\frac{(4-5a^2)}{a} \times \frac{-1}{10a}$$

$$= \frac{4-5a^2}{10a^2}$$

Demand is unit elastic

$$\therefore \eta_d = 1$$

$$\frac{4-5a^2}{10a^2} = 1$$

$$4-5a^2 = 10a^2$$

$$4 = 15a^2$$

$$a^2 = \frac{4}{15}$$

$$a = \frac{2}{\sqrt{15}}$$

(3)

$$q = 500 - 2p$$

$$\frac{dq}{dp} = -2$$

$$\eta_d = -\frac{p}{q} \cdot \frac{dq}{dp}$$

$$= -\frac{p}{500-2p} \times (-2)$$

$$= \frac{2p}{500-2p}$$

For elastic demand $\eta_d > 1$

$$\frac{2p}{500-2p} > 1$$

$$2p > 500 - 2p$$

$$4p > 500$$

$$p > \frac{500}{4} \Rightarrow p > 125$$

For Unit elastic demand $\eta_d = 1$

$$\frac{2p}{500-2p} = 1 \Rightarrow p = 125$$

For Inelastic demand $\eta_d < 1$

$$\frac{2p}{500-2p} < 1 \Rightarrow p < 125$$

4.

$$x = 5 + \frac{1}{10} I$$

$$\frac{dx}{dI} = \frac{1}{10}$$

When $I = 100$ $x = 5 + \frac{1}{10} \times 100 = 15$

$$\therefore \eta_I = \frac{I}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dI}$$

$$= \frac{100}{15} \times \frac{1}{10}$$

$$= 0.66$$

5.

$$x = -75 + \frac{1}{2} I \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dI} = \frac{1}{2}$$

When $I = 400$ $x = -75 + \frac{1}{2} \times 400 = 200$
 $= 125$

$$\eta_I = \frac{I}{x} \times \frac{dx}{dI} = \frac{400}{125} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{8}{5} = 1.6$$

6.

$$MR = AR \left(\frac{e-1}{e} \right)$$

$$MR = 20 \left(\frac{e-1}{e} \right)$$

$$= \frac{10}{20} \times \frac{1}{2} = 10$$

7.

$$MR = AR \left(\frac{e-1}{e} \right)$$

$$10 = 35 \left(\frac{e-1}{e} \right)$$

$$\text{or } e = \frac{AR}{AR - MR}$$

$$= \frac{35}{35-10} = \frac{35}{25} = 1.4$$

8.

$$MR = AR \left(\frac{e-1}{e} \right)$$

$$-15 = AR \left(\frac{0.75-1}{0.75} \right) \Rightarrow +11.25 = AR \times (+0.75)$$

$$\underline{\underline{AR = 45}}$$

9.

$$p = \sqrt{9+x} \quad \text{when } p=7$$

$$7 = \sqrt{9+x} \Rightarrow 49 = 9+x \\ \Rightarrow x = 40.$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{9+x}}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{9+40}} = \frac{1}{2 \times 7} = \frac{1}{14} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dp} = 14.$$

$$\eta_s = \frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp}$$

$$= \frac{7}{40} \times 14$$

$$= 2.45$$

10. Let the supply function be $x = a + bp$

Case I when $p = ₹350 \Rightarrow x = 50$.

$$50 = a + b \times 350 \Rightarrow 50 = a + 350b \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Case II when $p = ₹300 \Rightarrow x = 35$.

$$35 = a + b \times 300 \Rightarrow 35 = a + 300b \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solving (1) & (2).

$$\begin{array}{r} a + 350b = 50 \\ a + 300b = 35 \\ \hline (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \\ \hline 50b = 15 \end{array}$$

$$\therefore b = \frac{15}{50}$$

$$\text{(1)} \Rightarrow 50 = a + 350 \times \frac{15}{50}$$

$$a = 50 - 105 \\ = -55$$

∴ Supply function →

$$x = -55 + \frac{15}{50} p$$

$$\frac{dx}{dp} = \frac{15}{50}$$

$$x = 50 \quad p = 350.$$

$$\eta_s = \frac{p}{x} \times \frac{dx}{dp}$$

$$= \frac{350}{50} \times \frac{15}{10}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{2.1}}$$

(11.)

$$C = \frac{1}{6} x^3 + 642x + 400$$

$$\frac{dC}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} x^2 + 642$$

$$\eta_c = \frac{x}{C} \times \frac{dC}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{x}{\frac{1}{6} x^3 + 642x + 400} \times \left(\frac{1}{2} x^2 + 642 \right)$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2} x^3 + 642x}{\frac{1}{6} x^3 + 642x + 400}$$

(12.)

$$C = 2x^2 + 4x + 3$$

$$\frac{dC}{dx} = 4x + 4$$

$$\eta_C = \frac{x}{C} \times \frac{dC}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{x}{2x^2 + 4x + 3} \times (4x + 4)$$

$$= \frac{4x^2 + 4x}{2x^2 + 4x + 3}$$

$$AC = 2x + 4 + \frac{3}{x}$$

$$\frac{d(AC)}{dx} = 2 - \frac{3}{x^2}$$

$$\eta_{AC} = \frac{x}{AC} \times \frac{d(AC)}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{x}{2x + 4 + \frac{3}{x}} \times 2 - \frac{3}{x^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x - \frac{3}{x}}{2x + 4 + \frac{3}{x}}$$

Practice Questions IX

(1.)

$$D = 10000$$

$$C_0 = 50$$

$$C_H = 1,$$

$$\therefore C = \frac{D}{Q} C_0 + \frac{Q}{2} \cdot C_H$$

$$C = \frac{10000}{Q} \times 50 + \frac{Q}{2} \times 1$$

$$C = \frac{500000}{Q} + \frac{Q}{2}$$

$$C' = -\frac{500000}{Q^2} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{For Max. or Min} \Rightarrow C' = 0$$

$$-\frac{500000}{Q^2} + \frac{1}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow 1000000 = Q^2$$

$$Q = 1000$$

Q.1

$$C' = -500000Q^{-2} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$C'' = 1000000Q^{-3}$$

$$C'' = \frac{1000000}{Q^3} > 0$$

$\therefore C$ is Min. when $Q = 1000$.

Q.2

$$D = 20 \times 250 \\ = 5000$$

$$C_0 = ₹40$$

$$C_H = 2\% \text{ of } ₹80$$

$$= \frac{2}{100} \times 80 = ₹1.6.$$

$$\therefore C = \frac{D}{Q} \times C_0 + \frac{Q}{2} \times C_H$$

$$C = \frac{5000}{Q} \times 40 + \frac{Q}{2} \times 1.6$$

$$C = \frac{200000}{Q} + 0.8Q.$$

$$C' = -\frac{200000}{Q^2} + 0.8$$

$$\text{For Max/Min} \Rightarrow C' = 0.$$

$$-\frac{200000}{Q^2} + 0.8 = 0.$$

$$Q^2 = 250000$$

$$Q = 500.$$

$$C' = -200000Q^{-2} + 0.8$$

$$C'' = 200000Q^{-3}$$

$$C'' = \frac{200000}{Q^3} > 0$$

$\therefore C$ is Min when
 $Q = 500$.

Applied Max-Min Problems
Practice Questions X

① $y = e^{-x/3}$

$$TR = yx = e^{-x/3} \cdot x.$$

$$TR' = (e^{-x/3})' \cdot x + e^{-x/3} \cdot (x)'$$
$$= e^{-x/3} \times \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)x + e^{-x/3} \times 1$$

$$= e^{-x/3} \left[-\frac{1}{3}x + 1 \right]$$

For Maxima/Minima $TR' = 0.$

$$e^{-x/3} \left(-\frac{1}{3}x + 1\right) = 0$$

$$-\frac{1}{3}x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = 3.$$

$$TR'' = (e^{-x/3})' \left(1 - \frac{1}{3}x\right) + e^{-x/3} \left(1 - \frac{1}{3}x\right)'$$

$$= e^{-x/3} \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3}x\right) + e^{-x/3} \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right).$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} e^{-x/3} \left[1 - \frac{1}{3}x + 1 \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} e^{-x/3} \left[1 - \frac{1}{3}x + 1 \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} e^{-x/3} < 0$$

$\therefore TR$ is Max when $x = 3$
 $y = e^{-3/3} = e^{-1}$

(2)

$$TC = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - 18x^2 + 160x$$

$$AC = \frac{1}{3}x^2 - 18x + 160$$

$$AC' = \frac{2}{3}x - 18$$

For Max/Min

$$AC' = 0 \quad x = \frac{18 \times 3}{2} = 27$$

$$AC'' = \frac{2}{3} > 0$$

AC is Min when $x = 27$

$$MC = x^2 - 36x + 160$$

$$MC' = 2x - 36$$

For Max/Min

$$MC' = 0 \quad x = 18$$

$$MC'' = 2 > 0$$

MC is Min when $x = 18$

(3)

$$C = 100 + 0.015x^2 \quad R = 3x$$

$$\text{Profit } P = R - C$$

$$= 3x - (100 + 0.015x^2)$$

$$= 3x - 100 - 0.015x^2$$

$$P = -0.015x^2 + 3x - 100$$

$$P' = -0.03x + 3$$

For Max/Min

$$P' = 0 \quad x = \frac{3}{0.03} = 100$$

$$P'' = -0.03 < 0$$

∴ Profit is Maximised when $x = 100$

4.

$$p = \frac{50}{\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} TR &= p \cdot x = \frac{50}{\sqrt{x}} \cdot x \\ &= 50\sqrt{x}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Profit} = TR - TC$$

$$P = 50\sqrt{x} - 0.5x - 1000$$

$$P' = \frac{25}{\sqrt{x}} - 0.5$$

$$\text{For Max/Min} \Rightarrow P' = 0$$

$$\frac{25}{\sqrt{x}} - 0.5 = 0.$$

$$\frac{25}{0.5} = \sqrt{x}.$$

$$50 = \sqrt{x}$$

$$x = 2500.$$

$$P' = 25x^{-1/2} - 0.5$$

$$P'' = -\frac{25}{2}x^{-3/2} < 0$$

$\therefore P$ is Max when
 $x = 2500.$

$$AC = 0.5 + \frac{1000}{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} TC &= x \cdot AC \\ &= 0.5x + 1000. \end{aligned}$$

$$MR = \frac{25}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$= \frac{25}{\sqrt{2500}} = \frac{25}{50} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$MC = 0.5 = \frac{1}{2}.$$

\therefore when Profit is
Maximum
 $MR = MC.$

5.

Average repair cost = ₹50 No. of repairs = $t^{3/2}$

∴ Total Cost of repair = $50t^{3/2}$

Replacement Cost = ₹20000.

∴ Total Cost = $20000 + 50t^{3/2}$

Optimal replacement period will be when AC is minimum.

$$AC = \frac{\text{Total Cost}}{t} = \frac{20000 + 50t^{3/2}}{t}$$

$$= \frac{20000}{t} + 50t^{1/2}$$

$$AC' = -\frac{20000}{t^2} + \frac{25}{2\sqrt{t}}$$

$$AC' = 0 \Rightarrow -\frac{20000}{t^2} + \frac{25}{t^{1/2}} = 0$$

$$\frac{20000}{t^2} = \frac{25}{t^{1/2}}$$

$$\frac{800}{25} = \frac{t^2}{t^{1/2}}$$

$$800 = t^{3/2}$$

$$t = (800)^{2/3}$$

(6.)

Cost of Machinery = ₹12000

Operation Cost = $20t^2 + 15t$

Scrap Val. = $6880 - 60t^2$

∴ Total Cost = $12000 + 20t^2 + 15t - (6880 - 60t^2)$

TC = $12000 + 20t^2 + 15t - 6880 + 60t^2$

TC = $80t^2 + 15t + 5120$

~~TC~~ AC = $80t + 15 + \frac{5120}{t}$

AC' = $80 - \frac{5120}{t^2}$

For Maxima/Minima

AC' = 0

$80 - \frac{5120}{t^2} = 0 \Rightarrow$

$t^2 = \frac{5120}{80} = 64$

$t = 8$

∴ Optimum time for replacement = 8 yrs.

(7.)

$p = 400 - 2x \Rightarrow TR = 400x - 2x^2$

$AC = 0.2x + 4 + \frac{4}{x} \Rightarrow TC = 0.2x^2 + 4x + 4$

Before Imposition of Tax

Profit = $TR - TC = 400x - 2x^2 - 0.2x^2 - 4x - 4$

$P = -2.2x^2 + 396x - 4$

$P' = -4.4x + 396$

For Max/Min $\Rightarrow P' = 0 \Rightarrow x = 90$

After Imposition of tax

$$TR = 400x - 2x^2 \quad TC = 0.2x^2 + 4x + 4 + 22x \\ = 0.2x^2 + 26x + 4$$

$$\text{Profit} = P = 400x - 2x^2 - 0.2x^2 - 26x - 4 \\ = -2.2x^2 + 374x - 4.$$

$$P' = -4.4x + 374$$

$$\text{For Max/Min} \Rightarrow P' = 0$$

$$-4.4x + 374 = 0$$

$$x = 85.$$

(8) Let the no. of vacant apartments be x .
 \therefore Total no. of apartments on rent = $60 - x$.
Monthly Rent = $450 + 15x$.

$$TR = (60 - x)(450 + 15x) \\ = 27000 + 900x - 450x - 15x^2 \\ = -15x^2 + 450x + 27000.$$

$$TC = 60(60 - x) = 3600 - 60x.$$

$$\therefore \text{Profit } P = TR - TC$$

$$= -15x^2 + 450x + 27000 - 3600 + 60x$$

$$= -15x^2 + 510x + 23400$$

$$P' = -30x + 510$$

$$\text{For Maxima/Minima} \Rightarrow P' = 0$$

$$-30x + 510 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 17.$$

\therefore Profit is max when no. of vacant apt's. = 17.

(9.) Let the no. of units in excess of 50 be x .

$$\therefore \text{Order Size} = 50 + x$$

$$\text{Charge per set} = 550 - 5x.$$

$$\begin{aligned} TR &= (50+x)(550-5x) \\ &= 27500 - 250x + 550x - 5x^2 \\ &= -5x^2 + 300x + 27500 \end{aligned}$$

$$TR' = -10x + 300$$

$$\text{For Max./Min} \Rightarrow TR' = 0$$

$$-10x + 300 = 0$$

$$x = 30.$$

Revenue is Maximised when $x = 30$.

(10.) Let the increase in monthly subscription be 'x'.

$$\therefore \text{Monthly subscription} = 100 + x.$$

$$\text{No. of subscribers} = 1000 - 5x.$$

$$\begin{aligned} TR &= (100+x)(1000-5x) \\ &= 100000 - 500x + 1000x - 5x^2 \\ &= -5x^2 + 500x + 100000. \end{aligned}$$

$$TR' = -10x + 500.$$

$$\text{For Max/Min} \Rightarrow TR' = 0.$$

$$-10x + 500 = 0.$$

$$x = 50.$$

Rev. is max. when $x = 50$.

Exercise

①

$$C = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - 18x^2 + 160x$$

$$AC = \frac{1}{3}x^2 - 18x + 160$$

$$MC = x^2 - 36x + 160$$

According to the question $AC = MC$

$$\frac{1}{3}x^2 - 18x + 160 = x^2 - 36x + 160$$

$$x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^2 - 36x + 18x = 0$$

$$\frac{2}{3}x^2 - 18x = 0$$

$$2x \left(\frac{1}{3}x - 9 \right) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad \frac{1}{3}x - 9 = 0$$

$$x = 27$$

$\therefore AC = MC$ when $x = 0$ or $x = 27$.

②

$$C = 100 + 0.015x^2$$

$$R = 3x$$

$$P = \text{Profit} = R - C$$

$$P = 3x - 100 - 0.015x^2$$

$$P = -0.015x^2 + 3x - 100$$

$$P' = -0.03x + 3$$

$$\text{For Maxima/Minima } P' = 0 \Rightarrow -0.03x + 3 = 0$$

$$x = 100$$

$$P'' = -0.03 < 0$$

\therefore Profit is Maximum when $x = 100$

3. Demand: $x = 1200 - 60p$.

$$\frac{dx}{dp} = -60.$$

Elasticity of Demand: $\eta_d = -\frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp}$

$$-\frac{p}{1200 - 60p} \times (-60) = 1. \quad [\because \text{Demand is Unit Elastic}]$$

$$\frac{60p}{1200 - 60p} = 1$$

$$120p = 1200$$

$$p = 10.$$

\therefore Demand is unit elastic when $p = 10$.

4. Demand Function: ~~AB~~ $x = 10 - p$ or $p = 10 - x$.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore AR \Rightarrow p = 10 - x. & \Rightarrow TR = AR \cdot x \\ & = (10 - x)x \\ & = 10x - x^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$TC = \frac{x^2}{4}$$

In monopoly, profit is max when

$$MR = MC.$$

$$TR' = TC'$$

$$10 - 2x = \frac{x}{2}$$

$$10 = \frac{x}{2} + 2x$$

$$10 = \frac{5x}{2}$$

$$x = 4$$

\therefore Profit is max. when $x = 4$.

5. Let the no. of vacant rooms be x .

\therefore No. of rented rooms = $40 - x$.

Since an inc. of ₹100 results in 2 vacant rooms.

\therefore Inc. of ₹50 results in 1 vacant room.

\therefore Per day Rent = $1000 + 50x$.

Daily Income = $R = (40 - x)(1000 + 50x)$.

$$= 40000 + 2000x - 1000x + 50x^2$$

$$= 40000 + 1000x + 50x^2$$

$$R' = 1000 + 100x$$

$$R' = 1000 - 100x$$

For Maxima/Minima $R' = 0$

$$1000 - 100x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 10.$$

6.

$$p = 700 - 3x \Rightarrow TR = 700x - 3x^2$$

$$TC = 2x^2 + 250x + 2000 + 50x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + 300x + 2000$$

$$TC = 2x^2 + 200x + 2000.$$

Profit is Max when

$$MR = MC$$

$$TR' = TC'$$

$$700 - 6x = 4x + 200 \Rightarrow 500 = 10x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 50$$

7. A

8.

$$y = 48x - 2x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 48 - 4x$$

$$\text{For Max/Min.} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow 48 - 4x = 0$$
$$x = 12$$

$\therefore y$ (TR) is max when $x = 12$

9.

$$TC = 100000 + 150x$$

$$p = 200 \Rightarrow TR = 200x.$$

At Break-even point

$$TR = TC$$

$$200x = 100000 + 150x.$$

$$50x = 100000$$

$$x = 2000.$$

10.

$$C = 2x^2 + x - 5$$

$$MC = C' = 4x + 1$$

$$MC(x=4) = 4 \times 4 + 1 = 17.$$

11.

$$q = ap^\alpha$$

$$TR = pq = ap^\alpha \cdot p = ap^{\alpha+1}$$

$$TR' = a(\alpha+1) \cdot p^\alpha$$

$$\text{if } \alpha < -1 \Rightarrow \alpha+1 < 0 \Rightarrow TR' < 0$$

because TR' is a product of a , $d+1$ and p^{α}

of these a and p^{α} are positive

but $d+1$ is negative as explained above.

\therefore The product i.e. TR' is negative.

if TR' is negative

$\Rightarrow TR$ is a decreasing function.

12.

$$C = 4860 + 75000q + 15q^2$$

$$AC = \frac{4860}{q} + 75000 + 15q$$

$$AC' = -\frac{4860}{q^2} + 15$$

For Max or Min. $AC' = 0$.

$$\frac{4860}{q^2} = 15$$

$$q^2 = 324$$

$$q = 18$$

$\therefore AC$ is min. when $q = 18$.

$$(13.) \quad C(x) = 0.008x^3 - 0.05x^2 - 20x + 5000$$

The question needs to identify the function y

Two functions can be derived from $C(x)$

i.e. AC and MC.

$$AC = 0.008x^2 - 0.05x - 20 + \frac{5000}{x} \quad \left| \quad MC = 0.024x^2 - 0.1x - 20$$

None of these matches the given function y .

$$AC' = 0.016x - 0.05 - \frac{5000}{x^2} \quad \left| \quad MC' = 0.048x - 0.1$$

y matches AC' .

\therefore Ans C \Rightarrow slope of AC or Marginal AC.

(14) D

(16) B.

(15) C

Previous Years' Questions

$$(1.) \quad TC = a(x-5)^3 + b.$$

$$TC' = 3a(x-5)^2 \quad TC'' = 6a(x-5)$$

Let us first examine $TC' = 3a(x-5)^2$

Since $(x-5)^2 > 0$ for all x .

$\therefore TC' > 0$ for all x .

$\therefore TC$ is an increasing function.

Now let us examine TC'' .

It is evident if $x-5 > 0$ $TC'' > 0$

i.e. $TC'' > 0$ when $x > 5$

$\therefore TC$ is Concave Up when $x > 5$

TC will be Concave Down when $x < 5$

and thus $x=5$ will be the pt. of inflexion

\therefore Ans D TC is an inc. fn. (Upward sloping) with a point of inflexion.

(2) Using the relation $MR = AR \left(1 - \frac{1}{e}\right)$

We know $MR > 0$ when $e > 1$

when $MR > 0$ TR is increasing.

Thus TR increases when $e > 1$

Ans B

(3) C

(4) C

(5) $p = 300 - 5x$. $\Rightarrow TR = 300x - 5x^2$

$$MR = TR' = 300 - 10x$$

$$MR = 0 \Rightarrow 300 - 10x = 0$$

$$x = 30.$$

$$\therefore p = 300 - 5 \times 30 \\ = 150.$$

(6)

$$X = 200 - 6p^2$$

$$\frac{dx}{dp} = -12p$$

$$\left. \frac{dx}{dp} \right|_{p=5} = -12 \times 5 = -60$$

$$\eta_d = - \frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp}$$

$$= - \frac{5}{200 - 6 \times 25} \times -60$$

$$= \frac{300}{200 - 150} = 6$$

(7)

$$P = 45 - 5x$$

$$TR = 45x - 5x^2$$

Profit is Max when

$$C = 5x + 2x$$

$$C = 7x$$

$$MR = MC$$

$$TR' = TC'$$

$$45 - 10x = 7$$

$$x = 3.8$$

$$\therefore P = 45 - 5 \times 3.8$$

$$= ₹26$$

(8)

$$C = 0.1x^2 + 3 \Rightarrow MC = 0.2x$$

$$(9) \quad C = 0.005x^3 - 0.02x^2 - 30x + 5000$$

$$AC = 0.005x^2 - 0.02x - 30 + \frac{5000}{x}$$

$$MAC = AC' = 0.01x - 0.02 - \frac{5000}{x^2}$$

(10.) Linear Demand function: $p = a + bx$

Case I: $x = 1000$ when $p = ₹4$

$$\therefore 4 = a + 1000b \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Case II: $x = 1500$ when $p = ₹2$

$$\therefore 2 = a + 1500b \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solving (1) & (2)

$$-2 = 500b \Rightarrow b = \frac{-2}{500} = \frac{-1}{250}$$

$$\text{from (1)} \Rightarrow 4 = a + 1000 \times \frac{-1}{250}$$

$$4 = a - 4 \Rightarrow a = 8$$

$$\therefore \text{Demand Fn: } p = 8 - \frac{1}{250}x$$

$$TR = px = 8x - \frac{1}{250}x^2$$

$$MR = 8 - \frac{2}{250}x$$

$$= 8 - \frac{1}{125}x$$

(11)

$$p = 4 - 5x$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = -5 \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dp} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$\eta_d = -\frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp} = 1$$

$$-\frac{(4-5x)}{x} \times -\frac{1}{5} = 1$$

$$\frac{4-5x}{5x} = 1 \Rightarrow 4-5x = 5x$$

$$x = \frac{4}{10} = \frac{2}{5}$$

(12)

Av. Cost per repair = ₹320 No. of repairs = $0.5t^{3/2}$

$$\therefore \text{Total Cost of repairs} = 320 \times 0.5t^{3/2} \\ = 160t^{3/2}$$

Replacement cost = ₹80000

$$\therefore \text{Total cost of Car} = 80000 + 160t^{3/2}$$

Optimum replacement period implies time when AC is minimum.

$$\therefore AC = \frac{80000 + 160t^{3/2}}{t} = \frac{80000}{t} + 160t^{1/2}$$

$$AC' = -\frac{80000}{t^2} + 80t^{-1/2}$$

For Max./Min $\Rightarrow AC' = 0$

$$-\frac{80000}{t^2} + 80t^{-1/2} = 0$$

$$\frac{80000}{t^2} = 80t^{-1/2}$$

$$1000 = t^{2-1/2}$$

$$1000 = t^{3/2}$$

$$t = (1000)^{2/3} = (1000^{1/3})^2$$

$$= 10^2 = 100 \text{ months.}$$

(Since t is in months).

(13) Let the no. of units produced in excess of 500 be x .

Total Profit = Profit on 500 units + Profit on additional x units.

$$P = 500 \times 50 + x(50 - 0.1x)$$

$$P = 25000 + 50x - 0.1x^2$$

$$P' = 50 - 0.2x.$$

$$\text{For Maxima/Minima } P' = 0 \Rightarrow x = 250$$

$$\therefore \text{Level of output} = 500 + x$$

$$= 500 + 250$$

$$= 750 \text{ units.}$$

(14) It is known $MC = AC$.

$$C' = \frac{C}{x}$$

$$C = x \cdot C'$$

\therefore Total cost is a constant multiple of x .

15.

$$p = ae^{-kx}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = a \cdot e^{-kx} \times (-k) \\ = -ak e^{-kx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dp} = \frac{-1}{ake^{-kx}}$$

$$\eta_d = -\frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp}$$

$$= -\frac{ae^{-kx}}{x} \times \frac{-1}{ak e^{-kx}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{kx}$$

16.

$$TC = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - x^2 + 5x + 2$$

Here we need to evaluate the given options.

Option A

$$TC' = x^2 - 2x + 5$$

$$\text{but } TC' \neq 0 \text{ when } x = 3/2$$

Option B

$$AC = \frac{1}{3}x^2 - x + 5 + \frac{2}{x}$$

$$AC' = \frac{2}{3}x - 1 - \frac{2}{x^2}$$

$$\text{when } x = \frac{3}{2} \quad AC' = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{2} - 1 - \frac{2}{(\frac{3}{2})^2} \neq 0$$

Option C

$$TVC = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - x^2 + 5x$$

$$AVC = \frac{1}{3}x^2 - x + 5$$

$$AVC' = \frac{2}{3}x - 1$$

$$\text{when } x = 3/2$$

$$AVC' = 0$$

AVC is min
when $x = 3/2$

17.

$$C = x^3 - 315x^2 + 27000x + 20000.$$

$$C' = 3x^2 - 630x + 27000$$

$$\text{For Max/Min} \Rightarrow C' = 0$$

$$x^2 - 210x + 9000 = 0.$$

$$x^2 - 150x - 60x + 9000 = 0.$$

$$(x - 150)(x - 60) = 0$$

$$x = 60, 150.$$

Ans B.

18.

$$C = 1500 + 30x + x^2$$

$$MC = C' = 30 + 2x.$$

$$MC(x=20) = 30 + 2 \times 20 = 70.$$

19.

$$p = \frac{e^x}{x}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = \frac{x \cdot e^x - 1 \cdot e^x}{x^2} = \frac{e^x(x-1)}{x^2} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dp} = \frac{x^2}{e^x(x-1)}$$

$$\eta_d = \frac{p}{x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dp}$$

$$= \frac{e^x/x}{x} \times \frac{x^2}{e^x(x-1)} = \frac{e^x}{x^2} \times \frac{x^2}{e^x(x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x-1}.$$

20.

$$f(x) = e^x$$

$f'(x) = e^x > 0$ for all $x \Rightarrow$ Increasing Function

$f''(x) = e^x > 0$ for all $x \Rightarrow$ Concave Up
or Convex Down.

Ans B

21.

c

22.

$$C = \frac{x^2}{4} + 3x + 400$$

$$AC^0 = \frac{x}{4} + 3 + \frac{400}{x}$$

$$AC^1 = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{400}{x^2}$$

AC is Min when $AC^1 = 0$

$$\frac{1}{4} - \frac{400}{x^2} \Rightarrow x^2 = 1600$$

$$x = 40$$

23.

$e_1 > e_2 \Rightarrow$ demand in mkt 1 is more elastic
 \therefore price in mkt 1 must be less than
that in mkt 2.

$$\therefore P_1 < P_2$$

Ans B

24.

c

See solution of Exercise Q11 (Pg 37)

25.

See

26.

$$p = x e^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = e^{1/2} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dp} = \frac{1}{e^{1/2}}$$

$$\eta_d = -\frac{p}{x} \times \frac{dx}{dp}$$

$$= -\frac{x e^{1/2}}{x} \times \frac{1}{e^{1/2}} = -1$$

Ans B

for all val. of x demand is unit elastic for the given demand function.

27.

See Exercise Q12 Pg 38.

28.

$$e_1 = \frac{11}{10} = 1.1$$

$$e_2 = \frac{27}{23} = 1.17$$

since $e_1 < e_2$

$\therefore P_1 > P_2$

Ans A

29.

A

30.

See Exercise Q8 Pg 37.

31.

$$C = 2x^2 + x - 5 \Rightarrow MC = 4x + 1$$

$$MC(x=4) = 16 + 1 = 17$$

32.

B

33.

$$y = 2x^3 - 15x^2 - 36x + 15$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 30x - 36$$

$$\text{for max/min} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$6x^2 - 30x - 36 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 6x + x - 6 = 0$$

$$(x-6)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = 6, -1$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 12x - 30$$

$$\text{for } x=6 \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$$

$$\text{for } x=-1 \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} < 0$$

\therefore The fn is max. when $x = -1$.

34.

$$p = 100 - 0.2x \Rightarrow TR = px = 100x - 0.2x^2$$

$$C = 4x + 3000$$

Profit is maximum when

$$MR = MC$$

$$TR' = TC'$$

$$100 - 0.4x = 4$$

$$96 = 0.4x$$

$$x = 240$$

$$(35.) \quad f(x) = e^x \log x (2x^2 + 3)$$

$$f'(x) = (e^x)' \cdot \log x \cdot (2x^2 + 3) + e^x \cdot (\log x)' \cdot (2x^2 + 3) + e^x \cdot \log x \cdot (2x^2 + 3)'$$

$$= e^x \log x (2x^2 + 3) + e^x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \cdot (2x^2 + 3) + e^x \log x \cdot 4x$$

$$= e^x \left(\log x (2x^2 + 3) + \frac{2x^2 + 3}{x} + \log x \cdot 4x \right)$$

$$= e^x \left(2x^2 \log x + 3 \log x + 2x + \frac{3}{x} + 4x \log x \right)$$

None of the given options is correct.

$$(36.) \quad \frac{x}{x-y} = \log \left(\frac{a}{x-y} \right)$$

$$\frac{x}{x-y} = \log a - \log (x-y)$$

$$\frac{(x-y) \cdot 1 - x \cdot \left(1 - \frac{dy}{dx}\right)}{(x-y)^2} = 0 - \frac{1}{x-y} \cdot x \left(1 - \frac{dy}{dx}\right)$$

$$\frac{x-y - x + x \frac{dy}{dx}}{(x-y)^2} = \frac{1}{x-y} + \frac{x}{x-y} \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{x \frac{dy}{dx} - y}{(x-y)^2} = \frac{-1}{(x-y)} \left(1 - \frac{dy}{dx}\right)$$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = -(x-y) \left(1 - \frac{dy}{dx}\right)$$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = (y-x) \left(1 - \frac{dy}{dx}\right)$$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = (y-x) - (y-x) \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$(x + (y-x)) \frac{dy}{dx} = y - x + y$$

$$y \frac{dy}{dx} = 2y - x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2y-x}{y} = 2 - \frac{x}{y}$$

(37.)

$$p = 10e^{-x/400}$$

$$TR = px = 10xe^{-x/400}$$

$$MR = 10 \left(x' \cdot e^{-x/400} + x \cdot (e^{-x/400})' \right)$$

$$= 10 \left(e^{-x/400} + x \cdot e^{-x/400} \times \frac{-1}{400} \right)$$

$$MR = 10e^{-x/400} \left(1 - \frac{x}{400} \right)$$

$$MR = 0$$

$$10e^{-x/400} \left(1 - \frac{x}{400} \right) = 0$$

$$1 - \frac{x}{400} = 0$$

$$1 = \frac{x}{400} \Rightarrow x = 400.$$