

Handout # 2: Prepared by Mohammad Madiah Sections 1.6 and 2.3 additional problems

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- **1.** The cost of manufacturing 100 units of a product is \$3000. When 600 units are produced, the cost is \$5000. Find the **cost equation** (assuming linear cost model).
- 2. Suppose that consumers will demand 100 units of a product when the price is \$10 per unit, and 120 units when the price is \$8 per unit. Assuming that price p and quantity q are linearly related, find the **price** at which 90 units are demanded.
- **3.** Suppose that a manufacturer sell a product for \$12 per unit. If the fixed cost is \$1600 and the variable cost is \$8 per unit find the **profit (or loss)** of selling 500 units.
- **4.** Suppose a manufacturer will not market any unit of a product if the unit price is \$120 or lower, but is willing to market 50 at \$180 per unit. Find the linear **supply** equation.
- 5. If the revenue function is $R(x) = 80x 0.2x^2$, find the **quantity demanded** when the price is \$40.
- 6. The cost and revenue functions for producing x number of battery packages are given by C(x) = 5x + 60,000 and R(x) = 25x; respectively. Find the **break-even point**
- 7. How many items does the company have to manufacture and sell to not lose money if the revenue function is $R(x) = 200x 0.25x^2$ and the cost function is C(x) = 40x + 9975? What is the maximum profit?
- 8. A company has a profit function given by $p(x) = -100x^2 + 1000x 2400$. Find the sales levels (i.e. x-values) where the company is **not losing money**.
- 9. Suppose you are given the supply and demand curves, respectively, p 4x = 5 and 2p + 4x = 162 (x = # of units, p = price in dollars).
 - **a.** At p = \$53, is there a shortage or surplus?
 - **b.** Is the price likely to increase from \$53 or decrease from it?
 - **c.** What is the equilibrium point?
- **10.** Suppose consumers purchase q units of a manufacturer's product when price per unit (in dollars) is 60 -0.5q. If no more than 75 units can be sold, find the number of units that must be sold in order that the revenue be \$1000
- **11.** A manufacture sells his product at \$23 per unit. His fixed cost is 418000 and his variable cost per unit is \$18.5. The level of production at which the manufacture break-even is
- **12.** If the supply and demand functions for a product are given by 6p q = 60 and
 - (p + 2)q = 4830, respectively, find the price that will result in market equilibrium.
- **13.** If the supply function is p = x+5, and the demand function is $p = 25 x^2$, find the **equilibrium point**.