

# BIRZEIT UNIVERSITY

## MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

First Exam

MATH 2351

Fall 2018

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Time : 75 minutes

Please circle your *discussion* class section

Section	Instructor	Day	Time
1	Wala'a Yasin	S	13:00 - 13:50
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3	Wala'a Yasin	S	12:00 - 12:50
4	Wala'a Yasin	W	10:00 - 10:50
5	Batol Rdad	S	13:00 - 13:50
6	Batol Rdad	S	11:00 - 11:50

$$\frac{39.5}{40}$$

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7.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{x^2 + 2x - 8}{x + 4} =$   
 a. 6  
 b. -6  
 c.  $\infty$   
 d.  $\frac{1}{6}$

$\frac{(x+4)(x-2)}{x+4} = x-2$   
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} (x-2) = -4-2 = -6$

8.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{x-2} =$   
 a. 0  
 b.  $\infty$   
 c.  $\frac{1}{4}$   
 d.  $-\infty$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{1}{x-2} = \frac{1}{0^+} = \infty$   
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{1}{x-2} = \frac{1}{0^-} = -\infty$

9.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{5x^2 - 8}{4 - 2x^2} =$   
 a. 0  
 b.  $-\frac{5}{2}$   
 c.  $\infty$   
 d.  $-\frac{2}{5}$

$\frac{+5}{-2}$

$\frac{5x^2 - 8}{4 - 2x^2} = \frac{5(2)^2 - 8}{4 - 2(2)^2} = \frac{20 - 8}{4 - 8} = \frac{12}{-4} = -3$

10. Use the marginal analysis to estimate the profit from the 101<sup>st</sup> unit sold if  $P(x) = -0.04x^2 + 27x - 1000$   
 a. 19  
 b. 18.96  
 c. 18.92  
 d. None of the above

$P'(x) = -0.08x + 27$   
 $P'(100) = -0.08(100) + 27 = -8 + 27 = 19$

11. The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 3 & \text{for } x < -2 \\ 2x + 5 & \text{for } -2 \leq x < 1 \\ 5x & \text{for } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$

- a. Is continuous for all values of x.
- b. Is continuous for all values of x except x = -2.
- c. Is continuous for all values of x except x = 1.
- d. Is continuous for all values of x except x = -2 and x = 1.

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = 2(-2) + 5 = 1$   
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = (-2)^2 - 3 = 1$   
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 2(1) + 5 = 7$   
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 5(1) = 5$

12. If the supply function is  $p = x + 20$ , and the demand function is  $p = 50 - x^2$ , find the equilibrium point.

- a. (5, 5)
- b. (11, 3)
- c. (2, 11)
- d. (5, 25)
- e. None of the above.

$S = D$   
 $x + 20 = 50 - x^2$   
 $x^2 + x - 30 = 0$   
 $(x+6)(x-5) = 0$   
 $x = 5$   
 $p = 5 + 20 = 25$

$x^2 + x - 30 = 0$   
 $x^2 - 4x + 11x - 30 = (x+6)(x-5)$   
 $x = 5 \rightarrow p = 25$

13. Let  $f$  and  $g$  be two functions satisfy  $f'(4) = -2$  and  $g'(4) = -3$ . Find  $h'(4)$  for

$$h(x) = 3f(x) - 2g(x)$$

- a. 12
- b. 5
- c. 6
- d. 0

$$h' = 3f'(x) - 2g'(x)$$

$$h'(4) = 3f'(4) - 2g'(4)$$

$$3(-2) - 2(-3)$$

14. If  $f(x) = 3(2x+1)^{3/2}$ , find  $f'(4)$ .

- a.  $\frac{9}{2}$
- b.  $\frac{27}{2}$
- c. 9
- d. 27

$$3 \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) (2x+1)^{1/2} \cdot 2$$

$$9(2x+1)^{1/2}$$

$$9(9)^{1/2}$$

$$9(3) = 27$$

15. A producer can sell 2000 items at a price of \$10. For each decrease in price of \$2, the producer can sell an additional 100 items. Write the demand equation.

- a.  $p = -0.02x + 14$
- b.  $p = -0.02x + 50$
- c.  $p = -0.02x + 40$
- d. None of the above.

$$\frac{(2000, 10) - (2100, 8)}{2100 - 2000} = \frac{-2}{100} = -0.02$$

16. For what value(s) of  $x$  does the graph of the function  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 45x + 4$  have a horizontal tangent?

- a.  $x = 3, -5$
- b.  $x = -3, 5$
- c.  $x = 0, 3$
- d.  $x = -3, -5$

$$f' = 3x^2 - 6x - 45$$

$$y - 10 = -0.02(x - 2000)$$

$$y - 10 = -0.02x + 40$$

$$y = -0.02x + 50$$

**Part 2 (24 points): Show all your work**

1. The demand  $q$  for a product at a price  $p$  is  $q = \frac{54}{\sqrt{2p+1}} - 1$ . Find and interpret

the rate of change of demand with respect to price at  $p = \$4$ .

$$q = 54(2p+1)^{-1/2} - 1$$

$$\frac{dq}{dp} = 54 \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) (2p+1)^{-3/2} \cdot 2$$

$$= -27(2p+1)^{-3/2} \cdot 2$$

$$\frac{dq}{dp} \Big|_{p=4} = -54(9)^{-3/2} = -\frac{54}{27} = -2$$

$$x^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$$

$$(x-5)(x+3) = 0$$

$$x = 5 \quad x = -3$$

2. The revenue function for a product is given by  $R(x) = 40x - 0.02x^2$ . What is the average rate of change in revenue as  $x$  increases from 20 to 30 units.

$$R(x) = \frac{R(30) - R(20)}{30 - 20}$$

$$= \frac{40(30) - .02(30)^2 - (40(20) - .02(20)^2)}{10}$$

as the price increase by \$9 ( $p = 45$ ) the quantity demand is decrease by 2 units

$$\frac{1200 - 180 - (800 - 8)}{10} = \frac{1200 - 180 - 800 + 8}{10} = 39$$

$$b = 360$$

$$v.c = 10x + 0.2x^2$$

Suppose a company has fixed cost of \$360 and variable cost of  $10 + 0.2x$  dollars per unit, where  $x$  is the total number of units produced. Suppose further the selling price of the product is given by  $p = 50 - 0.2x$  dollars per unit.

3. Write the cost function.

$$C(x) = V.C + f.c$$

$$= (10 + 0.2x)x + 360 = x(10 + 0.2x) + 360 = 10x + 0.2x^2 + 360$$

4. Write the revenue function.

$$R(x) = p \cdot x$$

$$R(x) = (50 - 0.2x)x \Rightarrow R(x) = 50x - 0.2x^2$$

5. Write the profit function.

$$P(x) = R(x) - C(x)$$

$$P(x) = 50x - 0.2x^2 - (10x + 0.2x^2 + 360)$$

$$50x - 0.2x^2 - 10x - 0.2x^2 - 360$$

$$P(x) = 40x - 0.4x^2 - 360$$

6. Find the maximum profit.

$$P(x) = 40x - 0.4x^2 - 360$$

Max Profit  $\Rightarrow$  Vertex  $(-\frac{b}{2a}, f(-\frac{b}{2a}))$

$$-\frac{b}{2a} = \frac{-40}{2(-0.4)} = \frac{+40}{-0.8} = 50$$

7. What price maximizes the profit?

$$-\frac{b}{2a} = \frac{-40}{-0.8} = 50 \text{ unit}$$

$$p = 50 - 0.2(50)$$

$$p = 50 - 0.2(50) = 50 - 10 = 40$$

8. Find and interpret  $P'(20)$ .

$$P(x) = 40x - 0.4x^2 - 360$$

$$P'(x) = 40 - 0.8x$$

$$P'(20) = 40 - 0.8(20) = 40 - 16 = 24$$

9. How many units should be produced to guarantee a profit of money?

$$P(x) = 0$$

$$C(x) = R(x)$$

$$P(x) = 0$$

$$40x - 0.4x^2 - 360 = 0$$

No loss  
Break Even.

$\Rightarrow$  producing and selling 20 unit change is estimated (approximate) as by 24\$

$$100 \pm \sqrt{(100)^2 - 4(400)}$$

$$= \frac{100 \pm 80}{2} = 90$$

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$$-100x + x^2 + 400$$

$$x^2 - 100x + 400 = 0$$

$$-\frac{b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\Downarrow \quad x^2 - 100x + 900 = 0$$

$$\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\frac{-(100) \pm \sqrt{(100)^2 - 4(1)(900)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{100 \pm 80}{2}$$

$$\frac{100 + 80}{2} = 90$$

$$\frac{100 - 80}{2} = 10$$

$$(x - 90)(x - 10)$$

$$x = 90$$

$$x = 10$$

2.5

Profit  $\Rightarrow$

$$10 < x < 90$$