

## Review exercises 2      Differential calculus, integral calculus

### Problems

R2.1    Decide whether the statements below are true or false:

- a)      "The derivative (derived function) of a function is a function."
- b)      "The derivative (rate of change) of a function at a particular position is a number."
- c)      "The function  $f$  has a local maximum at  $x = x_1$  if  $f'(x_1) = 0$  and  $f''(x_1) > 0$ ."
- d)      "If  $f''(x_2) = 0$  and  $f'''(x_2) < 0$ , then the function  $f$  has a point of inflection at  $x = x_2$ ."
- e)      "If  $g' = f$ , then  $g$  is an antiderivative of  $f$ ."
- f)      "f with  $f(x) = 2x + 20$  is an antiderivative of  $g$  with  $g(x) = x^2$ ."
- g)      "f with  $f(x) = 3x$  has infinitely many antiderivatives."
- h)      "The indefinite integral of a function is a set of functions."

R2.2    Determine the value  $f(x_0)$ , the first derivative  $f'(x_0)$ , and the second derivative  $f''(x_0)$  of the function  $f$  at the position  $x_0$ :

- a)       $f(x) = 4x^2(x^2 - 1)$                        $x_0 = -1$
- b)       $f(x) = (-3x^2 + 2x - 1) \cdot e^x$                $x_0 = -2$
- c)       $f(x) = (x^2 + 2) \cdot e^{-3x}$                        $x_0 = -\frac{1}{3}$

R2.3    For the given cost function  $C(x)$  and revenue function  $R(x)$  determine ...

- i)      ... the marginal cost function  $C'(x)$ .
  - ii)     ... the marginal revenue function  $R'(x)$ .
  - iii)    ... the marginal profit function  $P'(x)$ .
- a)       $C(x) = (40x + 200)$  CHF                       $R(x) = 60x$  CHF
  - b)       $C(x) = (5x^2 + 20x + 100)$  CHF               $R(x) = (-2x^2 + 100x)$  CHF
  - c)       $C(x) = (20x^2 + 50 + 3e^{4x})$  CHF               $R(x) = (200x - e^{-4x^2})$  CHF

R2.4    For the function  $f$ , determine ...

- i)      ... the local maxima and minima.
  - ii)     ... the points of inflection.
- a)       $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x - 1$
  - b)       $f(x)$  as in R2.2 a)

R2.5    The total revenue function for a commodity is given by

$$R(x) = (-0.01x^2 + 36x) \text{ CHF}$$

Determine the maximum revenue if production is limited to at most 1500 units.

R2.6 If the total cost function for a product is

$$C(x) = (x^2 + 100) \text{ CHF}$$

producing how many units  $x$  will result in a minimum average cost? Determine the minimum average cost.

R2.7 A firm can produce 1000 units per month only. The monthly total cost is given by

$$C(x) = (200x + 300) \text{ CHF}$$

where  $x$  is the number produced. If the total revenue is given by

$$R(x) = \left(-\frac{1}{100}x^2 + 250x\right) \text{ CHF}$$

how many items should the firm produce for a maximum profit? Determine the maximum profit.

R2.8 Determine the indefinite integrals below:

a)  $\int (x^4 - 3x^3 - 6) \, dx$

b)  $\int \left(\frac{1}{2}x^6 - \frac{2}{3x^4}\right) \, dx$

R2.9 The equation of the third derivative  $f'''$  of a function  $f$  is given as follows:

$$f'''(x) = 3x + 1$$

Determine the equation of the function  $f$  such that  $f''(0) = 0$ ,  $f'(0) = 1$ ,  $f(0) = 2$

R2.10 If the marginal cost for producing a product is  $C'(x) = (5x + 10)$  CHF, with a fixed cost of 800 CHF, what will be the cost of producing 20 units?

R2.11 A certain firm's marginal cost  $C'(x)$  and the derivative of the average revenue  $\bar{R}'(x)$  are given as follows:

$$C'(x) = (6x + 60) \text{ CHF}$$

$$\bar{R}'(x) = -1 \text{ CHF}$$

The total cost and revenue of the production of 10 items are 1000 CHF and 1700 CHF, respectively.

How many units will result in a maximum profit? Determine the maximum profit.

R2.12 The supply function for a product is

$$p = f_s(x) = (4x + 4) \text{ CHF}$$

and the demand function is

$$p = f_d(x) = (-x^2 + 49) \text{ CHF}$$

Determine the equilibrium point and both the consumer's and the producer's surplus there.

R2.13 (see next page)

R2.13 The supply function for a product is

$$p = f_s(x) = \left(ax^2 - \frac{6}{5}x + 2\right) \text{ CHF}$$

and the demand function is

$$p = f_d(x) = (-bx^2 + 110) \text{ CHF}$$

with unknown parameters  $a$  and  $b$ . The equilibrium price is 10 CHF, and the producer's surplus is 73.33 CHF (rounded).

Determine the two unknown parameters  $a$  and  $b$ .

Hint:

- Use the unrounded value  $\left(73 + \frac{1}{3}\right) \text{ CHF} = \frac{220}{3} \text{ CHF}$  for the producer's surplus.