

9.4 - Applications to Economics and Biology

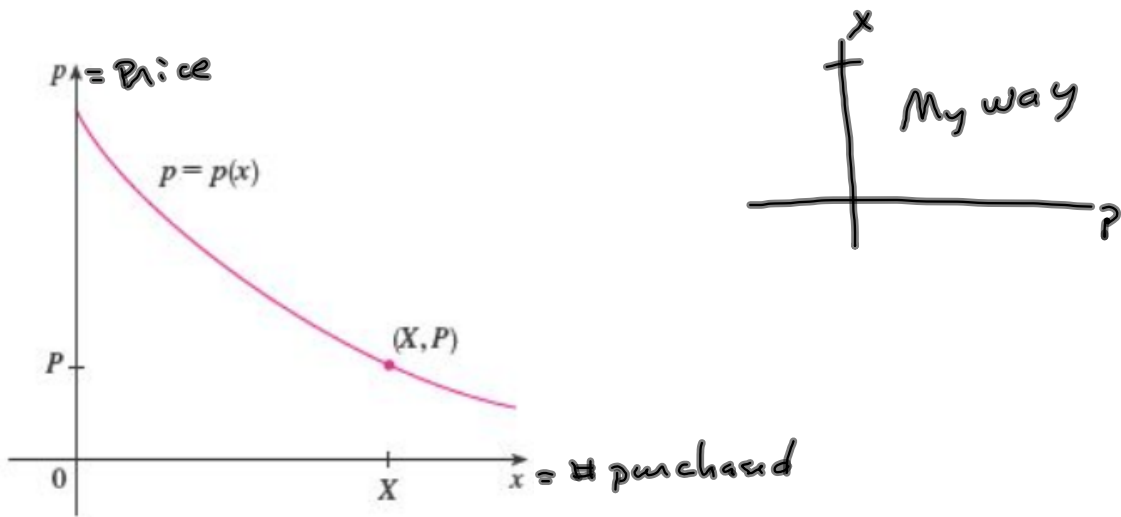


FIGURE 1
A typical demand curve

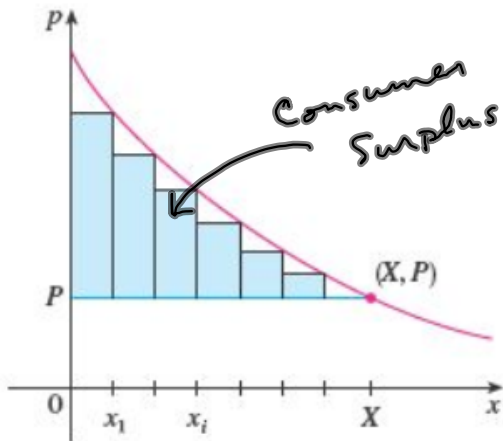


FIGURE 2

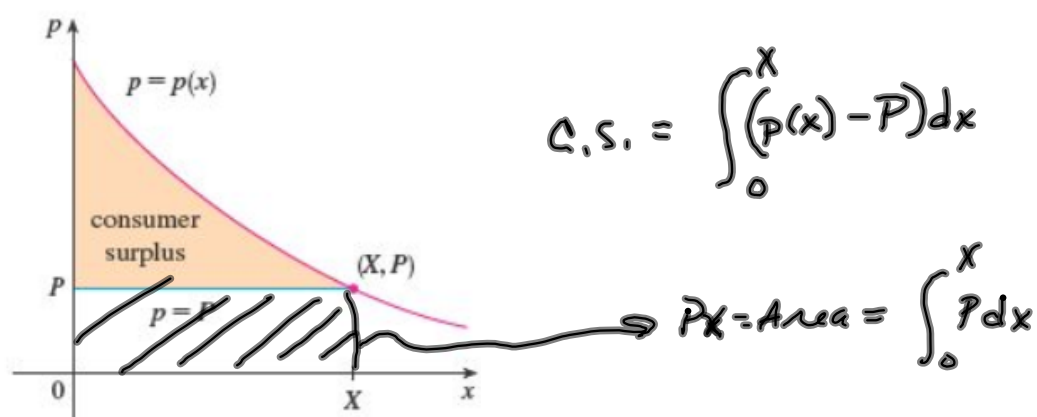


FIGURE 3

The consumer surplus represents the amount of money saved by consumers in purchasing the commodity at price P , corresponding to an amount demanded of X . Figure 3 shows the interpretation of the consumer surplus as the area under the demand curve and above the line $p = P$.

Example - The demand function for a certain commodity is $p = 1500 - 0.03x^2$. Find the consumer surplus when the sales level is 200. Illustrate by drawing the demand curve and identifying the consumer surplus as an area.

$$p(x) = 1500 - .03x^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} x = 200 \Rightarrow p(x) &= p(200) = 1500 - .03(200)^2 \\ &= 1500 - 1200 \\ &= 300 = P \end{aligned}$$

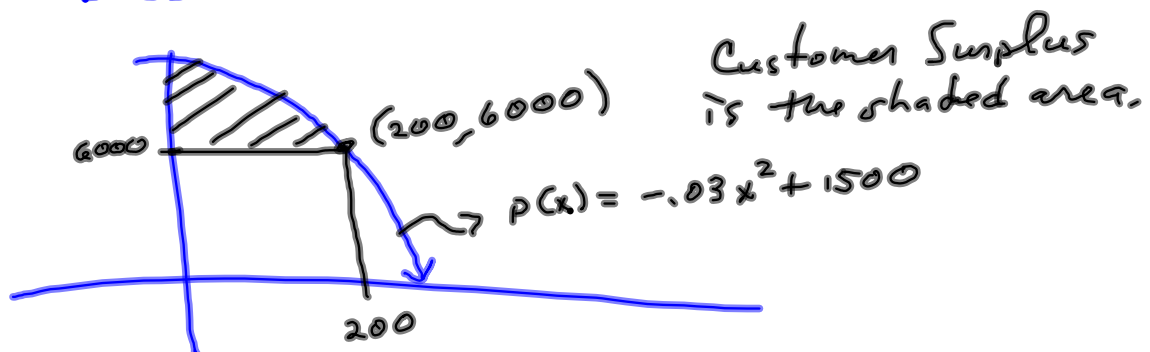
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Consumer Surplus} &= \int_0^{200} (p(x) - P) dx = \int_0^{200} (1500 - .03x^2) dx - (300)(200) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left[1500x - .01x^3 \right]_0^{200} - 60000$$

$$= 1500(200) - .01(200)^3 - 0 - 60000$$

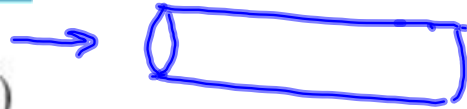
$$= 300000 - 80000 - 60000$$

$$= 220000 - 60000 = \$214,000 \text{ is C.S.}$$



BLOOD FLOW

$$v(r) = \frac{P}{4\eta l} (R^2 - r^2)$$



v = the velocity of blood
 R = radius of blood vessel
 l = length of the blood vessel
 r = distance from the center of the vessel
 P = pressure difference between the ends of the vessel
 η = viscosity of the blood *eta*

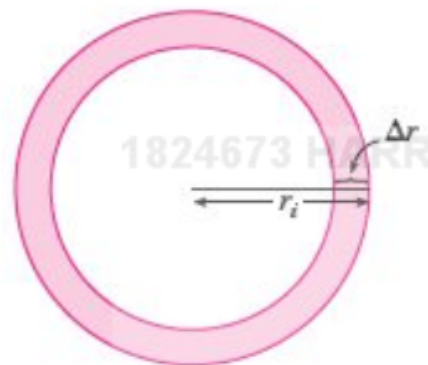


FIGURE 4

"Flux" means "flow," which is volume per unit time.

Let r_1, r_2, r_3, \dots be smaller, equally spaced radii

Area of ring i is given by

$$\underline{2\pi r_i \Delta r} \quad \text{where} \quad \Delta r = r_i - r_{i-1}$$

So the volume of blood through ring i *per unit time* is given by

$$(2\pi r_i \Delta r) v(r_i) = 2\pi r_i v(r_i) \Delta r$$

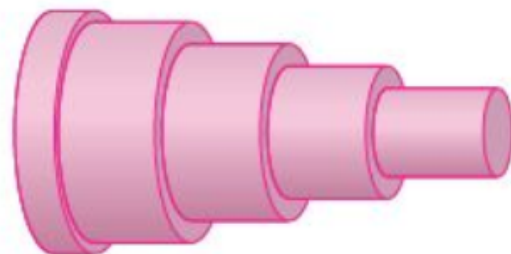


FIGURE 5

Figure 5 is a picture of how this would look in unit time. As you get closer to the center, the velocity increases, which is why this looks like a telescope.

So the flux F in unit time is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 F &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n 2\pi r_i v(r_i) \Delta r = \int_0^R 2\pi r v(r) dr \\
 &= \int_0^R 2\pi r \frac{P}{4\eta l} (R^2 - r^2) dr \quad \leftarrow v(r) = \frac{P}{4\eta l} (R^2 - r^2) \\
 &= \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} \int_0^R (R^2 r - r^3) dr = \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} \left[R^2 \frac{r^2}{2} - \frac{r^4}{4} \right]_{r=0}^{r=R} \\
 &= \frac{\pi P}{2\eta l} \left[\frac{R^4}{2} - \frac{R^4}{4} \right] = \frac{\pi P R^4}{8\eta l}
 \end{aligned}$$

Poiseuille's Law

$$F = \frac{\pi P R^4}{8\eta l}$$

Cardiac Output

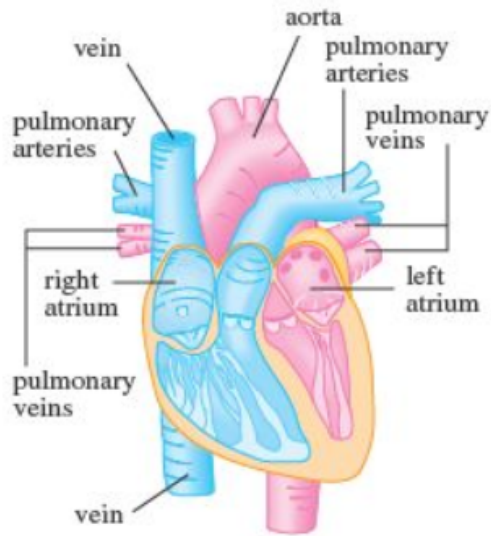


FIGURE 6

The *dye dilution method* is used to measure the cardiac output. Dye is injected into the right atrium and flows through the heart into the aorta. A probe inserted into the aorta measures the concentration of the dye leaving the heart at equally spaced times over a time interval $[0, T]$ until the dye has cleared. Let $c(t)$ be the concentration of the dye at time t . If we divide $[0, T]$ into subintervals of equal length Δt , then the amount of dye that flows past the measuring point during the subinterval from $t = t_{i-1}$ to $t = t_i$ is approximately

$$(\text{concentration})(\text{volume}) = c(t_i)(F \Delta t)$$

where F is the flux, or blood flow, as before. And, as before, it's the one unknown in this situation.

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c(t_i)F \Delta t = F \sum_{i=1}^n c(t_i) \Delta t$$

$$A = F \int_0^T c(t) dt$$

$$F = \frac{A}{\int_0^T c(t) dt}$$

Can you think of an unstated assumption that goes into this model?

F is constant

*T is big enough
 \Rightarrow all the dye
 is pumped
 thru.*

Then:
$$\int_0^{T+37} c(t) dt = \int_0^T c(t) dt$$

17. The dye dilution method is used to measure cardiac output with 6 mg of dye. The dye concentrations, in mg/L, are modeled by $c(t) = 20te^{-0.6t}$, $0 \leq t \leq 10$, where t is measured in seconds. Find the cardiac output.

$$= F = \frac{A}{\int_0^T c(t) dt} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{mg} \\ T = 10 \\ A = 6 \\ c(t) = 20te^{-0.6t} \end{array}$$

$$\int_0^T c(t) dt = \int_0^{10} 20te^{-0.6t} dt$$

$$= 20 \int_0^{10} te^{-0.6t} dt \quad c(t) \text{ mg/L-s} ?$$

Scratch

$$u = t \rightarrow du = dt$$

$$dv = e^{-0.6t} dt \Rightarrow \frac{1}{-0.6} e^{-0.6t} = v$$

$$\text{So } uv - \int v du = t \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{0.6} e^{-0.6t}\right) - \int \frac{1}{-0.6} e^{-0.6t} dt$$

$$= -\frac{t}{0.6} e^{-0.6t} + \frac{1}{0.6} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{0.6}\right) e^{-0.6t}$$

Evaluate for 0 to 10: Don't forget the "20"

$$20 \left[-\frac{t}{0.6} e^{-0.6t} + \frac{1}{0.6} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{0.6}\right) e^{-0.6t} \right]_0^{10} \quad \text{sol}$$

$$= 20 \left[-\frac{10}{0.6} e^{-.6(10)} - \frac{1}{(.6)^2} e^{-.6(10)} + \frac{1}{(.6)^2} \right]$$

$$= 20 \left[-\frac{10}{.6} e^{-6} - \frac{1}{.36} e^{-6} + \frac{1}{.36} \right]$$

9.4 #54, 7, 8, 13, 15, 18

$$\approx 54.6$$

$$\approx 54.59159638$$



