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# Paper-4 Business Economics

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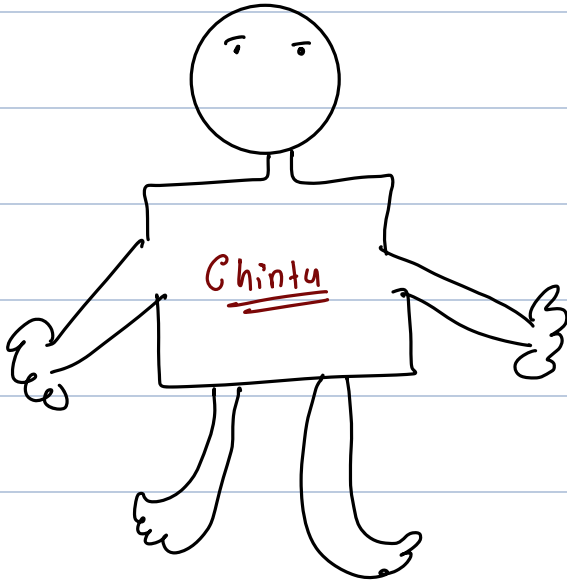
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Theory of Demand



Iphone-15 Pro Max  
2,00,000₹

Diamond Ring  
↓  
1,20,000₹

Watch - 5000₹

Chintu

	Desire/Willingness	Ability to Purchase	Demand
Nancy → 15 Pro Max	✓✓	x x x	x x x
Stephie → Diamond Ring	✓✓	x x x	x x x
Champa → Watch (5000₹)	✓✓	✓✓	✓✓

# Meaning of Demand

Quantity of Commodity that a Consumer is willing and Able to buy at a Given Price over Given Period of time

*note to self:*

Quantity Demanded is  
Flow Concept

## Stock v/s Flow Concept

Stock

Measuring at a Particular  
Point of time

Flow

Measuring over Period of time

# Factors Affecting Demand

## ① Price of Commodity

$P \uparrow$   $Q.D \downarrow$   
 $P \downarrow$   $Q.D \uparrow$  } keeping other factors constant

Ceteris Paribus

## ② Price of Related Goods

Substitute Goods



Goods which can be used in place of each other

Complementary Goods

Goods which jointly satisfy a particular want

Pepsodent

$P \rightarrow$   $Q.D \uparrow$

$P \leftarrow$   $Q.D \downarrow$

Colgate

$P \uparrow$   $Q.D \downarrow$

$P \downarrow$   $Q.D \uparrow$

Ink bottle

$P \leftrightarrow$   $Q.D \downarrow$

$P \leftarrow$   $Q.D \uparrow$

Ink Pen

$P \uparrow$   $Q.D \downarrow$

$P \downarrow$   $Q.D \uparrow$

Price of one and Demand of other are (+)vely Correlated

Price of one and Demand of other are (-)vely Correlated

### ③ Disposable Income

Disposable Income  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

Disposable Income  $\downarrow$  Demand  $\downarrow$

Disposable Income

Income

(-) Business Taxes

(-) Personal Taxes

Personal Disposable Income.

Normal Good vs Inferior Good

Normal Good

Inferior Good

Income  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

Income  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\downarrow$

Positive Income Effect.



Negative Income Effect.

### ④ Taste and Preferences

# If Taste and Preference

Goes in favour of Good, its Demand Increases

# If Taste and Preference

Goes Against the Good, its Demand Decreases

⑤ Consumer Expectation

Inc. in future price

Increase in Income

Shortage in Supply



Demand will Increase  
Currently

Fall in future price

Fall in Income



Non-Essential Commodities  
demand will be postponed.

⑥ Population

Population ↑

Demand ↑

Population ↓

Demand ↓

⑦ Age Distribution of People

Old Age People ↑

Medicine ↑

Childrens ↑

Toys ↑

## ⑧ Credit Facility and ROI

Credit Facility  $\uparrow$  Loan  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

Credit Facility  $\downarrow$  Loan  $\downarrow$  Demand  $\downarrow$

ROI  $\rightarrow$  Rate of Interest

Jis Rate Par Bank Hamko  
loan deti hai

ROI  $\uparrow$  Loan  $\downarrow$  Demand  $\downarrow$

ROI  $\downarrow$  Loan  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

## ⑨ Government Policy

Tax  $\uparrow$  Cost of Production  $\uparrow$  Price  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\downarrow$

Subsidy  $\uparrow$  Cost of Production  $\downarrow$  Price  $\downarrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

## ⑩ Other Factors

### Point To Be Noted

Apart from above, factors such as

- Weather conditions
- Business conditions
- Stage of business cycle
- Wealth
- Levels of education
- Marital status
- Socioeconomic class
- Group membership
- Habits of the consumer
- Social customs and conventions
- Salesmanship
- Advertisements

Also play  
important  
roles in  
influencing  
demand.

# Types of Demand.

Individual Demand

Market Demand.

Quantity of Commodity that **a** Consumer is willing and Able to buy at Given Price over Given Period of time

Quantity of Commodity that **ALL** Consumers is willing and Able to buy at Given Price over Given Period of time

## Demand Schedule

Tabular Presentation of Price and Quantity Demanded

Individual Demand  
Schedule

Market Demand Schedule

Tabular Presentation of Price and Quantity demanded by **a** Consumers

Tabular Presentation of Price and Quantity demanded by **all** Consumers



Price	Q.D <sub>A</sub>
10	600
20	500
30	400
40	150
50	50

Price	Q.D <sub>A</sub>	Q.D <sub>B</sub>	M.D = Q.D <sub>A</sub> + Q.D <sub>B</sub>
10	600	300	600 + 300 = 900
20	500	200	500 + 200 = 700
30	400	100	400 + 100 = 500
40	150	50	150 + 50 = 200
50	50	30	50 + 30 = 80

## Demand Curve

"Graphical Presentation of Demand Schedule"

Individual Demand Curve

Market Demand Curve



Graphical Presentation of  
Individual Demand Schedule

Graphical Presentation of  
Market Demand Schedule

Price	Q.D <sub>A</sub>
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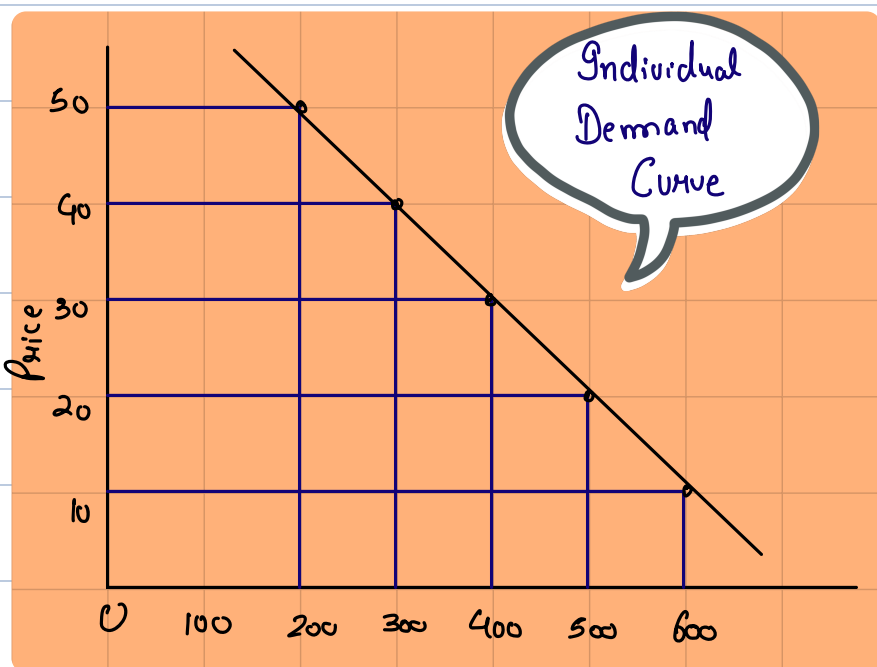
10      600

20      500

30      400

40      300

50      200



Quantity Demanded

Also known as

- Price line
- Avg Revenue Curve.

## Demand function

Functional Relationship between  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Demand for Product} \\ \text{Factors Affecting Demand} \end{array} \right.$

$$Q_x = f(P_x, P_R, Y \text{ etc.})$$

Demand  
↓  
Dependent Variable

$$Q_x = \text{Output / Demand} \quad Y = \text{Income}$$

$$P_x = \text{Price of Comm.}$$

$$P_R = \text{Price of Related Good}$$

Factors  
↓  
Independent Variable

# Law of Demand.

Given by  
Alfred Marshall

When Price of Commodity Inc. its Qty demand decreases ; Vice-versa

$P \uparrow \quad Q \cdot D \downarrow$   
 $P \downarrow \quad Q \cdot D \uparrow$

keeping other factors constant  
Ceteris Paribus

Which factors to be Constant??  
↓  
All factors Except Price

# Slope of Demand Curve

$$\text{Slope} = \frac{-\Delta P}{\Delta Q} = \frac{\text{Change in y-axis}}{\text{Change in x-axis}}$$

Slope Hamesha ne ve hi hoga.

# Demand Curve Can be

Linear OR Convilinear



Straight line

Slope will Vary Along the Curve.

Convenient Tool for Analysis.

# External Effects on Utility

Band Wagon  
Effect

Snob  
Effect

Veblen  
Effect

Demonstration  
Effect.

(a) Band Wagon Effect

" Dekha Dekhi Karina → Normal Price Goods ki "

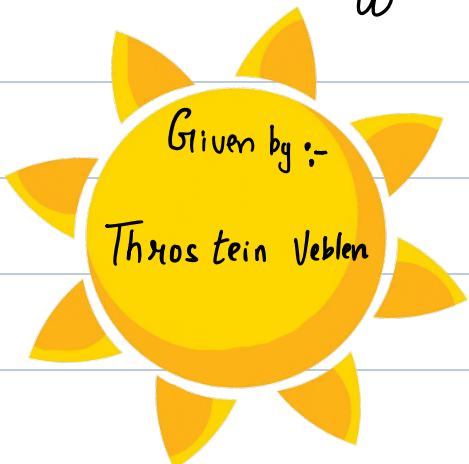
(b) Snob Effect

↳ Doing different things.

" When one want to be

Exclusive  
Different  
Dissociate himself  
from Common.

(c) Veblen Effect:

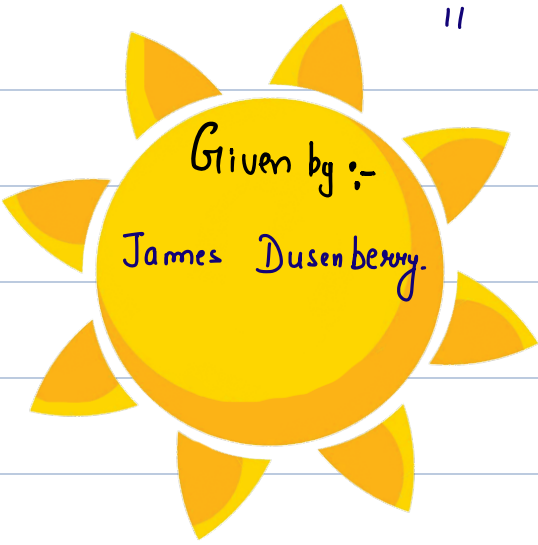


Highly Price Goods



Consumed by Status Seeking Rich People.

(d) Demonstration Effect



" Costly Good ki dekha/dekhi karne "

+

Copy of Consumption Behaviour of others.

Ex - Cell Phone

# Changes in Quantity Demanded

(OR)

Movement Along Demand Curve  
Due to = Change in Price of Commodity only.

Expansion of Demand

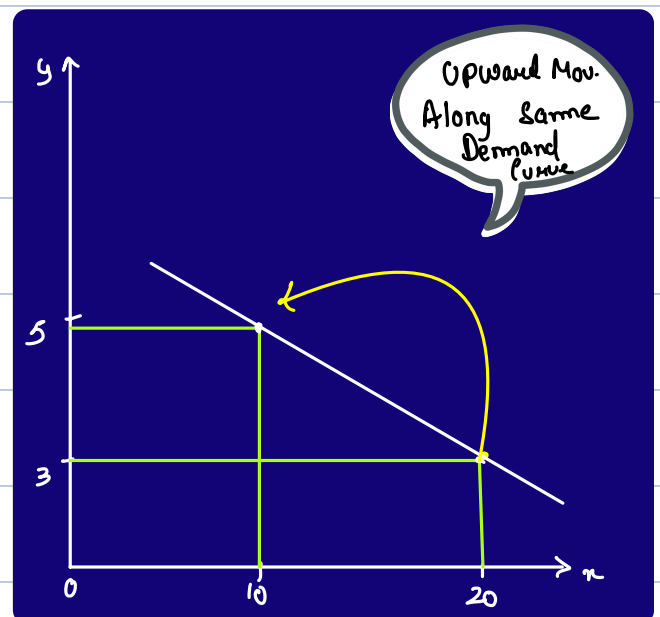
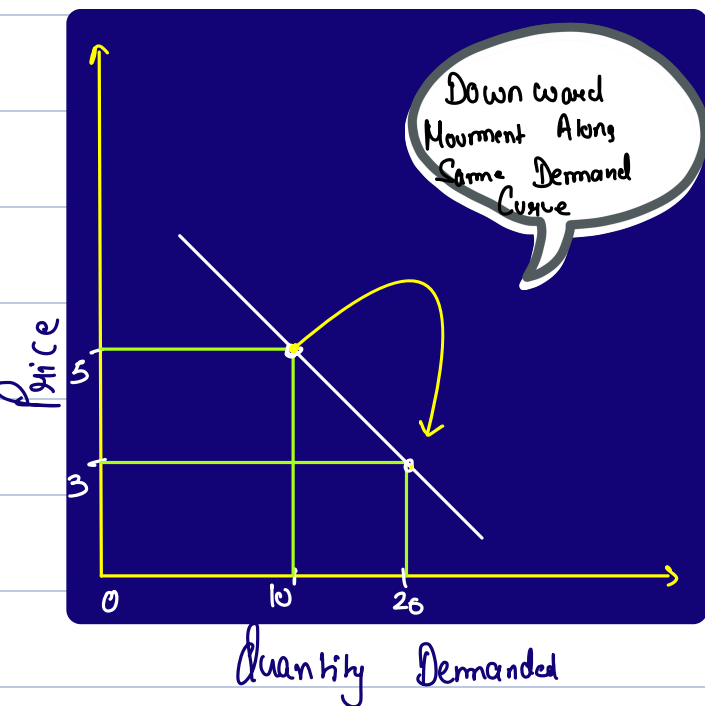
Contraction of Demand

$P \downarrow$        $Q.D \uparrow$

$P \uparrow$        $Q.D \downarrow$

P	Q.D.
5	10
3	20

P	Q.D.
3	20
5	10



# Changes in Demand

(OR)

## Shift in Demand Curve

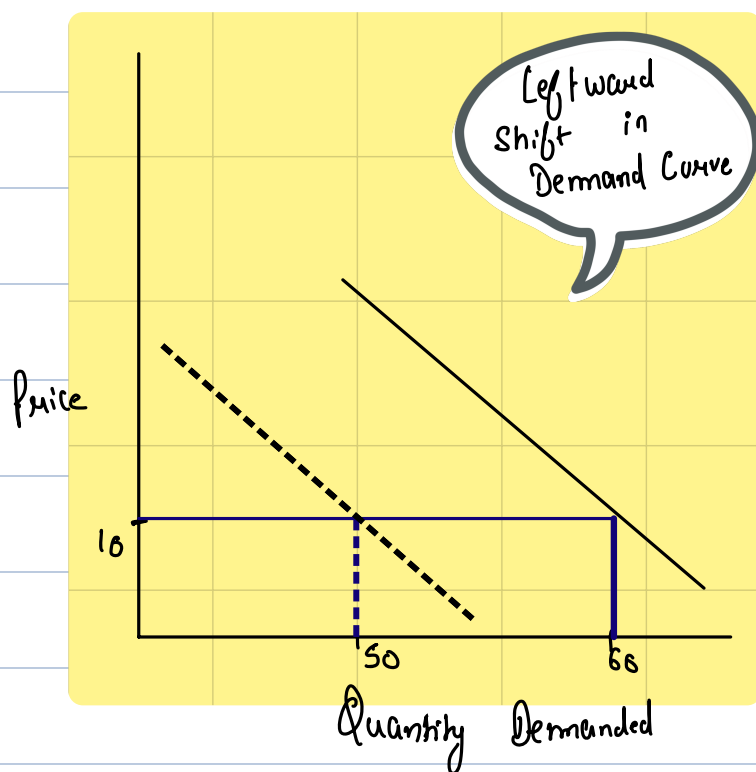
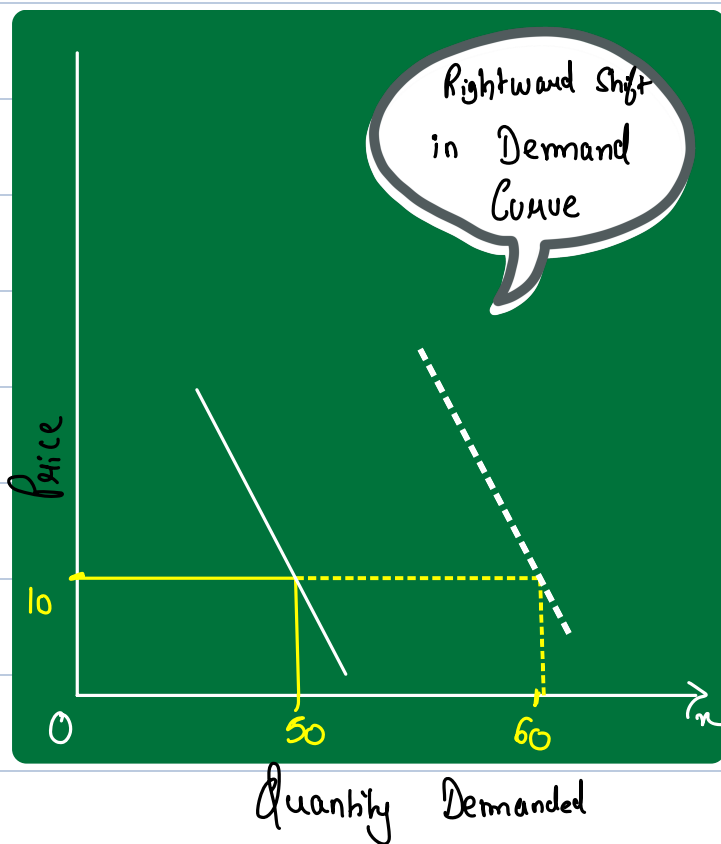
Due to = Change in Any Factor other than Price

Increase in Demand

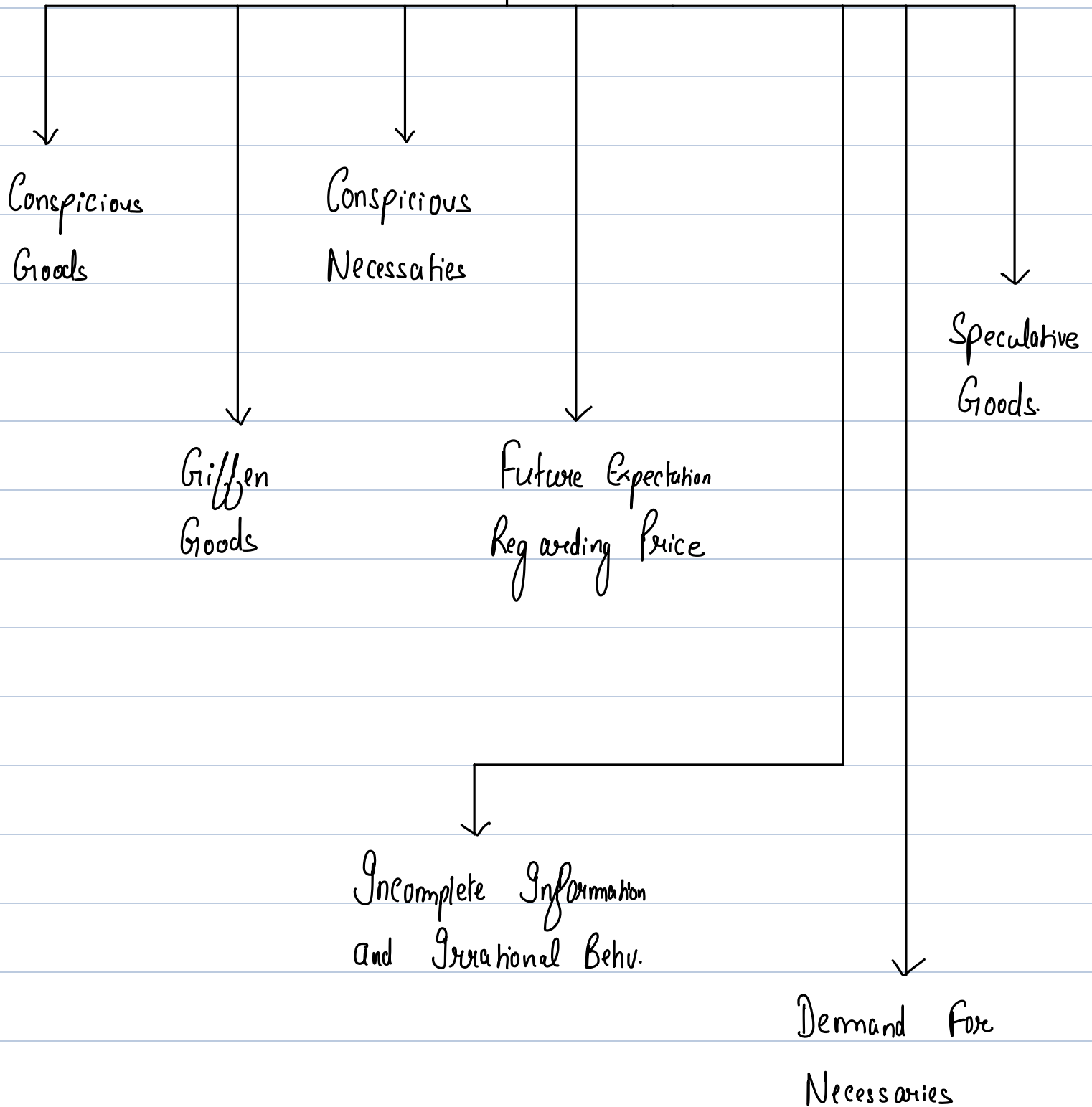
Decrease in Demand

Price	Income	Demand
10	50,000	50
10	70,000	60

Price	Income	Demand
10	70,000	60
10	50,000	50



# Exceptions to Law of Demand





## (a) Conspicuous Goods

• Article of Prestige Value } Are Used by Rich  
Snob Appeal } People  
Articles of Conspicuous Consumption } as Status Symbol.

• When Price ↑ Demand ↑

• This was found by Veblen in his doctrine of "Conspicuous Consumption"

**Veblen Effect**

• If Commodity is Expensive ↓  
then it will Give More Utility

Also called as

- Veblen Effect
- Prestige Goods Effect

## (b) Giffen Goods

"All Giffen Goods are Inferior Goods, but all Inferior Goods are not Giffen Goods"

### Meaning.

Inferior Good  
+  
No Close Substitute  
+  
Occupy Substantial  
Place in Consumer  
Budget

$P \uparrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

Given by "Sir Robert Giffen"

## (c) Conspicuous Necessities

• Affected by "Demonstration Effect of Consumption Pattern of Social Groups"

• Due to Constant Usage become Necessity

## (d) Future Expectation Regarding Price

Price Expected to Rise in  
Near Future  $\downarrow$   
Demand will Increase Now

Price Expected to Fall in  
Near Future  $\downarrow$   
Demand will Decrease Now

## (e) Incomplete Information and Irrational Behavior

If Consumer has Irrational Behavior } Demand will  
(OR) Increase Even  
Incomplete Information } at High Price

## (f) Demand For Necessities

For Necessaries  $\rightarrow$   $P \uparrow$  Demand  $\uparrow$

## (h) Speculative Goods

For share Market

*You got this*

More will  
be Demanded  
 $\downarrow$   
When Prices are  
Rising

Less will  
be Demanded  
 $\downarrow$   
When Prices are  
Falling

## Downwards ??

### ⑬ Price Effect of fall in Price

#### Substitution Effect

• Change in Demand when Price of Relative Good Changes

• A Commodity whose price is fallen, becomes cheaper, then other Commodity become **Relative Expensive**

•  $P \downarrow$  Substive Effects will always be Positive

#### Income Effect

Increase in Demand due to Increase in Real Income

$P \downarrow$  More Qty Can be Purchased

$P \downarrow$  Same Qty Purchased  
[ Savings Hogi as Paisa bachega ]

Price of Coffee = 100 Rs  
Income = 100 Rs

Qty Purchase = 1

Price of coffee = 50 Rs  
Income = 100 Rs

Qty Pur. = 2  
Real Income ↑

Price of coffee = 50 Rs  
Income = 100 Rs

Qty Pur. = 1  
Saving = Rs 50  
Real Income ↑

Substitution Effect will be stronger when :-

- Goods are close substitute
- Lower cost of switching to substitute good
- Lower inconvenience while switching.

When Price falls  
↓

Consumer Real Income ↑  
OR

Consumer Purchasing Power ↑

## (2) Utility Maximizing Behavior of Consumer

- Consumer Equilibrium is achieved when  $MU_x = P_x$
- Consumer has Reducing Marginal Utility, so he will be paying less for Every additional Unit.
- Rational Consumer will not pay More for lesser Satisfaction.

In Case of Inferior Good

↓  
Income Effect Works in Opposite Direction to Substitution Effect.



Bhul Mat Jaana...

you got this

• In Case of Inferiore Good  
↓  
Expansion of Demand  
due to Price fall

Will take Place  
Only if Substitution  
Effects Outweighs  
Income Effect.

### (3) Arrival of New Consumers

Price ↓ Customers who Couldn't Afford → will buy Now  
↓  
"Demand Curve will be Downward Slopping"

### (4) Different Uses

• If Commodity has Multiple Uses  
+  
Price of Commodity are High } Put to Limited Use only.  
↓  
"Demand Curve will be Downward Sloppin"

- Total bans, restrictions and higher taxes may be used by government to restrict the demand for socially undesirable goods and services.
- Government's policy on international trade also will affect the domestic demand for goods and services.

## MEANING OF EFFECTIVE DEMAND

The effective demand for a thing depends on

(i) Desire

+

(ii) Means to purchase

+

(iii) Willingness to use those means for that purchase

# Elasticity of Demand

## Price Elasticity

Logic - ①

$$E_d = \frac{\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.}}{\% \Delta \text{ in Price}}$$

$$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = \frac{Q_1 - Q}{Q} \times 100$$

$$\% \Delta \text{ in Price} = \frac{P_1 - P}{P} \times 100$$

Logic - ②

$$E_d = \frac{P}{Q} \times \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta P}$$

$P$  = Original Price       $Q$  = Original Qty

$P_1$  = New Price       $Q_1$  = New Qty

$\Delta P = P_1 - P$

$\Delta Q = Q_1 - Q$

[15 Pro Max]

Clothes

$\% \Delta \text{ in Price} = 30\% \downarrow$

$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = 60\% \uparrow$

$$E_d = \frac{60}{-30} = -2$$

Cell Phone

$\% \Delta \text{ in Price} = 40\% \downarrow$

$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = 100\% \uparrow$

$$E_d = \frac{100}{-40} = -2.5$$

Alcohol [31/12/2023]

$\% \Delta \text{ in Price} = 60\% \uparrow$

$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = 30\% \downarrow$

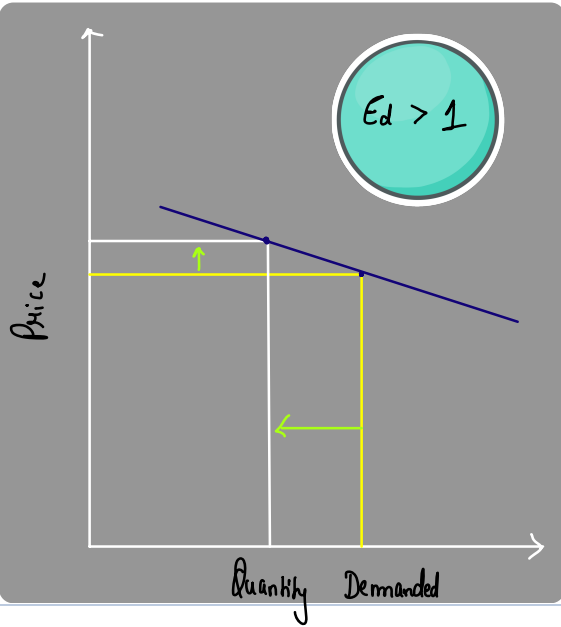
$$E_d = \frac{-30\%}{60\%} = -0.5$$



# Basic Level Important

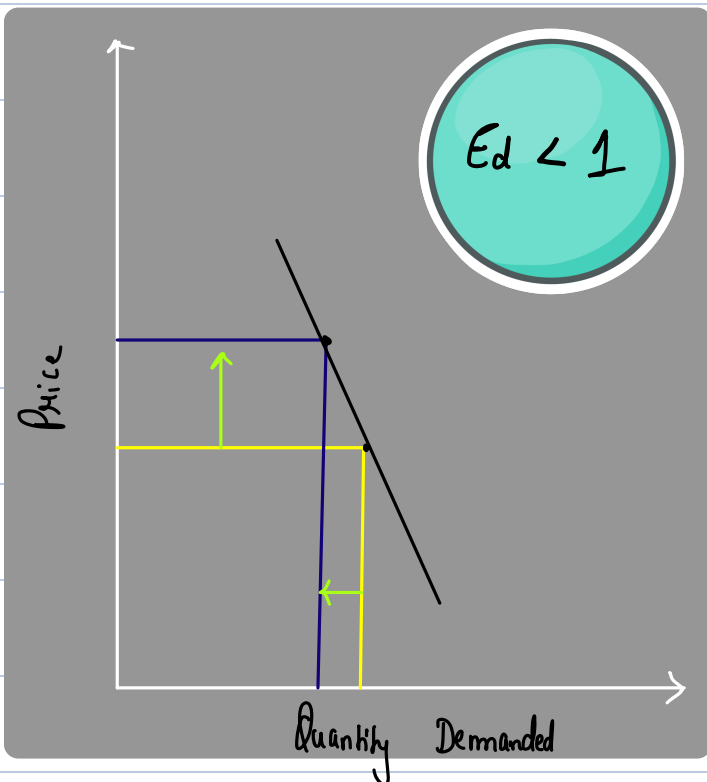
## Graph...

### ① Highly Elastic Demand



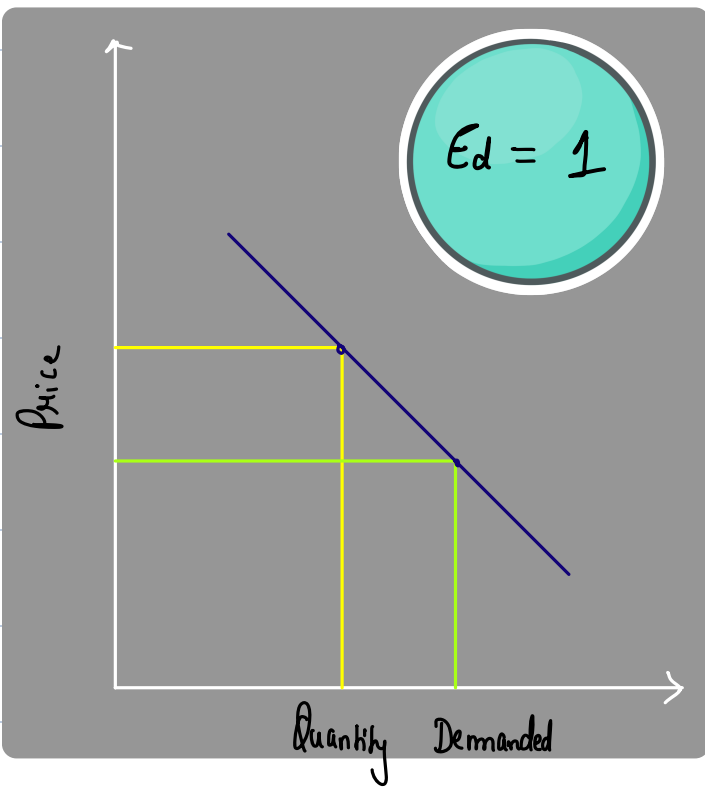
$\% \Delta$  in Q.D.  $>$   $\% \Delta$  in Price

### ② Less Elastic Demand



$\% \Delta$  in Q.D.  $<$   $\% \Delta$  in Price

### ③ Unitary Elastic Demand

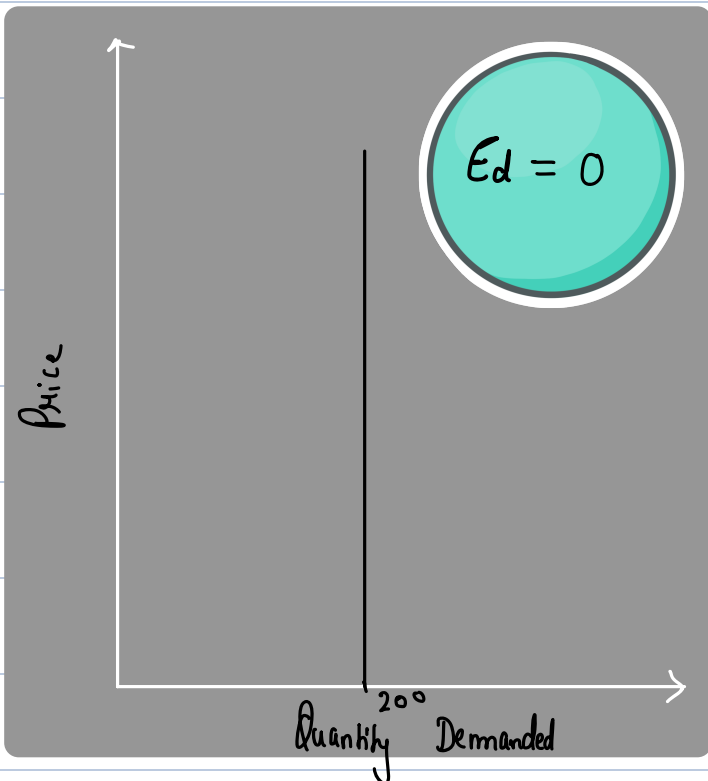


$$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = \% \Delta \text{ in Price}$$

Also known as

- ↳ 45° straight line
- ↳ Equilateral Hyperbola
- ↳ Rectangular Hyperbola

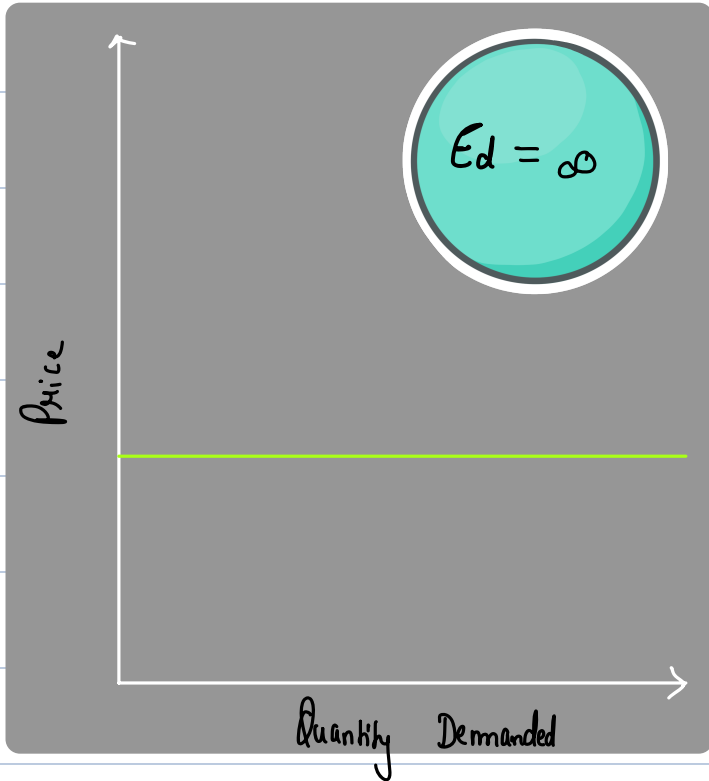
### ④ Perfectly Inelastic Demand



$$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = \text{zero}$$

$$\% \Delta \text{ in Price} = \text{Anything}$$

## ⑤ Perfectly Elastic Demand



%  $\Delta$  in Q.D = Anything

%  $\Delta$  in Price = Zero

Sample Q If Price of Commodity Increases from Rs 10 to Rs 12, then Quantity Demanded falls from 300 to 240 Units. Calculate Price Elasticity.

$$E_d = \frac{\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.}}{\% \Delta \text{ in Price}}$$

$$\% \Delta \text{ in Q.D.} = \frac{Q_1 - Q}{Q} \times 100 = \frac{240 - 300}{300} \times 100$$

$$= -20\%$$

$$\% \Delta \text{ in Price} = \frac{12 - 10}{10} \times 100 = +20\%$$

$$E_d = \frac{-20}{20} = -1$$

$$E_d = \frac{P}{Q} \times \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta P}$$

$$P = 10$$

$$P_1 = 12$$

$$\Delta P = 12 - 10 = 2 \text{ Rs}$$

$$= \frac{10}{300} \times \frac{-60}{2}$$

$$Q = 300$$

$$Q_1 = 240$$

$$= -1$$

$$\Delta Q = -60 \text{ Units}$$

# Advertisement Elasticity

# Advertisement Elasticity is Mostly Positive

# Higher the Elasticity  $\rightarrow$  More will be Impact of Advertisement

For Numerical Questions.

$$E_A = \frac{\% \Delta \text{ in Quantity Demanded}}{\% \Delta \text{ in Advertisement Expn}}$$

$$E_A = \frac{A}{Q} \times \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta A}$$

$A$  = Original Adv. Expn       $Q$  = Old Qty

$A_1$  = New Adv. Expn       $Q_1$  = New Qty

$\Delta A = A_1 - A$

$\Delta Q = Q_1 - Q$

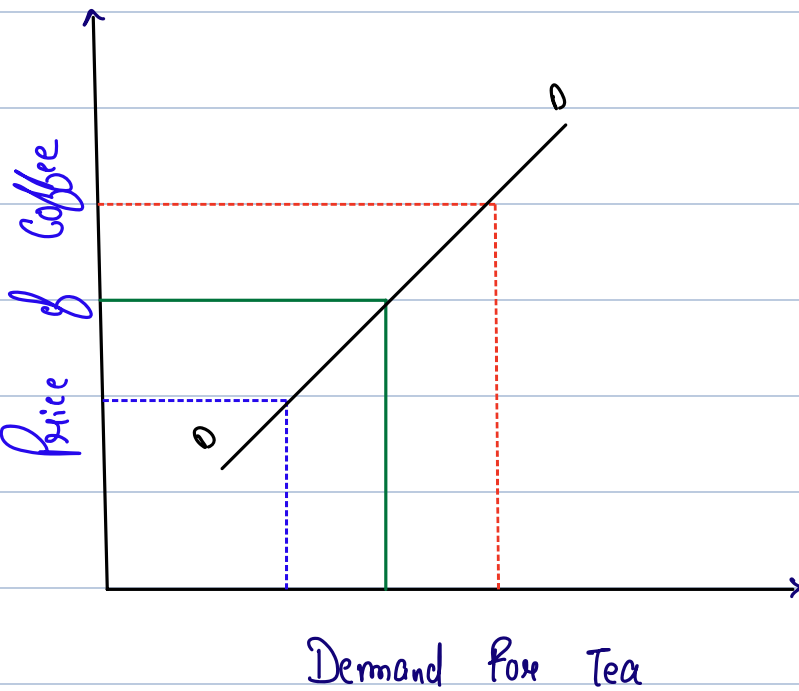
$E_A = 0$	$E_A = \frac{0}{200000} = \text{No Change in Demand due to Advertisement}$
$E_A > 0$ but Less than 1	$E_A = \frac{5\%}{20\%} = 0.25 \Rightarrow$ Inc in Demand is Less Proportionate to Inc in Adv. Expn
$E_A = 1$	$E_A = \frac{20}{20} = 1 \Rightarrow$ Inc in Demand is Equal to Proportionate to Inc in Adv. Expn
$E_A > 1$	$E_A = \frac{30\%}{10\%} = 3 \Rightarrow$ Inc. in Demand is More than Inc in Adv. Expn

Advertisement Elasticity will  
Range from zero to Infinity

Cross Price Elasticity of Demand

Cross Price [ Price of Substitute Good  
Price of Complementary Good.

Substitute Goods



Tea

Coffee

$P_{xx}$	$D \uparrow$	$P \uparrow$	$D \downarrow$
$P_{xx}$	$D \downarrow$	$P \downarrow$	$D \uparrow$

Positive Sloping Demand Curve.

Close Substitute Goods

Cross Price Elasticity  
will be Large



Not Close Substitute

Cross Price Elasticity  
will be Small.



Elasticity in Case  
of Substitute Goods  
will Always be  
Positive

Totally Unrelated Good

Cross Price Elasticity  
will be zero

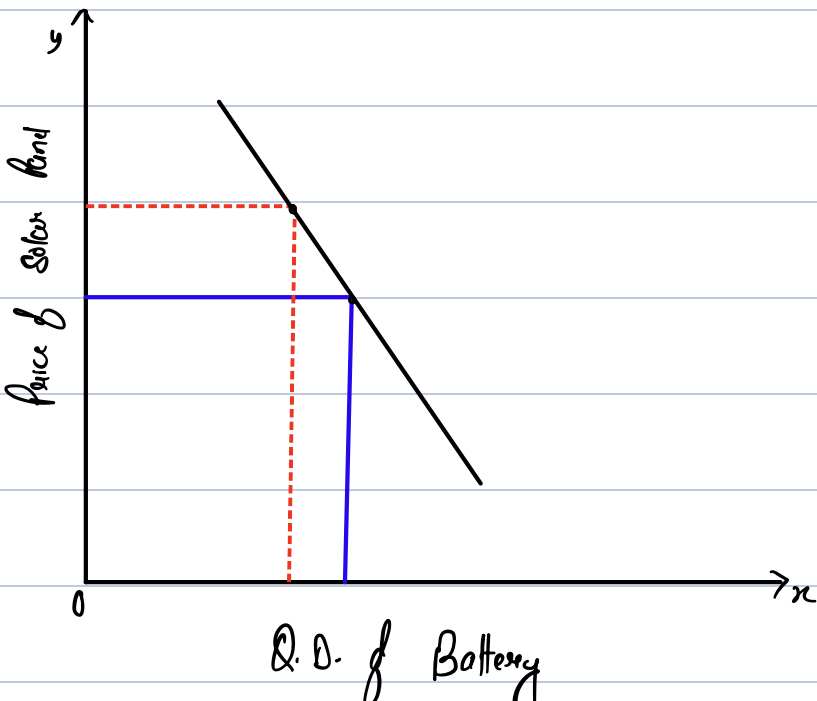


Perfect Substitute Goods

Cross Price Elasticity  
will be Infinite



Complementary Good



Battery

Solar Panel

↓

↑ ↓

↓

↓ ↓

" Cross Price Elasticity of Complementary Goods will ~~Always~~ be Negative Mostly.

Strong Complement

Cross Price Elasticity will be High

Weak Complement

Cross Price Elasticity will be small (Low)  
↓  
Slightly below zero.

Numerical Portion of Cross Price Elasticity.

$$E_d = \frac{\% \Delta \text{ in } Q \cdot D_x}{\% \Delta \text{ in Price } y}$$

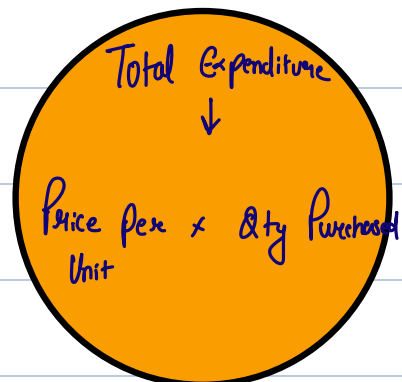
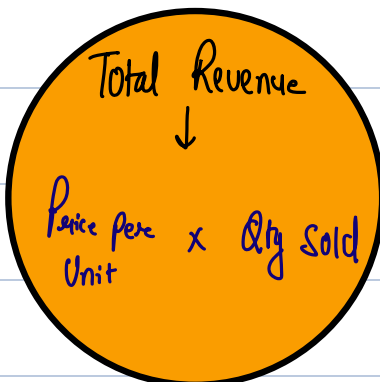
$$E_d = \frac{P_y}{Q_x} \times \frac{\Delta Q_x}{\Delta P_y}$$

x → Apna Good

y → Substitute/Complementary Good.

Total Expenditure Method.  
(OR)

Total Outlay Method.



# Elasticity More than 1

Price	Qty	T.E
5	100	500
4	140	560

Price	Qty	T.E
3	80	240
4	55	220

$P \downarrow$  T.E  $\uparrow$

Arrows in  
Opposite Direction

$P \uparrow$  T.E  $\downarrow$

Price	Qty	TR
5	100	500
4	140	560

Price	Qty	TR
3	80	240
4	55	220

$P \downarrow$  TR  $\uparrow$

Arrows in  
Opposite Direction

$P \uparrow$  TR  $\downarrow$



# Elasticity Less than One

Price	Qty	TE
5	100	500
6	90	540

Price	Qty	TE
10	100	1000
8	110	880

$P \uparrow \quad TE \uparrow$

Arrows in Same Direction

$P \downarrow \quad TE \downarrow$

Price	Qty	TR
5	100	500
6	90	540

Price	Qty	TR
10	100	1000
8	110	880

$P \uparrow \quad TR \uparrow$

Arrows in Same Direction

$P \downarrow \quad TR \downarrow$

# Elasticity Equal to One

Price	Qty	TE
5	100	500
4	125	500

Price	Qty	TE
10	120	1200
12	100	1200

$P \downarrow$  TE (No change)

$P \uparrow$  TE [No change]

Price	Qty	TR
5	100	500
4	125	500

Price	Qty	TR
10	120	1200
12	100	1200

$P \downarrow$  TR (No change)

$P \uparrow$  TR [No change]

## Income Elasticity.

For Numerical Questions.

$$Ed = \frac{\% \Delta \text{ in } Q.D.}{\% \Delta \text{ in Income}}$$

$$Ed = \frac{Y}{Q} \times \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta Y}$$

$$\epsilon_I > 1$$

# %  $\Delta$  in Q.D.  $>$  %  $\Delta$  in Income



Only for Normal Goods

$$\epsilon_I = 1$$

%  $\Delta$  in Q.D. = %  $\Delta$  in Income

Income Elasticity for Normal Goods is Always Positive

Income Elasticity for Inferior Good is always Negative.



Inferior Good

# Inferior Good  $\Rightarrow$  Income Elasticity always negative

# Income  $\uparrow$  Demand for IG  $\downarrow$   
Income  $\downarrow$  Demand for IG  $\uparrow$

Logic  $\Rightarrow$  When Income Increases Consumer Shift to Superior Good.

Luxury Goods



Income Elasticity Greater than One

Necessity Goods



Income Elasticity is Less than One

# Relationship Between Elasticity and Sales

$$\text{If } E_d > 1$$



Sales are Highly Cyclical

$$\text{If } E_d = 1$$

Sales will Move Equally  
w.r.t Income

$$\text{If } E_d < 1$$



Ham Seller ke Product ko Inference  
Samazte hai, therefore sales are  
Countercyclical.

## Factors Affecting Elasticity of Demand.

### ① Availability of Substitute Goods

Close substitute Available = More Elastic

No Close substitute Available = Less Elastic

Suppose for Petrol = Inelastic

Indian oil Petrol ↑ = Elastic

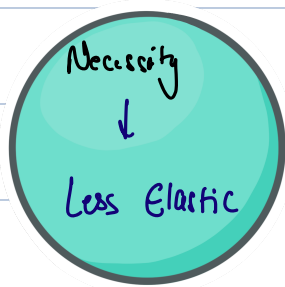
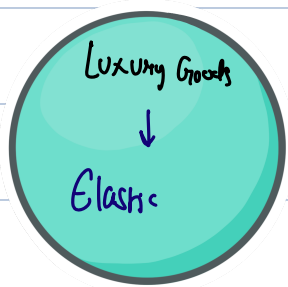
## ② Position of Commodity in Consumer Budget

Rent →	50,000
Maid →	8,000
Grocery →	12,000
Ola/Uber →	10,000
Saving →	20,000
<u>Salary →</u>	<u>1,00,000</u>

Greater the %  
of Income spent  
on Commodity  
↓ [Ex → Rent]  
Greater will be  
Elasticity of Demand

Smaller the %  
of Income spent  
on Commodity  
↓  
Lesser will be  
EOD [Ex - Maid]

## ③ Nature of Need that Commodity Satisfy



*note to self:*  
If it is possible to  
postpone the Consumption  
↓  
EOD → Highly Elastic

## ④ No. of Use to which Commodity Can be Put

More the Possible Use of Commodity → More will be EOD  
(Ex - Milk)

Less are the Uses of Commodity  $\rightarrow$  Less will be EOD

### ⑤ Time Period

Longer the Available time  $\rightarrow$  Highly Elastic Demand

Lesser the Available time  $\rightarrow$  Less Elastic Demand

### ⑥ Consumer Habits

Habitual [Addiction]



No Matter what the Price is, Consumption will be there



Inelastic EOD

Rigid Preference



When Preference is Rigid



Less Elastic EOD

### ⑦ Tied Demand

Ink cartridges demand is tied with printer.



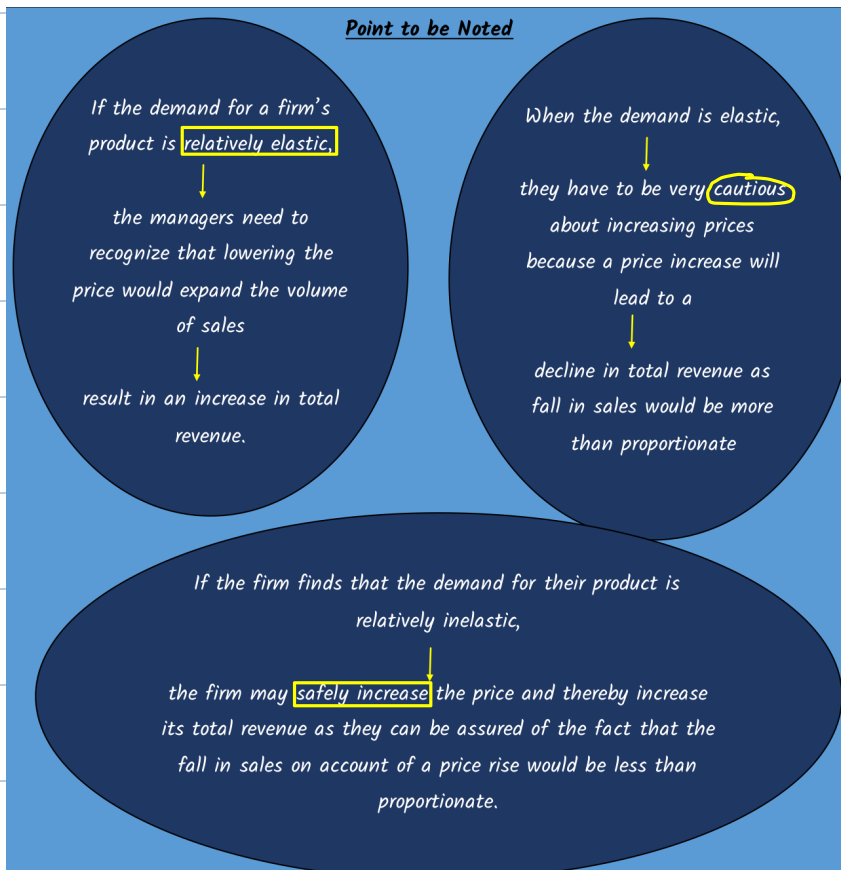
Less Elastic Demand with respect to own price

## ⑧ Price Range

<u>Very High Price Range Goods</u>	<u>Very Low Price Range Goods</u>	<u>Medium Price Range Goods</u>
<p>LV → 5,00,000 Rs Bag</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Inelastic Demand.</p>	<p>Ex → MangoBite, Melody</p> <p>↓</p> <p>Inelastic Demand.</p>	<p>↓</p> <p>Elastic Demand.</p>

## ⑨ Minor Complimentary Goods

Cheap Complimentary Goods + Costlier Good = Inelastic





## Price Effect

$P \uparrow$  Qty sold at  $\rightarrow$  TR  $\uparrow$   
Higher Price

$P \downarrow$  Qty sold at  $\rightarrow$  TR  $\downarrow$   
Lower Price

## Quantity Effect

$P \uparrow$  Fewer Units Sold  $\rightarrow$  TR  $\downarrow$

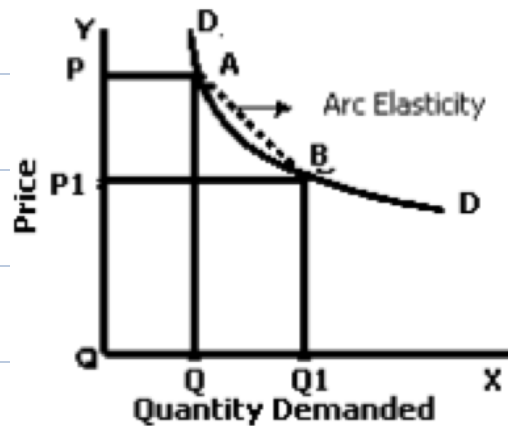
$P \downarrow$  More Units Sold  $\rightarrow$  TR  $\uparrow$

## Arc Elasticity

$$\text{Arc Elasticity} = \frac{Q_2 - Q_1}{(Q_1 + Q_2)/2} \times \frac{P_2 - P_1}{(P_1 + P_2)/2}$$

$$= \frac{Q_2 - Q_1}{(Q_1 + Q_2)/2} \times \frac{(P_1 + P_2)/2}{P_2 - P_1}$$

$$= \frac{Q_2 - Q_1}{Q_1 + Q_2} \times \frac{P_1 + P_2}{P_2 - P_1}$$



# When  $E_{OD}$  is to be calculated on portion of Demand Curve  $\rightarrow$  Use Arc Elasticity

# When Price and Qty are discrete and large then Use Arc Elasticity

# In this Method we use Mid point formulae



# Point Elasticity

$$E_p = -\frac{dq}{dp} \times \frac{p}{Q}$$



# Elasticity Calculated at a particular point

# Used when changes in price is very small.

# Generally Used Method

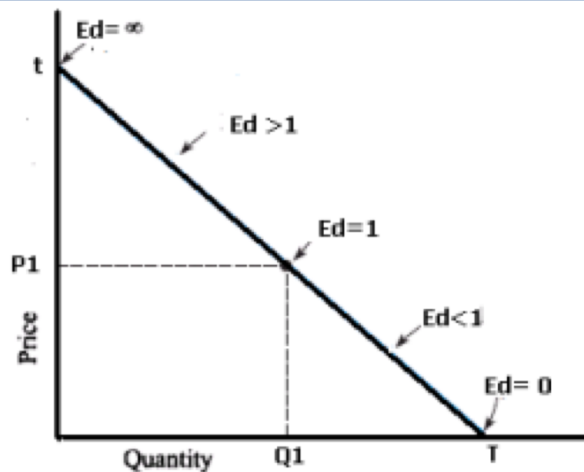
Bhel Mat  
Jana....

Point Elasticity is



- Product of Price, Quantity Ratio
- at a particular point
- and
- Reciprocal of slope of demand
- Curve

# Geometric Method



# When Price is High and Quantity is small  $\rightarrow$  Elasticity is High

## Relation between Price and Total Revenue

	Elastic Demand	Inelastic Demand	Unitary Elastic
Price Increase	Total Revenue Decreases	Total Revenue Increase	Total Revenue Remains Same
Price Decrease	Total Revenue Increase	Total Revenue Decrease	Total Revenue Remains Same.

# Chapter - 2 ; Unit III

## Theory of Consumer Behavior.

### Classification of Want

Necessaries

Comfort

Luxury

### Necessaries

# Essential for Living

Necessary for  
Life

Necessary for  
Efficiency

Conventional  
Necessary

## Necessary for Life

• Things Necessary to Meet Physiological Needs for life Maintenance

- Minimum Amount of Food
- Clothing
- Shelter

## Necessary for Efficiency.

More than Necessity of life to Maintain

- Longevity
- Energy
- Efficiency of Work

Such as

- Nourishing Food
- Adequate Clothing
- Clean Water
- Comfortable Dwelling
- Education etc.

## Conventional Necessary

They are either due to

Pressure of Habits

Due to Compelling Social Customs and Conventions.

• Not Necessary for Existence

- Efficiency.

# Comfort

- Comfort Make life Comfortable and Satisfying.
- Comfort are less Urgent then Necessary.

Tasty and  
wholesome food

Good house

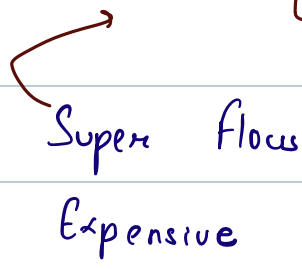
Clothes that  
suit different  
occasions

Audio / Visual  
Labour saving  
Equipment.

They All  
Make  
Life  
Comfortable

# Luxuries

More than Wanted  
(NOT Needed)



• Luxuries are those which are

• Not Essential For Living.



Examples  
↓  
LBH  
↓  
Learn by Heart

- Expensive Clothing
- Exclusive Vintage Cars
- Classy Furniture
- Goods Used For Vanity.

## What is Utility.

# Want Satisfying Power of Commodity

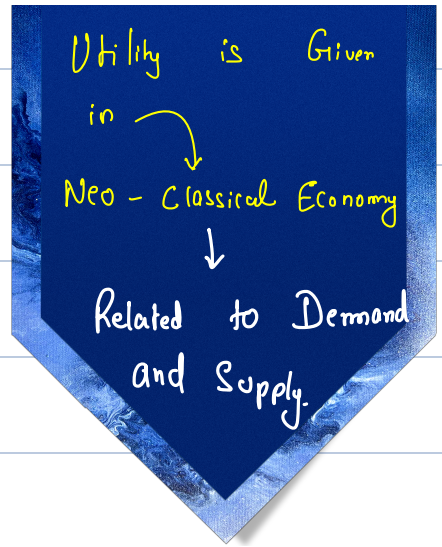
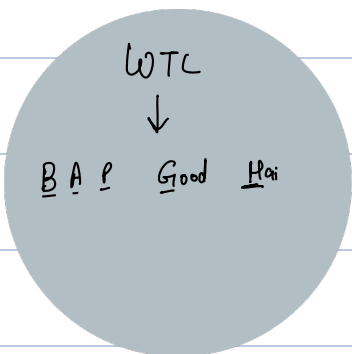
# Utility is Anticipated Satisfaction

British Economist

— Jeremy Bentham — John Stuart Mill	} Utility } in object } will } Represent
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Benefit   Advantage   Pleasure   Good   Happiness





# Two theories of Consumer Behaviour

Marginal Utility Analysis

Indifference Curve Analysis

Utils are Measured in Numbers

Ranking of Preferences

Alfred Marshall

J.R. Hicks and R.G.D. Allen

Cardinal Approach

Ordinal Approach.

## Marginal Utility Analysis

Meaning of TU

Meaning of MU

Assumption of Law of MU

Law of DMU

# Total Utility

Unit	MU <sub>x</sub>	TU <sub>x</sub>
1	17 Utils	17
2	14 Utils	31 (17+14)
3	10 Utils	41 (31+10)
4	6 Utils	47
5	3 Utils	50
6	0 Utils	50
7	- 2 Utils	48

Total Utility is total satisfaction obtained from consumption of given commodity

$$TU_n = U_1 + U_2 + U_3 + U_4 + \dots + U_n$$



# Marginal Utility

Extra Satisfaction from Consumption of One Extra Unit

$$MU_n = TU_n - TU_{n-1}$$

$$MU_{37} = TU_{37} - TU_{36}$$

$$MU_{37} = 73 - 70$$

$$= 3 \text{ Utils}$$

$$36 \text{ Burgers} = 70 \text{ Utils}$$

$$37 \text{ Burgers} = 73 \text{ Utils}$$

$$MU = \frac{\Delta TU}{\Delta Q}$$

Percentage Used  
When Unit is a  
Difference in Quantity  
Happens

$$60 \text{ Rotis} = 130 \text{ Utils}$$

$$70 \text{ Rotis} = 180 \text{ Utils}$$

$$MU = \frac{180 - 130}{70 - 60}$$

$$= 5 \text{ Utils}$$

Can MU be zero?



Yes

Can MU be

Negative



Yes

Can MU Increase?



Generally not  
possible

Can TU be zero



NO

Can TU be  
Negative



NO

# Assumptions of Law of D.M.U.

① Rational → Maximum Satisfaction with limited Income

② Cardinal Measurement →

# Utility Measured in Number

# Satisfaction Measured in Number

③ Money Measurement

# It is Measurement Rod

# Amt that a Customer can Pay

④ All Factors Constant

⑤ Continuous Consumption

⑥ Consumption of Reasonable Qty

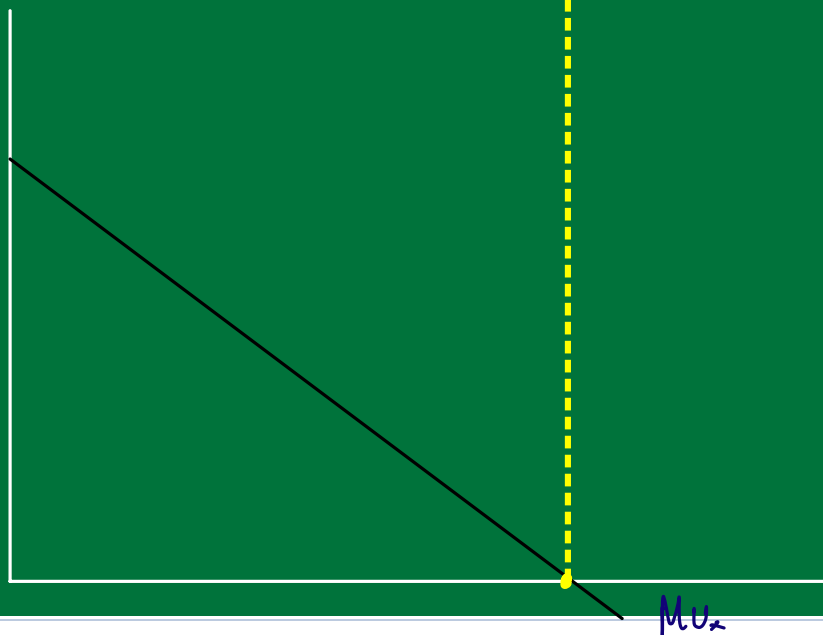
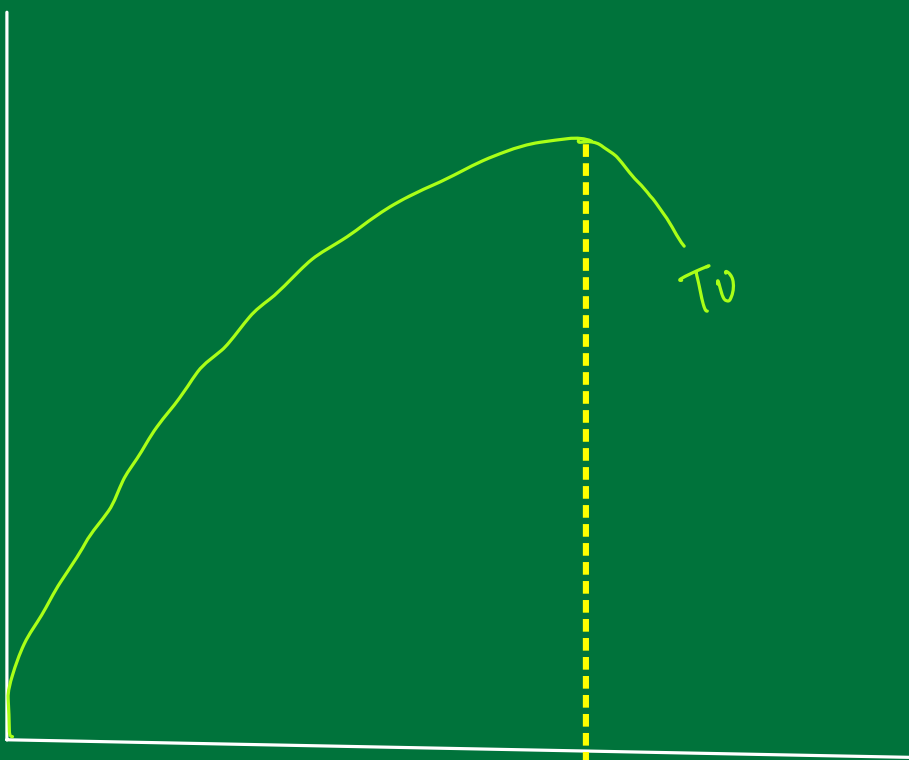
⑦  $MU_M$  Remains Constant.  $\Rightarrow MU_M = 1$

# Law of D.M.V.

# As we go on consuming more and more units of commodity, utility derived from each successive unit goes on decreasing.

## Relationship Between TU and MU

Units	MU <sub>x</sub>	TU
1	20	20
2	18	38 [20+18]
3	14	52 [38+14]
4	10	62
5	6	68
6	3	71
7	0	71
8	-2	69

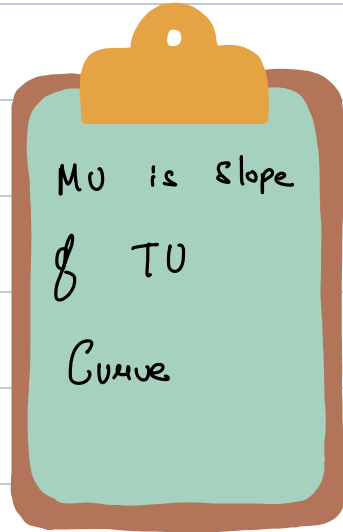
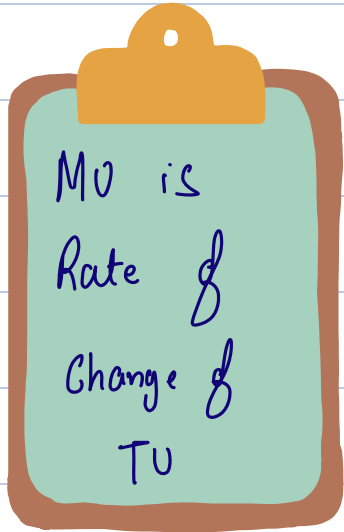


Point of Satiation  
↓  
When MU  
is Zero

When  $MU$  falls but Remains Positive ;  $TU$  Increases

When  $MU$  is zero ;  $TU$  is at Maximum

When  $MU$  is Negative ;  $TU$  Starts Falling.



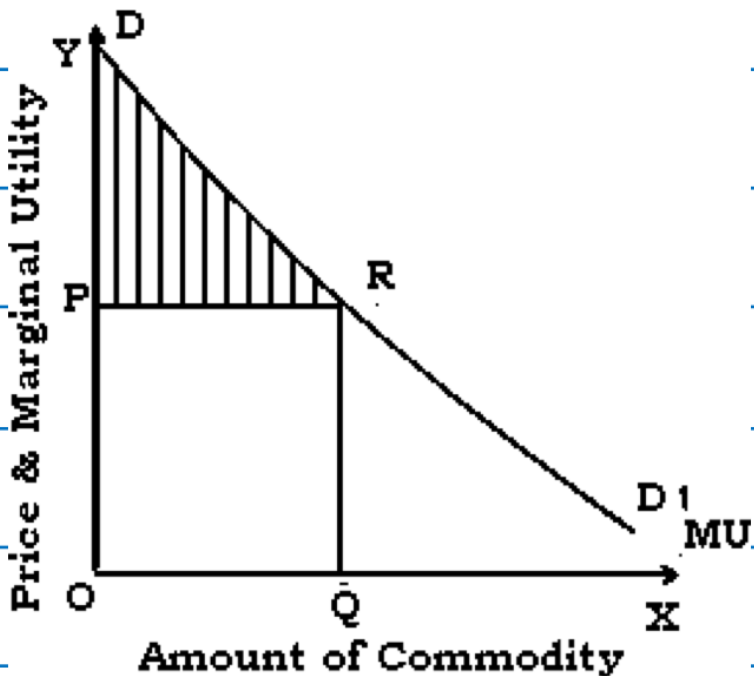
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# Consumer Surplus

Units	$MU_x$	$P_x$	Con. Surplus = $MU - Price$
1	30	20	$30 - 20 = 10$
2	28	20	$28 - 20 = 8$
3	26	20	6
4	24	20	4
5	22	20	2
6	20	20	0
7	18	20	-

Consumer Surplus is derived from Law of Diminishing Marginal Utility.

Given by Alfred Marshall



# Consumer Surplus  $\rightarrow$  DPR

# Total Utility = ODRQ

P	MU	C.s.
10	12	2
11	12	1
9	12	3

$P \uparrow$  Con. Surplus  $\downarrow$

Price  $\downarrow$  Con. Surplus  $\uparrow$

note to self:

Consumer Surplus is area below Demand Curve (MU Curve) but Above Price Line

note to self:

What Customer is Ready to Pay  
 $\rightarrow$  What He Actually Pays

Consumer Surplus

# Application of Consumer Surplus

- ① Consumer Surplus Measure Welfare that People Gain from Consumption
- ② By Having Understanding of Extent of Surplus Can help Managers to Set Prices
- ③ Firm Can Go by Price Discrimination, if Firm Identify Consumer with Different Elasticity.
- ④ Large scale Investment Decision Take into Account Consumer Surplus
- ⑤ If Price to be Raised, Consumer Surplus should be Considered
- ⑥  $P \uparrow \Rightarrow$  Sales will Reduce
- ⑦ Consumer Surplus Act as Guide to "Finance Minister"  
↓  
To decide on Amount of Tax Rate of Tax

# Limitations of Consumer Surplus

- ① Consumer Surplus Cannot be Measured Precisely
- ② In Case of Necessity  $\rightarrow$  Consumer Surplus is Infinite
- ③ Consumer Surplus is affected by  $\rightarrow$  Availability of substitutes
- ④ No Simple Rule deriving Utility.
- ⑤ Consumer Surplus Can be Calculated only if Utility is Measured in terms of Money.

## Budget Set

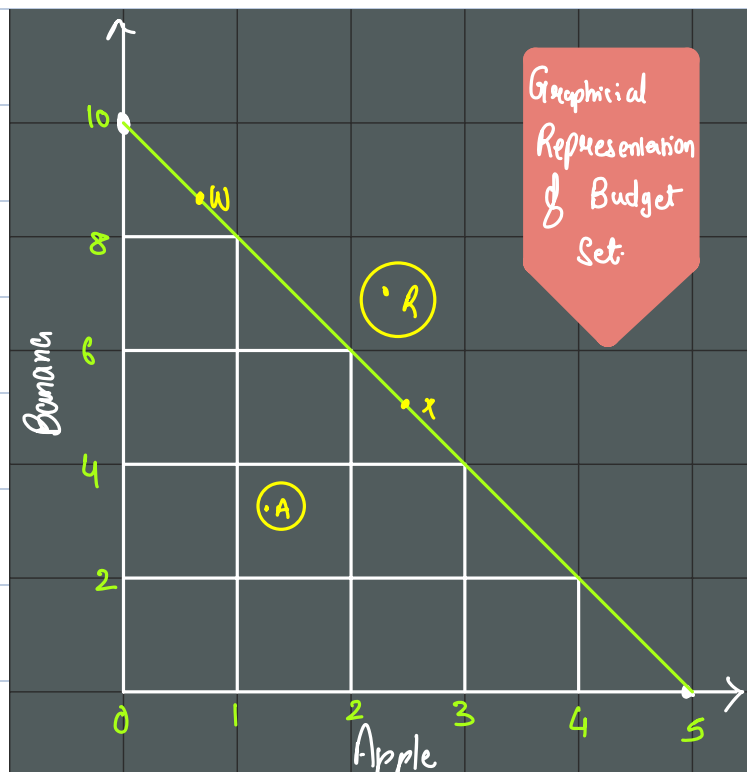
"Possible Combination of two Goods which can be Purchased with Given level of Income"

Income - 20 Rs

Apple  $\rightarrow$  Price  $\rightarrow$  4Rs

Banana  $\rightarrow$  Price - 2Rs

Points on which Equal Satisfaction is there	Units of Apple	Units of Banana	Money Spent
P	5	0	20
Q	4	2	20
R	3	4	20
S	2	6	20
T	1	8	20
U	0	10	20



Point W, x, A  
↓  
Attainable Combinations

Point - R  
↓  
Unattainable Combination

Slope of Budget line

$$\text{Slope} = \frac{\Delta \text{ Units Sacrificed}}{\Delta \text{ Units Gained}}$$

$M = P_A \times Q_A + P_B \times Q_B$   
 $M =$  Money spent  
 $P_A =$  Price of Apple  
 $P_B =$  " " Banana  
 $Q_A =$  Qty of Apple  
 $Q_B =$  " " Banana.

Budget line is Graphical presentation of Budget Set

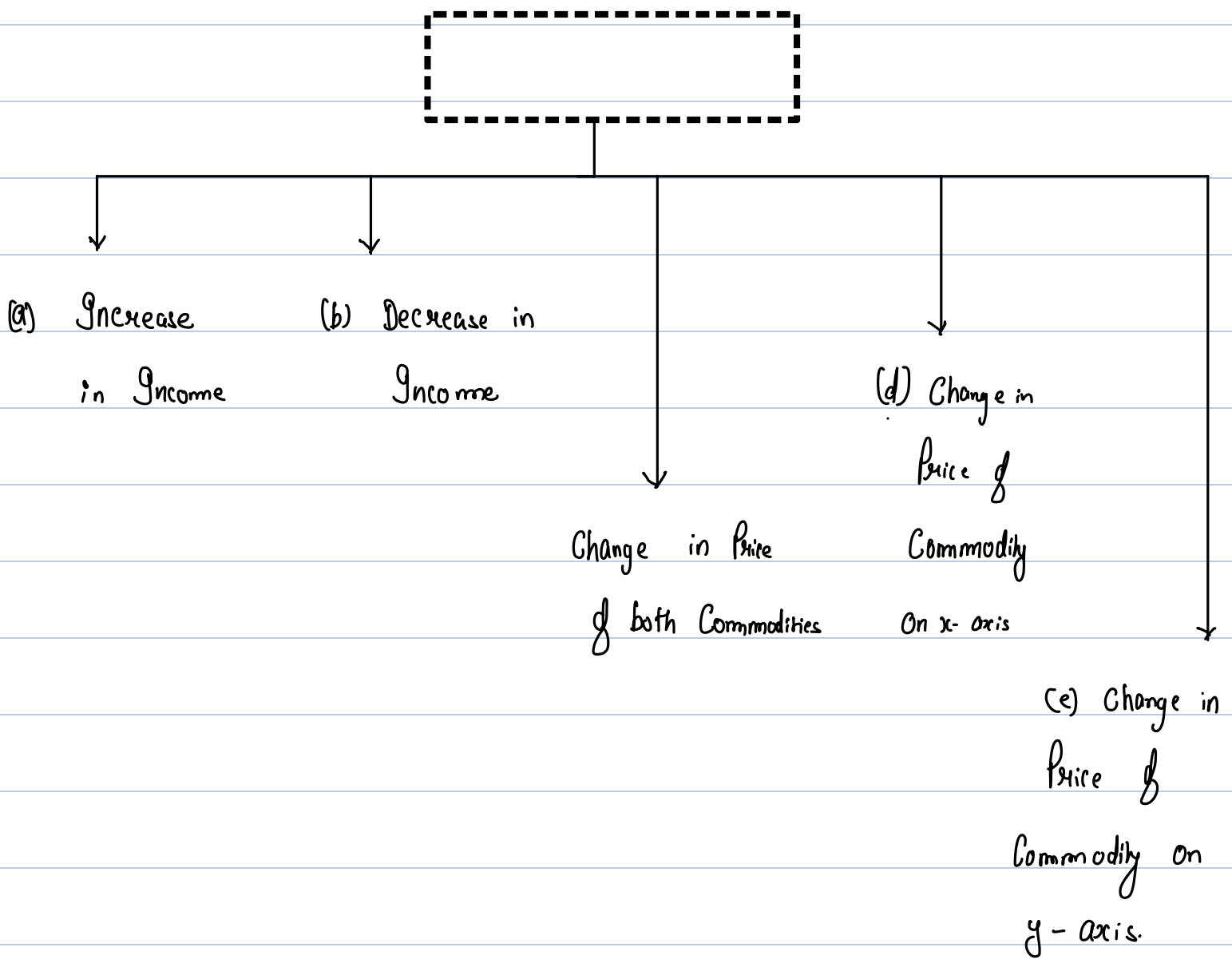
Properties of Budget Line

① Budget line is straight line, because Price is constant and Income is constant.

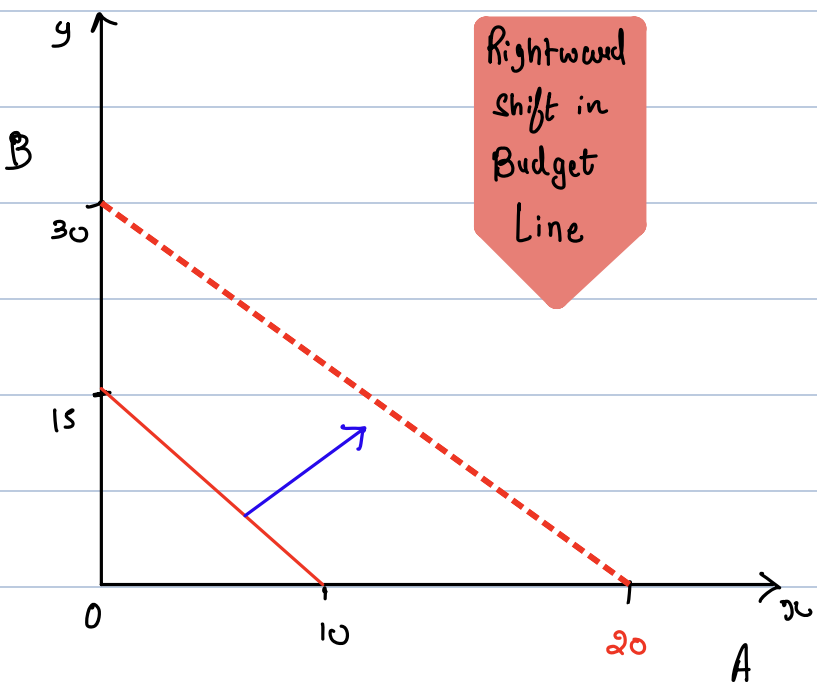


② Budget line is downward sloping, because more units are sacrificed to gain one unit.

③ Budget set can be explained by [ Price line  
Budget line



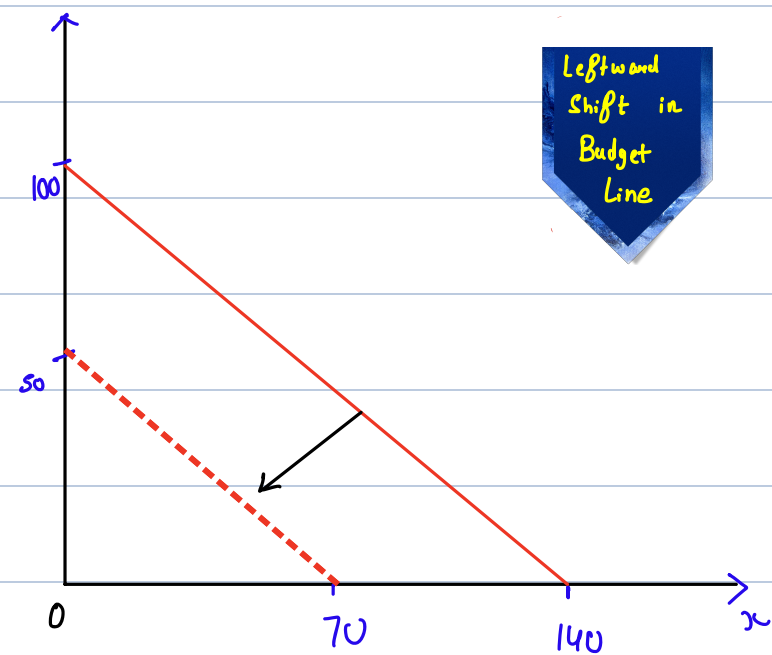
### (a) Increase in Income



Income	$Q_{tA}$	$Q_{tB}$
1000	10	15
2000	20	30

As Income Increases, More will be purchased of both the Commodities, hence Budget line will shift to Right

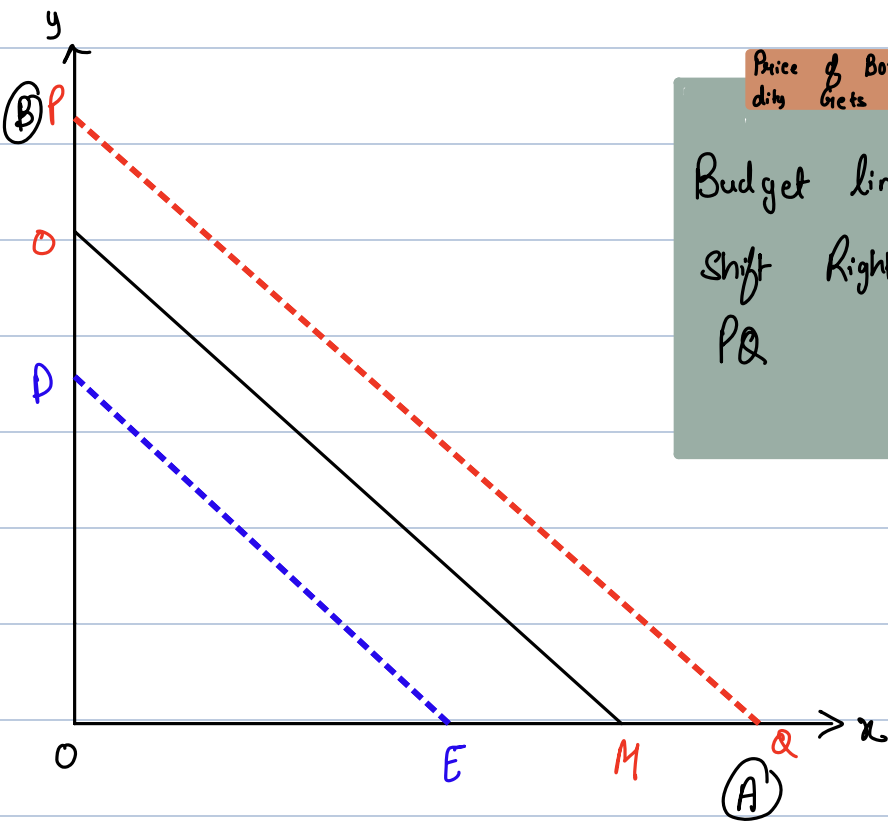
### (b) Decrease in Income



Income	$Q_{tA}$	$Q_{tB}$
2000	140	100
1000	70	50

As Income Decreases, Less will be purchased of both the Commodities, hence Budget line will shift to Left.

### (c) Change in Price of Both the Commodity



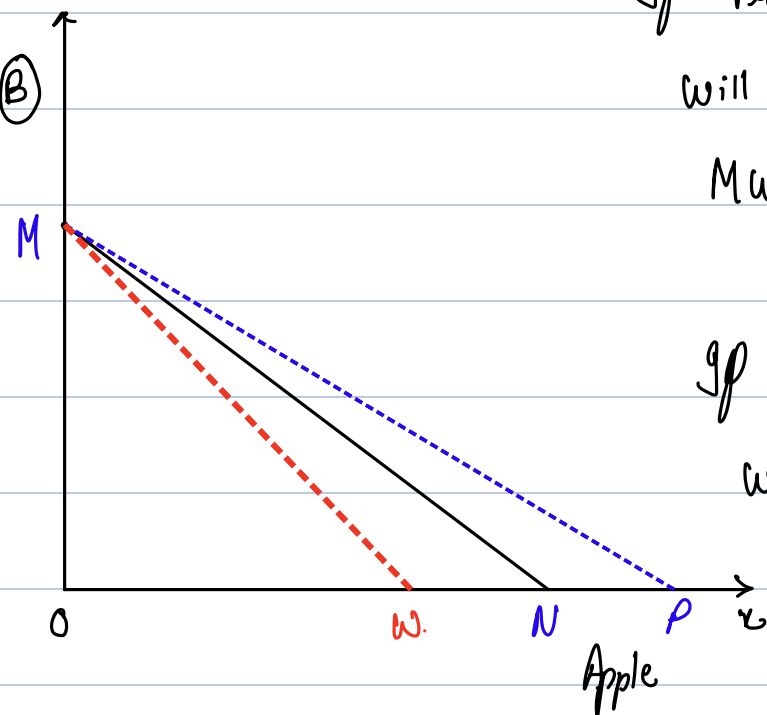
Price of Both Commodity Gets Reduced.

Budget line will shift Right to PQ

Price of Both Commodity Increases.

Budget line will shift left to DE

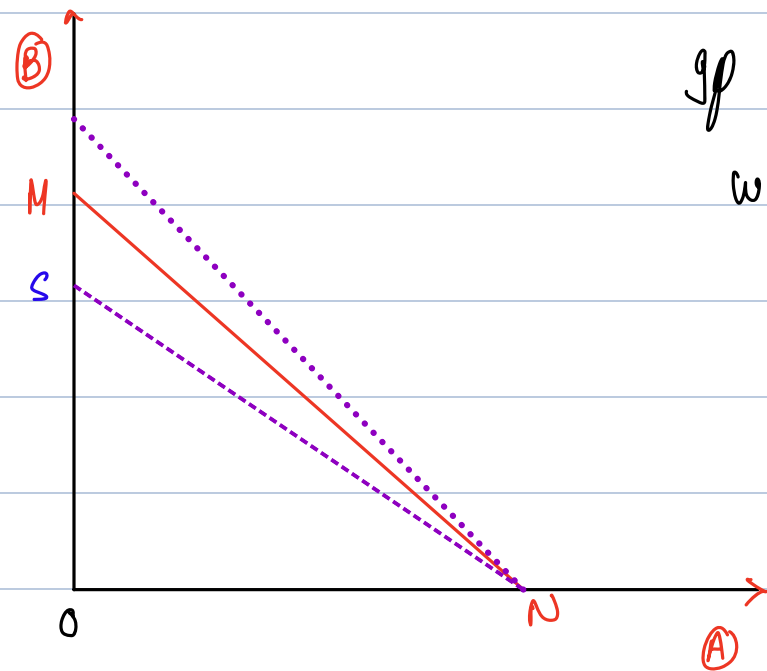
### (d) Change in Price of Commodity on x-Axis [Apple]



If Price of Apple Increases, Qty of Apple will Fall, New Budget line will be MW.

If Price of Apple Decreases, Qty of Apple will Increase, New Budget line will be MP.

(c) Change in Price of Commodity on y-axis



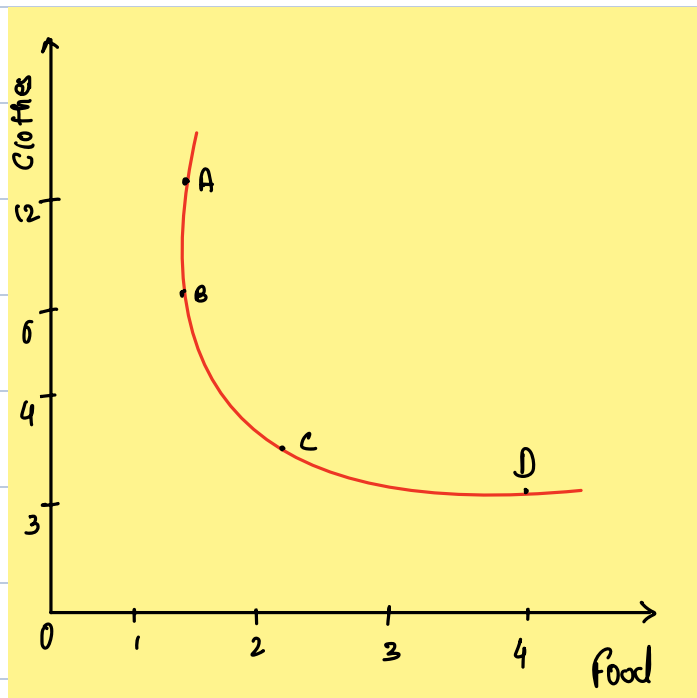
If Price of Banana Increases, Qty of Banana will fall, New Budget line will be

Ns

If Price of Banana Falls, Qty of Banana will inc New Budget line will be

NW

# Indifference Curve Analysis.



Combination	Food	Clothing	MRS = $\frac{\Delta \text{Unit Sac.}}{\Delta \text{Unit Gained}}$
A	1	12	-
B	2	6	$\frac{6}{1} = 6$
C	3	4	$\frac{2}{1} = 2$
D	4	3	$1 = 1$

Given by Hicks  
and Allen.

A, B, C, D  
↓  
Equally  
Satisfied.

Also known  
as.

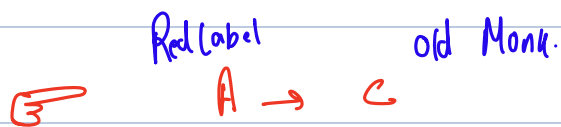
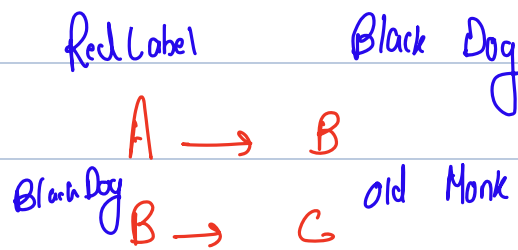
↳ Geo-Utility  
Curve

↳ Equal Utility  
Curve.

# Indifference Curve is Graphical Representation of Various Alternative Combination of two Good, on which Consumer is Equally Satisfied.

# Assumptions of Indifference Curve.

- ① Consumer knows his Taste and Preferences and has full information
- ② Consumer is Rational and Takes Rational Actions.
- ③ Utility is Ordinally Expressible [According to Ranks]
- ④ Consumer is Capable of Ranking all Combination of Goods.
- ⑤ Consumer Choice are Transitive



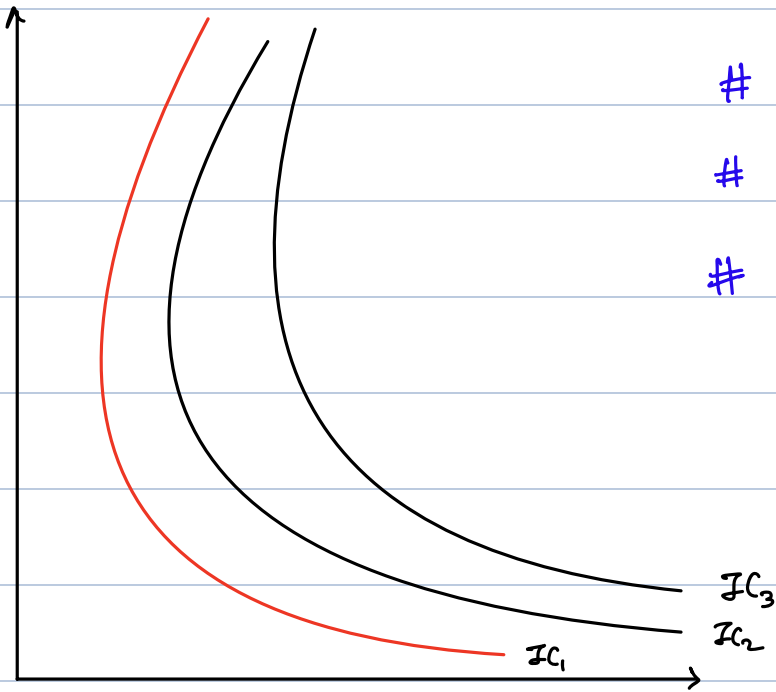
- ⑥ If Combination A has More Commodity than Combination B, then A Must be Preferred.

B → 2 Popcorn + 1 Cold drink

A → 3 Popcorn + 1 Cold drink

# Indifference Map

- Indifference Map is family of Indifference Curve.



#  $IC_3$  = Highest Satisfaction

#  $IC_1$  = Lowest Satisfaction

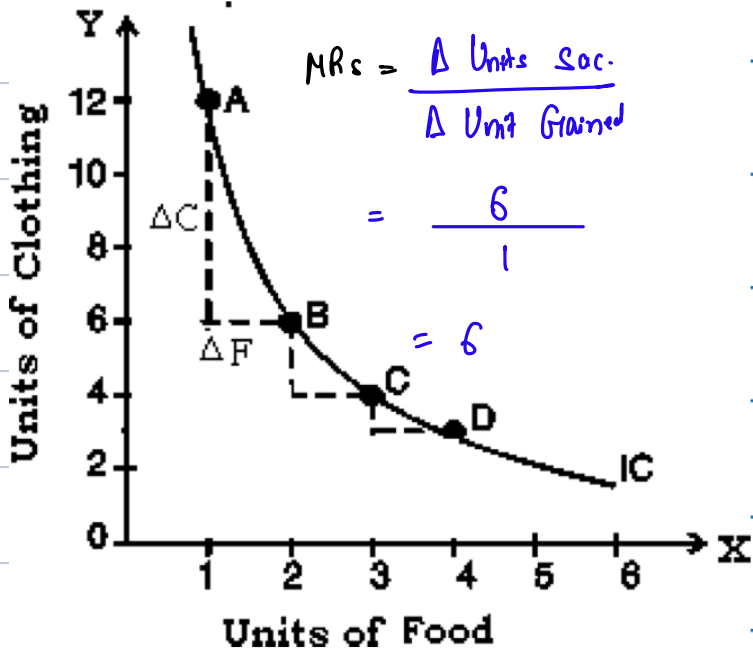
# Higher the Indifference Curve  
Higher the Satisfaction.

## Marginal Rate of Substitution.

$$MRS = \frac{\Delta \text{ Units Sacrificed}}{\Delta \text{ Units Gained}}$$

# Maximum Rate at which Consumer is willingly Exchange Units of One Commodity to Another.

# MRS on any point of IC will equal to slope of Curve.



$$MRS_{xy} = \frac{MU_x}{MU_y}$$

## Properties of Indifference Curve

① Indifference Curve slopes downwards :-

In order to gain one commodity, more than one commodity is sacrificed.

② Indifference Curve is convex to origin

Due to Diminishing MRS



# Two Extreme Situations

Perfect Substitute

Good.



- Constant MRS
- Constant slope
- Indifference Curve Parallel.



Perfect Complementary

Good



- Two straight line intersect at  $90^\circ$  Angle [Right Angle]

- L Shaped Indifference
- Convex to Origin



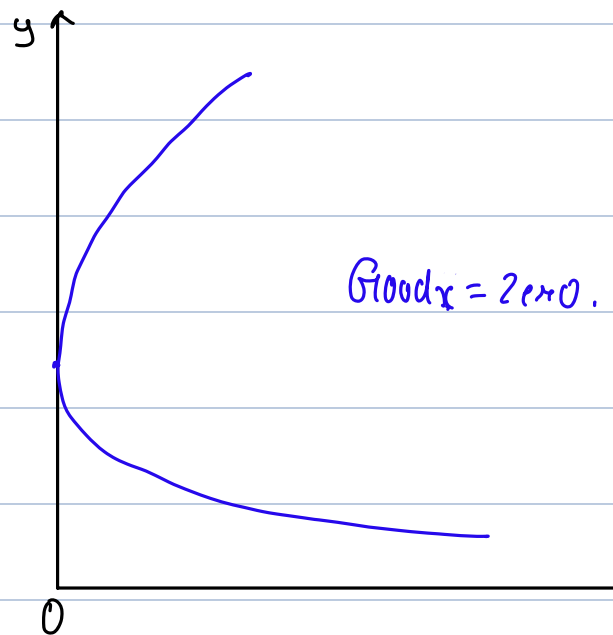
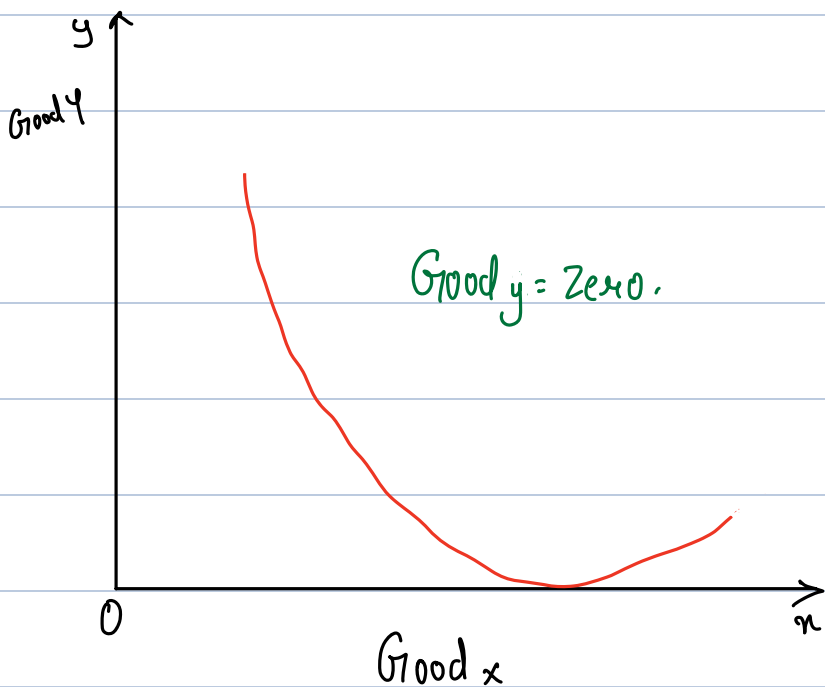
③ Indifference Curve Never Intersect Each Other.

Because two IC which have higher and lower satisfaction cannot intersect each other.

④ Higher Indifference Curve Represent higher level of satisfaction.

⑤ Indifference Curve Never Touches Axis

Because we Assume two Goods are Consumed



# Consumer Equilibrium with Indifference Curve and Budget line

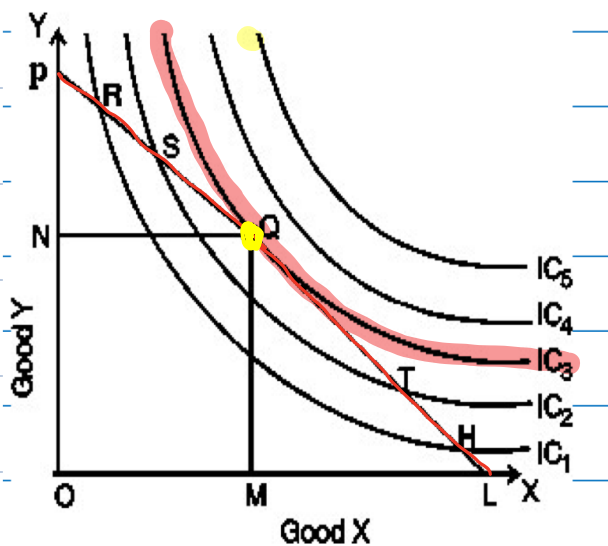
## Assumptions

→ Income is fixed and Income will spend on two Goods X and Y

→ Price of Goods X and Y are fixed

→ All Goods are Homogeneous

→ Consumer is Rational and Achieves Maximum Satisfaction



Consumer's Equilibrium

Ek consumer ka Equilibrium Tab aaya  
Jab uski Budget line sabse uppar  
plotted IC Curve ko cut kare



At Point Q

Consumer Equilibrium



Indifference Map + Budget line.

# Supply.

Stock → Jo Goods Godown etc Me Rakhe hai, Pare offer For Sale Nahi karne hai [Ex → 3000 kg of Cashew in Big Bazaar Godown]

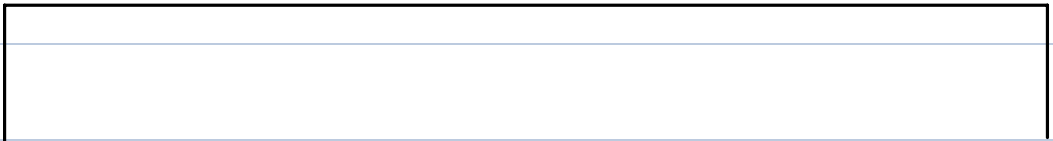
Supply → Jo Goods Big Bazaar ke Shopping Mart Me Rakh diye and offer for Sale hai → 250 kgs, Ye 250 kg Supply Hai

Sale → Jo Goods Actually Sale ho Gaye, Ex → 3 kg of Cashew. Ye 3 kg Sale hai aur 3 kg Demand bhi hai.

## Meaning of Supply

Quantity of Commodity that a firm is willing and offer For Sale at a Given price over Given Period of time

# Types of Supply



Individual

Market

Supply  
↓

Supply

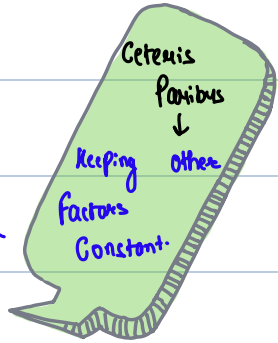
Qty of Commodity that  
 a firm is willing and  
 offer for sale at Given  
 price over Given Period  
 of time.

Qty of Commodity that  
 all firms are willing and  
 offer for sale at Given  
 price over Given Period  
 of time.

# Determinants of Supply / Factors Affecting Supply.

(i) Price of Commodity

$P \uparrow \quad Q.S \uparrow$   
 $P \downarrow \quad Q.S \downarrow$



## ② Price of Related Good

LG

Microwave

Washing Machine

Price Q.s ↓

P ↑ Q.s ↑

If Price of Related Good [Washing Machine] increases, then Q.s. of Related Good increases, hence Q.s. of our Good [Microwave] decreases, but there is no change in Price of Microwave.

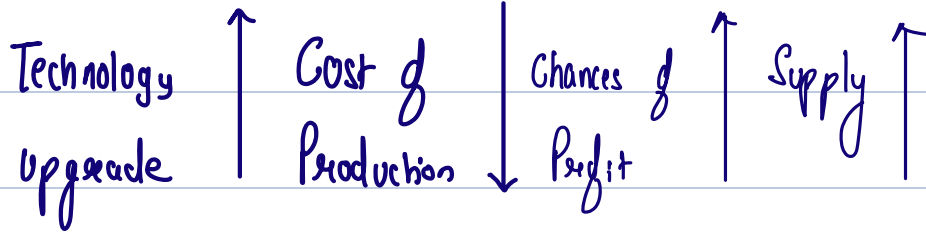
## ③ Price of Factors of Production

Cost of factors of Production ↑ TC ↑ Chances of Profit ↓ Supply ↓

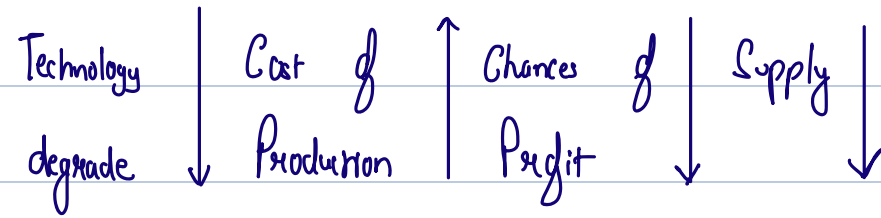
Cost of factors of Production ↓ Total Cost ↓ Chances of Profit ↑ Supply ↑

★	Cadbury Silk	
	Old	New
Milk	30	35
Chocolate powder	20	20
Others	10	10
TC	60	65
Sale Price	80	80
Profit	20	15

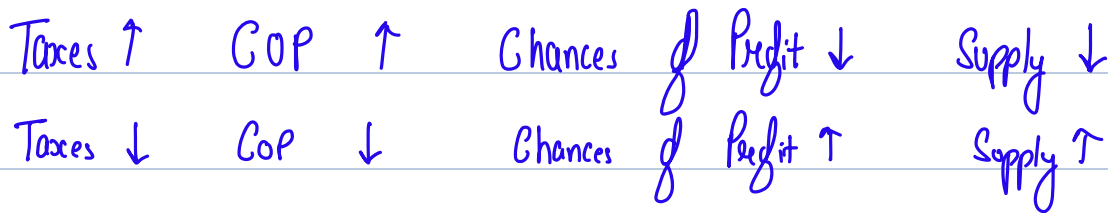
## ④ Levels of Technology



★ Photo Copy Shop.	
Old Machine	New Machine
Per Copy Cost $\rightarrow$ 0.50 Per Copy	Per Copy $\rightarrow$ 0.35 Per Copy
Sale Price $\rightarrow$ 0.75 Per Copy	Sale Price $\rightarrow$ 0.75 Per Copy
Profit $\rightarrow$ 0.25 Per Copy	Profit $\rightarrow$ 0.40 Per Copy



## ⑤ Government Policy



Agar Subsidy Mili ; COP  $\downarrow$  Chances of Profit  $\uparrow$  Supply  $\uparrow$

## ⑥ Goals/Objective of Firm

If Goal is Profit Maximisation  $\rightarrow$  P  $\uparrow$  Supply  $\uparrow$



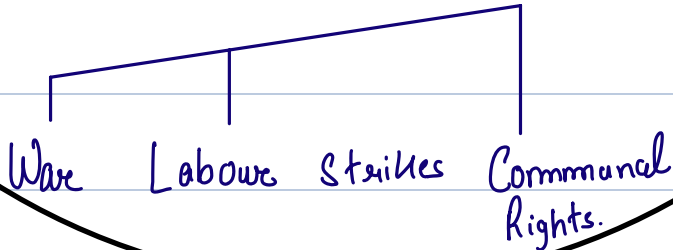


Other Factors  
Affecting Supply

→ Governments Industrial and Foreign Policies

→ Goal of Firms, Infrastructural facilities, Natural Factors

→ Man Made Factors Such as



# Supply Schedule

It is Tabular Presentation of Price and Qty Supplied.

**Individual Supply Schedule**

- Tabular Presentation of Price and Qty Supplied by a Firm

**Market Supply Schedule**

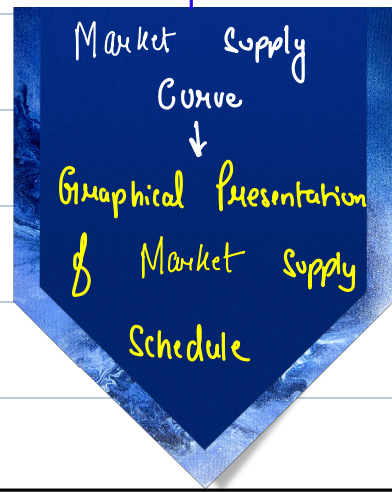
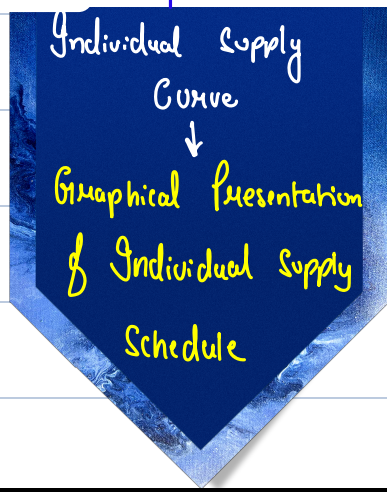
- Tabular Presentation of Price and Qty Supplied by all Sellers/Firms.

P	Q <sub>s</sub>
1	10
2	15
3	26
4	29
5	46

P	Q <sub>sA</sub>	Q <sub>sB</sub>	M.S.
1	10	3	10+3 = 13
2	15	5	15+5 = 20
3	26	14	40
4	29	21	50
5	46	24	70

# Supply Curve

Graphical Presentation of Supply Schedule.



Graph for Individual Supply Curve


Graph for Market Supply Curve


Law of Supply

When Price of Commodity Increases, Quantity Supplied Increases and Vice Versa, keeping other factors constant

Ceteris Paribus.

## Assumptions of Law of Supply.

- ① No change in Price of Related Good
- ② " " " " " Factors of Production
- ③ " " " " " Levels of Technology
- ④ " " " " " Govt Policy
- ⑤ " " " " " Goals of firms
- ⑥ " " " " " No. of firms

# Changes in Quantity Supplied (OR) Movement Along the Supply Curve

due to → Change in Price of Commodity only.

## Expansion in Supply

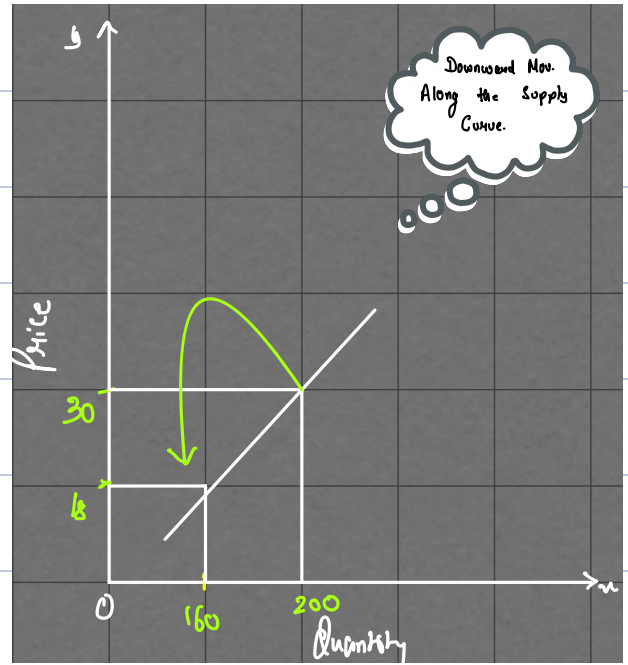
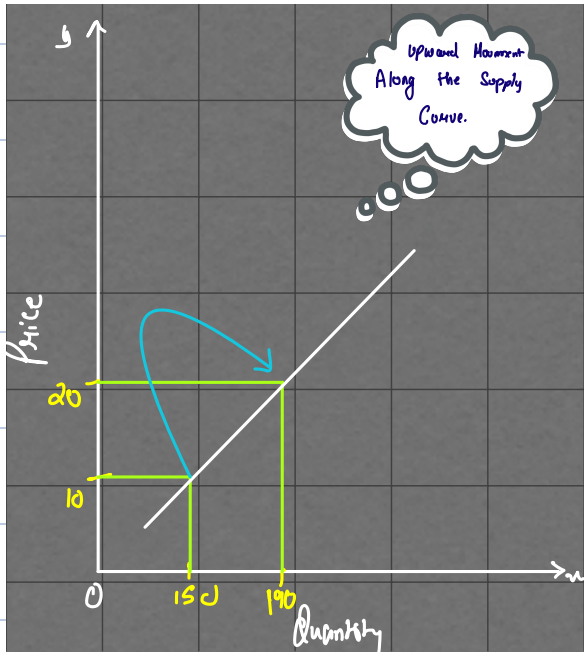
P ↑      Q.S ↑

P	Q.S.
10	150
20	190

## Contraction in Supply

P ↓      Q.S ↓

P	Q.S.
30	200
18	160



Changes in Supply  
(OR)  
Shift in Supply Curve

due to → Change in any factor other than price

Increase in Supply

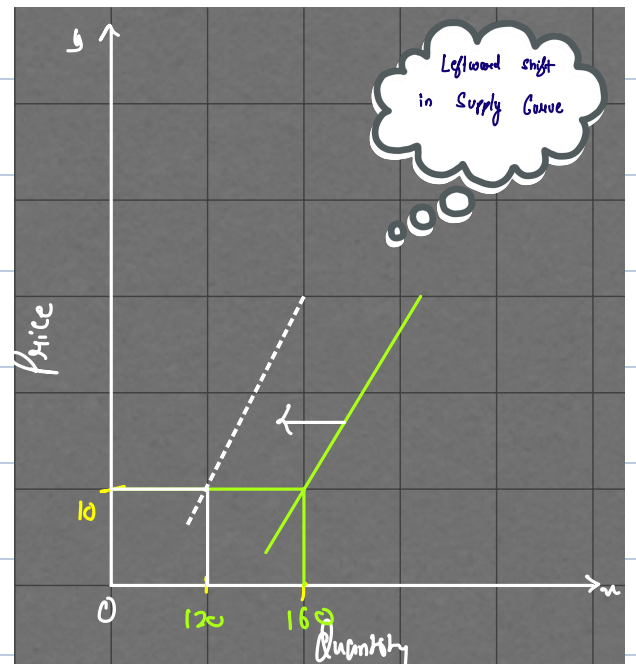
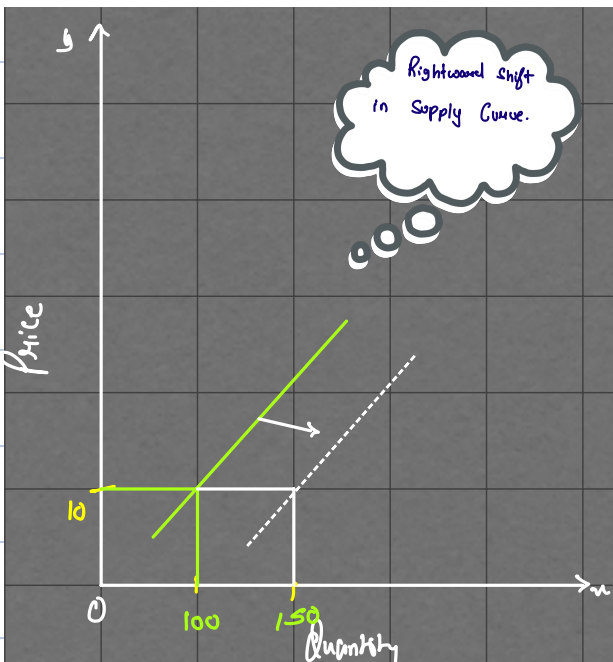
Decrease in Supply

Price Technology ↑ ST

Price	Technology	Supply
10	Old	100
10	New	150

Price Technology ↓ S↓

Price	Technology	Supply
10	New	160
10	Old	120



# Elasticity of Supply.

## Five Practical Questions.

Logic - ①

$$E_s = \frac{\% \Delta \text{ in Quantity Supplied}}{\% \Delta \text{ in Price}}$$

Logic - ②

$$E_s = \frac{P}{Q} \times \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta P}$$

$P$  = Org. Price

$Q$  = Org. Qty

$P_1$  = New Price

$Q_1$  = New Qty

$\Delta Q = Q_1 - Q$

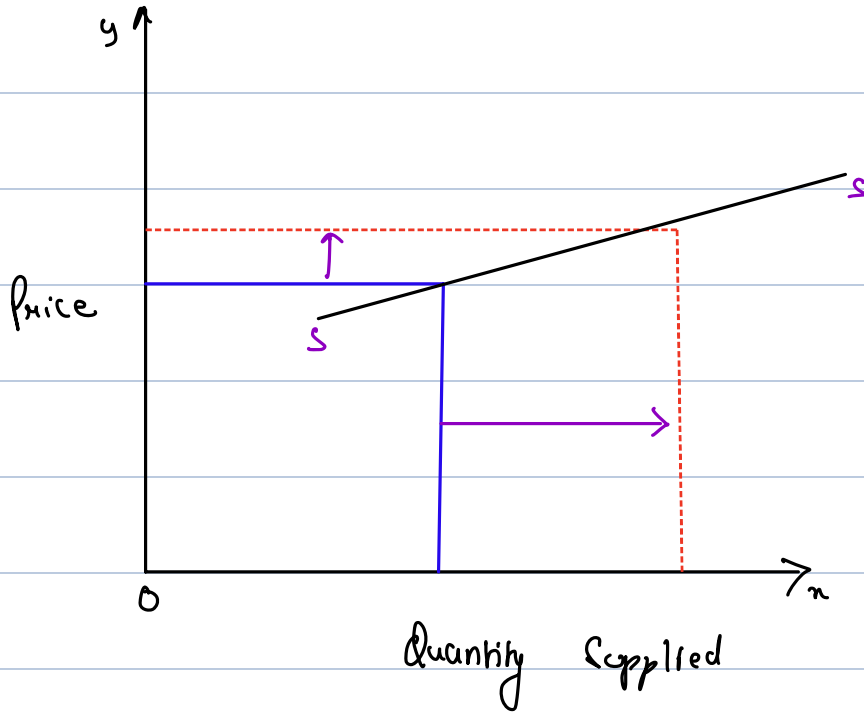
$\Delta P = P_1 - P$

Price Elasticity  
is always  
Positive

# GRAPHS

① Highly Elastic Supply  $\Rightarrow$

$$E_s > 1$$

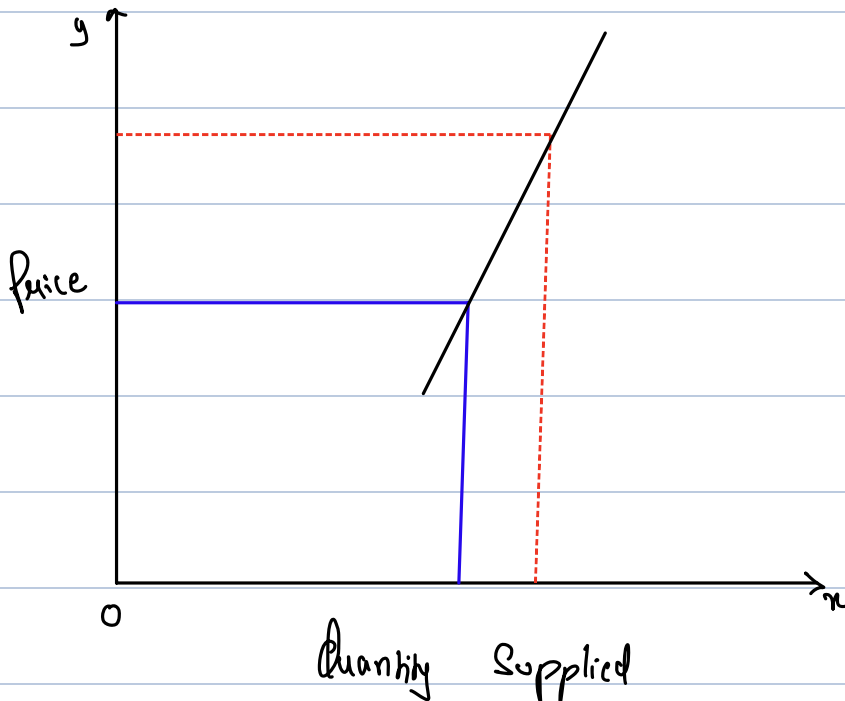


%  $\Delta$  in Q.S  $>$   
%  $\Delta$  in Price

② Less Elastic Supply

$$E_s < 1$$

$$= \frac{15}{20}$$

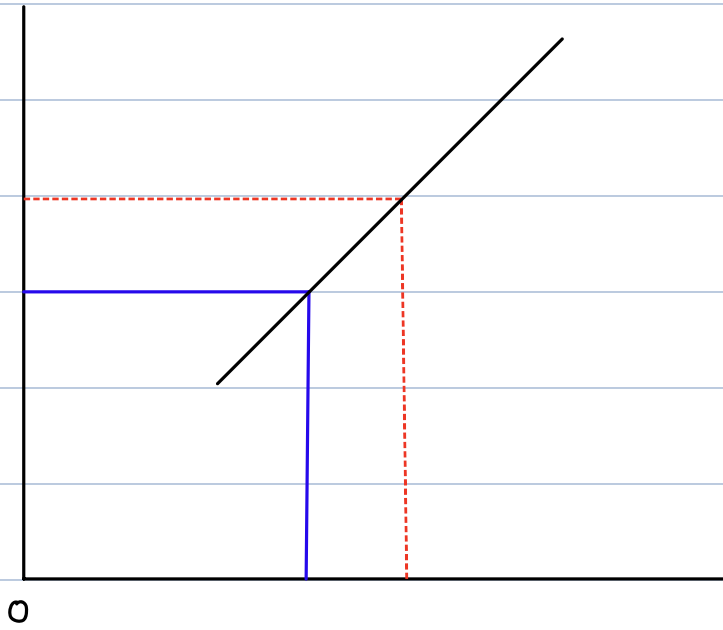


%  $\Delta$  in Quantity Supplied  
is less than %  $\Delta$   
in Price



③ Unitary Elastic Supply

$E_s = 1$



%  $\Delta$  in Qs.  
is Equal to  
%  $\Delta$  in Price

④ Perfectly Inelastic Supply

$E_s = 0$



### ⑤ Perfectly Elastic Supply



Arc Elasticity

$$E_s = \frac{Q_2 - Q_1}{(Q_1 + Q_2)/2}$$

$$\frac{P_2 - P_1}{(P_1 + P_2)/2}$$

$$= \frac{Q_2 - Q_1}{(Q_1 + Q_2)/2} \times \frac{(P_1 + P_2)/2}{P_2 - P_1}$$

$$E_s = \frac{Q_2 - Q_1}{Q_1 + Q_2} \times \frac{P_1 + P_2}{P_2 - P_1}$$

# Determinants of Elasticity of Supply.

## (1) Period of time

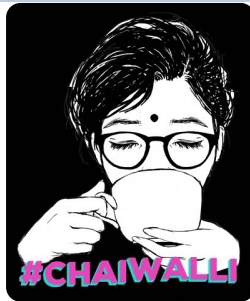
Longer  $\Rightarrow$  Suppliers will be More Elastic

Shorter = Suppliers will be less Elastic.

## (2) No. of Producers

Producers  $\uparrow$  High degree of Competition  $\uparrow$  Supply  $\uparrow$

## (3) Barriers to Entry



Barriers to Entry  $\downarrow$  Supply  $\uparrow$

## (4) Spare Production Capacity Available

Spare Production Capacity Available  $\uparrow$  Supply  $\uparrow$

## ⑤ Availability of Raw Material

If Key Raw Material  
is Easily and Cheaply  
Available  $\longrightarrow$   $CoP \downarrow$  Supply  $\uparrow$

## ⑥ Adequate Stock of Raw Material and Finished Goods

Elasticity of Supply  $\uparrow$

## ⑦ If Capital and Labour are Mobile

Elasticity of Supply  $\uparrow$

## ⑧ Price Expected to Rise in Near Future

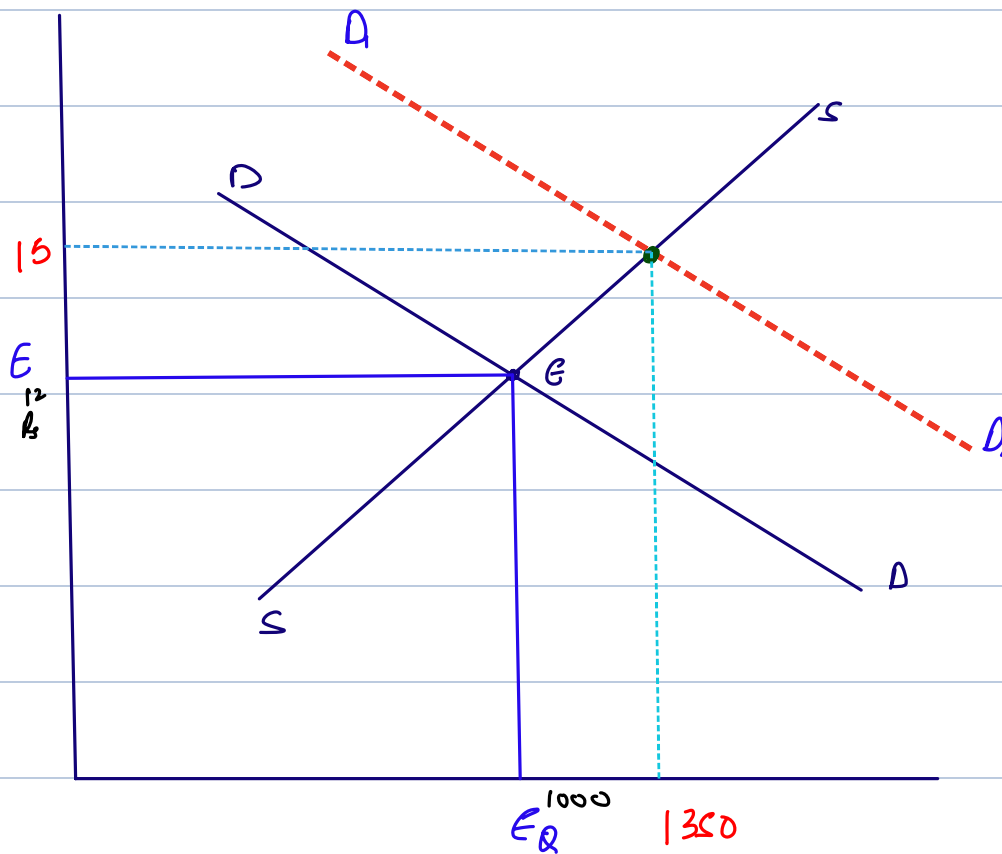
Elasticity of Supply  $\uparrow$

③ Pages

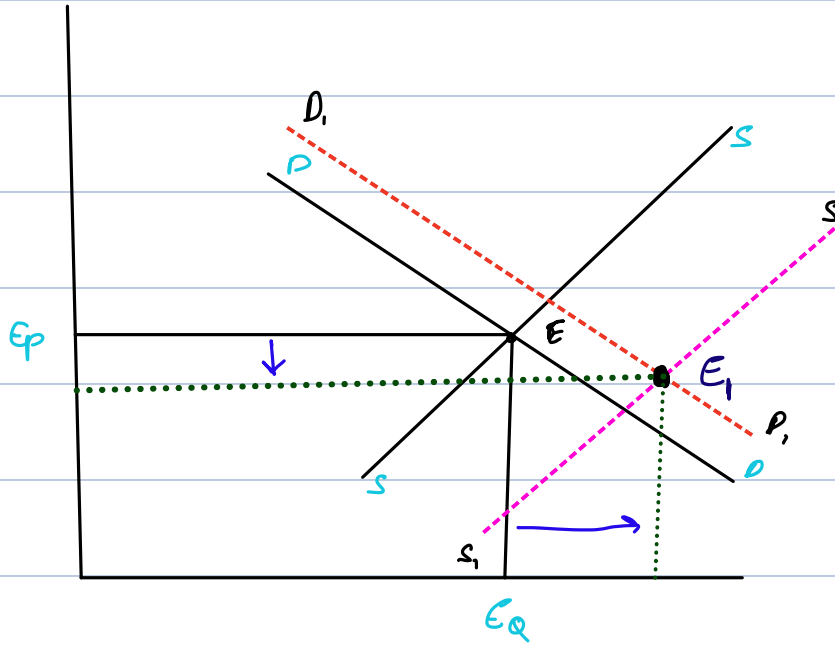
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## Unit - II → Price Determination

Demand	Supply	Excess	Competition Among ?	Effect on Price	Equilibrium
1000	1000	-	-	-	Yes
1200	1000	Excess demand	Buyers	Price ↑	-
1000	800	Excess demand	Buyers	Price ↑	-
1000	1300	Excess supply	Sellers	Price ↓	-



Inc in Supply > Inc in Demand

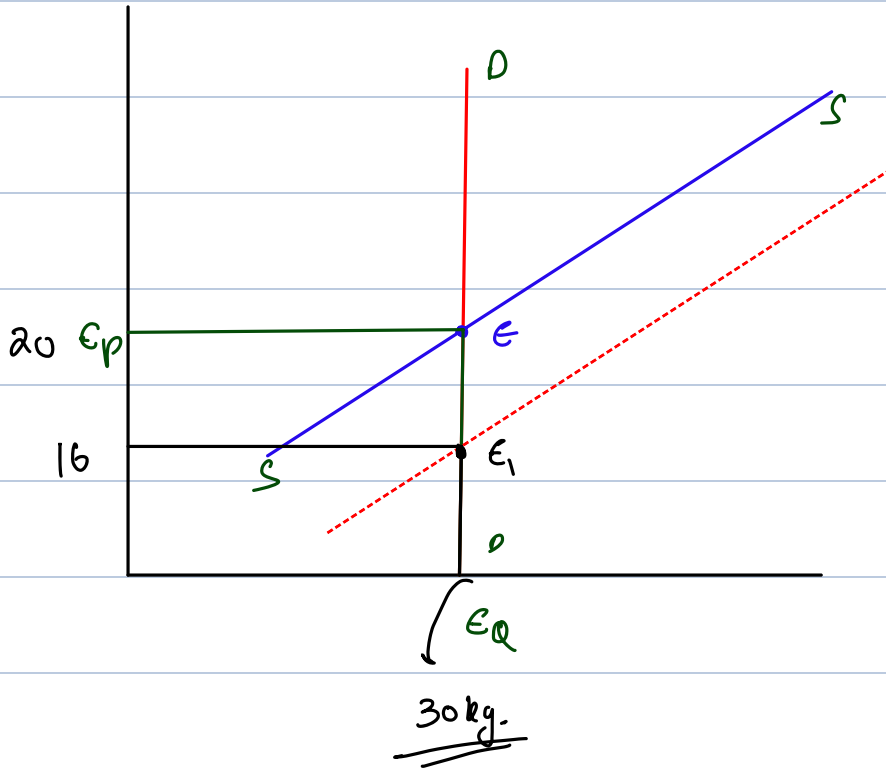


D	S	Eq.
1000	1000	✓
1250	1400	

Salt

D                      S  
1000                      1000

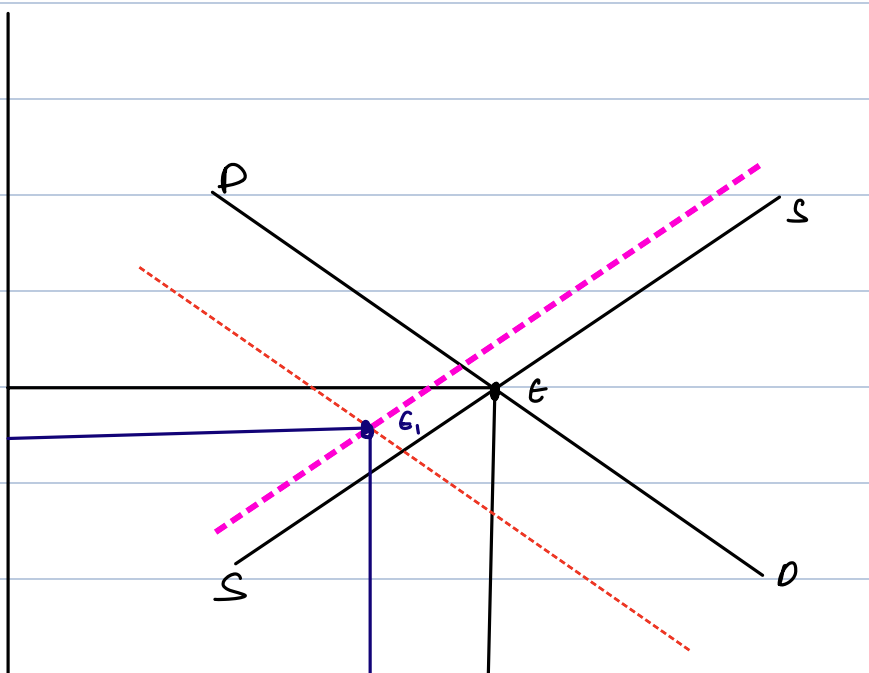
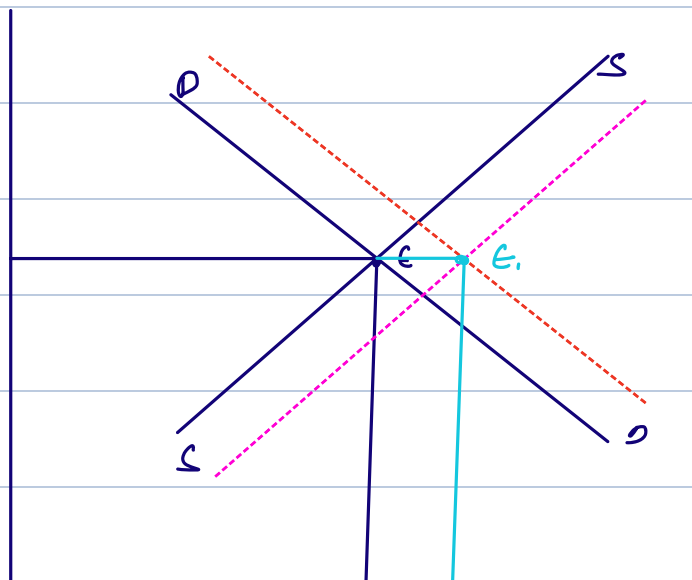
1300



- (a) Increase in Demand  $\rightarrow$  Inc. in Supply      P  $\uparrow$
- (b) Increase in Demand  $\rightarrow$  Dec in Supply      P  $\uparrow$
- (c) " " " = Inc in Supply       $\rightarrow$  P
- (d) Dec in Demand  $\rightarrow$  Dec in Supply



D	S
1000	1000
1200	900

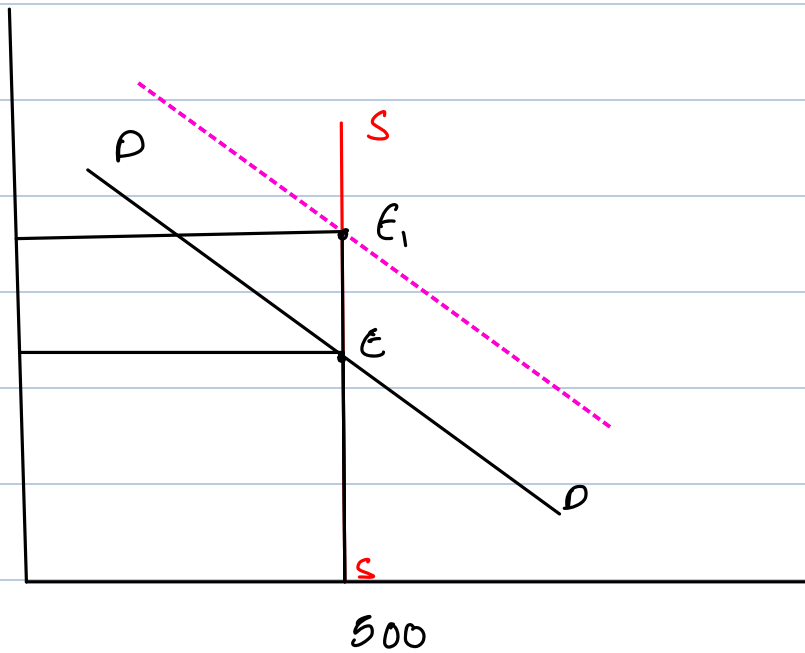


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key Board.

Lakme / Nykaa



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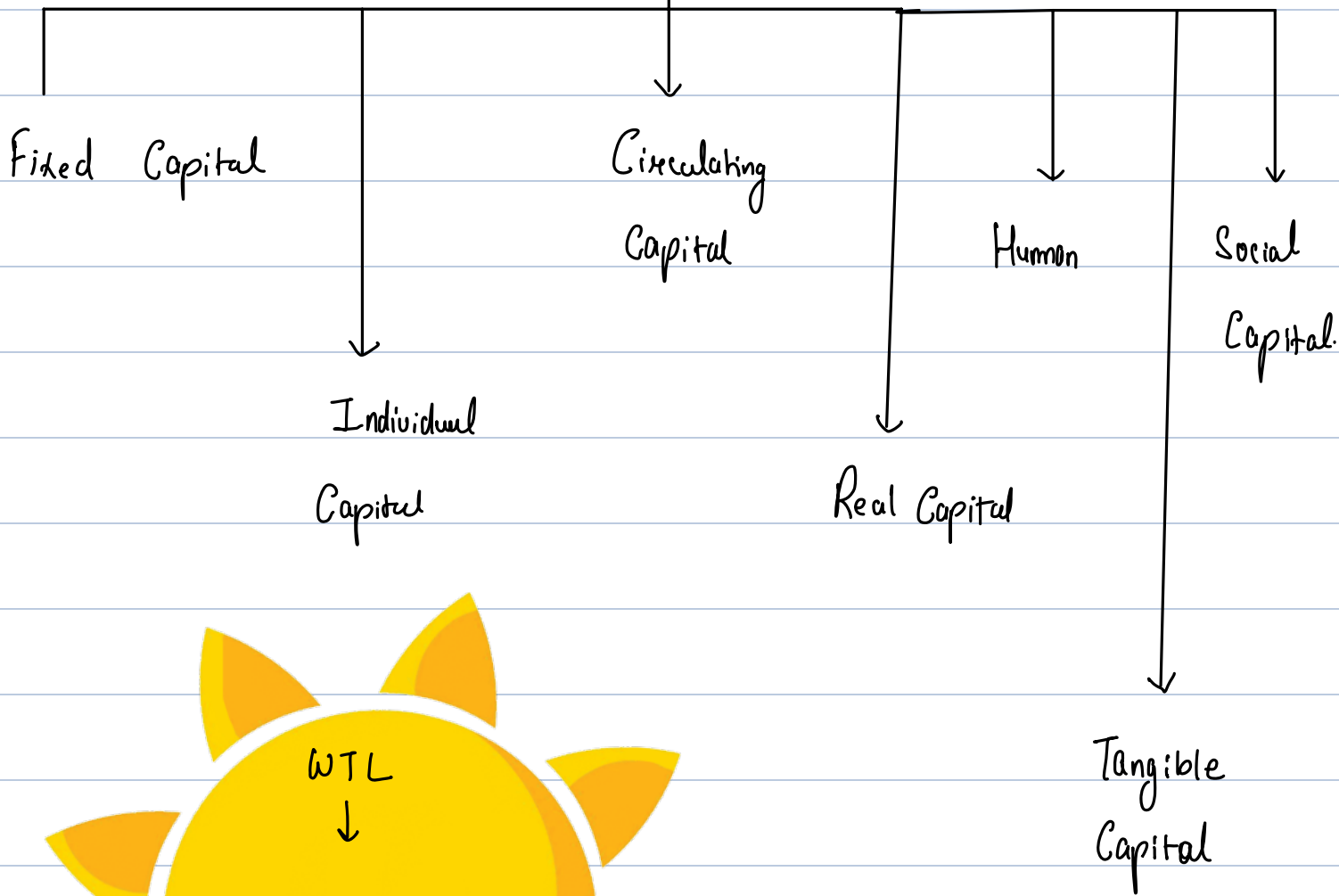


# CHAPTER - 3

## UNIT - I

### THEORY OF PRODUCTION

### Types of Capital



## Fixed Capital

- Exists in Durable shape
- Render series of service

Example → Tools, Machine Used in form of Tools.

## Individual Capital

- Owned by Individual as Personal Property
- Group of Individual as Personal Property

Ex - Assets owned by Individual

## Circulating Capital

- Used in Production as Single Use
- Cannot be Reused Again Production

Ex → Seeds, fuel, Raw Material.

## Real Capital

- Refers to physical Goods

Ex → Building, P/M

## Human Capital

↳ Human Skills & Ability.

## Tangible Capital

↳ Intangible Capital is in form  
Certain Rights/ Benefits

Ex → Goodwill, Patents,  
Trademark, Copy Right

## Social Capital

↳ Belong to Society only

Ex - Roads, Bridges

## Capital Formation

↳ Sustained Increase in Stock of Real Capital of Country.

# Stages of Capital Formation.

## Stage - (1) Savings

- Depends on Ability to Save

$$\text{Avg Propensity to Save} = APS = \frac{S}{Y}$$

$$\text{Avg Propensity to Consume} = \frac{C}{Y}$$

$$\text{Income} = 1000 ; \text{Consumption} = 700$$

$$\text{Saving} = 300$$

$$APS = \frac{S}{Y} = \frac{300}{1000} = 0.3$$

$$APC = \frac{C}{Y} = \frac{700}{1000} = 0.7$$

Income ↑      Savings ↑

## Stage - (2) Mobilisation of Saving

- Availability of financial Products/ Institution Must be Present
- Banking and other financial Institutions Necessary
- Saving Gets shifted in financial Market.

## Stage - (3) Investment

- Process of Capital formation Gets Completed

"Real Saving Gets converted into Real Capital Asset"

# ECONOMIC OBJECTIVES

## Accounting Profit

Total Revenue

- Total Cost [Explicit Cost]

Accounting Profit

## Economic Profit

Total Revenue

- Explicit Cost

- Implicit Cost

Economic Profit

Also  
Called  
Abnormal  
Profits

Also  
Called  
Super  
Normal Profit

## Normal Profit

- Normal Rate of Return on Capital Invested by Entrepreneurs
- Remuneration for Labour of Entrepreneurs
- Remuneration for Risk bearing

What all will be  
Included in Implicit Cost

# Goals of Firms

Given by Credit and Murch.

- Profit Goal
- Production Goal
- Inventory Goal
- Sales Goal
- Market share Goal

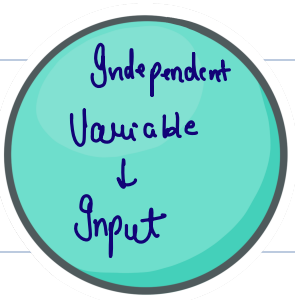
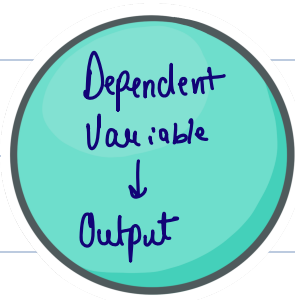
$$\left[ \frac{30,000}{50,000} \times 100 \right]$$

= 60%

## Production Function

→ Technological Relation between Input and Output

→



$Q = f(a, b, c, d, \dots, n)$

Where 'Q' stands for the rate of output of given commodity and a, b, c, d, ..., n, are the different factors (inputs) and services used per unit of time.



# Assumption of Production Function

- ① Relationship b/w Input and Output is Fixed for specific period of time
- ② There is Given "State of Art" in Production Technology
- ③ Innovation would Cause change in Relationship between Input and Output

## Meaning of Production Function

- The relationship between the maximum amount of output that can be produced and the input required to make that output. It is defined for a given state of technology i.e., the maximum amount of output that can be produced with given quantities of inputs under a given state of technical knowledge. (Samuelson)
- It can also be defined as the minimum quantities of various inputs that are required to yield a given quantity of output.

Given by  
Samuelson

Maximum Output  
with Minimum  
Input

Same Output  
with Less Inputs

# Short Run v/s Long Run.

## Short Run

→ To Increase Production, only Variable factor can be changed; Fixed factor will not be changed.

→ At least one factor is Unchanged [Fixed factor]

→ Machine/ Building etc can not be installed

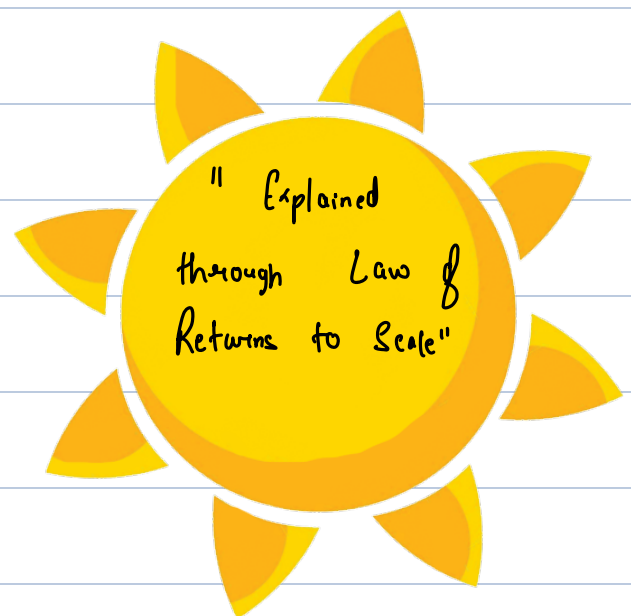


## Long Run.

→ To Increase Production, fixed and variable both the factors can be changed.

→ All factors are variable

→ Any factor can be changed.



# Cobb-Douglas Production function

Suppose  $x \propto y$  ; Iska Matlab hai Agar  $x$  badega to  $y$  bhi badega

$$x = ky \quad [k = \text{Constant}; \alpha \text{ ka sign hata diya}]$$

## Cobb Douglas Production function.

Output Badega  $3/4$  Laboure se  $\rightarrow a$

Output Badega  $1/4$  Capital se  $\rightarrow 1-a$

$$Q = k L^a C^{1-a}$$

$$Q = k L^a C^{1-a}$$

- $C =$  Capital
- $L =$  Laboure
- $Q =$  Output
- $a =$  Constant
- $k =$  Constant

Full Names

Paul-H. Douglas

C.W. Cobb

# Total Product, Average Product, Marginal Product

## Total Product

Total Qty of Output that can be produced with given inputs

Ex → If 10 Labours produce 60 kg of Rice, then 60 kg is total Output

## Average Product

$$AP = \frac{TP}{L}$$

Output per Unit of Variable Input

Ex → 10 Labours produce 60 kg

Hence  $AP = \frac{TP}{L} = \frac{60}{10} = 6 \text{ kg}$

## Marginal Product

### Meaning.

Addition to Total Product when one more unit of variable factor is employed

Job Unit ka difference is Equal to One

10 Labours produce = 60 kg Rice

11 Labours produce = 72 kg Rice

$$MP_n = TP_n - TP_{n-1}$$

$$MP_{11} = TP_{11} - TP_{10}$$

$$= 72 - 60$$

$$= 12 \text{ kg/Labour}$$

Job Unit ka difference is More than One

10 Labours produce = 60 kg Rice

16 Labours produce = 72 kg Rice

$$MP = \frac{\Delta TP}{\Delta L}$$

$$MP = \frac{72 - 60}{16 - 10} = \frac{12}{6}$$

$$MP = 2 \text{ kg/Labour}$$

# Law of Variable Proportions

## ★ Law of Variable Proportion Kya Bolta Hai...

According to Law of Variable Proportion  
As we increase more and more  
Variable factor, keeping fixed factors  
fixed

- ☞ Initially TP Increase at Increasing Rate
- ☞ Then TP Increases at Diminishing Rate
- ☞ Then TP Increases at Negative Rate

Operated in  
Short Run.

Stage - 1

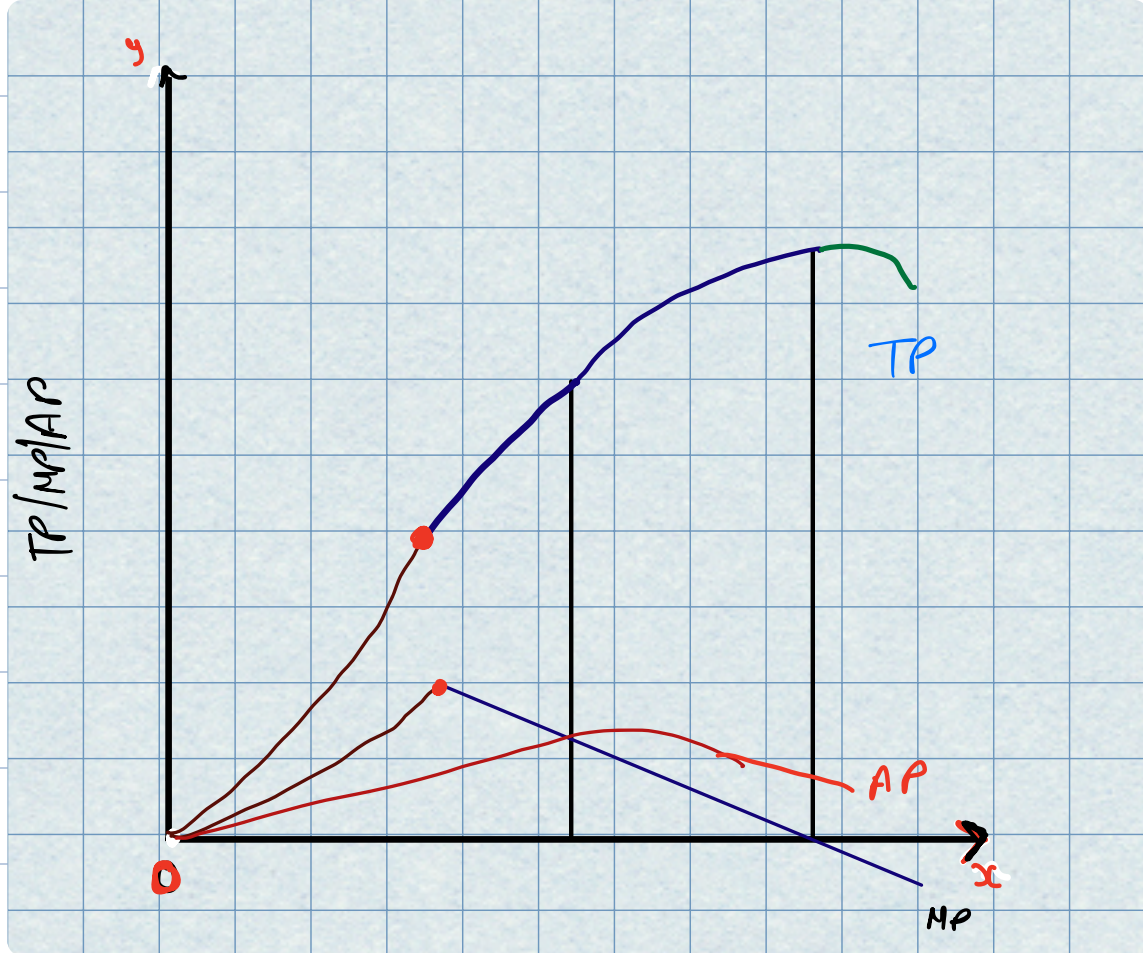
Increasing Returns  
to Factor

Stage - 2

Diminishing Returns  
to Factor

Stage - 3

Negative Returns  
to Factor



Stage ① and stage ② are called as Stages of  
 [ Economic Absurdity  
 Economic Non sense

Producers will Always Produce in stage ③

Fixed factor	Variable factor	MP	TP	AP
1	1	6	6	$6/1 = 6$
1	2	8	14	7
1	3	10	24	8
1	4	4	28	7
1	5	0	28	5.60
1	6	-2	26	4.33



## PHASE I

"Increasing Returns to Factor"

# When MP increases, TP increases at increasing rate

☞ When MP is at its Maximum point, TP stops rising at increasing rate

Point of Inflection.

☞ When MP starts falling in phase I, TP increases at diminishing rate

☞ When AP is at its Maximum, Phase I ends.

## PHASE - II

☞ In Phase-II, MP continues to fall, but remains +ve, TP increases at diminishing rate

☞ When MP is zero; TP is Maximum.

☞ When MP is zero, TP is Maximum, it is end of Phase II

☞ AP starts falling but is positive

## PHASE III

- ☞ When MP becomes negative, TP starts falling.
- ☞ AP Continue to fall



# Brain Teaser Questions ....

Can AP be Zero?? = No

Can AP be Negative?? = No

When AP is Maximum, [ then what is AP Called = Nothing  
Stage 1 Ends.

Can MP be Zero = Yes

Can MP be Negative = Yes [ 3<sup>rd</sup> Phase)

From When MP Falls → After Point of Inflexion.

When MP is at its Maximum → "Point of Inflexion"

Jab AP  
Apne Max Pave  
Hoga, Waha AP  
will be Equal to  
MP

Can TP be Negative = No

Can TP be Zero = No

When TP is at its Maximum = At End of Stage-2

When TP stops Rising at Increasing Rate = Point of Inflexion.

# Law of Returns to Scale

Returns to Scale refers to change in output, when **ALL** factors of Input are changed simultaneously



in same proportion in long run.

## Stages of Returns to Scale

Increasing Returns  
to Scale

Constant Returns  
to Scale

Diminishing  
Returns to Scale

### Increasing Returns to Scale

Input	Output
10C + 12L	100
20C + 24L	220

When proportionate increase in Total Output is more proportionate increase in Total Input, it is known as Increasing Returns to Scale.

Inc in Output  
is More than  
Inc. in Input.

## Constant Returns to Scale

Also called as  
Linear Homogenous Production  
Function

Input	Output
$10C+12L$	100
$20C+24L$	200

When Proportionate Increase in Total Output is  
Equal to Increase in Total Input, it is  
known as Constant Returns to Scale.

Inc in output  
is Equal to  
Inc in  
Input

## Diminishing Returns to Scale

Input	Output
$10C+12L$	100
$20C+24L$	185

When Proportionate Increase in Total Output is  
Less than Increase in Total Input, it is  
known as Diminishing Returns to Scale.

When Inc in  
Output is  
less than  
Inc in Input.

# Cobb - Douglas Return to Scale

$$Q = k L^a C^b$$

$Q =$  Output

$L =$  Qty of Labour

$C =$  Qty of Capital

$k =$  Constant

$a =$  Constant

$b =$  Constant

$a + b > 1$ , Increase in Output is More  
then Increase in Input

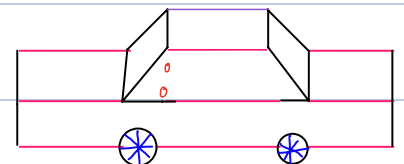
Increasing Returns to Scale

$a + b = 1$ , Increase in Output is Equal  
to Increase in Input

Constant Returns to Scale

$a + b < 1$  Increase in Output is Less  
than Increase in Input

Decreasing Returns to Scale



Product optimisation is consists of

Production

function



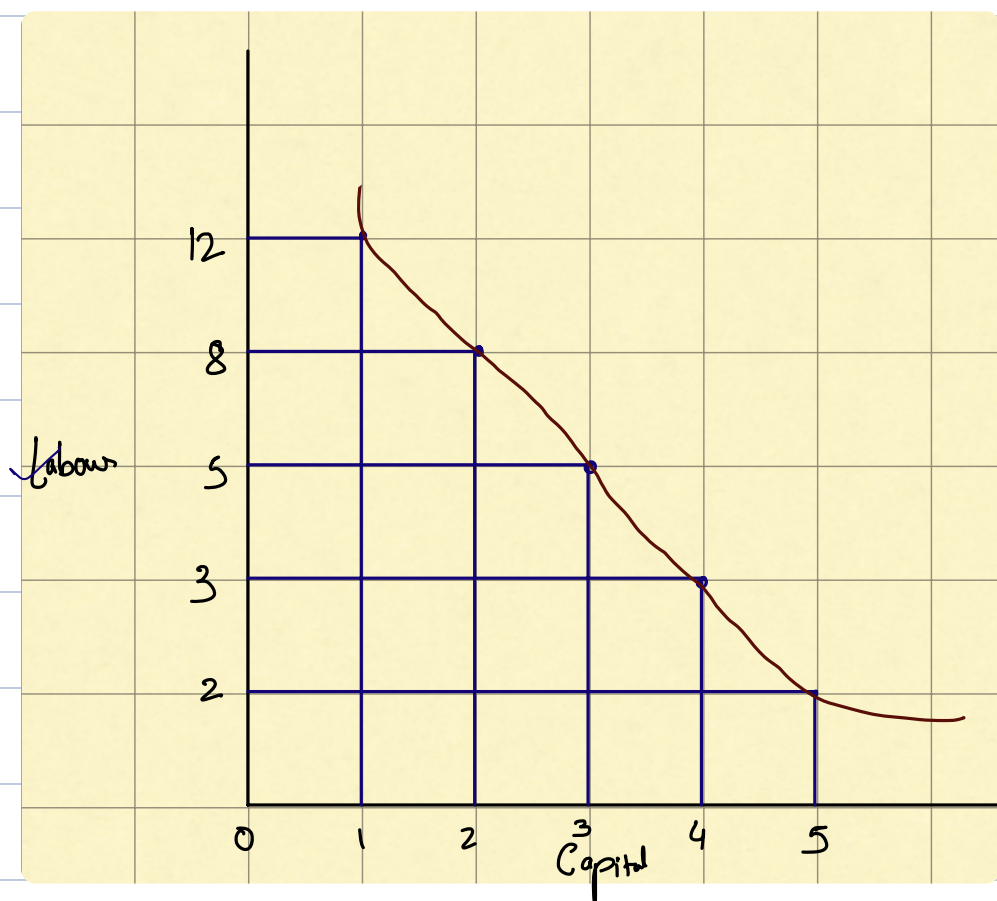
Requirements

Cost function



ISO Cost Lines





Properties of Isoquants

- Negatively sloped
- Convex to origin
- Non-Intersecting on the x-axis and y-axis.

Due to Diminishing MRTS

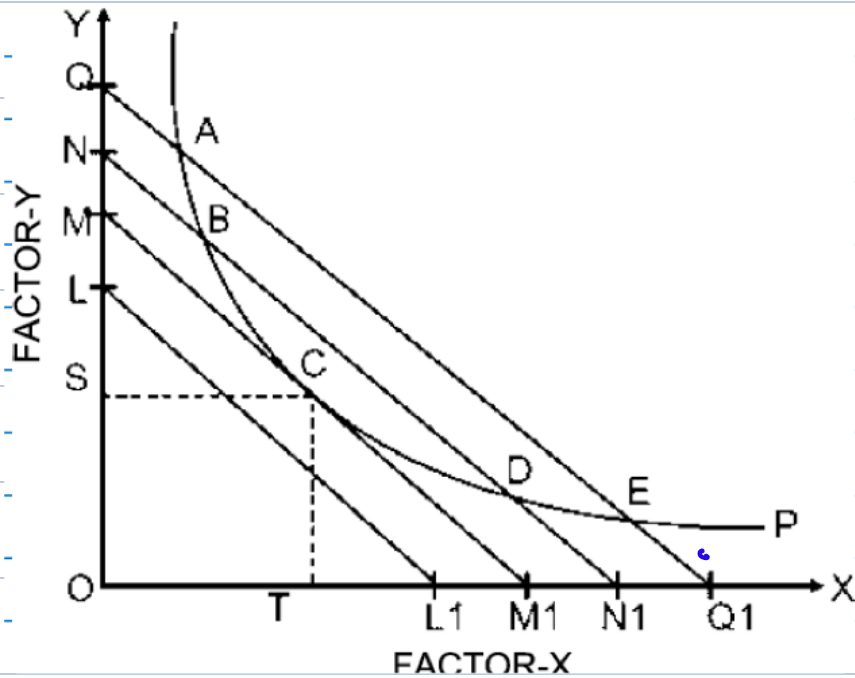
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# Producers Equilibrium

"Least Cost Combination of Factors"



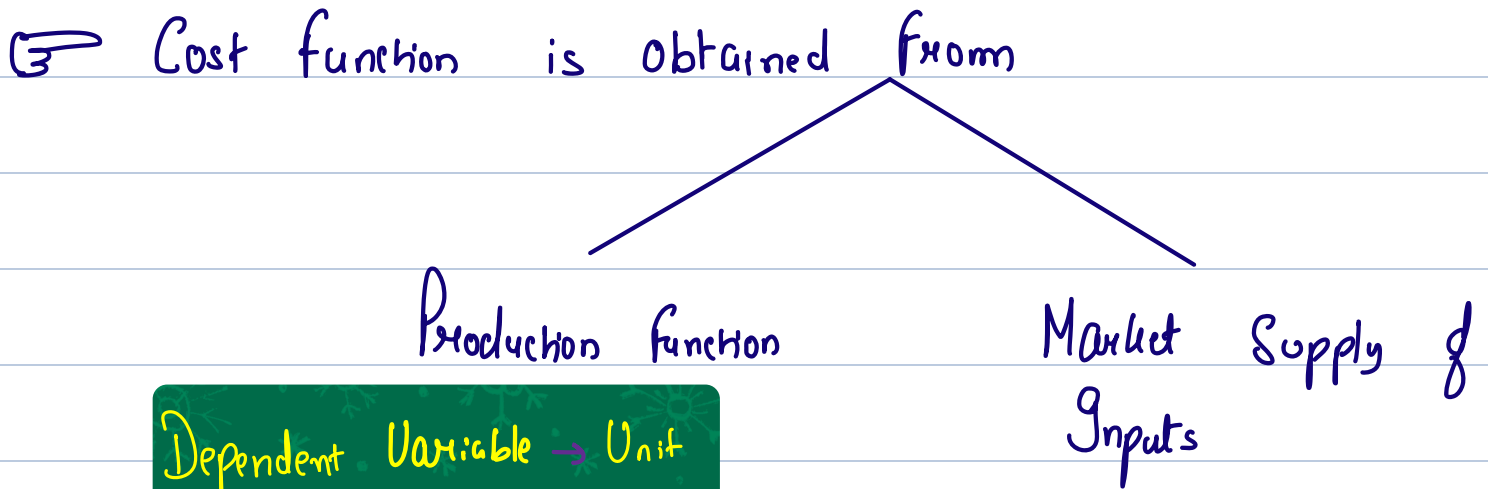
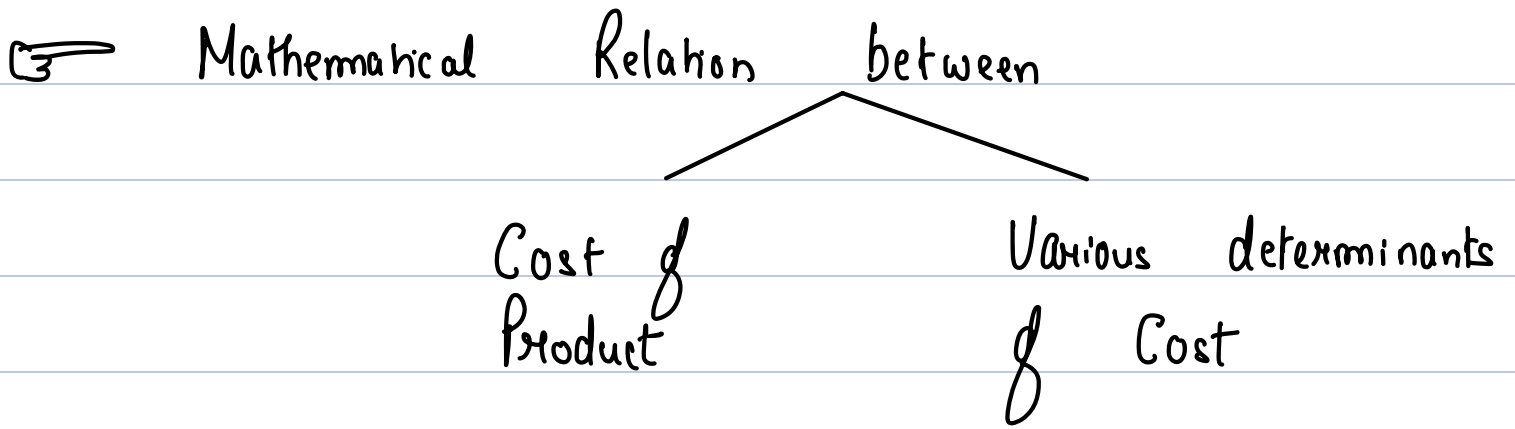
Suppose we want to buy 1000 units represented by Isoquants P.

This 1000 units can be manufactured by any cost combinations which is lying on P i.e. A, B, C, D, E.

- Cost of producing 1000 units will be minimum at Point C.
- At Point C Isoquant  $MM_1$  is tangent to Isoquant P
- Hence Point C is optimum combination for Producer

CHAPTER - 5  
Unit - 2  
COST

Cost Functions



Dependent Variable → Unit Cost

Independent Variable →  
Price of factors, size of Output etc.



# Types of Cost Functions

Short Run Cost  
functions



Output Can be changed  
by change in only  
Variable factors

Long Run Cost  
functions



Output Can be changed  
by change by change  
in all factors

## Total Fixed Cost

↳ Does not Vary with change in Total Output

- Cost remains same whether Output is
  - Increased
  - Decreased
  - Zero

Also known  
as ...

Supplementary  
Cost

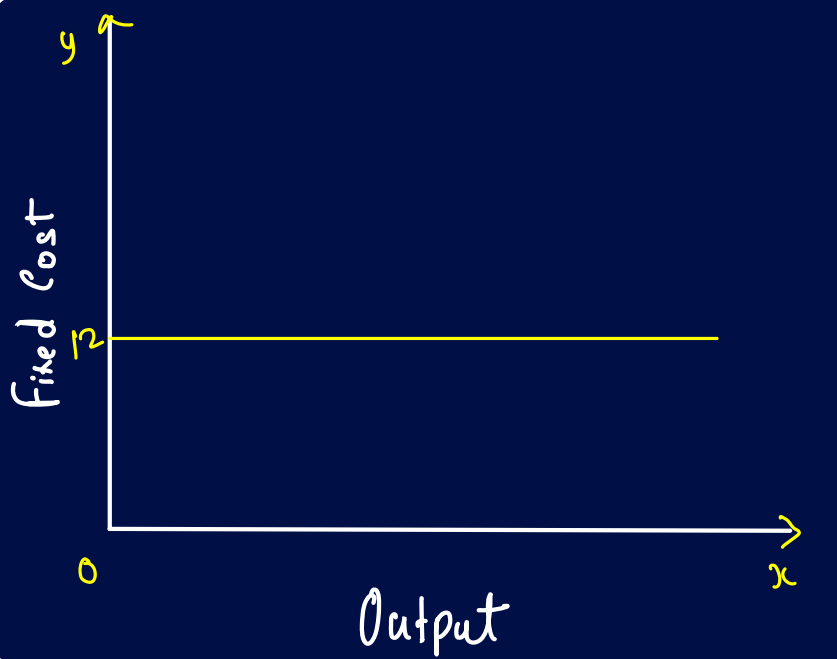
Overhead  
Cost

General  
Cost

Indirect  
Cost

Unavoidable  
Cost

Shut  
Down  
Cost



Output	Tfc
0	12
1	12
2	12
3	12
4	12

Shape  
↓  
Straight Line  
Parallel to  
x-axis

# Total Variable Cost

☞ Cost which Vary with Change in Output

☞ Variable Cost

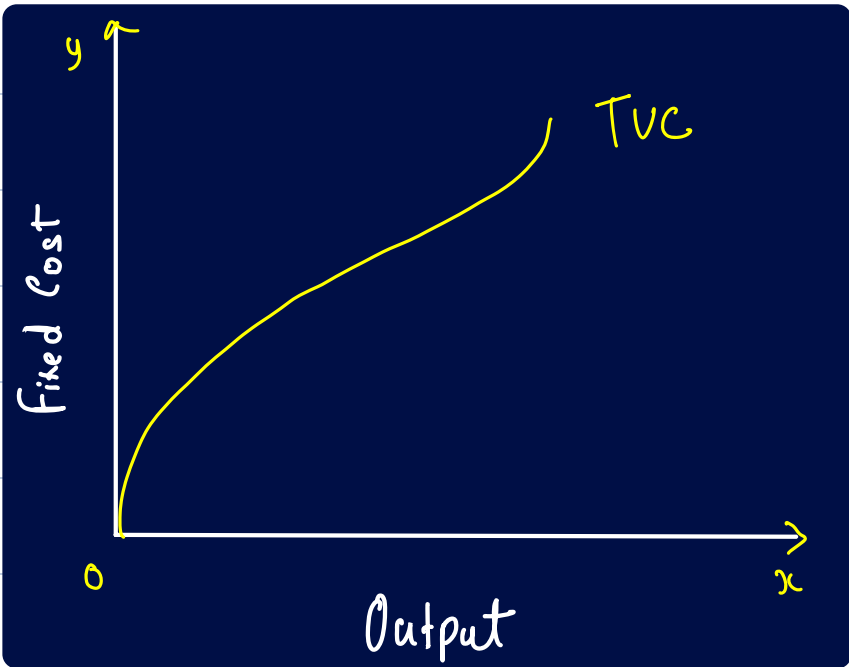
- ┌ Rise with Rise in Output
- ├ Fall with Fall in Output
- └ Zero at Zero Level of Output

Also known as ...

Prime Cost

Direct Cost

Avoidable Cost

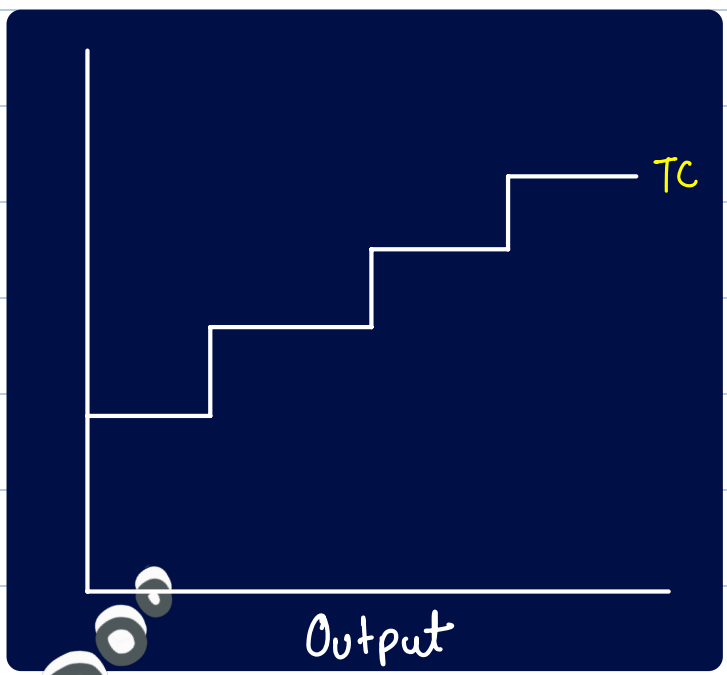
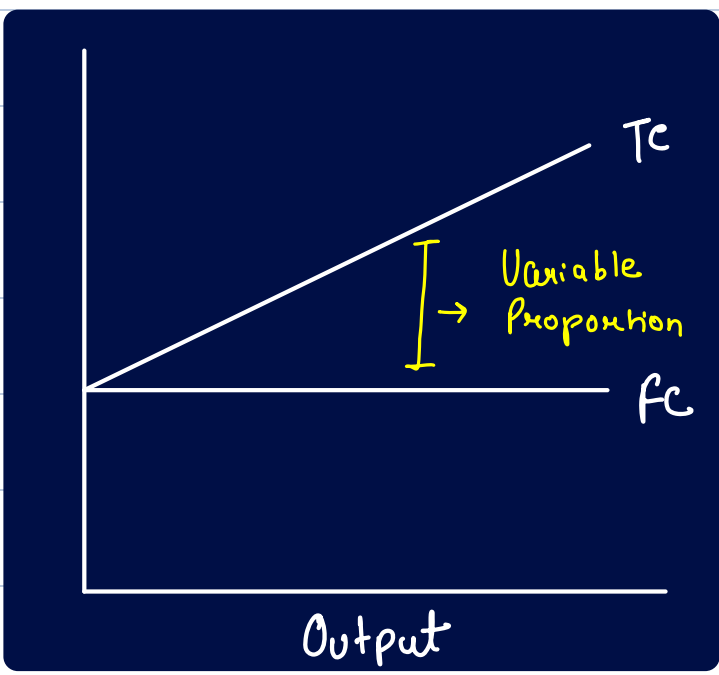


Output	TVC
0	0
1	6
2	10
3	15
4	24
5	35

Shape of Graph →  
"Inverse S-shaped"

# Semi Variable Cost

↳ Neither Perfectly Variable and Nor Perfectly Fixed.



Stair Step  
Fashion Semi  
Variable Cost

## Stair Step Fashion.


They remain fixed over certain range

of output but suddenly jump to new high level when output goes beyond limit

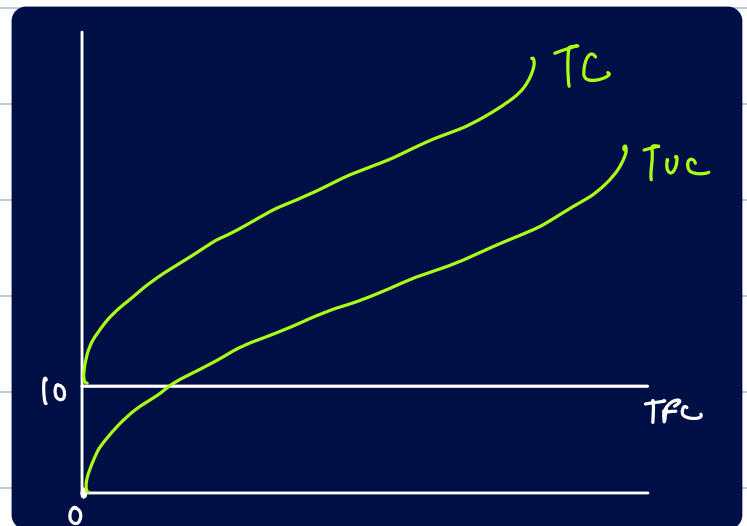
# TOTAL Cost

- It is the Sum Total of Fixed Cost + Variable Cost

TC is Parallel to TVC  
↓  
because difference between  
TC and TVC is TFC  
↓  
and TFC is always  
Constant



$$TC = TFC + TVC$$



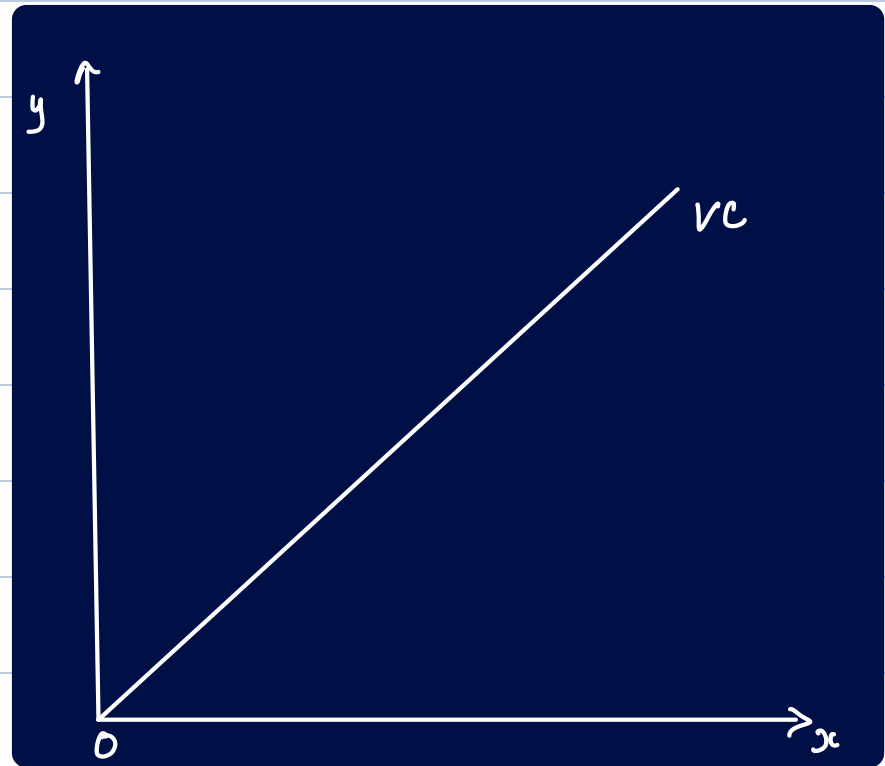
Output	TFC	TVC	TC
0	10	0	10
1	10	3	13
2	10	7	17
3	10	12	22
4	10	19	29
5	10	30	40
6	10	43	53

note to self:

At zero unit of output  
there is just one cost  
which is TFC, also this  
will be equal to TC

Special  
Case

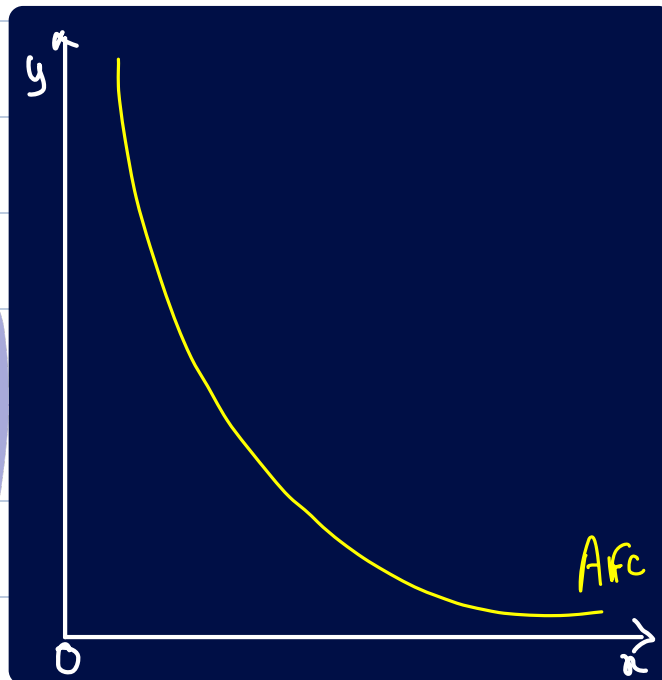
Variable Cost Change  
line Early With  
Changes in Output



## Average Fixed Cost

- It is Per Unit Fixed Cost of Production

$$AFC = \frac{TFC}{Q}$$



Shape ↘

Rectangular

Hyperbola.

DON'T  
forget



Units	TFC	Afc
0	30	-
1	30	30
2	30	15
3	30	10
4	30	7.5
5	30	6

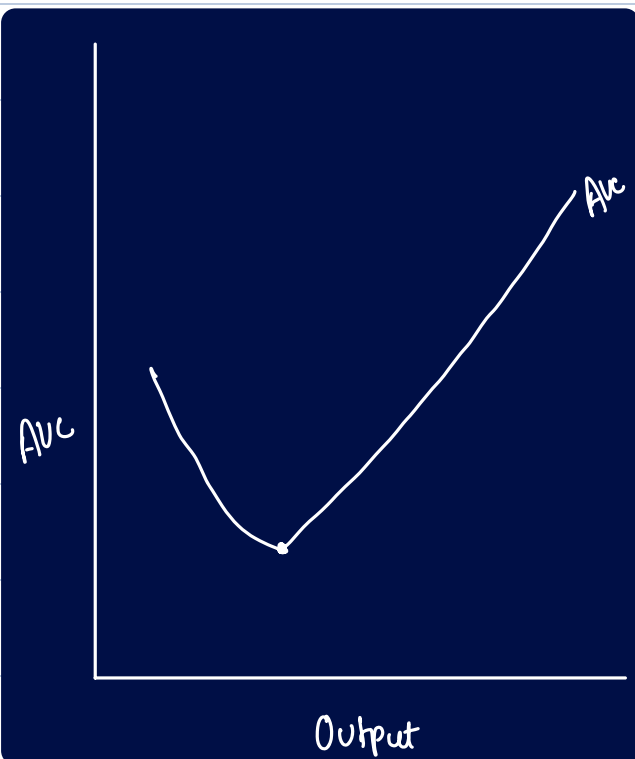
Afc will fall as Output Increases

• Afc will not touch x-axis

• Afc Can Never be zero.

## Average Variable Cost

It is Per Unit Variable Cost of Production



Units	TVC	AVC
0	0	-
1	6	6
2	10	5
3	15	5
4	24	6
5	35	7

$$Avc = \frac{Tvc}{Q}$$

Zero to Normal  
Capacity

Avg Variable Cost  
Normally Falls as  
Output Increases

↓  
due to occurrence of  
Increasing Returns to  
Variable  
Factors

Beyond Normal  
Capacity.

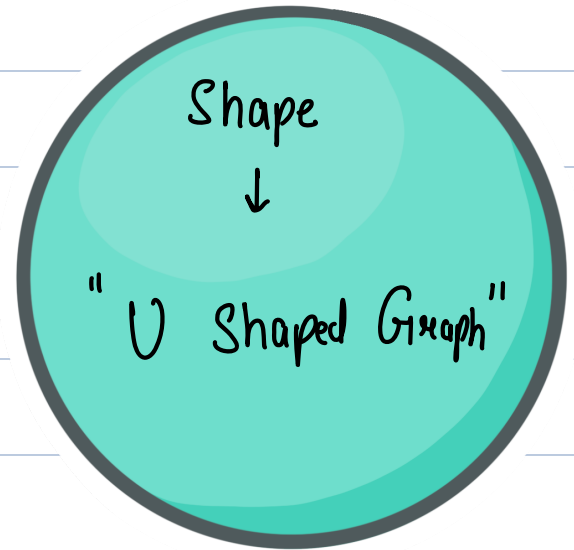
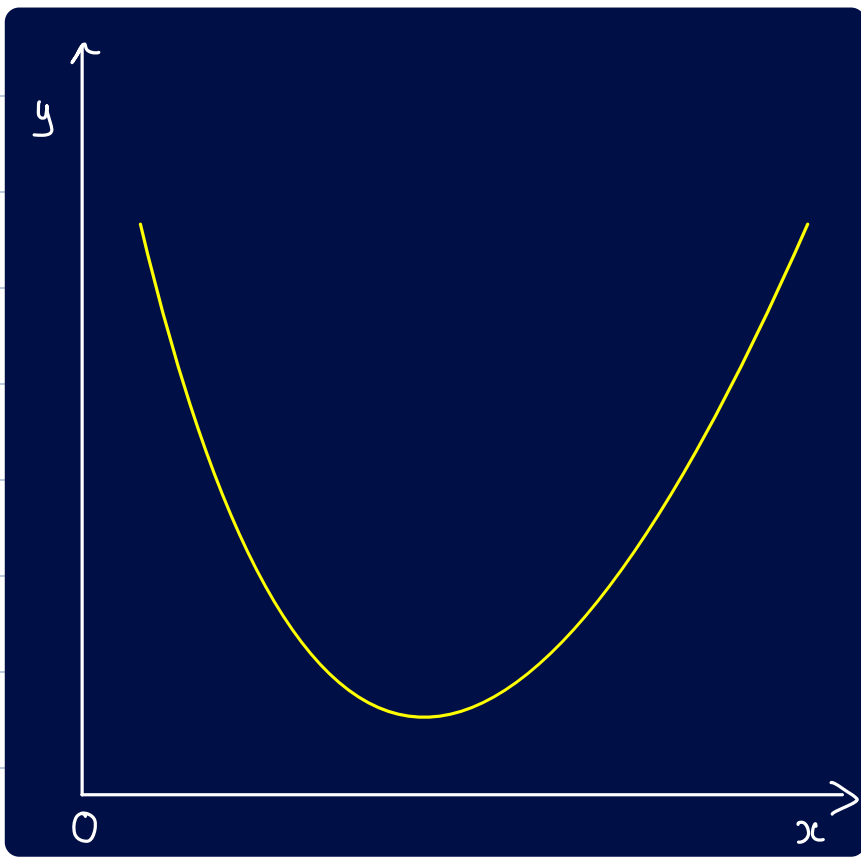
↓  
Avg. Variable Cost will  
rise steeply because of  
operation of Diminishing  
Returns.

## Average Cost

- It is Per Unit Cost of total Production.

$$Ac = \frac{Tc}{Q}$$

$$Ac = AFC + Avc$$



## Marginal Cost

- Addition to total Cost when More Output is Produced

Formulae  
Box

$$MC_n = TC_n - TC_{n-1}$$

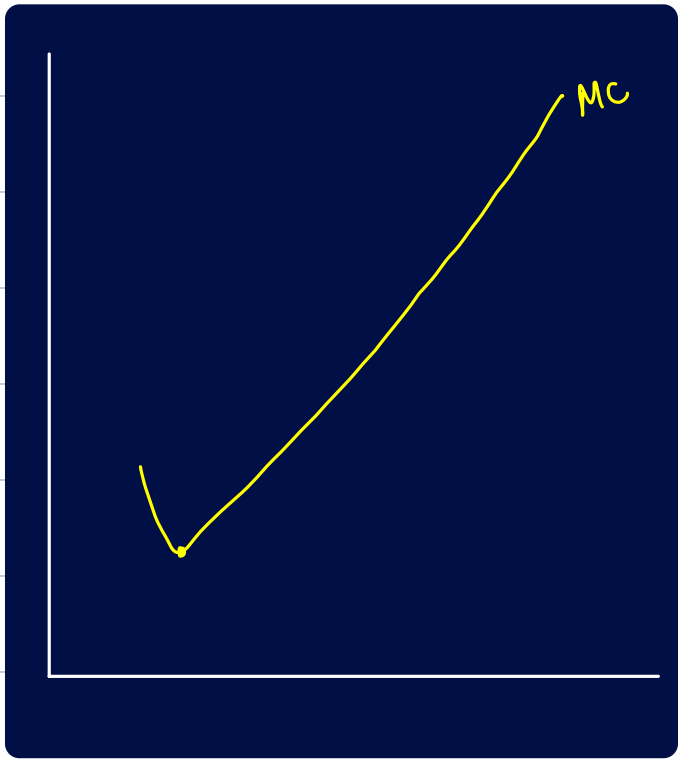
$$MC_n = TVC_n - TVC_{n-1}$$

$$MC = \frac{\Delta TC}{\Delta Q}$$

TC = Total Cost

TVC = Total Variable  
Cost

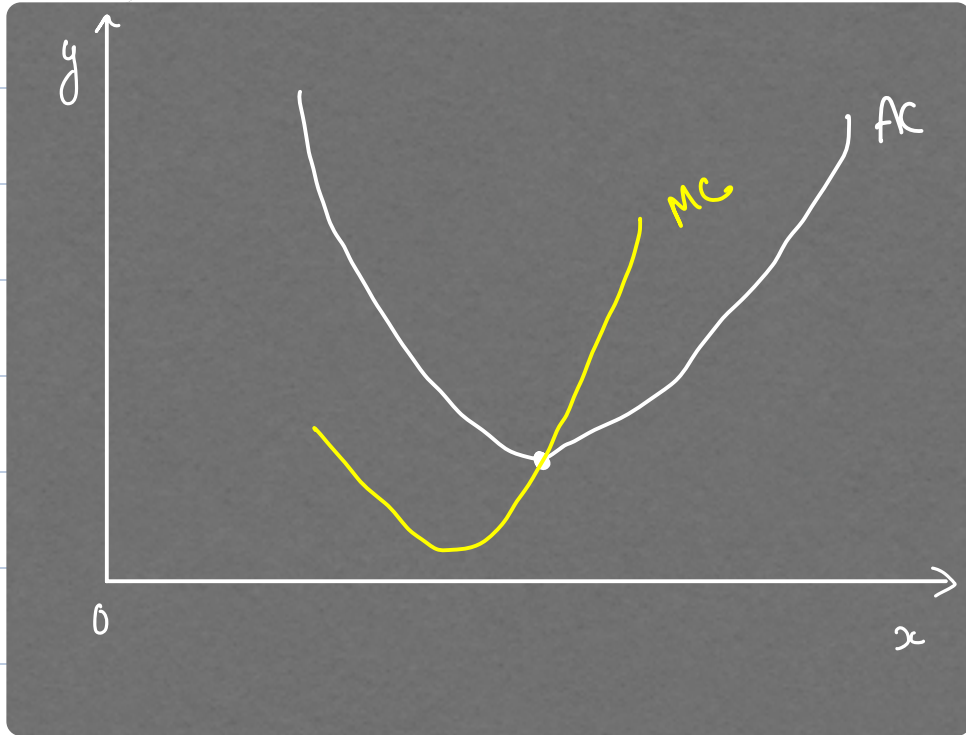
MC = Marginal Cost



Shape  
↓  
"U Shaped Graph"

# Baap Level Important Relation.

Relation between AC  
and MC



☞ When MC is less than AC ;  
AC falls

☞ MC cuts AC, when AC  
is at its Minimum.

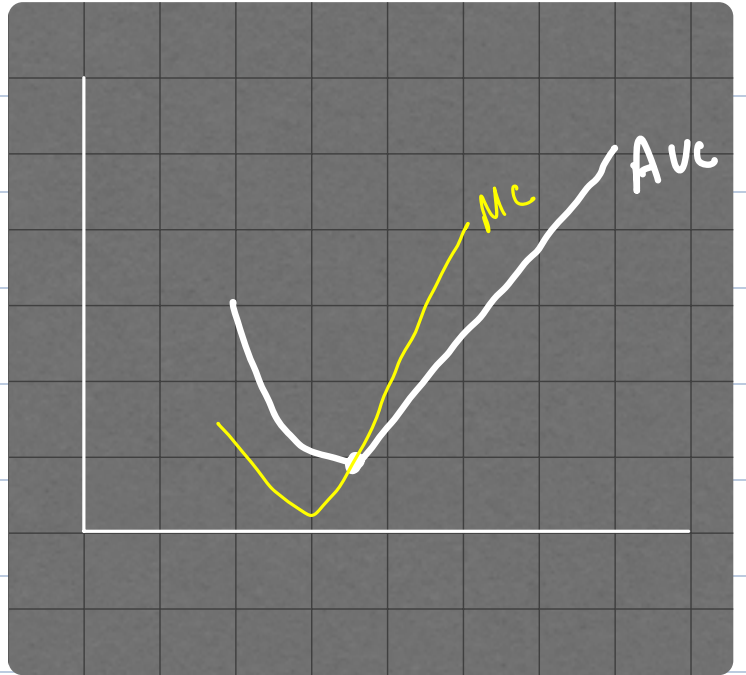
☞ When MC is more than AC ; then AC rises.

## Relation between Avc and MC

↳ When MC is less than AVC ;  
AVC Falls

↳ MC Cuts AVC, when AVC  
is at its Minimum.

↳ When MC is More than AVC ; then AVC Rises.

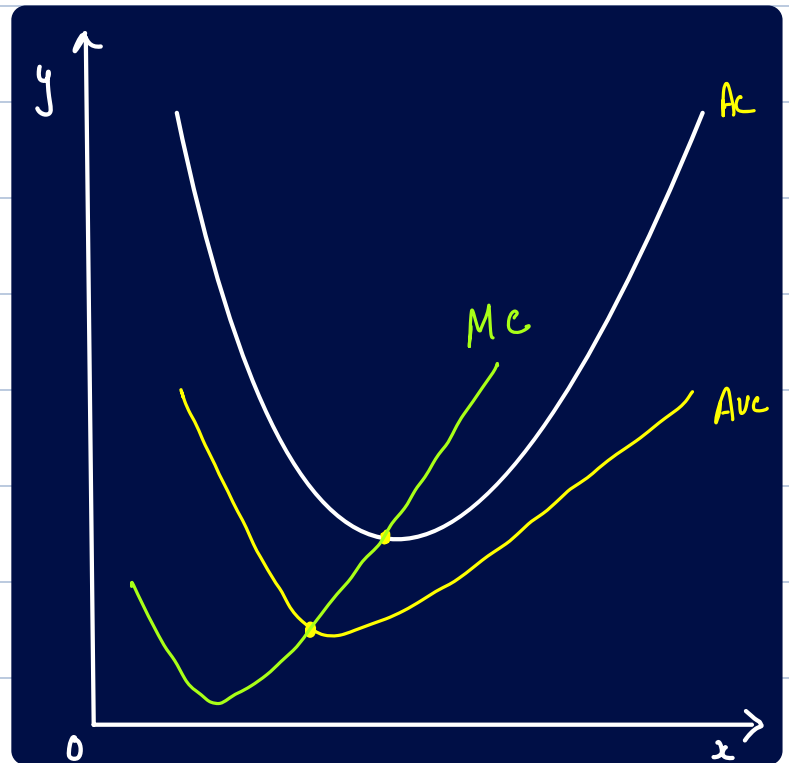


## Relation between AC, Avc and MC

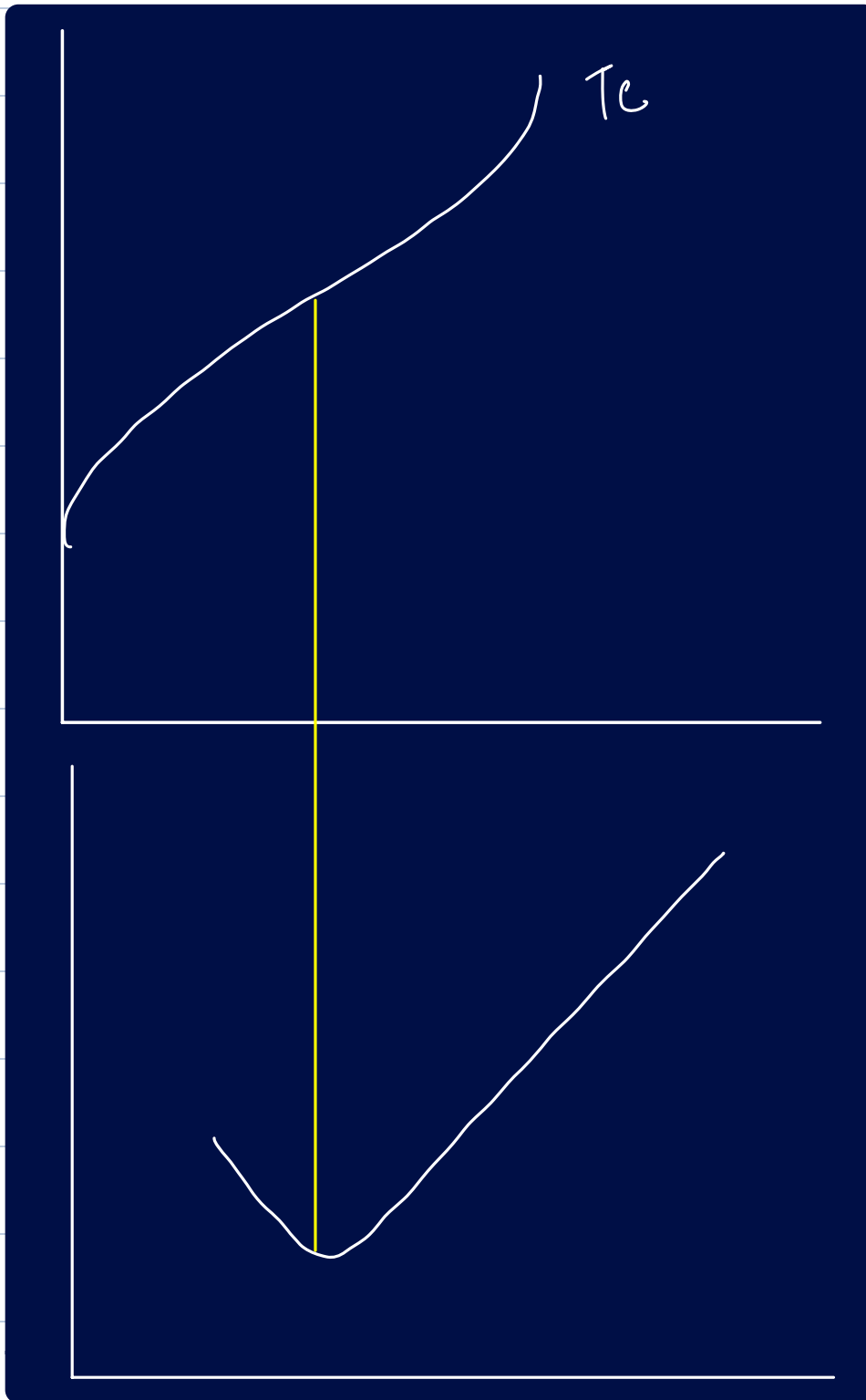
• When MC is less than AC &  
AVC ; both AC and AVC Falls

• MC Cuts AC and AVC ; when  
both AC and AVC are at its  
Minimum

• When MC is More than AC & AVC ; Both AC and AVC Rises.



# Relationship Between TC and MC



- When MC Declines, TC Rises at Diminishing Rate

- When MC is at its Minimum; TC Stops Raising at Diminishing Rate

- When MC Rises, TC Rises at Increasing Rate

# Long Run Cost Curves

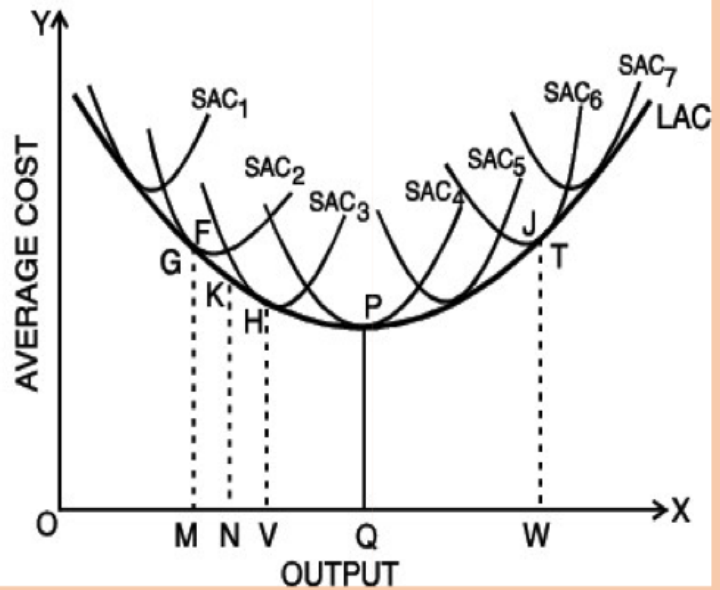
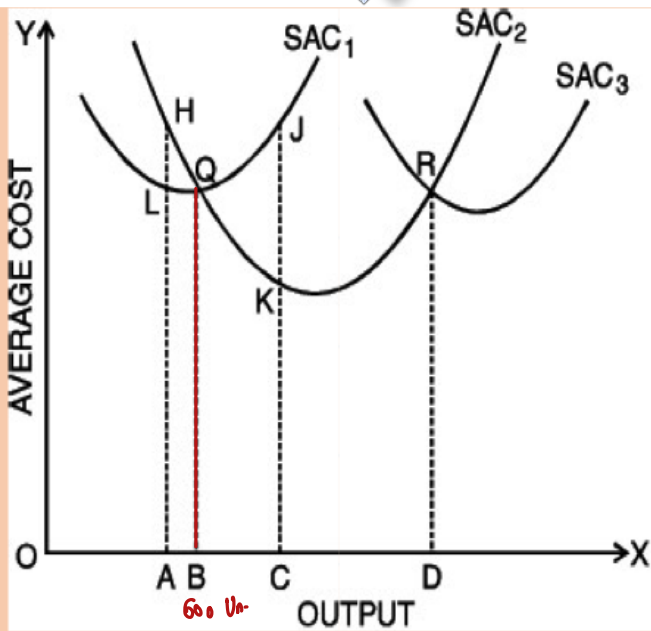
## Meaning

Long Run Cost of Production is "Least Possible Cost of Producing any Level of Output"

A Long Run Cost Curves depicts functional relationship between

Output

Long Run Cost of Production



Part 6.



# upto  $OB$  Amount of Output, the firm will operate on  $SAC_1$ , though it could be produced with  $SAC_2$

↓  
as Cost per Unit on  $SAC_1$  is lower than  $SAC_2$

↓  
When Output  $OA$  is produced on  $SAC_1$ , Cost per Unit will be  $AL$  [say ₹ 13 per Unit]

↓  
and when same Output is produced on  $SAC_2$  Cost per Unit will be  $AH$  [say ₹ 15 per Unit]

↓  
Now as  $AH$  is more than  $AL$ , produce on  $SAC_1$

# Suppose if Output now is more than  $OB$  but less than  $OD$ , then not economical to produce on  $SAC_1$ ,

↓  
then production to be done on  $SAC_2$

Short Run Average Cost Curve are also called as "Plant Curves"

Long Run Average Cost Curve are also called as "Envelope Curve" and "Planning Curve"

"Long Run Avg Cost Curve  
will be Smooth Curve



Enveloping all these Short  
Run Avg Cost Curve"

U shaped LAC arises  
due to

"Return to Scale

Why is LAC "U shaped"

Increasing Return to Scale Causes

Fall in Long Run AC Curve

Result from Internal and  
External Economies of Scale

Decreasing Return to Scale Causes

Rise in Long Run AC Curve

Result from Internal and  
External Diseconomies of Scale

# When Firm Expands  $\rightarrow$  Return to Scale Increases

Return to Scale  
Finally Decreases

After a Range of  
Constant Returns to Scale

# Similarly  $\rightarrow$  LAC Curve First Declines  
 $\downarrow$   
then Finally Rises

## Economies and Diseconomies of Scale

Economies  
Means  
 $\downarrow$   
Advantages

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Diseconomies  
Means  
 $\downarrow$   
Disadvantages

*you got this*

Economies

Diseconomies

Internal

External

Internal

External



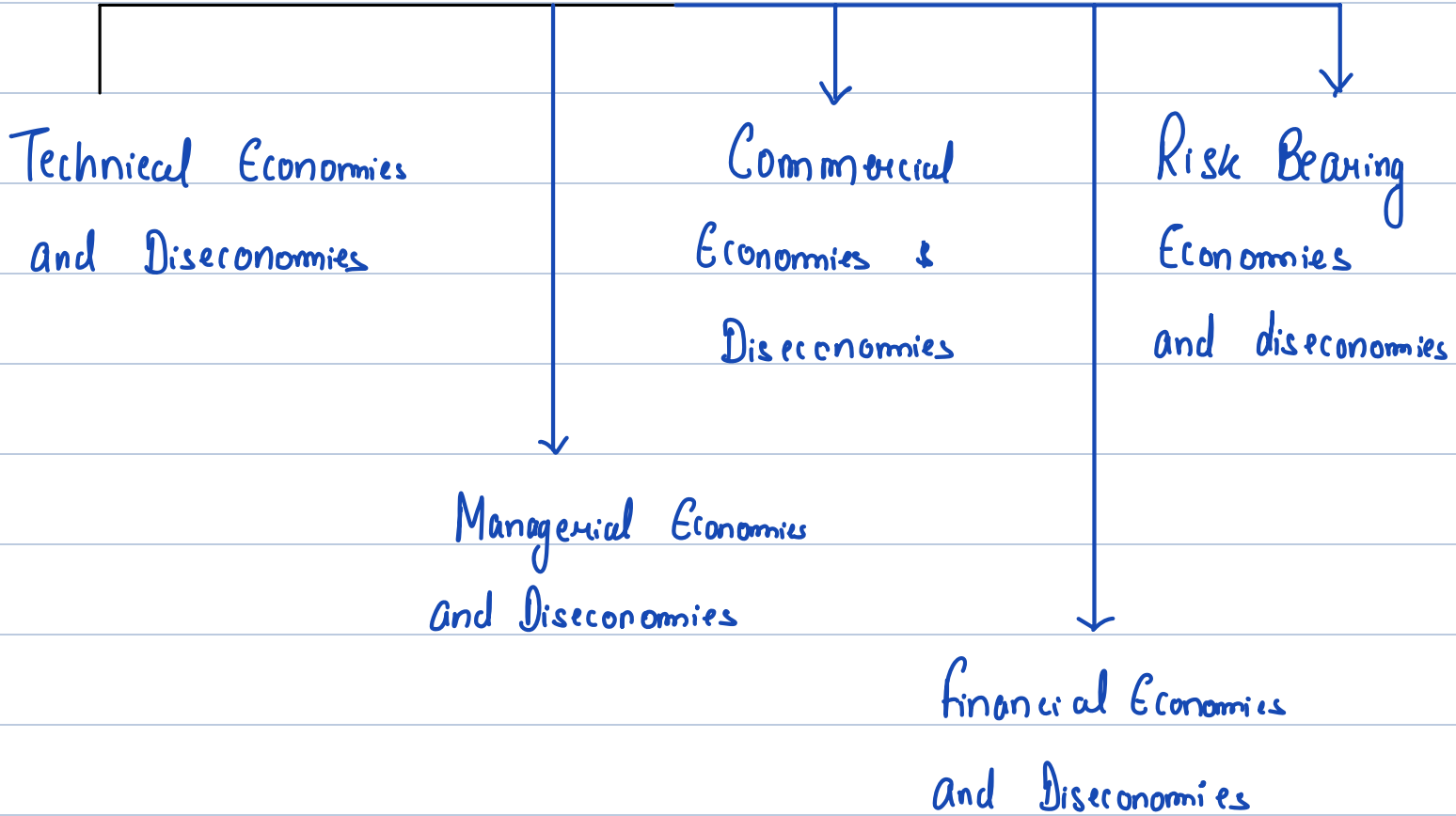
Advantage within  
the Organisation

Advantages from  
Outside World

Disadvantage within  
the Organisation

Disadvantage from  
Outside World.

# Internal Economies and Diseconomies



# Technical Economies and Diseconomies

## Technical Economies

- Firm Increase, Most specialised forms of all factors
- Output ↑ Efficient Machinery → Cost Per Unit ↓
- Advantage of Composite Technology
- Production ↑ Division of Labour Hoga → Cost Per Unit ↓
- Benefits of Linked Process.
- Dependence on other firm ↓
- We only undertake process from input to final stage.

## Technical Diseconomies

- All Labour and Machinery fully utilised, if still used further large cost of machinery will be incurred
- Scale of operation ↑, difficult for management to control and bring proper coordination.



# Managerial Economies and Diseconomies

## Managerial Economies

- It Means Reduction in Managerial Cost
- Output ↑ Division of Labour Hoga
- Management divided into Specialised dept → Under Spec. Personnel
- Further these dept Can be further Divided.
- Decentralised of Decision Making and Mechanisation of Managerial function.

## Managerial Diseconomies

- When Production Goes beyond limit Managerial Diseconomies Occurs
- Communication b/w Manager and Labour Gets difficult
- Decision Making delayed
- Coordination is Poor
- Managerial Structure Complex

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तुझे

- Greater Bureaucracy
- Red Tapisim
- Lengthy Communication line.

# Commercial Economies and Diseconomies

## Commercial Economies

- A Large firm will be able to place bulk order  $\rightarrow$  Cost will Reduce.
- If Marketing is done properly then behavior of sales staff will not reduce sales Qty.
- Output  $\uparrow$  Advertisement Cost per Unit  $\downarrow$
- A Large firm will sell by products and earn profits.
- Benefits of Transportation & Storage.

## Commercial Diseconomies

- If Working after optimum scale, then diseconomies will come.
- Adv. Expenditure will Inc. optimum production.

# Financial Economies and Diseconomies

## Financial Economies

- Advantages will be Related to Procurement of fund
- Firm can offer better security to Bankers and Easy Advance will be Given.
- Also has a benefit of **Shares** can be listed on **Stock Exchange**.
- Capital can be Raised at low Cost

## Financial Diseconomies

- If fund is Raised beyond certain limits  
↓  
then Cost of Raising finance will be More.
- Dependence on External finance will Increase.

# Risk Bearing Economies & Diseconomies

## Risk Bearing Economies.

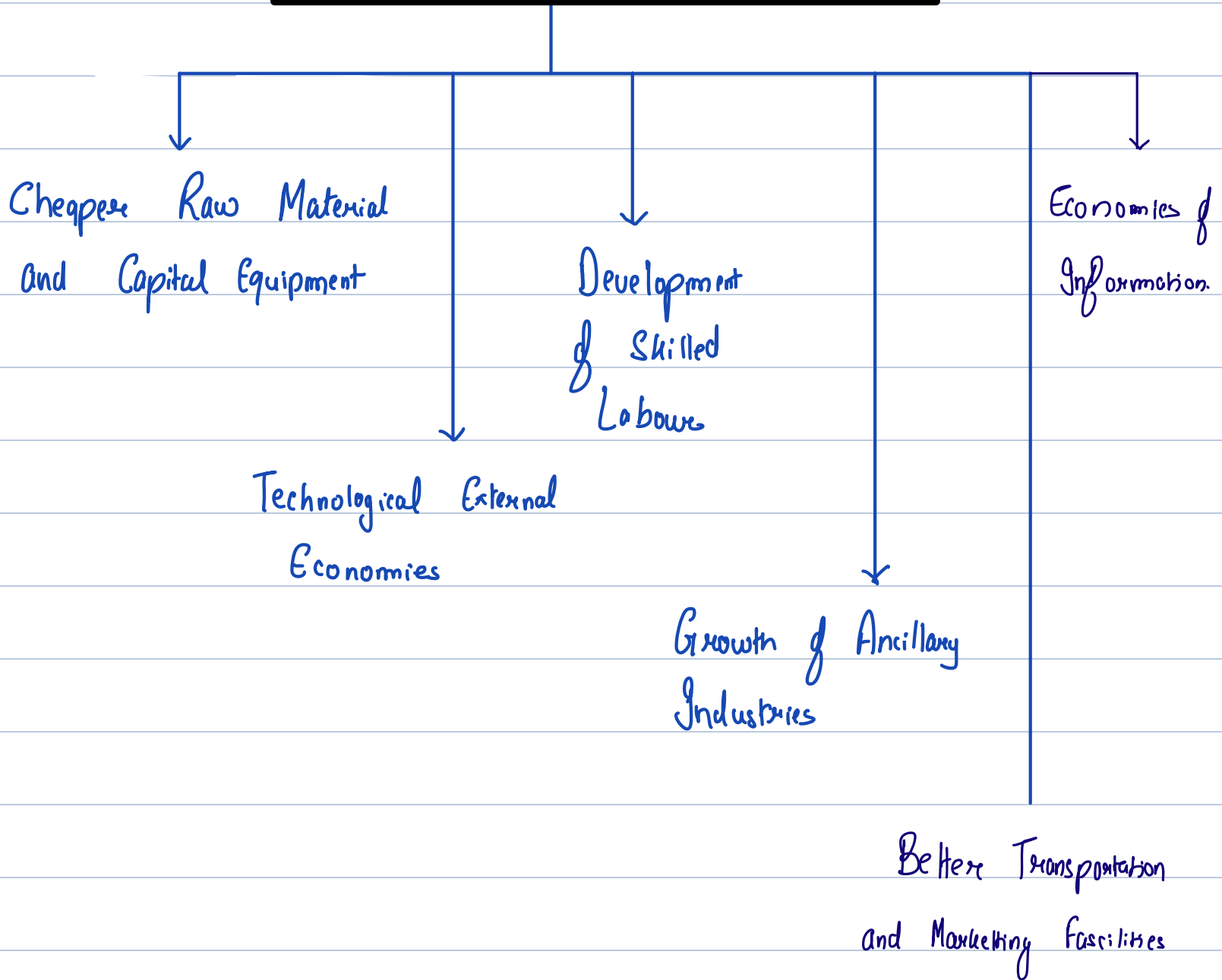
- Business with Diverse and Multi Production Capability, it can handel economic ups and Down.

## Risk Bearing Diseconomies.

In case of diversifications Risks will be High.



# External Economies



## External Economies

### (a) Cheaper Raw Material and Capital Equipment

- Production Expand → Raw Material Cheaper  
↳ Machineries Cheaper.
- Firm can get this Raw Material and Capital Equipment at Competitive Pricing.
- This will Reduce COP and Price ↓

### (b) Technological Economies

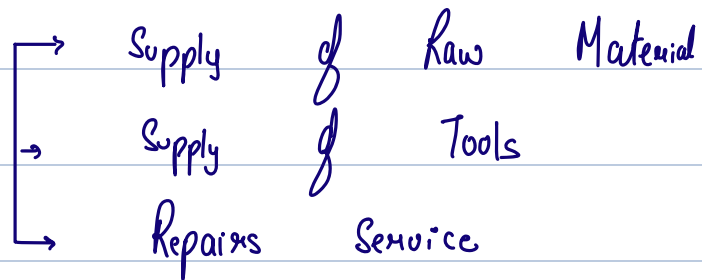
- Output Expand → New Technology will be discovered  
↓  
Use of Improved and Better Machinery and Process.
- Production ↑ COP ↓

## (c) Development of Skilled Labour

- Production Expand  $\rightarrow$  Labour will develop itself for New Production Process and Learn from Experience.
- Pool of Trained Labour get developed.

## (iv) Growth of Ancillary Industries

- Expansion of Industry  $\rightarrow$  leads to Growth of Ancillary Industries such as



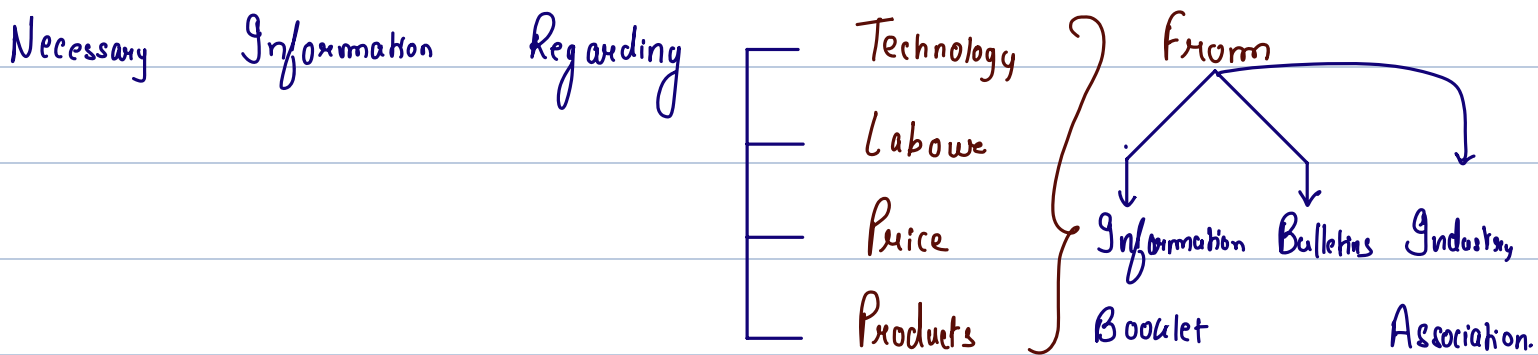
- Input Price Go Down in Competitive Market  $\rightarrow$  Benefits will Go to all firms.

- Cost of Production  $\downarrow$

## (v) Better Transportation and Marketing Facilities

- Expansion of Industry  $\uparrow$  Entry of New firms  $\uparrow$   $\rightarrow$  Making Transportation Effective and Marketing Network.
- CO P  $\downarrow$
- Communication System Modernised.

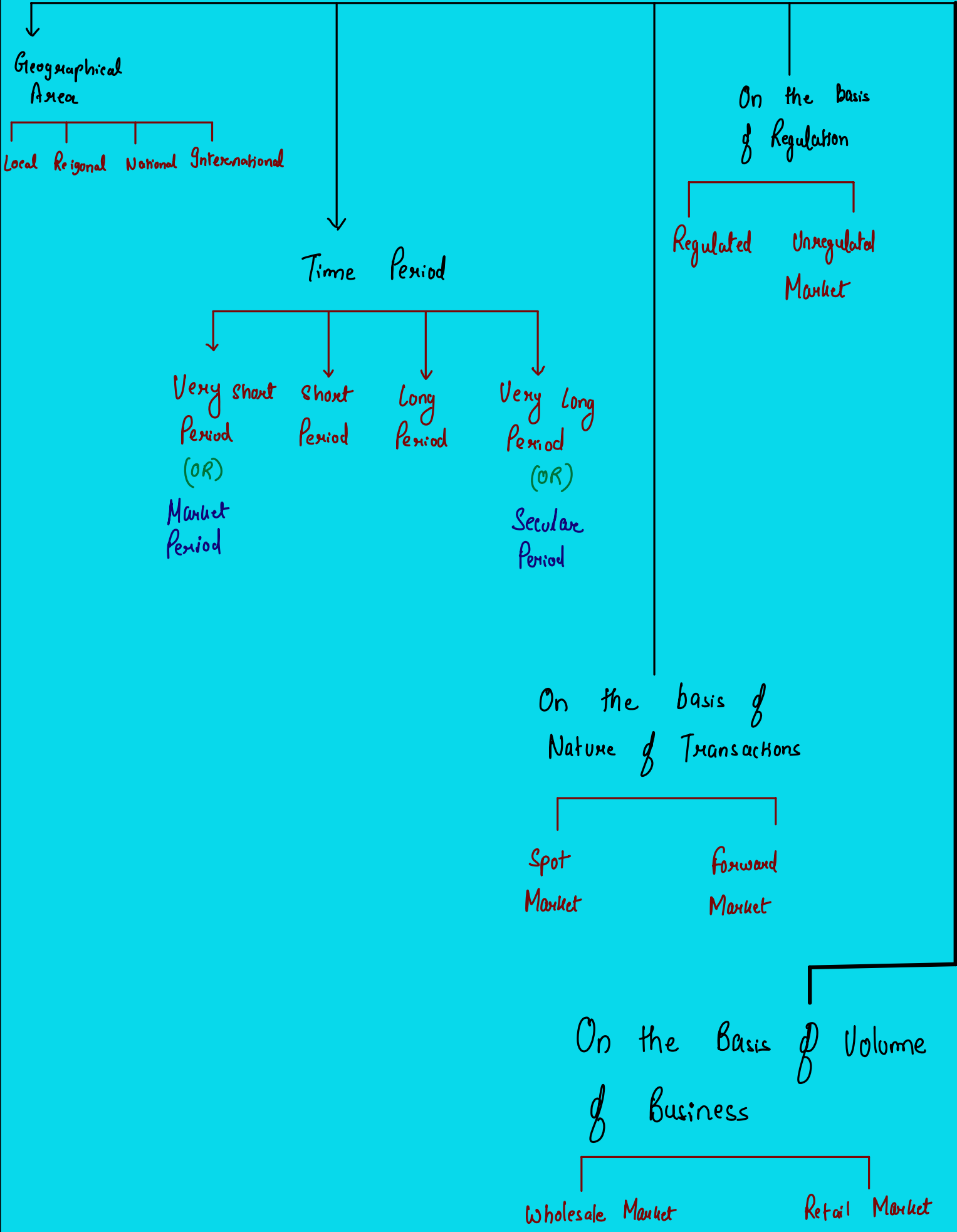
## (vi) Economies of Information



### External Dis Economies

- Output  $\uparrow$  Pressure on Input Market
- Cost of Factor of Production  $\uparrow$  Price  $\uparrow$  Demand  $\downarrow$
- Higher transportation Cost, Pollution  $\uparrow$  Etc.

# Classification of Market



# Meaning and Types of Market

## Meaning of Revenue

Revenue refers to sale  $\Rightarrow P \times Q$

## Meaning of Total Revenue

TR is total receipts by selling given qty of commodity.

$$\text{Total Revenue} = \text{Price} \times Q. \text{ sold.}$$

## Meaning of Average Revenue

• Revenue per unit of output sold.

$$AR = \frac{TR}{Q}$$

Ex  $\rightarrow$  If price is Rs 10 and 500 Qty is sold. Calculate TR/AR??

Sol.  $\Rightarrow TR = P \times Q$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \times 500 = 5000 \text{Rs}$$

$$AR = \frac{TR}{Q} = \frac{5000}{500} = 10 \text{ Rs}$$

## Meaning of Marginal Revenue

- Extra Revenue Received by Selling One Extra Unit

### Formulae Box

$$MR_n = TR_n - TR_{n-1}$$

$$MR = \frac{\Delta TR}{\Delta Q}$$

When Difference  
of Unit is  
More than 1

$$TR = MR_1 + MR_2 + MR_3 + \dots + MR_n$$

Ex If Total Revenue of 500 Units is Rs 5000, and Total Revenue of 501 Units is Rs 5010. Calculate MR??

$$MR_n = TR_n - TR_{n-1}$$

$$MR_{501} = TR_{501} - TR_{500}$$

$$= 5010 - 5000$$

$$= 10 \text{ Rs.}$$

# Relationship Between [Bhaut kaam ke Relations...]

When Price is Constant.

When Price is  
Constant  
↓  
then  
 $P = AR = MR = \text{Demand Curve.}$

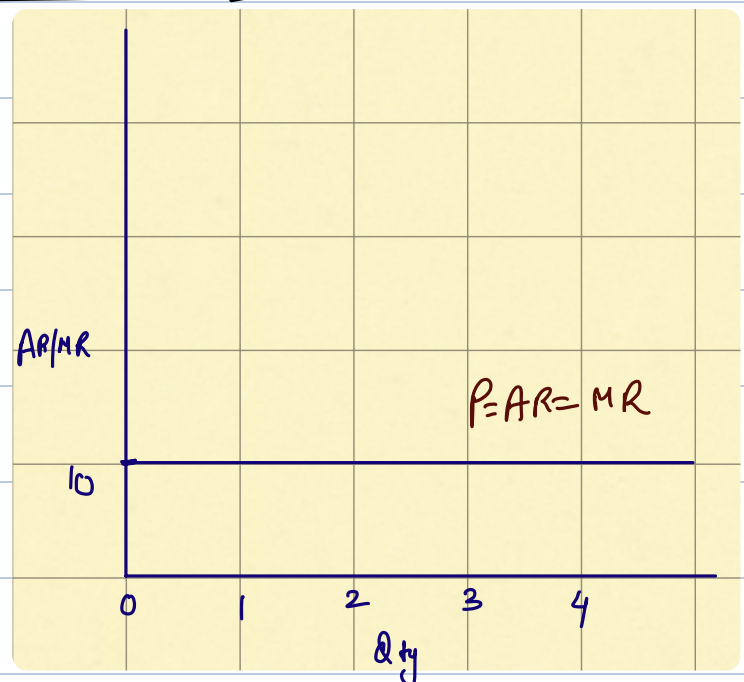
Qty	Price	$TR = P \times Q$	$AR = TR/Q$	$MR_n = TR_n - TR_{n-1}$
1	10	10	$10/1 = 10$	$10 - 0 = 10$
2	10	20	$20/2 = 10$	$20 - 10 = 10$
3	10	30	$30/3 = 10$	$30 - 20 = 10$
4	10	40	$40/4 = 10$	$40 - 30 = 10$

a) Between AR and MR [Price Constant]

AR and MR Curve Co-incide

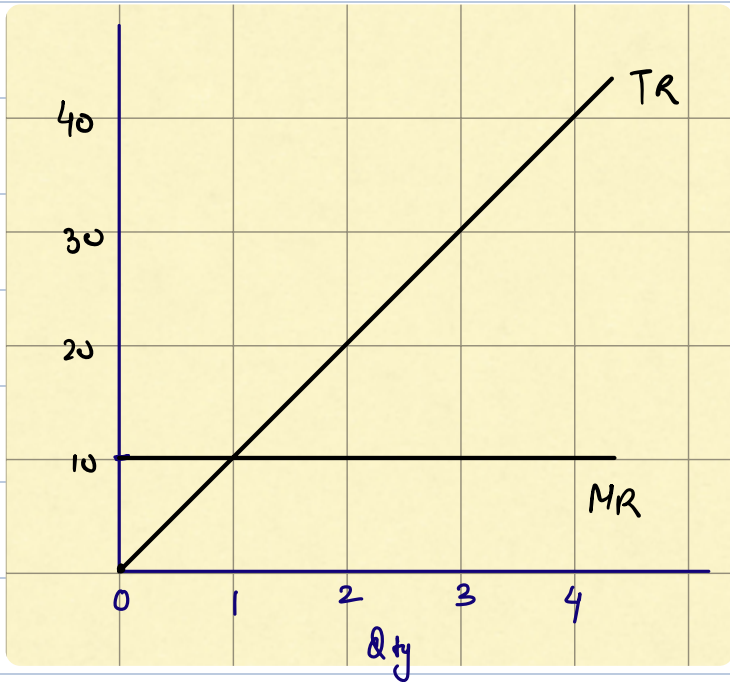
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and is Horizontal line Parallel  
to x-axis.



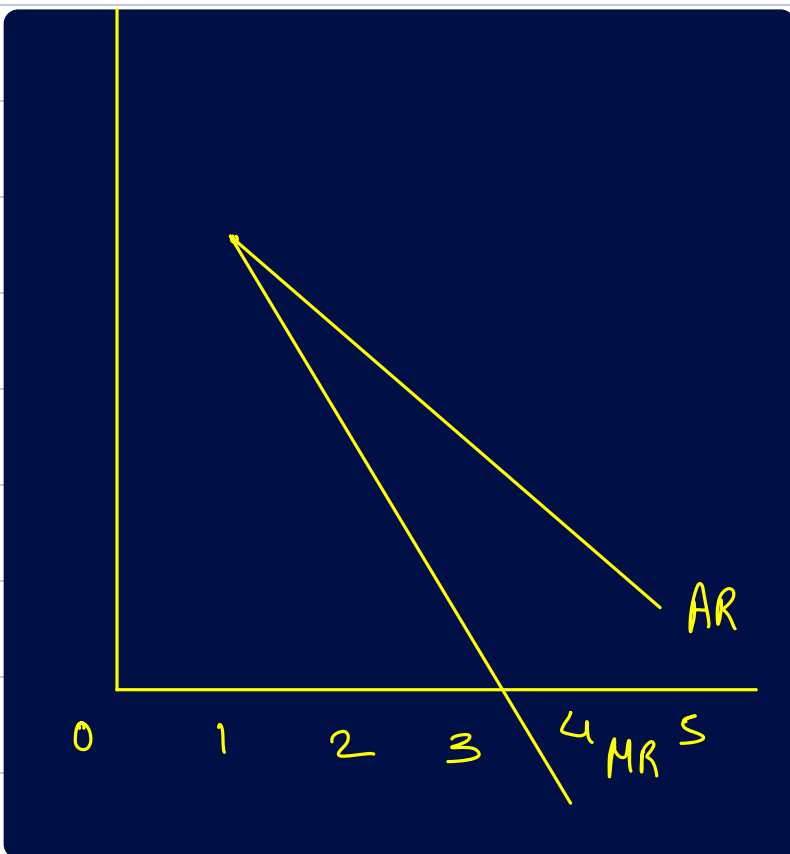


(b) Between TR and MR [When Price is Constant]



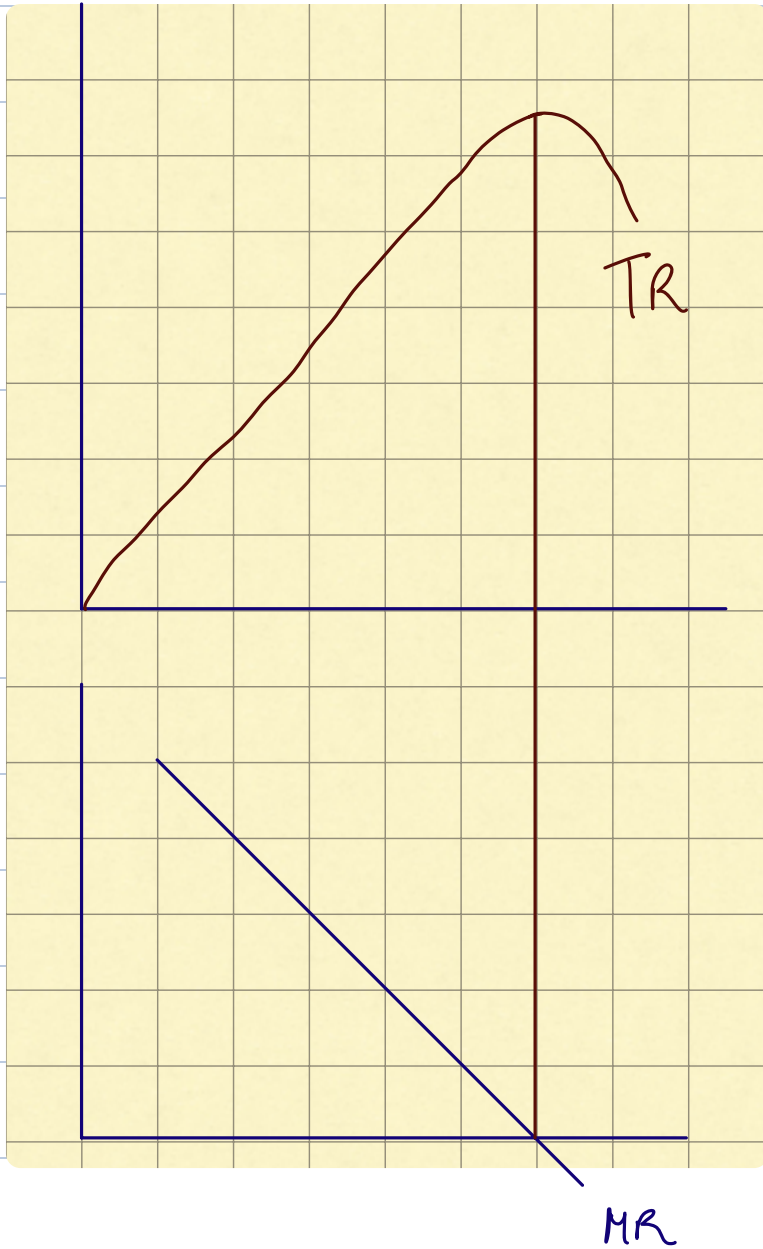
When MR is Constant, TR Increases at Constant Rate

(c) Between AR and MR [When Price is falling]



Qty	Price	$TR = P \times Q$	$AR = TR/Q$	$MR_n = TR_n - TR_{n-1}$
1	10	10	10	10
2	8	16	8	6
3	7	21	7	5
4	3	12	3	-9
5	1	5	1	-7

# (d) Relation between MR and TR



- When MR falls, TR increases
- When MR is zero ; TR is Maximum
- When MR is  $< 0$  ; TR starts falling

# Relationship Between AR, MR, TR and Price Elasticity.

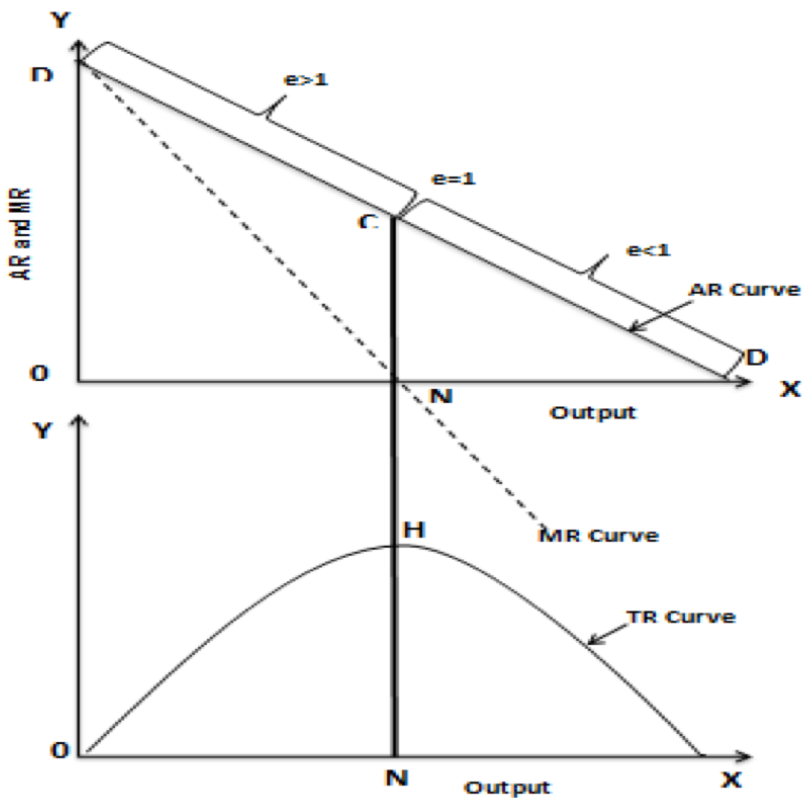
$$MR = AR \times \frac{e-1}{e}$$

Brain Teasers.

If  $e = 1$   
↓  
then MR = Zero

If  $e > 1$   
↓  
then MR will  
be Positive.

If  $e < 1$   
↓  
then MR will  
be Negative.



# Principle 1

	Profit / (Losses)	Shut - Down	Remarks
Price < AVC P = 300    AVC = 350	Loss	Yes	Not Able to Cover AVC, Chap shut down karo.
Price is Equal to AVC P = 350 ;    AVC = 350	Loss	Not Really	If Price slightly Go below AVC Shut down karna Padega.
Price Above AVC but less than AC AVC = 350 ,    AFC = 200 , AC = 550 ;    Price = 420	Loss	Sochna bhi Mat.	Still in loss as AC not Covered Yet.
Price Equal to AC AC = 550 ;    Price = 550	No Loss / No Profit (BEP)	No Need	All Cost is Covered. [EP → zero]

Price Above AC

Profit

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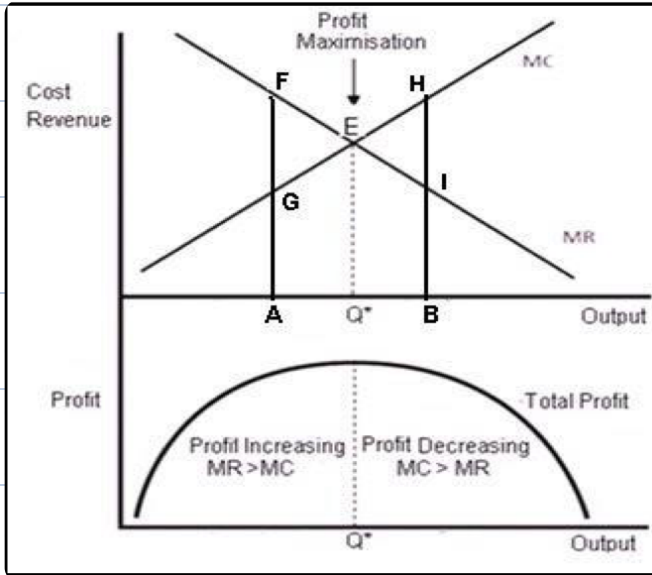
Positive Economic

AC = 550 ; Price  $\rightarrow$  630

Profit = 80k

Profit Zone

## Principle - 2



# Producer Equilibrium  $\Rightarrow MR = MC$

# Profit Increasing  $\Rightarrow MR > MC$

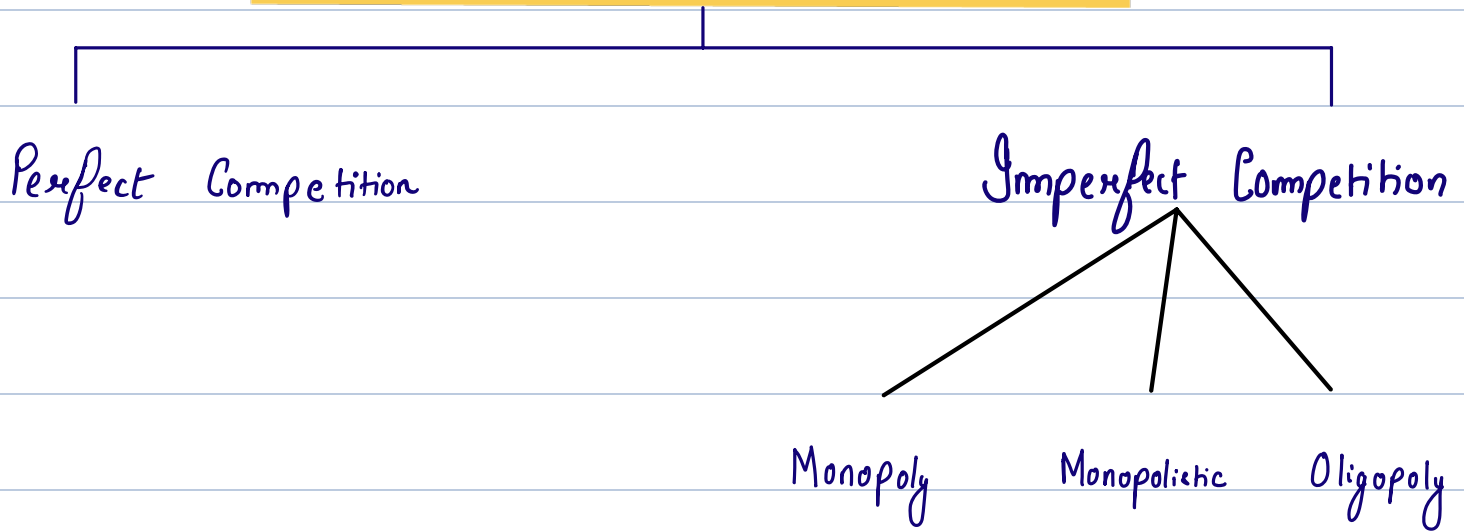
# Profit Decreasing  $\Rightarrow MC > MR$

# CHAPTER - 4

## Unit - III

### PRICE OUTPUT DETERMINATION UNDER DIFFERENT MARKET FORMS

## FORMS OF MARKET STRUCTURE



## PERFECT COMPETITION

- A Market where there are
  - # Very Large No. of Buyers and Sellers
  - # Dealing in Homogenous Product
  - # Price fixed by Market.

# Feature of Perfect Competition.

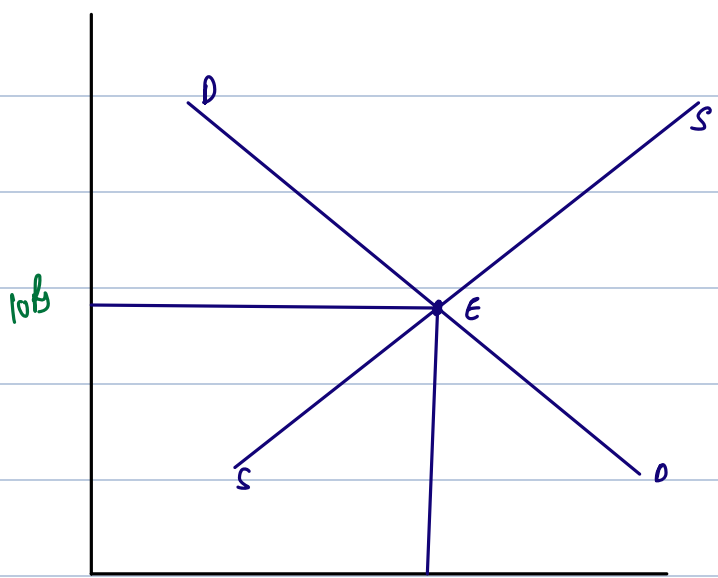
- # Very Large No. of Buyers and Sellers
- # Homogenous Product
- # Freedom of Entry and Exit
- # Perfect knowledge Among Buyers and Sellers
- # Perfect Mobility of factors of production.
- # Absence of Transportation Cost
- # Absence of Selling Cost

## Pure Competition

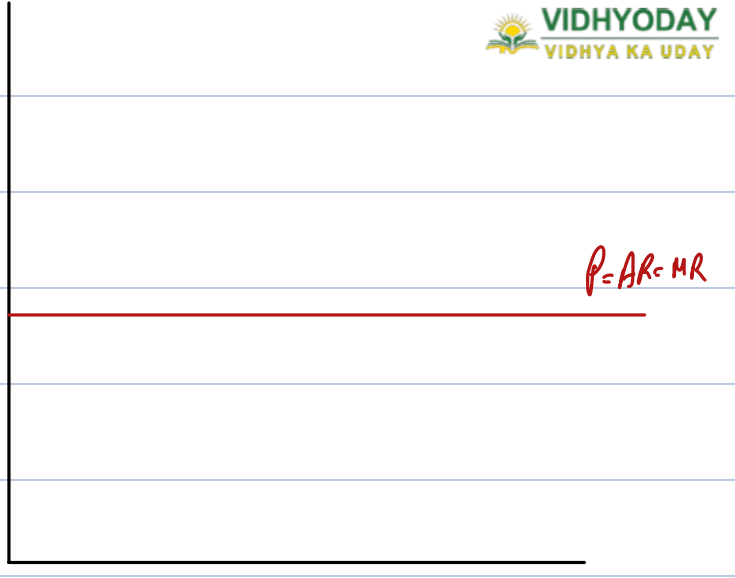
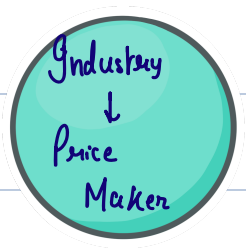
Where  $\downarrow$  First 3  
Condition are Satisfied

## Perfect Competition

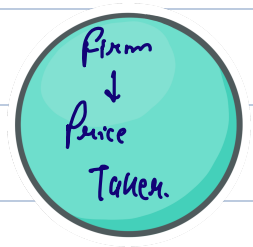
$\downarrow$   
When all 7 Conditions  
are Satisfied



Industry



Firm



- Price is determined by Industry at a point where Demand Curve intersect supply Curve

Firm Equilibrium Me kab Hogi??

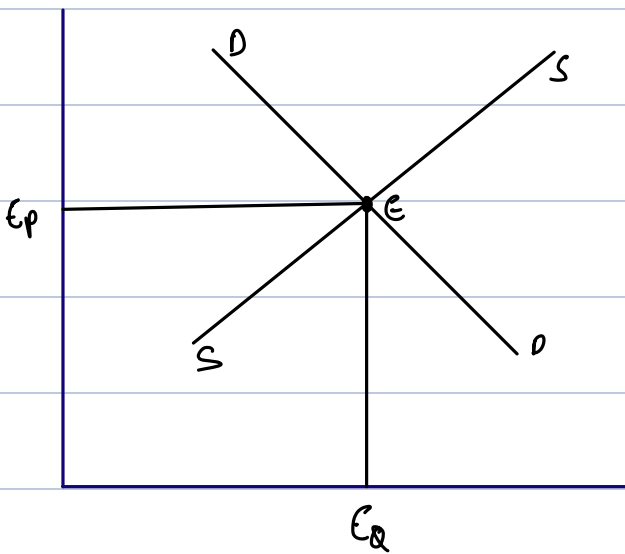
- When Firm Earning Maximum Profit
- +
  - Not Interested in Expansion or Contraction of Production.



# How to Determine Price

## Equilibrium of Industry

- When total Demand is Equal to Total Supply, then Industry is in Equilibrium
- Eq. Price is Calculated on Eq. Point
- No buyer is dissatisfied
- No seller is dissatisfied



## Equilibrium of Firm

- Firm is Price Taker
- Firm Cannot Influence Price
- Firm will Accept Price that is Calculated on Intersection of Demand and Supply Curve.
- Firm will be Equilibrium on Output which Gives Maximum Profit.



- Demand Curve is Perfectly
- Price Line of Industry = Demand Curve of firms
- Individual firm cannot increase/decrease price.

## Condition for Equilibrium of firms.

Condition - 1

# Marginal Revenue should be Equal to Marginal Cost

Condition - 2

# MC Curve should cut MR Curve from below

Point Q is Eq. Point as both conditions are satisfied.

OR

# MC should have positive slope

OR

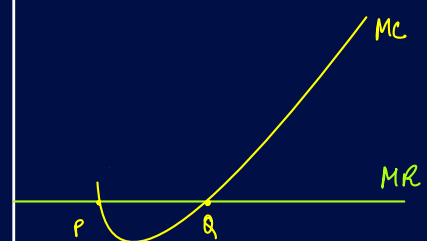
# After this point, MC should be More than MR.

$MR > MC$

There is Incentive of firm to Expand

$MR < MC$

Firm will have to Reduce Output, since Cost is More than Revenue.



DON'T forget ✂

Loss	Normal Profit	Super Normal Profit
$AC > AR$	$AC = AR$	$AC < AR$
Material $\rightarrow$ 40	Material $\rightarrow$ 40	Material $\rightarrow$ 40
Labour $\rightarrow$ 80	Labour $\rightarrow$ 80	Labour $\rightarrow$ 80
Other cost $\rightarrow$ 60	Other cost $\rightarrow$ 60	Other cost $\rightarrow$ 60
<u>Profit <math>\rightarrow</math> 20</u>	<u>Profit <math>\rightarrow</math> 20</u>	<u>Profit <math>\rightarrow</math> 20</u>
AC $\rightarrow$ 200	AC = 200	AC = 200
AR $\rightarrow$ 190	AR = 200	AR $\rightarrow$ 215
Loss $\rightarrow$ 10		

Hamesha Equilibriumo niklega  $\downarrow$   
MR = MC Approach se

Hamesha Profit/Loss kaise Niklega  $\downarrow$   
AR = AC Approach.

# SUPER NORMAL PROFIT

- When  $AR > AC$
- In addition to Normal Profits, Firm earns some additional Profits.

## Practical Case

Explicit Cost = 15000 , Qty = 1000 , Investment = 50,000 , NRR = 10%

Selling Price = Rs 22

Implicit Cost will =  $50,000 \times \frac{10}{100} = 5000$

Total Cost = 15000 + 5000 = 20,000 Rs

$$AC = \frac{TC}{Q} = \frac{20,000}{1000} = 20 \text{ Rs}$$

AR = 22 Rs

$$\text{Super Normal Profit} = AR - AC = 22 - 20 = 2 \text{ Rs}$$

Equilibrium Point



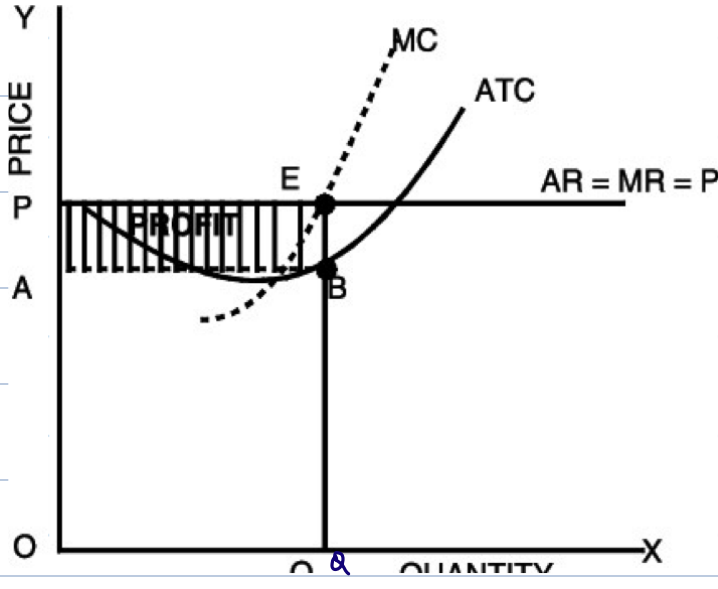
MR & MC  
Se Niklega

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Profit/Loss



AR and AC  
Se Niklega



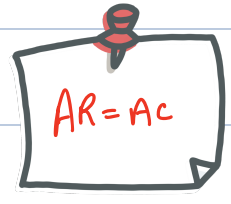
"Equilibrium Tak, Jaha Jaha AR is More than AC, Vo Sab Super Normal Profit hoga"

Point of Equilibrium  $\Rightarrow$  Point E, where  $MR = MC$

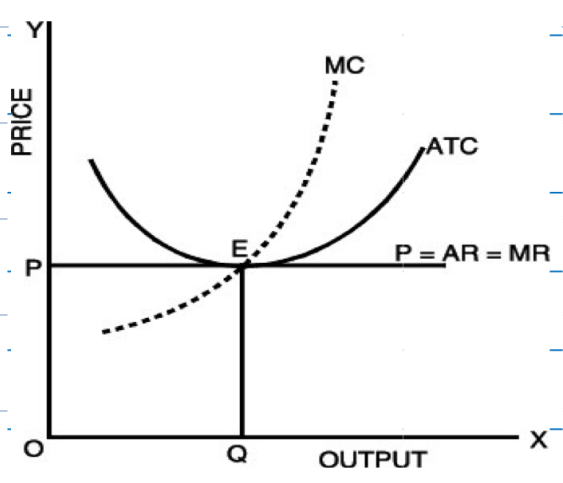
$EB =$  Profit Per Unit  
 $ABEP =$  Total Profits.

$OQ =$  Equilibrium Output  
 $OQ =$  Price Per Unit at Eq. Output

## NORMAL PROFIT



- When  $AR = AC \Rightarrow$  Firms Earns Normal Profit/ Zero Economic Profit.
- When  $AR$  Just Meets its  $ATC$ ; it Earns Normal Profit.



- Equilibrium Point = E
- Equilibrium Output =  $OQ$
- At this Point Price Covers Full AC.
- Firms is Earning Just Normal Profit

• Normal % of Profit for Entrepreneur for his Services to business is Already Included in Cost of Production

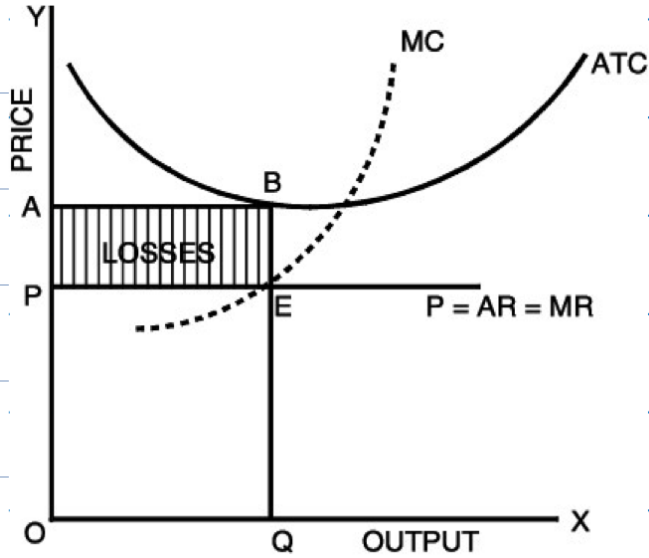
•  $TR - TC = \text{zero}$  [Earning Zero Economic Profit]

# Losses

$AC > AR$

- Firm is in Equilibrium and Making Losses
- Firm is Minimising Losses

Equilibrium Tak, Jaha Jaha,  $AC > AR$ ,  
Uo Sab Loss Hoga.



Point of Equilibrium = E

At E ; Avg Revenue = EQ

Avg Total Cost = BQ

As  $BQ > EQ$  = This is Per Unit Loss

$ABEP$  = Total Loss

# Monopoly

- Single Seller with Large No. of Buyers, with No Close Substitute

## Feature of Monopoly Market

- # Single Seller of the Product
- # Barriers to Entry
- # No Close Substitutes
- # Market Power

Monopolist face a steep downward sloping Demand Curve.

DON'T forget

The Cross Elasticity of Demand for Monopolist Product and any other Product



Is Zero and Small.

IMPORTANT

• Price Elasticity of Demand for Monopolist Product is



Less than One

# How Do Monopoly Arise

- # Strategic Control over [ Scale Resource  
Inputs/ Technology.
- # Developing/ Acquiring Control over Unique Product
- # Govt. Granting Exclusive Right to Produce and Sell a Good/ Service
- # Patents and Copyrights Given by Govt to Protect Intellectual Property Right
- # Business Combination/ Cartels
- # Extremely Large Set up Cost
- # Natural Monopoly → Due to Large Scale of operations
- # One firm can produce Industry whole Output at lower Cost Per Unit.



# Enormous Goodwill Enjoyed by Firm, Creates barriers for other firms.

# Stringent [Very Strong] Legal and Regulatory Requirements

# Firms Use Various Anti Competitive Practices

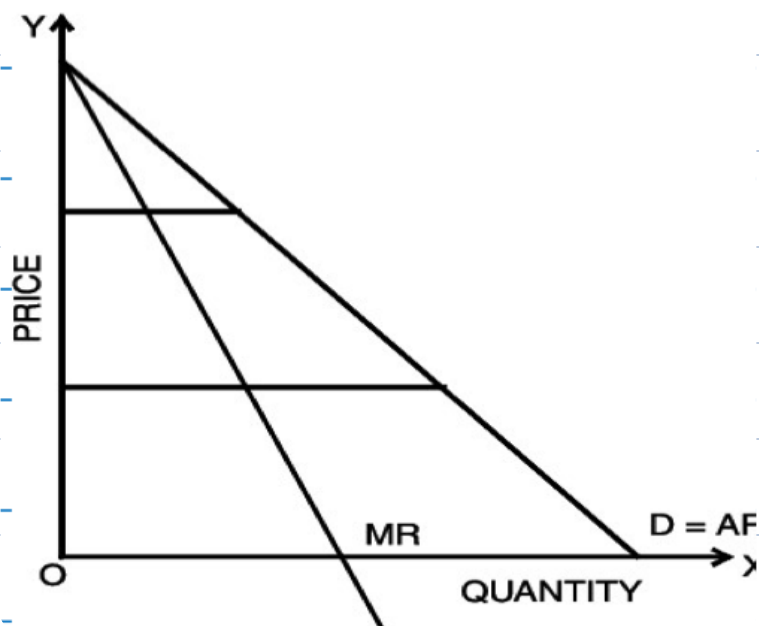


Referred as "Predatory Tactics"



Such as Limit Pricing (or) Predatory Pricing

## About Revenue Curves

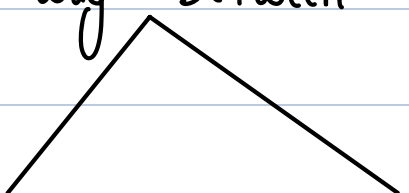


Since Monopolist is only producer, Individual Demand Curve = Market Demand Curve

- We Assume Monopolist set single price and sell to all buyers.

# Relationship between AR and MR [In Monopoly Market]

- # AR and MR both Negatively Sloped
- # Slope of MR Curve is twice of AR Curve
- # MR Curve lies half way between



"MR Curve Cuts Horizontal line between y-axis and AR Curve in two Equal Parts"

YOU GOT THIS

AR  
Cannot be  
Zero

MR  
Can be  
Zero

MR  
Can be  
Negative

# Types of Monopoly

Simple Monopoly  
↓

Where Monopolist Charges Uniform Price from all buyers

Discriminating Monopoly  
↓

Where Monopolist Charges different Price from different buyers.

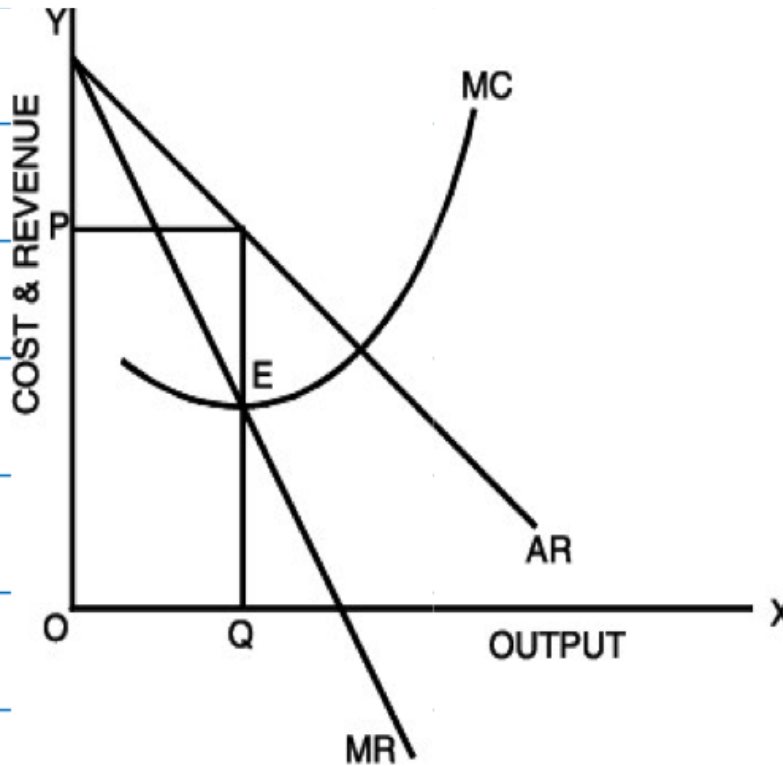
## Points to Remember...

• If  $P \uparrow$   $D \downarrow$   
 $P \downarrow$   $D \uparrow$

• Equilibrium Output  $\rightarrow$  The Output for which Profits are Maximum.

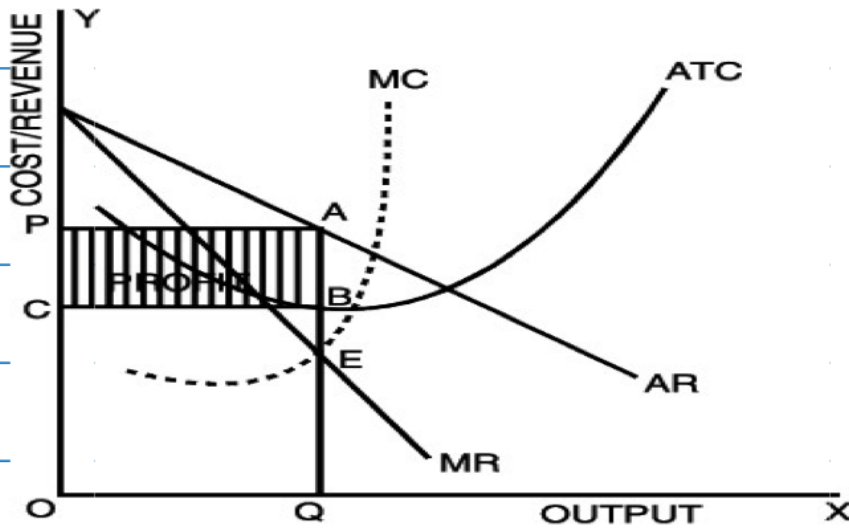
• Since only one seller  $\Rightarrow$  Equilibrium of firm = Equilibrium of Industry

# Short Run Equilibrium [In Monopoly Firm]



- Equilibrium Point is E  
where  $MR = MC$
  - Equilibrium Output is OQ
  - Now EQ will extend till AR Curve [Demand Curve]
- ↓
- Gives the Profit Maximisation  
Equilibrium Price  $\rightarrow$  OP.

## How to Calculate Profits



$$\text{Cost Per Unit} = BQ$$

$$\text{Price Per Unit} = AQ$$

$$\text{Economic Profit} = AB [AQ - BQ]$$

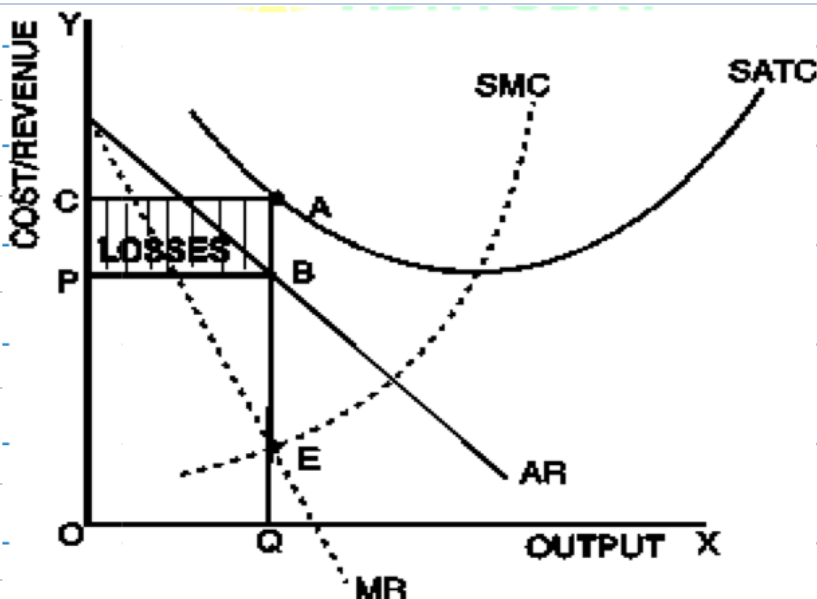
(Per Unit)

$$\text{Total Profit} = ABcP$$

" Profit is Calculated by =  $AR - ATC$  "

" Equilibrium is Calculated by  $MR = MC$  .

## How to Calculate Losses



E = Point of Loss Minimisation

[Equilibrium]

$QA =$  Cost Per Unit

$QB =$  Revenue Per Unit

$QA - QB =$  Loss Per Unit

$ABPC =$  Total Loss

# Price Discrimination

- Price Discrimination occurs when a Producer sells specific Commodity to two different buyers at different Price and Reason for this is not Related to Cost.
- Price discrimination is Method of Pricing adopted to Earn Abnormal Profit
- In this different Price are charged from different Customers for same Commodity.

## Conditions of Price Discrimination

### Condition - 1

The Seller should have "Price Setting Power"

### Condition - 2

The Seller should be Able to Divide his Market into two Sub Markets



### Condition - 3

- Price Elasticity of Demand is different in different in Sub-Market

Monopolist fix High Price of Product where Price Elasticity is less than One

### Condition - 4

It should not be possible for buyers of Low Priced Market to Resell the Product in High Priced Market ie there Must be No Market Arbitrage

### Objective of Price Discrimination.

- # To Earn Maximise Profit
- # To Dispose of Surplus Stock
- # To Enjoy Economies of Scale
- # To Capture Foreign Market
- # To Secure Equity through Pricing

# Degree of Price Discrimination.



## First Degree

- In First Degree Monopolist Separates Market



Into Individual Consumers and Charges from them, what they are Able to Pay.

In this Entire Consumer Surplus is Extracted.

Example → Doctor, Lawyers, Consultants etc.

## Second Degree

- Different Price is charged from different Quantities are Sold.

Only Part of Consumer Surplus will be taken by Monopolist



## Possibility - 1

- Different Consumer Pays different Price for different Quantity

- Large Qty is Available at lesser Cost Per Unit.

## Possibility - 2

- Each Consumer Pays different Price for Consecutive Purchases.

- Electricity bill is higher when Consumption Exceeds Particular limit.

## Third Degree

- In this Price Varies by attributes; Ex 

[	Location
	Customer Segment.

- Monopolist will divide Customer into



Sub Market and charge different Price for different Sub Market

Example → Railway Charges are different for kids and Seniore Citizen.

# Equilibrium Under Price Discrimination.

If Simple Monopoly  
↓  
Single Price is Charged for whole Output

If Price Discriminating Monopoly  
↓  
Different Price Charged for different Monopoly

First of all Monopolist will divide Entire Market into Various sub Market  
↓  
According to Different Elasticity of Demand

## Decision Made by Discriminating Monopolist?

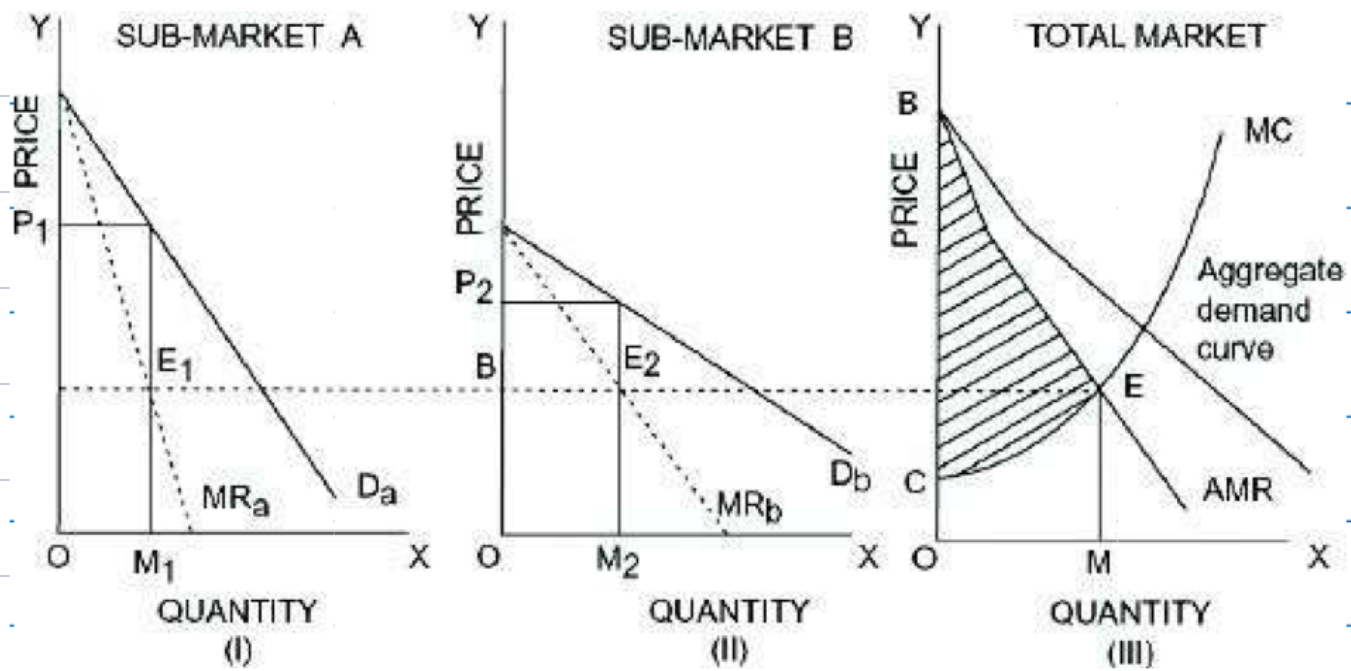
- ① How Much Total Output should be Produced?
- ② How Total Output will be distributed in two Sub-Markets?
- ③ What Prices should be charged in two Sub-Market.

• After this Discriminating Monopolist will compare

Aggregate Marginal Revenue of Sub Market

With

Marginal Cost of Output.



$MR_a$  = MR Curve of Market A

$MR_b$  = MR Curve of Market B

$AMR$  =  $MR_a + MR_b$

• Profits will be Maximum at level of Output at which  $MC$  Intersect  $AMR$ .

• So at Output  $OM \Rightarrow AMR = \text{Marginal Cost}$ .

• Discriminating Monopolist will produce at  $OM$  level of Output.

S  
U  
B  
M  
A  
R  
K  
E  
T

When Total Output is decided, distribute Total Output between two Sub-Markets.



Total Output of OM should be distributed in such a way that, MR in two Sub Market are Equal.



If MR in two Sub Market are Equal, Profits will be Maximised



If MR in two Markets are Equal then, it will be Unprofitable to shift any Good from One Market to another.

• Equality of Marginal Revenues with MC of whole Output ensure that Amount sold in two Sub-Market will together will be Equal to whole Output OM, which has been fixed by Equating

↓  
 $AMR = MC$

Total Output OM Must be Equal to  $OM_1 + OM_2$

Price  $OP_1$  will  
be set in  
Sub-Market A

$OM_2$  will be  
Sold at  $OP_2$  in  
Sub-Market B

Price will be Higher in  
Market, where Demand is  
Less Elastic



### CONCLUSION BOX ABOUT SUB MARKET

- Price Discrimination Also Result in Reduced Consumer Surplus
- There is Loss of Economic Welfare  
↓  
as Price Paid is higher than Marginal Cost

# Economic Effects of Monopoly

- # It Reduces Economic Welfare
- # Charge Substantially Higher Prices
- # Earn Economic Profit on Long Run
- # Price Exceeds Marginal Cost and therefore Reduces Consumer Surplus
- # Monopoly Restrict 

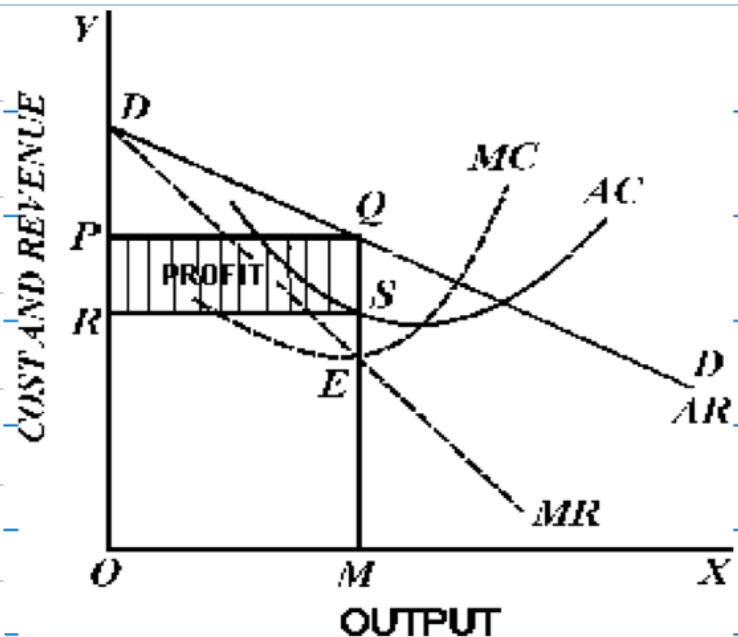
[	Consumer Sovereignty
	Consumer Opportunities
- # Monopolist Create Entry Barriers to Entry and Spend a lot to Maintain there Monopoly Position and hence ATC  $\uparrow$
- # Monopolies Use there power to Pay lower Prices to there Suppliers

# Monopolistic Competition

## Features of Monopolistic Competition

- # Large No. of Sellers
- # Product differentiation
- # Freedom of Entry and Exit
- # Non Price Competition

## Equilibrium of firm [Short Run] PROFITS



### Equilibrium Condition

Condition - (1)  $\rightarrow MC = MR$

Condition - (2)  $\rightarrow MC$  Cut  $MR$

Curve From Below

(OR)

After this point  $MC$  should be more than  $MR$ .

Point E → Equilibrium Point

OP → Equilibrium Price

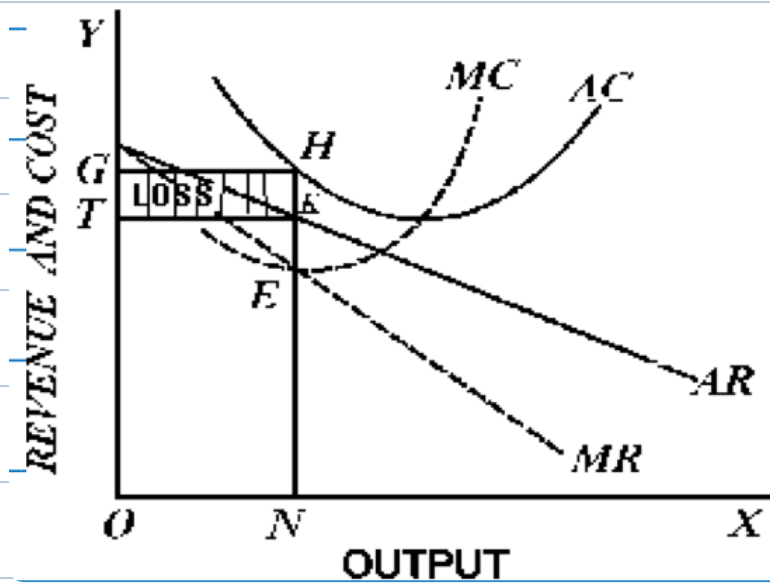
OM → Equilibrium Output

SM → Per Unit Cost

Qs → Super Normal Profit Per Unit

PQsR → Total Super Normal Profit

Losses for Monopolistic Firm.



• Loss Per Unit =  $k_H [H_N - k_N]$

•  $G_H k_T =$  Total loss

" Equilibrium Tak Jaha Jaha  
 $AC > AR$ , Wo sab loss hoga"



# Baap Level Summary Chart

Perfect Competition	Monopoly	Monopolistic Competition
Large number of buyers and large number of firms in the industry	Single seller, no difference between firm and industry	Large number of buyers and large number of firms in the industry
Homogenous products which are perfect substitutes	No close substitutes	Differentiated products which are close substitutes, but not perfect substitutes
Insignificant market share	Command over the whole market	Each firm is small relative to the market
Competition among firms is perfect	Absence of competition	Imperfect competition
Complete absence of monopoly	High degree of monopoly power prevails	Some degree of monopoly power due to product differentiation
Free entry and exit	Strong barriers to entry	Free entry and exit
Price-taker	Price maker	Some control over price
Price is equal to marginal cost LBR	Price is higher than marginal cost LBR	Price is higher than marginal cost LBR
Price less than other market forms	High equilibrium price	Price is high compared to perfect competition
Demand curve is infinitely elastic	Downward sloping and highly inelastic demand curve	Downward sloping and more elastic demand curve
MR and AR represented by the same curve	MR starts at the same point as AR, and is twice steep when compared to AR	MR starts at the same point as AR, and is twice steep when compared to AR
TR straight line positively sloping through the origin	TR inverted U shaped	TR inverted U shaped
No price discrimination-same price for all units	Can practice price discrimination by selling a product at different prices	Depends on the extent of monopoly power the firm has

No supernormal profits in the long run	Supernormal profits both in the short run and long run	No supernormal profits in the long run
No selling costs	Generally low selling costs, only for informing the consumers	Due to severe competition, selling costs are vital to persuade buyers
Price being given, decides only quantity of output	Decides on both price and output	Decides on both price and output
Product is produced at the minimum average cost <i>(CBT)</i>	Produced at the declining portion of average cost curve	Produced at the declining portion of average cost curve
Equilibrium quantity is highest and produced at least cost	Equilibrium quantity less than other market forms	Equilibrium quantity less than optimal, there is excess capacity
No consumer exploitation	Consumers can be exploited by charging high prices	Consumers are influenced through price and non price competition
Efficient allocation of resources <i>(CBT)</i>	Inefficient allocation of resource <i>(CBT)</i>	Inefficient allocation of resource <i>(CBT)</i>
<i>MM</i> No wastage of resources	Wastage of resource <i>↓</i> <i>Railways</i>	<i>(CBT)</i> Huge wastage of resources for advertisements <i>(CBT)</i>

# OLIGOPOLY

Given by :-  
Prof. Stiglitz

- It is Market described as "Competition Among Few"
- No. of Sellers are Usually between two to Ten.
- These Sellers Can Sell Homogenous/ Differentiated products

## TYPES OF OLIGOPOLY

Pure or  
Perfect Oligopoly

Collusive and  
Competitive Oligopoly

Syndicated  
(or) Organised  
Oligopoly

Open and  
Closed Oligopoly

Partial or  
Full Oligopoly



## Pure Oligopoly

Also known  
as Perfect  
Oligopoly.

- It Occurs when Product is Homogenous in Nature
- It Generally Posses Raw Material or tend to Process Intermediate Good.

Differentiated / Imperfect  
Oligopoly occurs when  
Goods sold is based  
on Product differentiation  
Ex → Taleum Powder.

## Collusive and Competitive Oligopoly.

When few firms of Oligopoly  
Come to Common Understanding  
to Act in Collusion with  
Each other to fix Price and Output

## Open and Closed Oligopoly.

In Open Market → New firm Can  
Enter into Market

In Close Market → New firm Entry  
is Restricted.



## Partial (OR) Full Oligopoly

Oligopoly is Partial when Industry is Dominated by one Large Firm

In Full Oligopoly the Market will be Conspicuous by Absence of Price Leadership



## Syndicated Oligopoly

Syndicated Oligopoly Refers to that Situation where Firm Sell their Product through

↓  
Centralised Syndicate

## Organised Oligopoly.

In this Firm Organise themselves into Central Association

↓  
Price Fixing [ Price  
Output  
Quotas

# Characteristics of Oligopoly Market.

## Strategic Interdependence

- # There is Interdependence in Decision Making
- # As few sellers → Intense Competition Among them
- # Any Change in [ Price } Will Effect Rivals  
[ Output etc }

## Importance of Advertising and Selling Cost

- # Firms have to Employ Various [ Aggressive } Marketing Weapons  
[ Defensive } to Get Greater  
Share in Market

## Group Behaviour

- # No Generally Accepted theory of Group Behaviour
- # All firms Can Make Group to Promote there Common Interest
- # Group May/ May not have a leader

# 3 Price Output Approach

## Approach - 1

- It is Assumed that Oligopolistic Ignore Interdependence and take decision Independently.
- When Interdependence is Ignored  
↓  
Demand Curve becomes definite  
↓  
Equilibrium Output is found by  
Equating  $MR = MC$ .

## Approach - 3

- Third Approach is Oligopolist Enter into Agreement and Pursue their Common Interest.
- In this Joint Profits are Maximised
- They share Profit, Market, Output among them as Agreed.
- They form Cartel but it is Illegal.



# Approach - 2

- Some Economist Assumes that Oligopolist is able to predict the reaction pattern of his competitors and on basis of predictions He makes decision.

## Cournot Model

In Cournot Model, firm's control variable is Output in contrast to Price. They do not collude.

## Stackelberg's Model

In this leader commits to an output before all other firms. The rest of firms are followers and choose output to maximise profit.

## Bertrand Model

- Price is control variable.
- Each firm independently sets price in order to maximise profits.



# Price Leadership

# Cartels → few firms of similar size  
 → When Group of firms Agree to coordinate their Activities is called Cartels

# Cartel will have High Market Power, Earn Monopoly Profits Especially when Demand of Product is Inelastic.

## Types Of PRICE LEADERSHIP

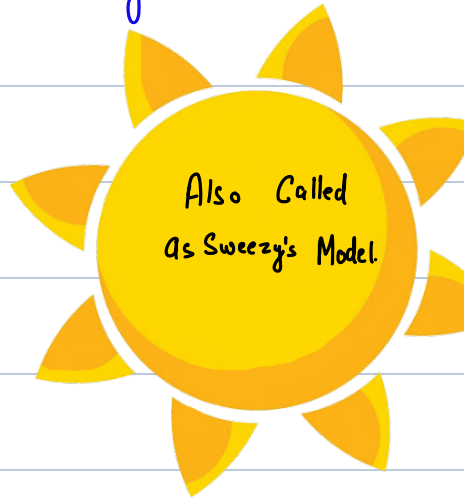
Strategy - 1	Strategy - 2	Strategy - 3
↓	↓	↓
"Live and Let Live Philosophy"	Leadership by Low Cost Firm	Barometric Price Leadership
↓	↓	↓
Dominant Firm Sets Price to Maximise Profit also taking into Account Behavior of fringe firms.	Price Leader Sets Price in such a Manner, it allows some profits to followers also.	An old, Largest, Experienced Firm sets Price which is best from all firms Point of View.
↓		
"Price Leadership by Dominant Firm"		

# Kinked Demand Curve

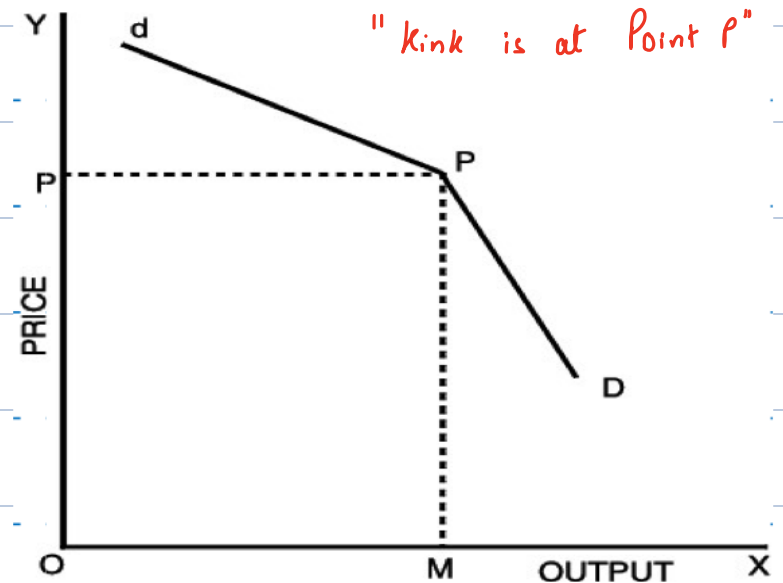
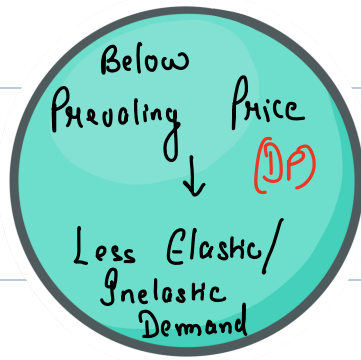
In oligopolistic Market Price Remain Inflexible or Sticky, For a Long time.

This Concept has been Explained by kinked Demand Curve

Given by an American Economist  
↓  
"Paul A. Sweezy."



Demand Curve of an Oligopolist has kink at Level of Prevaling Price



# Other Important Market forms.

## Duopoly

Market Situation in which there are only two firms in Market

## Monopsony

There is single Buyer of Product or Service

↓  
Mostly Applicable to Factor Market

## Oligopsony

Small Number of Large Buyers

↓  
Mostly Relevant to Factor Market

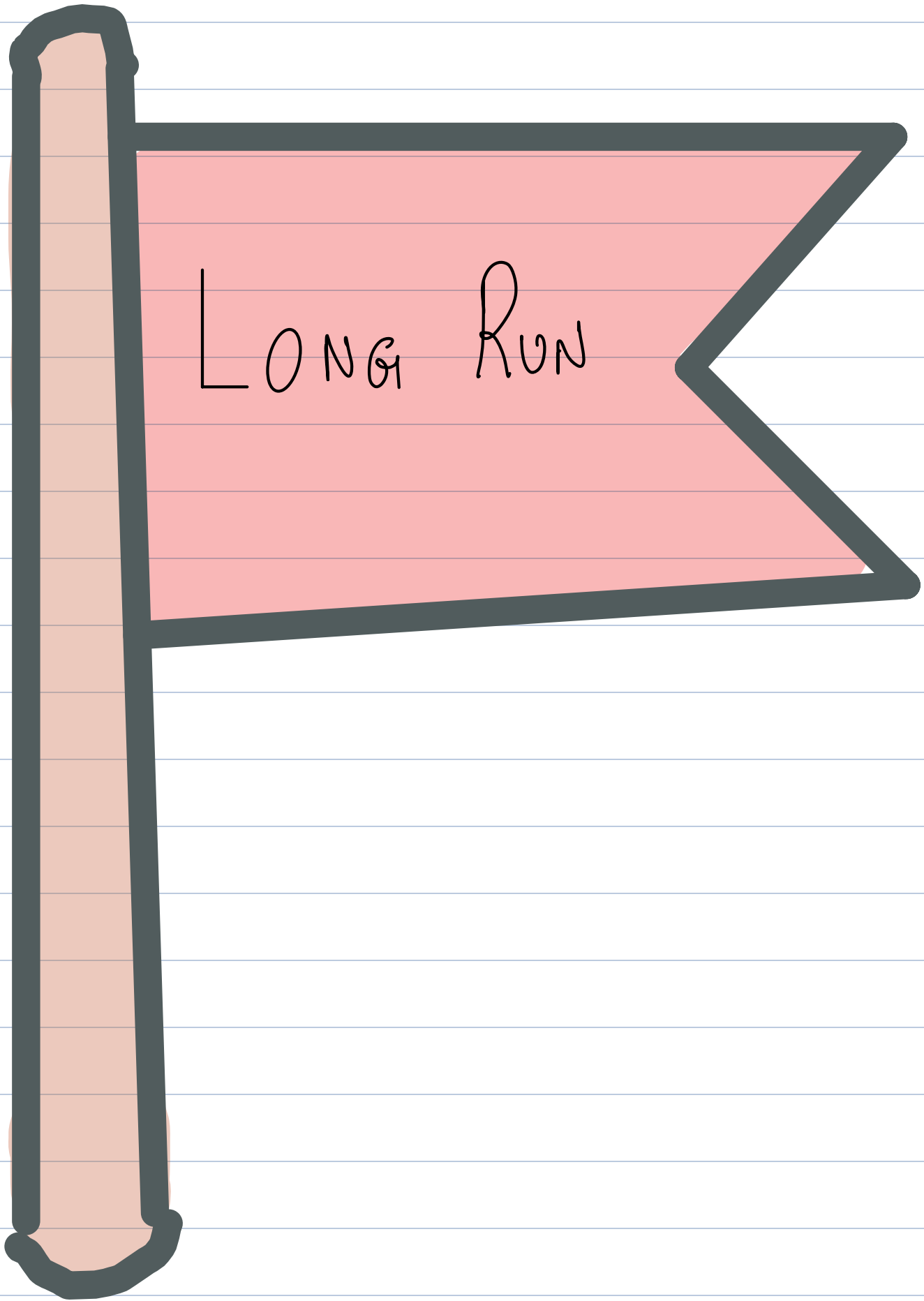
## Bilateral Monopoly.

Market where there are only single buyers and single seller

↓  
Combination of Monopoly and Monopsony Market

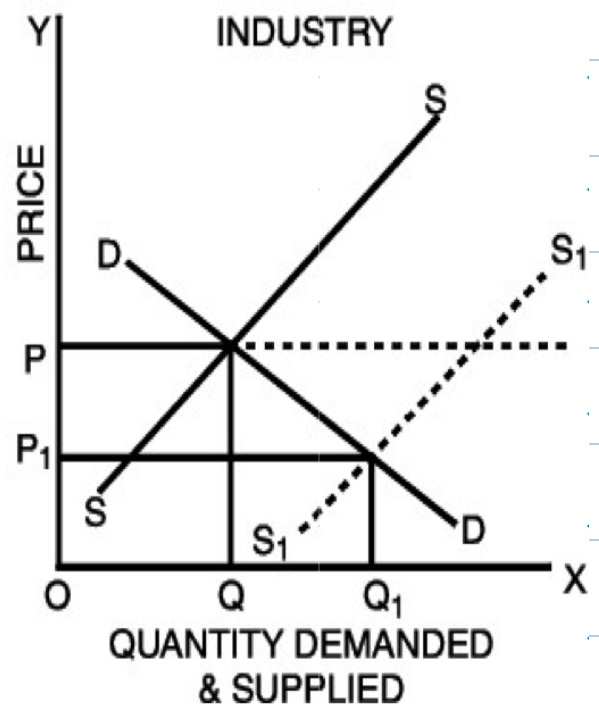
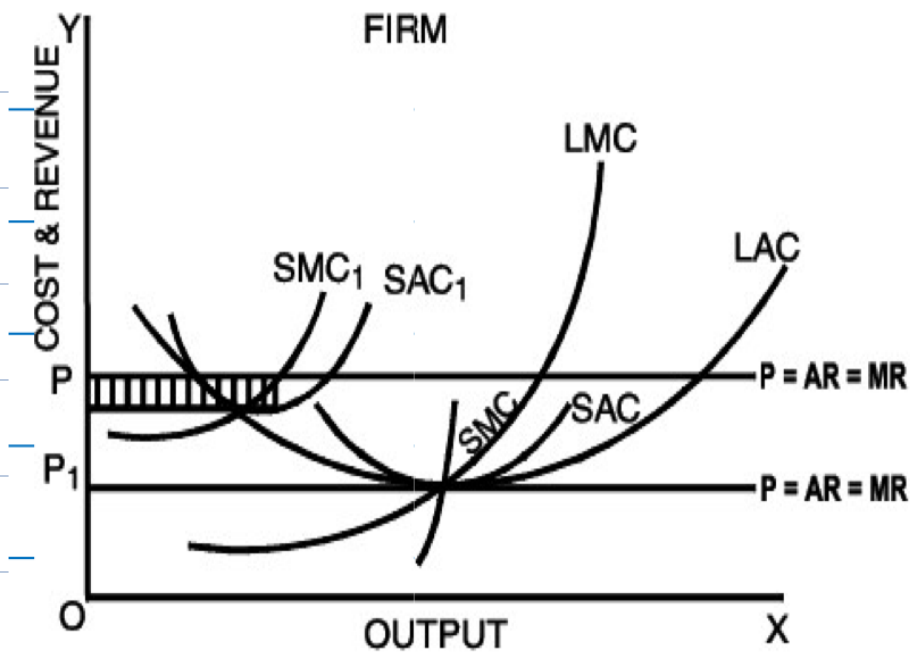
## Basic Level Conclusion Table...

Form of Market Structure		Number of Firms	Nature of product	Price Elasticity of Demand of a firm	Degree of Control over price
(a)	Perfect competition	Large number of firms	Homogeneous	Infinite	None
(b)	Monopoly	One	Unique product without close substitute	Small	Very Considerable
(c)	Imperfect Competition				
	i) Monopolistic Competition	Large number of firms	Differentiated products	Large	Some
	ii) Oligopoly	Few Firms	Homogeneous or differentiated product	Small	Some



LONG RUN

## Long Run Equilibrium of Competitive Firm.



"Long Run Firm in Competitive Market"

DON'T  
forget

Condition of Long Run Eq.

$$SMC = LMC = SAC = LAC = P = MR$$

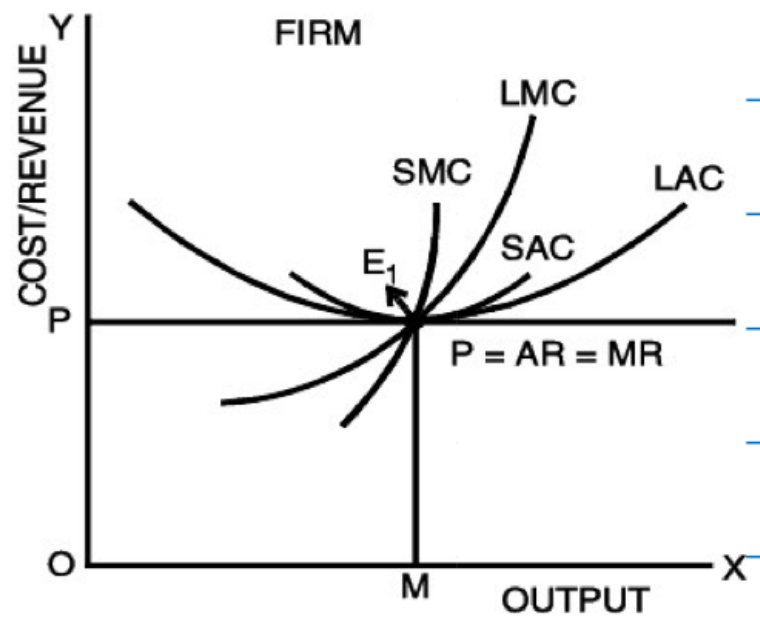
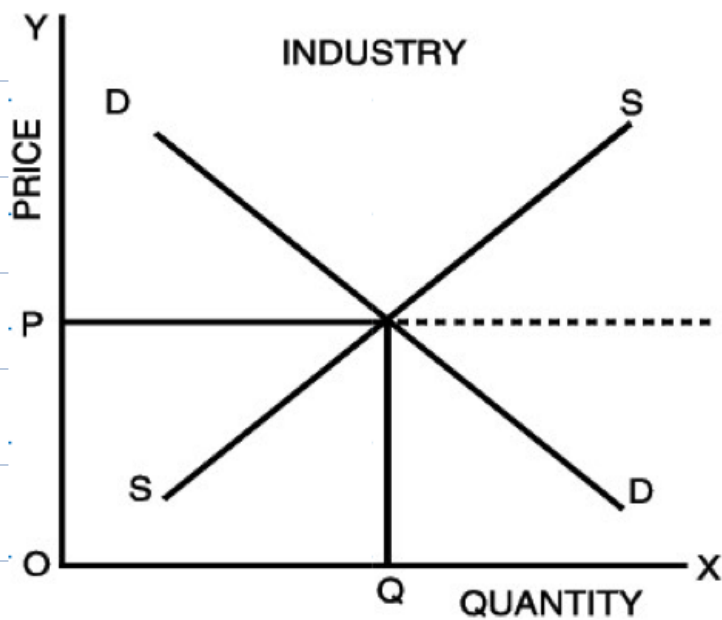
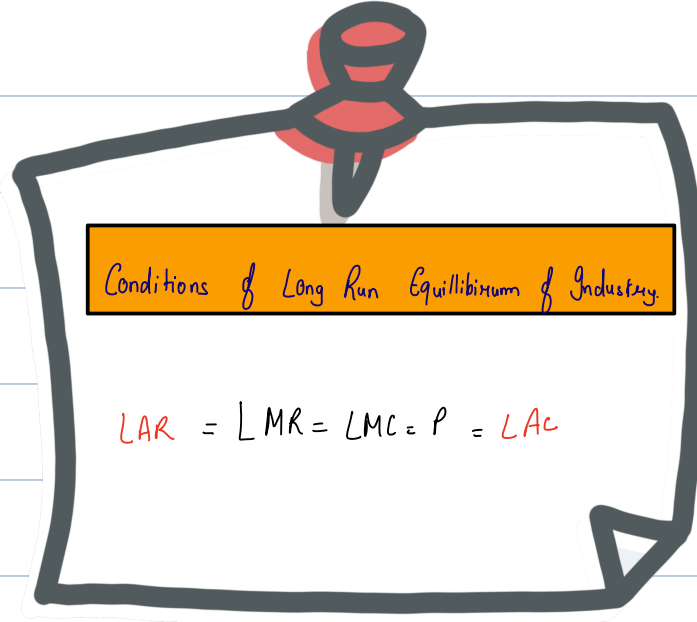
Long Run Equilibrium of Industry.

- In Long Run, Output is Produced at Minimum Feasible Cost
- Consumer will pay Minimum Possible Price, which Just Covers Marginal Cost ie  $(P=MC)$  (OR)  $[MC=AR]$
- Plants are Used to full Capacity so there is no wastage ie  $= MC = AC$ .

Firms Earn  
Only Normal Profit  
ie  $AC = AR$ .

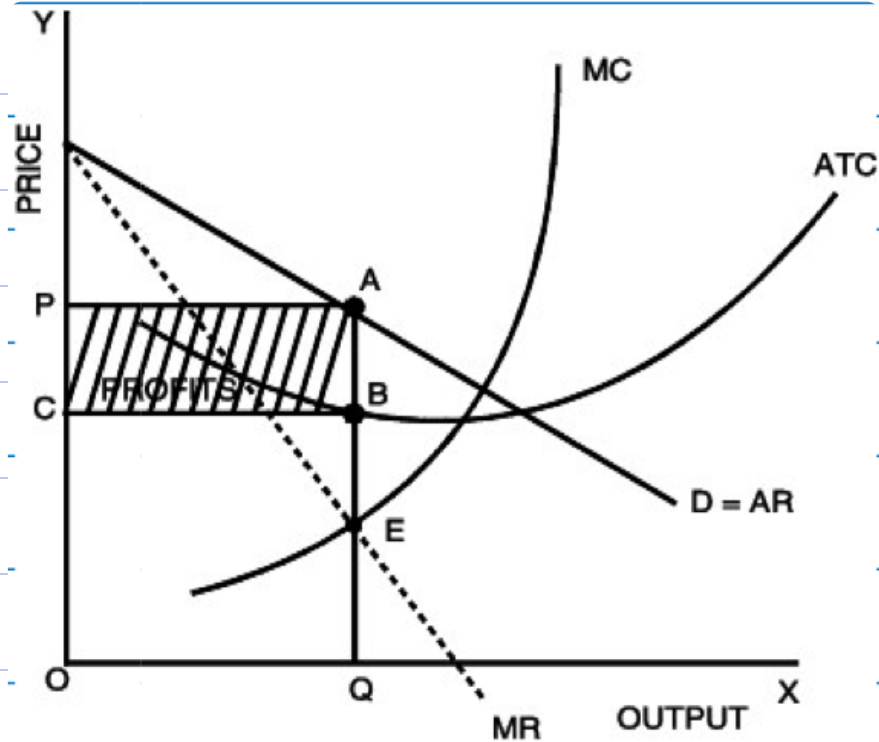
Firm will  
Maximise Profit ie  
 $MC = MR$ , but level  
of Profits will be  
Just Normal

There is  
Optimum No. of  
Firms in Industry.



- Since  $E_1$  is the Minimum Point on LAC Curve, firm Produce Output OM at Minimum [optimum] Cost.
- Firm Producing at optimum Cost is optimum Firm

# Long Run Equilibrium [In Monopoly Firm]



- Long Run is Period in which Monopolist Can Exist Plant Size to any Extent

- As there is No Competition, Monopolist Need Not Produce at optimum Level.

- He Need Not Reach Minimum LAC Curve



" He Can Produce at Sub-optimal Scale also".

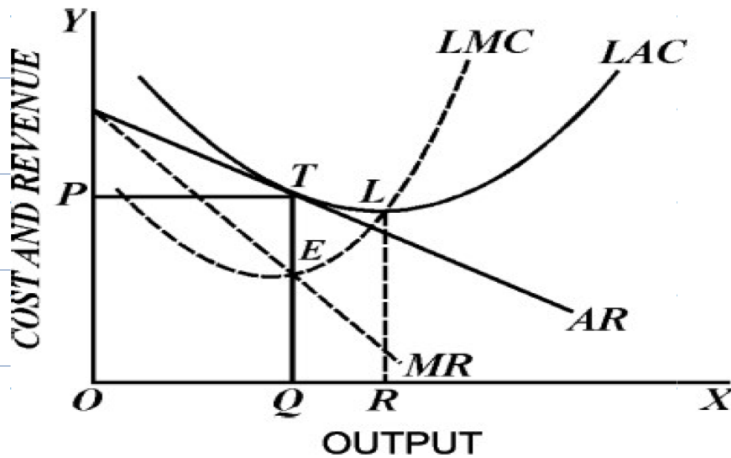
## note to self:

# He Need not Reach the Minimum of LAC Curve.

# He Can stop at any Point on LAC where his Profits are Maximum



# LONG RUN EQUILIBRIUM MONOPOLISTIC FIRM.



- If firms are earning super normal profit in short run, it is incentive for new firms to enter the industry.

• When new firm enters profit per firm will ↓

• Now this will be continued till all super normal profits are wiped away, and now will firms earn just normal profits

• When  $MC = MR$ , it is equilibrium point



Here super normal profit are zero

[ as  $AR = AC$  ]



" All firms are earning just normal profit.

# Business Cycle.

## Phases of Business Cycle.

Expansion

Peak

Contraction

Trough/Depression

## EXPANSION

Expansion is characterised by

- Employment ↑
- Aggregate Demand ↑
- Sales ↑
- Profits ↑
- Capital ↑
- Consumer Expenditure ↑
- Stock Price ↑
- Bank Credit ↑
- National Output ↑

→ Will reach up to  
 [ Production is Maximum  
 Full Employment of Resources

→ Involuntary Unemployment → Zero

→ कौनसा Unemployment  
Rahega ??

### Frictional Unemployment

Agar 22/6/23 ko 1<sup>st</sup> Job khatam hai  
Aur Next Job 28/6/23 ko Joining hai  
↓  
then 6 days ke liye frictional  
Unemployment hai  
Ex → Change of Job, Suspended from Job,  
Strikes in factory etc.

### Structural Unemployment

↓  
MisMatch between type of  
Job and type of Workers  
Requirement

Ex → Heart Surgeon Required  
as Driver.

☞ Price ↑, Cost ↑, Investment ↑, Demand ↑

☞ When at peak → Growth Rate slows down.

# PEAK

- Highest Point of Business Cycle
- Inputs will be difficult to find  $\rightarrow$  Input Prices  $\uparrow$
- Cost of Living  $\uparrow$  Pressure on fixed Income earner  $\uparrow$  Price  $\uparrow$
- Consumers Review Consumption  $\rightarrow$  Actual Demand  $\downarrow$
- This is "End of Expansion"  $\Rightarrow$  Biz Cycle will Now Move in opposite Direction

# CONTRACTION

- Fall in Investments and fall in Employment
- Producers has not Realised in Position  $\rightarrow$  hence Continue Anticipating higher Level of Demand
- Now Supply  $>$  Demand

• Investment ↓ , future Plans Aage bada dega, Cancellation of Orders

• Recession will start

• Decrease in Demand will Dec Input Price



Income ↓ Salary ↓ Wages ↓



Demand ↓

• Producer will Reduce Price → to Sell Extra Inventories



Consumer Expects More Fall → Postpone Consumption

Spending ↓ Aggregate Demand ↓ Price will fall.

# Trough and Depression

- Growth Rate becomes Negative
- Level of National Income and Expenditure ↓
- Price is lowest and Demand is lowest
- Firm will shutdown → Employment ↓
- Interest Rate Reduced by Bank ; Banking and financial Crisis
- Capital and Consumer Durable Good Industry suffer from Excess Capacity

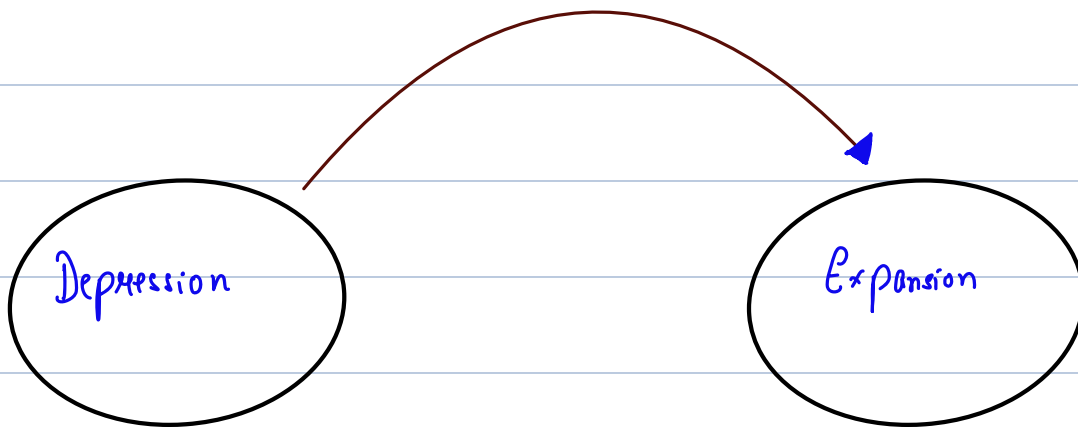
All Economies Touch  
bottom line and  
↓  
Phase of Trough is  
Reached





# Recovery ...

- This Reverses the Process
- Initially Felt in Labour Market
- Labour will start Working Lower Wages
- Producer Cost  $\downarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  Biz Environment Better
- Investment  $\uparrow$  Stock  $\uparrow$  Bank Credit  $\uparrow$  Employment  $\uparrow$   
Aggregate Demand  $\uparrow$  Price  $\uparrow$
- "Price Mechanism is Self Correcting Process"



Labour  $\uparrow$  Unemployment  $\downarrow$  Expansion of  $\uparrow$   
Economy

# Economic Indicators

Leading Indicator

Lagging Indicator

Co-incident Indicator

## Leading Indicator

- It is Measurable Economic Factor, that changes before Economy changes
- It change Prior to large Economic Adjustment
- They are not always Correct

Example → Change in ROI, Change in Stock Price



## Logging Indicator

- It Reflect Economic Historical Performance
- These Indicators are observable after an Economic Trend has occurred.

Leading Indicators Signal  
About Business Cycle

Lagging Indicators Confirm  
About Business Cycle



## Coincidental Indicators

- Also known as Concurrent Indicators
  - Occur Simultaneously with business cycle
  - They describe Current Status
- Example → Retail Sales, Personal Income

## What to Read in Business Cycle from Book

# Features of Business Cycle

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# Causes of Business Cycle

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