

## Unit III Handout - Perfect Competition

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### Short Run Per Unit Questions

Answer the next question(s) on the basis of the following cost data for a firm that is selling in a purely competitive market:

| Total<br>product | Average<br>fixed<br>cost | Average<br>variable<br>cost | Average<br>total<br>cost | Marginal<br>cost |
|------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 1                | \$100.00                 | \$17.00                     | \$117.00                 | \$17             |
| 2                | 50.00                    | 16.00                       | 66.00                    | 15               |
| 3                | 33.33                    | 15.00                       | 48.33                    | 13               |
| 4                | 25.00                    | 14.25                       | 39.25                    | 12               |
| 5                | 20.00                    | 14.00                       | 34.00                    | 13               |
| 6                | 16.67                    | 14.00                       | 30.67                    | 14               |
| 7                | 14.29                    | 15.71                       | 30.00                    | 26               |
| 8                | 12.50                    | 17.50                       | 30.00                    | 30               |
| 9                | 11.11                    | 19.44                       | 30.55                    | 35               |
| 10               | 10.00                    | 21.60                       | 31.60                    | 41               |
| 11               | 9.09                     | 24.00                       | 33.09                    | 48               |
| 12               | 8.33                     | 26.67                       | 35.00                    | 56               |

I identify the Q & Profit/Loss

\*  $P = \$16$

\*  $P = \$32$

\*  $P = \$13.50$

\*  $P = \$50$

What is the Fixed Cost?

## Short Run Questions Using Totals

| Q  | TC  | MC |
|----|-----|----|
| 0  | 15  | —  |
| 1  | 22  | 7  |
| 2  | 27  | 5  |
| 3  | 30  | 3  |
| 4  | 33  | 2  |
| 5  | 33  | 1  |
| 6  | 34  | 1  |
| 7  | 36  | 2  |
| 8  | 39  | 3  |
| 9  | 44  | 5  |
| 10 | 51  | 7  |
| 11 | 60  | 9  |
| 12 | 76  | 16 |
| 13 | 104 | 28 |
| 14 | 144 | 40 |

Find Q + Profit

$$P = \$10$$

$$P = \$2.50$$

$$P = \$8$$

$$P = \$4.50$$

Download Perfect Competition Question Variations Here (with Key) -  
Answer questions BEFORE looking at Key!!

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