

MATH 111 – EXAM II Hints and Answers  
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1. (a) (4 points) HINT: Compute  $TR(4) - TR(4.001)$ .  
ANSWER: 0.017001 thousand dollars or \$17
- (b) (4 points) HINT:  $FC = TC(0) = 10$  and  $VC(q) = TC(q) - FC = q^2 + 9q$ . Compute  $VC(10)$  (which is measured in thousands of dollars) and divide by 10 thousand Framits to get  $AVC(10)$ .  
ANSWER: 19 dollars per Framit
- (c) (5 points) HINT:  $TR(q) = 22q$ . Set  $TR(q) = TC(q)$  and solve for  $q$ . The smallest value of  $q$  that you get will be the smallest quantity at which you do not take a loss.  
ANSWER:  $q = 0.821$  thousand Framits
2. (4 points each)
  - (a) ANSWER:  $f(x) = -0.3x + 1.2$
  - (b) HINT:  $A(x) = x \cdot f(x) = -0.3x^2 + 1.2x$ . The graph of the area function is a parabola that opens down. It increases from  $x = 0$  to the  $x$ -coordinate of the vertex.  
ANSWER: from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 2$
  - (c) HINT: Set  $A(x) = 1$  and solve for  $x$ . Choose the larger of the two solutions.  
ANSWER:  $x = 2.82$
3. (4 points each)
  - (a) ANSWER:  $R(t) = 4 - 4t$
  - (b) ANSWER:  $A(t) = -2t^2 + 13.75t + 50$
  - (c) HINT: Find the “ $y$ ”-coordinate of the vertex of  $A(t)$ .  
ANSWER: 73.63 gallons
4. (a) (4 points) HINT: Set  $MR = MC$  and solve for  $q$ .  
ANSWER:  $q = 268$  Bobbles
- (b) (4 points) HINT: Set  $MR - MC = 94.50$  and solve for  $q$ .  
ANSWER:  $q = 163$  Bobbles
- (c) (5 points) HINT:  $TR(q) = -0.25q^2 + 800.25q$  and  $AR(q) = \frac{TR(q)}{q} = -0.25q + 800.25$ . Set  $AR = 725.25$  and solve for  $q$ .  
ANSWER:  $q = 300$  Bobbles