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If the demand function for a product is given by

$$p = 500e^{-q/20}$$

then the maximum value of revenue is

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6. [3 marks]

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (x^2 + 2)^{\frac{1}{x^2+1}}$$

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For which p_1 and p_2 are the goods complementary?

A. $p_2 > 2$, any p_1

B. for no values of p_1 and p_2

C. $p_1 < 3$, any p_2

D. $p_2 < 2$, any p_1

E. $p_1 > 3$, any p_2

12. [3 marks]

If $f(x, y, z) = e^{2xy+3z}$, then $f_{xyz}(1, 1, 1) =$

A. $15e^5$

B. $16e^5$

C. $12e^5$

D. $18e^5$

E. $20e^5$

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- E. 2

14. [3 marks]

If $x = r^2 + s^2$, $y = rs$ and $z = f(x, y)$ has constant partial derivatives $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 3$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -1$, then when $r = 2$ and $s = 5$, $\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} =$

- A. 5
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PART B. WRITTEN-ANSWER QUESTIONS

B1. [12 marks]

(a) [6 marks]

A \$300,000 mortgage is to be repaid by making equal monthly payments for 15 years, the first payment 1 month after the loan is granted. If interest is 8% per year compounded semiannually find (to within \$0.01) the amount of each payment.

(b) [6 marks]

A \$40,000 debt with interest at 6% per year compounded monthly is to be repaid by making payments at the end of each month for 8 years. The payments are all of the same size (X dollars each) with 2 exceptions: the 36th payment is to be $10X$ dollars and the last payment is to be \$5,000. To within \$0.01, find X .

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B2. [10 marks] Find the area between the curves $y = xe^x$ and $y = -x$ from $x = -2$ to $x = 1$.

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B3. [11 marks]

(a) [7 marks]

[Here, give your final answer to 3 decimal places.]

Find $\int_3^4 \frac{dx}{x(x-1)(x-2)}$

(b) [4 marks]

[Here, give your final answer to 3 decimal places, or show that the integral diverges.]

What happens if the limits of integration of the integral in (a) are changed to $\int_3^\infty \frac{dx}{x(x-1)(x-2)}$?

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B4. [11 marks]

Solve the following problems showing all your work:

(a) [5 marks]

If $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 e^y + 2xe^y + e^y$ and $y(0) = 0$, find y explicitly as a function of x .

(b) [6 marks]

If $\frac{dp}{dq} = \frac{e^q \sqrt{1+p^2}}{p}$ and $p = \sqrt{3}$ when $q = 0$, what is p when $q = 1$? You may assume p is positive.

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B5. [11 marks]

The production function for a certain factory is given by $P(l, k) = 200l^{1/4}k^{3/4}$ where l is the number of units of labour and k is the number of units of capital. Labour costs \$20/unit and capital costs \$30/unit and the total amount spent on labour and capital is \$16,000.

By using the method of Lagrange multipliers find the number of units of labour and capital that maximize production.

[No marks will be given for any method except Lagrange multipliers.]

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$$\begin{aligned} A^{-1}AX &= IX = X \\ A^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} &= X \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} &= X \\ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ -3 & 11 \end{pmatrix} &= X \end{aligned}$$

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then the maximum value of revenue is

A. 500

B. 20

C. $1000/e$

D. 10,000

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Solution

$$\begin{aligned} R &= pq = 500qe^{-q/20} \\ \frac{dR}{dq} &= 500(e^{-q/20} - \frac{q}{20}e^{-q/20}) \\ &= 500e^{-q/20}(1 - \frac{q}{20}) \\ \frac{dR}{dq} &= 0 \text{ when } q = 20 \\ \frac{dR}{dq} &< 0 \text{ when } q > 20 \\ \frac{dR}{dq} &> 0 \text{ when } q < 20 \\ R &\text{ max at } q = 20 \\ R &= 500 \cdot 20e^{-1} = \frac{10,000}{e} \end{aligned}$$

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A. nowhere; there is no maximum

B. at $x = 1$

C. at $x = 2$

D. at $x = \frac{1}{3}$

E. at $x = 2^{-\frac{1}{3}}$

Solution f is continuous on $[\frac{1}{3}, 2]$ so must have a maximum.

$$f'(x) = 2x - \frac{2}{x^2} = \frac{2}{x^2}(x^3 - 1)$$

The only critical point is at $x = 1$.

$$f\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{9} + 6 \quad \text{max}$$

$$f(2) = 5$$

$$f(1) = 3$$

4. [3 marks]

The graph of $f(x) = e^x + e^{-x}$ is

A. increasing when $x > 0$ and always concave upward.

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C. increasing and concave upward everywhere.

D. increasing and concave downward everywhere.

E. increasing everywhere and concave upward when $x > 0$.

Solution

$$f'(x) = e^x - e^{-x} = e^{-x}(e^{2x} - 1) \quad \begin{array}{l} > 0 \text{ when } x > 0 \text{ only} \\ < 0 \text{ when } x < 0 \text{ only} \end{array}$$

is already the only possible answer.

$$f''(x) = e^x + e^{-x} > 0 \text{ for all } x$$

so concave upward.

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D. $\frac{1}{2}$

E. 2

Solution

Marginal propensity to save is $\frac{dS}{dI}$.

$$4S \frac{dS}{dI} + 2I = 3 \frac{dS}{dI} I + 3S$$

at $I = 4, S = 2$ $8 \frac{dS}{dI} + 8 = 12 \frac{dS}{dI} + 6$

$$2 = 4 \frac{dS}{dI}$$

$$\frac{dS}{dI} = \frac{1}{2}$$

6. [3 marks]

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (x^2 + 2)^{\frac{1}{x^2+1}}$$

A. $= e$

B. $= 0$

C. $= 1$

D. $= -1$

E. does not exist

Solution

$$\ln(y) = \frac{\ln(x^2 + 2)}{x^2 + 1} \quad \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \ln(y) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{2x}{x^2+2}}{2x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^2 + 2} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\ln(y) \rightarrow 0$$

$$y = e^{\ln(y)} \rightarrow e^0 = 1$$

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If the demand for a certain product is determined by $q = 300 - 10p$ and the supply by $q = \frac{20p - 100}{3}$ where p is unit price and q is quantity then producers surplus is

- A. 750
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- C. 1250
- D. 2000
- E. 1000

Equilibrium:

$$\begin{aligned} 300 - 10p &= \frac{20p - 100}{3} \\ 900 - 30p &= 20p - 100 \\ 1000 &= 50p \\ 20 &= p \\ q &= 100 \end{aligned}$$

Solution

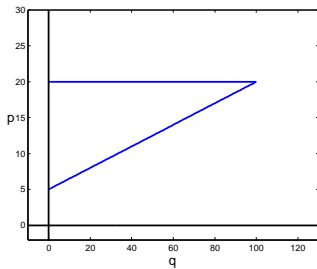


Figure 1:

When $q = 0$, $p = 5$ on the supply curve.

$$\begin{aligned} PS &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot (20 - 5) \cdot 100 \\ &= 750 \end{aligned}$$

by triangle area.

Alternate Solution 1

$$\begin{aligned} PS &= \int_0^{100} \left(\frac{3q + 100}{20} - 5 \right) dq \\ &= \int_0^{100} \frac{3q}{20} dq \\ &= \frac{3q^2}{40} \Big|_0^{100} \\ &= \frac{30,000}{40} \\ &= 750 \end{aligned}$$

Alternate Solution 2

$$\begin{aligned} PS &= \int_5^{20} \frac{20p - 100}{3} dp \\ &= \left(\frac{10p^2}{3} - \frac{100p}{3} \right) \Big|_5^{20} \\ &= 750 \end{aligned}$$

8. [3 marks]

The average value of $f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x}$ on the interval $[e, e^2]$ is

- A. $\frac{\frac{1}{e} + \frac{1}{e^2}}{e^2 - e}$
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- C. $\frac{3}{2(e^2 - e)}$
- D. $\frac{e^2 + e}{e^2 - e}$
- E. $\frac{1}{2(e^2 - e)}$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} Avf &= \frac{1}{e^2 - e} \int_e^{e^2} \frac{\ln x}{x} dx && u = \ln x, du = \frac{dx}{x} \\ &= \frac{1}{e^2 - e} \int_1^2 u du \\ &= \frac{1}{e^2 - e} \frac{u^2}{2} \Big|_1^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{e^2 - e} \frac{4 - 1}{2} \\ &= \frac{3}{2(e^2 - e)} \end{aligned}$$

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- C. \$118,000
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Solution

$$\begin{aligned} PV &= \int_0^5 30,000e^{-0.09t} dt \\ &= \frac{30,000}{-0.09} e^{-0.09t} \Big|_0^5 \\ &= \frac{30,000}{0.09} (1 - e^{-0.45}) \\ &= 120,790.62 \end{aligned}$$

10. [3 marks]

Let $k > 0$ be a constant. Then

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- A. e^{-k}
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Solution

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^\infty ke^{-kx} dx &= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^R ke^{-kx} dx \\ &= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} -e^{-kx} \Big|_1^R \\ &= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} (e^{-k} - e^{-kR}) \\ &= e^{-k} \end{aligned}$$

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$$q_2(p_1, p_2) = 500 - p_1 - 4p_1^2 - 2p_2 - 3p_2^2$$

For which p_1 and p_2 are the goods complementary?

A. $p_2 > 2$, any p_1

Solution

B. for no values of p_1 and p_2

i.e. $\frac{\partial q_1}{\partial p_2} < 0$ and $\frac{\partial q_2}{\partial p_1} < 0$.

C. $p_1 < 3$, any p_2

$$\frac{\partial q_1}{\partial p_2} = 4 - 2p_2 < 0 \text{ only if } p_2 > 2$$

D. $p_2 < 2$, any p_1

$$\frac{\partial q_2}{\partial p_1} = -1 - 8p_1 < 0 \text{ always}$$

E. $p_1 > 3$, any p_2

12. [3 marks]

If $f(x, y, z) = e^{2xy+3z}$, then $f_{xyz}(1, 1, 1) =$

A. $15e^5$

Solution

B. $16e^5$

Mixed partials are equal, so ok to do $\frac{\partial}{\partial z}$ first.

C. $12e^5$

$$f_z = 3e^{2xy+3z}$$

D. $18e^5$

$$f_{zx} = 3e^{2xy+3z}2y = 6ye^{2xy+3z}$$

E. $20e^5$

$$f_{xyz} = f_{zxy} = 6e^{2xy+3z} + 6ye^{2xy+3z}2x$$

at $(1, 1, 1)$ we get $f_{xyz} = 6e^5 + 12e^5 = 18e^5$.

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A. 1

B. -2

C. 0

D. -1

E. 2

Solution

$$6xyz + 3x^2 \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} z = 4x + 2y \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$$

$$\text{At } (1, 1, 2), \quad 12 + 3 \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} 2 = 4 + 2 \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$$

$$4 \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = -8$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = -2$$

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If $x = r^2 + s^2$, $y = rs$ and $z = f(x, y)$ has constant partial derivatives $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 3$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -1$, then when $r = 2$ and $s = 5$, $\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} =$

A. 5

B. 8

C. 4

D. 6

E. 7

Solution

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r}$$

$$= 3 \cdot 2r + (-1)s$$

$$\text{At } r = 2, s = 5 \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} = 12 - 5 = 7$$

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Solution

$$\begin{aligned}f_x &= y - 3e^{-x} = 0 \\f_y &= x = 0\end{aligned}$$

Critical point: $x = 0$, so $y = 3e^{-0} = 3$.

$$\begin{aligned}f_{xx} &= 3e^{-x} \\f_{yy} &= 0 \\f_{xy} &= f_{yx} = 1 \\D &= f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2 = -1 \text{ always}\end{aligned}$$

There are no local extrema.

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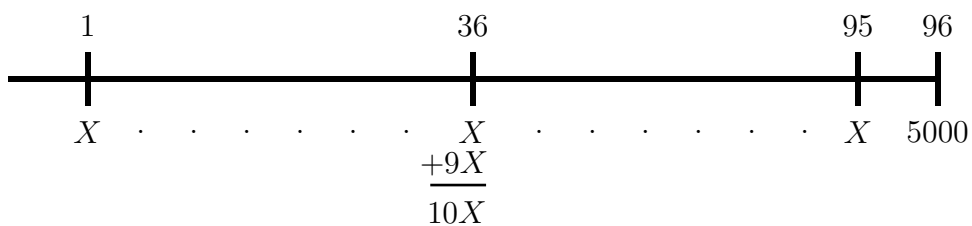
$$\begin{aligned}
 (1 + i)^{12} &= 1.04^2 \\
 300,000 &= Ra_{\overline{180}|i} \\
 R &= \frac{300,000}{a_{\overline{180}|i}} = \frac{300,000i}{1 - (1 + i)^{-180}} \\
 &= 300,000 \frac{1.04^{\frac{1}{6}} - 1}{1 - 1.04^{-30}} = \$2844.46
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) [6 marks]

A \$40,000 debt with interest at 6% per year compounded monthly is to be repaid by making payments at the end of each month for 8 years. The payments are all of the same size (X dollars each) with 2 exceptions: the 36th payment is to be $10X$ dollars and the last payment is to be \$5,000. To within \$0.01, find X .

Solution

$i = 0.005$ per month



$$\begin{aligned}
 40,000 &= Xa_{\overline{95}|0.005} + 9X(1.005)^{-36} + 5000(1.005)^{-96} \\
 X &= \frac{40,000 - 5000(1.005)^{-96}}{a_{\overline{95}|0.005} + 9(1.005)^{-36}} \\
 X &= \$444.63
 \end{aligned}$$

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B2. [10 marks] Find the area between the curves $y = xe^x$ and $y = -x$ from $x = -2$ to $x = 1$.

Solution

$y = xe^x$ and $y = -x$ intersect only when

$$\begin{aligned}xe^x &= -x \\xe^x + x &= 0 \\x(e^x + 1) &= 0 \\x &= 0 \text{ only}\end{aligned}$$

We need to know which function is above and which is below. Since both functions are continuous, they can only change places, if at all, at $x = 0$. On $[-2, 0]$ if we test at $x = -1$

$$y = xe^x = -e^{-1} = -\frac{1}{e} \text{ and } y = -x = 1$$

so $y = -x$ lies above $y = xe^x$. On $[0, 1]$ $xe^x > 0$ but $-x < 0$ so $y = xe^x$ lies above $y = -x$ (we could have used this reasoning on $[-2, 0]$ also). Hence:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area} &= \int_{-2}^0 (-x - xe^x)dx + \int_0^1 (xe^x - (-x))dx \\ \text{Now, } \int xe^x dx & \quad u = x, dv = e^x dx, du = dx, v = e^x \\ &= xe^x - \int e^x dx = xe^x - e^x \\ \text{So Area} &= \left[-\frac{x^2}{2} - xe^x + e^x\right]_{-2}^0 + \left[xe^x - e^x + \frac{x^2}{2}\right]_0^1 \\ &= \left[1 - \left(\frac{-4}{2} + 2e^{-2} + e^{-2}\right)\right] + \left[\left(e - e + \frac{1}{2}\right) - (-1)\right] \\ &= 3 - 3e^{-2} + \frac{3}{2} = \frac{9}{2} - \frac{3}{e^2} \\ &\approx 4.094\end{aligned}$$

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B3. [11 marks]

(a) [7 marks]

[Here, give your final answer to 3 decimal places.]

$$\text{Find } \int_3^4 \frac{dx}{x(x-1)(x-2)}$$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{x(x-1)(x-2)} &= \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x-1} + \frac{C}{x-2} \\ A(x-1)(x-2) + Bx(x-2) + Cx(x-1) &= 1 \\ x=0 &\Rightarrow 2A=1 \quad A=\frac{1}{2} \\ x=1 &\Rightarrow -B=1 \quad B=-1 \\ x=2 &\Rightarrow 2C=1 \quad C=\frac{1}{2} \\ &= \int_3^4 \left(\frac{1}{2x} - \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{2(x-2)} \right) dx \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{2} \ln x - \ln |x-1| + \frac{1}{2} \ln |x-2| \right]_3^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\ln \left| \frac{x(x-2)}{(x-1)^2} \right| \right]_3^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\ln \frac{8}{9} - \ln \frac{3}{4} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{32}{27} \\ &\approx 0.085 \end{aligned}$$

(b) [4 marks]

[Here, give your final answer to 3 decimal places, or show that the integral diverges.]

What happens if the limits of integration of the integral in (a) are changed to $\int_3^\infty \frac{dx}{x(x-1)(x-2)}$?**Solution**

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_3^R &= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{R(R-2)}{(R-1)^2} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{3}{4} \\ \text{But } \frac{R(R-2)}{(R-1)^2} &\rightarrow 1 \text{ as } R \rightarrow \infty \\ \text{so } \ln \frac{R(R-2)}{(R-1)^2} &\rightarrow 0 \\ \int &= -\frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{3}{4} \approx 0.144 \end{aligned}$$

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B4. [11 marks]

Solve the following problems showing all your work:

(a) [5 marks]

If $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2e^y + 2xe^y + e^y$ and $y(0) = 0$, find y explicitly as a function of x .

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}e^{-y}dy &= (3x^2 + 2x + 1)dx \\ \text{Integrating } -e^{-y} &= x^3 + x^2 + x + C \\ \text{At } x = 0, y = 0: -e^0 &= C \Rightarrow C = -1 \\ -e^{-y} &= x^3 + x^2 + x - 1 \\ e^{-y} &= 1 - x - x^2 - x^3 \\ -y &= \ln(1 - x - x^2 - x^3) \\ y &= -\ln(1 - x - x^2 - x^3)\end{aligned}$$

(b) [6 marks]

If $\frac{dp}{dq} = \frac{e^q\sqrt{1+p^2}}{p}$ and $p = \sqrt{3}$ when $q = 0$, what is p when $q = 1$? You may assume p is positive.

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{pdp}{\sqrt{1+p^2}} &= \int e^q dq = e^q + C \\ (1+p^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} &= e^q + C \quad \text{At } p = \sqrt{3}, q = 0 \\ 4^{\frac{1}{2}} &= e^0 + C \quad \text{so } C = 1 \\ (1+p^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} &= e^q + 1 \\ \text{when } q = 1 \\ (1+p^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} &= e + 1 \\ 1+p^2 &= (e+1)^2 \\ p^2 &= e^2 + 2e \\ p &= \sqrt{e^2 + 2e} \quad \text{because } p > 0 \\ p &\approx 3.58\end{aligned}$$

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B5. [11 marks]

The production function for a certain factory is given by $P(l, k) = 200l^{1/4}k^{3/4}$ where l is the number of units of labour and k is the number of units of capital. Labour costs \$20/unit and capital costs \$30/unit and the total amount spent on labour and capital is \$16,000.

By using the method of Lagrange multipliers find the number of units of labour and capital that maximize production.

[No marks will be given for any method except Lagrange multipliers.]

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} L &= 200l^{1/4}k^{3/4} - \lambda(20l + 30k - 16,000) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial l} &= 50l^{-3/4}k^{3/4} - 20\lambda = 0 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial k} &= 150l^{1/4}k^{-1/4} - 30\lambda = 0 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda} &= 20l + 30k - 16,000 = 0 \\ 5\left(\frac{k}{l}\right)^{3/4} &= 2\lambda \quad \text{from the 1st equation} \\ 10\left(\frac{l}{k}\right)^{1/4} &= 2\lambda \quad \text{from the 2nd equation} \end{aligned}$$

Dividing the 2nd equation by the first

$$2\frac{l}{k} = 1 \text{ so } k = 2l$$

subbing into the $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \lambda}$ equation (or the constraint)

$$\begin{aligned} 20l + 60l &= 16,000 \\ 80l &= 16,000 \\ l &= 200 \\ k &= 400 \end{aligned}$$