

1. A producer is figuring out how much to charge for tickets to a show. If she charges \$0 per ticket, she will make \$0. If she charges \$5 per ticket, she will make \$1775. If she charges \$15 per ticket, she will make \$975.

If the amount of money she makes is a quadratic function of the ticket price, what is the maximum possible amount of money she can make from the sale of the tickets?

$x = \text{price per ticket}$
 $f(x) = \text{how much she makes.} = ax^2 + bx + c$

Know: 1) $f(0) = \$0 \Rightarrow a(0)^2 + b(0) + c = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{c=0}$

2) $f(5) = 1775 \Rightarrow \boxed{25a + 5b + \cancel{c} = 1775}$

3) $f(15) = 975 \Rightarrow \boxed{225a + 15b + \cancel{c} = 975}$

After we eliminate $c=0$, we get 2 equations in a & b :

$$\begin{cases} 25a + 5b = 1775 & \div 5 \rightarrow 5a + b = 355 \\ 225a + 15b = 975 & \div 5 \rightarrow 45a + 3b = 195 \end{cases}$$

Divide both by 5:

$$\begin{cases} 5a + b = 355 \Rightarrow \boxed{b = 355 - 5a} \\ 45a + 3b = 195 \end{cases}$$

$$45a + 3(355 - 5a) = 195$$

$$45a + 1065 - 15a = 195$$

$$30a = -870$$

$$a = \frac{-87}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{a = -29}$$

$$\boxed{b = 500}$$

So $\boxed{f(x) = -29x^2 + 500x}$ This is a quadratic, whose graph is concave-down ($a = -29 < 0$) Hence it's maximal

at vertex: $x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{500}{2(-29)} = \frac{250}{29} \approx 8.620689\dots$

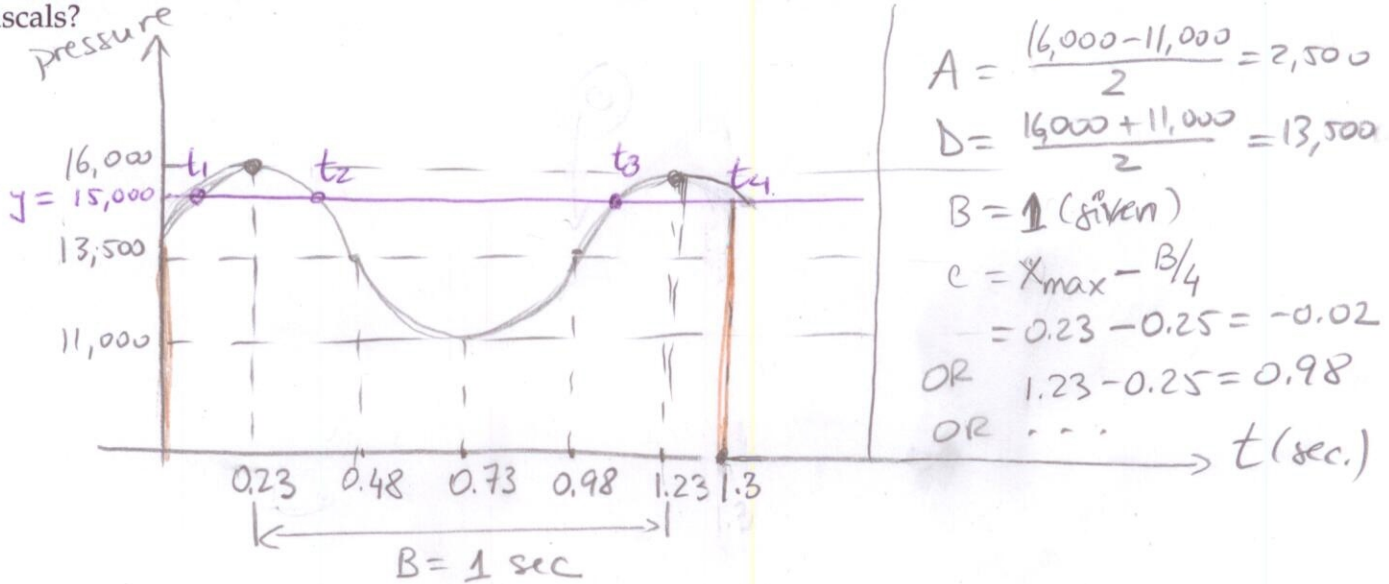
That is, she should charge $x \approx \$8.62/\text{ticket}$ to make a max. of:

$$f(8.62) = -29(8.62)^2 + 500(8.62) = \boxed{\$2155.17}$$

2. The pressure inside an artery is varying sinusoidally. With a heart beat at a rate of 60 beats per minute, the period of this sinusoidal function is 1 second. The maximum pressure is 16000 pascals, and the minimum pressure is 11000 pascals.

At time $t = 0$, you begin to measure the pressure. A maximum is attained for the first time at $t = 0.23$ seconds.

Between $t = 0$ and $t = 1.3$, how much time (in seconds) is the pressure above 15000 pascals?



$$P(t) = 2,500 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{1}(t - 0.98)\right) + 13,500$$

OR: $(t + 0.02)$

$$15,000 = 2,500 \sin(2\pi(t - 0.98)) + 13,500$$

$$\sin(2\pi(t - 0.98)) = \frac{15,000 - 13,500}{2,500} = 0.6$$

PS: $2\pi(t - 0.98) = \sin^{-1}(0.6)$

$$t = \frac{\sin^{-1}(0.6)}{2\pi} + 0.98$$

$$\approx \boxed{1.08241638} = t_3 \text{ on graph}$$

subtracting 1 period $B = 1$

$$t_1 = \boxed{0.08241638}$$

SS: $2\pi(t - 0.98) = \pi - \sin^{-1}(0.6)$

$$t = \frac{\pi - \sin^{-1}(0.6)}{2\pi} + 0.98$$

$$\approx \boxed{1.3775836...} = t_4$$

$$t_2 = t_4 - B \approx \boxed{0.3775836...}$$

note that t_4 is > 1.3 so we'll only go to 1.3.

The pressure is above ^{the} purple line of 15,000 Pa from t_1 to t_2 and from t_3 to 1.3

so total time = $(t_2 - t_1) + (1.3 - t_3)$

$$\approx (0.295167) + (0.2175836) \approx \underline{\underline{0.51275 \text{ sec}}}$$

