

week 3. 41420073

Q1: $R_L = f(L, K, L) = K^{\frac{1}{2}} L^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$\therefore MR_L = \frac{\partial R}{\partial L} = \frac{1}{2} K^{\frac{1}{2}} L^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

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$\therefore MRTS = \frac{MP_L}{MP_K} = \frac{1}{2}$

(b) $f(K, L) = 2K + L$

$\therefore MP_L = \frac{\partial R}{\partial L} = \frac{2}{2+1}$

$MP_K = \frac{2}{2+1}$

$\therefore MRTS = \frac{MP_L}{MP_K} = \frac{2}{2+1}$

$\therefore \theta = \frac{2K+1}{K} = 1.5$

$\therefore \frac{\frac{\partial R}{\partial L}}{\frac{\partial R}{\partial K}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} K^{\frac{1}{2}} L^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2} K^{-\frac{1}{2}} L^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{K^{-\frac{1}{2}} L^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{K^{\frac{1}{2}} L^{\frac{1}{2}}} = 1$

Q2: (1) $a = 3K + 2L$

$f(L, K)$

$= 2L + 3K + 2L$

$= 4(3K + 2L)$

$= 4R$

Correct

(2)

$MPL = \frac{\partial R}{\partial L} = \frac{2}{3}$

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error

(3)

$MRTS = \frac{MP_L}{MP_K} = \frac{2}{3}$

Correct

Q3

(1) $q = q(L, K)$

$= L^{\frac{1}{2}} K^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$= f(L, K, L)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial q}{\partial L} = \frac{1}{2} L^{-\frac{1}{2}} K^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(2) $Ln q = \frac{1}{2} Ln L + \frac{1}{2} Ln K$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial Ln q}{\partial Ln L} = \frac{1}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial q}{\partial L} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{q}{L}$

Q4

$f(L, K)$

$\Rightarrow f_{min}(L, K)$

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