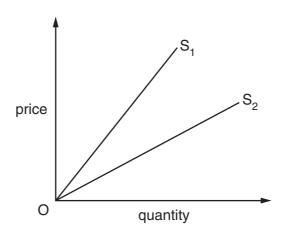
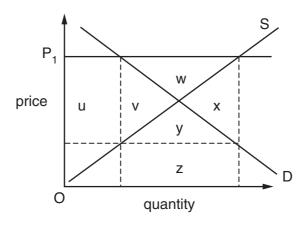
12 In the diagram OS₁ and OS₂ are two straight-line supply curves.



As price increases, the elasticity of supply

- A decreases along both OS₁ and OS₂.
- **B** increases less rapidly along OS₁ than along OS₂.
- **C** increases more rapidly along OS₁ than along OS₂.
- **D** is constant along both OS_1 and OS_2 .

13 The diagram shows the demand and supply curves for an agricultural commodity.



The government sets a minimum guaranteed price equal to OP_1 and pays producers the difference between the guaranteed price and the market clearing price.

Which area measures the cost of this scheme to the government?

- \mathbf{A} $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}$
- \mathbf{B} $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}$
- \mathbf{C} $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}$
- \mathbf{D} $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{z}$