

問題

労働投入量 $\ell(>0)$ と資本投入量 $k(>0)$ の関数 $y = f\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right)$ を生産関数とする. y は財の産出量である. いま, 労働 1 単位あたりの賃金を $w(>0)$, 資本 1 単位当たりのレンタル料を $r(>0)$ とする. また, 財は販売価格 $p(>0)$ ですべて売れるものとする. このとき, 次の各問に答えよ.

1. $f\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}}$, $p=1, w=3, r=2$ のとき, 利潤関数 $\Pi\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right)$ を求めよ. また, 最適労働・資本投入量 $\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell^* \\ k^* \end{smallmatrix}\right)$ とそのときの生産量 $y^*(y \text{ の最大値})$ を求めよ. (3*1 点)

2. $f\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}}$, $w=3, r=2$ のとき, 供給関数 $y^*(p)$ を求めよ (y^* を p の関数として表わせ). (1 点)

解答例

1. $\Pi\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}} - 3\ell - 2k$
 $\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell^* \\ k^* \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 2^{-\frac{9}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{18}{5}} \\ 2^{-\frac{24}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{8}{5}} \end{smallmatrix}\right)$
 $y^* = 2^{-\frac{9}{5}}3^{-\frac{8}{5}}$

2. $y^*(p) = 2^{-\frac{9}{5}}3^{-\frac{8}{5}}p^{\frac{7}{5}}$

解説

1. $\Pi\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = p \cdot f\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) - w\ell - rk = 1 \cdot \ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}} - 3\ell - 2k$
 $\Pi_{\ell}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \frac{1}{3}\ell^{-\frac{2}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}} - 3$, $\Pi_k\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \frac{1}{4}\ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{-\frac{3}{4}} - 2$,
 $\Pi_{\ell\ell}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = -\frac{2}{9}\ell^{-\frac{5}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}}$, $\Pi_{\ell k}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \frac{1}{12}\ell^{-\frac{2}{3}}k^{-\frac{3}{4}}$, $\Pi_{k\ell}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = \frac{1}{12}\ell^{-\frac{2}{3}}k^{-\frac{3}{4}}$, $\Pi_{kk}\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{smallmatrix}\right) = -\frac{3}{16}\ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{-\frac{7}{4}}$

極値の候補 (必要条件を満たす点) を求める.

$$\Pi_{\ell} \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} = 0, \quad \Pi_k \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$(1)\ell^{-\frac{2}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}} = 9 = 3^2, \quad (2)\ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{-\frac{3}{4}} = 8 = 2^3 \Rightarrow (3)\ell^{\frac{2}{3}}k^{-\frac{3}{2}} = (2^3)^2 = 2^6$$

$$\Rightarrow (1) \times (3) : k^{-\frac{5}{4}} = 2^6 \cdot 3^2$$

$$k^{-5} = (2^6 \cdot 3^2)^4 = 2^{24} \cdot 3^8 \Rightarrow k^5 = 2^{-24} \cdot 3^{-8} \Rightarrow k = 2^{-\frac{24}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{8}{5}}$$

$$\text{一方, } (2)^3 : \ell \cdot k^{-\frac{9}{4}} = 8^3 = (2^3)^3 = 2^9 \text{ より}$$

$$\ell = k^{\frac{9}{4}} \cdot 2^9 = (2^{-\frac{24}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{8}{5}})^{\frac{9}{4}} \cdot 2^9 = 2^{(-\frac{24}{5} \cdot \frac{9}{4} + 9)} \cdot 3^{(-\frac{8}{5} \cdot \frac{9}{4})} = 2^{-\frac{9}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{18}{5}}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \ell^* \\ k^* \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2^{-\frac{9}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{18}{5}} \\ 2^{-\frac{24}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{8}{5}} \end{pmatrix}$$

判別する.

$$\Delta_2 \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \Pi_{\ell\ell} \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} & \Pi_{\ell k} \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} \\ \Pi_{k\ell} \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} & \Pi_{kk} \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} \end{vmatrix}$$

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$$= 2^{(-\frac{9}{5}) \cdot \frac{1}{3} + (-\frac{24}{5}) \cdot \frac{1}{4}} \cdot 3^{(-\frac{18}{5}) \cdot \frac{1}{3} + (-\frac{8}{5}) \cdot \frac{1}{4}} = 2^{-\frac{3}{5} - \frac{6}{5}} \cdot 3^{-\frac{6}{5} - \frac{2}{5}} = 2^{-\frac{9}{5}} 3^{-\frac{8}{5}}$$

$$2. \quad \Pi \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} = p \cdot f \begin{pmatrix} \ell \\ k \end{pmatrix} - w\ell - rk = p \cdot \ell^{\frac{1}{3}}k^{\frac{1}{4}} - 3\ell - 2k$$

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一方, $(2)^3: \ell \cdot k^{-\frac{9}{4}} \cdot p^3 = 8^3 = (2^3)^3 = 2^9$ より

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