

$$5) c^*(y) = \max_x \{xy - c(x)\}$$

show this is convex w.r.t.  $y$

convex func. :  $f(x)$  is convex if & only if  
 $f(\lambda x_1 + (1-\lambda)x_2) \leq \lambda f(x_1) + (1-\lambda)f(x_2)$   
 $\forall x_1, x_2 \in X, \forall \lambda \in [0, 1]$

$$\frac{dc^*(y)}{dy} = x$$

$$\frac{d^2c^*(y)}{dy^2} = 0$$

$c^*(y)$  is linear w.r.t.  $y$   
 $\therefore c^*(y)$  is convex w.r.t.  $y$