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Pricing Out 2 Exercise

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Consider the glass problem, with the following adjustment. Suppose instead that the coefficient for production capacity for champagne glasses decreased from 8 to 7, and simulataneously the coefficient for storage increased from 10 to \boldsymbol{p} .

For what values of p is it worth producing champagne glasses?

- $p \le 16$
- $p \le 16.5$
- $p \leq 17$
- $p \le 17.5$

EXPLANATION

Solution

The correct answer is:

" $p \le 17.5$."

If we price out champagne glasses, the reduced cost is

6-7 imes (11/14)-p imes 1/35=.5-p/35. This value is non-negative whenever $p\leq 17.5$.

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