## Formulae Sheet

## Learning curve

$Y=a x^{b}$
Where $Y=$ cumulative average time per unit to produce x units
$a=$ the time taken for the first unit of output
$x=$ the cumulative number of units produced
$b=$ the index of learning $(\log L R / \log 2)$
$L R=$ the learning rate as a decimal

## Demand curve

$P=a-b Q$
$\mathrm{b}=\frac{\text { change in price }}{\text { change in quantity }}$
$a=$ price when $Q=0$
$M R=a-2 b Q$

