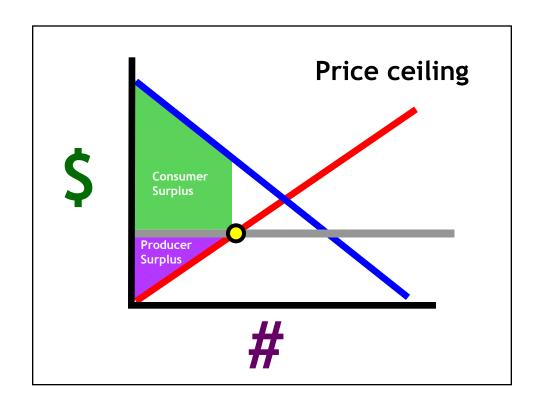
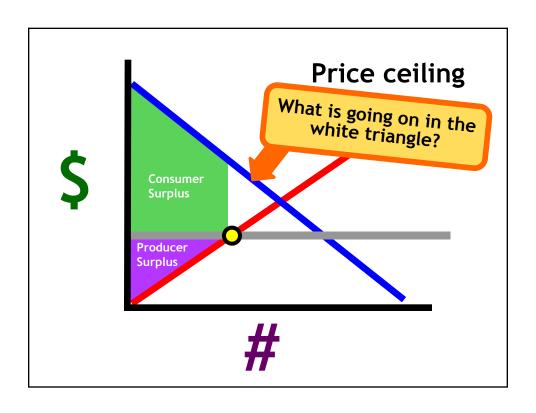


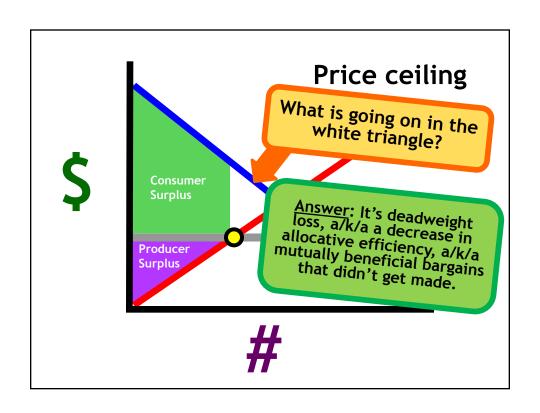
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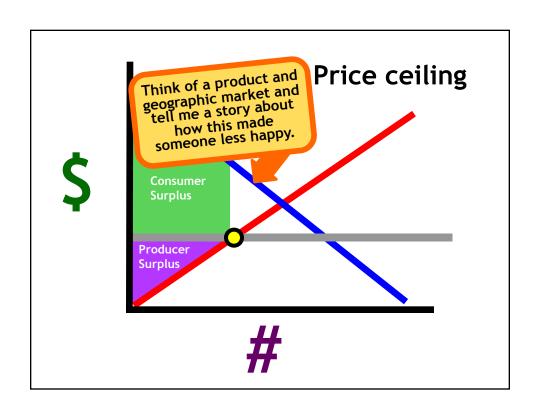
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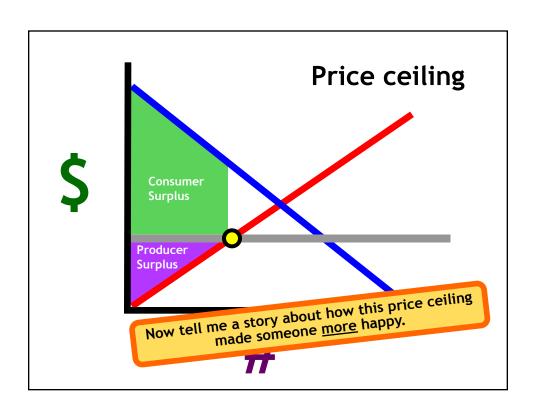




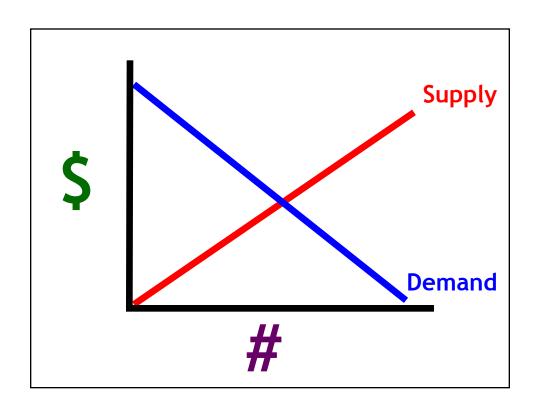


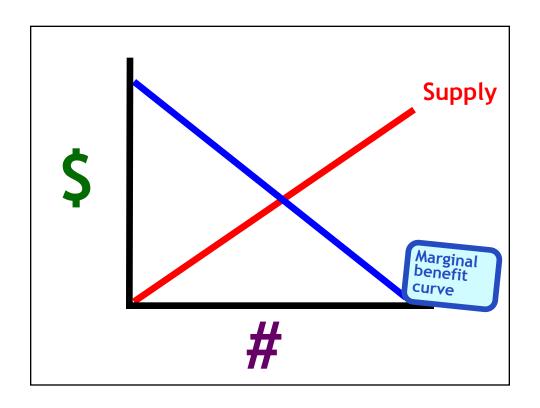


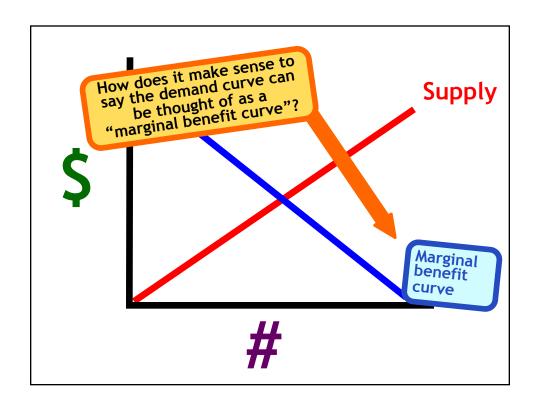


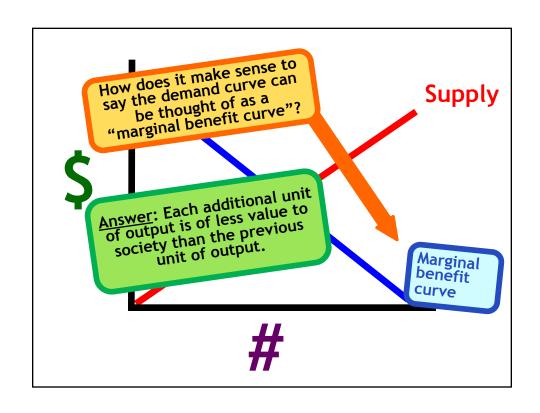


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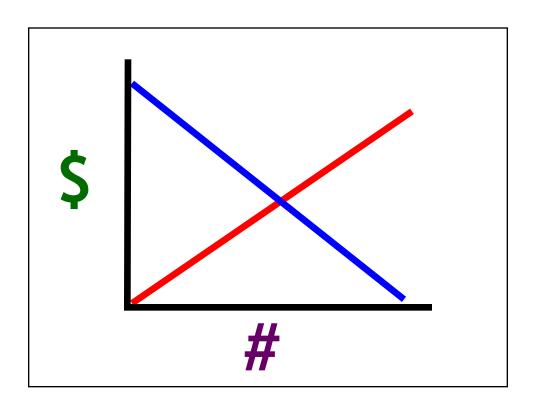


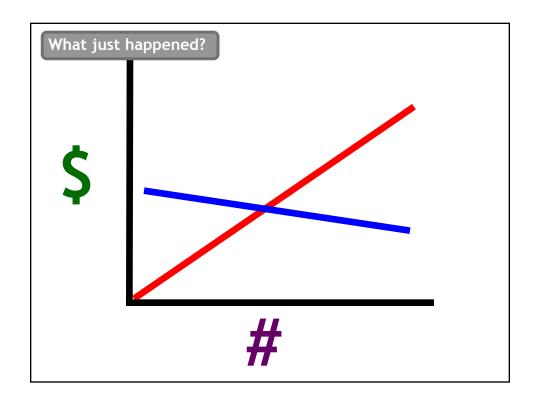


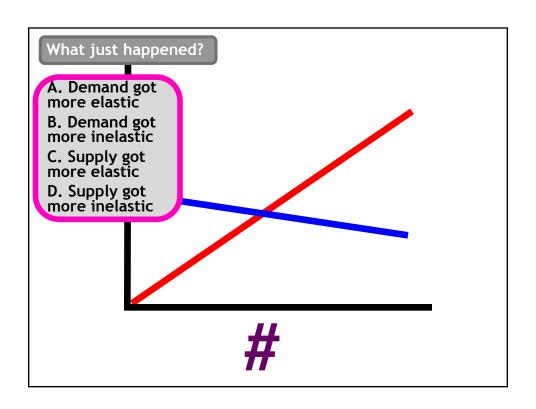


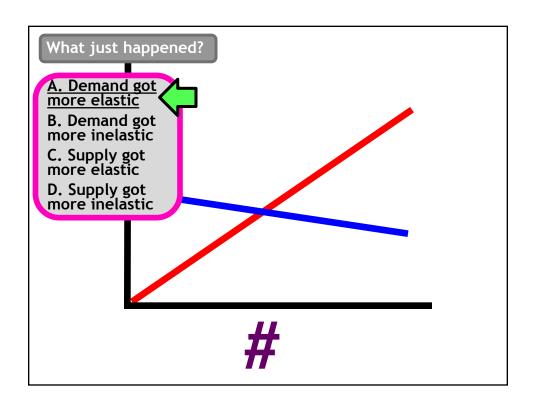
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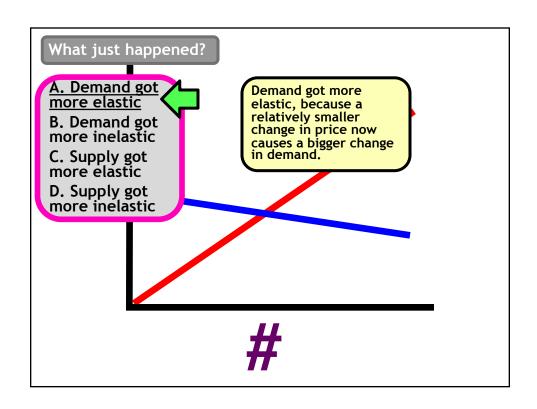
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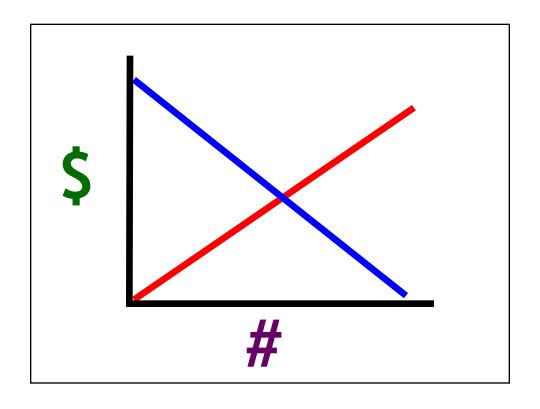


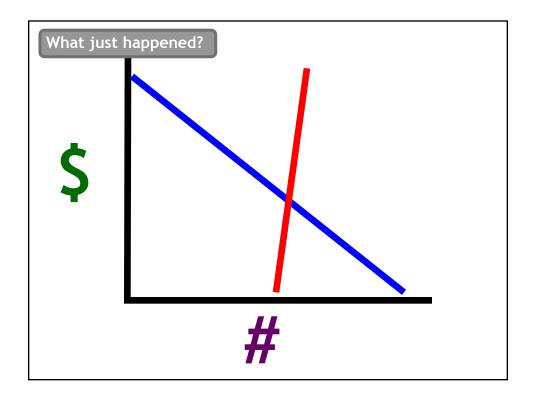


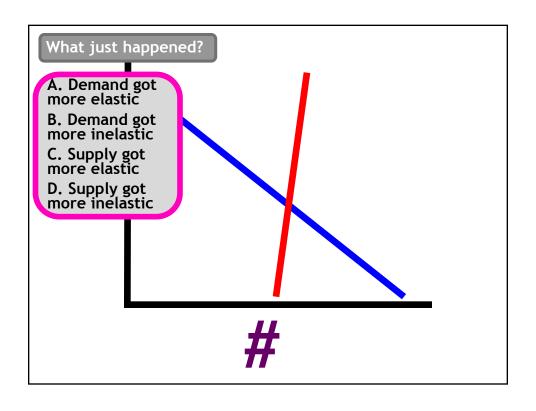


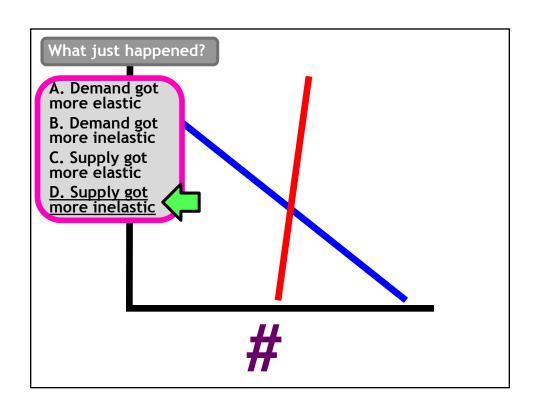
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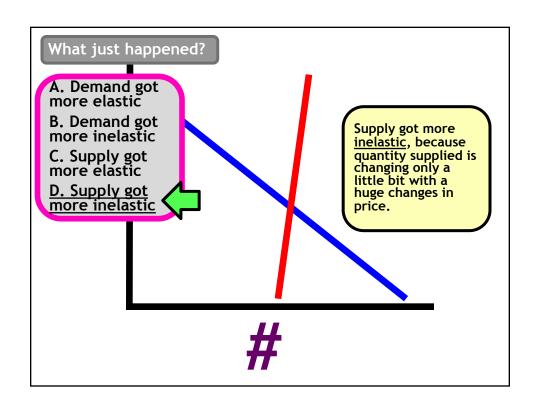
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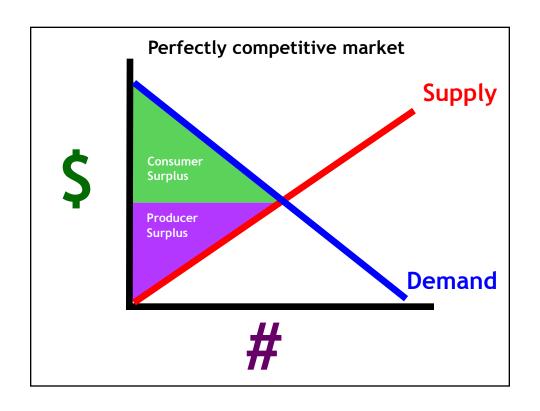


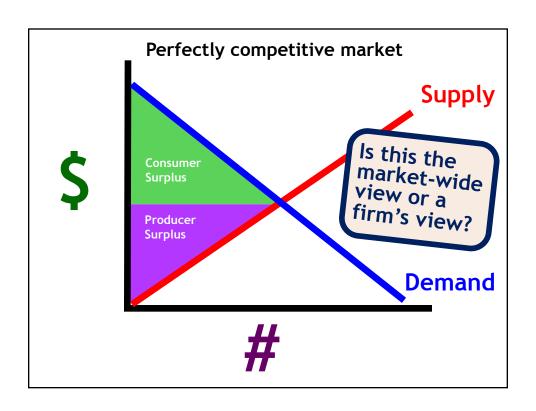


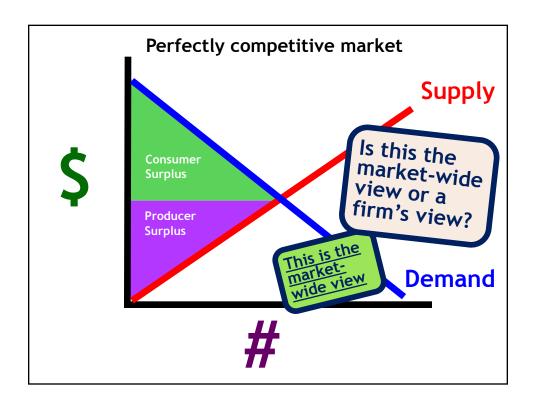


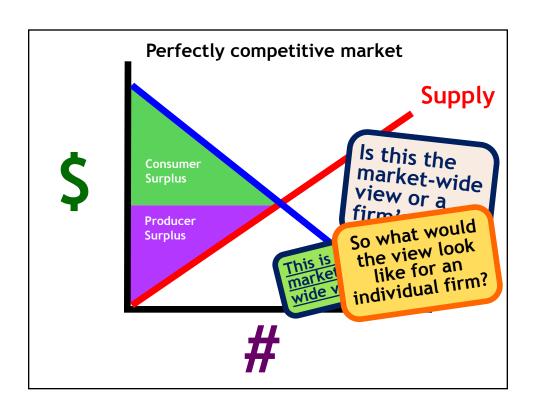


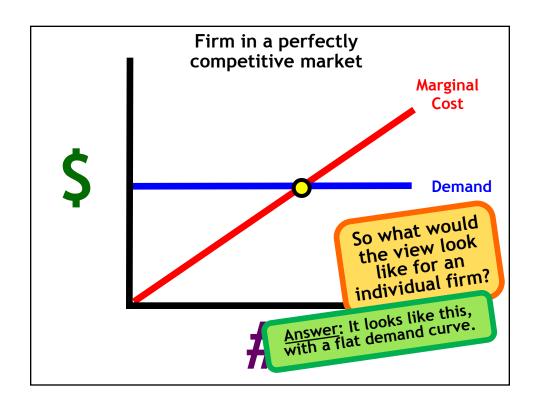
Convince me that in a monopoly market, assuming the monopolist cannot perfectly price discriminate, the output level will be below the most efficient level.

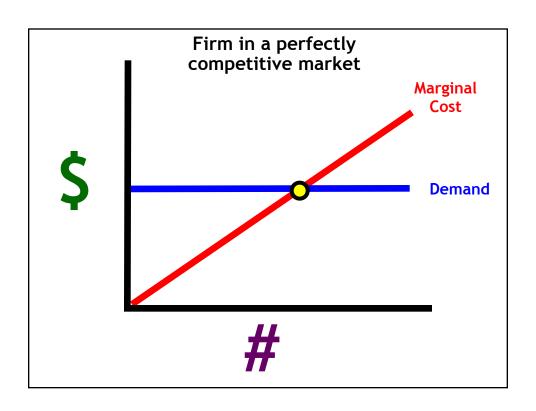


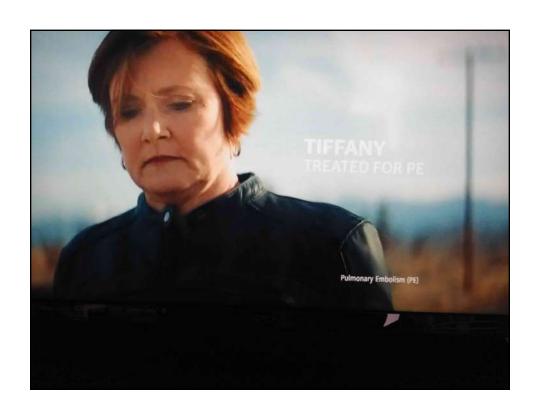




















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