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Part 1: Building a Foundation

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List two factors that can cause a shift in the supply curve.

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1. Factor 1

2. Factor 2

Part 2: Understanding and Interpretation

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