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MULTIPLIER FORMULAS AND TERMS

Marginal propensity to consume (MPC) = change in consumption divided by change in income

Marginal propensity to save (MPS) = change in saving divided by change in income

Investment Multiplier = 1/(1 - MPC) or simply 1/MPS

How to use the investment multiplier: change in GDP = change in investment times investment multiplier

When to use the investment multiplier: when there is a change in investment such as a new factory or new equipment

Government Spending Multiplier = 1 / (1 - MPC) or simply 1 / MPS

How to use the government spending multiplier: change in GDP = change in government spending times government spending multiplier

When to use the government spending multiplier: when there is a change in government spending such as a new road or bridge

Tax Multiplier = - MPC / (1 - MPC) = - MPC / MPS

How to use the tax multiplier: change in GDP = change in taxes times tax multiplier

When to use the tax multiplier: when there is a change in lump-sum taxes. Remember that the tax multiplier has a negative sign.



Figure 21.2

Multiplier Table

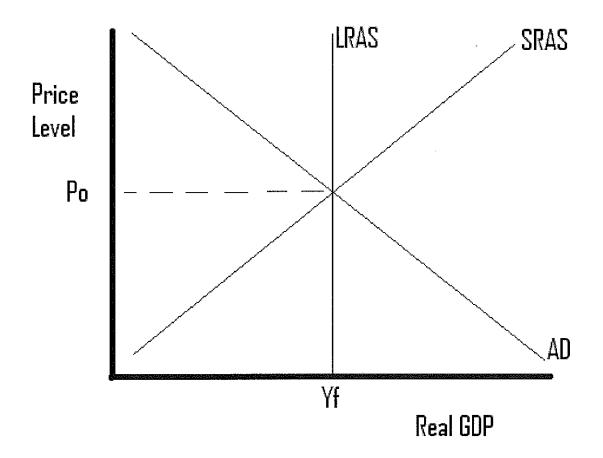
(Derived from using the formulas above)

MPC	Investment Multiplier	Government Spending Multiplier	Tax Multiplier
0.90	10.0	10.0	-9.0
0.80	5.0	5.0	-4.0
0.75	4.0	4.0	-3.0
0.60	2.5	2.5	-1.5
0.50	2.0	2.0	-1.0

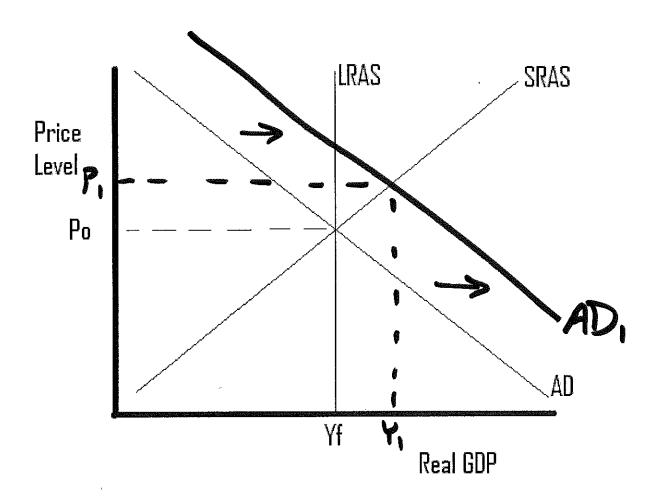
"ALWAYS" RULES (A surefire way to remember multipliers)

- The investment multiplier is always equal to the same value as the government spending multiplier.
- The investment and government spending multipliers are always positive.
- The tax multiplier is always negative.

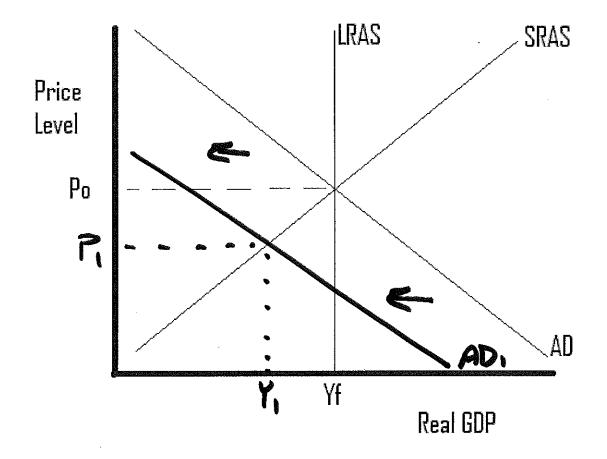
Equilibrium



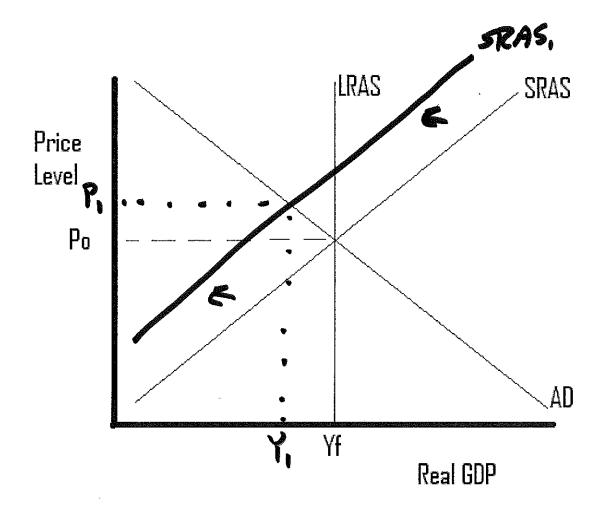
Demand Pull Inflation



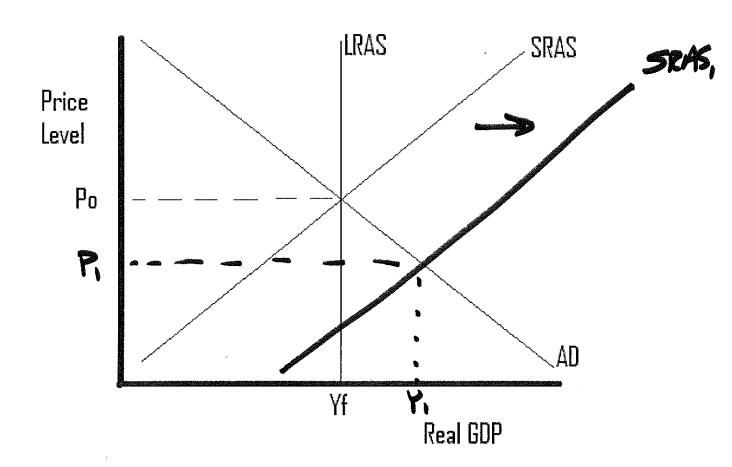
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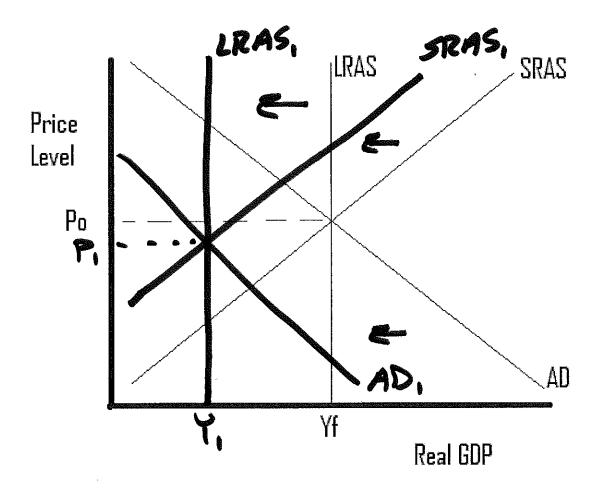
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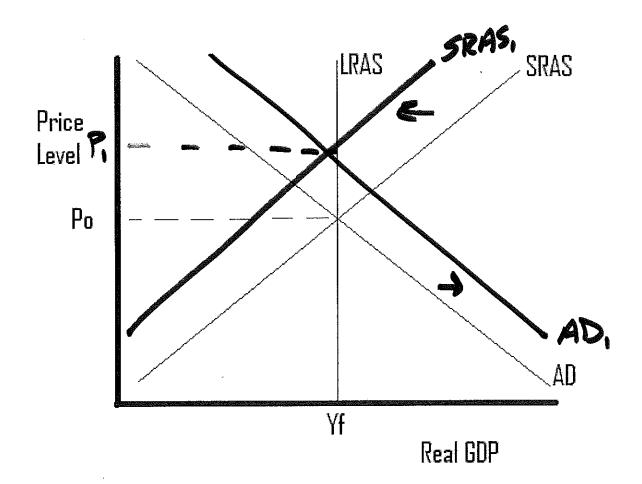
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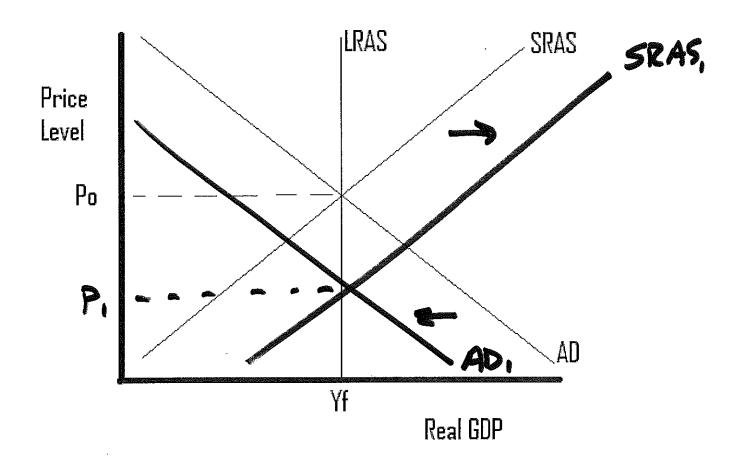
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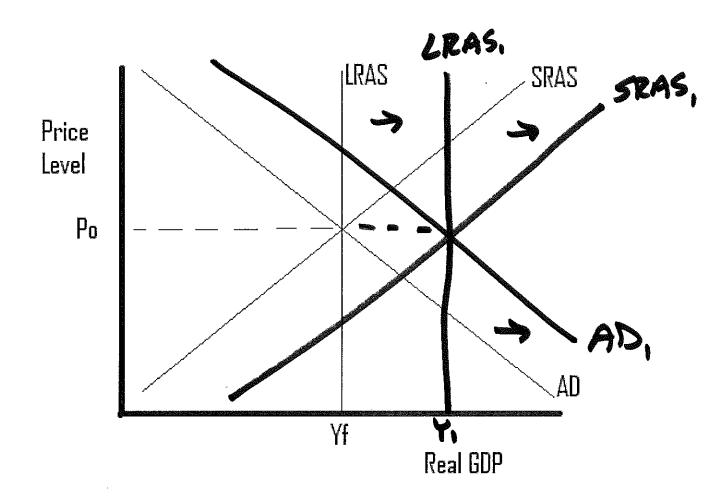
Extreme Demand-Pull Inflation



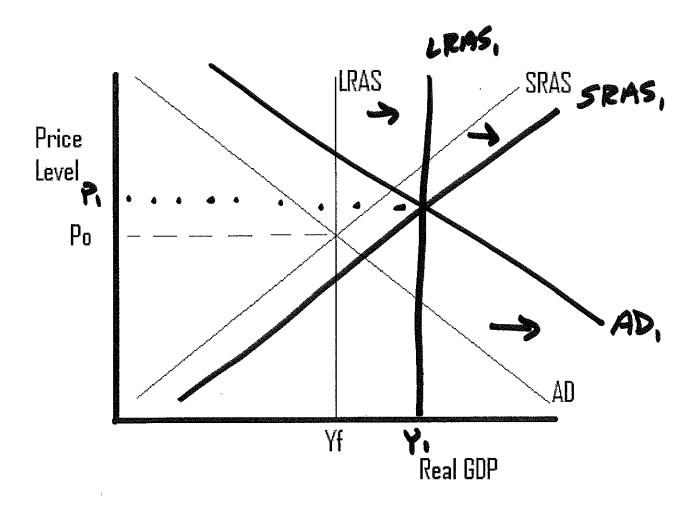
Deflation



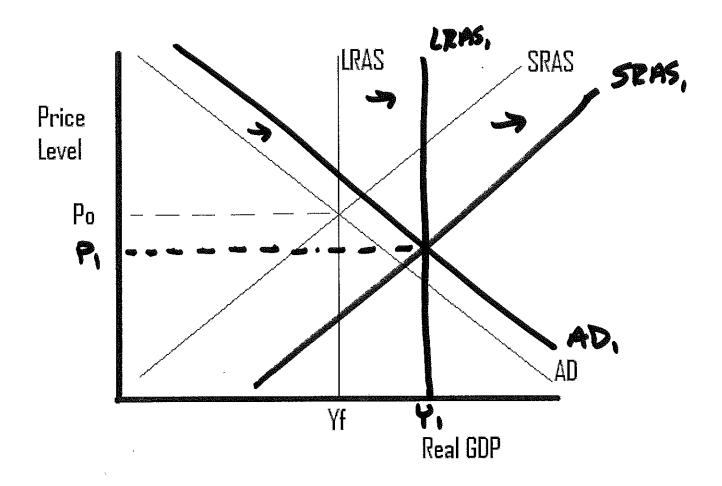
Non-Inflationary Growth



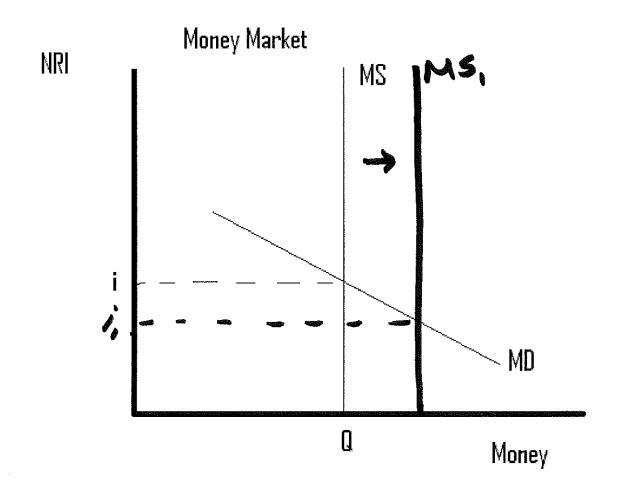
Inflationary Growth



Deflationary Growth



Expansionary Monetary Policy



Contractionary Monetary Policy

