

Notes — Week 5

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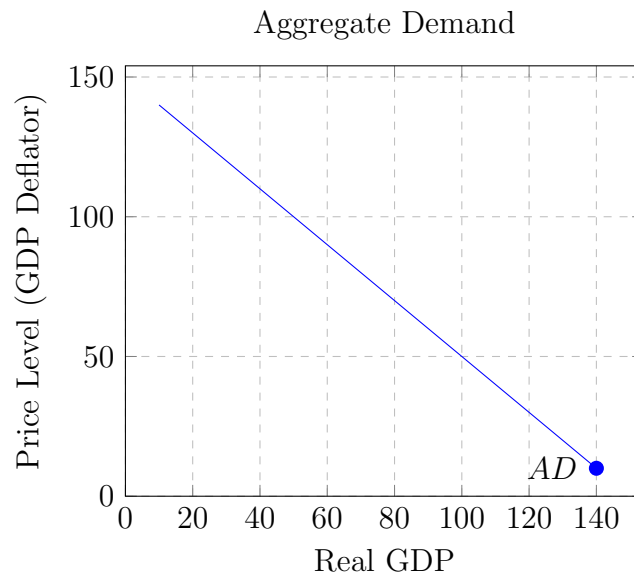
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Period 3

1. Exclusions from GDP:

- Used goods
- Overseas production
- Underground economy
- Transfer payments
- Intermediate items

2. The Aggregate-Demand Model (AD)



3. Why does the Aggregate Demand Curve Slope Down?

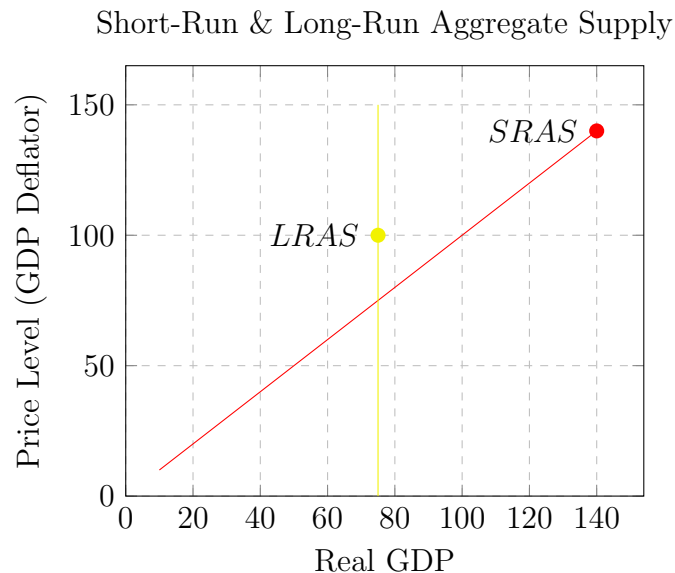
- Wealth Effect — Decrease in prices increases the real value of money, hence we experience the effect of having more money (remember this one)

4. Determinants of Aggregate Demand

- Changes in consumer spending (C)
- Changes in investment spending (I)
- Changes in government spending (G)
- Changes in net export spending (NX)

5. The Aggregate Supply Model (AS)

- Short-Run Aggregate Supply (SRAS) slopes up
- Long-Run Aggregate Supply (LRAS) is vertical
- Definition of Long-Run: When prices have had enough time to adjust to current conditions



6. Determinants of Aggregate Supply

- Changes in the prices of inputs (land, labor, capital)
- Changes in productivity
- Changes in technology
- Changes in government taxes, subsidies, and regulations