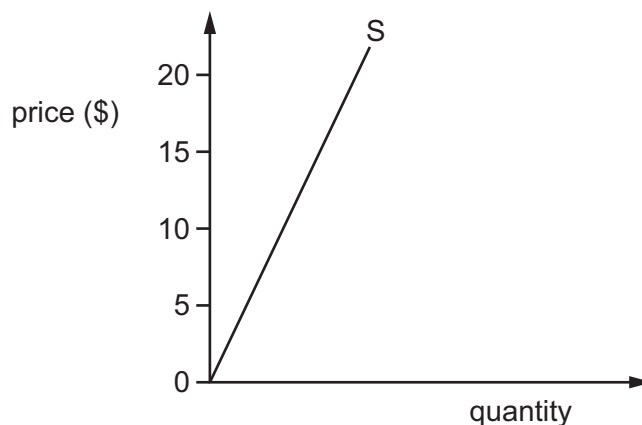


12 The diagram shows the supply curve of a product.



The government imposes a specific indirect tax of \$5 on the product.

How will the price elasticity of supply of the product change?

- A** from elastic (>1) to inelastic (<1)
 - B** from inelastic (<1) to elastic (>1)
 - C** from inelastic (<1) to unitary ($=1$)
 - D** from unitary ($=1$) to elastic (>1)
- 13** In the market for a good the quantity supplied (Q_S) and the quantity demanded (Q_D) are given by $Q_S = P - 30$ and $Q_D = 240 - 2P$ where P = price in dollars.

A change in the tax on the good makes $Q_S = P - 36$.

How will the change affect equilibrium price?

- A** It will fall by \$2.
- B** It will fall by \$6.
- C** It will rise by \$2.
- D** It will rise by \$6.