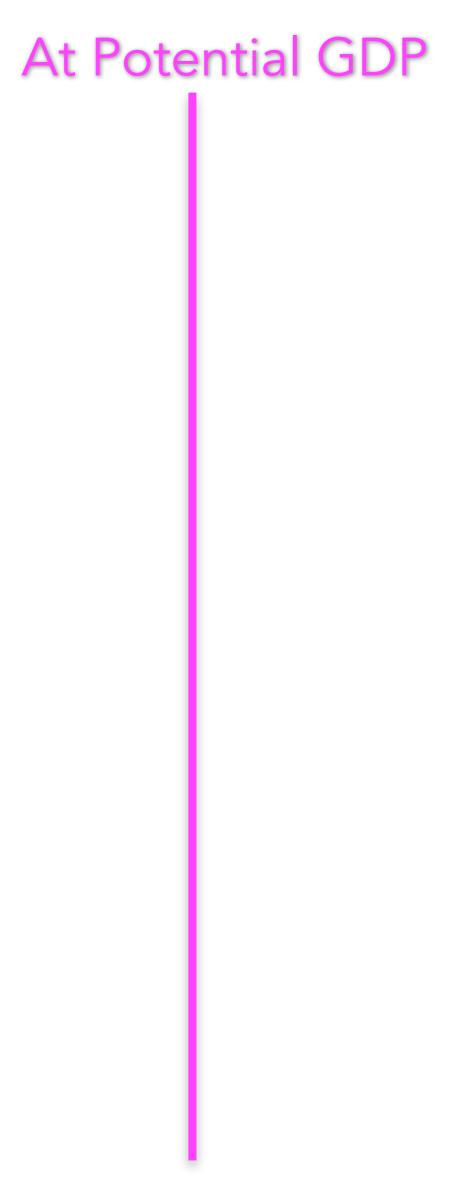


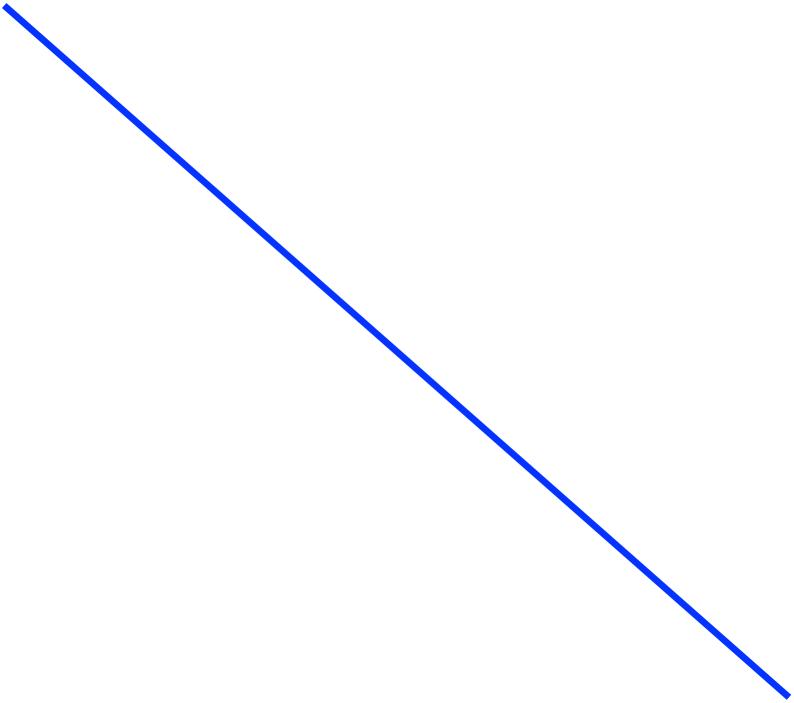
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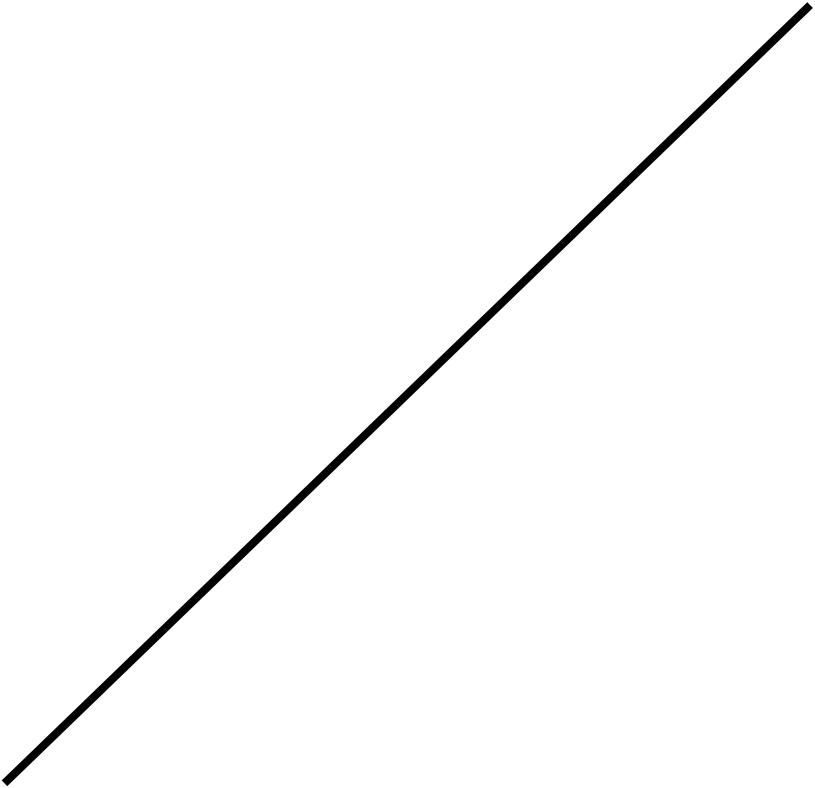


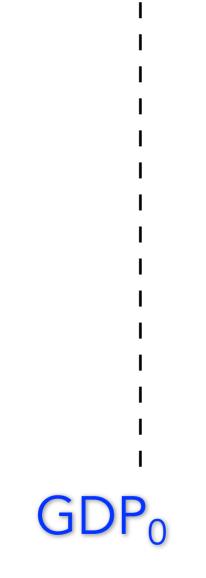


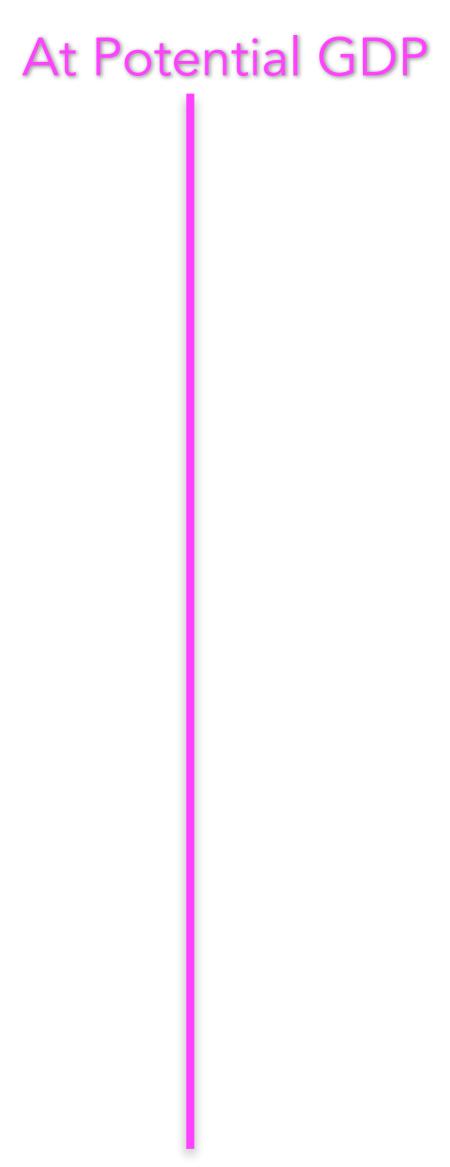


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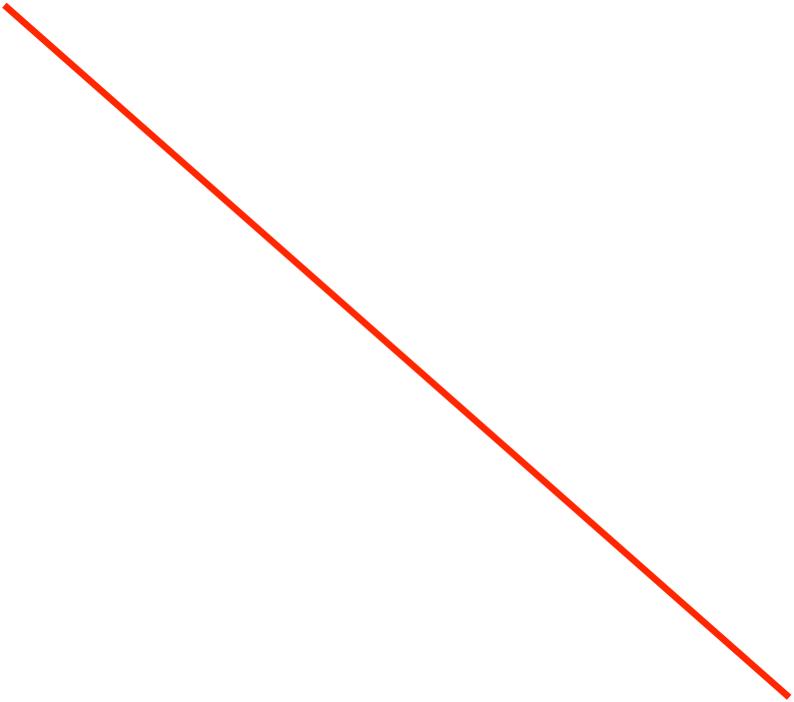


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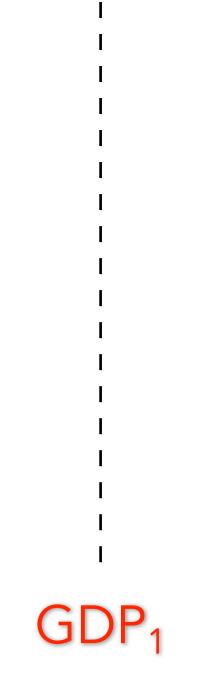






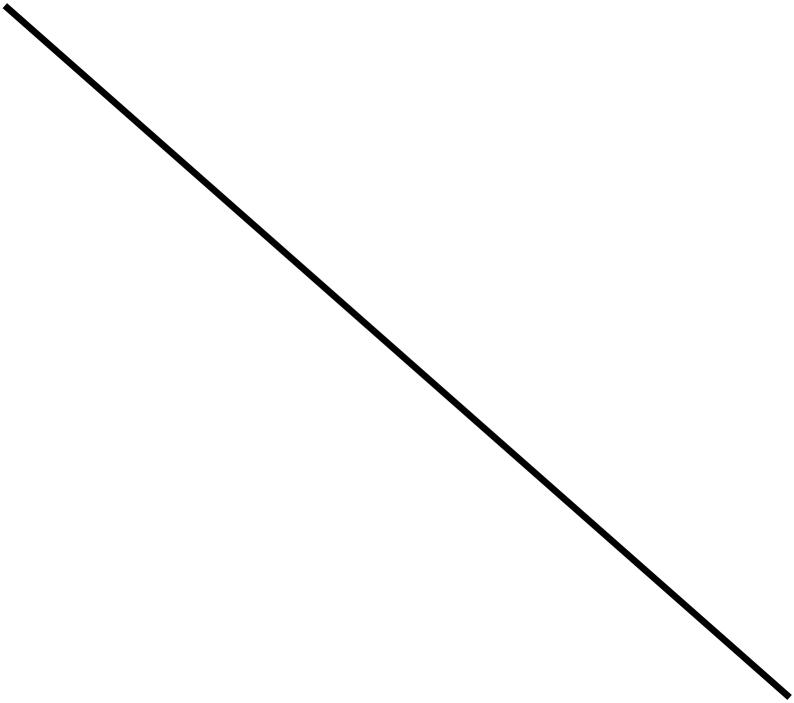
To close a Recessionary Gap, Aggregate Expenditures and Aggregate Demand must increase

 P_0 ----





Inflation reduces the size of the multiplier



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Because of inflation a larger shift in AD is needed to close the gap

 P_2 ______





Inflation reduces the size of the multiplier

