AD

AS

Determining Prices and Output: Equilibrium

Price Level
(CPI)

Real GDP

Production (AS) < Total Sales (AD)

Inventories fall

For any Price Level below Pe

Aggregate Supply < Aggregate Demand

Firms increase production and prices

Once prices rise to this level

Aggregate Supply = Aggregate Demand

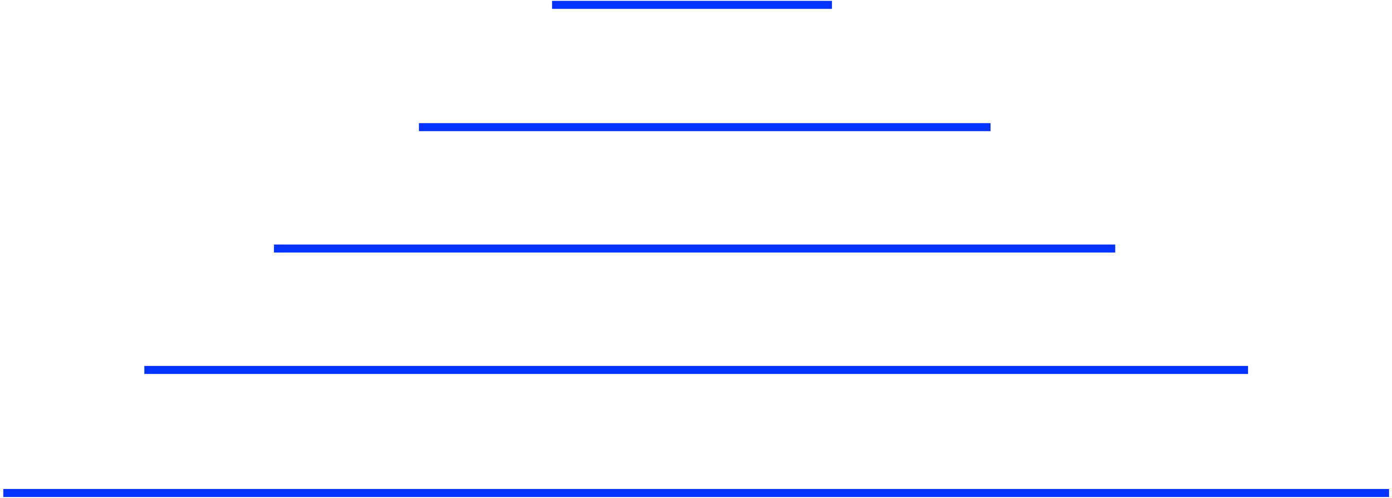
Inventories do not change

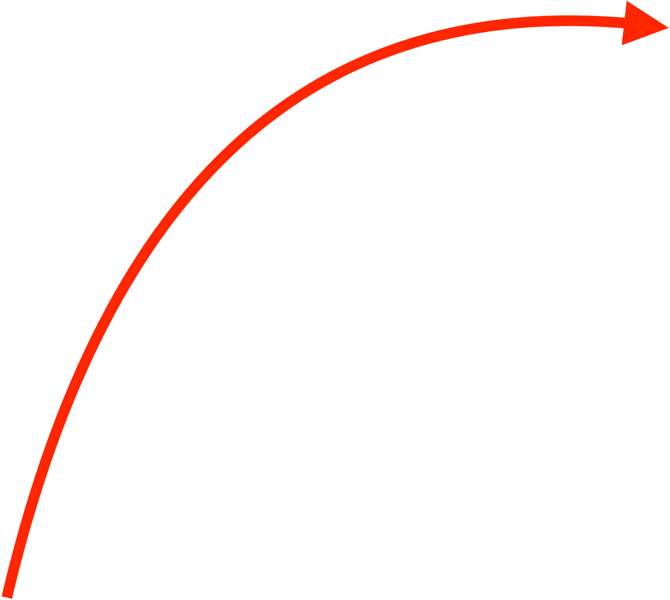
The economy is at equilibrium

Pe – – – – – –

Equilibrium
Price

Equilibrium GDP





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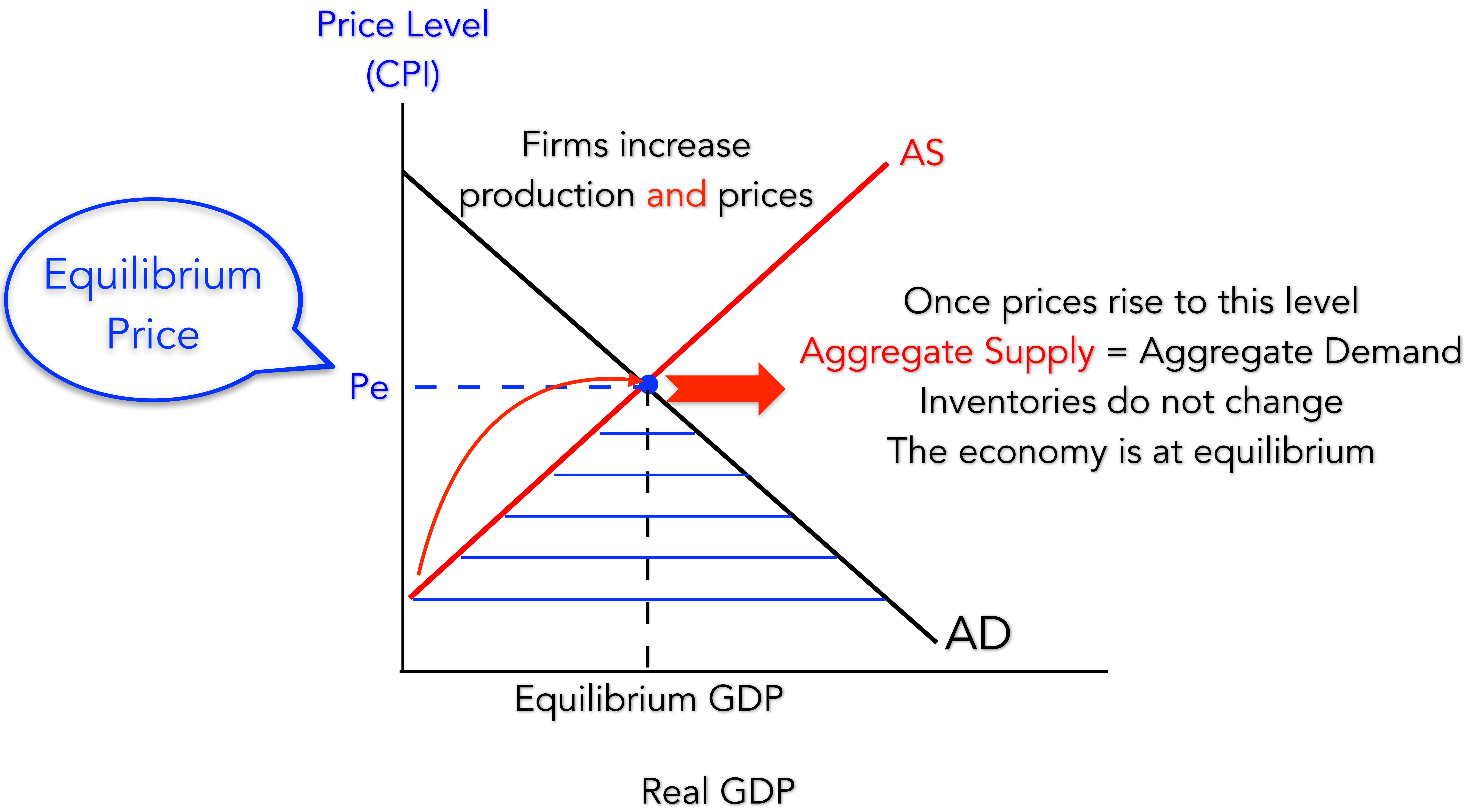

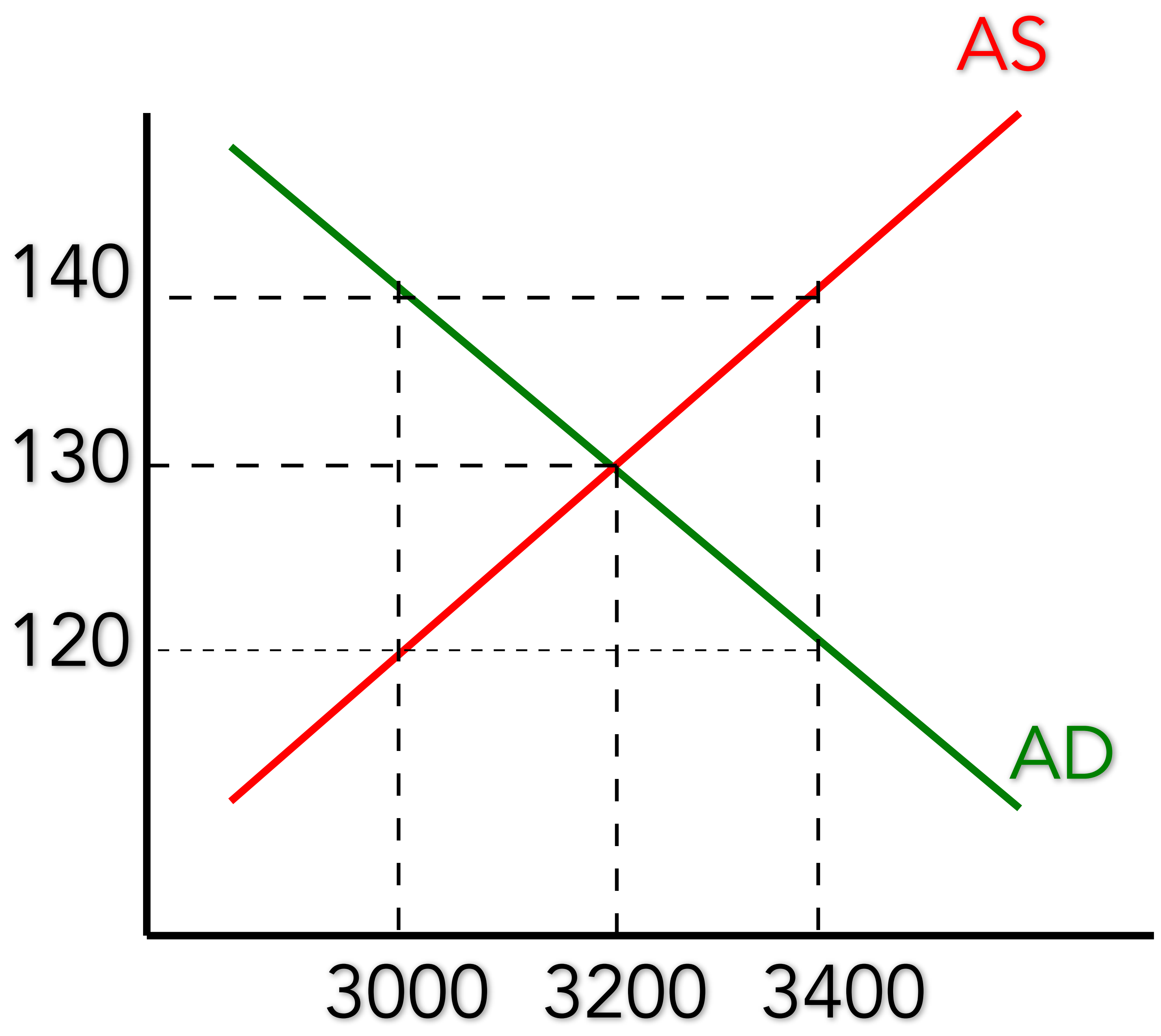
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AD
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