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We want Equilibrium GDP to increase by 1,000:  $\Delta Y = 1,000$ 

### Effect on Consumption:

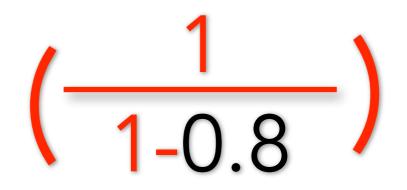
### Effect on the Budget Deficit:

#### $\Delta$ Deficit = $\Delta G - \Delta T$

## The Spending Multiplier













 $\Delta C = 1,000(0.8) = 800$ 

 $\Delta \text{ Deficit} = 200 - 0 = 200$ 

# Assume MPC $\approx 0.8$

Recessionary Gap: 7,000 - 6,000 = 1,000

1,000  $\Delta Y =$ 

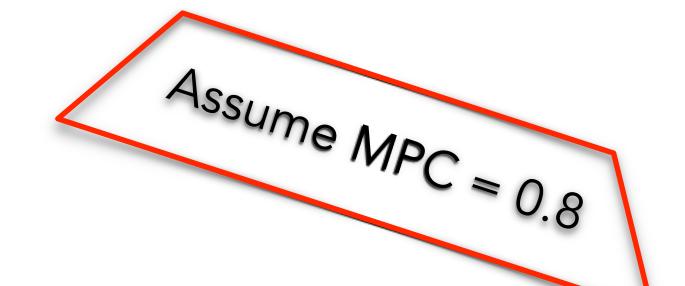


 $\Delta G = 1,000/5$ 

### The Government must increase G by 200 in order to close a 1,000 Recessionary Gap

### A 200 increase in G will increase the Deficit by 200

## Recessionary Gap: 7,000 - 6,000 = 1,000



We want Equilibrium GDP to increase by 1,000:  $\Delta Y = 1,000$ 

The Spending 
$$\left(\frac{1}{1-MPC}\right) = (5)$$

$$\Delta Y = \Delta G \text{ (Multiplier)}$$

$$\Delta Y = 1,000$$

$$1,000 = \Delta G (5)$$

$$\Delta G = 1,000/5$$

$$\Delta G = 200$$

The Government must increase G by 200 in order to close a 1,000 Recessionary Gap

Effect on Consumption:

$$\Delta C = \Delta Y (MPC)$$

$$\Delta C = 1,000(0.8) = 800$$

Effect on the Budget Deficit:

$$\Delta$$
 Deficit =  $\Delta G - \Delta T$ 

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 Deficit = 200 - 0 = 200

A 200 increase in G will increase the Deficit by 200

