

Advanced Modern Macroeconomics

Dynamic Analysis and AS-AD

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Chapter 8: Dynamic Analysis and AS-AD

Chapter Summary

- Labor-leisure, 2-period intertemporal trade-offs combined
- Using standard dynamic model with infinite horizon.
- Yet in "recursive dynamic" form: with only 2 time periods.
 - Recursive model: given "state" variable, capital k_t .
 - Makes utility a function of the state variable
 - Given k_t , choose investment through choice of k_{t+1} .
- Similar margins as before, but now fully dynamic.
- Dynamic update of aggregate supply (AS), demand (AD)
 - AS and AD depend upon state variable k_t .
 - Need stationary state equilibrium k_t to get AS – AD.
 - First derive consumer demand as function of w_t , k_t .
 - Add investment to get AD; get AS from firm given w_t , k_t .
 - Solving capital stock k_t requires all equilibrium conditions:
 - most challenging part, a focus of Chapter 10.
- Comparative static shifts in AS – AD,
 - plus general equilibrium graphs of output, inputs.

Building on the Last Chapters

- Simultaneous combination of previous margins
- Part 2 analyzed labor-leisure margin: same here.
- Part 3 two-period intertemporal consumption margin
 - Now infinite time instead of 2 periods.
 - Initial capital $k_0 = 0$ assumed in Part 3,
 - now equilibrium k_t given at time t .
 - Depreciation rate $\delta_k \in (0, 1)$, not 1 as before.
- AD depends upon wage rate: Part 2; interest rate: Part 3,
 - on both rates here.
 - Assuming exogenous growth implies interest rate.
 - This allows $AS - AD$ to depend only on w_t, k_t .
 - Endogenous growth: Part 5 with modified $AS - AD$.

Learning Objective

- $AS - AD$ dynamic formulation, comparative statics.
- Must see role of capital stock as state variable.
- AD : Consumption demand, permanent income concept
- AS : as in static model way
- Changes in any exogenous parameter: new k_t , $AS - AD$.

Who Made It Happen

- Frank Ramsey 1928 did all dynamic analysis here.
- Ramsey attributed this to his mentor Keynes;
- Dynamic theory here more than 80 years old,
- and main foundation of modern macroeconomics.
- Ramsey did both centralized, decentralized problems
- Ramsey analysis: also gives economic growth rate.
 - as determined by interest rate, time preference.
 - Ramsey no-growth equilibrium seen in this chapter
- Recursive framework: Stokey, Lucas and Prescott (1989).
- Permanent income: Friedman (1957).

The Recursive Problem

- "Recursive utility $V(k_t)$ " : equilibrium over two periods $t, t + 1$;
- Given state k_t .

$$V(k_t) = \underset{c_t, x_t, k_{t+1}}{\text{Max}} : u(c_t, x_t) + \beta V(k_{t+1}). \quad (1)$$

- "Trick": reducing infinite horizon problem 2 periods.

$$V(k_t) = u(c_t, x_t) + \beta V(k_{t+1}) = \sum_{s=t}^{\infty} \beta^{s-t} u(c_s, x_s); \quad (2)$$

Recursive Utility as Infinite Sequence

$$V(k_t) = u(c_t, x_t) + \beta V(k_{t+1});$$

$$V(k_{t+1}) = u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1}) + \beta V(k_{t+2}).$$

$$V(k_t) = u(c_t, x_t) + \beta [u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1}) + \beta V(k_{t+2})];$$

$$V(k_t) = u(c_t, x_t) + \beta u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1}) + \beta^2 V(k_{t+2}).$$

$$V(k_{t+2}) = u(c_{t+2}, x_{t+2}) + \beta V(k_{t+3}).$$

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$$V(k_t) = u(c_t, x_t) + \beta u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1}) + \beta^2 [u(c_{t+2}, x_{t+2}) + \beta V(k_{t+3})];$$

$$V(k_t) = u(c_t, x_t) + \beta u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1}) + \beta^2 u(c_{t+2}, x_{t+2}) + \beta^3 V(k_{t+3}).$$

Plus "transversality condition" $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} [\beta^t V(k_t)] = 0.$

General Equilibrium Representative Agent Problem

$$u(c_t, x_t) = \ln c_t + \alpha \ln x_t. \quad (3)$$

$$y_t = A l_t^\gamma k_t^{1-\gamma}, \quad (4)$$

$$y_t = c_t + i_t. \quad (5)$$

$$k_{t+1} = i_t + (1 - \delta_k) k_t,$$

$$i_t = k_{t+1} - k_t (1 - \delta_k). \quad (6)$$

$$T = x_t + l_t. \quad (7)$$

$$V(k_t) = \underset{c_t, x_t, l_t, k_{t+1}}{\text{Max}} : u(c_t, x_t) + \beta V(k_{t+1}), \quad (8)$$

$$V(k_t) = \underset{l_t, k_{t+1}}{\text{Max}} : u\left(A l_t^\gamma k_t^{1-\gamma} - k_{t+1} + k_t (1 - \delta_k), T - l_t\right) + \beta V(k_{t+1}). \quad (9)$$

Equilibrium and Envelope Conditions

Equilibrium

$$0 = \frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial c_t} (\gamma A l_t^{\gamma-1} k_t^{1-\gamma}) + \frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial x_t} (-1);$$

$$0 = \frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial c_t} (-1) + \beta \frac{\partial V(k_{t+1})}{\partial k_{t+1}}.$$

Envelope:

$$\frac{\partial V(k_t)}{\partial k_t} = \frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial c_t} \left[(1 - \gamma) A l_t^\gamma k_t^{-\gamma} + (1 - \delta_k) \right].$$

Combining to get standard "Euler Equation" (Intertemporal Margin):

First bring forward time index in Envelope,

then substitute in 2nd Equilibrium condition (for k_{t+1}):

$$\frac{\partial V(k_{t+1})}{\partial k_{t+1}} = \frac{\partial u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1})}{\partial c_{t+1}} \left[(1 - \gamma) A l_{t+1}^\gamma k_{t+1}^{-\gamma} + (1 - \delta_k) \right].$$

$$\frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial c_t} = \beta \frac{\partial u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1})}{\partial c_{t+1}} \left[(1 - \gamma) A l_{t+1}^\gamma k_{t+1}^{-\gamma} + (1 - \delta_k) \right].$$

Two Standard Margins: Intertemporal, Intratemporal

$$\begin{aligned} MRS_{c_t, c_{t+1}} &= \frac{\frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial c_t}}{\beta \frac{\partial u(c_{t+1}, x_{t+1})}{\partial c_{t+1}}} = 1 + (1 - \gamma) A I_{t+1}^\gamma k_{t+1}^{-\gamma} - \delta_k \\ &= 1 + MP_{k_{t+1}} - \delta_k. \end{aligned}$$

Log Utility:

$$\frac{c_{t+1}}{c_t} = \frac{1 + \left[(1 - \gamma) A_G I_{t+1}^\gamma k_{t+1}^{-\gamma} \right] - \delta_k}{1 + \rho}.$$

$$MP_{l_t} = \gamma A_G I_t^{\gamma-1} k_t^{1-\gamma} = \frac{\frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial x_t}}{\frac{\partial u(c_t, x_t)}{\partial c_t}} = \frac{\frac{\alpha}{x_t}}{\frac{1}{c_t}} = MRS_{x, c}.$$

Decentralized:

$$\frac{c_{t+1}}{c_t} = \frac{1 + r_{t+1} - \delta_k}{1 + \rho}; \quad w_t = \frac{\frac{\alpha}{x_t}}{\frac{1}{c_t}}$$

Comparison to Part 3

- Part 3, Chapt. 5, 6, 7: y_0 given, $y_1 = Ak_1^{1-\gamma}$, $y_0 = c_0 + k_1$.
 - Savings/investment decision: k_1 .
- With Part 4 capital accumulation, $k_0 = 0$ (or $\delta_k = 1$),
 - get that $i_0 = k_1 - k_0(1 - \delta_k) = k_1$,
 - as in Part 3: $i_0 = k_1$ in Chapt 5-7.
- Part 3: no investment in period 1: $i_1 = 0$, $c_1 = y_1$;
 - in Part 4: positive investment in period $t + 1$, and on;
 - in Part 4: $y_t = c_t + i_t$ for all t ,
 - with $i_t > 0$ if at least 0 growth or positive growth.

Decentralized Consumer Problems

- Savings s_t :

$$s_t = k_{t+1}^s - k_t^s (1 - \delta_k). \quad (10)$$

- Income: wages $w_t l_t^s$, rental income $r_t k_t^s$, profit Π_t .
- Consumption equals income minus savings:

$$c_t^d = w_t l_t^s + r_t k_t^s + \Pi_t - k_{t+1}^s + k_t^s (1 - \delta_k).$$

$$V(k_t^s) = \underset{c_t^d, x_t, l_t^s, k_{t+1}^s}{\text{Max}} : u(c_t^d, x_t) + \beta V(k_{t+1}^s),$$

$$V(k_t^s) =$$

$$\underset{l_t^s, k_{t+1}^s}{\text{Max}} : u[w_t l_t^s + r_t k_t^s + \Pi_t - k_{t+1}^s + k_t^s (1 - \delta_k), T - l_t] + \beta V(k_{t+1}^s).$$

Consumer Equilibrium

$$0 = \frac{\partial u(c_t^d, x_t)}{\partial c_t} w_t - \frac{\partial u(c_t^d, x_t)}{\partial x_t};$$

$$0 = \frac{-\partial u(c_t^d, x_t)}{\partial c_t^d} + \beta \frac{\partial V(k_{t+1}^s)}{\partial k_{t+1}^s}.$$

$$\text{Envelope} : \frac{\partial V(k_t^s)}{\partial k_t^s} = \frac{\partial u(c_t^d, x_t)}{\partial c_t^d} (1 + r_t - \delta_k).$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{c_{t+1}^d}{c_t^d} = \frac{1 + r_{t+1} - \delta_k}{1 + \rho}, \quad w_t = \frac{\frac{\alpha}{x_t}}{\frac{1}{c_t^d}}.$$

$$\text{TECHNOLOGY} \quad : \quad y_t = A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma \left(k_t^d \right)^{1-\gamma},$$

$$\text{Max}_{y_t, l_t^d, k_t^d} \Pi_t = y_t - w_t l_t^d - r_t k_t^d;$$

$$\text{Max}_{l_t^d, k_t^d} \Pi_t = A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma \left(k_t^d \right)^{1-\gamma} - w_t l_t^d - r_t k_t^d :$$

$$w_t = \gamma A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^{\gamma-1} \left(k_t^d \right)^{1-\gamma},$$

$$r_t = (1 - \gamma) A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma \left(k_t^d \right)^{-\gamma}.$$

Note Zero Profit: $w_t l_t^d = \gamma y_t$, and $r_t k_t^d = (1 - \gamma) y_t \implies$

$$\Pi_t = y_t - w_t l_t^d - r_t k_t^d = y_t - \gamma y_t - (1 - \gamma) y_t = 0.$$

Firm, Consumer: Same Budget/Profit Line

Firm:

$$y_t = c_t^s + i_t^d.$$

$$i_t = k_{t+1}^d - k_t^d (1 - \delta_k),$$

$$y_t = c_t^s + k_{t+1}^d - k_t^d (1 - \delta_k).$$

$$\text{profit} : y_t - w_t l_t^d - r_t k_t^d = \Pi_t,$$

$$w_t l_t^d + r_t k_t^d + \Pi_t = c_t^s + k_{t+1}^d - k_t^d (1 - \delta_k),$$

$$c_t^s = w_t l_t^d + r_t k_t^d + \Pi_t - k_{t+1}^d + k_t^d (1 - \delta_k).$$

Consumer:

$$c_t^d = w_t l_t^s + r_t k_t^s + \Pi_t - k_{t+1}^s + k_t^s (1 - \delta_k).$$

Given Market Clearing:

$$k_t^s = k_t^d, l_t^s = l_t^d.$$

Firm, Consumer: Market/Budget/Profit Line is Same

Aggregate Demand: AD

- Aggregate demand:
 - Sum of demand for goods for by consumer for consumption,
 - and demand for goods by firm as capital inputs in production.
- Consumer Demand:

$$x_t = \frac{\alpha c_t^d}{w_t}, \quad x_t = T - l_t, \implies l_t^s = T - \frac{\alpha c_t^d}{w_t}.$$

$$c_t^d = w_t \left(T - \frac{\alpha c_t^d}{w_t} \right) + r_t k_t + \Pi_t - k_{t+1} + k_t (1 - \delta_k).$$

$$c_t^d = \frac{w_t T + r_t k_t + \Pi_t - k_{t+1} + k_t (1 - \delta_k)}{1 + \alpha},$$

$$c_t^d = \frac{w_t T + \Pi_t + k_t \left(1 + r_t - \delta_k - \frac{k_{t+1}}{k_t} \right)}{1 + \alpha}.$$

Zero Growth Implications for Consumer Demand

$$\frac{k_{t+1}}{k_t} = 1; k_{t+1} = k_t = k_{t-1} = \dots$$

$$\implies c_t^d = \quad (11)$$

$$\frac{w_t T + \Pi_t + k_t \left(1 + r_t - \delta_k - \frac{k_{t+1}}{k_t}\right)}{1 + \alpha} = \frac{[w_t T + \Pi_t + k_t (r_t - \delta_k)]}{1 + \alpha} \quad (12)$$

$$\frac{c_{t+1}^d}{c_t^d} = 1; c_{t+1} = c_t = c_{t-1} = \dots$$

$$\frac{c_{t+1}^d}{c_t^d} = \frac{1 + r_t - \delta_k}{1 + \rho};$$

$$\implies r_t - \delta_k = \rho;$$

$$\implies c_t^d = \frac{w_t T + \Pi_t + k_t \rho}{1 + \alpha}; \Pi_t = 0 \implies c_t^d = \frac{w_t T + k_t \rho}{1 + \alpha}. \quad (13)$$

Consumption, Permanent Income, Wealth

- Consumption a fraction of Permanent Income:

$$c_t^d = \frac{w_t T + \rho k_t}{1 + \alpha}, \quad (14)$$

$$y_{pt} \equiv w_t T + \rho k_t, \quad (15)$$

$$c_t^d = \left(\frac{1}{1 + \alpha} \right) y_{pt}, \quad (16)$$

- Permanent income: Interest flow on Human and Physical Capital Wealth

$$W_t = \frac{y_{pt}}{\rho} = \frac{w_t T + \rho k_t}{\rho} = \frac{w_t T + \rho k_t}{\rho} = \frac{w_t T}{\rho} + k_t, \quad (17)$$

- Consumption a fraction of Wealth:

$$c_t^d = \left(\frac{1}{1 + \alpha} \right) y_{pt} = \left(\frac{\rho}{1 + \alpha} \right) W_t$$

Adding Capital Maintenance to Derive AD

$$\begin{aligned}i_t &= k_{t+1}^d - k_t^d (1 - \delta_k), \\k_{t+1}^d &= k_t^d, \\i_t &= k_t^d - k_t^d (1 - \delta_k) = \delta_k k_t^d. \\k_t^s &= k_t^d = k_t,\end{aligned}$$

$$AD : y_t^d = c_t^d + i_t = \left(\frac{1}{1 + \alpha} [w_t T + \rho k_t] \right) + \delta_k k_t, \quad (18)$$

$$y_t^d = \frac{w_t T + k_t [\rho + (1 + \alpha) \delta_k]}{1 + \alpha}. \quad (19)$$

$$\text{Inversely : } \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{T}{y_t^d (1 + \alpha) - k_t [\rho + (1 + \alpha) \delta_k]}. \quad (20)$$

Aggregate Supply: AS

- Substitute firm labor demand into production function:

$$l_t^d = \left(\frac{\gamma A_G}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{1}{1-\gamma}} k_t.$$

$$y_t^s = A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma (k_t)^{1-\gamma}.$$

- AS as function of w_t , k_t :

$$AS : y_t^s = A_G (k_t)^{1-\gamma} \left(\frac{\gamma A_G}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} (k_t)^\gamma = A_G^{\frac{1}{1-\gamma}} \left(\frac{\gamma}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} k_t.$$

$$\text{Inversely : } \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{(y_t^s)^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}}{\gamma A_G^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}}.$$

Marginal Cost of Output

$$\text{Total Cost} \equiv TC_t = w_t l_t + r_t k_t;$$

$$l_t^d = \left(\frac{y_t}{A_G} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}};$$

$$TC_t = w_t \left[\left(\frac{y_t}{A_G} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} \right] + r_t k_t.$$

$$MC_t = \frac{\partial (TC_t)}{\partial y_t} = \frac{\partial \left[w_t \left(\frac{y_t}{A_G} \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} + (\rho + \delta_k) k_t \right]}{\partial y_t},$$

$$MC_t = \frac{w_t y_t^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}}{\gamma A_G^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}},$$

Goods Price Normalized to One

- Let P_t be price of output.
- Normalize this to one: $P_t = 1$.
- Microeconomic result that $P_t = MC_t$, implies $MC_t = 1$.
- The relative price of output is then $\frac{1}{w_t}$,
- giving the AS curve for graphing in terms of MC_t :

$$AS : \frac{MC_t}{w_t} \equiv \frac{1}{w_t} = \check{A} y_t^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}} ;$$
$$\check{A} \equiv \frac{1}{\gamma A_G^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}}$$

- Curvature of AS graph in $\left(\frac{1}{w_t} : y_t\right)$ space depends on $\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}$.

Baseline Calibration: Example 8.1

- $\gamma = \frac{1}{3}$, $\alpha = 0.5$, $T = 1$, $\rho = 0.03$, $A_G = 0.15$, $\delta_k = 0.03$.
- $r = \rho + \delta_k \implies r = 0.03 + 0.03 = 0.06$.
- Equilibrium k_t value: $k_t = 2.3148$.
- $\gamma = \frac{1}{3}$ gives convex AS supply curve;
 - Convexity implies increasing marginal cost: realistic.
 - used in Mankiw, Romer and Weil (1992).
 - $\gamma = \frac{2}{3}$ gives concave AS supply curve.
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$$AD : \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{1}{y_t^d (1 + 0.5) - 2.3148 [0.03 + (1.5) 0.03]}, \quad (21)$$

$$AS : \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{(y_t^s)^2}{\frac{1}{3} (0.15)^3 (2.3148)^2}, \quad (22)$$

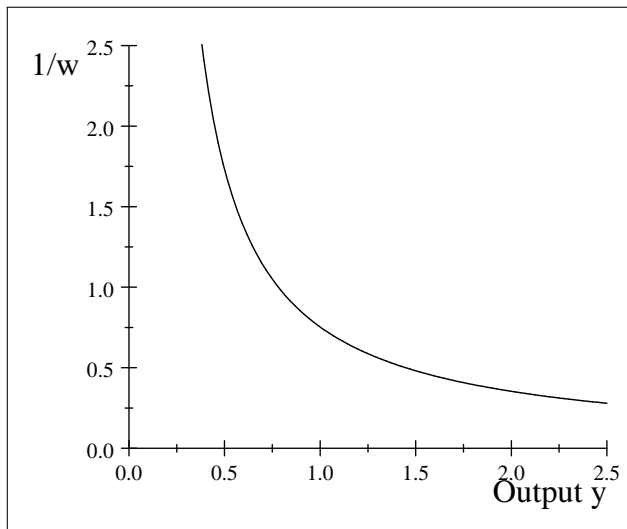


Figure 8.1. Baseline Dynamic Aggregate Output Demand AD

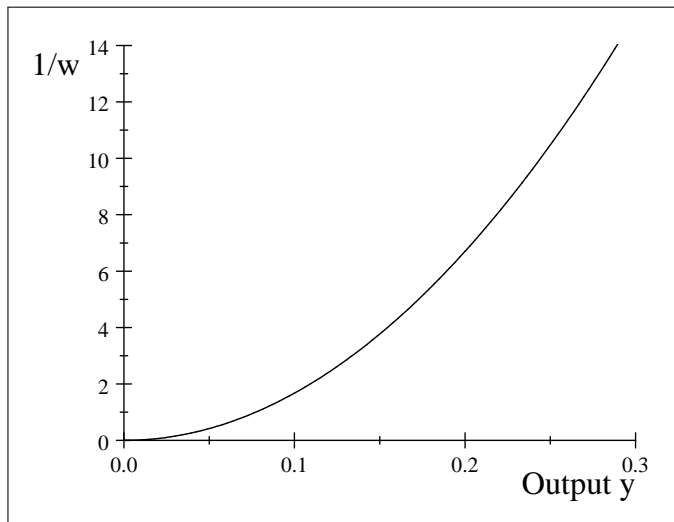


Figure 8.3. Baseline Dynamic Aggregate Output Supply AS

$$C+I=Y$$

Green: c^d ; Black: $c^d + i$:

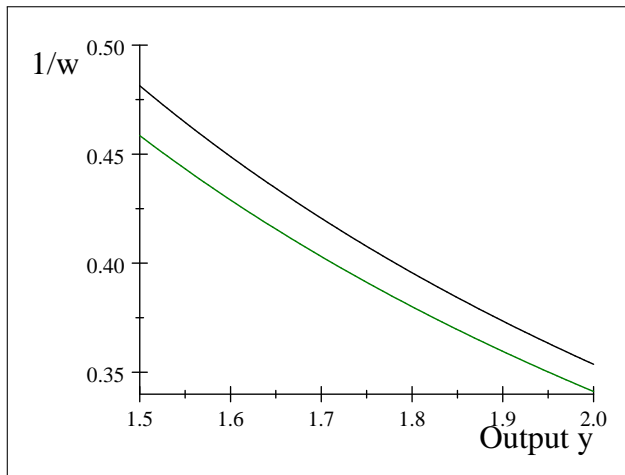


Figure 8.2 Aggregate Output Demand AD (black) and Consumption Demand (green)

Graphical AS-AD Equilibrium

$$\frac{1}{w} = 7.2; w = \frac{1}{7.2} = 0.13889.$$

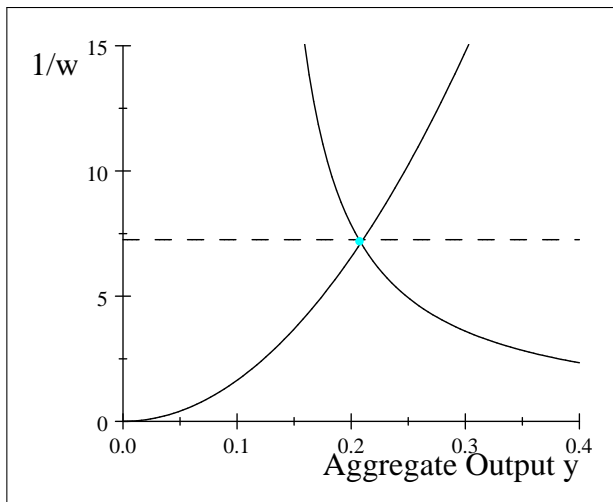


Figure 8.4. Baseline Dynamic AS – AD Equilibrium

Solving the Equilibrium Wage Rate

$$y_t^d = \frac{w_t T + k_t [\rho + (1 + \alpha) \delta_k]}{1 + \alpha} = A_G^{\frac{1}{1-\gamma}} \left(\frac{\gamma}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} k_t = y_t^s;$$

$$y_t^d - y_t^s = \frac{w_t T + k_t [\rho + (1 + \alpha) \delta_k]}{1 + \alpha} - A_G^{\frac{1}{1-\gamma}} \left(\frac{\gamma}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} k_t.$$

Excess Demand : $Y(w_t; k_t) \equiv y_t^d - y_t^s = 0,$

$$Y(w_t; k_t) = \frac{w_t T + k_t [\rho + (1 + \alpha) \delta_k]}{1 + \alpha} - A_G^{\frac{1}{1-\gamma}} \left(\frac{\gamma}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} k_t.$$

Given : $k_t = 2.3148 \implies$

$$0 = \frac{w_t + (2.3148) [0.03 + (1.5) 0.03]}{1.5} - (0.15)^{1.5} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (2.3148).$$

$$\implies w_t = 0.13889$$

Excess Demand $Y(w)$ Equals Zero at Equilibrium Wage

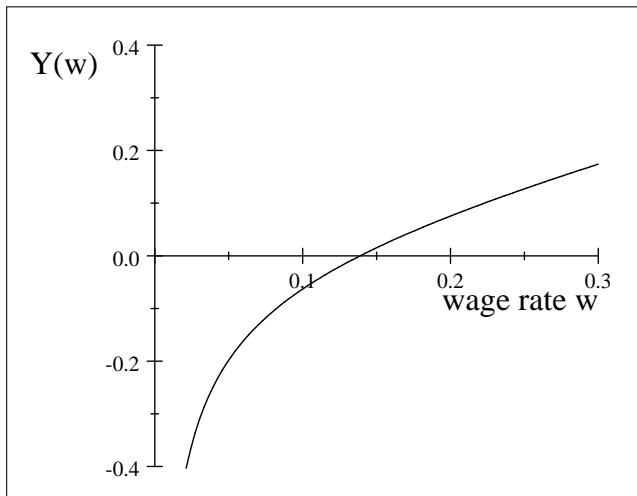


Figure 8.5. Excess Output Demand $Y(w_t)$ as a Function of the Wage Rate

Graphically Focus In on Exact Wage at $Y(w)=0$

$w = 0.13889$:

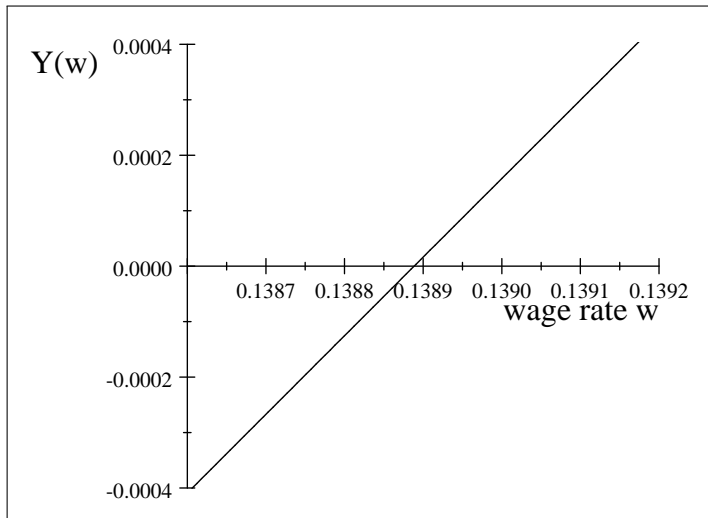


Figure 8.6. Excess Output Demand $Y(w_t)$ as a Function of the Wage Rate

Around Equilibrium Wage

- If $w < 0.13899$, relative price $\frac{1}{w_t}$ higher than equilibrium $\frac{1}{0.1389}$.
 - at high price, less demand for output than supply.
 - Excess demand is negative (positive excess supply).
- If $w > 0.13889$, relative price $\frac{1}{w}$ too low,
 - at low price, more demand for output than supply.
 - Excess demand is positive
- $Y(w_t) = 0$ at equilibrium w
 - aggregate supply of y equals aggregate demand for y .

Consumption to Output Ratio



$$\begin{aligned}y_t^s &= A_G^{\frac{1}{1-\gamma}} \left(\frac{\gamma}{w_t} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} k_t = (0.15)^{1.5} \left(\frac{1}{3(0.13889)} \right)^{0.5} 2.3148 \\ &= 0.20832.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}c_t^d &= \frac{1}{1+\alpha} (w_t + \rho k_t) = \frac{1}{1.5} (0.13889 + 0.03(2.3148)) \\ &= 0.13889.\end{aligned}$$

- Note, in this Example:

$$c_t^d = w_t = 0.13889.$$

$$\frac{c^d}{y^s} = \frac{0.13889}{0.20832} = \frac{2}{3} = \frac{\rho + \delta_k \gamma}{\rho + \delta_k} = \frac{0.03 + (0.03) \frac{1}{3}}{0.03 + 0.03}.$$

- Two-thirds of output consumed and one third invested.
- Savings rate: $1 - \frac{c^d}{y^s}$ is 1/3.

General Equilibrium: Input Market

Isocost line (red):

$$\text{Zero profit} \implies y_t = w_t l_t + r_t k_t.$$

$$0.20832 = (0.13889) l_t + (0.06) k_t;$$

$$k_t = \frac{0.20832}{0.06} - \frac{(0.13889) l_t}{0.06};$$

$$k_t = 3.472 - 2.3148 l_t.$$

Isoquant curve (blue): constant level of output, different inputs

$$0.20832 = y_t^s = A_G (l_t^d)^\gamma (k_t)^{1-\gamma} = 0.15 (l_t^d)^{\frac{1}{3}} (k_t)^{\frac{2}{3}};$$

$$k_t = \left(\frac{0.20832}{0.15 (l_t^d)^{\frac{1}{3}}} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{1.64}{(l_t^d)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

Factor input ratio (green):

$$k_t / l_t = (2.3148) / (0.50) = 4.63. \quad (23)$$

Input Market Equilibrium

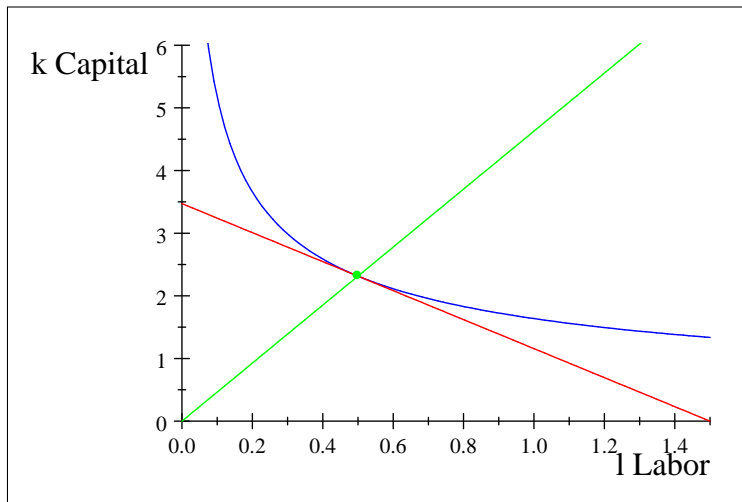


Figure 8.7. Factor Market Equilibrium in Example 8.1.

$$c_t^d = y_t^s - i_t = A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma \left(k_t \right)^{1-\gamma} - \delta_k k_t = 0.262 \left(l_t^d \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 0.069;$$

$$u = \ln c_t + \alpha \ln (1 - l_t) = \ln 0.13889 + 0.5 \ln 0.5 = -2.32,$$

$$c_t = \frac{e^{-2.32}}{(1 - l_t)^{0.5}}. \quad (24)$$

$$c_t^d = w_t l_t^s + \rho k_t^s = (0.13889) l_t^s + (0.03) (2.3148).$$

Tangency Between Production, Utility, Budget Lines

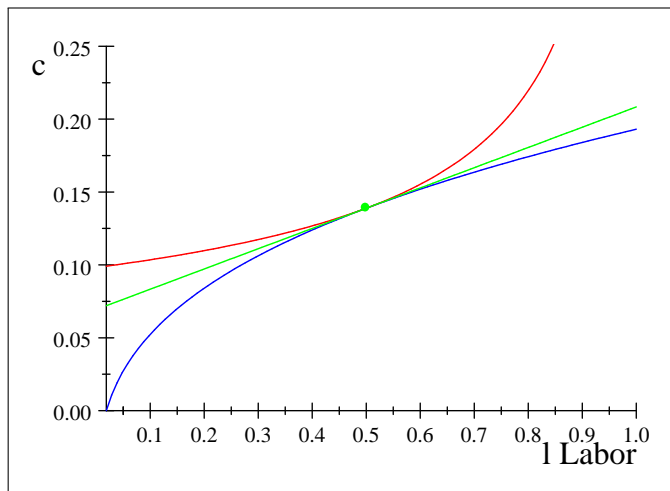


Figure 8.8. General Equilibrium Consumption and Utility Levels in Example 8.1.

Productivity Increase: Example 8.2

- A_G : 5% increase, 0.15 to 0.1575.
- Affects AS directly; $AS - AD$ through new k_t .
- $\gamma = \frac{1}{3}$, $\rho = 0.03$, $\delta_k = 0.03$, $T = 1$, $\alpha = 0.5$.
- k_t increases from 2.3148 to 2.6797, or 15.75%.

$$AD : \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{1}{y_t (1.5) - 2.6797 (0.03 + (1.5) 0.03)}. \quad (25)$$

$$AS : \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{(y_t^s)^2}{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) (0.1575)^3 (2.6797)^2}. \quad (26)$$

AD-AD Shift Back, Relative Price Rises

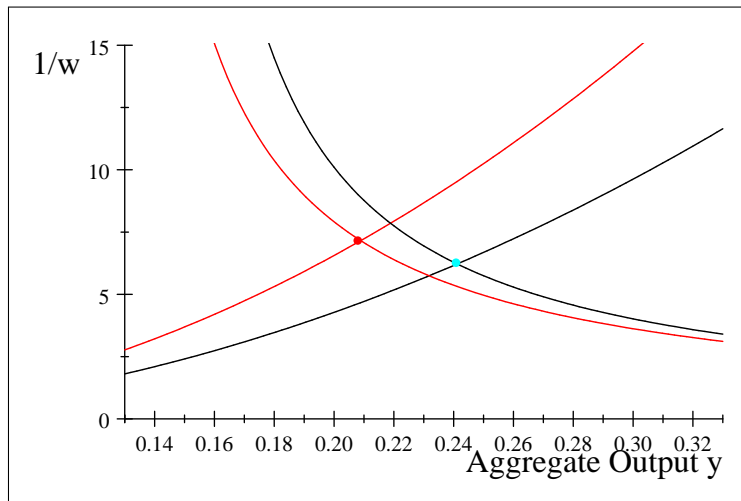


Figure 8.9. AS – AD Equilibrium with Goods Productivity Increase (in black) in Example 8.2, compared to the Baseline (in red) of Example 8.1.

Equilibrium Wage

$$Y(w_t) = y_t^d - y_t^s = \frac{w_t + (2.6797) [0.03 + (1.5) 0.03]}{1.5} - (0.1575)^{1.5} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (2.6797).$$
$$\implies w_t = 0.16078.$$

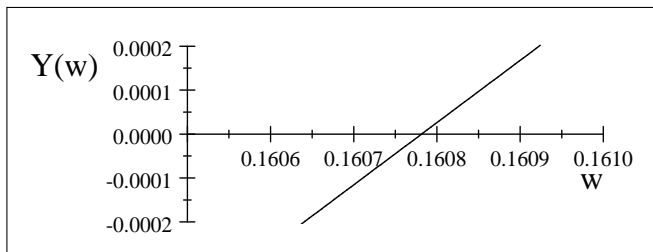


Figure 8.10. Excess Output Demand $Y(w_t)$ with a Goods Productivity Increase in Example 8.2.

Consumption and Output

$$c_t^d = \frac{1}{1.5} (0.16078 + 0.03 (2.6797)) = 0.16078.$$

$$y_t^s = (0.1575)^{1.5} \left(\frac{1}{3 (0.16078)} \right)^{0.5} 2.6797 = 0.24117.$$

$$\frac{c^d}{y^s} = \frac{0.16078}{0.24117} = 0.667.$$

Same consumption and savings rate.

Input Market with Productivity Increase

Isocost line (dark red):

$$\begin{aligned}y_t &= w_t l_t + r_t k_t, \\0.24117 &= (0.16078) l_t + (0.06) k_t, \\k_t &= 4.0195 - (2.6797) l_t.\end{aligned}\tag{27}$$

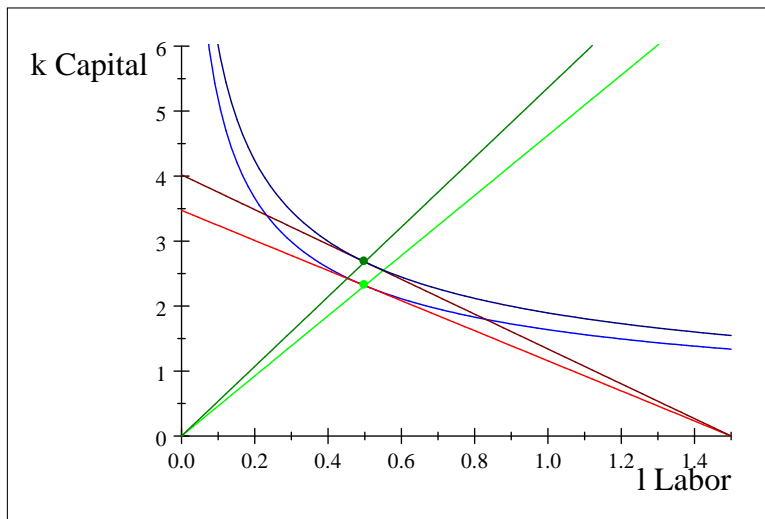
Isoquant curve (navy blue): constant level of output, different inputs

$$\begin{aligned}0.24117 &= y_t^s = A_G (l_t^d)^\gamma (k_t)^{1-\gamma} = 0.1575 (l_t^d)^{\frac{1}{3}\gamma} (k_t)^{\frac{2}{3}}; \\k_t &= \left(\frac{(0.24117)}{0.1575 (l_t^d)^{\frac{1}{3}}} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = k_t = \frac{1.8948}{(l_t^d)^{\frac{1}{2}}}.\end{aligned}\tag{28}$$

Factor input ratio (dark green):

$$\frac{k_t}{l_t} = \frac{2.6797}{0.50} = 5.3594.\tag{29}$$

Isoquant Shift Up, Isocost Pivots Up, Input Ratio Up



Example 8.11. Factor Market Equilibrium with Goods Productivity Increase of Example 8.2.

$$c_t^d = y_t^s - i_t = A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma \left(k_t \right)^{1-\gamma} - \delta_k k_t = 0.3 \left(l_t^d \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 0.08,$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \ln c_t + \alpha \ln (1 - l_t) \\ &= \ln 0.16078 + 0.5 \ln 0.5 = -2.1743, \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

$$c_t = \frac{e^{-2.17}}{(1 - l_t)^{0.5}}. \quad (31)$$

$$c_t^d = w_t l_t^s + \rho k_t^s = (0.161) l_t^s + (0.03) (2.68). \quad (32)$$

Tangency Moves Upwards, Same Labor

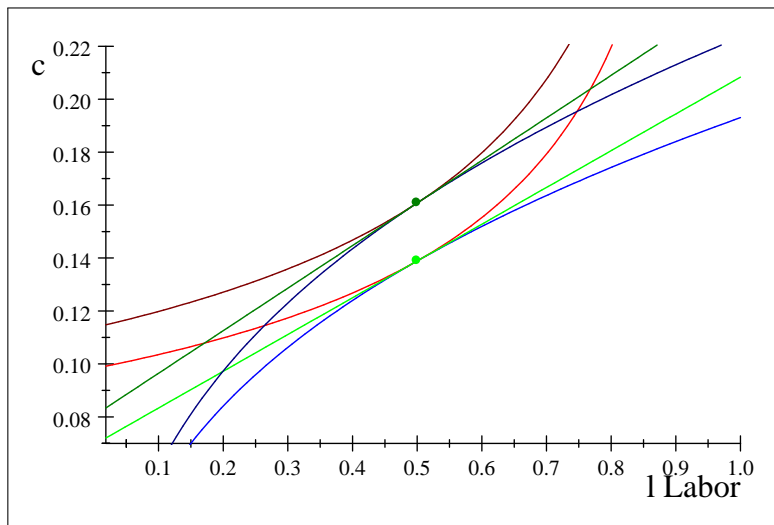


Figure 8.12. General Equilibrium with Goods Productivity Increase of Example 8.2.

Time Endowment Increase: Example 8.3

$T = 1 \implies T = 1.05$. k_t : rises to 2.4306.

$$1.05 = x_t + l_t, \quad l_t^s = 1.05 - \frac{\alpha c_t^d}{w_t}.$$

$$c_t^d = w_t \left(1.05 - \frac{\alpha c_t^d}{w_t} \right) + r_t k_t - k_{t+1} + k_t (1 - \delta_k);$$

$$c_t^d = \frac{1.05 w_t + r_t k_t - k_{t+1} + k_t (1 - \delta_k)}{1 + \alpha} = \frac{1}{1 + \alpha} (1.05 w_t + \rho k_t).$$

$$y_t^d = \frac{1}{1 + \alpha} (1.05 w_t + k_t [\rho + (1 + \alpha) \delta_k]).$$

$$AD : \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{1.05}{y_t^d (1.5) - 2.43 (0.03 + (1.5) 0.03)}.$$

$$AS : \frac{1}{w_t} = \frac{(y_t^s)^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}}{\gamma A_G^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} (k_t)^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}} = \frac{3 (y_t^s)^2}{(0.15)^3 (2.43)^2}.$$

AS-AD Shift Out, Wage the Same

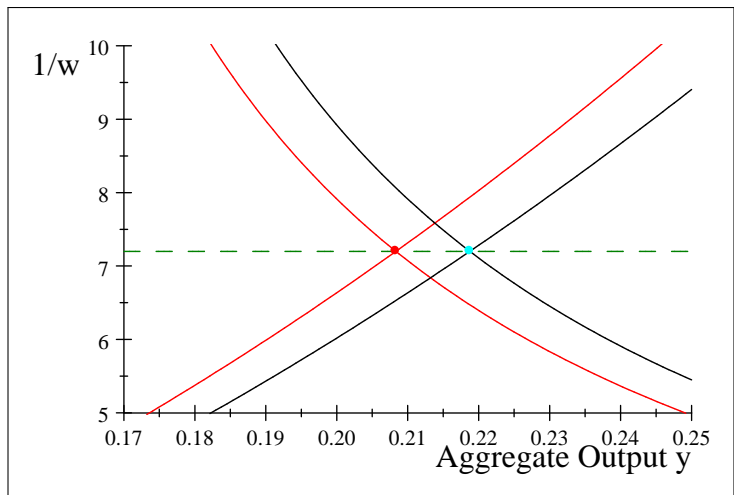


Figure 8.13. Shift in AS – AD with Time Endowment Increase

Equilibrium Wage

$$Y(w_t) = \frac{1.05w_t + (2.43)(0.03 + (1.5)0.03)}{1.5} - (0.15)^{1.5} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{w_t} 2.43$$
$$\implies w = 0.13889.$$

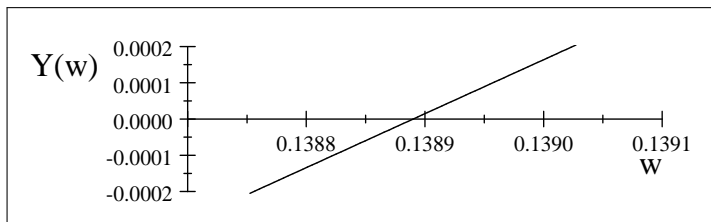


Figure 8.14. Excess Output Demand $Y(w_t)$ with a Time Endowment Increase

$$c_t^d = \frac{1}{1.5} ((1.05) 0.1389 + 0.03 (2.43)) = 0.1458,$$

$$y_t^d = \frac{1}{1.5} [1.05 (0.139) + 2.43 (0.03 + (1.5) 0.03)] = 0.219.$$

$$\frac{c^d}{y^d} = \frac{0.14584}{0.21876} = \frac{2}{3}.$$

Again, the same consumption and savings rate.

Input Market with Time Endowment Increase

Budget Line:

$$\begin{aligned} 0.21876 &= y_t = w_t l_t + r_t k_t = (0.13889) l_t + (0.06) k_t, \\ k_t &= 3.646 - (2.3148) l_t. \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

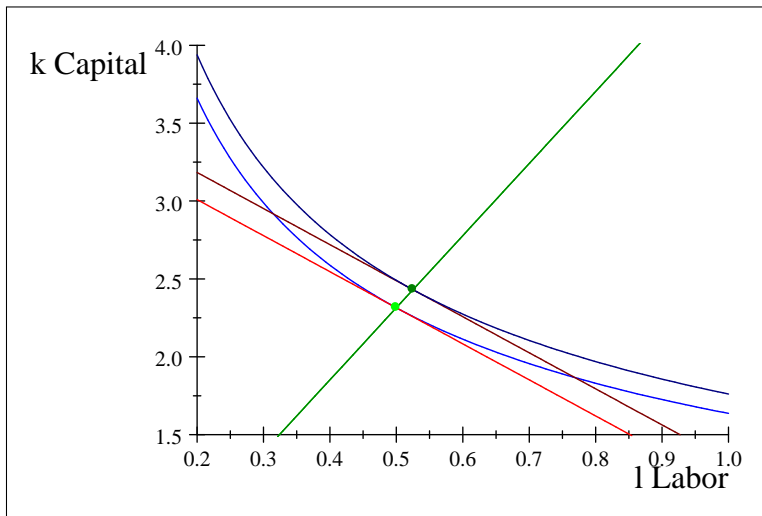
Isoquant curve:

$$\begin{aligned} 0.21876 &= y_t^s = A_G \left(l_t^d \right)^\gamma \left(k_t \right)^{1-\gamma} = 0.15 \left(l_t^d \right)^{\frac{1}{3}\gamma} \left(k_t \right)^{\frac{2}{3}}, \\ k_t &= \left(\frac{(0.21876)}{0.15 \left(l_t^d \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{1.7612}{\left(l_t^d \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}. \end{aligned} \quad (34)$$

Input ratio:

$$\begin{aligned} l_t^d &= \left(\frac{0.21876}{0.15 (2.4306)^{\frac{2}{3}}} \right)^3 = 0.52505, \\ \frac{k_t}{l_t} &= \frac{2.4306}{0.52505} = 4.6293. \end{aligned}$$

Employment Rises, Factor Ratio Unchanged



Example 8.15. Factor Market Equilibrium with Time Endowment Increase of Example 8.3.

New Production, Utility, Budget Line

$$\begin{aligned}c_t^d &= y_t^s - i_t = A_G \left(l_t^d\right)^\gamma \left(k_t\right)^{1-\gamma} - \delta_k k_t, \\c_t^d &= (0.15) \left(l_t^d\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} (2.4306)^{\frac{2}{3}} - (0.03) (2.4306), \\c_t^d &= 0.27116 \left(l_t^d\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 0.072918;\end{aligned}\tag{35}$$

$$\begin{aligned}-2.2475 &= u = \ln c_t + \alpha \ln (1.05 - l_t), \\&= \ln 0.14584 + 0.5 \ln (1.05 - 0.52505), \\c_t &= \frac{e^{-2.2475}}{(1.05 - l_t)^{0.5}}.\end{aligned}\tag{36}$$

$$c_t^d = w_t l_t^s + \rho k_t^s = (0.139) l_t^s + (0.03) (2.43).\tag{37}$$

Production Curve Pivots Up, Labor Rises

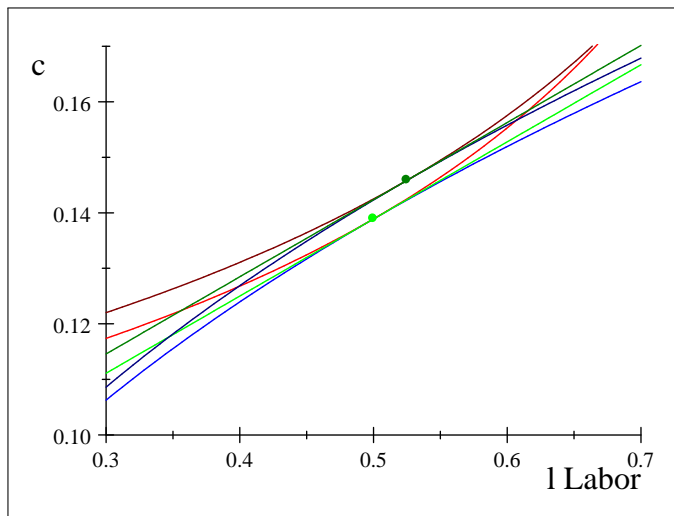


Figure 8.16. General Equilibrium with Time Endowment Increase of Example 8.3.

Application: AS, AD Shifts

- Comparative static changes: both AS and AD often shift.
 - A result of the role of capital stock, which changes.
 - Empirical identification as supply or demand shift hazardous.
- A_G change causes shifts both AS , AD .
 - Characterized as Supply shift
 - Yet consumer's permanent income rises.
 - AS shifts out by more than AD in example.
- Time endowment causes equal shift out in AS , AD
 - Supply side shift? or Demand side shift?
- Both changes at once: "net" AS shift,
 - but two very different factors causing result.
- Characterizing business cycle as supply shift
 - obscures AD changes,
 - obscures other factors, like time change.

Application: A View of Supply Side Economics

- Arnold Harberger 1998: "real cost reduction" of A_G growth.
- Economy reduces marginal cost, enables economic growth.
 - A_G increase causes marginal cost to shift down.
 - And AS curve shifts out.
 - Harberger: research, development, reduces cost.
- "Supply Side Economics" : focus on A_G as main force.
 - Can view as goods endowment increase, given technology.
- Say's Law: AS shifts out, "supply creates own demand"
 - marginal cost decrease causes relative price of output to fall
 - consumer moves along, down, AD .
 - But, with dynamic $AS - AD$, capital stock also shifts AD .

Application: Supply Side and Growth

- Harberger: prescription for long term growth
 - engender reductions in marginal cost.
 - Improving national institutions for market economy,
 - easing trade restrictions,
 - and minimizing taxes.
- Also traditional growth view:
 - time endowment focus instead of goods endowment.
 - Through infrastructure of education.
 - Increasing education also "supply-side economics".
 - Endogenous growth in Part 5, with human capital.