



A larger marginal propensity to consume makes the consumption function steeper. Factors such as a change in consumption $\frac{1}{2}$ Real GDP cause this.

b) This line demonstrates at which points the aggregate expenditures are equal to level of output or national income

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- I = 5 billion
- G = 4 billion
- X = 2 billion
- T = 0

a) marginal propensity to consume = 0.6 billion or

$$y = \left(\frac{1}{1-c_1} \right) (c_0 - c_1 T + I + G + X)$$

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multiplier

$$= \frac{1}{1-0.6} = \boxed{2.5}$$

autonomous expenditure

$$c_0 = 5 \quad 5 - 0.6(0) + 5 + 4 + 2$$

$$T = 0 \quad 5 + 5 + 4 + 2$$

$$I = 5 \quad 10 + 6$$

$$G = 4 \quad = \boxed{16}$$

$$X = 2$$

c) national saving

$$S = Y - C - G$$

$$C = 5 - 0 + 0.6(40)$$

$$C = 29$$

$$Y = 2.5(16)$$

$$= 40$$

40 = income at point of spending balance

$$S = 40 - 29 - 4$$

$$= 7$$