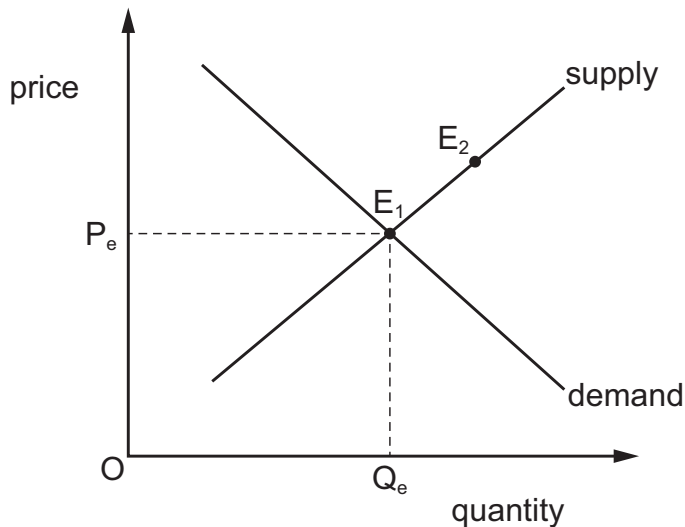


- 5 The diagram shows the supply and demand curves for a good. The initial market equilibrium is given at point E_1 . There is a change in the market that leads to a new equilibrium at E_2 .



What is the cause of the change in the market equilibrium?

- A a decrease in the price of a substitute good
- B a decrease in raw material prices
- C an increase in the price of a substitute good
- D an increase in raw material prices