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Exercise 1**Sequential problem:**

$$\max \sum_{t=0}^{\infty} \beta^t [\ln C_t + \phi \ln (1 - l_{ct} - l_{kt})] \quad X_{ct} = \exp(\gamma_{ct}) \quad X_{kt} = \exp(\gamma_{kt})$$

$$K_{ct}^{\theta} (X_{ct} l_{ct})^{1-\theta} \geq C_t \quad K_{kt}^{\theta} (X_{kt} l_{kt})^{1-\theta} \geq I_{ct} + I_{kt}$$

$$I_{ct} = K_{ct+1} - (1 - \delta) K_{ct} \geq 0 \quad I_{kt} = K_{kt+1} - (1 - \delta) K_{kt} \geq 0$$

$$\text{Growth rates: } \theta d \ln K_c + (1 - \theta) d \ln X_c = d \ln C, \quad \theta d \ln K_k + (1 - \theta) d \ln X_k = d \ln I$$

$$\frac{I_c}{K_c} = \frac{K_{ct+1}}{K_{ct}} - (1 - \delta) = \text{const} \quad \frac{I_k}{K_k} = \frac{K_{kt+1}}{K_{kt}} - (1 - \delta) = \text{const}$$

$$\text{Hence, } d \ln I_c = d \ln K_c = d \ln I_k = d \ln K_k = d \ln X_k = \gamma_k \Rightarrow d \ln C = \theta \gamma_k + (1 - \theta) \gamma_c.$$

To detrend divide capital and investment by X_{kt} and consumption by $X_{kt}^{\theta} X_{ct}^{1-\theta}$.

Detrended sequential problem:

$$\max \sum_{t=0}^{\infty} \beta^t [\ln c_t + \phi \ln (1 - l_{ct} - l_{kt}) + (\theta \gamma_k + (1 - \theta) \gamma_c) t] \quad \text{s.t.} \quad c_t \leq \tilde{k}_{ct}^{\theta} (l_{ct})^{1-\theta}$$

$$i_{ct} + i_{kt} \leq \tilde{k}_{kt}^{\theta} l_{kt}^{1-\theta} \quad i_{ct} = \gamma_k \tilde{k}_{ct+1} - (1 - \delta) \tilde{k}_{ct} \geq 0 \quad i_{kt} = \gamma_k \tilde{k}_{kt+1} - (1 - \delta) \tilde{k}_{kt} \geq 0$$

$$\text{Firm K problem: } \max_{\tilde{k}_k, l_k} p(K_c, K_k) \tilde{k}_k^{\theta} l_k^{1-\theta} - R_k(K_c, K_k) \tilde{k}_k - W(K_c, K_k) l_k$$

$$\text{Firm C problem: } \max_{\tilde{k}_c, l_c} \tilde{k}_c^{\theta} l_c^{1-\theta} - R_c(K_c, K_k) \tilde{k}_c - W(K_c, K_k) l_c$$

$$\text{Consumer problem: } v(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k) = \max_{c, k'_c, k'_k, l, x_c, x_k} [\ln c + \phi \ln (1 - l) + \beta v(k'_c, k'_k, K'_c, K'_k)] \text{ s.t.}$$

$$c + p(K_c, K_k) (x_c + x_k) \leq W(K_c, K_k) l + R_c(K_c, K_k) k_c + R_k(K_c, K_k) k_k, \quad K'_k = H_k(K_c, K_k),$$

$$x_c = \gamma_k k'_c - (1 - \delta) k_c \geq 0, \quad x_k = \gamma_k k'_k - (1 - \delta) k_k \geq 0, \quad K'_c = H_c(K_c, K_k).$$

Recursive competitive equilibrium includes:

- 1) Value function $v(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$
- 2) Decision rules for consumers, $k'_c(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$, $k'_k(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$, $c(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$, $l(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$, $x_c(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$, $x_k(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k)$
- 3) Decision rules for firm K: $l_k(K_c, K_k)$, $\tilde{k}_k(K_c, K_k)$
- 4) Decision rules for firm C: $l_c(K_c, K_k)$, $\tilde{k}_c(K_c, K_k)$
- 5) Price functions: $R_c(K_c, K_k)$, $R_k(K_c, K_k)$, $W(K_c, K_k)$, $p(K_c, K_k)$
- 6) Laws of motion of aggregate capitals: $H_c(K_c, K_k)$, $H_k(K_c, K_k)$

s.t.

a) decision rules are solutions to agents' problems given prices

b) Markets clear given the state (K_c, K_k) :

$$\tilde{k}_c = k_c = K_c, \quad \tilde{k}_k = k_k = K_k, \quad l_c + l_k = l, \quad c = K_c^{\theta} l_c^{1-\theta}, \quad x_c + x_k = K_k^{\theta} l_k^{1-\theta}$$

c) Perceptions are correct: $H_k(K_c, K_k) = k'_k(K_c, K_k, K_c, K_k)$, $H_c(K_c, K_k) = k'_c(K_c, K_k, K_c, K_k)$

Steady-state: $k_c, k_k, l_c, l_k, c, i, p, W, R_c, R_k$.

$$v(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k) = \max_{k'_c, k'_k, l} \left[\ln \{ Wl + R_c k_c + R_k k_k - p(\gamma_k k'_c - (1 - \delta) k_c + \gamma_k k'_k - (1 - \delta) k_k) \} + \phi \ln (1 - l) + \beta v(k'_c, k'_k, K'_c, K'_k) \right]$$

$$\text{FOC: } \frac{W}{c} = \frac{\phi}{1-l} \quad \frac{p \gamma_k}{c} = \beta v'_1(k'_c, k'_k, K'_c, K'_k) = \beta v'_2(k'_c, k'_k, K'_c, K'_k)$$

$$\text{ENV: } v'_1(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k) = \frac{R_c + (1 - \delta)}{c} \quad v'_2(k_c, k_k, K_c, K_k) = \frac{R_k + (1 - \delta)}{c}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } v'_1 = v'_2 = v' = \frac{R_c + (1 - \delta)}{c} = \frac{R_k + (1 - \delta)}{c} = \frac{p \gamma_k}{\beta c}, \quad \frac{W}{c} = \frac{\phi}{1-l} \Rightarrow \boxed{R_c = R_k = \frac{p \gamma_k}{\beta} - (1 - \delta)}$$

$$\text{Firms FOCs: } \theta p \frac{i}{k_k} = R_k, \quad R_c = \theta \frac{c}{k_c}, \quad (1 - \theta) p \frac{i}{l_k} = W = (1 - \theta) \frac{c}{l_c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta p \frac{i}{k_k} = \theta \frac{c}{k_c} = \frac{p \gamma_k}{\beta} - (1 - \delta), \quad p \frac{i}{c} = \frac{k_k}{k_c} \Rightarrow \frac{W}{c} = \frac{\phi}{1-l} = \frac{1 - \theta}{l_c} = \frac{(1 - \theta)}{l_k} p \frac{i}{c} = \frac{(1 - \theta)}{l_k} \frac{k_k}{k_c}$$

Balances: $l_c + l_k = l$, $c = k_c^\theta l_c^{1-\theta}$, $i = k_k^\theta l_k^{1-\theta}$
S-S: $\frac{\phi}{1-l_c-l_k} = \frac{1-\theta}{l_c} = \frac{(1-\theta)k_k}{l_k} \frac{k_k}{k_c} \Rightarrow l_c = \frac{1-\theta}{\phi+(1-\theta)} (1+l_k)$, $l_c \frac{k_k}{k_c} = l_k$

$\Rightarrow l_c = \frac{1-\theta}{\phi+(1-\theta)} \left(1 - l_c \frac{k_k}{k_c}\right) \Rightarrow l_c = \frac{1}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}}$, $l_k = \frac{\frac{k_k}{k_c}}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}}$

$[p] = \frac{c k_k}{i k_c} = \frac{k_c^\theta l_c^{1-\theta} k_k}{k_k^\theta l_k^{1-\theta} k_c} = \left(\frac{l_c}{l_k}\right)^{1-\theta} \left(\frac{k_c}{k_k}\right)^\theta \frac{k_k}{k_c} = \left(\frac{k_c}{k_k}\right)^{1-\theta} \left(\frac{k_c}{k_k}\right)^\theta \frac{k_k}{k_c} = [1]$

$[\gamma_k - (1-\delta)] \left(1 + \frac{k_c}{k_k}\right) = \frac{i}{k_k} = \left(\frac{l_k}{k_k}\right)^{1-\theta} = \left(\frac{l_c}{k_c}\right)^{1-\theta} = \theta \frac{k_c^\theta l_c^{1-\theta}}{k_c} \frac{1}{\theta} = \frac{1}{\theta} \left[\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)\right]$

$\frac{k_c}{k_k} = \frac{1}{\theta} \left[\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)\right] - 1$ $k_k = \frac{\left(\frac{\theta}{\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)}\right)^{\frac{1}{1-\theta}}}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} \left(\frac{1}{\theta} \left(\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)\right) - 1\right) + \frac{1}{\theta} \left(\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)\right)} = \frac{u^{\frac{1}{1-\theta}}}{\frac{1}{1-\theta} \left(\frac{1}{vu} - 1\right) + \frac{1}{vu}}$

where $\frac{\theta}{\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)} = u$ $\gamma_k - (1-\delta) = v$ $\frac{W}{1-\theta} = \frac{c}{l_c} = \left(\frac{k_c}{l_c}\right)^\theta = \left(\frac{\theta}{\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)}\right)^{\frac{\theta}{1-\theta}}$

Calibration: $R + (1-\delta) = \frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} = \frac{6}{5}$, $\frac{i}{y} = \frac{i}{c+i} = \frac{1}{\frac{c}{i}+1} = \frac{1}{\frac{k_c}{k_k}+1} = \frac{9}{50} \Rightarrow \frac{k_c}{k_k} = \frac{41}{9}$

$\frac{1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}} = \frac{1}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} \frac{41}{50} + 1} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \frac{\phi}{1-\theta} = \frac{100}{41}$ $\frac{Rk_c + Rk_k}{Wl + Rk_c + Rk_k} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{W}{R} \frac{l}{k_c + k_k}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1-\theta}{\theta}} = \theta = \frac{7}{20} \Rightarrow$

$\phi = \frac{100}{41} \left(1 - \frac{7}{20}\right) = \frac{65}{41} \Rightarrow \frac{k_c}{k_k} + 1 = \frac{1}{\theta} \left[\frac{\gamma_k}{\beta} - (1-\delta)\right] = \frac{50}{9} \Rightarrow$

$\gamma_k - 1 + \delta = \frac{9}{50} \frac{20}{7} \left(\frac{1}{5} + \delta\right) = \frac{18}{35} \delta + \frac{18}{175} \Rightarrow \delta = \frac{193}{85} - \frac{35}{17} \gamma_k$

If $\gamma_k = \frac{203}{200}$, then $\beta = \gamma_k \frac{5}{6} = \frac{203}{240}$ $\delta = \frac{193}{85} - \frac{35}{17} \frac{203}{200} = \frac{123}{680}$

Transition process:

$\frac{W}{c} = \frac{\phi}{1-l}$ $\frac{v\gamma_k}{c} = \beta v_1'(k'_c, k'_k) = \beta v_2'(k'_c, k'_k)$ $v_1'(k_c, k_k) = \frac{R_c + (1-\delta)}{c}$ $v_2'(k_c, k_k) = \frac{R_k + (1-\delta)}{c}$

$\theta p \frac{i}{k_k} = R_k$, $R_c = \theta \frac{c}{k_c}$, $(1-\theta) p \frac{i}{l_k} = W = (1-\theta) \frac{c}{l_c}$ $l_c + l_k = l$, $c = k_c^\theta l_c^{1-\theta}$,

$i = k_k^\theta l_k^{1-\theta} = \gamma_k k'_c - (1-\delta) k_c + \gamma_k k'_k - (1-\delta) k_k$

Derive: $W = \frac{c\phi}{1-l_c-l_k} = (1-\theta) p \frac{i}{l_k} = (1-\theta) \frac{c}{l_c}$ $v_2' = v_1'$ $R_k = R_c = \theta p \frac{i}{k_k} = \theta \frac{c}{k_k}$

$p = \frac{c k_k}{i k_c} = \frac{c l_k}{i l_c}$ $l_k = l_c \frac{k_k}{k_c}$ $\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} l_c = 1 - l_c - l_c \frac{k_k}{k_c}$ $l_c = \frac{1}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}}$ $l_k = \frac{\frac{k_k}{k_c}}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}}$

$p \frac{\gamma_k}{c} = \beta v_1'(k'_c, k'_k) = \beta \frac{R'_c + (1-\delta)}{c'} = \beta \frac{\theta \frac{c'}{k'_c} + (1-\delta)}{c'}$ $\frac{1}{k_k^\theta (l_k)^{1-\theta}} \frac{k_k}{k_c} \gamma_k = \beta \left(\theta + (1-\delta) \frac{k'_c}{k'_c (l'_c)^{1-\theta}}\right) \frac{1}{k'_c}$

$\left(\left(\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1\right) k_c + k_k\right)^{1-\theta} \frac{1}{k_c} \gamma_k = \beta \left(\theta + (1-\delta) \left(\left(\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1\right) k'_c + k'_k\right)^{1-\theta}\right) \frac{1}{k'_c}$

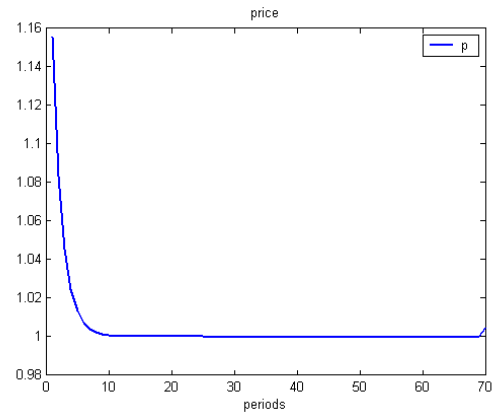
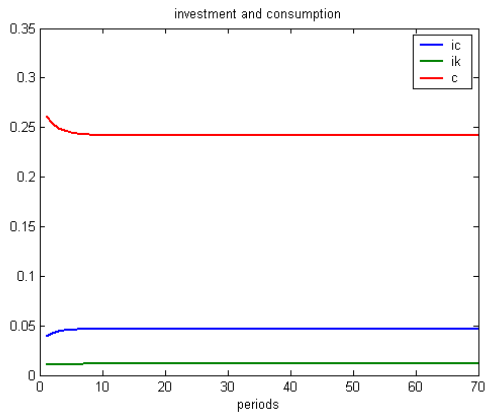
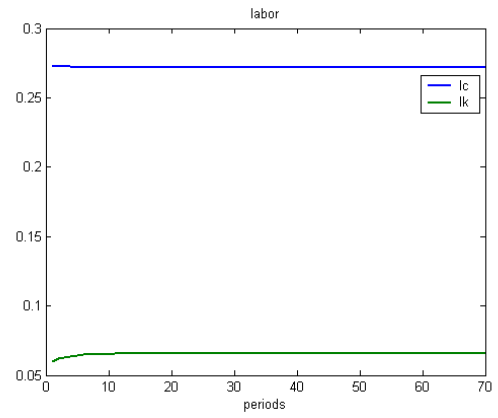
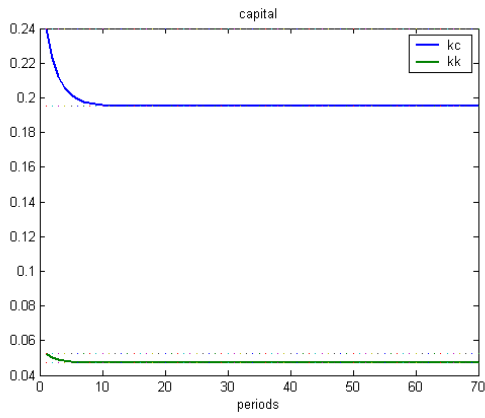
$(ak_c + k_k)^{1-\theta} \frac{1}{k_c} \gamma_k = \beta \left(\theta + b(ak'_c + k'_k)^{1-\theta}\right) \frac{1}{k'_c}$ Denote: $\left[\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1\right] = a$, $1 - \delta = b$

$\gamma_k k'_c - (1-\delta) k_c + \gamma_k k'_k - (1-\delta) k_k = k_k^\theta l_k^{1-\theta} = k_k^\theta \left(\frac{\frac{k_k}{k_c}}{\frac{\phi}{1-\theta} + 1 + \frac{k_k}{k_c}}\right)^{1-\theta} = \frac{k_k}{(ak_c + k_k)^{1-\theta}}$

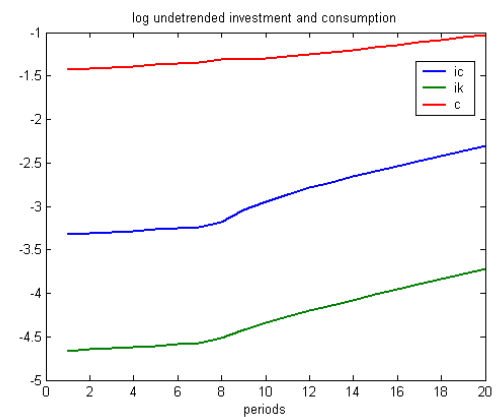
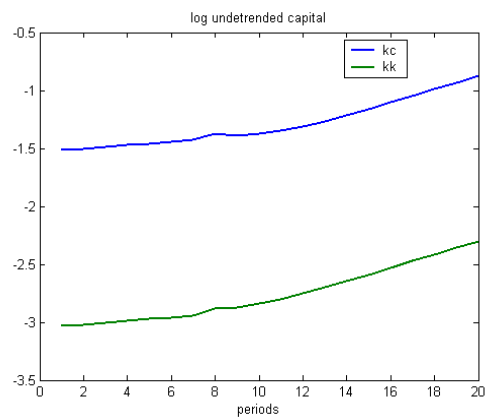
$\gamma_k (k'_c + k'_k) = (1-\delta) (k_c + k_k) + \frac{k_k}{(ak_c + k_k)^{1-\theta}}$

The dynamic system: $\left\{ \frac{\beta}{\gamma_k} \frac{k_c}{(ak_c + k_k)^{1-\theta}} = \frac{k'_c}{\theta + b(ak'_c + k'_k)^{1-\theta}}, \frac{k_k}{(ak_c + k_k)^{1-\theta}} + b(k_k + k_c) = \gamma_k (k'_c + k'_k) \right\}$

We solve for the transition process from the initial steady-state to the new one when $\gamma_k = \frac{212}{200}$.



Intuition: Return to capital increases in the investment sector. This is reflected in the price of investment goods, which jumps up, and then gradually goes back. There is a labor shift from consumption to investment, and the total time the guys work increases, because the growth rate has increased and they need to sustain it with higher investment and consumption growth. Investment in both sectors bursts out, capital and consumption in both sectors temporarily slow down in transition to a new balanced growth path, which is faster.



Exercise 2

$$\begin{aligned} \max E \Sigma \beta^t [\ln c_t + \phi (1 - l)] \quad c_t + k_{t+1} - (1 - \delta) k_t &\leq A_t k_t^\theta l_t^{1-\theta} \quad 0 \leq l \leq 1 \\ \max \Sigma \beta^t [\ln (A_t k_t^\theta l_t^{1-\theta} + (1 - \delta) k_t - k_{t+1}) + \phi (1 - l_t)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{FOC:} \quad \frac{1}{c_t} \frac{A_t k_t^\theta l_t^{1-\theta}}{l_t} (1 - \theta) = \phi \quad \frac{1}{c_t} = \beta \frac{1}{c_{t+1}} \left(\theta \frac{A_{t+1} k_{t+1}^\theta l_{t+1}^{1-\theta}}{k_{t+1}} + (1 - \delta) \right)$$

$$A k^\theta l^{1-\theta} - W l - R k \rightarrow \max_{k,l} \quad W l = (1 - \theta) A k^\theta l^{1-\theta} \quad \theta = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{Normalize labor to 1 in period 1:} \quad t=1: \quad \phi = \frac{1}{c} \frac{y}{l} (1 - \theta) = \frac{2}{3} \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$A \left(\frac{k}{l} \right)^\theta = \frac{\phi}{(1-\theta)} c \quad 1 = \beta \left(\theta A \left(\frac{l}{k} \right)^{1-\theta} + (1 - \delta) \right) \quad c + \delta k = A k^\theta l^{1-\theta}$$

$$\delta = A \left(\frac{l}{k} \right)^{1-\theta} \left[1 - \frac{1}{l} \frac{(1-\theta)}{\phi} \right] \quad \left[1 - \frac{1}{l} \frac{(1-\theta)}{\phi} \right] = \frac{\theta}{\frac{1}{\beta} - (1-\delta)} \delta \quad l = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{\theta \delta}{\beta - (1-\delta)}} \frac{(1-\theta)}{\phi}$$

$$R = \theta A \left(\frac{l}{k} \right)^{1-\theta} + 1 - \delta = \frac{1}{\beta} = \frac{53}{50} \quad \beta = \frac{50}{53}$$

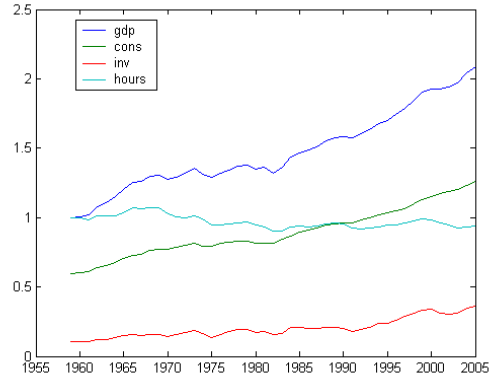
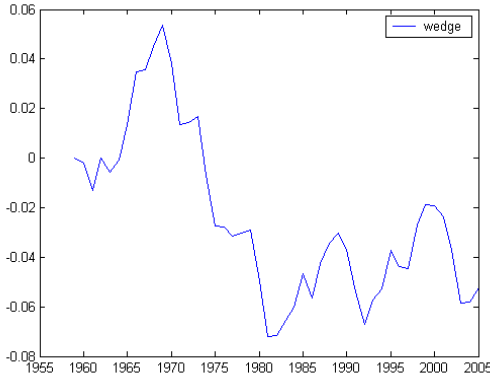
$$\frac{i}{y} = 1 - \frac{c}{y} = 1 - \frac{1}{l} \frac{(1-\theta)}{\phi} = \frac{\theta \delta}{\frac{1}{\beta} - (1-\delta)} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} \delta}{\frac{53}{50} - (1-\delta)} = \frac{1}{4} \quad \delta = 3 \left(\frac{53}{50} - (1 - \delta) \right) - 3\delta = \frac{9}{50}$$

$$\text{Wedge:} \quad \psi_t = \frac{\phi}{(1-\theta)} \frac{c_t}{y_t} l_t = \frac{c_t}{y_t} \frac{l_t}{l_1} \frac{y_1}{c_1} \quad \frac{\phi}{(1-\theta)} \frac{c_1}{y_1} l_1 = 1$$

If there was a labor tax, then the problem would look like:

$$\begin{aligned} \max E \Sigma \beta^t [\ln c_t + \phi (1 - l)] \quad c_t + k_{t+1} - (1 - \delta) k_t &\leq (1 - \tau_t) w_t l_t + r_t k_t \quad 0 \leq l \leq 1 \\ A k^\theta l^{1-\theta} - w l - r k &\rightarrow \max_{k,l} \quad \forall t \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Then, the FOC for labor looks like this:} \quad \frac{1}{c_t} (1 - \tau_t) \frac{A_t k_t^\theta l_t^{1-\theta}}{l_t} (1 - \theta) = \phi \Rightarrow \quad \psi_t = (1 - \tau_t)$$



$$\text{Linearization:} \quad (1) \quad w_t \frac{1}{c_t} \frac{A_t k_t^\theta l_t^{1-\theta}}{l_t} (1 - \theta) = \phi \quad \boxed{\tilde{w}_t - \tilde{c}_t + \theta \tilde{k}_t - \theta \tilde{l}_t = 0}$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{1}{c_t} = \beta E \frac{1}{c_{t+1}} \left(\theta \frac{A_{t+1} k_{t+1}^\theta l_{t+1}^{1-\theta}}{k_{t+1}} + (1 - \delta) \right) \quad E \tilde{c}_{t+1} - \tilde{c}_t = \frac{\theta A \left(\frac{l}{k} \right)^{1-\theta}}{\theta A \left(\frac{l}{k} \right)^{1-\theta} + (1-\delta)} (1 - \theta) E \left(\tilde{l}_{t+1} - \tilde{k}_{t+1} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{\beta} - (1 - \delta) = \theta A \left(\frac{l}{k} \right)^{1-\theta} \quad \boxed{E \tilde{c}_{t+1} - \tilde{c}_t = (1 - \beta (1 - \delta)) (1 - \theta) \left(E \tilde{l}_{t+1} - \tilde{k}_{t+1} \right)}$$

$$(3) \quad c_t + k_{t+1} - (1 - \delta) k_t \leq A_t k_t^\theta l_t^{1-\theta} \quad \frac{c}{y} \tilde{c}_t + \frac{k}{y} \tilde{k}_{t+1} - (1 - \delta) \frac{k}{y} \tilde{k}_t = \theta \tilde{k}_t + (1 - \theta) \tilde{l}_t$$

$$\boxed{\frac{c}{y} \tilde{c}_t + \frac{k}{y} \tilde{k}_{t+1} - (1 - \delta) \frac{k}{y} \tilde{k}_t = \theta \tilde{k}_t + (1 - \theta) \tilde{l}_t} \quad \rho = 0.9744$$

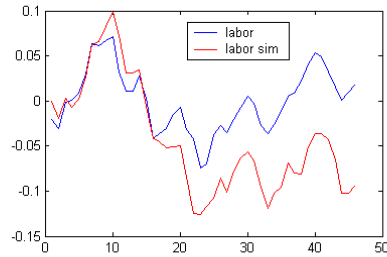
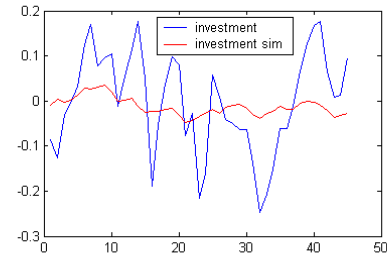
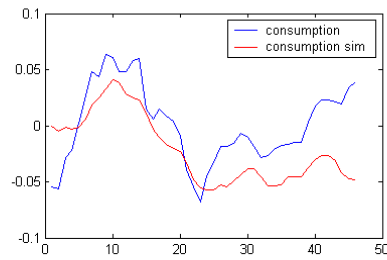
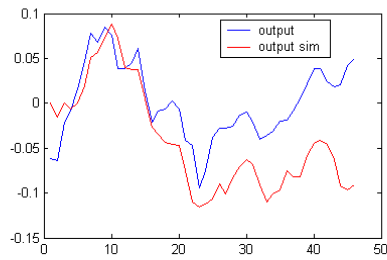
$$\frac{c}{y} = 1 - \frac{\theta \delta}{\frac{1}{\beta} - (1-\delta)} = \frac{3}{4} \quad \frac{c}{y} + \delta \frac{k}{y} = 1 \quad \frac{k}{y} = \frac{1}{\delta} \left(1 - \frac{c}{y} \right) = \frac{50}{36}$$

$$(1-4): \quad \tilde{w}_t - \tilde{c}_t + \frac{1}{3} \tilde{k}_t - \frac{1}{3} \tilde{l}_t = 0 \quad E \tilde{c}_{t+1} - \frac{8}{53} E \tilde{l}_{t+1} + \frac{8}{53} \tilde{k}_{t+1} = \tilde{c}_t$$

$$\frac{3}{4} \tilde{c}_t + \frac{50}{36} \tilde{k}_{t+1} - \frac{41}{36} \tilde{k}_t = \frac{2}{3} \tilde{l}_t \quad \tilde{w}_{t+1} = \rho \tilde{w}_t + \varepsilon_t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -\frac{1}{3} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{8}{53} & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{8}{53} \\ \frac{50}{36} & \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{2}{3} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} k_{t+1} \\ c_t \\ l_t \\ w_t \\ Ec_{t+1} \\ El_{t+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{41}{36} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \rho & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} k_t \\ c_{t-1} \\ l_{t-1} \\ w_{t-1} \\ Ec_t \\ El_t \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \varepsilon_t + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_t \\ v_t \end{bmatrix}$$

Use gensys and calculate: $\tilde{y}_t = \theta \tilde{k}_t + (1 - \theta) \tilde{l}_t$ $\tilde{i}_t = \frac{k}{y} \tilde{k}_{t+1} - (1 - \delta) \frac{k}{y} \tilde{k}_t$



Correlation matrices:

| data | c | l | y | i | model | c | l | y | i |
|------|--|-----|--|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| c | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.77 & 0.95 & 0.70 \\ & 1 & 0.90 & 0.75 \\ & & 1 & 0.81 \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ | c | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.96 & 0.98 & 0.68 \\ & 1 & 0.99 & 0.81 \\ & & 1 & 0.77 \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ | | | | | | |
| l | | l | | | | | | | |
| y | | y | | | | | | | |
| i | | i | | | | | | | |

The apparent problem here is almost no volatility in investment, while in the data investment is much more volatile, than all other variables. The model generates a bit too high correlations for consumption, labor and output and a bit too low ones for investment. We obviously lack productivity shocks here, which would create volatility and correlations for investment.

Sources of data: BEA, BLS.