

Two Sector New Keynesian Model with Weather Shocks and Land

1 Households

A representative household consumes a CES bundle of agricultural and non agricultural goods and supplies differentiated labor to the two sectors.

Habit adjusted consumption:

$$\tilde{c}_t = c_t - bc_{t-1}.$$

Preferences:

$$U = \mathbb{E}_0 \sum_{t=0}^{\infty} \beta^t \left[\frac{\tilde{c}_t^{1-\sigma_C}}{1-\sigma_C} - \chi h_{u,t}^{1+\sigma_H} \right],$$

where the labor aggregator with reallocation costs is

$$h_{u,t} = \left(h_{N,t}^{1+iota} + h_{A,t}^{1+iota} \right)^{\frac{1}{1+iota}}.$$

Marginal utility of consumption and stochastic discount factor:

$$u_{c,t} = \tilde{c}_t^{-\sigma_C}, \quad m_t = \beta \frac{u_{c,t}}{u_{c,t-1}}.$$

Intratemporal optimality:

$$w_t^N u_{c,t} = u_t^N, \quad w_t^A u_{c,t} = u_t^A,$$

with sector specific marginal disutilities of labor

$$u_t^N = e_t^h \chi h_{u,t}^{\sigma_H} \left(\frac{h_{N,t}}{h_{u,t}} \right)^\iota, \quad u_t^A = e_t^h \chi h_{u,t}^{\sigma_H} \left(\frac{h_{A,t}}{h_{u,t}} \right)^\iota.$$

Nominal Euler equation (one period nominal bond):

$$m_{t+1} \frac{R_t}{\pi_{t+1}} = 1,$$

where R_t is the gross nominal interest rate and π_t is gross aggregate inflation.

2 Production

The economy has two producing sectors: non agriculture (N) and agriculture (A).

Production is linear in TFP and concave in labor:

$$y_t^N = e_t^z h_{N,t}^{1-\alpha}.$$

With real marginal cost mc_t^N , cost minimization implies:

$$w_t^N = mc_t^N (1 - \alpha) p_t^N \frac{y_t^N}{h_{N,t}},$$

where p_t^N is the relative price of non agricultural goods.

Agricultural sector with land and weather damage. Weather affects agricultural production through a damage function. Let d_t denote the weather damage factor

$$d_t = (e_t^s)^{-\theta_1}.$$

Agricultural output:

$$y_t^A = (d_t \ell_{t-1})^\omega (e_t^z \kappa_A h_{A,t}^{1-\alpha})^{1-\omega}.$$

With real marginal cost mc_t^A , labor demand in agriculture:

$$w_t^A = mc_t^A (1 - \omega)(1 - \alpha) p_t^A \frac{y_t^A}{h_{A,t}},$$

where p_t^A is the relative price of agricultural goods.

3 Price setting and nominal rigidities

Prices are sticky in both sectors. We adopt Rotemberg type quadratic adjustment costs on inflation. For sector $j \in \{N, A\}$, let ϵ_j denote the elasticity of substitution and κ_j the adjustment cost parameter.

Denote sectoral inflation by $\pi_{j,t}$ and aggregate inflation by π_t . The New Keynesian Phillips curves in each sector take the form

$$(1 - \epsilon_j) p_t^j y_t^j + \epsilon_j mc_t^j y_t^j - \kappa_j p_t^j \pi_{j,t} (\pi_{j,t} - 1) y_t^j + \kappa_j \mathbb{E}_t [m_{t+1} p_{t+1}^j \pi_{j,t+1} (\pi_{j,t+1} - 1) y_{t+1}^j] = 0,$$

for $j = N, A$.

4 Land, land costs, and damage

Land evolves according to

$$\ell_t = (1 - \delta_L) d_t \ell_{t-1} + \phi_t,$$

where ϕ_t is land investment.

Land cost function:

$$\phi_t = \frac{\tau}{\psi} x_t^\psi d_t \ell_{t-1},$$

with x_t the land investment intensity.

Shadow value of land ϱ_t satisfies

$$\varrho_t = \mathbb{E}_t \left\{ m_{t+1} \left[m_{t+1}^A \frac{\omega p_{t+1}^A y_{t+1}^A}{\ell_t} + (1 - \delta_L) d_{t+1} \varrho_{t+1} + \frac{\phi_{t+1}}{\ell_t} \right] \right\}.$$

FOC for land investment x_t :

$$p_t^N = \tau x_t^{\psi-1} \varrho_t d_t \ell_{t-1}.$$

5 Aggregation, demand, and prices

Let n_t be the agricultural sector share, driven by a reallocation shock:

$$n_t = \bar{n} e_t^n.$$

Aggregate output:

$$y_t = (1 - n_t) p_t^N y_t^N + n_t p_t^A y_t^A.$$

Aggregate hours:

$$h_t = (1 - n_t) h_{N,t} + n_t h_{A,t}.$$

Non agricultural goods:

$$(1 - n_t) y_t^N = (1 - \varphi) (p_t^N)^{-\mu} c_t + n_t x_t + g_y \bar{y}^N e_t^g.$$

Agricultural goods:

$$n_t y_t^A = \varphi (p_t^A)^{-\mu} c_t.$$

5.1 Relative price index

The CES price index is

$$1 = (1 - \varphi) (p_t^N)^{1-\mu} + \varphi (p_t^A)^{1-\mu}.$$

Inflation measures, let P_t denote the aggregate price index. Gross inflation is

$$\pi_t = \frac{P_t}{P_{t-1}}.$$

Sectoral inflation rates are

$$\pi_{N,t} = \frac{P_t^N}{P_{t-1}^N}, \quad \pi_{A,t} = \frac{P_t^A}{P_{t-1}^A}.$$

Gross Domestic Product:

$$GDP_t = y_t - n_t p_t^N x_t.$$

6 Monetary policy

Monetary policy follows a Taylor rule in logs around the steady state:

$$\log \left(\frac{R_t}{\bar{R}} \right) = \rho \log \left(\frac{R_{t-1}}{\bar{R}} \right) + (1 - \rho) \left[\phi_y \log \left(\frac{GDP_t}{\overline{GDP}} \right) + \phi_\pi \log(\pi_t) \right],$$

where \bar{R} and \overline{GDP} denote steady state values.

7 Shock processes

All exogenous processes follow AR(1) dynamics:

$$\log e_t^z = \rho_z \log e_{t-1}^z + \sigma_z \eta_t^z,$$

$$\log e_t^h = \rho_h \log e_{t-1}^h + \sigma_h \eta_t^h,$$

$$\log e_t^g = \rho_g \log e_{t-1}^g + \sigma_g \eta_t^g,$$

$$\log e_t^n = \rho_n \log e_{t-1}^n + \sigma_n \eta_t^n,$$

$$\log e_t^s = \rho_s \log e_{t-1}^s + \sigma_s \eta_t^s.$$

All innovations η_t^j are iid standard normal.