0.0.1 Specification

Model/SMC Specification:

• Model: An Schorfheide

• Pre-sample Date Range:1959-Q3 through 1959-Q4

• **Date Range**: 1960-Q1 through 2018-Q4

• Number of Particles:2000

• $N_P hi$: 300

• *lambda*:2.1

• N_{SMC_blocks} : 1

• N_{MH_steps} : 1

• Mixture Proportion: 1

• Resampling Threshold: 0.5

• Target Acceptance Rate: 0.25

• Initial Step-Size (proposal covariance scaling factor): 0.5

Schedule Specification:

• **Fixed Schedule**: With the specified N_{Φ} and λ .

• Adaptive Schedule: With $\alpha = 0.97$.

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Number of estimations at each schedule specification: 20