

Figure 1: Check plots.

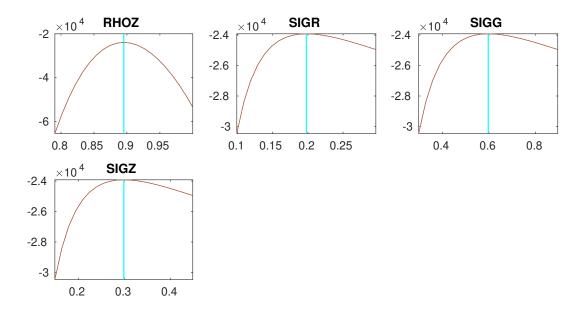




Figure 2: Check plots.

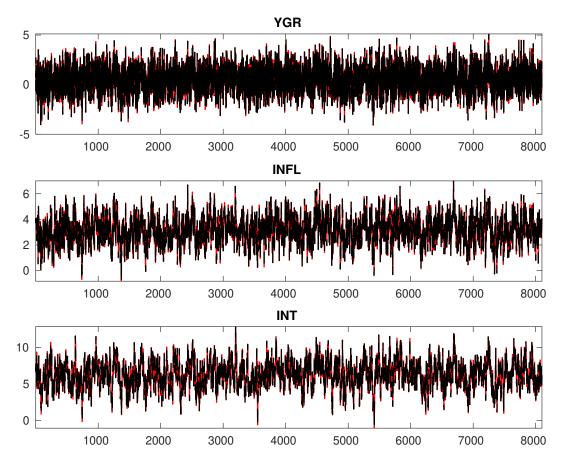


Figure 3: Historical and smoothed variables.

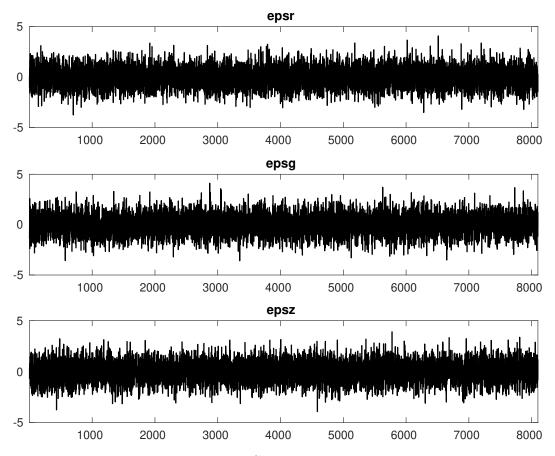


Figure 4: Smoothed shocks.

Table 1: MCMC Inefficiency factors per block

| Parameter | Block 1 | $Block\ 2$ | $Block\ 3$ | Block 4 |
|----------------|---------|------------|------------|---------|
| r_A | 684.786 | 687.855 | 676.662 | 680.978 |
| $\pi^{(A)}$ | 681.421 | 684.852 | 672.932 | 677.472 |
| $\gamma^{(Q)}$ | 646.758 | 650.746 | 634.561 | 639.988 |
| au | 557.004 | 595.550 | 574.076 | 584.027 |
| ν | 509.202 | 552.455 | 527.027 | 536.188 |
| ψ_π | 652.558 | 624.710 | 641.265 | 647.918 |
| ψ_y | 642.517 | 610.901 | 630.448 | 636.793 |
| $ ho_R$ | 212.727 | 243.755 | 223.041 | 229.496 |
| $ ho_g$ | 45.445 | 44.437 | 39.562 | 42.423 |
| $ ho_z$ | 286.407 | 344.065 | 311.723 | 320.075 |
| σ_R | 62.768 | 70.652 | 69.089 | 67.094 |
| σ_g | 47.701 | 49.892 | 49.134 | 52.640 |
| σ_z | 114.497 | 127.216 | 116.128 | 112.378 |
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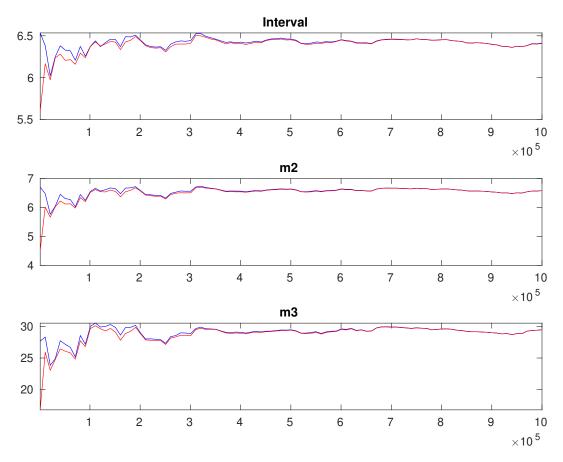


Figure 5: Multivariate convergence diagnostics for the Metropolis-Hastings. The first, second and third rows are respectively the criteria based on the eighty percent interval, the second and third moments. The different parameters are aggregated using the posterior kernel.

Table 2: Results from Metropolis-Hastings (parameters)

| | Prior | | | Posterior | | | |
|----------------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|--------|---------|---------|
| | Dist. | Mean | Stdev. | Mean | Stdev. | HPD inf | HPD sup |
| r_A | gamm | 0.800 | 0.5000 | 1.093 | 0.0887 | 0.9472 | 1.2361 |
| $\pi^{(A)}$ | gamm | 4.000 | 2.0000 | 3.154 | 0.0429 | 3.0846 | 3.2244 |
| $\gamma^{(Q)}$ | norm | 0.400 | 0.2000 | 0.515 | 0.0321 | 0.4624 | 0.5673 |
| au | gamm | 2.000 | 0.5000 | 2.001 | 0.0577 | 1.9046 | 2.0953 |
| ν | beta | 0.100 | 0.0500 | 0.100 | 0.0021 | 0.0967 | 0.1037 |
| ψ_π | gamm | 1.500 | 0.2500 | 1.312 | 0.1746 | 1.0271 | 1.6003 |
| ψ_y | gamm | 0.500 | 0.2500 | 0.140 | 0.0339 | 0.0842 | 0.1955 |
| $ ho_R$ | beta | 0.500 | 0.2000 | 0.738 | 0.0053 | 0.7298 | 0.7471 |
| $ ho_g$ | beta | 0.800 | 0.1000 | 0.940 | 0.0039 | 0.9334 | 0.9462 |
| $ ho_z$ | beta | 0.660 | 0.1500 | 0.895 | 0.0024 | 0.8916 | 0.8995 |
| σ_R | invg | 0.300 | 4.0000 | 0.198 | 0.0017 | 0.1951 | 0.2006 |
| σ_g | invg | 0.400 | 4.0000 | 0.597 | 0.0047 | 0.5897 | 0.6052 |
| σ_z | invg | 0.400 | 4.0000 | 0.299 | 0.0028 | 0.2942 | 0.3034 |

Table 3: Results from posterior maximization (parameters)

| | Prior | | | Posterior | |
|----------------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|--------|
| | Dist. | Mean | Stdev | Mode | Stdev |
| r_A | gamm | 0.800 | 0.5000 | 1.0923 | 0.0094 |
| $\pi^{(A)}$ | gamm | 4.000 | 2.0000 | 3.1544 | 0.0051 |
| $\gamma^{(Q)}$ | norm | 0.400 | 0.2000 | 0.5156 | 0.0076 |
| au | gamm | 2.000 | 0.5000 | 1.9972 | 0.0096 |
| ν | beta | 0.100 | 0.0500 | 0.1001 | 0.0007 |
| ψ_{π} | gamm | 1.500 | 0.2500 | 1.3147 | 0.0261 |
| ψ_y | gamm | 0.500 | 0.2500 | 0.1393 | 0.0081 |
| $ ho_R$ | beta | 0.500 | 0.2000 | 0.7381 | 0.0054 |
| $ ho_g$ | beta | 0.800 | 0.1000 | 0.9394 | 0.0036 |
| $ ho_z$ | beta | 0.660 | 0.1500 | 0.8953 | 0.0021 |
| σ_R | invg | 0.300 | 4.0000 | 0.1978 | 0.0016 |
| σ_g | invg | 0.400 | 4.0000 | 0.5971 | 0.0044 |
| σ_z | invg | 0.400 | 4.0000 | 0.2987 | 0.0024 |

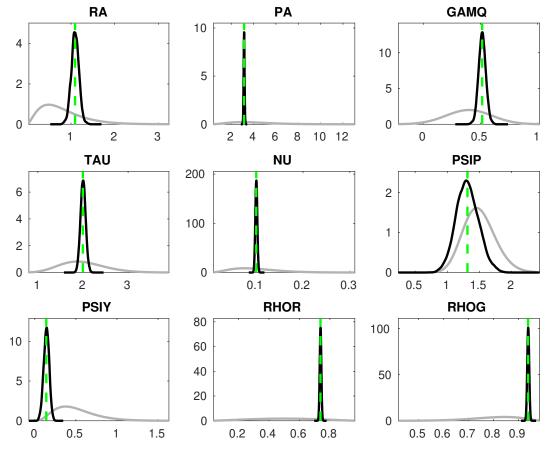


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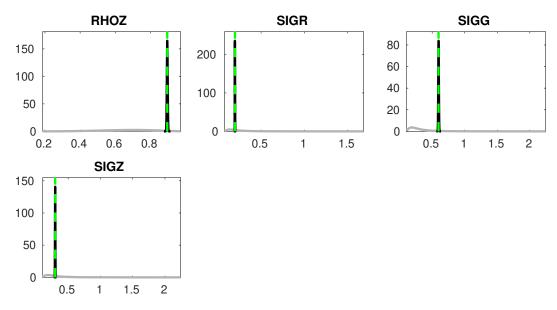


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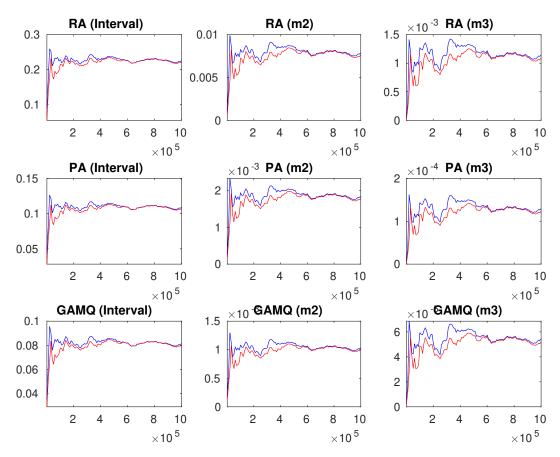


Figure 8: Univariate convergence diagnostics for the Metropolis-Hastings. The first, second and third columns are respectively the criteria based on the eighty percent interval, the second and third moments.

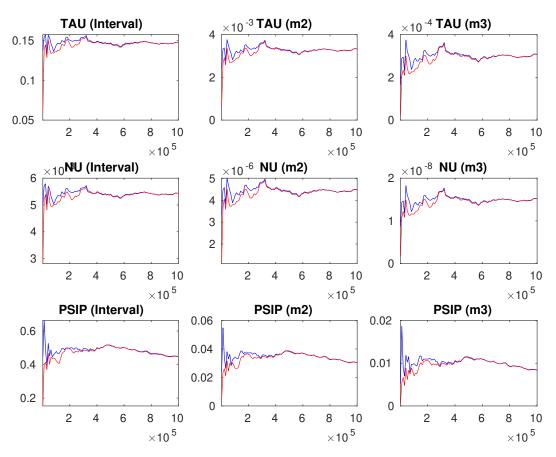


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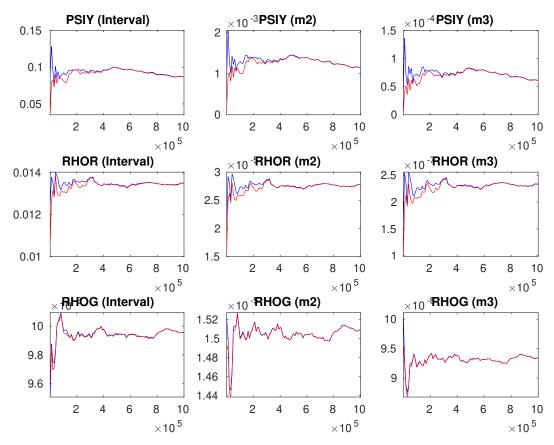


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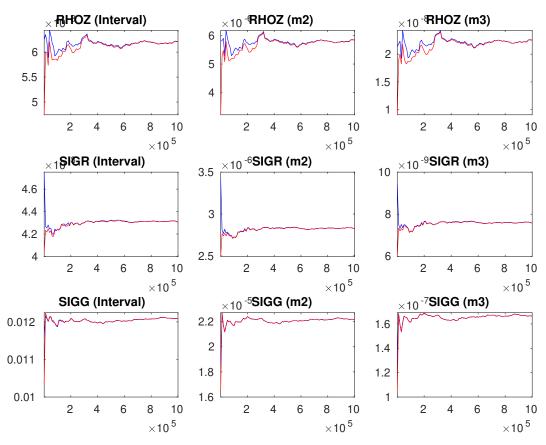


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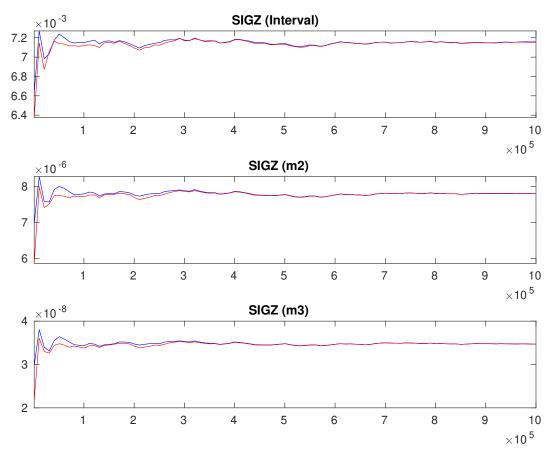


Figure 12: Univariate convergence diagnostics for the Metropolis-Hastings. The first, second and third rows are respectively the criteria based on the eighty percent interval, the second and third moments.