

Marco Mid-term HW Calibration

Group2

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```
rho2 <- 0.01035
delta2 <- 0.04
tau_k2 <- 0.03
alpha2 <- 0.64
sigma2 <- 0.7
A2 <- 1
epsilon2 <- 0.77
tau_l2 <- 0.12
tau_c2 <- 0.05
```

A. Before the Comparative Statics

As we know the $l^* = 0.3525$, then we can solve initial k from the `return` function.

```
lzero <- 0.3525

funktok <- function(k) {
  return(lzero - (((rho2 + delta2 * (1 - tau_k2)) / ((1 - tau_k2) * (1 - alpha2) * A2))^(1/alpha2)) * k)
}

uniroot(funktok, c(-3, 100), tol = 0.000000001) -> solofk

solofk$root -> kzero

kzero
```

```
## [1] 7.545832
```

After we get $kzero$ (initial k^*), we can solve initial c .

```
funtoc <- function(c) {
  return(c - (((rho2 + delta2 * (1 - tau_k2)) / ((1 - tau_k2) * (1 - alpha2))) - delta2) * kzero)
}

uniroot(funtoc, c(-3, 50), tol = 0.000000001) -> solofc

solofc$root -> czero

czero
```

```
## [1] 0.7602447
```

After getting the initial l^* and k^* , then we can solve initial y .

```
yzero <- A2 * (lzero^alpha2) * (kzero^(1 - alpha2))
yzero
```

```
## [1] 1.062078
```

So far, we can get the endogenous variables in the model.

```
lzero
kzero
czero
yzero
```

B. Solve the chi in this model

```
funTochi <- function(chi){
  rho2 <- 0.01035
  delta2 <- 0.04
  tau_k2 <- 0.03
  alpha2 <- 0.64
  sigma2 <- 0.7
  A2 <- 1
  epsilon2 <- 0.77
  tau_l2 <- 0.12
  tau_c2 <- 0.05

  w <- A2*alpha2*(lzero^(alpha2-1))*(kzero^(1-alpha2))

  M <- ((1-tau_l2)*w)/(chi*(1+tau_c2))

  P <- (1-(((rho2+delta2*(1-tau_k2))/((1-tau_k2)*(1-alpha2)*A2))^(1/alpha2))*kzero)
  Q <- (((1-tau_k2)*(1-alpha2))/(rho2+alpha2*delta2*(1-tau_k2)))

  return(kzero-(((M^(1/sigma2))*(P^(epsilon2/sigma2))*Q)))
}

uniroot(funTochi, c(0,10000), tol = 0.0001, extendInt = "yes") -> solofchi2

chi2 <- solofchi2$root
chi2

## [1] 1.401078
```

At the same time, we have initial c and l, so we can solve initial u.

```
R <- ((czero^(1-sigma2)-1)/(1-sigma2))
S <- chi2*(((1-lzero)^(1-epsilon2))/(1-epsilon2))
uzero <- R+S
uzero
```

```
## [1] 5.248984
```

Now, we know all we need before the comparative statics.

```
lzero
kzero
czero
yzero
chi2
```

```
c(c("kzero", "lzero", "czero", "yzero", "uzero"), round(c(kzero,lzero,czero,yzero,uzero), digits = 6))
Beforestatics
```

```
## [1] "kzero"      "lzero"      "czero"      "yzero"      "uzero"      "7.545832"
## [7] "0.3525"      "0.760245"   "1.062078"   "5.248984"
```

C. Comparative Statics

tau_k decrease from 0.03 to 0.025

```
rho3 <- 0.01035
delta3 <- 0.04
tau_k3 <- 0.025
alpha3 <- 0.64
sigma3 <- 0.7
A3 <- 1
epsilon3 <- 0.77
tau_l3 <- 0.12
tau_c3 <- 0.05
chi3 <- chi2
```

Solve new k, and we name it *kone1*

```
funToFindkone <- function(kone){

  l <- (((rho3+delta3*(1-tau_k3))/((1-tau_k3)*(1-alpha3)*A3))^(1/alpha3))*kone
  w <- A3*alpha3*l^(alpha3-1)*kone^(1-alpha3)

M <- ((1-tau_l3)*w)/(chi3*(1+tau_c3))

P <- (1-(((rho3+delta3*(1-tau_k3))/((1-tau_k3)*(1-alpha3)*A3))^(1/alpha3))*kone)
Q <- (((1-tau_k3)*(1-alpha3))/(rho3+alpha3*delta3*(1-tau_k3)))

return(kone-(((M^(1/sigma3))*(P^(epsilon3/sigma3))*Q)))
}

uniroot(funToFindkone, c(1,10), tol = 0.000000001) -> solofkone

kone1 <- solofkone$root
kone1
```

```
## [1] 7.561775
```

After getting k^* (the *kone1*) from comparative statics, we can solve other endogenous variables.

```
funoflkone <- function(kvalue) {

  lone <- (((rho3+delta3*(1-tau_k3))/((1-tau_k3)*(1-alpha3)*A3))^(1/alpha3))*kvalue
  cone <- (((rho3+delta3*(1-tau_k3))/((1-tau_k3)*(1-alpha3)))-delta3)*kvalue
  yone <- A3*(lone^alpha3)*(kvalue^(1-alpha3))

R <- ((cone^(1-sigma3)-1)/(1-sigma3))
S <- chi3*(((1-lone)^(1-epsilon3))/(1-epsilon3))
uone <- R+S

c(c("kone", "lone", "cone", "yone", "uone"), round(c(kvalue,lone,cone,yone,uone), digits = 6)) -> Aft
```

```
    Afterstatics  
}
```

```
funoflcone(kone1)
```

```
## [1] "kone"      "lone"      "cone"      "yone"      "uone"      "7.561775"  
## [7] "0.352649" "0.760702" "1.063173" "5.249246"
```

```
Beforestatics
```

```
## [1] "kzero"      "lzero"      "czero"      "yzero"      "uzero"      "7.545832"  
## [7] "0.3525"     "0.760245" "1.062078" "5.248984"
```