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# -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
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import pandas datareader as web
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import statsmodels.api as sm
from statsmodels.tsa.base.datetools import dates from str
from statsmodels.tsa.api import VAR
from statsmodels.tsa.stattools import adfuller, coint
import statsmodels.graphics.tsaplots
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Data preparation
# Variables from Fred Database
# Industrial Production Index, Index 2012=100, Monthly, Seasonally Adjusted
"JPNPROINDMISMEI"
# Production of Total Industry in Japan, Index 2010=100, Monthly, Seasonally Adjusted
"CPIAUCSL"
# US Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: All Items,
# Index 1982-1984=100, Monthly, Seasonally Adjusted
"JPNCPIALLMINMEI"
# Consumer Price Index of All Items in Japan,
# Index 2010=100, Monthly, Not Seasonally Adjusted
"FEDFUNDS"
# Effective Federal Funds Rate, Percent, Monthly, Not Seasonally Adjusted
"INTDSRJPM193N"
# Interest Rates, Discount Rate for Japan, Percent per Annum,
# Monthly, Not Seasonally Adjusted
"EXJPUS"
# Japan / U.S. Foreign Exchange Rate, Japanese Yen to One U.S. Dollar,
# Monthly, Not Seasonally Adjusted
# Download data from Fred
indicator = ["EXJPUS", "INDPRO", "JPNPROINDMISMEI", "CPIAUCSL", "FEDFUNDS",
            "INTDSRJPM193N", "JPNCPIALLMINMEI"]
df = web.DataReader(indicator, 'fred').dropna()
# Rename the columns
df.columns = ['fx', 'ip_US', 'ip_JP', 'cpi_US', 'fed_rate',
             'jpn_rate', 'cpi_JP']
# Check period of valid data
df.tail()
df.head()
"Period Jan 2010 to April 2017"
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# 02. Calculate the equilibrium FX using cointegration with one macroeconomic
# variable
# Jap/US FX movement as determined by the Consumer Price Index (CPI)
fx = df['fx'].values
#Logarithm values
cpi_US = np.log(df['cpi_US'])
cpi JP = np.log(df['cpi JP'])
# To determine the order of integration or the stationarity of each series
# Perform a Cointegration test with a function as follows:
# Define a function that implements linear regression and returns
# the ADF test results:
def calc adf(x, y):
    result = sm.OLS(x, y).fit()
   return adfuller(result.resid)
# Calculate the cointegration of how with itself:
print("fx & cpi_US ADF test:", calc_adf(fx, cpi_US))
print("fx & cpi_JP ADF test:", calc_adf(fx, cpi_JP))
print("cpi_JP & cpi_US ADF test:", calc_adf(cpi_US, cpi_JP ))
# Comments
#
print('\n The cointegration p-values for three variables fx & cpi_US (-1.01),\
      fx & cpi_JP (-1.01) and cpi_JP & cpi_US (-2.38) are all higher or less \
      negative compared to the critical values of (1\%) = -3.51,
      (5\%) = -2.90 and (10\%) = -2.58. Therefore, there is strong evidence to\
      suggest that we cannot reject the null hypothesis (unit root). And\
      conclude that the variables fx, cpi US, and cpi JP are nonstationary')
# The nonstationary variables become stationary after applying
# the first difference as follows:
mdf = df[['fx', 'cpi_US', 'cpi_JP']]
data = np.log(mdf).diff().dropna() # Applying the first difference
e t = data['fx']
                      # e t - log of the price of foreign exchange
p t = data['cpi US']
                     # p t - log of domestic price level
p_ft = data['cpi_JP'] # p_ft - log of foreign price level
# According to Long-run Purchasing Power Parity (PPP), there is a linear
# combination e_t + p_ft - p_t that is stationary.
# Calculated as follows:
equilibrium_fx = df['equilibrium_fx'] = e_t + p_t - p_ft
# Equilibrium fx implies that domestic and foreign price levels
# are cointegrated, as follows:
print("e_t & p_ft ADF test:", calc_adf(e_t, p_ft))
print("e_t & p_t ADF test:", calc_adf(e_t, p_t))
print("p_ft & p_t ADF test:", calc_adf(p_ft, p_t ))
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print("e t & equilibrium fx ADF:", calc adf(e t, equilibrium fx))
# Comments
print('\n The cointegration p-values for the first difference variables\
     e t & p ft (-6.36), e_t & p_t (-6.35) and p_ft & p_t (-6.88) are more\
    negative than the critical values, which implies that they have become
    stationary variables. Additionally, the results supports the long-run \
    Purchasing Power Parity (PPP) theory on the linear combination \
    e t + p ft -p t being stationary.\
    Thus, the equilibrium fx represents the cointegration of domestic and
    foreign price levels\n')
# Q3. Calculate the equilibrium FX using cointegration with two or more
# macroeconomic variables
# Macroeconomic variables that are influenced by both Macroeconomic policy and
# Macroeconomic conditions. The FX evolution is influenced by the central
# banks through indicators that influences the supply and "cost" of money,
# which is reflected by the level of interest rates. While, Macroeconomic
# conditions like industrial production capacity utilization also influence
# the FX evolution.
# Vector Autoregression (VAR)/Vector Error Correction model (VECM) will be
# used to calculate the long run equilibrum relation between FX and FEDRATE,
# As well, as FX evolution and CPI.
# Variables from Fred Database
"INDPRO"
# Industrial Production Index, Index 2012=100, Monthly, Seasonally Adjusted
"JPNPROINDMISMEI"
# Production of Total Industry in Japan, Index 2010=100, Monthly, Seasonally Adjusted
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# The VAR class assumes that the passed time series are stationary.
# Non-stationary or trending data can often be transformed to be stationary
# by first-differencing.
ldf = df[['fx', 'ip_US', 'cpi_US', 'fed_rate']]
df2 = np.log(ldf).diff().dropna()
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model = VAR(df2)
# Have the model select a lag order based on a standard information criterion
model.select order(15)
# model estimation, use the fit method with the desired lag order of 15.
results = model.fit(maxlags=15, ic='aic')
results.summary()
print(results.resid.plot())
# Impulse responses are of interest, as they are
# the estimated responses to a unit impulse in one of the variables.
# perform an impulse response analysis by calling
# the irf function on a VARResults object:
irf = results.irf()
# visualize using the plot function, in non-orthogonalized form.
# The cumulative effects can be plotted with the long run effects
print(irf.plot cum effects())
# Comments
#The individual coefficients from the error-correction model are hard
# to interpret in the case of vector-auto-regressive model. Consequently,
# the dynamic properties of the model are analyzed by examining the impulse
# response functions. The impulse response functions trace the dynamic
# responses to the effect of shock in one variable upon itself and on all
# other variables i.e. it is a tool that portrays the expected path over time
# of the variable to shocks in the innovations. These impulse response
# functions were plotted and show that one standard deviation shock applied to
# exchange produces no effect on industrial production throughout the period.
# A one standard deviation shock to FEDRATE has a perceptible effect on
# industrial production in the short and medium terms but causes output to
# decrease in the Long run. A one standard deviation shock to CPI has effect
# on FX evolution in the short run. However, the effect becomes noticeable
# in the long run. The main implications of the findings are: one, increased
# access to exchange rate for production could have significant impact on
# industrial production in the long run. This, therefore, suggests that more
# foreign exchange should be made available to reduce the gap between the
# supply and demand for exchange rate thereby enhancing the value of the
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