

# 6) Control Function Approach

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**Endogeneity:**  $Cov(u_1, v_2) \neq 0$

$$u_1 = \rho_1 v_2 + e_1$$

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$$\textit{error}_i = e_{i1} + \rho_1 z_i(\hat{\pi}_2 - \pi_2)$$

## Mroz (1987): CF with Bootstrap

```
reg educ exper expersq motheduc fatheduc huseduc if ///  
inlf==1, vce(boot, reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```

```
predict vhat, residuals
```

```
reg lwage educ exper expersq vhat if inlf==1, ///  
vce(boot, reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```

lwage	Observed Coef.	Bootstrap Std. Err.	z	P> z
educ	.0803918	.0225192	3.57	0.000
exper	.0430973	.0156212	2.76	0.006
expersq	-.0008628	.0004348	-1.98	0.047
vhat	.047189	.0268704	1.76	0.079
_cons	-.1868572	.3170912	-0.59	0.556

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educ	Observed Coef.	Bootstrap Std. Err.	z	P> z
exper	<b>.0374977</b>	<b>.0331465</b>	<b>1.13</b>	<b>0.258</b>
expersq	<b>-.0006002</b>	<b>.0010203</b>	<b>-0.59</b>	<b>0.556</b>
motheduc	<b>.1141532</b>	<b>.0312135</b>	<b>3.66</b>	<b>0.000</b>
fatheduc	<b>.1060801</b>	<b>.0298867</b>	<b>3.55</b>	<b>0.000</b>
huseduc	<b>.3752548</b>	<b>.0343345</b>	<b>10.93</b>	<b>0.000</b>
_cons	<b>5.538311</b>	<b>.4530623</b>	<b>12.22</b>	<b>0.000</b>

```
test (motheduc=0) (fatheduc=0) (huseduc=0)
```

```
( 1)  motheduc = 0
( 2)  fatheduc = 0          chi2( 3) = 334.18
( 3)  huseduc = 0          Prob > chi2 = 0.0000
```

## Card (1995): OLS

$$\text{Log}(\text{wage}) = \alpha_1 \text{educ} + \alpha_2 \text{black} \cdot \text{educ} + z_1 \delta_1 + u_1$$

```
reg lwage educ blackeduc black exper expersq south  
///smsa reg662-reg669 smsa66
```

lwage	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t
educ	.0707788	.0037548	18.85	0.000
blackeduc	.0178595	.006271	2.85	0.004
black	-.4191076	.0794021	-5.28	0.000
exper	.0821556	.0066828	12.29	0.000
expersq	-.0021349	.0003207	-6.66	0.000
south	-.1441927	.0259827	-5.55	0.000
smsa	.1340694	.0200931	6.67	0.000
reg662	.0988865	.0358663	2.76	0.006

## 2SLS (nearc4: grew up near a four-year college)

```
ivregress 2sls lwage black exper expersq south smsa ///  
reg662-reg669 smsa66 (educ blackeduc = nearc4 ///  
blacknearc4), vce(robust)
```

lwage	Coef.	Robust Std. Err.	z	P> z
educ	.1273557	.0560034	2.27	0.023
blackeduc	.0109036	.0398149	0.27	0.784
black	-.282765	.4997958	-0.57	0.572
exper	.1059116	.0248758	4.26	0.000
expersq	-.0022406	.0004888	-4.58	0.000
south	-.1424762	.0298096	-4.78	0.000
smsa	.1111555	.0309714	3.59	0.000
reg662	.1021697	.0365977	2.79	0.005

## CF for Two Endogeneous Variables

```
quietly reg educ black exper expersq south smsa ///  
reg662-reg669 smsa66 nearc4 blacknearc4, vce(boot,  
reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```

```
predict vhat1, residuals
```

```
quietly reg blackeduc black exper expersq south smsa ///  
reg662-reg669 smsa66 nearc4 blacknearc4, vce(boot, ///  
reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```

```
predict vhat2, residuals
```

```
reg lwage educ blackeduc black vhat1 vhat2 exper ///  
expersq south smsa reg662-reg669 smsa66, vce(boot, ///  
reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```



# Endogeneity Test

lwage	Observed Coef.	Bootstrap Std. Err.	z	P> z
educ	.1273557	.0523323	2.43	0.015
blackeduc	.0109036	.0370742	0.29	0.769
black	-.282765	.4640906	-0.61	0.542
vhat1	-.0568274	.0525634	-1.08	0.280
vhat2	.0070106	.0379315	0.18	0.853

test (vhat1=0) (vhat2=0)

```
( 1)  vhat1 = 0          chi2( 2) =      1.17
( 2)  vhat2 = 0          Prob > chi2 =     0.5563
```

# First Stage

```
reg educ nearc4 blacknearc4 black exper expersq south smsa ///
reg662-reg669 smsa66 , vce(boot, reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```

educ	Observed Coef.	Bootstrap Std. Err.	z	P> z
nearc4	.3191761	.0982935	3.25	0.001
blacknearc4	.0029741	.1655514	0.02	0.986

```
reg blackeduc nearc4 blacknearc4 black exper expersq south smsa ///
reg662-reg669 smsa66, vce(boot, reps(400) seed(7) nodots)
```

blackeduc	Observed Coef.	Bootstrap Std. Err.	z	P> z
nearc4	-.0908895	.0321739	-2.82	0.005
blacknearc4	.874705	.1763268	4.96	0.000