# Inflation in Disaggregated Small Open Economies

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2. Open (large) economy with sectoral view: focus on Euro Area and US

di Giovanni et al. (2023b), Fornaro and Romei (2022), Comin and Johnson (2022), Comin, Johnson and Jones (2023), Andrade, Sheremirov, and Arazi (2023), ...

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- **3.** Application: UK and Chile inflation during COVID-19 (2020-2022)
  - Helps to quantitatively match key inflation moments (mean and s.d.)

#### **Related Literature**

#### 1. Inflation in closed economy multi-sector models

Pasten et. al (2020), Guerrieri et. al (2021, 2022), Baqaee and Farhi (2022, 2023), La'O and Tahbaz-Salehi (2022), Rubbo (2023), Afrouzi and Bhattarai (2023), di Giovanni et al. (2022, 2023a), Ferrante et. al (2023), Luo and Villar (2023),...

Contribution: Domestic production network relevant beyond shares + quantification

#### 2. Inflation in open economies

Gali and Monacelli (2005), Corsetti and Pesenti (2005), Comin and Johnson (2022), Fornaro and Romei (2022), Ho et. al (2022), di Giovanni et. al (2023b), Comin et. al (2023), Baqaee and Farhi (2023), Cardani et. al (2023) ...

*Contribution:* Introduce production network and show how it alters CPI elasticities without frictions/distortions

#### 3. Supply-chain and indirect trade via production networks

Huneeus (2018), Dhyne et. al (2021), Adao et. al (2022), Antras and Chor (2022)

Contribution: Why, and how much indirect trade matters for inflation

### **Outline**

- 1. Model
- **2.** Empirics
- **3.** Application
- 4. Conclusion

Model

### **Small Open Economy with Production Networks**

- Static setup
  - Equivalently: focus on the present period; take future as given.
- Domestically produced goods:  $i \in N \longrightarrow \text{prices } P_i^D$
- Multiple (non-produced) factors:  $f \in F \longrightarrow$  factor prices:  $W_f$
- Imported goods:  $m \in M \longrightarrow \text{import prices: } P_m^M$
- Perfectly competitive goods and factor markets

#### Household

Representative household with homothetic preferences

$$U(\{C_{i}^{D}\}_{i\in N}, \{C_{m}^{M}\}_{m\in M})$$

Budget constraint

$$\underbrace{\sum_{i \in N} P_i^D C_i^D + \sum_{m \in M} P_m^M C_m^M}_{\equiv E} + T \leq \underbrace{\sum_{f \in F} W_f L_f + \sum_{i \in N} \Pi_i}_{\equiv nGDP}$$

T: net transfer to the rest of the world.

Cash-in-advance constraint

$$\sum_{i \in N} P_i^D C_i^D + \sum_{m \in M} P_m^M C_m^M \leq \mathcal{M}$$

 $\mathcal{M}$ : money supply.

#### **Firms**

• Representative firm in each domestic sector  $i \in N$ 

$$Q_{i} = Z_{i}F_{i}(\{L_{if}\}_{f \in F}, \{M_{ij}^{D}\}_{j \in N}, \{M_{im}^{M}\}_{m \in M})$$

• Given  $(W, P_M, P_D)$  and production function, firms solve

$$\min_{\{L_{if}\}_{f \in F}, \{M_{ij}^{D}\}_{j \in N}, \{M_{ij}^{M}\}_{m \in M}} \sum_{f \in F} W_{f}L_{if} + \sum_{j \in N} P_{j}^{D}M_{ij}^{D} + \sum_{m \in M} P_{m}^{M}M_{im}^{M}$$

subject to 
$$Z_i F_i(\{L_{if}\}_{f \in F}, \{M_{ij}^D\}_{j \in N}, \{M_{im}^M\}_{m \in M}) \ge \bar{Q}_i$$

### **Market Clearing**

Factor markets clear

$$ar{L}_f = \sum_{i \in N} L_{if} \quad f \in F$$

Goods markets clear

$$Q_i = C_i^D + X_i + \sum_{i \in N} M_{ji}^D \quad i \in N$$

Aggregate resource constraint

$$\sum_{i\in N} P_i^D X_i - \sum_{m\in M} P_m^M (C_m + \sum_{i\in N} M_{im}) = T$$

### **Equilibrium** Detailed

- Households maximize utility s.t. budget constraint.
- Firms minimize costs.
- Goods and factor markets clear.
- Aggregate resource constraint holds.
- Cash-in-advance constraint holds with equality.

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- CPI depends on import prices
  - Directly:  $(\bar{\boldsymbol{b}}^M)^T$
  - Indirectly :  $(\tilde{\boldsymbol{b}}^M)^T = \bar{\boldsymbol{b}}^T \Psi \Gamma$

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#### Networks matter beyond aggregate shares

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- $(\bar{\lambda}, \bar{\Lambda}, \bar{b}^M)$  are **not** the relevant elasticities.
- Need production network structure to compute  $\tilde{\lambda}_i, \tilde{\Lambda}_f, \tilde{b}_m$
- More in the paper:
  - Aggregate demand?
  - Two period model
  - Fully dynamic SOE model
- Next step: measure these in the data



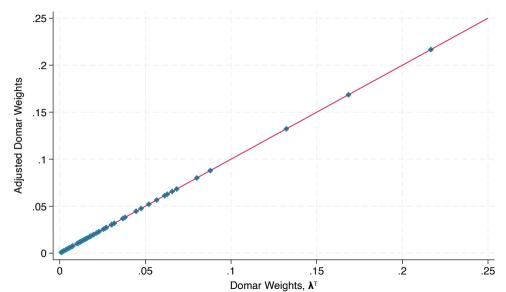


# Empirics

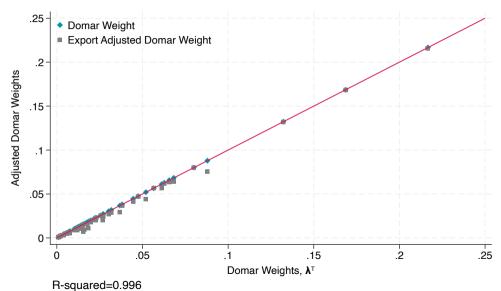
#### **Data**

- Data from the World Input-Output Table Release 2016
  - 56 sectors and 43 countries.
  - Detailed information on intermediate input usage, exports, imports, sales.
  - Domestic Input-Output Tables.
- Penn-World Table 9.0. Small Open Economies (1990 2019)
  - Share of World GDP < 5%</li>
  - Openness ((Exports + Imports)/nGDP) ≥ 30%
- All cross-sectional plots based on the year 2014 (last year available).

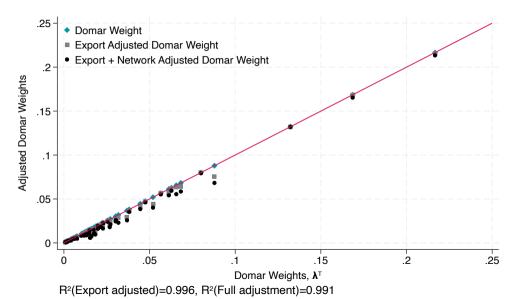
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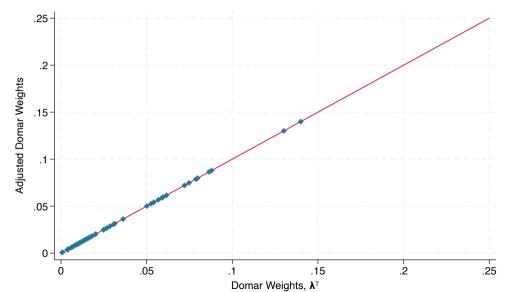
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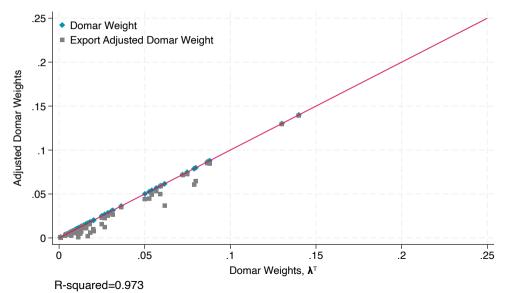
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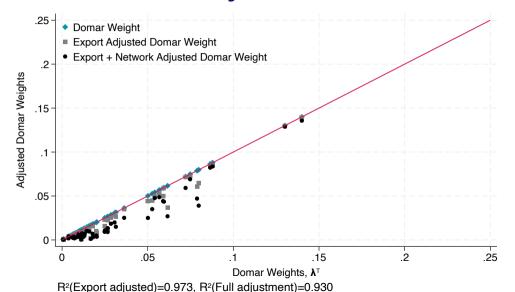
#### **Domar weights in United Kingdom**



#### **Export adjustment? Matters!**

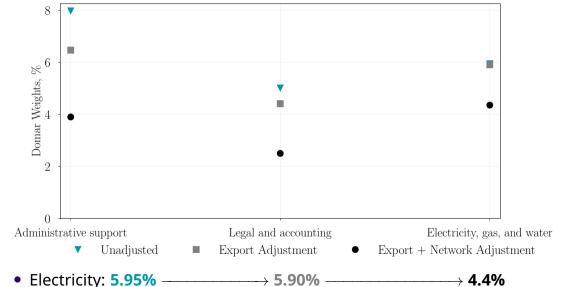


#### **Production network adjustment? Also matters!**



#### UK: 3 largest export adjustment + network

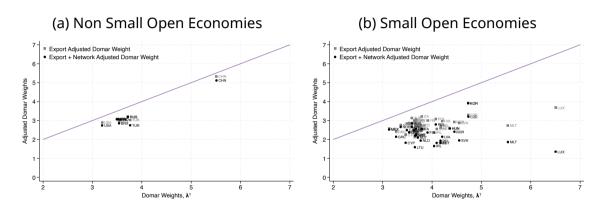
**Export Adjustment** 



Production Network Adj.

#### Average adjustments across countries cross-country

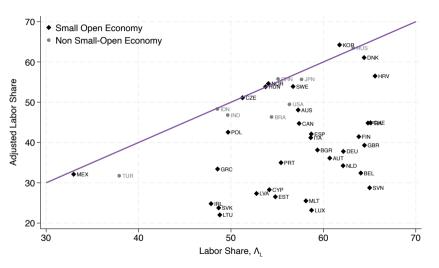




• Full adjustment is small in non-SOEs but quantitatively important in SOEs

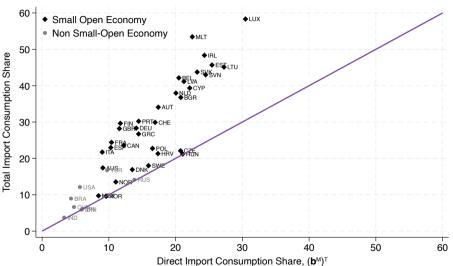
### Elasticity to factor prices: $(\Lambda^T - \tilde{\Lambda}^T)\hat{W}$





• Adjustment matters more for SOEs.

## Elasticity to import prices: $(ar{b}^M + ilde{b}^M)\widehat{P}_M$

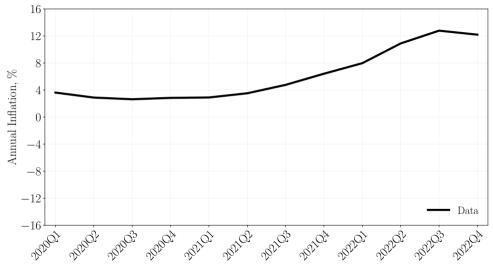


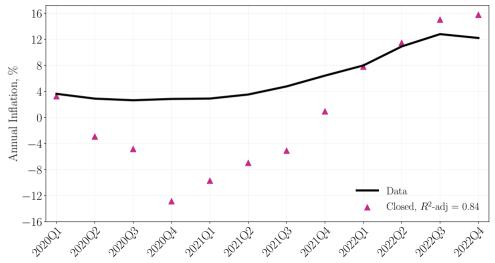
• Indirect consumption share as important as direct consumption share!

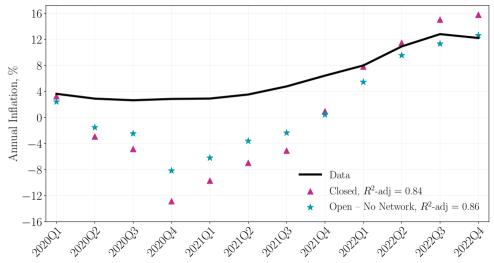
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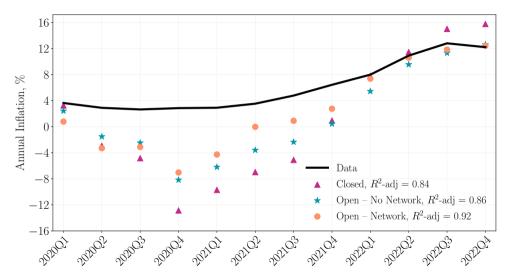
#### **Inflation during COVID19: Application**

- Collect data on sectoral wages, labor productivity, and import price
  - ullet Two small open economies  $\longrightarrow$  Chile and UK
- Calibrate relevant elasticities using Input-Output tables.
  - Model to data assumption: sector-specific labor and capital.
  - 20 sectors: SIC2 classification.
- Use data on  $\hat{W}$ ,  $\hat{Z}$ ,  $\hat{P}_M$  + elasticities to construct model implied inflation.
  - Three scenarios: Closed, Open No Network, and Open Network

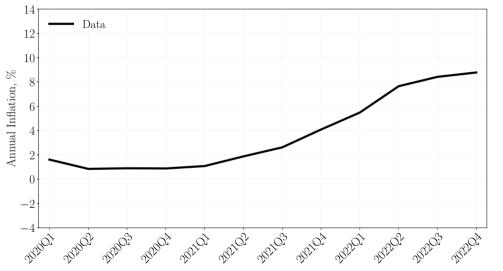




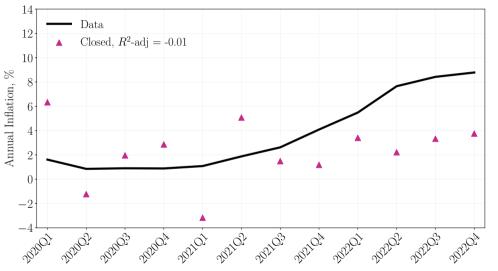




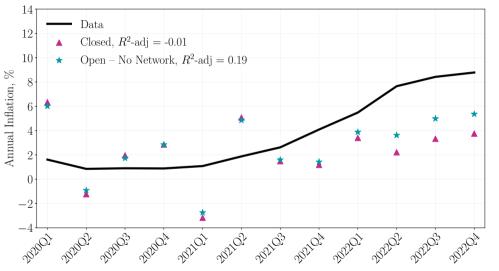




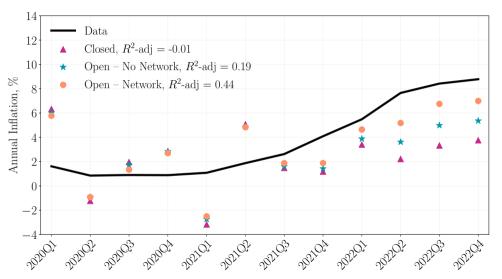














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Research agenda

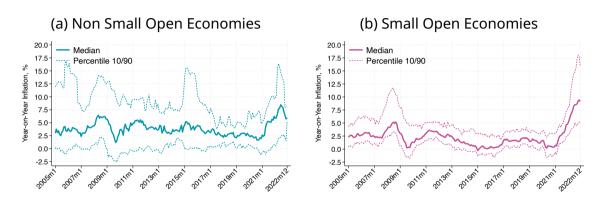
- "Optimal monetary policy in small open economies with production networks"
- "Pandemic-era inflation drivers and global spillovers"

(with di Giovanni, Kalemli-Özcan, and Yıldırım)

# Thank you!

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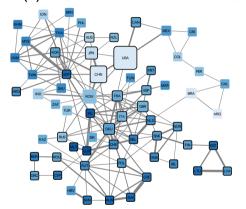
#### Fact 1: Inflation strikes back



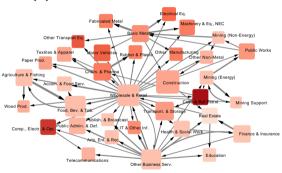
Source: Bank for International Settlements. Non SOE: 9, SOE: 47. SOE criteria: trade openness  $\geq$  30 % and share of world GDP  $\leq$  5 %.

#### Fact 2: Economies are networks!

(a) International Production Network



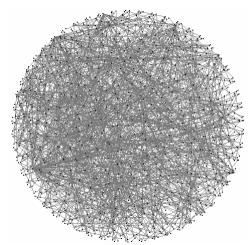
(b) Sectoral Production Network



Source: Cakmakli, Demiralp, Kalemli-Özcan, Yeşiltaş, and Yıldırım (2022) based on OECD Input-Output Tables 2018.

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(c) Chile's Firm-to-Firm Level Production Network



Note: Chilean firm-to-firm level network 2019Q4: 2000 firms random sample, intermediate input sales represent at least 10% of client's total intermediate input purchases. Source: Miranda-Pinto, Silva, and Young (2023).

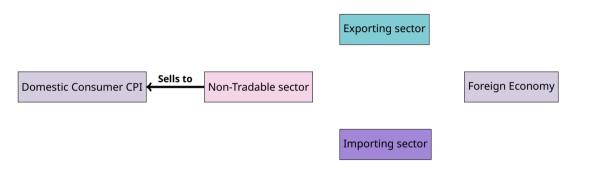
# Overall idea of the paper in one diagram

Domestic Consumer CPI

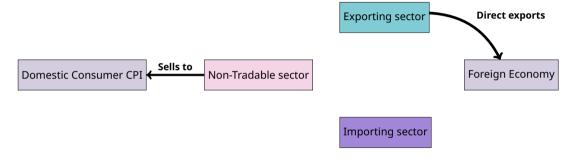
Non-Tradable sector

Importing sector

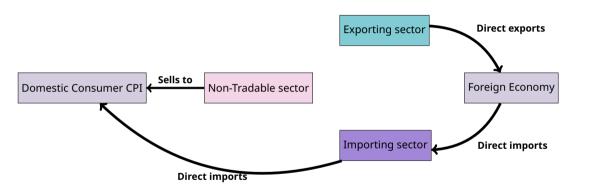
## Non-tradable sells to domestic consumers only



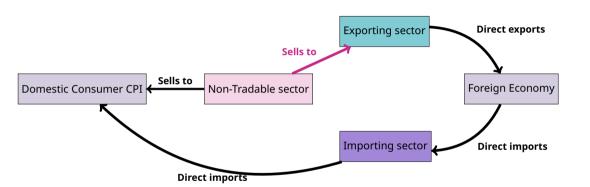
## **Exporters sells abroad**



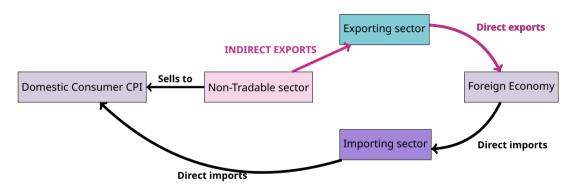
# Imports from abroad to consume



## By selling to exporting sector...

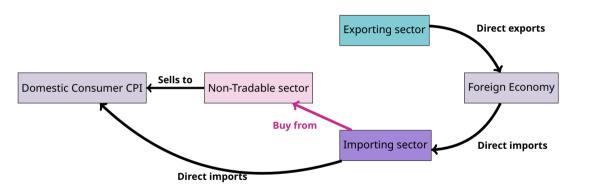


## Non-tradable becomes an indirect exporter!

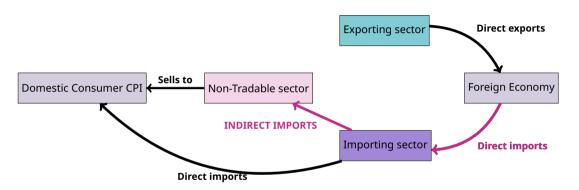


Less exposed to changes affecting non-tradable sector price

# By buying from importing sector...

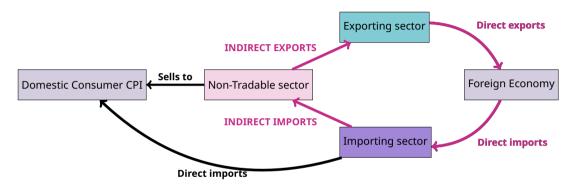


#### Non-tradable becomes an indirect importer!



More exposed to import price changes

## **Production network amplifies trade**



- Reducing CPI exposure to changes affecting non-tradable sector price
- Increasing CPI exposure to import price changes

#### **Leontieff-Inverse Intuition**



$$\downarrow \textit{\textbf{Z}}_{\textit{A}} \longrightarrow \uparrow \textit{\textbf{P}}_{\textit{A}} \longrightarrow \uparrow \textit{\textbf{P}}_{\textit{\textbf{B}}_{1}} = \Omega_{\textit{\textbf{B}}_{1},\textit{\textbf{A}}} \textit{\textbf{d}} \log \textit{\textbf{P}}_{\textit{\textbf{A}}} \text{ (1st round)} \rightarrow \textit{\textbf{P}}_{\textit{\textbf{B}}_{2}} = \Omega_{\textit{\textbf{B}}_{2},\textit{\textbf{B}}_{1}} \textit{\textbf{d}} \log \textit{\textbf{P}}_{\textit{\textbf{B}}_{1}} \text{ (2nd round)}$$

 $\Psi = \sum\limits_{-\infty}^{\infty} \Omega^{s}$  takes into account all these higher order effects!

## **Equilibrium**

- **1.** Given sequences  $(W, P_D, \Pi, P_M)$  and exogenous parameters (T, M), the household chooses  $(C_D, C_M)$  to maximize its utility subject to its budget constraint and the cash-in-advanced constraint.
- **2.** Given  $(W, P_D, P_M)$  and production technologies, firms choose  $(L_i, M_i)$  to minimize their cost of production.
- **3.** Given **X**, goods and factor markets clears.

Closed economy with production networks

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• Lower effect of aggregate demand forces

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Dampens factor supply shocks effect through factor content of exports.

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$$-\left(\bar{\boldsymbol{\Lambda}}^{T} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\Lambda}}^{T}\right)\widehat{\boldsymbol{L}} - \tilde{\boldsymbol{\Lambda}}^{T}\widehat{\boldsymbol{\Lambda}}$$

• Factor share reallocation term: dampens inflation from factor prices

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Bottom line: network + openness do matter for inflation!

#### Household

• Intertemporal problem

$$\max_{\{C_t, B_t, B_t^*\}_{t=0}^{\infty}} \mathbb{E}_0 \sum_{t=0}^{\infty} \beta^t \frac{C_t^{1-\sigma} - 1}{1 - \sigma}$$
subject to  $P_t C_t + \mathcal{E}_t B_t^* + B_t \leq W_t \overline{L}_t + (1 + i_{t-1}^*) \mathcal{E}_t B_{t-1}^* + (1 + i_{t-1}) B_{t-1},$  (4)

Intratemporal problem

$$\min_{C_N,C_M,C_X} P_N C_N + P_M C_M + P_X C_X \text{ subject to } C \geq \overline{C},$$
where  $C = \left(b_N^{\frac{1}{\chi}} C_N^{\frac{\chi-1}{\chi}} + b_M^{\frac{1}{\chi}} C_M^{\frac{\chi-1}{\chi}} + (1 - b_N - b_M)^{\frac{1}{\chi}} C_X^{\frac{\chi-1}{\chi}}\right)^{\frac{\chi}{\chi-1}}$ 

(5)

# **Household Optimality Conditions**

Intertemporal

$$C_t : C_t^{-\sigma} = \lambda_t P_t,$$

$$B_t : \lambda_t = \beta (1 + i_t) \mathbb{E}_t \lambda_{t+1},$$
(6)

$$B_t^*: \lambda_t = \beta(1 + i_t^*) \mathbb{E}_t \lambda_{t+1} \frac{\mathcal{E}_{t+1}}{\mathcal{E}_t},$$
(8)

Intratemporal

$$C_{N} = b_{N} \left(\frac{P_{N}}{P}\right)^{-\chi} C; \quad C_{M} = b_{M} \left(\frac{P_{M}}{P}\right)^{-\chi} C; \quad C_{\chi} = (1 - b_{N} - b_{M}) \left(\frac{P_{\chi}}{P}\right)^{-\chi} C \quad (9)$$

$$P = (b_{N} P_{N}^{1-\chi} + b_{M} P_{M}^{1-\chi} + (1 - b_{N} - b_{M}) P_{\chi}^{1-\chi})^{\frac{1}{1-\chi}} \quad (10)$$

#### **Production**

$$Q_{i} = Z_{i} \left( \alpha_{i}^{\frac{1}{\sigma_{i}}} L_{i}^{\frac{\sigma_{i}-1}{\sigma_{i}}} + (1 - \alpha_{i})^{\frac{1}{\sigma_{i}}} M_{i}^{\frac{\sigma_{i}-1}{\sigma_{i}}} \right)^{\frac{\sigma_{i}}{\sigma_{i}-1}}$$

$$M_{i} = \left( \omega_{i}^{\frac{1}{\varepsilon_{i}}} M_{iN}^{\frac{\varepsilon_{i}-1}{\varepsilon_{i}}} + (1 - \omega_{i})^{\frac{1}{\varepsilon_{i}}} M_{iT}^{\frac{\varepsilon_{i}-1}{\varepsilon_{i}}} \right)^{\frac{\varepsilon_{i}}{\varepsilon_{i}-1}}$$

$$M_{iT} = \left( \omega_{iX}^{\frac{1}{\varepsilon_{i}}} M_{iX}^{\frac{\varepsilon_{i}^{T}-1}{\varepsilon_{i}^{T}}} + (1 - \omega_{iX})^{\frac{1}{\varepsilon_{i}}} M_{iM}^{\frac{\varepsilon_{i}-1}{\varepsilon_{i}^{T}}} \right)^{\frac{\varepsilon_{i}^{T}-1}{\varepsilon_{i}^{T}-1}}$$

(11)

(12)

(13)

# **Production side optimality conditions**

$$M_{iN} = \omega_i \left(\frac{P_N}{P_i^I}\right)^{-\varepsilon_i} M_i; \quad M_{iT} = (1 - \omega_i) \left(\frac{P_i^T}{P_i^I}\right)^{-\varepsilon_i} M_i$$
(15)

 $L_i = a_i \left(\frac{W}{MC_i}\right)^{-\sigma} Z_i^{\sigma_i - 1} Q_i; \quad M_i = (1 - a_i \left(\frac{P_i^l}{MC_i}\right)^{-\sigma} Z_i^{\sigma_i - 1} Q_i$ 

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$$M_{iX} = \omega_{iX} \left(\frac{r_X}{P_i^T}\right)$$
  $M_{iT}$ ;  $M_{iM} = (1 - \omega_{iX}) \left(\frac{r_M}{P_i^T}\right)$   $M_{iT}$ 

$$MC_{i} = Z_{i}^{-1} \left( a_{i}W^{1-\sigma_{i}} + (1-a_{i})(P_{i}^{I})^{1-\sigma_{i}} \right)^{\frac{1}{1-\sigma_{i}}},$$

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$$MC_{i} \equiv Z_{i} \quad (u_{i}W \quad i + (1 - u_{i})(P_{i}) \quad i) \quad i,$$

$$P_{i}^{I} = \left(\omega_{i}P_{i}^{1 - \varepsilon_{i}} + (1 - \omega_{i})(P_{i}^{T})^{1 - \varepsilon_{i}}\right)^{\frac{1}{1 - \varepsilon_{i}}}$$

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(14)

(16)

(17)

#### **Exogenous Processes and Nominal Anchor**

$$\log Z_{Nt} = \rho_{Z_N} \log Z_{Nt-1} + \nu_t^N$$

$$\log P_{Mt}^* = \rho_{P_M} \log P_{Mt-1}^* + \nu_t^{P_M}$$
(20)
$$\mathcal{M}_t = P_t C_t$$
(21)

#### **Equilibrium**

Goods market clearing conditions

$$\bar{L}_t = L_{Nt} + L_{Xt}$$

 $Q_{Nt} = C_{Nt} + M_{NNt} + M_{YNt}$ 

 $\mathbf{i}_t^* = \overline{\mathbf{i}}^* + \psi(\mathbf{e}^{\overline{B}^* - B_t^*} - 1).$ 

- Domestic bond in zero net supply:  $B_t = 0$ .
- Current Account

$$B_t^* - B_{t-1}^* = I_{t-1}^* B_{t-1}^* \underbrace{-\frac{1}{\mathcal{E}_t} \left( P_{Xt} (C_{Xt} + M_{XXt} + M_{NXt} - Q_{Xt}) + P_{Mt} (C_{Mt} + M_{NMt} + M_{XMt}) \right)}_{\text{Net exports in foreign currency}}$$

Stationarity device: debt elastic interest rate premium

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(26)

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(24)

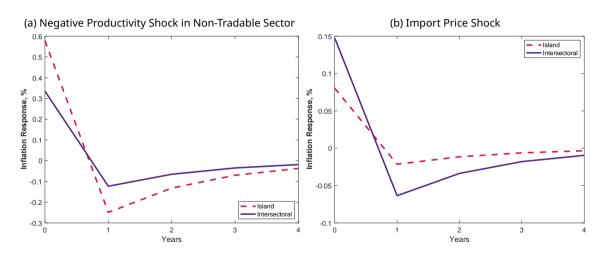
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#### **Calibration and Scenarios**

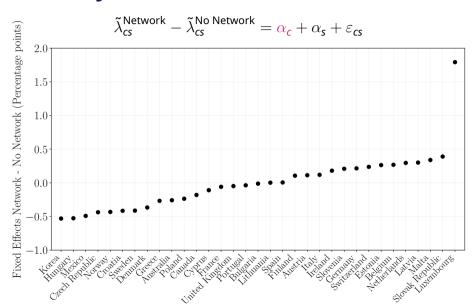
Parameters	Value	Description	Source	
Shares				
$a_N = a_X$	0.66	Labor Share	Benigno et. al (2013)	
$b_N$	0.70	Consumption share on non-tradables	Bianchi (2011)	
$b_{\chi}$	0.03	Consumption share on exportable	Table 8.2 Uribe and Schmitt-Grohe (2017)	
$b_M$	0.27	Consumption share on importable	Table 8.2 Uribe and Schmitt-Grohe (2017)	
Elasticities				
χ	1	Elasticity of substitution in consumption	Cobb-Douglas specification	
σ	2	Intertemporal Elasticity of Substitution	Table 8.2 Uribe and Schmitt-Grohe (2017)	
$\sigma_N = \sigma_X$	1	Elasticity between value-added and intermediates	Cobb-Douglas specification	
$\varepsilon_N = \varepsilon_X$	1	Elasticity across intermediates	Cobb-Douglas specification	
$ \varepsilon_{N} = \varepsilon_{X} \\ \varepsilon_{N}^{T} = \varepsilon_{X}^{T} $	1	Elasticity across tradable intermediates	Cobb-Douglas specification	
Other Parameters				
$\rho_{Z_{\nu}} = \rho_{P_{\nu}}$	0.53	AR(1) non-tradable productivity and import price	Table 7.1 Uribe and Schmitt-Grohe (2017)	
$ar{m{\mathcal{B}}}^* =  ho_{m{\mathcal{P}}_{m{M}}}$	0	Steady-state foreign assets position	Zero trade balance	
$\psi$	0.000742	Interest rate sensitivity to foreign assets	Schmitt-Grohe and Uribe (2003)	
$\vec{l}^*$	0.04	Steady-state foreign interest rate	Bianchi (2011)	
β	$\frac{1}{41.00} = 0.9615$	Discount Factor	, ,	

- Two scenarios
  - **1.** Island:  $(\omega_N, \omega_X, \omega_{NX}, \omega_{XX}) = (1, 0, 0, 0.5) \rightarrow \text{buy intermediates from itself not from other sector.}$
  - **2.** Intersectoral linkages:  $(\omega_N, \omega_X, \omega_{NX}, \omega_{XX}) = (0, 1, 1, 0.5)$ .  $\rightarrow$  buy intermediates from other sector.

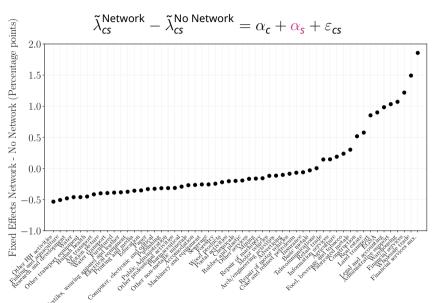
## **Dynamic Model Impulse Responses**



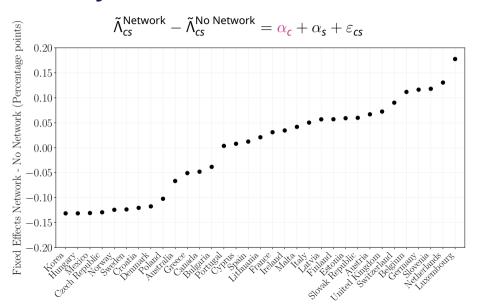
#### **Cross-Country Evidence** Back



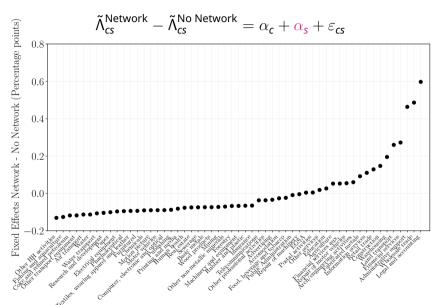
#### **Sectoral Evidence**



# **Cross-Country Evidence**



#### **Sectoral Evidence**



# **Summary Statistics Back**

	Panel (a): Chile		Panel (b): United Kingdom	
	Mean	Std. Dev.	Mean	Std. Dev
Data	6.13	3.89	3.69	3.11
Model				
Closed	0.98	9.69	2.27	2.57
SOE no Network	1.45	6.88	2.72	2.64
SOE - Network	2.41	6.67	3.21	3.00