

VAR Model

Quick \rightarrow Estimate VAR \rightarrow Endogenous variables \rightarrow lag \rightarrow OK.

By doing this we will not get prob of coefficients so,

Proc \rightarrow Make system \rightarrow Order by variable.

You will get equations

Estimate \rightarrow OK.

check Durbin-Watson Stat

If value is from 1.9 to 2.1 \rightarrow model is good

(~~from serial co-relation~~)

Determine Joint Significance of variable in a particular equation

eg:- LRPCE \rightarrow 1st lag of P & GDP and 2nd lag.

View \rightarrow coefficient diagnosis \rightarrow Wald test

$C(5) = C(6) = 0 \rightarrow$ OK.

\downarrow

coefficient GDP 1 \rightarrow coefficient GDP 2.

$p < 0.05$ - reject null hypothesis

Check for the significance if $p > 0.05 \rightarrow$ not significant.

View \rightarrow coefficient diagnosis \rightarrow Wald test

All coefficient not significant $= 0$

eg $C(5) = C(6) = C(7) = 0 \rightarrow$ OK.

If $p > 0.05$ then cannot reject null hypothesis

H_0 : There are no ~~inflation~~ imbalance on dependent variable.

Remove the variables.

Spec \rightarrow remove the unwanted variable.

Estimate \rightarrow OK.

Check all the coefficient are significant

Checking causality

- \rightarrow Specify the model
- \rightarrow Stationary test
- \rightarrow Optimal lags determination
- \rightarrow Estimate the unrestricted VAR.
- \rightarrow Perform causality tests
- \rightarrow Perform diagnostics

Var \rightarrow Lag structure \rightarrow Unrestricted causality

H_0 : lagged coefficient (s) = 0

H_1 : lagged coefficient (s) $\neq 0$

Reject H_0 : Prob χ^2 -stat < 0.05

\Rightarrow (has a causal impact $\rightarrow H_1$)

(2)

ack \rightarrow group statistics \rightarrow Granger causality test \rightarrow OK.

no of lag \rightarrow OK.

check prob $< 0.05 \rightarrow$ reject null hypothesis.

H_1 : ~~Granger~~ causality is present
(Alternative)

Test for diagonals

view \rightarrow Residual test \rightarrow Auto correlation LM test \rightarrow no of

lag \rightarrow OK.

check prob

~~< 0.05~~ $> 0.05 \rightarrow$ Accept $H_0 \rightarrow$ no serial correlation

normality normality \rightarrow

view \rightarrow Residual \rightarrow Cholesky test

Variance decomposition

view \rightarrow Variance decomposition \rightarrow - period \rightarrow OK.

Panel Data - Econometric data

→ It allows the inclusion of data for N cross-sections (eg: countries, household, firms, individuals and soon) and T time periods (for eg: years, quarters, months and so on).

→ A true panel data set would allow each individual in the panel to be followed over a number of periods.

→ If the panel has the same number of time observations for every variable and every individual, it is known as ~~perfect~~ Balanced panel.

→ The basic idea of panel data analysis ~~is that~~ arises from some belief that the individual relationships will all have the same parameter → This is called pooling effects assumption.

→ Here all individuals are pooled together into one data set

and a common set of parameters is imposed across them.

→ Panel data can be estimated using three different methods

(a) with a constant as in equation

(b) allowing for fixed effects

(c) allowing for random effects.

→ Fixed effects method → constant is treated as group-specific.

This model allows for different constants for each group.

→ Before assessing the ~~stat~~ validity of a fixed effects method, we need to apply tests to check whether fixed effects (that is different constants for each group) should indeed be included in this model.

→ To do this, standard F test can be used to check fixed effects against the simple constant OLS method.

→ Null hypothesis: - All the constants are same (homogeneity) \therefore The common constant method is applicable.

$$H_0: a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_n$$

→ F statistic is $>$ F critical we reject null.

Panel Data Eviews.

open eviews \rightarrow File \rightarrow Workfile \rightarrow
workfile structure type \rightarrow Balanced panel
 \rightarrow panel specification \rightarrow Annual \rightarrow start date
 \rightarrow end date \rightarrow OK \rightarrow No of cross sections \rightarrow OK.
(No of rows (obs))
* file \rightarrow import from file \rightarrow import panel data
 \rightarrow OK \rightarrow finish.

clicks on "obs" \rightarrow a dialog box will open \rightarrow
(cross section id series \rightarrow date series
(given cross section id) (put year)

\rightarrow OK.
shortcut method \rightarrow drag and drop exact file in eviews \rightarrow Basic structure \rightarrow Dated panel \rightarrow
give the cross sectional id and date series \rightarrow finish
Quick \rightarrow estimate equation \rightarrow (return c beta)

OK.

$\text{prob} > 0.05 \Rightarrow$ we cannot do regression.
(There is some effect \rightarrow fixed or random)

^{pooled}
The ~~sample~~ regression assumes that the intercepts
are same for each firm and for each year.

⊗ This may be inappropriate assumption and we
could instead estimate a model with fixed
and time-fixed effects which will allow for
firm specific and time specific heterogeneity.

view \rightarrow ~~fixed~~ random

Estimate \rightarrow Panel option \rightarrow cross-section \rightarrow fixed
Period \rightarrow fixed \rightarrow OK.

So the probability will be < 0.05 , then it is
Significance, and Durbin-Watson stat should
be near to '2' which means that there is
no ~~spurious~~ spurious regression.

~~Check the parameter~~

To determine redundant fixed effect test

view \rightarrow ~~fixed~~ / ~~effect~~ fixed / Random effect ^{testing} \rightarrow ~~write~~

~~Random effect~~ ~~testing~~ Redundant fixed effects -
likelihood test

if All prob ^{are} ~~to~~ ~~should be~~ zero then it is fixed effect

So estimate Random effect model

Estimate \rightarrow panel option \rightarrow cross-section \rightarrow Random
 \rightarrow period \rightarrow none \rightarrow OK.

view \rightarrow fixed / Random effect ~~testing~~ \rightarrow ~~How~~

Howman test \rightarrow

if the ~~probability~~ prob is less than 0.001

indicating that the random effects model is
not appropriate and that the fixed effect
specification is preferred.

if prob is less than 0.1% reject null hypothesis

ho: - correlation effect is perfect.