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## **Preface**

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## 1 Laczo (2015) R scripts for data preparation

## 1.1 Load packages

```
pacman::p_load(
    tidyverse,
    Rtauchen
)
```

### 1.2 Load datasets

```
load('Laczo2015/allest')
numVillages <- max(villagedat)</pre>
villageIndicatorMatrix <- do.call(</pre>
  cbind,
 map(
    seq(1, numVillages),
    ~ villagedat[, 1] == .
  )
)
createVillageAggregateByYear <- function(</pre>
    data,
    func,
    .numVillages = numVillages,
    .villageIndicatorMatrix = villageIndicatorMatrix
    ) {
  do.call(
    rbind,
    map(
      seq(1, .numVillages),
```

```
~ data[.villageIndicatorMatrix[, .],] %>% func
    )
  }
createVillageAggregate <- function(</pre>
    data,
    func.
    .numVillages = numVillages,
    .villageIndicatorMatrix = villageIndicatorMatrix
    ) {
    map_vec(
      seq(1, .numVillages),
      ~ data[.villageIndicatorMatrix[, .],] %>% func
    )
  }
vilMeanIncByYear <- createVillageAggregateByYear(incdat, colMeans)</pre>
vilSumIncByYear <- createVillageAggregateByYear(incdat, colSums)</pre>
vilMeanInc <- createVillageAggregate(incdat, mean)</pre>
vilMeanConsByYear <- createVillageAggregateByYear(consdat, colMeans)</pre>
vilSumConsByYear <- createVillageAggregateByYear(consdat, colSums)</pre>
vilMeanCons <- createVillageAggregate(consdat, mean)</pre>
vilMeanEduc <- createVillageAggregate(educdat, mean)</pre>
vilMeanWomenShare <- createVillageAggregate(propfdat, mean)</pre>
vilMeanAge <- createVillageAggregate(educdat, mean)</pre>
vilMeanLand <- createVillageAggregate(educdat, mean)</pre>
incLow <- createVillageAggregate(incdat, function(x) quantile(x, 0.025, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
incHigh <- createVillageAggregate(incdat, function(x) quantile(x, 0.975, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
consLow <- createVillageAggregate(consdat, function(x) quantile(x, 0.025, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
consHigh <- createVillageAggregate(consdat, function(x) quantile(x, 0.975, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
vilConsPerIncByYear <- vilMeanConsByYear / vilMeanIncByYear</pre>
incdatRescaled <- incdat * (villageIndicatorMatrix %*% vilConsPerIncByYear)</pre>
vilMeanIncByYearRescaled <- createVillageAggregateByYear(incdatRescaled, colMeans)</pre>
```

## 1.3 Estimate income processes

```
numIncomeStatesHH <- 8
numIncomeStatesVillage <- 5
numIncomeStatesCombination <- numIncomeStatesVillage * numIncomeStatesHH</pre>
```

#### 1.3.1 Household

```
householdIncMean <- incdatRescaled %>% rowMeans
householdIncSD <- apply(incdatRescaled, 1, sd, na.rm = TRUE)
householdIncCV <- householdIncSD / householdIncMean

vilIncMeanMedian <- createVillageAggregate(
   as.matrix(householdIncMean),
   median
   )
vilIncCVMedian <- createVillageAggregate(
   as.matrix(householdIncCV),
   median
   )
median
)</pre>
```

#### 1.3.1.1 Estimate AR(1) process approximated by a Markov chain

```
CVClass,
    meanClassVec = householdIncMeanClassVec,
    CVClassVec = householdIncCVClassVec,
    .villageIndicatorMatrix = villageIndicatorMatrix
    ) {
  data
    (meanClassVec == meanClass) &
      (CVClassVec == CVClass) &
      (.villageIndicatorMatrix[, village])
}
calculateAR1Parameters <- function(data, laggedData) {</pre>
  mu <- mean(data, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
 rho <- cor(</pre>
    data,
    laggedData,
    use="complete.obs"
  sigmau <- sqrt(var(data, na.rm = TRUE) * (1 - rho^2))</pre>
 return(list(mu = mu, rho = rho, sigmau = sigmau))
}
calculateGridPoints <- function(numStates, data) {</pre>
  gridQuantile \leftarrow seq(0, 1, by = 1 / numStates)
 map_dbl(
    (gridQuantile[1:(length(gridQuantile) - 1)] + gridQuantile[2:length(gridQuantile)]) /
    ~ quantile(data, ., na.rm = TRUE)
  )
}
approximateAR1Tauchen <- function(numStates, data, mu, rho, sigma) {
  gridPoints <- calculateGridPoints(numStates, data)</pre>
  #transition probabilities
  transitionMatrix <- array(NA, c(numStates, numStates))</pre>
  for (currentState in 1:numStates) {
    transitionMatrix[currentState, 1] <- (</pre>
      pnorm(
```

```
((gridPoints[2] + gridPoints[1]) / 2
         - (1 - rho) * mu - rho * gridPoints[currentState])
        / sigma
        )
      )
    transitionMatrix[currentState, numStates] <- 1 - pnorm(</pre>
      ((gridPoints[numStates] + gridPoints[numStates - 1]) / 2
       - (1 - rho) * mu - rho * gridPoints[currentState])
      / sigma
    }
  for (currentState in 1:numStates) {
    for (nextState in 2:(numStates - 1)) {
        transitionMatrix[currentState, nextState] <- (</pre>
          pnorm(
          ((gridPoints[nextState + 1] + gridPoints[nextState]) / 2
           - (1 - rho) * mu - rho * gridPoints[currentState])
          / sigma
          )
        - pnorm(
          ((gridPoints[nextState] + gridPoints[nextState - 1]) / 2
           - (1 - rho) * mu - rho * gridPoints[currentState])
          / sigma
          )
        }
 return(list(transitionMatrix = transitionMatrix, gridPoints = gridPoints))
calculateSteadyStateProb <- function(transitionMatrix) {</pre>
    eigen(t(transitionMatrix))$vector[, 1]
    / sum(eigen(t(transitionMatrix))$vector[, 1])
  )
}
rescaleGridPoints <- function(transitionMatrix, gridPoints, data) {</pre>
  steadyStateProb <- calculateSteadyStateProb(transitionMatrix)</pre>
  rescaleScalar <- as.numeric(</pre>
    mean(data, na.rm = TRUE) / gridPoints
```

```
%*% steadyStateProb
  gridPointsRescaled <- gridPoints * rescaleScalar</pre>
  return(list(gridPointsRescaled = gridPointsRescaled, steadyStateProb = steadyStateProb))
approximateAR1TauchenWithRescaling <- function(numStates, data, mu, rho, sigma) {
  TauchenResult <- approximateAR1Tauchen(numStates, data, mu, rho, sigma)
  transitionMatrix <- TauchenResult$transitionMatrix</pre>
  gridPoints <- TauchenResult$gridPoints</pre>
  gridPointsRescaledResult <- rescaleGridPoints(</pre>
    transitionMatrix, gridPoints, data
  gridPointsRescaled <- gridPointsRescaledResult$gridPointsRescaled
  steadyStateProb <- gridPointsRescaledResult$steadyStateProb</pre>
 return(list(
    transitionMatrix = transitionMatrix,
    gridPointsRescaled = gridPointsRescaled,
    steadyStateProb = steadyStateProb
    ))
}
estimateHouseholdIncomeTransitionProcessByVillage <- function(</pre>
    village,
    numStates,
    data,
    laggedData
) {
  gridPointsArray <- array(NA, c(2, 2, numStates))</pre>
  transitionMatrixArray <- array(NA, c(2, 2, numStates, numStates))
  steadyStateProbArray <- array(NA, c(2, 2, numStates))</pre>
  AR1ParametersArray <- array(NA, c(2, 2, 3))
  for (incomeMeanClass in seq(1, 2)) {
    for (incomeCVClass in seq(1, 2)) {
      incdatRescaledMeanCVClass <- getDataByMeanCVClassByVillage(</pre>
        village, data, incomeMeanClass, incomeCVClass
      laggeedIncdatRescaledMeanCVClass <- getDataByMeanCVClassByVillage(</pre>
        village, laggedData, incomeMeanClass, incomeCVClass
```

```
AR1Parameters <- calculateAR1Parameters(incdatRescaledMeanCVClass, laggeedIncdatResc
      TauchenResult <- approximateAR1TauchenWithRescaling(</pre>
        numIncomeStatesHH, incdatRescaledMeanCVClass,
        AR1Parameters$mu, AR1Parameters$rho, AR1Parameters$sigmau
      gridPointsArray[incomeMeanClass, incomeCVClass,] <- TauchenResult$gridPoints
      transitionMatrixArray[incomeMeanClass, incomeCVClass,,] <- TauchenResult$transitionM
      steadyStateProbArray[incomeMeanClass, incomeCVClass,] <- TauchenResult$steadyStatePr
      AR1ParametersArray[incomeMeanClass, incomeCVClass,] <- unlist(AR1Parameters)
    }
  }
  return(list(
    gridPointsArray = gridPointsArray,
    transitionMatrixArray = transitionMatrixArray,
    steadyStateProbArray = steadyStateProbArray,
    AR1ParametersArray = AR1ParametersArray
    ))
}
householdAR1EstimationResult <- map(
  seq(1, numVillages),
  ~ estimateHouseholdIncomeTransitionProcessByVillage(., numIncomeStatesHH, incdatRescaled
```

#### 1.3.1.2 Markov chain for income of households

```
# https://github.com/tlamadon/rutils/blob/74fa1b13998781547cd485b1bcf8863b49530285/R/inc.u
rouwenhorst <- function(rho, sigma, mu = 0, n){
    stopifnot(n > 1)
    qu <- (rho + 1) / 2
    nu <- ((n - 1) / (1 - rho^2))^(1 / 2) * sigma
    P <- matrix(c(qu, 1 - qu, 1 - qu, qu), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)
    if (n > 2) {
        for (i in 2:(n - 1)){
            zeros <- rep(0, i)
            zzeros <- rep(0, i + 1)
            P <- (
                qu * rbind(cbind(P, zeros, deparse.level = 0), zzeros, deparse.level = 0)</pre>
```

```
+ (1 - qu) * rbind(cbind(zeros, P, deparse.level = 0), zzeros, deparse.level
+ (1 - qu) * rbind(zzeros, cbind(P, zeros, deparse.level = 0), deparse.level =
+ qu * rbind(zzeros, cbind(zeros, P, deparse.level = 0), deparse.level = 0)
)

P[2:i, ] <- P[2:i, ] / 2
}

zgrid <- seq(from = mu / (1 - rho) - nu, to = mu / (1 - rho) + nu, length = n)
return(list(Pmat = P,zgrid = zgrid))
}</pre>
```

#### 1.3.2 Village

#### 1.3.2.1 Simulate income process for village

```
numVillageIncomeSimulations <- 1000</pre>
numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop <- 100</pre>
set.seed(123)
randomNumberMatrix <- matrix(runif(hnum * numVillageIncomeSimulations), nrow = hnum)</pre>
sample1stPeriodIncomeStateByMeanCVClass <- function(</pre>
    meanClass,
    CVClass,
    numStates,
    steadyStateProbArray
    ) {
  sample(
    seq(1, numStates),
    prob = steadyStateProbArray[meanClass, CVClass, ]
}
sampleConditionalIncomeStateByMeanCVClass <- function(</pre>
    meanClass,
    CVClass,
    numStates,
    transitionMatrixArray,
    previousState
```

```
) {
 sample(
    seq(1, numStates),
   prob = transitionMatrixArray[meanClass, CVClass, previousState,]
}
sampleAllIncomeStateByMeanCVClass <- function(</pre>
    meanClass,
    CVClass,
    numStates,
    steadyStateProbArray,
    transitionMatrixArray,
    numSimulation = numVillageIncomeSimulations
  incomeStateVector <- vector(mode = "integer", length = numSimulation)</pre>
 incomeStateVector[1] <- sample1stPeriodIncomeStateByMeanCVClass(</pre>
    meanClass,
    CVClass,
    numStates,
    steadyStateProbArray
 for (period in seq(2, numSimulation)) {
    incomeStateVector[period] <- sampleConditionalIncomeStateByMeanCVClass(</pre>
      meanClass,
      CVClass,
      numStates,
      transitionMatrixArray,
      incomeStateVector[period - 1]
 }
 return(incomeStateVector)
simulateHouseholdIncomeByMeanCVClass<- function(</pre>
    meanClass,
    CVClass,
    numStates,
    steadyStateProbArray,
    transitionMatrixArray,
```

```
gridPointsArray,
    numSimulation = numVillageIncomeSimulations
) {
  incomeStateVec <- sampleAllIncomeStateByMeanCVClass(</pre>
    meanClass,
    CVClass,
    numStates,
    steadyStateProbArray,
    transitionMatrixArray)
  gridPointsArray[meanClass, CVClass, incomeStateVec]
}
simulateHouseholdIncomeByVillage <- function(</pre>
    village,
    meanClassVec,
    CVClassVec,
    numStates,
    householdAR1EstimationResult,
    .villageIndicatorMatrix = villageIndicatorMatrix
) {
  meanClassVillage <- meanClassVec[villageIndicatorMatrix[, village]]</pre>
  CVClassVillage <- CVClassVec[villageIndicatorMatrix[, village]]</pre>
  steadyStateProbArrayVillage <- householdAR1EstimationResult[[village]]$steadyStateProbAr</pre>
  transitionMatrixArrayVillage <- householdAR1EstimationResult[[village]]$transitionMatrix</pre>
  gridPointsArrayVillage <- householdAR1EstimationResult[[village]]$gridPointsArray</pre>
  do.call(
    rbind,
    map2(
      meanClassVillage, CVClassVillage,
      ~ simulateHouseholdIncomeByMeanCVClass(
        .x, .y, numStates, steadyStateProbArrayVillage, transitionMatrixArrayVillage, grid
    )
  )
}
simulatedHouseholdIncome <- map(</pre>
  seq(1, numVillages),
```

```
~ simulateHouseholdIncomeByVillage(
          householdIncMeanClassVec,
           householdIncCVClassVec,
           numIncomeStatesHH,
           householdAR1EstimationResult
           )
)
estimateVillagencomeTransitionProcessByVillage <- function(</pre>
           village,
           meanClassVec,
           CVClassVec,
           numStatesHH,
           numStatesVillage,
           householdAR1EstimationResult,
           .villageIndicatorMatrix = villageIndicatorMatrix,
           .numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop = numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop,
           .numVillageIncomeSimulations = numVillageIncomeSimulations
){
     householdIncomeSimulationResult <- simulateHouseholdIncomeByVillage(
           village,
           meanClassVec,
           CVClassVec,
          numStatesHH,
          householdAR1EstimationResult
     )
     villageSimulatedIncMean <- colMeans(</pre>
           householdIncomeSimulationResult[, .numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIn
     )
     villageSimulatedIncLogMean <- colMeans(</pre>
           householdIncomeSimulationResult[, .numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop:.numVillageIncomeSimula
     ) %>% log
     villageSimulatedLaggedIncLogMean <- colMeans(</pre>
           householdIncomeSimulationResult[
                 , (.numVillageIncomeSimulationsPeriodDrop - 1):(.numVillageIncomeSimulations - 1)
     ) %>% log
     villageAR1Parameters <- calculateAR1Parameters(</pre>
```

```
villageSimulatedIncLogMean,
    \verb|villageSimulatedLaggedIncLogMean| \\
  villageAR1TauchenApproximation <- approximateAR1Tauchen(</pre>
    numStatesVillage, villageSimulatedIncLogMean,
    villageAR1Parameters$mu, villageAR1Parameters$rho, villageAR1Parameters$sigmau
  )
  villageIncomeGridPoints <- calculateGridPoints(numStatesVillage, villageSimulatedIncMean
  villageIncomeGridPointsRescaled <- rescaleGridPoints(</pre>
      villageAR1TauchenApproximation$transitionMatrix,
      villageIncomeGridPoints,
      villageSimulatedIncMean
  return(list(
    transitionMatrix = villageAR1TauchenApproximation$transitionMatrix,
    gridPoints = villageIncomeGridPointsRescaled$gridPointsRescaled
  ))
}
villageAR1EstimationResult <- map(</pre>
  seq(1, numVillages),
  ~ estimateVillagencomeTransitionProcessByVillage(
      householdIncMeanClassVec,
      householdIncCVClassVec,
      numIncomeStatesHH,
      numIncomeStatesVillage,
      householdAR1EstimationResult
  )
```

# 1.4 Sanity check: compare against the parameters in the original paper