DGE-CRED Practice Session 6: Scenario Analyses

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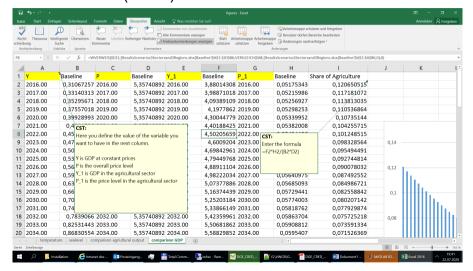
- Make sure that the number of sectors and regions is 3, respectively.
- Modify the RunSimulations.m file.
- Plot the national share of agriculture to GDP with the Excel file Results3Scetors3Regions.xlsx.



Solution Task 1: Run only the Baseline scenario for the DGE-CRED model.

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% === Script to do multiple Simulations ===
% add dynare path to the search path of matlab
addpath ('C:\dynare\4.6.1\matlab')
% specify scenario names
casScenarioNames = { 'Baseline '};
% execute dynare to run the model
dynare DGE CRED Model noclearall
close all:
sVarMain = 'N ':
for icosec = 1:inbsectors p
    for icorea = 1:inbregions p
        icovec = icorea + inbregions p * (icosec - 1):
        subplot(inbsectors p,inbregions p,icovec);plot(eval([sVarMain num2str(icosec) ' ' num2str(icoreg)
              '(1:' num2str(iTermination p) ')' ])); title ([sVarMain num2str(icosec) ' ' num2str(icoreq)]);
    end
end
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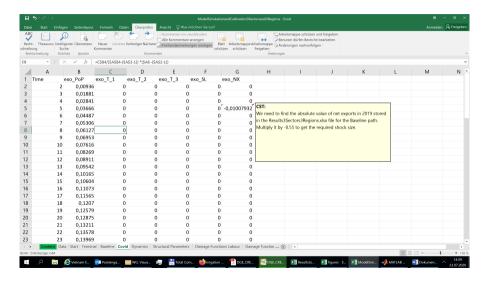
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- The Economist assumes a decline in net exports by 55% in 2020 compared to 2019. Source: https://country.eiu.com/vietnam
- Define a shock exo_NX such that net exports are approximately 55% lower in 2020 than in 2019.
- First you should take a look at the results for the baseline scenario to define the shock size.
- Plot the growth rate of national GDP for the two scenarios.

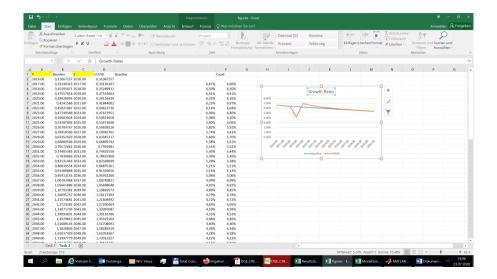


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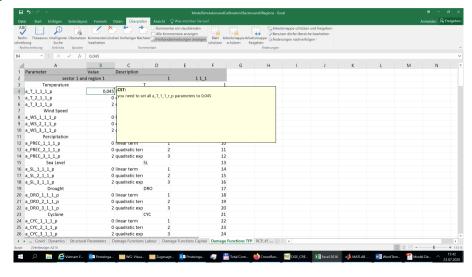
Task 3: Calibrate the damage functions for the agricultural sector.

- Assume that crop yields in all regions decline by 4.5% for a one degree increase in temperature.
- What parameters need to be modified in the Excel file

 ModelSimulationsandCalibration3Sectors3Regions.xlsx?
- Define a Scenario called RCP_45_Average use the excel file RCPScenarios.xlsx and run a simulation.
- What is the impact on GDP growth rates?



Solution Task 3: Calibrate the damage functions for the agricultural sector.





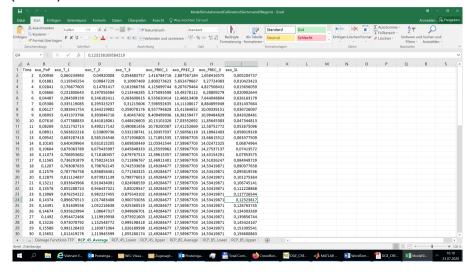
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- Copy the Baseline Sheet and rename it RCP_45_Average in ModelSimulationsandCalibration3Sectors3Regions.xlsx.
- Create columns for the change in temperature, precipitation and Sea level.
- Copy the values in RCPScenarios.xlsx into the respective columns.
- Change in RunSimulations.m the name of the scenario.

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casScenarioNames = {'RCP_45_Average'};
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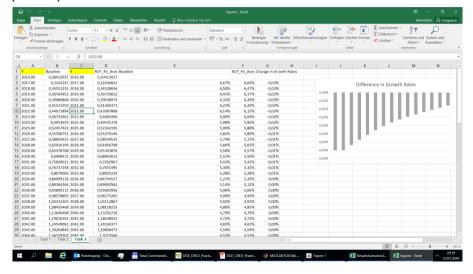


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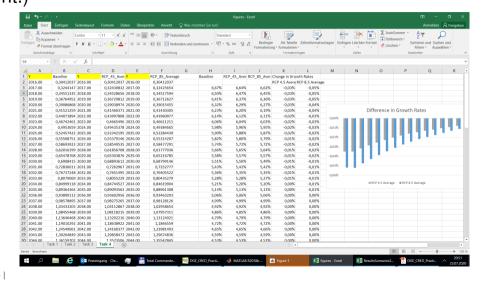
- Add the Scenario to your figure for task 3.
- Why is the negative effect on GDP decreasing over time?



Solution Task 4: Define the RCP 8.5 average scenario and simulate it.

- Repeat the steps you did to create the RCP 4.5 Average scenario.
- A lower share of agriculture on total GDP leads to a lower contribution of GDP on

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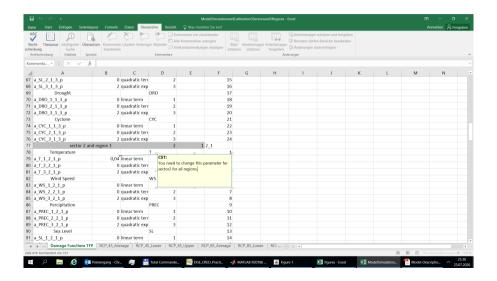
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- Assume that with a one degree increase in temperature total factor productivity declines by 4%.
- Modify the respective damage functions coefficients.



Solution Task 5:





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- 39% of agricultural land in the Mekong River Delta is at risk of inundation if the sea level rises by 100 cm.
- A 100 cm increase in sea level exposes about 16% of the agricultural land in the Red River Delta.
- For other regions only 2% of agricultural land is at risk of inundation.
- Modify the respective damage coefficients.

Solution Task 6: Sea level rise and the agricultural sector.

- **set** a_SL_1_1_1_p **to 0.39**.
- **set** a_SL_1_1_2_p **to 0.16**
- **set** a_SL_1_1_3_p **to 0.02**





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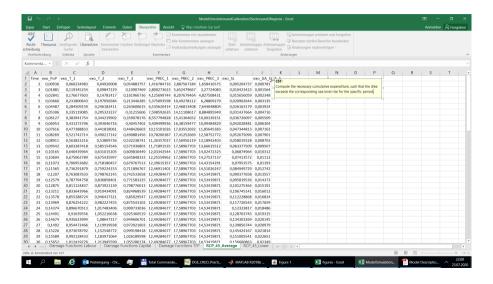
- A dike is a capital good which needs maintenance.
- The coastline of the Mekong River Delta is 600 km long.
- Building a dike along the coastline of the Mekong River Delta of one meter height costs roughly 24 billion Euro or roughly 15% of the GDP of Vietnam in 2016.
- We assume that the damage caused by inundation can be reduced to zero if the height of the dike exceeds the change in sea level.

Solution Task 7: Building a dike in the Mekong River Delta.

- First specify a value for phiGASL_1_1_p such that cumulative adaptation expenditures exceed 15% for a 1m increase in sea level. Therefore set phiGASL_1_1_p to 0.15.
- Now specify a expenditure path for exo_GASL_1_1, such that cumulative expenditures ensure that the dike is high enough.



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Task 8: Sensitivity analysis

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■ Define the Scenarios RCP 4.5 lower, upper and RCP 8.5 lower, upper.

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