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# Solving the stochastic Optimal Growth model by Policy Function
Interation
# adapted from Fabrice Collard's Matlab code, http://fabcol.free.fr/
# tested in Julia 0.6.1.1
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siama
       = 1.50;
                                   # utility parameter
delta = 0.10;
                                  # depreciation rate
beta = 0.95;
                                  # discount factor
alpha = 0.30;
                                  # capital elasticity of output
р
       = 0.9;
PΙ
       = [p 1-p; 1-p p];
       = 0.2;
se
ab
       = 0;
       = \exp(ab-se);
am
       = exp(ab+se);
as
       = [am as];
Α
nba
       = 2;
nbk
       = 1000:
                                  # number of data points in the
grid
crit
      = 1;
                                  # convergence criterion
iter
      = 1;
                                  # iteration
tol
       = 1e-6;
                                  # convergence parameter
       = ((1-beta*(1-delta))/(alpha*beta))^(1/(alpha-1));
ks
kmin
       = 0.2;
                                   # lower bound on the grid
kmax
       = 6;
                                   # upper bound on the grid
devk = (kmax-kmin)/(nbk-1);
                                 # implied increment
       = collect(linspace(kmin,kmax,nbk)); # builds the arid
kgrid
       = zeros(nbk,nba); # value function
       = zeros(nbk,nba);
                                  # utility function
u temp = zeros(nbk,nba);
c_{temp} = zeros(nbk, 1);
С
       = zeros(nbk,1);
Τv
       = zeros(nbk,nba);
Ev
       = zeros(nbk,nba);
kp0
       = repmat(kgrid,1,nba); # initial guess on k(t+1)
kp
       = zeros(nbk,nba)
                                 # decision rule (will contain
       = zeros(nbk,nba);
dr
indices)
#Main Loop
while crit>tol
for i=1:nbk:
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for j=1:nba;
                   = A[j]*kgrid[i]^alpha+(1-delta)*kgrid[i]-kgrid;
          c temp
          neg
                   = find(x \rightarrow x \leq0.0,c temp);
          c_{temp[neg]} = NaN;
          u temp[:,j] = (c \text{ temp.}^(1-\text{sigma})-1)/(1-\text{sigma});
          u temp[neg,j] = -1e30;
         Ev[:,j]
                       = v*PI[j,:];
    end
         (Tv[i,:],dr[i,:]) = findmax(u_temp+beta* Ev,1);
        dr[i,2]=dr[i,2]-nbk;
end;
#decision rules
for i=1:nbk
   for j=1:nba
   index=trunc(Int, dr[i,j]);
   kp[i,j]= kgrid[index];
   end;
end;
Q = spzeros(nbk*nba,nbk*nba);
for j=1:nba;
    c = A[j]*kgrid.^alpha+(1-delta)*kgrid-kp[:,j];
#update the value
    u[:,j] = (c.^(1-sigma)-1)/(1-sigma);
    Q0 = spzeros(nbk, nbk);
    for i=1:nbk;
        index=trunc(Int, dr[i,j]);
        Q0[i,index] = 1;
    end:
Q[(j-1)*nbk+1:j*nbk,:] = kron(PI[j,:]',Q0);
end;
AA
     = (speye(nbk*nba)-beta*Q);
     = vec(u);
BB
\mathsf{Tvv} = (\mathsf{AA}, \mathsf{BB});
crit = maximum(abs.(kp-kp0));
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vv = reshape(Tvv,nbk,nba);
v = copy(vv);
kp0 = copy(kp);
iter = iter+1;
end;

using Plots
plotly() # Choose the Plotly.jl backend for web interactivity
#plot(k',c',linewidth=1,label="Consumption",title="Consumption vs
capital stock")
plot(kp,v,linewidth=1,label="Value Function vs Capital Stock",
title="Value Function")
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