Lab 10 Matlab Conversion

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This file aims to convert a series of Matlab scripts and data files into a R Markdown file that replicates the Tol (2023) Lab 10 for the economics of climate change. https://github.com/rtol/ClimateEconomics

The Matlab files this replicates are:

- MLIAM.mat
- init01.m
- MRHparam.m
- MRH.m
- RFparam.m
- RadForc.m
- STparam.m
- ST.m
- init02.m
- Popparam
- Outputparam
- CO2param
- init03.m
- CobbDouglas.m
- invest.m
- init04.m
- init05.m
- init08.m
- MLIAM010.m
- fMLIAM010.m

Overview - the MLIAM10.m script

```
# clear all
#
# ctax0 = [0 0 0 0];
#
# cs = [3.0 3.0 3.0; 0.25 0.50 0.25]; %exercise 1
# %cs = [1.5 3.0 4.5; 0.25 0.50 0.25]; %exercises 2 and 3
#
# NPV0 = -fMLIAM10(ctax0,cs);
#
# options = optimset('MaxFunEvals',1000,'MaxIter',1000);
# ctax1 = fminsearch(@(ctax) fMLIAM10(ctax,cs), ctax0, options);
#
# NPV1 = -fMLIAM10(ctax1,cs);
```

Step 1 - load the MLIAM.mat file

```
library(R.matlab)
## R.matlab v3.7.0 (2022-08-25 21:52:34 UTC) successfully loaded. See ?R.matlab for help.
## Attaching package: 'R.matlab'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       getOption, isOpen
#MLIAM <- readMat("../TolMatlabFiles/MLIAM.mat")</pre>
MLIAM <- readMat("./MLIAM.mat")</pre>
ls.str()
## MLIAM : List of 11
## $ CO2global : num [1:551, 1] 0 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
## $ CO2emit : num [1:551, 1:3] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ CO2concobs : num [1:689, 1:2] 2006 2005 2004 2003 2002 ...
## $ population : num [1:551, 1:3] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
                 : num [1:551, 1:3] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ output
## $ atmtempobs : num [1:551, 1] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ oceantempobs: num [1:551, 1] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ CO2emitobs : num [1:551, 1] 0 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
## $ outputobs : num [1:551, 1:3] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ energy
                : num [1:551, 1:3] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ NReg
                 : num [1, 1] 3
CO2global <- MLIAM$CO2global
                               # should we use this?
CO2emit <- MLIAM$CO2emit
# CO2concobs <- MLIAM$CO2concobs
population <- MLIAM$population</pre>
# output <- MLIAM$output</pre>
# atmtempobs <- MLIAM$atmtempobs</pre>
# oceantempobs <- MLIAM$oceantempobs</pre>
# CO2emitobs <- MLIAM$CO2emitobs # should we use this?
outputobs <- MLIAM$outputobs
energy <- MLIAM$energy
NReg <- MLIAM$NReg
```

Step 2 - run necessary scripts from previous labs and define the usual functions

```
## init01
climsens = 4.260547;
EndYear = 2300;
StartYear = 1750;
year = StartYear:EndYear
NYear = length(year)

# %MRHparam
MRHlife <- c(0, 1-exp(-1/363), 1-exp(-1/74), 1-exp(-1/17), 1-exp(-1/2))
#
MRH1750 <- c(275, 0, 0, 0, 0);
#</pre>
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MRHshare \leftarrow c(0.13, 0.20, 0.32, 0.25, 0.10);
CO2convert = 1/2.13/1000;
MRHbox = matrix(0, NYear, 5); # "five boxes" for each year
MRHbox[1,] = MRH1750;
CO2conc = matrix(0, NYear, 1);
CO20 = sum(MRH1750);
CO2conc[1] = CO20;
# %RFparam
### RadForc
RadForc <-function(CO2,RF0,CO20) RF0*log(CO2/CO20);</pre>
RF0 = 5.35;
RF = matrix(0, NYear, 1);
RF[1] = RadForc(CO20, RFO, CO20) #Needs the RadForc function
# %STparam
atmtemp0 = 0;
oceantemp0 = 0;
atmtemp = matrix(0, NYear, 1);
oceantemp = matrix(0, NYear, 1);
atmtemp[(1)] = atmtemp0;
oceantemp[(1)] = oceantemp0;
STpar <- c(climsens/RFO/log(2), 0.0256, 0.00738, 0.00568)
consumption <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
# %Popparam
popgrowth <- population[2010 - StartYear + 1, ] / population[2009 - StartYear + 1, ] - 1</pre>
popdecline <- 0.95
popgrowth <- popdecline * popgrowth</pre>
# %Outputparam
capital <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
TFP <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
output <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
outputpc <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
TFPgrowth \leftarrow c(0.0206, 0.0260, 0.0236)
TFPdecline <- 0.99
outputpc2010 \leftarrow c(33498, 3170, 954)
lambda <- 0.2
savings <- 0.2
depreciation <- 0.1
AO <- (outputobs[1960 - StartYear + 1, ] / population[1960 - StartYear + 1, ])^(1 - lambda)
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AO <- AO * (depreciation / savings) lambda
KO <- (A0 ^ (1 / (1 - lambda))) * population[1960 - StartYear + 1, ]</pre>
KO <- (savings / depreciation)^(1 / (1 - lambda)) * KO</pre>
capital[1960 - StartYear + 1, ] <- KO</pre>
TFP[1960 - StartYear + 1, ] <- A0
# %CO2param
CO2emitbau <- CO2emit
energyint <- energy / outputobs</pre>
emissint <- CO2emit / energy
AEEI <- energyint[(2010 - StartYear + 1), ] / energyint[(1960 - StartYear + 1), ]
AEEI <- AEEI ^ (1 / 50)
ACEI <- emissint[(2010 - StartYear + 1), ] / emissint[(1960 - StartYear + 1), ]
ACEI <- ACEI ^ (1 / 50)
AEEI <- c(0.98926539, 0.98782002, 0.99025746)
ACEI <- c(0.99594960, 1.00029674, 1.00979371)
### MRH - Maier-Reimer Hasselmann model
MRH <- function(CO2concold, CO2emit, CO2life, CO2share, CO2convert) {</pre>
 CO2concnew = (1-CO2life)*CO2concold + CO2convert*CO2share*CO2emit
 CO2concnew
}
### Schneider-Thompson model of Ocean and Atm Temps
# updates the temperature of the atmosphere and the ocean using the Schneider-Thompson model
ST <- function(atmtempold,oceantempold,radforc,STpar) {</pre>
atmtempnew = atmtempold
    STpar[2]*(STpar[1]*radforc-atmtempold) +
    STpar[3]*(oceantempold-atmtempold)
oceantempnew = oceantempold +
 STpar[4]*(atmtempold-oceantempold)
temps <- c(atmtempnew, oceantempnew)</pre>
names(temps) <- c("atm", "ocean")</pre>
temps
}
### Cobb-Douglas function
CobbDouglas <- function(A, K, L, lambda) {</pre>
 Y \leftarrow A * (K^{lambda}) * (L^{(1 - lambda)})
 return(Y)
### invest function
invest <- function(oldK, Y, s, d) {</pre>
 newK \leftarrow (1 - d) * oldK + s * Y
 return(newK)
}
## init03
unitabcost \leftarrow c(0.1, 0.1, 0.1)
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emred <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
relabcost <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
totabcost <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
margabcost <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
PRTP <- 0.03
RRA <- 1
discountrate <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
globalDR <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = 1)</pre>
## init04
emitalloc <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
emitalloc[266:NYear, ] <- emitalloc[266:NYear, ] + 0.05</pre>
permittrade <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
permitprice <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = 1)</pre>
## init05
partol \leftarrow matrix(c(5.88, -2.31, 0, 3.57, -1.70, 0, 1.96, -1.26, 0), nrow = 3, ncol = 3)
parweitzman \leftarrow matrix(c(0, 0.5563, -0.0113, 0, 0.2561, -0.0106, 0, 0.0655, -0.0101), nrow = 3, ncol = 3
impactpar <- partol</pre>
impelas <- 0
impact <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
## init08
perturbation <- rep(0, NYear)</pre>
StartPolicy <- 2015
NPol <- 10
StepPol <- 10
welfare <- matrix(0, nrow = NYear, ncol = NReg)</pre>
utilDF <- rep(0, NYear)
utilDF[StartPolicy - StartYear + 1] <- 1</pre>
for (i in 2:(EndYear - StartPolicy + 1)) {
  utilDF[StartPolicy - StartYear + i] <- utilDF[StartPolicy - StartYear + i - 1] / (1 + PRTP)
### impactcc function
impactcc <- function(temp, impar, impelas, inccap, inccap0) {</pre>
  imp <- impar[1,] * temp + impar[2,] * temp^2 + impar[3,] * temp^6</pre>
  imp <- imp * (inccap / inccap0)^impelas</pre>
  return(imp)
}
```

Step 5 - define fMLIAM10 function

```
fMLIAM10 <- function(ctax, cs) {
  if (any(ctax[1] < 0, ctax[2] < 0, ctax[3] < 0, ctax[4] < 0)) {
    NPV <- 1e+15
  } else {
    NPV <- 0

  for (s in 1:3) {
    climsens <- cs[1, s]</pre>
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# optrec <- array(orv, dim = c(NPol, NReg))</pre>
# emred[StartPolicy-StartYear+1, ] <- orv # optrec[1, ]</pre>
# for (i in 2:(NPol-1)) {
  for (j in 1:StepPol) {
      emred[StartPolicy-StartYear+j+10*i, ] <- orv # optrec[i, ]</pre>
#
# }
# for (j in 1:(EndYear-StartPolicy-StepPol*NPol+1)) {
  emred[StartPolicy-StartYear+j+10*NPol, ] <- orv # optrec[i, ]</pre>
carbontax <- ctax[1]</pre>
for (t in (StartYear+1):EndYear) {
  i <- t - StartYear + 1
  MRHbox[i, ] <- MRH(MRHbox[i-1, ], CO2global[i-1], MRHlife, MRHshare, CO2convert)</pre>
  CO2conc[i] <- sum(MRHbox[i, ])</pre>
  RF[i] <- RadForc(CO2conc[i], RFO, CO20)</pre>
  atmtemp[i] <- ST(atmtemp[i-1], oceantemp[i-1], RF[i], STpar)[1]
  oceantemp[i] <- ST(atmtemp[i-1], oceantemp[i-1], RF[i], STpar)[2]
  impact[i, ] <- impactcc(atmtemp[i], impactpar, 0, 1, 1)</pre>
  if (t > 2010) {
    population[i, ] <- population[i-1, ] * (1 + popgrowth)</pre>
    popgrowth <- popgrowth * popdecline</pre>
    TFPgrowth <- TFPgrowth * TFPdecline
  }
  if (t > 1960) {
    capital[i, ] <- invest(capital[i-1, ], output[i-1, ], savings, depreciation)</pre>
    TFP[i, ] <- TFP[i-1, ] * (1 + TFPgrowth)</pre>
  }
  if (t >= 1960) {
    output[i, ] <- pmax(0.3 * population[i, ], CobbDouglas(TFP[i, ], capital[i, ], population[i, ]
    outputpc[i, ] <- output[i, ] / population[i, ] * 1000</pre>
    consumption[i, ] <- (1 - savings) * output[i, ]</pre>
    welfare[i, ] <- population[i, ] * log(consumption[i, ])</pre>
    impact[i, ] <- impactcc(atmtemp[i], impactpar, impelas, outputpc[i, ], outputpc2010)</pre>
 }
  if (t > 2010) {
    energyint[i, ] <- AEEI * energyint[i-1, ]</pre>
    emissint[i, ] <- ACEI * emissint[i-1, ]</pre>
    energy[i, ] <- energyint[i, ] * output[i, ]</pre>
    CO2emitbau[i, ] <- emissint[i, ] * energy[i, ]</pre>
    if (t == 2050) {
      carbontax <- ctax[2] # exercise 1 and 2</pre>
      # carbontax <- ctax[1+s] # exercise3</pre>
    emred[i, ] \leftarrow pmin(0.99, 0.5 * 0.001 * carbontax * CO2emitbau[i, ] / unitabcost / output[i, ]
    # permit trade
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# permitprice[i] <- 1000 * emitalloc[i, ] %*% CO2emitbau[i, ] / sum(0.5 * CO2emitbau[i, ]^2 / 
                               \# emred[i, ] <- 0.5 * 0.001 * permitprice[i] * CO2emitbau[i, ] / unitabcost / output[i, ]
                               \# permittrade[i, ] <- (emitalloc[i, ] - emred[i, ]) * CO2emitbau[i, ]
                              CO2emit[i, ] <- CO2emitbau[i, ] * (1 - emred[i, ])</pre>
                              CO2global[i] <- CO2global[i-1] * sum(CO2emit[i, ]) / sum(CO2emit[i-1, ]) + perturbation[i]
                              discountrate[i, ] <- PRTP + RRA * (consumption[i, ] / consumption[i-1, ] - 1)</pre>
                              globalDR[i] <- PRTP + RRA * (sum(consumption[i, ]) / sum(consumption[i-1, ]) - 1)</pre>
                              carbontax <- carbontax * (1 + globalDR[i])</pre>
                       }
                        if (t > 2015) {
                              relabcost[i, ] <- unitabcost * emred[i, ]^2 + 0.001 * permitprice[i] * permittrade[i, ] / out
                              totabcost[i, ] <- relabcost[i, ] * output[i, ]</pre>
                              margabcost[i, ] <- 2 * unitabcost * emred[i, ] * output[i, ] / CO2emit[i, ] * 1000</pre>
                  }
                  NPVs <- 0
                  for (i in 1:NReg) {
                       NPVs <- NPVs + sum(utilDF * welfare[, i])</pre>
                 NPV <- NPV - cs[2, s] * NPVs
           }
            temp <- atmtemp[450]
     return(NPV)
}
```

Step 6 - run MLIAM10

```
ctax0 <- c(0, 0, 0, 0)

cs <- matrix(c(3.0, 3.0, 3.0, 0.25, 0.50, 0.25), nrow = 2) # exercise 1
# cs <- matrix(c(1.5, 3.0, 4.5, 0.25, 0.50, 0.25), nrow = 2) # exercises 2 and 3

NPVO <- -fMLIAM10(ctax0, cs)

options <- list(maxfunevals = 1000, maxiter = 1000)
#ctax1 <- optim(ctax0, function(ctax) -fMLIAM10(ctax, cs), method = "Nelder-Mead", control = options)$p
result <- optim(ctax0, function(ctax) -fMLIAM10(ctax, cs), method = "Nelder-Mead", control = list(maxit = 1000, fnscale = -1))
ctax1 <- result$par</pre>

NPV1 <- -fMLIAM10(ctax1, cs)
```