

Breusch - Godfrey Test

$$\hat{y}_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_{1t} + \beta_2 X_{2t} + u_t, \quad t=1, \overline{T}$$

u_t - AR(p) process

$$u_t = \rho_1 u_{t-1} + \dots + \rho_p u_{t-p} + \epsilon_t \quad (1)$$

Est. aux. regression

$$\hat{u}_t = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 X_{1t} + \alpha_2 X_{2t} + \rho_1 \hat{u}_{t-1} + \dots + \rho_p \hat{u}_{t-p} + \epsilon_t$$

$$\hookrightarrow R^2_{aux}$$

$$BG = n R^2_{aux} \sim \chi^2_p$$

$$n = T - p$$

Advantages:

1. No lim. on structure of the model
2. Exact critical values (unlike DW-test)
3. Always applicable (unlike h-test Durbin's)
4. Applicable for AC of higher order
5. Applicable for MA form of error term

$$u_t = \varepsilon_t + \mu_1 \varepsilon_{t-1} + \dots + \mu_q \varepsilon_{t-q}$$

e.g. : MA(1) $u_t = \varepsilon_t + \mu_1 \varepsilon_{t-1}$

$$u_{t-1} = \varepsilon_{t-1} + \mu_1 \varepsilon_{t-2}$$

$$\text{cov}(u_t, u_{t-1}) = \mu_1 \sigma_\varepsilon^2$$

Disadvantage: 1. Asymptotic test
(only for big samples)

Fighting Autocorrelation

- 1) correct specification
- 2) $AR(1)$ - transformation
(Cochran-Orcutt trans.
GLS trans.
↳ generalized LS)
- 3) $MA(1)$ - transform
- 4) Adding lagged dep. var.
- 5) More complex $ADL(p, q)$ - form

Cochran - Orcutt Transf.

AR(1)

$$(1) \quad y_t = \beta_1 + \beta_2 x_t + u_t$$

$$u_t = \rho u_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

$$(2) \quad y_t = \beta_1 + \beta_2 x_t + \rho u_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

- Lag (1) $\cdot \rho$:

$$(3) \quad \rho y_{t-1} = \rho \beta_1 + \rho \beta_2 x_{t-1} + \rho u_{t-1}$$

- Subtract (2) - (3)

$$\underbrace{y_t - \rho y_{t-1}}_{\substack{y_t^* \\ \text{Est. } \hat{\rho}}} = \beta_1 (1 - \rho) + \beta_2 \underbrace{(x_t - \rho x_{t-1})}_{x_t^*} + \varepsilon_t$$

(using formula from DW test)

$$DW \rightarrow 2(1 - \rho)$$

$$\text{Est. } y_t^* \mid x_t^* \rightarrow \text{est } \hat{\rho}_{\text{new}}$$

\rightarrow calc. y_t^*, x_t^* new

Iterate until $\hat{\rho}$ converges

Price - Winston correction for
1st obs.

To add 1st obs. to sample
 $(x_1, y_1) \cdot \sqrt{1 - \hat{\rho}^2}$

3) MA(1) - transform

$$OLS: \hat{\beta}_{OLS} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y$$

$$GLS: \hat{\beta}_{GLS} = (X'\hat{\Omega}^{-1}X)^{-1} X'\hat{\Omega}^{-1}y$$

$$Var(\hat{\beta}_{GLS}) = (X'\hat{\Omega}^{-1}X)^{-1}$$

cov. matrix error

$$\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} cov(\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_1) & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & cov(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_n) \end{pmatrix}$$

$\hat{\Omega}$ - est. cov. matrix Ω

$$FGLS: \hat{\beta}_{GLS} = (X'\hat{\Omega}^{-1}X)^{-1} X'\hat{\Omega}^{-1}y$$

No AC:

$$\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

MA(1) $u_t = \varepsilon_t + \rho \varepsilon_{t-1}$

$$\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \rho & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \rho & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \rho \\ 0 & \dots & \rho & 1 \end{pmatrix} \sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

AR(1) $\text{Cov}(u_t, u_{t-k}) = \sigma_{\varepsilon}^2 \cdot \frac{\rho^k}{1-\rho^2}$

$$\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \rho & \rho^2 & \dots & \rho^{n-1} \\ \rho & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \rho^2 & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \rho^{n-1} & \dots & \dots & \dots & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2}{1-\rho^2}$$

ADL

Common Factor test
for test $AR(1)$

From CO - transform:

$$y_t - \rho y_{t-1} = \beta_1(1-\rho) + \beta_2(x_t - \rho x_{t-1}) + e_t$$

ADL(1,1) with non-linear restrictions

$$\alpha_3 = -\rho \beta_2$$

$$(k) y_t = \underbrace{\beta_1(1-\rho)}_{\alpha_0} + \underbrace{\rho}_{\alpha_1} y_{t-1} + \underbrace{\beta_2}_{\alpha_2} x_t - \underbrace{\rho \beta_2}_{\alpha_3} x_{t-1} + e_t$$

$$CF = n \log \left(\frac{RSS_R}{RSS_{UR}} \right) \sim \chi^2_1$$

Alternative: Wald - test for

non-lin. restr.: $\alpha_3 = -\alpha_1 \cdot \alpha_2$