The US Model Appendix C

Changes to the US Model Since the Version in Macroeconometric Modeling: 2018 October 31, 2024

- 1. Equation 2: Estimated under the assumption of first order serial correlation of the error term.
- 2. Equation 3: Respecified. Equation is now in log form. The wealth variable is not in the equation.
- 3. Equation 4: Respecified. Equation is now in log form. Estimated under the assumption of first order serial correlation of the error term.
- 4. Equation 10: cnst2 and TB dropped and UR replaced with 1/UR. Estimated under the assumption of first order seial correlation of the error term.
- 5. Equation 12: Interest rate variable dropped.
- 6. Equation 16: T dropped.
- 7. Equation 17:  $\log(MF/PF)_{-1}$  replaces  $\log(MF_{-1}/PF)$  as an explanatory variable.
- 8. Equation 25: Equation is dropped and CG is taken to be exogenous.
- 9. Equation 26:  $\log[CUR/(POP \cdot PF)]_{-1}$  replaces  $\log[CUR_{-1}/(POP_{-1} \cdot PF)]$  as an explanatory variable.
- 10. Equation 28: Estimation period ends in 2000.4 and UB taken to be exogenous after that.
- 11. Equation 29: Estimated under the assumption of first order serial correlation of the error term.
- 12. Eight dummy variables for the pandemic have been added to each of the the equations. These variables are *D*20201, *D*20202, *D*20203, *D*20204, *D*20211, *D*20212, *D*20213, and *D*20214.
- 13. Some of the first stage regressors have been changed in some of the equations, and the eight pandemic dummy variables have been added.
- 14. Variable IHB is dropped from the model.