

New Keynesian Model: (Un)Conventional Monetary Policy

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- ▶ We will extend the one-sector money model step by step

Recall: One Sector Monetary Model

► Households solve:

$$\max_{c_t^H, \iota_t, \theta_t^K} \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^\infty e^{-\rho t} \log(c_t^H) dt \right] \quad \text{s.t.}$$

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Introducing Price Stickiness

- ▶ Standard setup with monopolistic firms
- ▶ Households produce a common input good y_t
- ▶ Monopolistic producers $j \in [0, 1]$ create its varieties Y_t^j
- ▶ Final good producer bundles varieties into consumption good:

$$Y_t = \left(\int_0^1 \left(Y_t^j \right)^{\frac{\varepsilon-1}{\varepsilon}} dj \right)^{\frac{\varepsilon}{\varepsilon-1}}$$

- ▶ Demand function:

$$Y_t^j = \left(\frac{P_t^j}{\bar{P}_t} \right)^{-\varepsilon} Y_t$$

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- ▶ For comparison: $dr_t^{x,H} = r_t^x dt + \sigma_t^{q^K} dZ_t + \tilde{\sigma}_t d\tilde{Z}_t$

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- ▶ Nominal wealth is now $\mathcal{B}_t = \mathcal{R}_t + P_t^L L_t$

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- ▶ Prevents agents from hedging each other against aggregate risk

Balance Sheets

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Intermediaries	
A	L
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Reserves	
Outside Equity	
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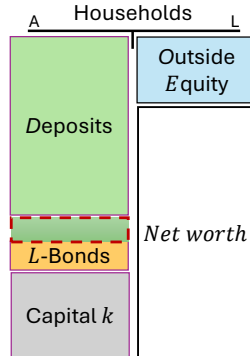
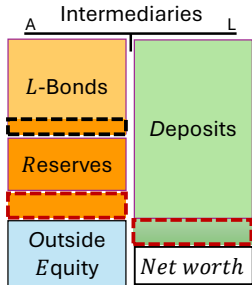
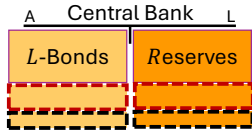
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 - ▶ Capital utilization rate v_t
 - ▶ Capital investment rate ι_t
 - ▶ Distribution of wealth/consumption across sectors $\eta_t = N_t^I/N_t$,
 - ▶ Distribution of wealth across assets $\vartheta_t = \mathcal{B}_t/(\mathcal{P}_t N_t) = (\mathcal{R}_t + P_t^L L_t)/(\mathcal{P}_t N_t)$
 - ▶ Distribution of idiosyncratic risk exposure χ_t

Constrained Efficiency

► Planner's objective:

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{\{\iota_t, v_t, \vartheta_t, \eta_t, \chi_t\}_{t=0}^{\infty}} & \lambda \mathbb{E} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\rho t} \log(\tilde{\eta}_t^I \eta_t c_t K_t) dt + (1-\lambda) \mathbb{E} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\rho t} (\log(\tilde{\eta}_t^H (1-\eta_t) c_t K_t) - b(v_t)) dt \\ \text{s.t. } & c_t = a v_t - \iota_t = \rho \frac{q_t^K}{1 - \vartheta_t}, \quad q_t^K = (1 + \phi \iota_t) \\ & \frac{d\tilde{\eta}_t^I}{\tilde{\eta}_t^I} = \chi_t \frac{1 - \vartheta_t}{\eta_t} \varphi \tilde{\sigma}_t d\tilde{Z}_t, \quad \frac{d\tilde{\eta}_t^H}{\tilde{\eta}_t^H} = (1 - \chi_t) \frac{1 - \vartheta_t}{1 - \eta_t} \tilde{\sigma}_t d\tilde{Z}_t \end{aligned}$$

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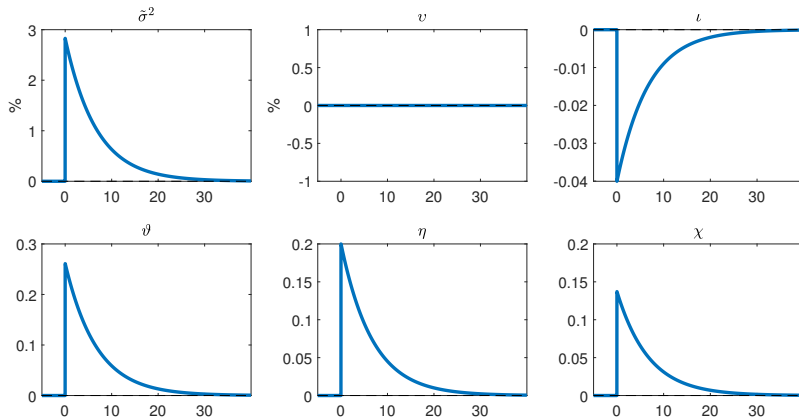
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IRF Planner's Solution after $\tilde{\sigma}_t$ -Shock



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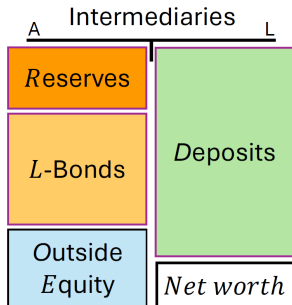
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- ▶ Policy needs to move nominal wealth in response to an aggregate shock
(see also Li and Merkel (2025))

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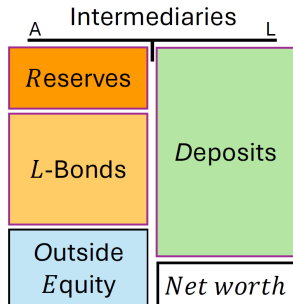


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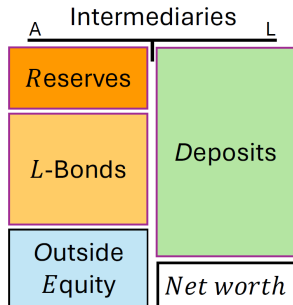


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- Distribution across sectors $\alpha_t = L_t^I / L_t$ is endogenous

Policy

- ▶ Focus on interest rate and balance sheet policy
- ▶ Fiscal policy operates in the background
- ▶ Balance sheet policy controls the share of long-term bonds in nominal wealth:

$$\vartheta_t^L = \frac{P_t^L L_t}{\mathcal{R}_t + P_t^L L_t} = \frac{P_t^L L_t}{\mathcal{B}_t}$$

- ▶ Interest rate controls sensitivity of bond price to aggregate shocks:

$$\sigma_t^{P^L} = \frac{\partial \log P_t^L}{\partial \log \tilde{\sigma}_t^2} \sigma, \quad P_t^L = \mathbb{E}_t \int_t^\infty e^{-\int_t^\tau (i_s + \sigma_s^{P^L} (\sigma_s^\eta - \sigma_s^\vartheta + \sigma_s^B)) ds} i_\tau^L d\tau$$

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- ▶ Direct bond revaluation: $\frac{L_t^I}{N_t} \sigma_t^{P^L}$
- ▶ Indirect aggregate wealth effect: $\frac{OE_t^I - N_t^I}{N_t} \vartheta_t^L \sigma_t^{P^L}$
 - ▶ For a fixed $\vartheta_t = \frac{\mathcal{B}/\mathcal{P}_t}{\mathcal{B}/\mathcal{P}_t + q_t^K K_t}$, $\mathcal{B}_t \uparrow \implies q_t^K \uparrow$
 - ▶ Capital price increase benefits levered intermediaries

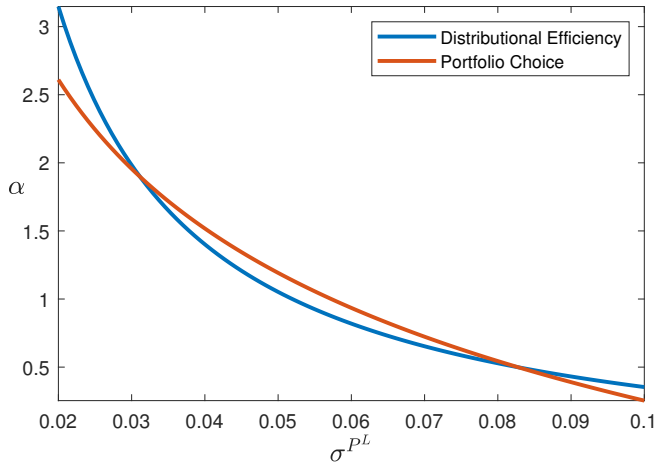
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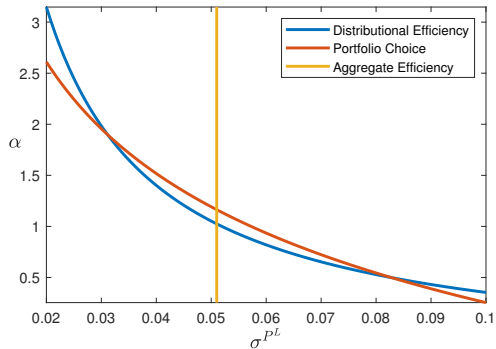
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- ▶ Challenge: endogenous bond distribution α_t
- ▶ Bonds are anti-hedge for intermediaries
- ▶ Intermediaries scale down on bonds if they get more volatile (if $\sigma_t^{P^L} \uparrow$)

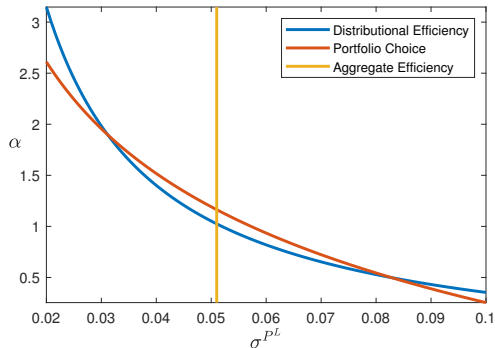
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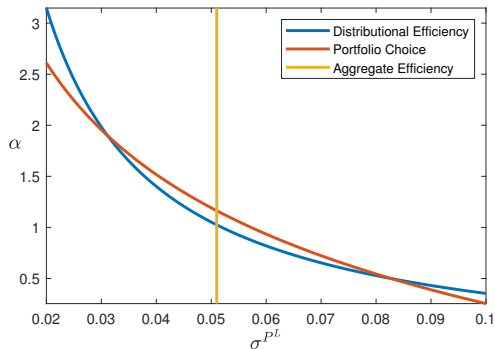


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 - ▶ Intermediate degree of bond market segmentation

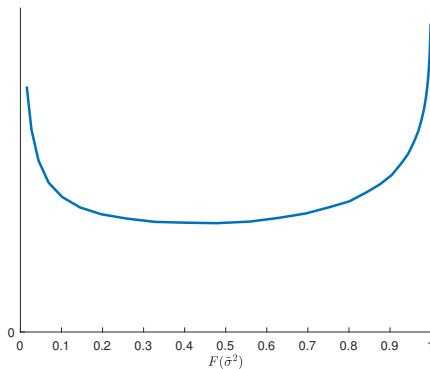
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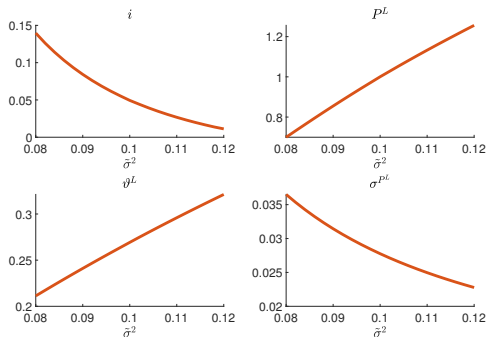
Figure: Welfare Loss



Optimal Policy Over the Cycle

► **Proposition 2.** Let $\tilde{\sigma}_t^2$ be small. Then, an increase in $\tilde{\sigma}_t^2$ leads to:

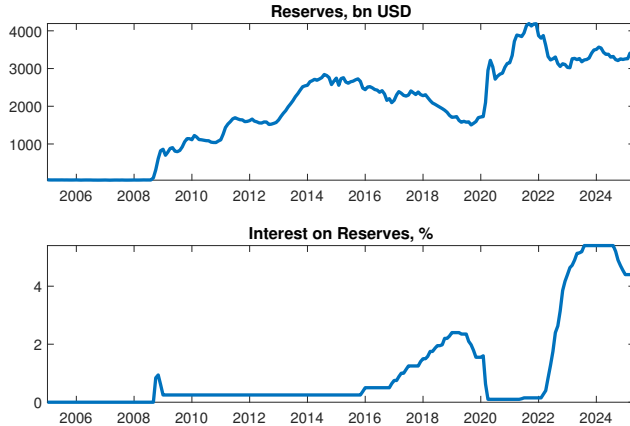
- a cut in the interest rate i_t
- a milder interest rate policy going forward (lower $\sigma_t^{P^L}$)
- a rebalancing towards long-term bonds (higher ϑ_t^L)



Summary

- ▶ Macrofinance model to study optimal policy mix
 - ▶ Role for aggregate and distributional efficiencies
- ▶ Preparatory role of balance sheet policies: efficient exposure to future shocks
- ▶ Larger CB balance sheet requires more aggressive interest rate policy subsequently
- ▶ Joint aggregate and distributional efficiency requires active balance sheet management over the cycle

Motivation



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Household's Problem

$$\max_{c_t^H, v_t, \iota_t, \nu_t, \theta_t^{D,H}, \theta_t^{L,H}, \theta_t^K, \chi_t} \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^\infty e^{-\rho t} (\log(c_t^H) - b(v_t)) dt \right] \quad \text{s.t.}$$

$$\frac{dn_t^H}{n_t^H} = -\frac{c_t^H}{n_t^H} dt + \theta_t^{D,H} dr_t^D + \theta_t^{L,H} dr_t^L + \theta_t^K \left(dr_t^K(v_t, \iota_t, \nu_t) - \chi_t dr_t^{x,H} \right) + \tau_t^H dt$$

$$1 = \theta_t^{D,H} + \theta_t^{L,H} + \theta_t^K(1 - \chi_t) \quad \nu_t \theta_t^{D,H} = \theta_t^K$$

- ▶ $dr_t^K = \left[\frac{p_t a v_t - \iota_t - \tau_t^K + \mathfrak{d}_t}{q_t^K} - \mathfrak{t}_t(\nu_t) + \mu_t^{q^K} + g(\iota_t) \right] dt + \sigma_t^{q^K} dZ_t + \tilde{\sigma}_t d\tilde{Z}_t$
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Intermediary's Problem

$$\max_{c_t^I, \theta_t^{\mathcal{R}}, \theta_t^{L,I}, \theta_t^{D,I}, \theta_t^{x,I}} \mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^\infty e^{-\rho t} \log(c_t^I) dt \right] \quad \text{s.t.}$$

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$$1 = \theta_t^{\mathcal{R}} + \theta_t^{D,I} + \theta_t^{L,I} + \theta_t^{x,I} \quad \theta_t^{\mathcal{R}} \geq \underline{\theta}_t^{\mathcal{R}}$$

- ▶ $dr_t^{\mathcal{R}}(\theta_t^{\mathcal{R}}) = i(\theta_t^{\mathcal{R}})dt + \frac{d(1/\mathcal{P}_t)}{1/\mathcal{P}_t} = \left[\frac{\theta_t^{\mathcal{R}} i_t + (\theta_t^{\mathcal{R}} - \underline{\theta}_t^{\mathcal{R}}) i_t}{\theta_t^{\mathcal{R}}} - \pi_t \right] dt$
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Monopolistic Firms

- Monopolistic producers add variety to a common good produced by HH:
 - ▶ Linear technology: $Y_t^j = y_t^j$, set prices P_t^j s.t. Rotemberg frictions:

$$\int_0^\infty \Xi_t^H \left[\left(\frac{P_t^j}{P_t} \right)^{1-\varepsilon} - p_t(1-\tau^F) \left(\frac{P_t^j}{P_t} \right)^{-\varepsilon} - \frac{\kappa}{2} (\pi_t^j)^2 - T_t^F \right] Y_t dt$$

- Perfectly competitive final good producers
 - ▶ Bundle varieties into consumption good using CES aggregator
- NKPC:

$$\frac{\mathbb{E}[d\pi_t]}{dt} = \left(r_t^{f,H} - \frac{\mathbb{E}[dY_t]}{Y_t dt} + \varsigma_t^{C,H} \sigma_t^Y \right) \pi_t - \frac{\varepsilon}{\kappa} \left(p_t(1-\tau) - \frac{\varepsilon-1}{\varepsilon} \right)$$

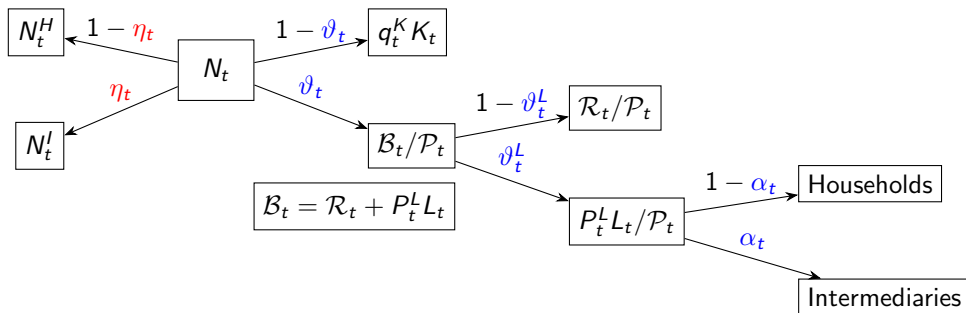
$$\pi_t = \frac{\varepsilon}{\kappa Y_t} \mathbb{E}_t \int_t^\infty e^{-\int_t^s r_\tau^f d\tau} Y_s \left(p_s(1-\tau) - \frac{\varepsilon-1}{\varepsilon} \right) ds$$

Constrained Efficiency

- ▶ **Proposition 1.** Under some assumption on $\{\lambda, \varphi\}$, there exists a unique solution to the planner's problem for $\eta^*(\tilde{\sigma}_t) > \lambda$ and the constrained efficient allocation has the following properties:
 - ▶ Capital utilization $v^*(\tilde{\sigma}_t)$ is constant ($\mu_t^{v,*} = \sigma_t^{v,*} = 0$)
 - ▶ Intermediaries' wealth and risk shares $\eta^*(\tilde{\sigma}_t)$ and $\chi^*(\tilde{\sigma}_t)$ are increasing in $\tilde{\sigma}_t$
 - ▶ Nominal wealth share $\vartheta^*(\tilde{\sigma}_t)$ is increasing in $\tilde{\sigma}_t$
 - ▶ Investment rate $\iota^*(\tilde{\sigma}_t)$ is decreasing in $\tilde{\sigma}_t$

Net Worth and Risk Distributions

► Net worth distribution:



- **Idiosyncratic risk distribution:** χ_t held by Intermediaries
 $1 - \chi_t$ held by Households

Equilibrium

- ▶ Key variables: $\tilde{\sigma}_t, \eta_t, v_t, \vartheta_t, P_t^L, \pi_t$
- ▶ Markovian equilibrium with state variables $S \equiv \{\tilde{\sigma}, \eta, v\}$:
 - ▶ Laws of motion for S :

$$d\tilde{\sigma}_t^2 = -b_s(\tilde{\sigma}_t^2 - \tilde{\sigma}_{ss}^2)dt + \sigma\tilde{\sigma}_t^2 dZ_t$$

$$\frac{d\eta_t}{\eta_t} = \mu_t^\eta dt + \sigma_t^\eta dZ_t$$

$$\frac{dv_t}{v_t} = \mu_t^v dt + \sigma_t^v dZ_t$$

- ▶ Policy variables $\underline{i}(S), i(S), \vartheta^L(S), \underline{\theta}^R(S), \tau^I(S), \tau^X(S), \tau^K(S)$
- ▶ Mappings $\vartheta(S), P^L(S), \pi(S)$

satisfying agents' optimality and market clearing

Efficient Consumption & Risk Allocation Only: Implementation

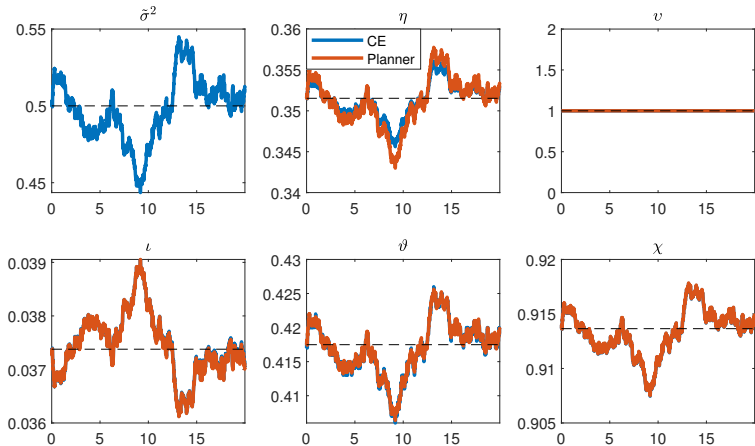
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$$\frac{\sigma_t^{\eta,*}}{1 - \eta_t^*} \sigma_t^{P^L} = \nu_t^2 \mathfrak{t}'(\nu_t)$$

$$\nu_t [\chi_t^* - \eta_t^* + \vartheta_t^* (1 - \chi_t^*) - (1 - \alpha_t) \vartheta_t^L \vartheta_t^*] = 1 - \vartheta_t^*$$

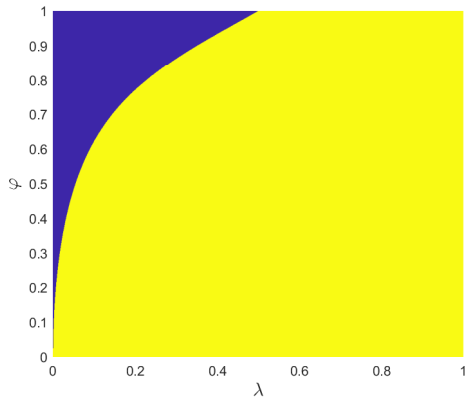
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Passive balance sheet management



Constrained Efficiency: Properties

$$6\lambda(1-\lambda)(1-\varphi^2)(1-\lambda+\lambda\varphi^2) - (1-2\lambda)\varphi^2 \geq 0$$

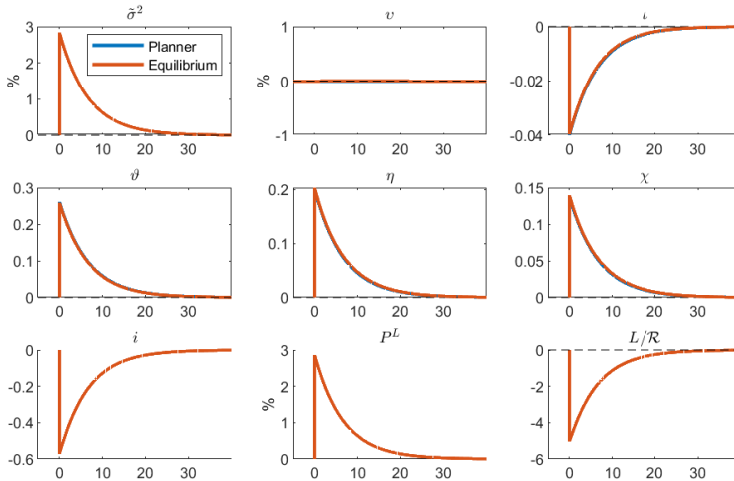


Consolidated Government

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IRF under Full Efficiency

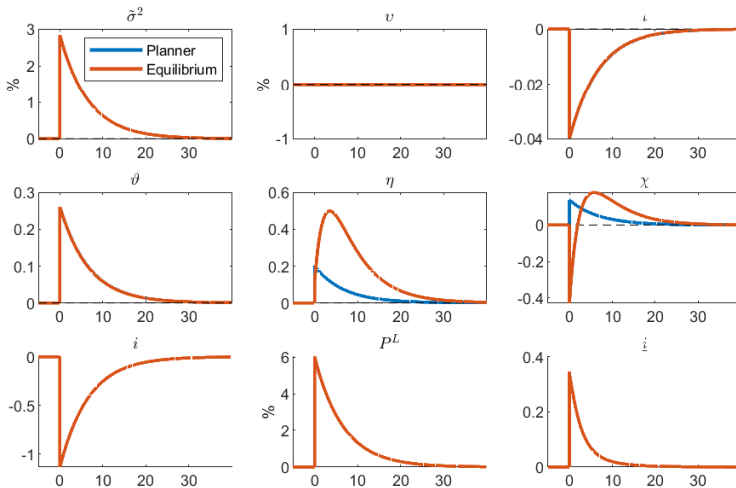


Production Efficiency Only: Implementation

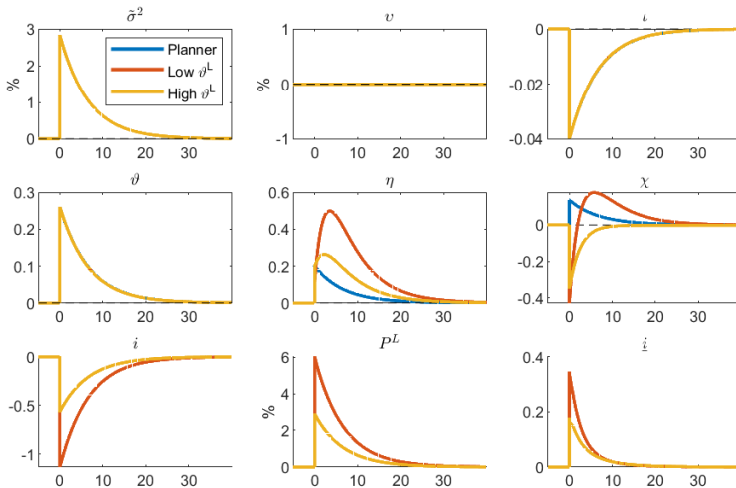
- ▶ ϑ_t is an equilibrium 'mapping'
 $\Rightarrow$ implement ϑ_t^* by appropriate capital taxes τ_t^K along the equilibrium path
- ▶ v_t is a state variable $\Rightarrow$ need to ensure $\mu_t^v = \sigma_t^v = 0 \ \forall t$
 - ▶ Drift is targeted by i_t
 - ▶ Volatility loading is targeted by i_t and ϑ_t^L
- ▶ From goods market clearing:

$$av_t = \rho \frac{q_t^B}{\vartheta_t} + \iota_t = \rho \frac{q_t^B}{\vartheta_t} + \frac{q_t^K - 1}{\phi} = \rho \frac{q_t^B}{\vartheta_t} + \frac{q_t^B(1 - \vartheta_t)}{\phi \vartheta_t} - \frac{1}{\phi}$$
$$q_t^B = \frac{B_t}{P_t K_t} \quad B_t = \mathcal{R}_t + P_t^L L_t$$

IRF under Production Efficiency



IRF under Production Efficiency: Equivalence



IRF under Allocative Efficiency: Multiplicity

