

PROGRAM-PGDM/ PGDM (IB)-2013-15

DM-601/IB-603

Elements of Basic Econometrics

Trimester- VI, End-Term Examination: February, 2015

Time Allowed: 2 Hrs & 30 Min.

Max. Marks: 50

Roll Number: _____

Instructions-Students are required to write Roll number on every page of the question paper; writing anything except the roll no. will be treated as use of Unfair Means. In case of rough work, please use answer sheet.

(Students are allowed to use Excel or any other computer program for answering questions involving application of model/method to data).

The paper comprises three sections: A, B and C. Three out of 5 questions are to be answered from section A. Each question carries 5 marks=3x5=15. Two out of 3 questions are to be answered from section B. Each question carries 10 marks: 2x10=20. Section C has one compulsory question of 15 marks.

SECTION-A

Answer any three of the following 5 questions.

- 1. Explain the meaning of OLS and its three basic assumptions in about 250 words.**
- 2. What is Auto-correlation? Explain in about 250 words the causes of the presence of significant auto-correlation in a time series regression model.**
- 3. Explain the meaning of Hetero-scedasticity. How is it detected and how is significant hetero-scedasticity removed?**
- 4. What do you understand by the unit root problem in a time series based regression model? How is its presence in the data detected?**
- 5. Explain briefly the single equation and system's approach to estimate SEM.**

SECTION –B

Answer any two of the following three questions.

- 6. Given the following simultaneous equations model:**

$$EXP = \beta_1 + \beta_2 PR + \beta_3 INC + \beta_4 POP + u_1$$

$$PR = \delta_1 + \delta_2 EXP + \delta_3 PS + u_2$$

Explain the identification status of each of the above two equations of the model. EXP is public expenditure, PR shows public revenue, INC depicts income and POP is population. PS represent public savings. EXP are jointly determined variables and all other variables are predetermined.

7. Given the following data,

Year	GDP	GDCF	Consumption
1993	7745.45	1784.37	5269.68
1994	8913.55	1977.85	5961.08
1995	10455.9	2585.61	6935.7
1996	12267.25	3100.45	7870.29
1997	14192.77	3361.25	9166.8
1998	15723.94	4020.92	10831.52
1999	18033.78	4365.21	11703.02
2000	20231.3	5388.34	13668.57
2001	21774.13	5282.99	14842.96
2002	23558.45	5711.46	16491.14
2003	25363.27	6277.43	17846.99
2004	28415.03	7624.16	19085.84
2005	32422.09	10640.41	20790.87
2006	36933.69	12797.54	21781.68
2007	42947.06	15314.33	24136.15
2008	49870.9	19007.62	27632.73
2009	56300.63	19313.8	30863.28
2010	64778.27	23631.32	36986.83
2011	77953.13	28716.49	41146.95
2012	89749.47	31414.65	49236.64

Determine the degree and direction of inter-relations between GDP, and Gross Domestic Capital Formation in Indian economy on the basis of the model given below:

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 Y_{t-1} + \beta_2 X_t + U_t$$

Where t stands for time, Y for gross domestic capital formation, and X for GDP. U represents random errors of estimation. Use Engel-Granger test to examine whether the variables are well co-integrated in the estimate of above model.

8. From the above data,

Estimate the below given regression model:

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_{1t} + \beta_2 X_{2t} + U_t$$

Y displays GDP, X_1 shows investment, and X_2 represents consumption, t stands for time and U represents random errors of estimation. Derive both OLS and GLS estimates of the functions. GLS estimates may be based on the use of auto-correlation coefficient for the transformation of the given data.

SECTION-C

The question in this section carries 15 marks.

9. The following data relate to employment , GDP and gross domestic capital formation in Indian economy over the years from 1992 to 2012:

Year	GDP	GDCF	Employment
1992	6738.75	1469.07	346802576
1993	7745.45	1784.37	355116385
1994	8913.55	1977.85	363000334
1995	10455.9	2585.61	369789237
1996	12267.25	3100.45	377265860
1997	14192.77	3361.25	384187272
1998	15723.94	4020.92	391155410
1999	18033.78	4365.21	398160552
2000	20231.3	5388.34	405190192
2001	21774.13	5282.99	417144863
2002	23558.45	5711.46	428601673
2003	25363.27	6277.43	440212534
2004	28415.03	7624.16	451934600
2005	32422.09	10640.41	464498005
2006	36933.69	12797.54	465456462
2007	42947.06	15314.33	466033315
2008	49870.9	19007.62	466233702
2009	56300.63	19313.8	466896011
2010	64778.27	23631.32	466390538
2011	77953.13	28716.49	475806212
2012	89749.47	31414.65	484343281

GDP and GDCF are expressed in lakh crore INR and employment in numbers.

Estimate the following regression function to determine the influence of employment and gross domestic capital formation on GDP:

$$\ln Y_t = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \ln X_{1t} + \alpha_2 \ln X_{2t} + U_t$$

Answer the following questions:

- (i) What is the degree of auto-correlation in the above estimated function?
- (ii) Explain the meanings of the values of the coefficients of regression in the above model: α_0 , α_1 and α_2 .
- (iii) What meanings do you attach to the coefficient of determination, R^2 of the above model?.
- (iv) Detect multi-co-linearity in the above model on the basis of step-wise regression of variables of the model.
- (v) Why is Y^*_t is regressed on X^*_t in a time series model of the above type? Elucidate your answer.

Year	Employment	GDP	GDP
1980	10000	10000	10000
1981	10500	10500	10500
1982	11000	11000	11000
1983	11500	11500	11500
1984	12000	12000	12000
1985	12500	12500	12500
1986	13000	13000	13000
1987	13500	13500	13500
1988	14000	14000	14000
1989	14500	14500	14500
1990	15000	15000	15000
1991	15500	15500	15500
1992	16000	16000	16000
1993	16500	16500	16500
1994	17000	17000	17000
1995	17500	17500	17500
1996	18000	18000	18000
1997	18500	18500	18500
1998	19000	19000	19000
1999	19500	19500	19500
2000	20000	20000	20000
2001	20500	20500	20500
2002	21000	21000	21000
2003	21500	21500	21500
2004	22000	22000	22000
2005	22500	22500	22500
2006	23000	23000	23000
2007	23500	23500	23500
2008	24000	24000	24000
2009	24500	24500	24500
2010	25000	25000	25000
2011	25500	25500	25500
2012	26000	26000	26000
2013	26500	26500	26500
2014	27000	27000	27000
2015	27500	27500	27500
2016	28000	28000	28000
2017	28500	28500	28500
2018	29000	29000	29000
2019	29500	29500	29500
2020	30000	30000	30000
2021	30500	30500	30500
2022	31000	31000	31000
2023	31500	31500	31500
2024	32000	32000	32000
2025	32500	32500	32500

Table D.5A Durbin-Watson d Statistic: Significance Points of d_L and d_U at 0.05 Level of Significance

n	$k=1$		$k=2$		$k=3$		$k=4$		$k=5$		$k=6$		$k=7$		$k=8$		$k=9$		$k=10$	
	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U	d_L	d_U
6	0.610	1.400	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	0.700	1.356	0.467	1.896	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	0.763	1.332	0.559	1.777	0.368	2.287	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	0.824	1.320	0.629	1.699	0.455	2.128	0.296	2.588	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	0.879	1.320	0.697	1.641	0.525	2.016	0.376	2.414	0.243	2.822	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	0.927	1.324	0.658	1.604	0.595	1.928	0.444	2.283	0.316	2.645	0.203	3.005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	0.971	1.331	0.812	1.579	0.658	1.864	0.512	2.177	0.379	2.506	0.268	2.832	0.171	3.149	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	1.010	1.340	0.861	1.562	0.715	1.816	0.574	2.094	0.445	2.390	0.328	2.692	0.230	2.985	0.147	3.266	—	—	—	—
14	1.045	1.350	0.905	1.551	0.767	1.779	0.632	2.030	0.505	2.296	0.389	2.572	0.286	2.848	0.200	3.111	0.127	3.360	—	—
15	1.077	1.361	0.946	1.543	0.814	1.750	0.685	1.977	0.562	2.220	0.447	2.472	0.343	2.727	0.251	2.979	0.175	3.216	0.111	3.438
16	1.106	1.371	0.982	1.539	0.857	1.728	0.734	1.935	0.615	2.157	0.502	2.388	0.398	2.624	0.304	2.860	0.222	3.090	0.155	3.304
17	1.133	1.381	1.015	1.536	0.897	1.710	0.779	1.900	0.664	2.104	0.554	2.318	0.451	2.537	0.356	2.757	0.272	2.975	0.198	3.184
18	1.158	1.391	1.046	1.535	0.933	1.696	0.820	1.872	0.710	2.060	0.603	2.257	0.502	2.461	0.407	2.667	0.321	2.873	0.244	3.073
19	1.180	1.401	1.074	1.536	0.967	1.685	0.859	1.848	0.752	2.023	0.649	2.206	0.549	2.396	0.456	2.589	0.369	2.783	0.290	2.974
20	1.201	1.411	1.100	1.537	0.998	1.676	0.894	1.828	0.792	1.991	0.692	2.162	0.595	2.339	0.502	2.521	0.416	2.704	0.336	2.885
21	1.221	1.420	1.125	1.538	1.026	1.669	0.927	1.812	0.829	1.964	0.732	2.124	0.637	2.290	0.547	2.460	0.461	2.633	0.380	2.806
22	1.239	1.429	1.147	1.541	1.053	1.664	0.958	1.797	0.863	1.940	0.769	2.090	0.677	2.246	0.588	2.407	0.504	2.571	0.424	2.734
23	1.257	1.437	1.168	1.543	1.078	1.660	0.986	1.785	0.895	1.920	0.804	2.061	0.715	2.208	0.628	2.360	0.545	2.514	0.465	2.670
24	1.273	1.446	1.188	1.546	1.101	1.656	1.013	1.775	0.925	1.902	0.837	2.035	0.751	2.174	0.666	2.318	0.584	2.464	0.506	2.613
25	1.288	1.454	1.206	1.550	1.123	1.654	1.038	1.767	0.953	1.886	0.868	2.012	0.784	2.144	0.702	2.280	0.621	2.419	0.544	2.560
26	1.302	1.461	1.224	1.553	1.143	1.652	1.062	1.759	0.979	1.873	0.897	1.992	0.816	2.117	0.735	2.246	0.657	2.379	0.581	2.513
27	1.316	1.469	1.240	1.556	1.162	1.651	1.084	1.753	1.004	1.861	0.925	1.974	0.845	2.093	0.767	2.216	0.691	2.342	0.616	2.470
28	1.328	1.476	1.255	1.560	1.181	1.650	1.104	1.747	1.028	1.850	0.951	1.958	0.874	2.071	0.798	2.188	0.723	2.309	0.650	2.431
29	1.341	1.483	1.270	1.563	1.198	1.650	1.124	1.743	1.050	1.841	0.975	1.944	0.900	2.052	0.826	2.164	0.753	2.278	0.682	2.396
30	1.352	1.489	1.284	1.567	1.214	1.650	1.143	1.739	1.071	1.833	0.998	1.931	0.926	2.034	0.854	2.141	0.782	2.251	0.712	2.363
31	1.363	1.496	1.297	1.570	1.229	1.650	1.160	1.735	1.090	1.825	1.020	1.920	0.950	2.018	0.879	2.120	0.810	2.226	0.741	2.333
32	1.373	1.502	1.309	1.574	1.244	1.650	1.177	1.732	1.109	1.819	1.041	1.909	0.972	2.004	0.904	2.102	0.836	2.203	0.769	2.306
33	1.383	1.508	1.321	1.577	1.258	1.651	1.193	1.730	1.127	1.813	1.061	1.900	0.994	1.991	0.927	2.085	0.861	2.181	0.795	2.281
34	1.393	1.514	1.333	1.580	1.271	1.652	1.208	1.728	1.144	1.808	1.080	1.891	1.015	1.979	0.950	2.069	0.885	2.162	0.821	2.257
35	1.402	1.519	1.343	1.584	1.283	1.653	1.222	1.726	1.160	1.803	1.097	1.884	1.034	1.967	0.971	2.054	0.908	2.144	0.845	2.236
36	1.411	1.525	1.354	1.587	1.295	1.654	1.236	1.724	1.175	1.799	1.114	1.877	1.053	1.957	0.991	2.041	0.930	2.127	0.868	2.216
37	1.419	1.530	1.364	1.590	1.307	1.655	1.249	1.723	1.190	1.795	1.131	1.870	1.071	1.948	1.011	2.029	0.951	2.112	0.891	2.198
38	1.427	1.535	1.373	1.594	1.318	1.656	1.261	1.722	1.204	1.792	1.146	1.864	1.088	1.939	1.029	2.017	0.970	2.098	0.912	2.180
39	1.435	1.540	1.382	1.597	1.328	1.658	1.273	1.722	1.218	1.789	1.161	1.859	1.104	1.932	1.047	2.007	0.990	2.085	0.932	2.164
40	1.442	1.544	1.391	1.600	1.338	1.659	1.285	1.721	1.230	1.786	1.175	1.854	1.120	1.924	1.064	1.997	1.008	2.072	0.952	2.149
45	1.475	1.566	1.430	1.615	1.383	1.666	1.336	1.720	1.287	1.776	1.238	1.835	1.189	1.895	1.139	1.958	1.089	2.022	1.038	2.088
50	1.503	1.585	1.462	1.628	1.421	1.674	1.378	1.721	1.335	1.771	1.291	1.822	1.246	1.875	1.201	1.930	1.156	1.986	1.110	2.044
55	1.528	1.601	1.490	1.641	1.452	1.681	1.414	1.724	1.374	1.768	1.334	1.814	1.294	1.861	1.253	1.909	1.212	1.959	1.170	2.010
60	1.549	1.616	1.514	1.652	1.480	1.689	1.444	1.727	1.408	1.767	1.372	1.808	1.335	1.850	1.298	1.894	1.260	1.939	1.222	1.984
65	1.567	1.629	1.536	1.662	1.503	1.696	1.471	1.731	1.438	1.767	1.404	1.805	1.370	1.843	1.336	1.882	1.301	1.923	1.266	1.964
70	1.583	1.641	1.554	1.672	1.525	1.703	1.494	1.735	1.466	1.768	1.433	1.802	1.401	1.837	1.369	1.873	1.337	1.910	1.305	1.948
75	1.598	1.652	1.571	1.680	1.543	1.709	1.515	1.739	1.487	1.770	1.458	1.801	1.428	1.834	1.399	1.867	1.369	1.901	1.339	1.935
80	1.611	1.662	1.586	1.688	1.560	1.715	1.534	1.743	1.507	1.772	1.480	1.801	1.453	1.831	1.425	1.861	1.397	1.893	1.369	1.925
85	1.624	1.671	1.600	1.696	1.575	1.721	1.550	1.747	1.525	1.774	1.500	1.801	1.474	1.829	1.448	1.857	1.422	1.886	1.396	1.916
90	1.635	1.679	1.612	1.703	1.589	1.726	1.566	1.751	1.542	1.776	1.518	1.801	1.494	1.827	1.469	1.854	1.445	1.881	1.420	1.909
95	1.645	1.687	1.623	1.709	1.602	1.732	1.579	1.755	1.557	1.778	1.535	1.802	1.512	1.827	1.489	1.852	1.465	1.877	1.442	1.903
100	1.654	1.694	1.634	1.715	1.613	1.736	1.592	1.758	1.571	1.780	1.550	1.803	1.528	1.826	1.506	1.850	1.484	1.874	1.462	1.898
150	1.720	1.746	1.706	1.760	1.693	1.774	1.679	1.788	1.665	1.802	1.651	1.817	1.637	1.832	1.622	1.847	1.608	1.862	1.594	1.877
200	1.758	1.778	1.748	1.789	1.738	1.799	1.728	1.810	1.718	1.820	1.707	1.831	1.697	1.841	1.686	1.852	1.675	1.863	1.665	1.874