
***** MONTE CARLO EXPERIMENT # 1.000

***** COMPUTING A MPE OF THE DYNAMIC GAME

Values of the structural parameters

Fixed cost firm 1 =	-1.900
Fixed cost firm 2 =	-1.800
Fixed cost firm 3 =	-1.700
Fixed cost firm 4 =	-1.600
Fixed cost firm 5 =	-1.500
Parameter of market size (theta_rs) =	1.000
Parameter of competition effect (theta_rn) =	0.0000
Entry cost (theta_ec) =	1.000
Discount factor =	0.9500
Std. Dev. epsilons =	1.000

BEST RESPONSE MAPPING ITERATIONS

Best response mapping iteration =	1.000
Convergence criterion =	1000.
Best response mapping iteration =	2.000
Convergence criterion =	0.9764

CONVERGENCE ACHIEVED AFTER 3.000 BEST RESPONSE ITERATIONS

EQUILIBRIUM PROBABILITIES

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 DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FROM THE EQUILIBRIUM
 BASED ON 5.000e+004 OBSERVATIONS

TABLE 2 OF THE PAPER AGUIRREGABIRIA AND MIRA (2007)

(1) Average number of active firms = 3.680

(2)	Std. Dev. number of firms	=	1.547
(3)	Regression N[t] on N[t-1]	=	0.7418
(4)	Average number of entrants	=	0.5249
(5)	Average number of exits	=	0.5226
(6)	Excess turnover (in # of firms)	=	0.3349
(7)	Correlation entries and exits	=	-0.01180
(8)	Frequencies of being active	=	
	0.6996		
	0.7199		
	0.7371		
	0.7513		
	0.7719		

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Replication = 1.000
(a) Simulations of x's and a's
(b.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Non-Parametric)
(b.2) NPL algorithm using frequency estimates as initial CCPs
(c.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Semi-Parametric: Logit)
(c.2) NPL algorithm using Logit estimates as initial CCPs
(d.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Completely Random)
(d.2) NPL algorithm using U(0,1) random draws as initial CCPs
(e) NPL algorithm using true values as initial CCPs
Replication = 2.00000
(a) Simulations of x's and a's
(b.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Non-Parametric)
(b.2) NPL algorithm using frequency estimates as initial CCPs
(c.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Semi-Parametric: Logit)
(c.2) NPL algorithm using Logit estimates as initial CCPs
(d.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Completely Random)
(d.2) NPL algorithm using U(0,1) random draws as initial CCPs
(e) NPL algorithm using true values as initial CCPs

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Replication = 999.000
(a) Simulations of x's and a's
(b.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Non-Parametric)
(b.2) NPL algorithm using frequency estimates as initial CCPs
(c.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Semi-Parametric: Logit)
(c.2) NPL algorithm using Logit estimates as initial CCPs

(d.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Completely Random)
 (d.2) NPL algorithm using U(0,1) random draws as initial CCPs
 (e) NPL algorithm using true values as initial CCPs
 Replication = 1000.00
 (a) Simulations of x's and a's
 (b.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Non-Parametric)
 (b.2) NPL algorithm using frequency estimates as initial CCPs
 (c.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Semi-Parametric: Logit)
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 (d.1) Estimation of initial CCPs (Completely Random)
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 (e) NPL algorithm using true values as initial CCPs

Number of Re-drawings due to Multicollinearity = 0.000000

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EMPIRICAL MEANS and STANDARD ERRORS

TABLE 4 OF THE PAPER AGUIREGABIRIA and MIRA (2007)

	theta_fc_1	theta_rs	theta_rn	theta_ec
TRUE VALUES	-1.900	1.000	0.0000	1.000
MEAN 2step-True	-1.910	1.001	-0.01020	1.009
MEDIAN 2step-True	-1.927	0.9948	-0.02389	1.010
S.E. 2step-True	0.2713	0.1503	0.4031	0.1396

Model Comparison Results				
MEAN 2step-Freq	-0.4719	0.3662	0.1681	1.133
MEDIAN 2step-Freq	-0.4687	0.3553	0.1728	1.131
S.E. 2step-Freq	0.2880	0.1449	0.3559	0.1942
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MEAN NPL-Freq	-1.899	1.011	0.01989	1.005
MEDIAN NPL-Freq	-1.923	0.9937	-0.02883	1.004
S.E. NPL-Freq	0.2748	0.1519	0.4092	0.1392
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MEAN 2step-Logit	-1.924	1.000	-0.02194	1.002
MEDIAN 2step-Logit	-1.934	0.9875	-0.04265	1.004
S.E. 2step-Logit	0.2784	0.1492	0.4080	0.1404
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MEAN NPL-Logit	-1.899	1.011	0.02003	1.005
MEDIAN NPL-Logit	-1.923	0.9937	-0.02883	1.004
S.E. NPL-Logit	0.2748	0.1519	0.4092	0.1392
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MEAN 2step-Random	-1.924	1.000	-0.02194	1.002

MEDIAN 2step-Rando	-1.934	0.9875	-0.04265	1.004
S.E. 2step-Random	0.2784	0.1492	0.4080	0.1404

MEAN NPL-Random	-1.899	1.011	0.02003	1.005
MEDIAN NPL-Random	-1.923	0.9937	-0.02883	1.004
S.E. NPL-Random	0.2748	0.1519	0.4092	0.1392

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SQUARE-ROOT MEAN SQUARE ERRORS
 RATIOS OVER THE SQUARE-ROOT MSE OF THE 2-STEP PML USING THE TRUE CCPs

TABLE 5 OF THE PAPER AGUIREGABIRIA and MIRA (2007)

	theta_fc_1	theta_rs	theta_rn	theta_ec
SQRT-MSE 2-step-TRUE	0.2715	0.1503	0.4032	0.1399
RATIO: 2step-Freq	5.365	4.327	0.9762	1.682
RATIO: NPL-Freq	1.012	1.014	1.016	0.9963
RATIO: 2step-Logit	1.029	0.9931	1.013	1.004

RATIO: NPL-Logit	1.012	1.014	1.016	0.9963
RATIO: 2step-Rando	1.894	1.295	0.8062	0.9974
RATIO: NPL-Random	1.012	1.014	1.016	0.9963