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Abstract

In this paper, Mallows' (1973) C_p criterion, Akaike's (1973) AIC, Hurvich and Tsai's (1989) corrected AIC and the BIC of Akaike (1978) and Schwarz (1978) are derived for the leads-and-lags cointegrating regression. Deriving model selection criteria for the leads-and-lags regression is a nontrivial task since the true model is of infinite dimension. This paper justifies using the conventional formulas of those model selection criteria for the leads-and-lags cointegrating regression. The numbers of leads and lags can be selected in scientific ways using the model selection criteria. Simulation results regarding the bias and mean squared error of the long-run coefficient estimates are reported. It is found that the model selection criteria are successful in reducing bias and mean squared error relative to the conventional, fixed selection rules. Among the model selection criteria, the BIC appears to be most successful in reducing MSE, and C_p in reducing bias. We also observe that, in most cases, the selection rules without the restriction that the numbers of the leads and lags be the same have an advantage over those with it.

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1 Introduction

Several methods have been proposed for efficient estimation of cointegrating relations.

Phillips and Hansen (1990) and Park (1992) use semiparametric approaches to derive

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efficient estimators that have a mixture normal distribution in the limit. Saikkonen (1991), Phillips and Loretan (1991), and Stock and Watson (1993) use the regression augmented with the leads and lags of the regressors' first differences, yielding estimators as efficient as those based on the semiparametric approach. This is called leads-and-lags regression or dynamic OLS regression. This method was also used for cointegrating smooth-transition regression by Saikkonen and Choi (2004). Johansen (1988) uses vector autoregression to derive the maximum likelihood estimator of cointegrating spaces under the assumption of a normal distribution. In addition, Pesaran and Shin (1999) use an autoregressive distributed modelling approach for the inference on cointegrating vectors. Finite-sample properties of the aforementioned methods are studied by Hargreaves (1994) and Panopoulou and Pittis (2004), among others.

This paper focuses on the leads-and-lags regression among the methods mentioned above. Though it has been used intensively in empirical applications¹ due to its optimal property and simplicity, the practical question of how to select the numbers of the leads and lags has not been resolved yet. Most empirical studies use arbitrary numbers of leads and lags and empirical results can differ depending on this choice. Furthermore, a restriction that the numbers of leads and lags be the same is often imposed out of convenience. This situation is certainly undesirable from empirical viewpoints and indicates a need for methods that select the numbers of leads and lags in nonarbitrary ways.

The main purpose of this paper is to propose methods for the selection of the numbers of leads and lags in cointegrating regressions. More specifically, we will derive model selection criteria for the leads-and-lags regression so that the numbers of leads and lags can be chosen scientifically. These will make the leads-and-lags

¹Examples are Ball (2001) for the money-demand equation; Bentzen (2004) for the rebound effect in energy consumption; Caballero (1994) for the elasticity of the U.S. capital-output ratio to the cost of capital; Hai, Mark, and Wu (1997) for spot and forward exchange rate regressions; Hussein (1998) for the Feldstein–Horioka puzzle; Masih and Masih (1996) for elasticity estimates of coal demand for China; Weber (1995) for estimates of Okun's coefficient; Wu, Fountas, and Chen (1996) for current account deficits; and Zivot (2000) for the forward rate unbaisedness hypothesis.

regression more useful for empirical applications. Deriving model selection criteria for the leads-and-lags regression is a nontrivial task since the true model is of infinite dimension. Most model selection criteria in time series analysis are derived assuming that the true model is contained in a set of candidate models. The only exception that we are aware of is Hurvich and Tsai (1991), which considers a bias-corrected Akaike information criterion (AIC) for the infinite-order autoregressive model using a frequency-domain approach for the approximation of the variance–covariance matrices for the true and approximating models. Notably, the resulting formula from this study is different from that for the finite-order autoregressive model (cf. Hurvich and Tsai, 1989). By contrast, we will show that all the model selection criteria that we derive for the leads-and-lags regression are the same as those for the case of a finite-dimensional true model.

In this paper, we will consider four model selection criteria: Mallows' (1973) C_p criterion, Akaike's (1973) AIC, Hurvich and Tsai's (1989) corrected AIC, and the Bayesian information criterion (BIC) of Akaike (1978) and Schwarz (1978). These methods are the most common in practice,² though there are many other methods available as documented by Rao and Yu (2001).³

We will also report extensive simulation results that compare the model selection criteria using bias and mean squared error (MSE) of the long-run coefficient estimate as benchmarks. The simulation results show that the model selection criteria are successful in reducing bias and MSE relative the fixed selection rules. the BIC appears to be most successful in reducing MSE, and C_p in reducing bias. We also observe that, in most cases, the selection rules without the restriction that the numbers of the leads and lags be the same have an advantage over those with it.

²The Google citation numbers for these articles are 1,060, 4,546, 741, 205 and 5,720, respectively, as of August 23, 2008.

³Unfortunately, this review article focuses on the statistics literature only and neglects contributions to the subject of model selection that appeared in the econometrics literature. Some of the important works neglected there are Phillips and Ploberger (1994, 1996). However, since the Phillips–Ploberger criterion assumes that the true model is contained in a set of candidate models (see Section 3 of Phillips and Ploberger, 1994), it is inapplicable to our problem.

A recent paper related to the current one is Kejriwal and Perron (2008). Since such selection rules as the AIC and BIC yield logarithmic rates of increase of the chosen numbers of leads and lags, they do not satisfy the upper bound condition for leadsand-lags regression (condition (9) in Section 2). However, Kejriwal and Perron (2008) show that the condition can be weakened without bringing changes to the asymptotic mixture normality of the long-run coefficient estimates. The weakened condition is satisfied by the AIC and BIC so that their use is justified in practice. Kejriwal and Perron (2008) use the AIC and BIC without considering their appropriateness for the leads-and-lags regression. This paper establishes rigorously that using them and others is proper from the viewpoint of model selection.

This paper is organized as follows. Section 2 briefly explains cointegrating leadsand-lags regression. Section 3 derives model selection criteria for leads-and-lags regression. Section 4 reports simulation results that compare the performance of the model selection criteria in finite samples. Section 5 summarizes and concludes. All the proofs are contained in appendices.

A few words on our notation. Weak convergence is denoted by \Rightarrow and all limits are taken as $T \to \infty$. The largest integer not exceeding x is denoted by [x]. For an arbitrary matrix A, $||A|| = [tr(A'A)]^{1/2}$ and $||A||_1 = \sup\{||Ax|| : ||x|| \le 1\}$. When applied to matrices, the inequality signs > and \ge mean the usual ordering of positive definite and semidefinite matrices, respectively. Last, for a matrix A, $P_A = A(A'A)^{-1}A'$ and $M_A = I - P_A$.

2 Leads-and-lags regression

This section briefly introduces the leads-and-lags regression of Saikkonen $(1991)^4$ and some required assumptions. Consider the cointegrating regression model

$$y_t = \mu + \beta' x_t + u_t, \quad (t = 1, 2, \dots, T),$$
 (1)

where x_t ($p \times 1$) is an I(1) regressor vector and u_t a zero-mean stationary error term. The main purpose of the leads-and-lags regression is to estimate the cointegrating

⁴See also Phillips and Loretan (1991) and Stock and Watson (1993).

vector β efficiently such that it has a mixture normal distribution in the limit. Leads and lags will augment the regression model (1) for this purpose.

For the regressors and error terms, we assume that $w_t = (\Delta x'_t u_t)' = (v'_t u_t)'$ satisfy conditions for the multivariate invariance principle such that

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{T}} \sum_{t=1}^{[Tr]} w_t \Rightarrow B(r), \ r \in (0,1],$$

$$(2)$$

where B(r) is a vector Brownian motion with a positive-definite variance–covariance matrix $\Omega = \begin{bmatrix} \Omega_{vv} & \omega_{vu} \\ \omega_{uv} & \omega_{uu} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. More primitive conditions for this are available in the literature (cf., e.g., Phillips and Durlauf, 1986).

Furthermore, the summability condition

$$\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \left\| E\left(w_t w_{t+j}'\right) \right\| < \infty \tag{3}$$

needs to be satisfied. This implies that the process w_t has a continuous spectral density matrix $f_{ww}(\lambda)$, which we assume to satisfy

$$f_{ww}(\lambda) \ge \varepsilon I_{p+1}, \quad \varepsilon > 0.$$
 (4)

This assumption means that the spectral density matrix $f_{ww}(\lambda)$ is bounded away from zero. Last, denoting the fourth-order cumulants of w_t as κ_{ijkl} , we also require a technical assumption:

$$\sum_{m_1,m_2,m_3=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\kappa_{ijkl}} |\kappa_{ijkl}(m_1,m_2,m_3)| < \infty.$$

Note that all of these assumptions are taken from Saikkonen (1991).

Under conditions (3) and (4), the error term u_t can be expressed as

$$u_t = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \pi'_j v_{t-j} + e_t, \tag{5}$$

where e_t is a zero-mean stationary process such that $Ee_t v'_{t-j} = 0$ for all $j = 0, \pm 1, ...,$ and

$$\sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \|\pi_j\| < \infty.$$

As is well known, the long-run variance of the process e_t can be expressed as $\omega_e^2 = \omega_{uu} - \omega_{uv} \Omega_{vv}^{-1} \omega_{vu}$.

Using equation (5), we can write model (1) as

$$y_t = \mu + \beta' x_t + \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \pi'_j \Delta x_{t-j} + e_t,$$
(6)

where Δ signifies the difference operator. Truncating the infinite sum in model (6) at K_U and K_L , we obtain

$$y_t = \mu + \beta' x_t + \sum_{j=-K_L}^{K_U} \pi'_j \Delta x_{t-j} + e_{Kt}, \quad (t = K_L + 2, K_L + 3, \dots, T - K_U),$$

= $\theta'_K z_{Kt} + e_{Kt},$ (7)

where $\theta_K = [\mu \ \beta' \ \pi'_{-K_L}, \dots, \pi'_{K_U}]', \ z_{Kt} = [1, x'_t, \Delta x'_{t+K_L}, \dots, \Delta x'_{t-K_U}]'$ and

$$e_{Kt} = e_t + \sum_{j > K_U, \ j < -K_L} \pi'_j v_{t-j} = e_t + V_{t,K}.$$

In regression model (7), leads and lags are used as additional regressors. Saikkonen (1991) uses a common value for K_U and K_L for simplicity, but the results he obtained apply to the current case with some minor changes in notation.

The numbers of leads and lags should be large enough to make the effect of truncation negligible, but should not be too large because this will bring inefficiency in estimating the coefficient vector β . Conditions on K_U and K_L that provide asymptotic mixture normality of the OLS estimator of β and asymptotic normality of the OLS estimator of $[\pi'_{-K_L}, \ldots, \pi'_{K_U}]'$ are

$$K_U^3/T, \ K_L^3/T \to 0$$
 (8)

and

$$\sqrt{T} \sum_{j > K_U, \ j < -K_L} \|\pi_j\| \to 0.$$
 (9)

In fact, Saikkonen (1991) did not derive asymptotic normality of the OLS estimator of $[\pi'_{-K_L}, \ldots, \pi'_{K_U}]'$, but this can be done using the same methods as for Theorem 4 of Lewis and Reinsel (1985) (see also Berk, 1974). Conditions (8) and (9) are sufficient to derive the asymptotic distributions of the OLS estimators for model (7), but do not provide practical guidance in selecting K_U and K_L in finite samples. The next section will consider various methods for their optimal selection.

3 Methods for selecting K_U and K_L

This section considers various procedures for selecting K_U and K_L . These are basically model selection procedures that have often been used for regressions and timeseries analysis. For the derivations of these procedures, we assume that the conditions of the leads-and-lags regression in Section 2 hold.

For later use, write model (7) in obvious matrix notation as $y = Z_K \theta_K + e_K$. The OLS estimator of the parameter vector θ_K using model (7) is denoted by $\hat{\theta}_K$. In addition, model (6) is written in vector notation as $y = \tau + e$, where $e = [e_{K_L+2}, \ldots, e_{T-K_U}]'$ is the vector of errors.

3.1 C_p criterion

The C_p criterion of Mallows (1973) is an estimator of the expected squared sum of forecast errors. Assume that $E(e_t \mid Z_K) = 0$ for any K_U and K_L . Then the forecast error for the C_p criterion is defined by $f_t = \hat{y}_t - E(y_t \mid Z_K) = \hat{\theta}'_K z_{Kt} - \theta'_K z_{Kt} - E(V_{t,K} \mid Z_K)$. This measures the distance between the fitted value \hat{y}_t and the conditional expectation of y_t . The expected squared sum of the forecast errors standardized by σ_e^2 (= $E(e_t^2)$) is

$$\begin{split} \Delta_{K} &= \frac{1}{\sigma_{e}^{2}} \sum_{t=K_{L}+2}^{T-K_{U}} E\left(f_{t}^{2} \mid Z_{K}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma_{e}^{2}} E\left[(\hat{\theta}_{K}-\theta)' Z_{K}' Z_{K}(\hat{\theta}_{K}-\theta) \mid Z_{K}\right] + \frac{1}{\sigma_{e}^{2}} \sum_{t=K_{L}+2}^{T-K_{U}} V_{t,K}^{2} \\ &- 2 \frac{1}{\sigma_{e}^{2}} \sum_{t=K_{L}+2}^{T-K_{U}} E\left[\left(\hat{\theta}_{K}-\theta_{K}\right)' z_{Kt} E\left[V_{t,K} \mid Z_{K}\right] \mid Z_{K}\right] \\ &= A+B-C, \text{ say.} \end{split}$$

Since $\frac{1}{\sigma_e^2}(\hat{\theta}_K - \theta)' Z'_K Z_K(\hat{\theta}_K - \theta)_{|Z_K} \Rightarrow \chi^2(p(K_L + K_U + 2) + 1)$ (cf. Theorem 4.1 of Saikkonen, 1991, and Theorem 4 of Lewis and Reinsel, 1985), A is approximated by $p(K_L + K_U + 2) + 1$. Using the relation $E(e_{Kt}^2) = \sigma_e^2 + E(V_{t,K}^2)$, we approximate B by $\frac{1}{\sigma_e^2} \sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} \hat{e}_{t,K}^2 - (T - K_U - K_L - 1)$. The third term C is approximated by zero since $\hat{\theta}_K - \theta_K$ converges to zero in probability. Let $K_{U,\max}$ and $K_{L,\max}$ be the maximum values used for selecting K_U and K_L , respectively. We estimate σ_e^2 by $\hat{\sigma}_e^2 = \frac{1}{T-K_{U,\max}-K_{L,\max}-1} \sum_{t=K_{L,\max}+2}^{T-K_{U,\max}} \hat{e}_{t,K_{\max}}^2$, where $\hat{e}_{t,K\max}$ denotes the regression residual using $K_{U,\max}$ and $K_{L,\max}$ for K_U and K_L , respectively. Then, using the aforementioned approximations, the C_p criterion that approximates Δ_K is defined by

$$C_p = \frac{1}{\hat{\sigma}_e^2} \sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} \hat{e}_{t,K}^2 + (p+1)(K_L + K_U + 2) - T.$$

In practice, we choose K_U and K_L so that the C_p criterion is minimized. Note that this requires preselecting $K_{U,\max}$ and $K_{L,\max}$.

3.2 Akaike information criterion

The AIC of Akaike (1973) is an estimator of the expected Kullback–Leibler information measure and is often used for regression and time-series models. In deriving the AIC and its variants, it is usually assumed⁵ that candidate models include the true model (cf. Akaike, 1973; Hurvich and Tsai, 1989), though it does not have to be so because the Kullback–Leibler information measure simply indicates how far apart the true and any candidate models are.

Since the true model of the current study (equation (6)) involves an infinite number of parameters, candidate models cannot include the true model. However, it is still possible to derive the AIC using a general formula.⁶ Assume that the error

 $^{{}^{5}}$ A notable exception is Hurvich and Tsai (1991), which considers a bias-corrected AIC for the autoregressive model of infinite order.

⁶The general formula assumes \sqrt{T} asymptotics, but it can straightforwardly be extended to the current case because the leads-and-lags coefficient estimators for the nonstationary regressors have a mixture-normal distribution in the limit. The general formula is related to Takeuchi's (1976) information criterion. See Chapter 7, Section 2 of Burnham and Anderson (2002) for further details on this.

terms of the candidate model (7) follow an iid normal distribution with mean 0 and variance σ_{eK}^2 conditional on Z_K , and denote the conditional log-likelihood function of the candidate model by $l(\theta_K, \sigma_{eK}^2) = l(\delta_K)$. Then, letting $n = T - K_U - K_L - 1$, the general formula can be written as

$$n\ln\left(\frac{\sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U}\hat{e}_{t,K}^2}{n}\right) + 2tr\left[J(\delta_o)I(\delta_o)^{-1}\right]$$

where $\delta_o = [\theta'_o \sigma_o^2]'$ minimizes the Kullback–Leibler information measure, $J(\delta_o) = E\left[\frac{\partial l(\delta_K)}{\partial \delta_K} \frac{\partial l(\delta_K)}{\partial \delta_K}\Big|_{\delta_K = \delta_o}\right]$ and $I(\delta_o) = E\left[-\frac{\partial^2 l(\delta_K)}{\partial \delta_K \partial \delta'_K}\Big|_{\delta_K = \delta_o}\right]$. Since $tr\left[J(\delta_o)I(\delta_o)^{-1}\right] = \frac{\sigma_e^2}{\sigma_o^2}\left(p(K_U + K_L + 2) + 1 + \frac{2\sigma_o^2 - \sigma_e^2}{\sigma_o^2}\right)$ as shown in Appendix I and $\sigma_o^2 \xrightarrow{p} \sigma_e^2$ as shown in Lemma A.2 in Appendix II, the AIC is defined by

AIC =
$$n \ln \left(\frac{\sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} \hat{e}_{t,K}^2}{n} \right) + 2 \left(p(K_U + K_L + 2) + 2 \right)$$

Notably, this is the same as the usual AIC that assumes that candidate models include the true model. However, notice that the sample size n depends on the chosen model unlike in conventional regression models.

3.3 Corrected Akaike information criterion

Hurvich and Tsai's (1989) corrected AIC is also an estimator of the Kullback–Leibler information measure. First, it calculates the Kullback–Leibler information measure using unknown parameter values. Next, the unknown parameter values are replaced with the maximum likelihood estimators. These steps provide the corrected AIC.

In our application, letting $E_F(\cdot)$ be an expectation operator using the true model (6) and assuming $E_F(e_t^2 \mid Z_{\infty}) = \sigma_e^2$ where Z_{∞} denotes $\{z_{Kt}\}_{t=-\infty}^{\infty}$, the Kullback– Leibler information measure using unknown parameter values is

$$-2E_F(l(\delta_K)) = E_F\left[n\ln(\sigma_{eK}^2) + \frac{(y - Z_K\theta_K)'(y - Z_K\theta_K)}{\sigma_{eK}^2} \mid Z_\infty\right]$$

= $E_F\left(n\ln(\sigma_{eK}^2) \mid Z_\infty\right) + \frac{(\tau - Z_K\theta_K)'(\tau - Z_K\theta_K)}{\sigma_{eK}^2} + \frac{n\sigma_e^2}{\sigma_{eK}^2}$
= $f(\theta_K, \sigma_{eK}^2)$, say.

Replacing θ_K and σ_{eK}^2 with corresponding maximum likelihood estimators, we obtain

$$f(\hat{\theta}_K, \hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2) = E_F\left(n\ln(\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2)\right) + \frac{(\tau - Z_K\hat{\theta}_K)'(\tau - Z_K\hat{\theta}_K)}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2} + \frac{n\sigma_e^2}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2},\tag{10}$$

where $\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2 = \frac{\sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} \hat{e}_{t,K}^2}{n}$. The corrected AIC is an approximation to $f(\hat{\theta}_K, \hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2)$.

As shown in Lemma A.3 in Appendix II, the second and third terms in relation (10) follow $\frac{nm}{n-m}F(m, n-m)$ and $\frac{n^2}{\chi^2(n-m)}$, respectively, under a normality assumption when T is large. Thus, using the mean values of the second and third terms in relation (10), we approximate $f(\hat{\theta}_K, \hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2)$ by

$$AIC_C = n \ln\left(\frac{\sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} \hat{e}_{t,K}^2}{n}\right) + \frac{nm}{n-m-2} + \frac{n^2}{n-m-2}$$

This is the corrected AIC. Notice that this is exactly the same as the corrected AIC of Hurvich and Tsai (1989), which assumes that candidate models include the true model. By contrast, Hurvich and Tsai's (1991) corrected AIC derived for the $AR(\infty)$ model is different from that of the current work.

Comparison of the AIC and the corrected AIC reveals that the major difference between them lies at which stage the maximum likelihood estimators are plugged into the Kullback–Leibler information measure. The AIC calculates the Kullback–Leibler information measure using the maximum likelihood estimators from the beginning, but the corrected AIC calculates the Kullback–Leibler information measure using unknown parameter values and then uses the maximum likelihood estimators for the computed Kullback–Leibler information measure.

3.4 Bayesian information criterion

The BIC of Akaike (1978) and Schwarz (1978) is an approximation to a transformation of the Bayesian posterior probability of a candidate model. Unlike the AIC, it does not require the probability density of the true model. Therefore, the true model of infinite dimension as in this paper does not require any separate treatment and the usual formula,

BIC =
$$n \ln \left(\frac{\sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} \hat{e}_{t,K}^2}{n} \right) + \left(p(K_U + K_L + 2) + 2 \right) \ln(n),$$

can be used. Because we never use the true model in the leads-and-lags regression, consistency of the BIC cannot be an issue.

4 Simulation results

The ultimate purpose of the leads-and-lags regression is to estimate the long-run coefficient β precisely. This section investigates how model selection criteria of the previous section perform in relation to the estimation of the long-run coefficient β . To this end, we consider the data generating process

$$y_t = \mu + \beta x_t + u_t, \quad x_t = x_{t-1} + v_t,$$

where x_t is a scalar unit root process with $x_0 = 0$. We set $\mu = 1$ and $\beta = 1$ throughout the simulations and set the sample size at 100 or 300. The error term $w_t = (v_t, u_t)'$ is generated from a VARMA(1,1) process:

$$w_t = Aw_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t - \Theta \varepsilon_{t-1},$$

where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \qquad \Theta = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & \theta_{22} \end{bmatrix},$$
$$\varepsilon_t = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_{1t} \\ \varepsilon_{2t} \end{bmatrix} \sim i.i.d.(0, \Sigma), \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sigma_{12} \\ \sigma_{12} & 1 \end{bmatrix},$$
$$w_0 = \varepsilon_0 = 0.$$

The parameters a_{ii} and θ_{ii} (i = 1, 2) are related to the strength of the serial correlation in w_t , whereas σ_{12} signifies contemporaneous correlation. In the simulations, the parameters a_{ii} and θ_{ii} take values from $\{0, 0.4, 0.8\}$ while σ_{12} is equal to either 0.4 or 0.8. We consider two distributions for ε_t : a standard normal distribution and a log-normal distribution. Since AIC_C is based on the assumption that the error terms are normally distributed, the nonnormal distribution of ε_t implies that the correction for the AIC_C does not make much sense. In order to check the robustness of AIC_C to nonnormal error terms, we try a log-normal distribution for the error terms. We also note that all the selection criteria depend on the maximum numbers of the leads and lags. We will use $K_4 = [4 \times (T/100)^{1/4}]$ and $K_{12} = [12 \times (T/100)^{1/4}]$ commonly for $K_{U,\text{max}}$ and $K_{L,\text{max}}$ in the simulations. All computations are carried out using the GAUSS matrix language with 10,000 replications.

Before reporting our simulation results, we note that the leads of $\Delta x_t = v_t$ do not have to be included in the augmented regression model (7) when $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$. In this case, v_t becomes equal to ε_{1t} and

$$u_{t} = (1 - a_{22}L)^{-1}(1 - \theta_{11}L)\varepsilon_{2t}$$

= $\phi(L)\sigma_{12}v_{t} + \phi(L)\varepsilon_{2\cdot 1,t},$ (11)

where $\phi(L) = (1 - a_{22}L)^{-1}(1 - \theta_{11}L)$ with L being the lag operator and $\varepsilon_{2\cdot 1,t} = \varepsilon_{2t} - \sigma_{12}\varepsilon_{1t}$. Since the first term of (11) includes $v_{t-j} = \Delta x_{t-j}$ only for $j \ge 0$, while $\varepsilon_{2\cdot 1,t}$ is independent of $v_s = \varepsilon_{1s}$ for all s and t, we can see that u_t can be expressed as in equation (5) without the leads of Δx_t .

Tables 1–4 present empirical bias of the estimate of β while Tables 5–8 report empirical MSE. Part I of each table deals with the case where the leads of Δx_t are not required (i.e., $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$). Part II handles the case where either $a_{11} \neq 0$ or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ or both. Note that a different scale is used in each table depending on the sample size and the distribution of ε_t . For the purpose of comparison, we also select the leads and lags by the fixed rules $K_U = K_L = 1, 2, 3, K_4$ and K_{12} . Although it is often the case that K_U is conventionally set equal to K_L in practice, we do not have to use the same numbers for the leads and lags. Especially, when $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$, we do not have to include the leads and then the selection rules without the restriction of $K_U = K_L$ are expected to have an advantage over those with $K_U = K_L$.

We first summarize the simulation results regarding the bias.

- (b-i) C_p without the restriction of $K_U = K_L$ tends to be most successful in reducing bias. Especially when there are high serial correlations in the data (see the last two columns in each table), C_p shows much better performance than the other selection criteria and the fixed selection rules.
- (b-ii) When $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$, the absolute value of the bias without the restriction

of $K_U = K_L$ is smaller than that with $K_U = K_L$ in most cases. This is well expected because the leads of Δx_t are not required in this case for the augmented regression (7).

- (b-iii) When $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$, the bias resulting from the use of C_p is smallest whereas the BIC leads to the most biased estimates among the four selection criteria.
- (b-iv) The AIC tends to perform slightly better than the AIC_c , especially when $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$. But the differences are marginal.
- (b-v) There are a few cases where the model selection criteria with the restriction $K_U = K_L$ result in the smaller bias, but the differences between the restricted and unrestricted cases are relatively small. In most cases, the model selection criteria without the restriction $K_U = K_L$ perform better than those with it.
- (b-vi) The fixed selection rules sometimes result in large biases. In most cases, they are dominated by one of the model selection criteria.
- (b-vii) Overall, the bias with $K_{\text{max}} = K_{12}$ tends to be smaller than that with $K_{\text{max}} = K_4$.
- (b-viii) The log-normal distribution does not bring any noticeable changes in evaluating the selection rules. In particular, performance of the AIC_c does not change much with the log-normal distribution.
- (b-ix) As sample size grows, bias decreases as expected, but qualitative differences are not observed with the increasing sample sizes in evaluating the selection rules.

Regarding to the MSE, the simulation results are summarized as follows.

(m-i) The BIC tends to perform best in almost all the cases, and the AIC_c tends to follow. The MSE with C_p tends to become largest in most cases. Overall, however, the differences of the MSEs are relatively small among the four selection criteria.

- (m-ii) In most cases, the MSE without the restriction of $K_U = K_L$ is smaller than that with $K_U = K_L$ though there are exceptions, especially in Part II of the tables, but the differences between the restricted and unrestricted cases are quite small.
- (m-iii) The AIC_c tends perform slightly better than the AIC.
- (m-iv) In most cases, the fixed selection rules are dominated by one of the model selection criteria.
- (m-v) Overall, the MSE with $K_{\text{max}} = K_{12}$ tends to be larger than that with $K_{\text{max}} = K_4$.
- (m-vi) The log-normal distribution does not bring any noticeable changes in evaluating the selection rules. In particular, performance of the AIC_c does not change much with the log-normal distribution.
- (m-vii) As sample size grows, MSE decreases as expected, but qualitative differences are not observed with the increasing sample sizes in evaluating the selection rules.

We infer from the simulation results that the model selection criteria are successful in reducing bias and MSE relative the fixed selection rules. The BIC appears to be most successful in reducing MSE, and C_p in reducing bias. We also observe that the selection rules without the restriction $K_L = K_U$ have an advantage over those with $K_U = K_L$ in most cases. For practitioners, therefore, we recommend using the selection rules of this paper without the restriction of $K_U = K_L$.

5 Conclusion and further remarks

We have derived Mallows' (1973) C_p criterion, Akaike's (1973) AIC, Hurvich and Tsai's (1989) corrected AIC, and the BIC of Akaike (1978) and Schwarz (1978) for the leads-and-lags cointegrating regression. Our results justify using conventional formulas of those model selection criteria for the leads-and-lags cointegrating regression. These model selection criteria allow us to choose the numbers of leads and lags in scientific ways. Simulation results regarding the bias and mean squared error of the long-run coefficient estimates are also reported. The model selection criteria are shown to be successful in reducing bias and mean squared error relative to the conventional, fixed selection rules. Among them, the BIC appears to be most successful in reducing MSE, and C_p in reducing bias. We also observe that the selection rules without the restriction that the numbers of the leads and lags be the same have an advantage over those with it in most cases. The model selection criteria in this paper were derived for linear regression, but we note that they can also be used for the nonlinear leads-and-lags regression of Saikkonen and Choi (2004).

The ultimate purpose of the model selection criteria for the leads-and-lags cointegrating regression is to estimate the long-run slope coefficient efficiently. Though it was shown through simulations that they improve on the fixed selection rules in terms of bias and mean squared error, a better rule that directly minimizes the mean squared error (or other efficiency measures) of the long-run slope coefficient estimate may exist. How this rule, if it exists, and the model selection criteria of this paper are related is a question one may be interested in investigating.

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Appendix I: Calculation of $tr \{J(\delta_o)I(\delta_o)^{-1}\}$

Ignoring a constant, the Kullback–Leibler information measure is written as

$$\begin{aligned} -E_F(l(\delta_K)) &= E_F\left[\frac{n}{2}\ln(\sigma_{eK}^2) + \frac{(y - Z_K\theta_K)'(y - Z_K\theta_K)}{2\sigma_{eK}^2} \mid Z_\infty\right] \\ &= \frac{n}{2}\ln(\sigma_{eK}^2) + \frac{(\tau - Z_K\theta_K)'(\tau - Z_K\theta_K)}{2\sigma_{eK}^2} + \frac{n\sigma_e^2}{2\sigma_{eK}^2}. \end{aligned}$$

This is minimized by $\theta_o = (Z'_K Z_K)^{-1} Z'_K \tau$ and $\sigma_o^2 = \frac{(\tau - Z_K \theta_o)'(\tau - Z_K \theta_o)}{n} + \sigma_e^2$. Since $\frac{\partial l(\delta_K)}{\partial \delta_K} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sigma_{eK}^2} (Z'_K y - Z'_K Z_K \theta_K) \\ -\frac{n}{2\sigma_{eK}^2} + \frac{1}{2\sigma_{eK}^4} (y - Z_K \theta_K)'(y - Z_K \theta_K) \end{bmatrix}$, $Z'_K y - Z'_K Z_K \theta_o = Z'_K e$, and $y - Z_K \theta_o = M_{Z_K} \tau + e$, we may write

$$\frac{\partial l(\delta_K)}{\partial \delta_K} \frac{\partial l(\delta_K)}{\partial \delta'_K} \mid_{\theta=\theta_o} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A'_{12} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

where $A_{11} = \frac{1}{\sigma_o^4} Z'_K ee' Z_K$, $A_{12} = \frac{1}{\sigma_o^2} Z'_K e \times \left(-\frac{n}{2\sigma_o^2} + \frac{1}{2\sigma_o^4} (\tau' M_{Z_K} \tau + e'e + 2e' M_{Z_K} \tau) \right)$ and $A_{22} = \left(-\frac{n}{2\sigma_o^2} + \frac{1}{2\sigma_o^4} (\tau' M_{Z_K} \tau + e'e + 2e' M_{Z_K} \tau) \right)^2$. Thus,

$$J(\delta_o) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sigma_e^2}{\sigma_o^4} Z'_K Z_K & 0\\ 0 & \frac{n\sigma_e^4}{2\sigma_o^8} + \frac{\sigma_e^2}{\sigma_o^8} \tau' M_{Z_K} \tau \end{bmatrix}.$$
 (A.1)

Moreover, using

$$\frac{\partial^2 l(\delta_K)}{\partial \theta \partial \theta'} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{\sigma_{eK}^2} Z'_K Z_K & -\frac{1}{\sigma_{eK}^4} (Z'_K y - Z'_K Z_K \theta_K) \\ -\frac{1}{\sigma_{eK}^4} (y' Z_K - \theta'_K Z'_K Z_K) & \frac{n}{2\sigma_{eK}^4} - \frac{1}{\sigma_{eK}^6} (y - Z_K \theta_K)' (y - Z_K \theta_K) \end{bmatrix},$$

we find

$$I(\delta_{o}) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sigma_{o}^{2}} Z'_{K} Z_{K} & 0\\ 0 & \frac{n\sigma_{e}^{2}}{\sigma_{o}^{6}} - \frac{n}{2\sigma_{o}^{4}} + \frac{\tau' M_{Z_{K}} \tau}{\sigma_{o}^{6}} \end{bmatrix}.$$
 (A.2)

Using (A.1), (A.2) and the relation $\tau' M_{Z_K} \tau = n(\sigma_o^2 - \sigma_e^2)$, we obtain

$$tr\left\{J(\delta_{o})I(\delta_{o})^{-1}\right\} = \frac{\sigma_{e}^{2}}{\sigma_{o}^{2}}tr\left\{\begin{bmatrix}I_{p(K_{U}+K_{L}+2)+1} & 0\\ 0 & \frac{2\sigma_{o}^{2}-\sigma_{e}^{2}}{\sigma_{o}^{2}}\end{bmatrix}\right\}$$
$$= \frac{\sigma_{e}^{2}}{\sigma_{o}^{2}}\left(p(K_{U}+K_{L}+2)+1+\frac{2\sigma_{o}^{2}-\sigma_{e}^{2}}{\sigma_{o}^{2}}\right)$$

Appendix II: Proofs

The following lemma is required for the derivation of the corrected AIC in Subsection 3.

Lemma A.1 (i)
$$\frac{V'M_{Z_K}V}{n-m} = o_p(1)$$
. (ii) $\frac{V'M_{Z_K}e}{n-m} = o_p(1)$.
Proof: (i) Write $V'M_{Z_K}V = V'V - V'Z_K(Z'_KZ_K)^{-1}Z_KV$. Since
 $E\left(V_{t,K}^2\right) = E\left(\sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} \pi'_j v_{t-j}\right)^2$
 $= \sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} E\left(\pi'_j v_{t-j}v'_{t-j}\pi_j\right) + \sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} \sum_{l>K_U, \ l<-K_L} E\left(\pi'_j v_{t-j}v'_{t-l}\pi_l\right)$
 $\leq \sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} \pi'_j \Omega_{vv}\pi_j + \sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} \sum_{l>K_U, \ l<-K_L} \sqrt{\pi'_j \Omega_{vv}\pi_j} \sqrt{\pi'_l \Omega_{vv}\pi_l}$
 $\leq l_{vv}\left(\sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} \|\pi_j\|^2 + \sum_{j>K_U, \ j<-K_L} \sum_{l>K_U, \ l<-K_L} \|\pi_j\| \|\pi_l\|\right)$

where l_{vv} is the maximum eigenvalue of Ω_{vv} and the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality is used for the first inequality. Assumption (9) implies $E\left(V_{t,K}^2\right) = o(T^{-1})$. Thus,

$$V'V = o_p(1). \tag{A.3}$$

Next, let $D_T = diag[n^{-1/2}, n^{-1}I_p, n^{-1/2}I_p, \dots, n^{-1/2}I_p]$ and $R = diag[1, n^{-2}\sum_{t=K_L+2}^{T-K_U} x_t x'_t, \Gamma]$ where $\Gamma = E\left(v'_{t+K_L}, \dots, v'_{t-K_U}\right)'\left(v'_{t+K_L}, \dots, v'_{t-K_U}\right)$. Then, we have the following equality for the second term of $V'M_{Z_K}V$.

$$\begin{aligned} \|V'Z_{K}D_{T}(D_{T}Z'_{K}Z_{K}D_{T})^{-1}D_{T}Z_{K}V\| \\ &\leq \|V'Z_{K}D_{T}\| \|R^{-1}\|_{1} \|D_{T}Z_{K}V\| \\ &+ \|V'Z_{K}D_{T}\| \|D_{T}(Z'_{K}Z_{K})^{-1}D_{T} - R^{-1}\|_{1} \|D_{T}Z_{K}V\|, \end{aligned}$$

where Lemma A1 of Saikkonen is used for the inequality. As shown in Saikkonen $(1991)^{,7} \|V'Z_KD_T\| = o_p(K^{1/2}), \|R^{-1}\|_1 = O_p(1), \text{ and } \|D_T(Z'_KZ_K)^{-1}D_T - R^{-1}\|_1 = O_p(1)$

⁷Saikkonen (1991) does not consider an intercept term in his linear regression model, but extending his results to the model with an intercept term is straightforward.

 $O_p(K/T^{1/2})$, where K/K_L , $K/K_U = O(1)$. Therefore, $V'Z_K(Z'_KZ_K)^{-1}Z_KV = o_p(K)$, which gives the stated result along with Assumption (8).

(ii) Write $V'M_{Z_K}e = V'e - V'Z_K(Z'_KZ_K)^{-1}Z_Ke$. Then, $V'e = o_p(\sqrt{n})$ because $E ||V'e|| \le E ||V|| ||e|| \le \sqrt{E(V'V)}\sqrt{E(e'e)} = o(1) \times O(\sqrt{n}) = o(\sqrt{n}).$

Since $||D_T Z_K e|| = O_p(K^{1/2})$, as shown in Saikkonen (1991), $V' Z_K (Z'_K Z_K)^{-1} Z_K e = o_p(K)$. Thus, the stated result follows.

Lemma A.2 $\sigma_o^2 \xrightarrow{p} \sigma_e^2$.

Proof: Since $\sigma_o^2 = \frac{(\tau - Z_K \theta_o)'(\tau - Z_K \theta_o)}{n} + \sigma_e^2$ and $\frac{(\tau - Z_K \theta_o)'(\tau - Z_K \theta_o)}{n} = \frac{V' M_{Z_K} V}{n} \xrightarrow{p} 0$ by Lemma A.1 (i), we obtain the result.

Lemma A.3 Assume
$$e_t \sim iid \ N(0, \sigma_e^2)$$
.
(i) $\frac{(\tau - Z_K \hat{\theta}_K)'(\tau - Z_K \hat{\theta}_K)}{\hat{\sigma}_{e_K}^2}$ follows $\frac{nm}{n-m} F(m, n-m)$ when T is large.
(ii) $\frac{n\sigma_e^2}{\hat{\sigma}_{e_K}^2}$ follows $\frac{n^2}{\chi^2(n-m)}$ when T is large.

Proof: (i) Since $\tau - Z_K \hat{\theta}_K = \tau - P_{Z_K} y = M_{Z_K} \tau - P_{Z_K} e$, the second term in relation (10) is written as

$$\frac{(\tau - Z_K \hat{\theta}_K)'(\tau - Z_K \hat{\theta}_K)}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2} = \frac{e' P_{Z_K} e}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2} + \frac{\tau' M_{Z_K} \tau}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2}$$
$$= \frac{nm}{n - m} \frac{\left(\frac{e' P_{Z_K} e}{\sigma_e^2}\right)/m}{\left(\frac{n\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2}{\sigma_e^2}\right)/(n - m)} + \frac{\tau' M_{Z_K} \tau}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2}, \quad (A.4)$$

where $m = p(K_U + K_L + 2) + 1$. For the first term in relation (A.4), note first that $\frac{e'P_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2} \stackrel{d}{=} \chi^2(m)$. Next, letting $V = [V_{K_L+2,K}, \dots, V_{T-K_U,K}]'$, we have

$$\left(\frac{n\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2}{\sigma_e^2}\right)/(n-m) = \frac{e'M_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2(n-m)} + \frac{V'M_{Z_K}V}{\sigma_e^2(n-m)} + \frac{2V'M_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2(n-m)} \\
= \frac{e'M_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2(n-m)} + o_p(1),$$
(A.5)

and $\frac{e'M_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2(n-m)} \stackrel{d}{=} \chi^2(n-m)/(n-m)$. Note that the second equality of relation (A.5) holds due to Lemma A.1. Since $\frac{e'P_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2}$ and $\frac{e'M_{Z_K}e}{\sigma_e^2}$ are independent, the first term

in (A.4) is approximately distributed as $\frac{nm}{n-m}F(m, n-m)$. For the second term in (A.4), note that relation (A.3) yields $\tau' M_{Z_K} \tau = V' M_{Z_K} V \leq V' V = o_p(1)$ and that $\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2 = O_p(1)$. Thus, the second term is $o_p(1)$. This completes the proof.

(ii) Relation (A.5) implies that $\frac{n\sigma_e^2}{\hat{\sigma}_{eK}^2}$ is distributed as $\frac{n^2}{\chi^2(n-m)}$.

Table 1: Bias of the Estimates

	_		$1. u_{11} = 0$	(· · · ·	/ -	/	0	- 1	0
	σ_{12}			= .8		= .4		= .8	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0082	.3433	.0135	.6369	.0084	0051	0019	0018	.1745	.3243
AIC	.0304	.3835	.0258	.6389	0197	0115	0026	0021	.2055	.3347
AIC_{c}	.0364	.4023	.0312	.6392	0235	0149	0026	0020	.2165	.3391
BIC	.0777	.5010	.0594	.6665	0467	0402	0029	0012	.2768	.3872
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0106	.3548	.0155	.6474	0116	0069	0017	0015	.1790	.3323
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0482	.4357	.0393	.6722	0306	0250	0029	0017	.2328	.3644
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0591	.4664	.0491	.6916	0366	0310	0027	0011	.2524	.3857
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.1077	.5957	.0935	.8024	0684	0876	0087	0018	.3142	.4946
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.1400	.7226	.2896	1.4632	0960	1868	1847	3670	.3587	.7304
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0155	.0564	0028	.1664	0017	0016	0049	0018	.0270	.0825
AIC	.0220	.1515	.0063	.2386	0153	0092	0021	0014	.1066	.1473
AIC_c	.0283	.2610	.0261	.3068	0237	0163	0018	0013	.1591	.1984
BIC	.0763	.4242	.0577	.4229	0463	0398	0029	0012	.2624	.3107
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$	0206	.0658	0073	.1637	0066	0043	0053	0009	.0268	.0823
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0409	.2016	.0233	.2858	0275	0231	0017	0011	.1401	.1868
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0556	.3810	.0462	.4619	0355	0301	0017	0004	.2344	.3099
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.1073	.5693	.0933	.6541	0684	0876	0087	0017	.3111	.4694
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.1629	.8344	.3390	1.6892	1168	2248	2199	4357	.4128	.8425
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0480	.5513	.1086	1.1267	0043	0027	0022	0017	.2727	.5620
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0148	.4524	.0425	.9314	0026	0001	0013	0001	.2237	.4644
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0009	.3703	.0143	.7690	0026	0001	0017	0002	.1826	.3829

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (bias×10, T = 100, ε_t : normal)

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and	$1/\text{or }\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (b	$bias \times 10, T = 100,$	ε_t : normal)
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	σ_{12} =	= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} =$	= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	0059	0065	0024	0005	0048	0094	0031	0027	.1745	0012
AIC	0056	0071	0022	0015	0048	0045	0044	0040	.2055	0013
AIC_c	0059	0062	0019	0010	0046	0059	0039	0037	.2165	0013
BIC	0049	0056	0016	0008	0046	0041	0023	0041	.2768	0013
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$	0060	0066	0031	0004	0065	0114	0031	0052	.1790	0010
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$	0077	0056	0024	0014	0050	0018	0048	0003	.2328	0017
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$	0061	0061	0024	0015	0063	0033	0036	0010	.2524	0016
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$	0049	0051	0021	0012	0048	0071	0027	0057	.3142	0015
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$	0049	0050	0018	0011	0058	0104	0031	0066	.3587	0013
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0137	0121	0054	0033	.0026	.0095	0072	0095	.0270	0047
AIC	0058	0094	0075	0036	.0000	.0051	0054	0037	.1066	0067
AIC_c	0069	0084	0022	0029	0067	0048	0035	0042	.1591	0026
BIC	0054	0077	0012	0031	0040	0027	0023	0032	.2624	0007
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$	0149	0119	0069	0032	0094	0054	0086	0096	.0268	0035
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$	0074	0132	0040	0058	0017	.0070	0037	0006	.1401	0065
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$	0073	0068	0023	0002	0060	0013	0031	.0006	.2344	0016
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$	0048	0047	0021	0013	0048	0073	0027	0057	.3111	0011
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$	0086	0067	0038	0015	0086	0087	0046	0069	.4128	0019
$K_L = K_U = 1$	0054	0050	0023	0014	0071	0111	0035	0058	.2727	0016
$K_L = K_U = 2$	0053	0052	0024	0014	0043	.0021	0022	.0011	.2237	0016
$K_L = K_U = 3$	0054	0054	0027	0012	0046	0008	0034	0030	.1826	0016

Table 2: Bias of the Estimates

	σ_{12} :	= .4	σ_{12}	(σ_{12}	= .4	σ_{12}	= .8	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0078	.4234	.0093	.4088	0064	0047	.0007	.0006	.2250	.2103
AIC	.0172	.4444	.0132	.4078	0085	0078	.0009	.0007	.2527	.2147
AIC_{c}	.0205	.4544	.0142	.4079	0096	0084	.0005	.0006	.2633	.2169
BIC	.0345	.5515	.0202	.4169	0138	0158	0006	.0007	.3372	.2368
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0127	.4528	.0089	.4189	0044	0032	.0007	.0001	.2436	.2162
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0257	.5120	.0151	.4290	0101	0091	.0000	.0005	.2978	.2317
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0293	.5443	.0173	.4366	0108	0110	0001	.0005	.3200	.2409
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0440	.6975	.0275	.4800	0185	0243	0032	0001	.3921	.2883
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0667	.9647	.0727	.9509	0276	0551	0315	0634	.4823	.4757
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0083	.1096	.0001	.0994	0013	0008	0008	.0020	.0593	.0575
AIC	.0045	.1780	.0113	.1416	0060	0097	.0010	.0023	.1198	.1022
AIC_{c}	.0123	.2424	.0125	.1819	0083	0113	0003	.0015	.1722	.1309
BIC	.0316	.4053	.0180	.2384	0131	0178	0008	.0016	.2894	.1771
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$	0085	.1071	0044	.0938	0006	.0013	0012	.0001	.0591	.0494
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0135	.2280	.0108	.1517	0060	0089	0001	.0018	.1612	.1097
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0236	.3859	.0161	.2560	0090	0134	.0001	.0019	.2542	.1808
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0418	.6072	.0275	.3448	0173	0250	0031	.0002	.3610	.2553
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0762	1.1273	.0776	1.0753	0325	0639	0355	0696	.5631	.5369
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0244	.7429	.0285	.7383	0012	0009	0004	0006	.3707	.3690
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0093	.6158	.0128	.6101	0012	0010	.0003	0001	.3073	.3054
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0030	.5114	.0064	.5048	0005	0001	.0009	.0005	.2553	.2530

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (bias×10², T = 100, ε_t : log-normal)

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (bias×10 ² , $T = 100$)	, ε_t :	log-normal)	l
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		= 0.4	, ,	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} =$	= 0.4	$\sigma_{12} = \sigma_{12}$	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0003	.0287	0004	0071	0059	0300	.0012	.0039	.2250	0064
AIC	.0026	.0321	0010	0079	0082	0437	.0019	.0088	.2527	0074
AIC_c	.0034	.0334	0008	0085	0085	0473	.0019	.0084	.2633	0076
BIC	.0055	.0420	0016	0105	0093	0669	.0016	.0115	.3372	0096
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0014	.0301	0001	0067	0041	0250	.0014	.0045	.2436	0062
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0040	.0360	0004	0080	0068	0458	.0022	.0076	.2978	0077
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0041	.0383	0005	0088	0078	0502	.0018	.0087	.3200	0082
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0067	.0480	0018	0111	0097	0697	.0013	.0131	.3921	0103
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0123	.0600	0024	0136	0122	0734	.0034	.0184	.4823	0122
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0062	.0006	0022	0049	0018	0115	0009	.0030	.0593	0033
AIC	0024	.0073	.0001	0038	0058	0487	.0011	.0108	.1198	0025
AIC_c	0004	.0124	0005	0050	0085	0606	.0003	.0137	.1722	0049
BIC	.0048	.0297	0012	0087	0092	0760	.0017	.0160	.2894	0075
$\mathcal{C}_p \left(K_L = K_U \right)$	0069	.0015	0034	0056	.0005	0031	0017	0001	.0591	0042
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0002	.0117	.0005	0040	0036	0446	.0013	.0106	.1612	0045
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0018	.0228	0003	0077	0058	0602	.0029	.0134	.2542	0062
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0062	.0405	0014	0104	0084	0729	.0011	.0134	.3610	0091
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0139	.0704	0047	0169	0160	0896	.0021	.0183	.5631	0154
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0039	.0461	0009	0105	0022	0054	0009	0027	.3707	0095
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0012	.0384	.0004	0084	0023	0081	.0003	0016	.3073	0076
$K_L = K_U = 3$	0003	.0320	.0007	0071	0003	0007	.0018	.0043	.2553	0063

Table 3: Bias of the Estimates

	σ_{12} =		$\frac{1. \ a_{11} - v_1}{\sigma_{12}}$ =	(,	= .4	,	= .8	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0049	.1046	.0025	.1847	.0002	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0560	.0926
AIC	.0092	.1139	.0054	.1839	0008	.0000	.0001	.0001	.0658	.0928
AIC_c	.0096	.1155	.0059	.1837	0008	0001	.0001	.0000	.0667	.0927
BIC	.0241	.1597	.0142	.1827	0068	0008	.0000	.0000	.1010	.0983
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0059	.1100	.0033	.1857	.0000	.0003	.0000	.0001	.0604	.0935
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0131	.1311	.0080	.1861	0021	.0002	.0000	0001	.0788	.0957
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0141	.1346	.0088	.1863	0023	.0000	0001	0001	.0811	.0963
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0366	.2177	.0229	.1965	0161	0045	0002	0001	.1260	.1182
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0510	.2826	.0975	.5509	0294	0598	0595	1187	.1418	.2754
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0005	.0262	.0003	.0319	.0000	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0153	.0172
AIC	.0069	.0522	.0035	.0448	0005	.0002	.0000	0001	.0370	.0300
AIC_{c}	.0080	.0586	.0041	.0489	0006	.0001	.0001	0001	.0425	.0333
BIC	.0241	.1457	.0142	.0944	0068	0008	.0000	.0000	.0983	.0708
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0012	.0304	.0001	.0349	.0002	.0004	0002	0003	.0171	.0191
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0113	.0786	.0068	.0587	0019	.0002	0001	0001	.0573	.0417
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0128	.0925	.0078	.0698	0022	.0001	.0000	0001	.0657	.0493
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0366	.2148	.0229	.1501	0161	0045	0002	0001	.1257	.1092
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0539	.3014	.1047	.5904	0320	0644	0636	1272	.1510	.2952
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0211	.2232	.0382	.4321	.0003	0002	0002	0001	.1120	.2160
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0096	.1817	.0155	.3503	.0008	.0004	.0001	.0001	.0914	.1752
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0045	.1474	.0061	.2836	.0004	.0001	0001	.0000	.0741	.1418

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (bias×10, T = 300, ε_t : normal)

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (b)	$ias \times 10$, $T = 300$, ε_t ; normal)
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	σ_{12} =	= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	σ_{12} =	= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0008	.0005	0004	0003	.0008	0003	.0002	.0004	.0560	0003
AIC	.0007	.0006	0001	0002	.0010	.0007	.0001	.0000	.0658	0002
AIC_c	.0009	.0007	.0000	0002	.0011	.0005	.0001	.0001	.0667	0002
BIC	.0010	.0007	0001	0001	.0009	.0009	.0001	.0010	.1010	0001
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$.0006	.0006	0002	0002	.0008	.0006	.0003	.0010	.0604	0001
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0007	.0006	.0000	0001	.0008	.0006	.0002	.0008	.0788	0002
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0008	.0006	0001	0002	.0009	.0010	.0001	.0007	.0811	0001
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0010	.0007	0001	0002	.0010	.0022	.0000	.0012	.1260	0002
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0008	.0005	0002	0003	.0012	.0034	0001	.0002	.1418	0003
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0006	0005	0003	0005	.0005	.0006	0003	0008	.0153	0004
AIC	.0005	0006	0004	0004	.0009	.0003	.0001	.0000	.0370	0001
AIC_c	.0006	0004	0002	0003	.0010	0001	.0000	.0001	.0425	0003
BIC	.0010	.0007	0001	.0000	.0009	.0009	.0001	.0010	.0983	0001
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$	0007	0005	0005	0003	.0005	.0008	0003	0009	.0171	0005
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0004	.0001	0001	0001	.0009	.0004	.0002	.0005	.0573	0001
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0006	.0001	0002	0001	.0010	.0005	.0001	.0007	.0657	0002
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0010	.0007	0001	0001	.0010	.0022	.0000	.0012	.1257	0002
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0004	.0004	.0000	.0001	.0006	.0012	0001	0005	.1510	.0001
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0009	.0007	0001	0002	.0007	0014	0002	0014	.1120	0002
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0010	.0007	.0000	0002	.0013	.0027	.0001	.0008	.0914	0002
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0007	.0006	0002	0003	.0008	.0012	0001	0001	.0741	0003

Table 4: Bias of the Estimates

	σ_{12} :	= .4	σ_{12} = σ_{12} =	(σ_{12}	= .4	σ_{12}	= .8	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	0013	.3427	.0025	.3568	0059	0035	0008	0001	.1836	.1807
AIC	.0049	.3594	.0047	.3569	0062	0056	0008	.0004	.2137	.1830
AIC_c	.0057	.3640	.0046	.3574	0064	0058	0009	.0003	.2169	.1833
BIC	.0277	.5095	.0098	.3599	0099	0064	0015	.0001	.3470	.1950
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0077	.3856	.0006	.3587	0024	0013	0013	.0003	.2171	.1802
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0159	.4423	.0040	.3606	0063	0036	0013	.0008	.2766	.1853
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0163	.4522	.0046	.3611	0061	0035	0016	.0007	.2849	.1868
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0418	.7135	.0163	.3821	0168	0105	0018	.0007	.4385	.2268
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0652	1.0822	.0758	1.0932	0335	0620	0391	0742	.5386	.5446
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0088	.0729	.0048	.0886	0046	0048	0006	0001	.0511	.0580
AIC	.0009	.1451	.0053	.1143	0048	0075	0001	.0014	.1196	.0800
AIC_c	.0018	.1673	.0053	.1216	0044	0083	0003	.0014	.1330	.0842
BIC	.0264	.4492	.0090	.1941	0104	0087	0014	.0007	.3231	.1394
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0010	.1245	.0036	.0774	0024	0029	0021	0003	.0801	.0487
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0129	.2692	.0037	.1274	0054	0052	0010	.0009	.1926	.0895
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0116	.3046	.0033	.1459	0055	0057	0012	.0007	.2124	.1054
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0383	.6787	.0167	.2783	0173	0113	0017	.0011	.4186	.2053
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0748	1.1625	.0805	1.1551	0302	0605	0370	0725	.5813	.5768
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0250	.8506	.0288	.8606	.0003	.0019	0006	.0006	.4246	.4294
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0074	.6851	.0098	.6935	0020	0014	0014	0009	.3413	.3458
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0003	.5508	.0019	.5574	0007	.0006	0004	.0007	.2744	.2780

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (bias×10³, T = 300, ε_t : log-normal)

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (bias×10 ³ , $T = 300, \varepsilon_t$:

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		= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8		= 0.4	σ_{12} =		$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.4,.4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0007	.0364	0039	0121	0079	0353	0013	.0058	.1836	0113
AIC	.0030	.0469	0048	0145	0116	0593	0010	.0082	.2137	0136
AIC_c	.0032	.0483	0048	0147	0117	0601	0013	.0090	.2169	0138
BIC	.0068	.0675	0059	0194	0160	0917	0020	.0136	.3470	0174
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$.0011	.0403	0044	0130	0081	0336	0022	.0042	.2171	0121
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0030	.0534	0049	0161	0137	0688	0035	.0052	.2766	0148
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0034	.0549	0051	0166	0140	0690	0032	.0047	.2849	0152
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0071	.0718	0059	0202	0174	0951	0018	.0131	.4385	0181
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0100	.0793	0072	0224	0204	0951	0008	.0162	.5386	0196
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	0049	.0102	0004	0031	0071	0348	0006	.0071	.0511	0020
AIC	0008	.0278	0029	0078	0082	0680	.0000	.0101	.1196	0078
AIC_c	.0010	.0306	0023	0087	0086	0725	0004	.0127	.1330	0082
BIC	.0052	.0634	0053	0179	0171	0998	0022	.0158	.3231	0163
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$	0023	.0149	0001	0034	0050	0309	0030	.0008	.0801	0026
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0023	.0372	0045	0108	0114	0677	0029	.0077	.1926	0109
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0017	.0413	0044	0121	0115	0695	0031	.0064	.2124	0116
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0051	.0671	0055	0194	0183	0980	0018	.0134	.4186	0171
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0158	.0888	0051	0222	0158	0933	.0024	.0225	.5813	0192
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0037	.0623	0033	0174	0002	.0052	0014	.0008	.4246	0151
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0000	.0501	0024	0146	0034	0073	0025	0047	.3413	0127
$K_L = K_U = 3$	0015	.0401	0021	0124	0016	.0014	0008	.0033	.2744	0107

Table 5: MSE of the Estimates

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (MSE×10, $T = 100, \varepsilon_t$: normal)

	σ_{12}	= .4	$\frac{a_{11} - v_{11}}{\sigma_{12}}$	(σ_{12}	, ,	σ_{12} :	/	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(\theta_{11}, \theta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0398	.3031	.0172	.1863	.0060	.0023	.0026	.0009	.1081	.0619
AIC	.0354	.2853	.0157	.1828	.0054	.0022	.0023	.0008	.0985	.0611
AIC_{c}	.0339	.2807	.0152	.1808	.0053	.0022	.0022	.0008	.0959	.0607
BIC	.0302	.2581	.0141	.1811	.0051	.0028	.0020	.0007	.0854	.0637
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0398	.3074	.0175	.1948	.0061	.0024	.0027	.0010	.1079	.0643
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0340	.2854	.0163	.2004	.0054	.0025	.0022	.0008	.0951	.0670
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0326	.2765	.0158	.2045	.0052	.0026	.0022	.0008	.0916	.0686
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0289	.2448	.0155	.2300	.0052	.0040	.0022	.0007	.0800	.0785
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0373	.3005	.0285	.4206	.0069	.0079	.0083	.0249	.1021	.1161
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.1459	.9807	.0680	.4590	.0207	.0092	.0097	.0035	.3620	.1699
AIC	.0699	.7069	.0345	.3506	.0080	.0033	.0035	.0014	.2183	.1136
AIC_{c}	.0449	.4926	.0203	.2572	.0058	.0025	.0025	.0009	.1472	.0819
BIC	.0309	.3311	.0146	.2198	.0051	.0028	.0020	.0007	.0939	.0697
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.1563	1.0208	.0717	.4752	.0235	.0108	.0110	.0043	.3713	.1755
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0637	.6961	.0334	.3700	.0072	.0034	.0031	.0014	.2044	.1205
$\operatorname{AIC}_c (K_L = K_U)$.0360	.3979	.0172	.2604	.0053	.0027	.0022	.0008	.1114	.0789
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0289	.2736	.0155	.2607	.0052	.0040	.0022	.0007	.0810	.0811
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0642	.4999	.0464	.6442	.0123	.0137	.0138	.0401	.1715	.1802
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0295	.2376	.0142	.2709	.0046	.0016	.0020	.0007	.0825	.0773
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0340	.2583	.0144	.2277	.0054	.0020	.0023	.0008	.0918	.0682
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0394	.2868	.0163	.2027	.0064	.0023	.0026	.0010	.1035	.0636

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (MSE×10, T = 100, ε_t : normal)

	σ_{12} =	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$		$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$		= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(\theta_{11}, \theta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0148	.0158	.0063	.0065	.0149	.0416	.0065	.0184	.1081	.0062
AIC	.0128	.0140	.0054	.0058	.0130	.0419	.0055	.0184	.0985	.0055
AIC_{c}	.0123	.0135	.0052	.0056	.0126	.0430	.0054	.0186	.0959	.0053
BIC	.0105	.0113	.0044	.0048	.0112	.0484	.0047	.0204	.0854	.0045
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$.0147	.0158	.0062	.0066	.0154	.0464	.0065	.0194	.1079	.0062
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0120	.0134	.0051	.0056	.0127	.0487	.0052	.0199	.0951	.0053
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0114	.0125	.0048	.0053	.0120	.0486	.0050	.0204	.0916	.0050
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0099	.0105	.0042	.0044	.0109	.0526	.0045	.0222	.0800	.0042
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0129	.0129	.0053	.0053	.0138	.0374	.0057	.0163	.1021	.0052
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0589	.0591	.0256	.0259	.0516	.1355	.0257	.0575	.3620	.0248
AIC	.0267	.0414	.0129	.0188	.0201	.0591	.0085	.0255	.2183	.0155
AIC_{c}	.0160	.0260	.0069	.0112	.0144	.0465	.0060	.0195	.1472	.0086
BIC	.0107	.0149	.0045	.0066	.0113	.0485	.0047	.0205	.0939	.0049
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0616	.0616	.0264	.0269	.0590	.1557	.0282	.0702	.3713	.0256
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0235	.0398	.0114	.0181	.0172	.0596	.0075	.0261	.2044	.0145
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0124	.0200	.0052	.0082	.0123	.0500	.0051	.0206	.1114	.0059
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0099	.0117	.0042	.0050	.0109	.0526	.0045	.0222	.0810	.0043
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0225	.0222	.0093	.0094	.0251	.0599	.0101	.0243	.1715	.0091
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0112	.0114	.0047	.0048	.0119	.0399	.0051	.0173	.0825	.0047
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0130	.0132	.0054	.0055	.0142	.0423	.0059	.0176	.0918	.0053
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0151	.0153	.0062	.0063	.0167	.0444	.0068	.0181	.1035	.0061

Table 6: MSE of the Estimates

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (MSE×10³, $T = 100, \varepsilon_t$: log-normal)

	σ_{12} :	= .4	σ_{12}	、 、	σ_{12}		σ_{12}	,	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0,.4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(\theta_{11}, \theta_{22})$ $(\theta_{11}, \theta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$\frac{(K_{\text{max}} = K_4)}{(K_{\text{max}} = K_4)}$							() /			())
C_p	.0287	.2775	.0105	.1315	.0039	.0012	.0014	.0004	.0975	.0430
AIC	.0262	.2735	.0098	.1276	.0036	.0011	.0013	.0004	.0950	.0419
AIC_{c}	.0256	.2720	.0096	.1261	.0036	.0011	.0013	.0004	.0944	.0416
BIC	.0240	.2717	.0092	.1228	.0035	.0011	.0012	.0003	.0921	.0417
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0287	.2869	.0109	.1383	.0041	.0014	.0015	.0005	.0993	.0455
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0262	.2878	.0103	.1396	.0038	.0013	.0014	.0004	.0974	.0461
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0255	.2874	.0101	.1403	.0037	.0013	.0013	.0004	.0960	.0465
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0243	.2881	.0097	.1455	.0036	.0014	.0013	.0004	.0931	.0491
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0296	.3450	.0147	.2809	.0048	.0039	.0031	.0071	.1108	.0791
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0695	.5939	.0252	.2186	.0087	.0037	.0033	.0015	.2075	.0761
AIC	.0367	.4696	.0136	.1773	.0044	.0016	.0017	.0006	.1452	.0565
AIC_{c}	.0269	.3687	.0105	.1417	.0037	.0012	.0014	.0004	.1128	.0447
BIC	.0229	.3087	.0092	.1255	.0033	.0011	.0012	.0003	.0943	.0413
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0750	.6210	.0277	.2341	.0106	.0048	.0040	.0020	.2168	.0814
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0363	.4773	.0148	.1980	.0049	.0020	.0019	.0008	.1426	.0625
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0268	.3473	.0109	.1588	.0038	.0012	.0014	.0004	.1050	.0499
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0240	.3132	.0099	.1576	.0037	.0013	.0013	.0004	.0958	.0498
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0474	.5321	.0255	.4677	.0086	.0094	.0063	.0164	.1693	.1301
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0257	.2739	.0098	.1869	.0038	.0010	.0014	.0004	.0912	.0549
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0280	.2690	.0101	.1614	.0042	.0012	.0015	.0004	.0920	.0493
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0309	.2738	.0110	.1464	.0048	.0015	.0017	.0005	.0956	.0464

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (MSE×10³, T = 100, ε_t : log-normal)

	σ_{12} =	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$		$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$		= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(\theta_{11}, \theta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0103	.0113	.0036	.0040	.0103	.0239	.0037	.0087	.0975	.0037
AIC	.0092	.0105	.0033	.0037	.0093	.0206	.0033	.0075	.0950	.0034
AIC_{c}	.0090	.0103	.0032	.0036	.0091	.0200	.0033	.0072	.0944	.0033
BIC	.0083	.0092	.0030	.0032	.0087	.0176	.0032	.0063	.0921	.0030
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$.0102	.0112	.0037	.0040	.0105	.0256	.0038	.0093	.0993	.0037
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0090	.0103	.0032	.0036	.0094	.0218	.0033	.0076	.0974	.0033
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0088	.0099	.0032	.0035	.0092	.0201	.0033	.0071	.0960	.0032
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0084	.0088	.0030	.0031	.0089	.0173	.0032	.0062	.0931	.0029
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0102	.0102	.0036	.0036	.0111	.0215	.0040	.0078	.1108	.0035
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0259	.0315	.0093	.0116	.0241	.0694	.0086	.0254	.2075	.0103
AIC	.0128	.0222	.0047	.0080	.0113	.0282	.0043	.0113	.1452	.0059
AIC_{c}	.0097	.0159	.0036	.0054	.0095	.0210	.0035	.0075	.1128	.0042
BIC	.0081	.0110	.0030	.0038	.0083	.0162	.0031	.0058	.0943	.0032
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0277	.0336	.0102	.0122	.0281	.0847	.0104	.0327	.2168	.0109
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0127	.0216	.0048	.0078	.0127	.0342	.0046	.0122	.1426	.0059
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0094	.0131	.0035	.0047	.0095	.0190	.0035	.0072	.1050	.0038
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0084	.0097	.0031	.0035	.0089	.0166	.0032	.0062	.0958	.0031
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0160	.0156	.0057	.0054	.0181	.0410	.0064	.0153	.1693	.0053
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0094	.0092	.0033	.0033	.0103	.0240	.0037	.0088	.0912	.0032
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0103	.0101	.0037	.0036	.0114	.0262	.0041	.0095	.0920	.0035
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0114	.0111	.0041	.0040	.0129	.0310	.0046	.0109	.0956	.0039

Table 7: MSE of the Estimates

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (MSE×10², T = 300, ε_t : normal)

	σ_{12} :	= .4	$\frac{\sigma_{11} - \sigma_{11}}{\sigma_{12}}$	、 、	σ_{12}	,	$\frac{\tau}{\sigma_{12}}$	/	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0345	.3112	.0145	.1769	.0046	.0009	.0019	.0004	.1104	.0579
AIC	.0329	.3070	.0140	.1727	.0044	.0009	.0018	.0004	.1096	.0566
AIC_{c}	.0328	.3069	.0139	.1719	.0044	.0009	.0018	.0004	.1093	.0565
BIC	.0312	.3137	.0135	.1660	.0044	.0009	.0017	.0003	.1092	.0572
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0346	.3192	.0147	.1814	.0046	.0010	.0020	.0004	.1130	.0596
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0330	.3251	.0143	.1819	.0044	.0009	.0018	.0004	.1135	.0607
$\operatorname{AIC}_c(K_L = K_U)$.0329	.3260	.0142	.1820	.0044	.0009	.0018	.0004	.1133	.0609
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0322	.3409	.0143	.1910	.0048	.0013	.0018	.0004	.1128	.0695
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0369	.3941	.0293	.5945	.0060	.0071	.0080	.0246	.1288	.1608
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0490	.4356	.0211	.1905	.0064	.0013	.0027	.0005	.1564	.0682
AIC	.0377	.3852	.0163	.1722	.0047	.0010	.0020	.0004	.1322	.0607
AIC_c	.0361	.3720	.0157	.1675	.0046	.0009	.0019	.0004	.1275	.0591
BIC	.0312	.3236	.0135	.1511	.0044	.0009	.0017	.0003	.1106	.0556
$\mathcal{C}_p \ \left(K_L = K_U \right)$.0500	.4404	.0214	.1987	.0065	.0013	.0027	.0005	.1587	.0703
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0355	.3827	.0158	.1877	.0046	.0009	.0019	.0004	.1292	.0652
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0343	.3691	.0151	.1841	.0045	.0009	.0019	.0004	.1240	.0641
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0322	.3437	.0143	.1888	.0048	.0013	.0018	.0004	.1130	.0701
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0459	.4862	.0365	.7217	.0077	.0088	.0097	.0294	.1596	.1965
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0305	.3224	.0149	.3955	.0041	.0008	.0018	.0004	.1081	.1103
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0313	.3106	.0135	.3017	.0043	.0009	.0018	.0004	.1066	.0874
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0327	.3072	.0138	.2414	.0045	.0009	.0019	.0004	.1072	.0730

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (MSE×10², T = 300, ε_t : normal)

	σ_{12} =	= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	σ_{12} =	= 0.4	σ_{12} =	= 0.8	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0125	.0128	.0052	.0055	.0124	.0261	.0052	.0111	.1104	.0054
AIC	.0118	.0121	.0049	.0052	.0115	.0324	.0049	.0138	.1096	.0050
AIC_c	.0116	.0121	.0049	.0051	.0115	.0330	.0049	.0140	.1093	.0050
BIC	.0106	.0110	.0045	.0046	.0107	.0474	.0047	.0207	.1092	.0046
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0124	.0127	.0052	.0054	.0124	.0306	.0053	.0131	.1130	.0053
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0113	.0118	.0048	.0050	.0113	.0403	.0049	.0168	.1135	.0049
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0112	.0117	.0048	.0050	.0112	.0410	.0048	.0171	.1133	.0048
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0105	.0107	.0044	.0045	.0107	.0526	.0047	.0226	.1128	.0045
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0119	.0121	.0050	.0051	.0122	.0228	.0051	.0095	.1288	.0050
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0181	.0193	.0076	.0081	.0169	.0294	.0071	.0118	.1564	.0080
AIC	.0135	.0157	.0056	.0067	.0123	.0306	.0052	.0132	.1322	.0062
AIC_c	.0128	.0151	.0054	.0064	.0120	.0309	.0051	.0133	.1275	.0059
BIC	.0106	.0112	.0045	.0047	.0107	.0474	.0047	.0207	.1106	.0046
$C_p (K_L = K_U)$.0182	.0193	.0076	.0080	.0173	.0323	.0072	.0138	.1587	.0079
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0120	.0144	.0052	.0061	.0117	.0395	.0050	.0166	.1292	.0056
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0115	.0135	.0050	.0057	.0113	.0404	.0049	.0169	.1240	.0053
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0105	.0108	.0044	.0045	.0107	.0526	.0047	.0226	.1130	.0045
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0151	.0152	.0064	.0064	.0155	.0245	.0066	.0102	.1596	.0064
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0109	.0112	.0046	.0047	.0113	.0309	.0048	.0132	.1081	.0047
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0114	.0118	.0048	.0050	.0118	.0257	.0049	.0109	.1066	.0049
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0120	.0124	.0051	.0052	.0122	.0230	.0051	.0097	.1072	.0051

Table 8: MSE of the Estimates

Part I: $a_{11} = \theta_{11} = 0$ (MSE×10⁵, $T = 300, \varepsilon_t$: log-normal)

		= .4	σ_{12}	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	$\sigma_{12} = \sigma_{12}$		σ_{12}	,	$\sigma_{12} = .4$	$\sigma_{12} = .8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(0,.4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .8)	(0, .8)
$(\theta_{11}, \theta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .8)	(0, .4)	(0, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$. ,	. ,						,	
C_p	.1041	.9804	.0379	.4089	.0135	.0022	.0049	.0008	.3496	.1400
AIC	.1010	.9678	.0369	.4027	.0131	.0021	.0047	.0008	.3453	.1377
AIC_{c}	.1008	.9670	.0368	.4018	.0131	.0022	.0047	.0008	.3446	.1376
BIC	.0984	.9680	.0362	.3930	.0131	.0021	.0047	.0008	.3453	.1362
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.1051	1.0073	.0388	.4229	.0137	.0023	.0049	.0008	.3576	.1450
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.1017	1.0089	.0379	.4233	.0133	.0022	.0048	.0008	.3559	.1454
$\operatorname{AIC}_c(K_L = K_U)$.1013	1.0082	.0378	.4233	.0133	.0022	.0048	.0008	.3554	.1455
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0998	1.0206	.0374	.4279	.0134	.0024	.0048	.0008	.3548	.1495
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.1113	1.1701	.0529	.8979	.0159	.0093	.0098	.0205	.3940	.2617
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.1175	1.1857	.0435	.4308	.0147	.0026	.0054	.0009	.4128	.1512
AIC	.1014	1.0732	.0379	.3979	.0130	.0022	.0047	.0008	.3660	.1384
AIC_{c}	.1000	1.0503	.0373	.3910	.0129	.0021	.0047	.0008	.3590	.1359
BIC	.0956	.9593	.0355	.3657	.0128	.0021	.0046	.0007	.3369	.1302
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.1199	1.2028	.0447	.4510	.0153	.0028	.0056	.0010	.4162	.1586
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.1026	1.0976	.0388	.4302	.0133	.0023	.0049	.0008	.3739	.1490
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.1015	1.0704	.0379	.4206	.0132	.0022	.0048	.0008	.3652	.1465
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0983	1.0130	.0371	.4136	.0132	.0023	.0047	.0008	.3512	.1468
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.1297	1.3728	.0635	1.1105	.0189	.0121	.0122	.0274	.4601	.3203
$K_L = K_U = 1$.1010	1.0260	.0383	.6532	.0135	.0023	.0049	.0008	.3530	.1985
$K_L = K_U = 2$.1035	.9990	.0375	.5523	.0140	.0024	.0050	.0008	.3489	.1740
$K_L = K_U = 3$.1068	.9906	.0384	.4876	.0144	.0024	.0052	.0009	.3498	.1589

Part II: $a_{11} \neq 0$ and/or $\theta_{11} \neq 0$ (MSE×10⁵, T = 300, ε_t : log-normal)

	$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$		$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$		σ_{12} =	= 0.4	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$		$\sigma_{12} = 0.4$	$\sigma_{12} = 0.8$
(a_{11}, a_{22})	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4, .4)	(.8, .8)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.8, .8)	(.8, .8)
$(heta_{11}, heta_{22})$	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(0, 0)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.8, .8)	(.4,.4)	(.4, .4)
$(K_{\max} = K_4)$										
C_p	.0369	.0389	.0133	.0137	.0368	.0506	.0133	.0184	.3496	.0134
AIC	.0356	.0375	.0128	.0132	.0356	.0479	.0129	.0174	.3453	.0129
AIC_c	.0355	.0374	.0128	.0132	.0356	.0477	.0129	.0173	.3446	.0129
BIC	.0346	.0353	.0124	.0125	.0351	.0450	.0126	.0160	.3453	.0123
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0368	.0385	.0133	.0136	.0369	.0512	.0133	.0185	.3576	.0134
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0353	.0368	.0128	.0130	.0357	.0478	.0129	.0172	.3559	.0128
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0353	.0367	.0127	.0129	.0357	.0477	.0129	.0170	.3554	.0127
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0347	.0350	.0125	.0124	.0354	.0448	.0127	.0159	.3548	.0123
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0382	.0378	.0137	.0133	.0394	.0507	.0141	.0181	.3940	.0133
$(K_{\max} = K_{12})$										
C_p	.0420	.0484	.0154	.0170	.0396	.0588	.0147	.0215	.4128	.0163
AIC	.0358	.0423	.0131	.0148	.0353	.0485	.0128	.0176	.3660	.0139
AIC_{c}	.0353	.0413	.0129	.0144	.0351	.0478	.0127	.0174	.3590	.0137
BIC	.0337	.0349	.0122	.0125	.0343	.0430	.0124	.0155	.3369	.0122
$\mathcal{C}_p \ (K_L = K_U)$.0424	.0476	.0156	.0170	.0415	.0642	.0153	.0232	.4162	.0164
AIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0359	.0403	.0130	.0142	.0359	.0508	.0130	.0172	.3739	.0134
$\operatorname{AIC}_{c}(K_{L}=K_{U})$.0354	.0390	.0128	.0137	.0355	.0482	.0129	.0170	.3652	.0132
BIC $(K_L = K_U)$.0343	.0348	.0124	.0124	.0350	.0434	.0127	.0158	.3512	.0123
$K_L = K_U = K_{\max}$.0444	.0439	.0157	.0153	.0461	.0647	.0164	.0237	.4601	.0153
$K_L = K_U = 1$.0363	.0360	.0130	.0128	.0374	.0537	.0134	.0193	.3530	.0127
$K_L = K_U = 2$.0375	.0371	.0134	.0132	.0386	.0547	.0137	.0196	.3489	.0131
$K_L = K_U = 3$.0387	.0382	.0139	.0137	.0399	.0573	.0143	.0205	.3498	.0136