

Impact of macroeconomic policies on national food security in Pakistan: simulation analyses under a simultaneous equation framework

MUHAMMAD AKBAR¹, ABDUL JABBAR²

¹*Department of Mathematics and Statistics, International Islamic University Islamabad, Pakistan*

²*International Institute of Islamic Economics, International Islamic University Islamabad, Pakistan*

Appendix A: Variables Identification

Variable	Description
DC_t^A	Domestic credit to Agriculture sector
D^{9296}	Dummy variable representing effects of flood
D^{9407}	Dummy variable representing privatization policy
D^{9901}	Dummy variable representing effects of atomic explosion in Pakistan
D^{0207}	Dummy variable representing effects of 9/11 and subsequent events
D^{0407}	Dummy variable representing oil price hike and food price hike
ER_t	Nominal exchange rate (Rupees per US dollar)
E_t^A	Energy consumption in agricultural sector
F_t^A	Fertilizer off-take
FP_t	Food Production Index
g^A	Annual compound growth rate of output in agricultural sector used to construct initial period capital stock
I_t^{GA}	Expenditure on public fixed investment in agricultural sector
I_t^{GG}	General government investment expenditure
I_t^{PA}	Expenditure on private fixed investment in agricultural sector
K_t^A	Capital stock in agricultural sector at the beginig of period t
L_t^A	Labor employed in agricultural sector
M_2	Broad money
N_t	Population size
P_t	GDP deflator (based on GDP at factor cost)
P_t^{EN}	Price index of energy
P_t^{FD}	Food Price Index
P_t^{FR}	Price index of fertilizers

Variable	Description
P_t^{KA}	User cost of capital in agricultural sector
P_t^{MA}	Price index of capital goods for agricultural sector
P_t^{WO}	World average Oil spot Price (US \$ per barrel)
R_t	Total government revenues
r_t^{ib}	Inter bank call money rate (Nominal interest rate)
U_t	Urbanization rate
UR_t	Unemployment Rate
W_t^A	Wage rate in agricultural sector
Y_t	GDP at market prices
Y_t^A	Value added in agricultural sector
Y_t^{FC}	GDP at factor costs
Y_t^F	Food Production
Y_t^{NF}	Non-Food output in Agricultural sector
Y_t^O	Value added in non-agricultural sectors
Y_t^{PC}	Per capita income
δ	Annual depreciation rate of fixed capital in agricultural sector
π_t	Inflation rate based on GDP deflator

Appendix B

Estimated equations (Highlighted estimates are insignificant)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LOG}(FP_t) = & 4.212 + 0.0202 \times \text{LOG}(F_t^A) + 0.05005 \times \text{LOG}(K_t^A) - 0.09009 \times \text{LOG}(L_t^A) + \\ & 0.0346 \times \text{LOG}(E_t^A) - 0.9952 \times \text{LOG}(N_t) + 0.0270 \times @TREND + 0.7170 \times \text{LOG}(\\ & FP_{t-1}) + \mathbf{0.0038} \times \text{LOG}(DC_t^A) - 0.0428 \times D^{0214} + [\text{AR}(2) = -0.3892] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Instruments: } & c \log(FP_{t-1}) \log(FP_{t-2}) \log(F_{t-1}^A) \log(L_{t-1}^A) \log(E_{t-1}^A) \log(N_t) @trend D^{0214} \log(P_{t-1}) \\ & \log(DC_t) \log(P_{t-1}^{EN}) \log(DC_{t-1}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LOG}(P_t^{FD}) = & 1.4297 - 0.6231 \times \text{LOG}(FP_t) - \mathbf{0.1398} \times \text{LOG}(Y_t^{PC}) + 0.2675 \times \text{LOG}(M2) + \\ & 1.4136 \times \pi_t \pi_t + 0.9319 \times \text{LOG}(P_{t-1}^{FD}) - 0.0238 \times \text{Trend} + 0.0292 \times D^{0714} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Instruments: } c \log(P_{t-1}^{FD}) \log(P_{t-2}^{FD}) \log(FP_{t-1}) \log(FP_{t-2}) \log(Y_{t-1}^{PC}) \pi_{t-1} \log(M2_{t-1}) D^{0714}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LOG}(E_t^A) = & -22.6034 - \underline{\mathbf{0.04457}} \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{FR}) + 0.8912 \times \text{LOG}(K_t^A) + \underline{\mathbf{0.461463631787}} \times \\ & \text{LOG}(W_t^A) - 0.3552 \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{EN}) + 2.9175 \times \text{LOG}(FP_t) - \underline{\mathbf{0.0097}} \times \text{LOG}(E_{t-1}^A) + \\ & [\text{AR}(1) = 0.4140] - \underline{\mathbf{0.1397}} \times D^{9901} + 0.0058 \times D^{0214}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\textbf{Instruments: } & c \log(E_{t-1}^A) \log(P_{t-1}^{FR}) \log(K_t^A) \log(K_{t-1}^A) \log(W_t^A) \log(P_{t-1}^{EN}) \log(P_t^{wo}) \log(FP_{t-1}) UB_t \\ & UR_t \log(N_t) D^{9901} D^{0214}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LOG}(L_t^A) = & -0.9101 - 0.2103 \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{FR}) - 0.2369 \times \text{LOG}(K_t^A) - \underline{\mathbf{0.1183}} \times \text{LOG}(W_t^A) + \\ & 0.2232 \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{EN}) + 1.3536 \times \text{LOG}(FP_t) + 0.6358 \times \text{LOG}(L_{-1}^A(-1))\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\textbf{Instruments: } & c \log(L_{t-1}^A) \log(FP_{t-1}) \log(K_t^A) \log(W_{t-1}^A) UR_t UR_{t-1} \log(N_t) \log(p(-1)) \log(P_{t-1}^{EN}) \\ & \log(L_{t-2}^A)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LOG}(F_t^A) = & -6.7547 - 0.5228 \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{FR}) - \underline{\mathbf{0.2272}} \times \text{LOG}(K_t^A) + 1.7282 \times \text{LOG}(W_t^A) + \\ & 0.51390 \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{EN}) + \underline{\mathbf{2.1447}} \times \text{LOG}(FP_t) + [\text{AR}(1) = 0.8271]\end{aligned}$$

$$\textbf{Instruments: } c \log(F_{t-1}^A) \log(P_{t-1}^{FR}) \log(K_t^A) \log(W_{t-1}^A) \log(P_t^{EN}) \log(FP_{t-1}) \log(P_{t-1}) \log(P_{t-2})$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LOG}(W_t^A) = & -0.3361 + \underline{\mathbf{0.0211}} \times \text{LOG}(P_t) + 0.1773 \times \text{LOG}(Y_t^A) + 0.0188 \times UR_t + 0.5493 \\ & \times \text{LOG}(W_{t-1}^A) - 0.0668 \times D^{9415} - 0.0669 \times D^{0214}\end{aligned}$$

$$\textbf{Instruments: } c \log(W_{t-1}^A) \log(W_{t-2}^A) \log(P_t) \log(Y_{t-1}^A) \log(K_t^A) D^{9415} D^{0214} UR_{t-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LOG}(I_t^{GA}) = & -11.1405 - \underline{\mathbf{0.5096}} \times \text{LOG}(R) + \underline{\mathbf{0.5373}} \times \text{LOG}(Y_t^A) + 0.9253 \times \text{LOG}(I_t^{GG}) + \\ & 0.8307 \times \text{LOG}(I_{t-1}^{GA}) + [\text{AR}(1) = -\underline{\mathbf{0.1654}}, \text{AR}(2) = -0.5482] + 0.2699 \times D^{9296}\end{aligned}$$

$$\textbf{Instruments: } c \log(I_{t-1}^{GA}) \log(I_{t-2}^{GA}) \log(I_{t-3}^{GA}) \log(R_{t-1}) \log(Y_{t-1}^A) \log(I_{t-1}^{GG}) D^{9296} UB_t \log(N_t)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LOG}(I_t^{PA}) = & 4.597 + 0.0690 \times \text{LOG}(I_t^{GA}) + 0.4534 \times \text{LOG}(I_t^{GG}) - 2.1732 \times (r_t^{ib}) - \underline{\mathbf{0.01430}} \\ & \times \text{LOG}(Y_{t-1}^A) + 0.2363 \times \text{LOG}(DC_t^A) + 0.0469 \times D^{0414} - 0.3298 \times D^{0214} + [\text{AR}(1) = \\ & 0.5885, \text{AR}(2) = -0.2597]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\textbf{Instruments: } & c \log(I_{t-1}^{PA}) \log(I_{t-1}^{GA}) \log(I_{t-1}^{GG}) \log(R_{t-1}) r_t^{ib} P_{t-1}^{KA} \log(Y_{t-1}^A) \log(DC_t^A) D^{0414} D^{0214} UB_t \\ & \log(N_t)\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LOG}(I_t^{GG}) = 2.8609 + 0.2181 \times \text{LOG}(R_t) + 0.5351 \times \text{LOG}(I_{t-1}^{GG}) - 0.2640 \times D^{9415}$$

Instruments:

$$C \text{ LOG}(I_{t-1}^{GG}) \text{ LOG}(I_{t-2}^{GG}) \text{ LOG}(R_t) D^{9415}$$

$$\text{LOG}(M2) = 0.6464 + 0.2502 \times \text{LOG}(P_t) + 0.1537 \times \text{LOG}(Y) - 0.7742 \times (r_t^{ib}) + 1.1795 \times \text{LOG}(M2_{t-1}) - 0.3786 \times \text{LOG}(M2_{t-2}) + [\text{AR}(1) = -0.2167]$$

Instruments:

$$C \text{ LOG}(M2_{t-1}) \log(M2_{t-2}) \text{ LOG}(P_{t-1}) \log(Y_{t-1}) \text{ LOG}(P_{t-2}) \log(Y_{t-2}) (r_{t-1}^{ib})$$

$$\text{LOG}(P_t) = 2.402 - 0.6137 \times \text{LOG}(Y_t^{FC}) + 0.4374 \times \text{LOG}(M2) + 0.2071 \times \text{LOG}(ER_t) + 0.3250 \times \text{LOG}(P_t^{EN}) + [\text{AR}(1) = 0.8666]$$

Instruments:

$$c \text{ LOG}(P_{t-1}) \text{ LOG}(P_{t-2}) \log(Y_{t-1}^{FC}) \log(Y_{t-2}^{FC}) \log(Y_{t-3}^{FC}) \log(M2_{t-1}) \log(ER_{t-1}) \log(P_{t-1}) t$$