How to manage households

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Multiple households: why this title?



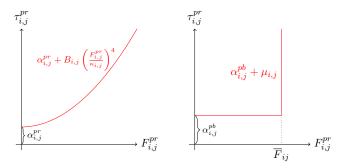


- Housing prices and location
- How to model his edge?
 - Transportation/economics?
 - Neighbourhood/work/connections?

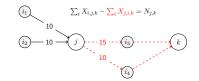
Total flow and cost (could model as network optimization)

$$F_{i,j}^m - \sum_{h,k} X_{h,i,j,k}^m \perp F_{i,j}^m \in [0, \bar{F}_{i,j}]$$

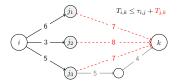
$$\tau_{i,j}^{m} - \alpha_{i,j}^{m} - B_{i,j} \left(\frac{F_{i,j}^{m}}{\kappa_{i,j}}\right)^{4} \perp \tau_{i,j}^{m}$$



Wardrop



$$\sum_{i} X_{h,i,j,k}^m - \sum_{i} X_{h,j,i,k}^m \ge N_{h,j,k}^m \perp T_{h,j,k}^m \ge 0$$



 $T_{h,i,k}^m \le \tau_{i,j}^m + T_{h,j,k}^m \perp X_{h,i,j}^m \ge 0$

Walras: Computable General Equilibria or MOPECs

$$(C) : \max_{x_k \in X_k} U_k(x_k) \text{ s.t. } p^T x_k \le i_k(y, p)$$

$$(I) : i_k(y, p) = p^T \omega_k + \sum_j \alpha_{kj} p^T g_j(y_j)$$

$$(P) : \max_{y_j \in Y_j} p^T g_j(y_j)$$

$$(M) : \max_{p \ge 0} p^T \left(\sum_k x_k - \sum_k \omega_k - \sum_j g_j(y_j) \right) \text{ s.t. } \sum_l p_l = 1$$

This is an example of a MOPEC (multiple optimization problems with equilibrium constraints)

Consumers and producers

• Households (consumers): live *i*, work *j*, skill *h*, transport mode *m*

$$\max_{x} Utility(x) \text{ s.t. } \lambda_{x}x \leq I, x \in X$$

Markets clear in each component of x (leisure, housing, consumption)



 Production: identical firms at each node using high or low skilled labour and capital inputs to produce y

$$\max_{K \ge 0, L \ge 0} p_y y - (p_L L_y + p_K K_y) \text{ s.t. } G(K, L) \ge y$$

Choice models and links to transportation

- O-D $N_{h,i,k}^m$ is appears in transport and CGE model
- Logit model used to determine $\theta_{h,m}(N^m_{h,\cdot,\cdot}, T^m_{h,\cdot,\cdot})$
- Link to transportation via amount of "leisure" $\ell_{h,i,k}^m(T_{h,i,k}^m,\lambda_{h,j})$
- Collect all models (transport and CGE) together into one large MOPEC

Computation: EMP and PATH

• Model has the format:

Agent o: $\min_{x} f(x, y)$ s.t. $g(x, y) \le 0 \quad (\perp \lambda \ge 0)$ Agent v: $H(x, y, \lambda) = 0 \quad (\perp y \text{ free})$

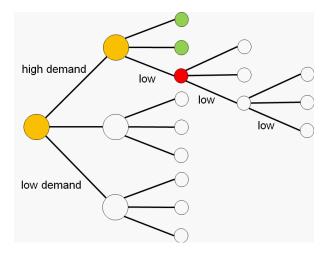
• EMP tool (equation annotations) automatically creates an MCP

$$egin{aligned}
abla_x f(x,y) + \lambda^T
abla g(x,y) &= 0 \ 0 &\leq -g(x,y) \perp \lambda \geq 0 \ H(x,y,\lambda) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

• Solve via PATH: [Dirkse, F., Kim, Munson, Ralph]

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Extensions: agents solving stochastic models



Replace optimization problems by multistage stochastic programs, and clear markets in each stage

The model is only as good as the data

- Results for Zurich and Madison [Rutherford, van Nieuwkoop, F.]
- Results for Sydney [Robson, Dixit]
- Results for Eddiefest:

