

# Appendix

## 1 The Ricardian Example

We choose  $A(z) = 1 - z^2$  and set  $w_l = 1$ ,  $L = 1$ ,  $H = 0.5$ ,  $H^* = 1$ ,  $t^* = 0$ , and  $\lambda = 0.9$ . The general equilibrium contains the following six equations:

$$1 - z_m^2 = \frac{\nu}{1 + t}, \quad (\text{A.1})$$

$$1 - z_x^2 = \nu, \quad (\text{A.2})$$

$$\xi = \frac{\lambda z_x + 1 - \lambda}{(1 - z_m)\lambda/(1 + t) + \lambda z_x + 1 - \lambda}, \quad (\text{A.3})$$

$$w_h = \left( z_m \xi + z_x (1 - \xi) \right) \frac{0.9}{0.1 * 0.5}, \quad (\text{A.4})$$

$$w_h^* = \left( \frac{(1 - z_m)\xi}{1 + t} + (1 - z_x)(1 - \xi) \right) \frac{0.9}{0.1 * 1}, \quad (\text{A.5})$$

$$\nu = w_h/w_h^*. \quad (\text{A.6})$$

The first five steps in the Mathematica program are:

- (1) Solve  $z_m$  from equation (A.1);
- (2) Solve  $z_x$  from equation (A.2);
- (3) Substituting the solutions of  $z_m$  and  $z_x$  into equation (A.3) to obtain  $\xi$ ;
- (4) Substituting the solutions of  $z_m$ ,  $z_x$ , and  $\xi$  into equation (A.4) to obtain  $w_h$ ;
- (5) Substituting the solutions of  $z_m$ ,  $z_x$ , and  $\xi$  into equation (A.5) to obtain  $w_h^*$ ;

**Note:** If we substitute the solutions of  $w_h$  and  $w_h^*$  into equation (A.6), we obtain an equation that determines  $\nu$ . Because the equation is complicated, Mathematica cannot solve  $\nu$  explicitly as a function of  $t$ . So we use the “FindRoot” approach. The steps are:

- (6) Set a tariff rate  $t$ ;
- (7) Set an initial value of  $\nu$ . Mathematica finds the value of  $\nu$  that satisfies equation (A.6).
- (8) Substituting the equilibrium value of  $\nu$  yields equilibrium values of other variables.

**Note:** Notations in the Mathematica program:  $b \equiv \lambda$ ,  $e \equiv \xi$ ,  $w \equiv w_h$ ,  $wn \equiv w_h^*$ .

## 2 The Heckscher-Ohlin Example

We choose  $\beta(z) = 3/4 + (1/4)\sqrt{z}$  and set  $L/H = 1$ ,  $L^*/H^* = 0.3$ ,  $L^*/L = 1$ ,  $\theta = 2/3$ , and  $t^* = 0$ . The general equilibrium contains the following seven equations:

$$\nu_h^{3/4+(1/4)\sqrt{z_m}} \nu_l^{1-(3/4+(1/4)\sqrt{z_m})} = (1+t)(2/3), \quad (\text{B.1})$$

$$\nu_h^{3/4+(1/4)\sqrt{z_x}} \nu_l^{1-(3/4+(1/4)\sqrt{z_x})} = 2/3, \quad (\text{B.2})$$

$$\xi = \frac{z_x(1+t)}{1 - z_m + z_x(1+t)}, \quad (\text{B.3})$$

$$\omega = \frac{\xi \left( \frac{3}{4}z_m + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_m^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) + (1-\xi) \left( \frac{3}{4}z_x + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_x^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right)}{\xi \left( z_m - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_m + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_m^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) + (1-\xi) \left( z_x - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_x + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_x^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right)}, \quad (\text{B.4})$$

$$\omega^* = 0.3 \left\{ \frac{\frac{\xi}{1+t} \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_m + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_m^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) + (1-\xi) \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_x + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_x^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right)}{\frac{\xi}{1+t} \left( 1 - z_m - \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_m + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_m^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) \right) + (1-\xi) \left( 1 - z_x - \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_x + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_x^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) \right)} \right\}, \quad (\text{B.5})$$

$$\nu_l = \frac{\xi \left( z_m - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_m + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_m^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) + (1-\xi) \left( z_x - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_x + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_x^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right)}{\frac{\xi}{1+t} \left( 1 - z_m - \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_m + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_m^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) \right) + (1-\xi) \left( 1 - z_x - \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} - \left( \frac{3}{4}z_x + \frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2}+1)}z_x^{(\frac{1}{2}+1)} \right) \right) \right)}, \quad (\text{B.6})$$

$$\omega/\omega^* = \nu_h/\nu_l. \quad (\text{B.7})$$

The first five steps in the Mathematica program are:

- (1) Solve  $z_m$  from equation (B.1);
- (2) Solve  $z_x$  from equation (B.2);
- (3) Substituting the solutions of  $z_m$  and  $z_x$  into equation (B.3) to obtain  $\xi$ ;
- (4) Substituting the solutions of  $z_m$ ,  $z_x$ , and  $\xi$  into equation (B.4) to obtain  $\omega$ ;
- (5) Substituting the solutions of  $z_m$ ,  $z_x$ , and  $\xi$  into equation (B.5) to obtain  $\omega^*$ ;

**Note:** If we substitute the solutions of  $\omega$  and  $\omega^*$  into equations (B.6) and (B.7), we obtain a system of two equations that determine  $\nu_h$  and  $\nu_l$ . Because the equations are complicated,

Mathematica cannot solve  $\nu_h$  and  $\nu_l$  explicitly as functions of  $t$ . So we use the “FindRoot” approach. The steps are:

(6) Set a tariff rate  $t$ ;

(7) Set initial values of  $\nu_h$  and  $\nu_l$ . Mathematica finds the values of  $\nu_h$  and  $\nu_l$  that satisfy both equations (B.6) and (B.7).

(8) Substituting the equilibrium values of  $\nu_h$  and  $\nu_l$  yields equilibrium values of other variables.

**Note:** Notations in the Mathematica program:  $e \equiv \xi$ ,  $w \equiv \omega$ ,  $wn \equiv \omega^*$ ,  $v \equiv \nu_h$ ,  $u \equiv \nu_l$ .