

Problem Set #5

1. Use the following version of Model 2 to answer parts a - f.

(1) $C = 200 + .8*Y_d$
(2) $Im = 25 + .2*Y_d$
(3) $Y_d = Y - T$
(4) $T = 50 + .1*Y$
(5) $AD = C + Ip + G + eX - Im$
(6) $Y = AD$

- a. Find the reduced form statement for Y_d . What is the equilibrium value of Y_d given that $Ip = 400$, $G = 350$, and $eX = 65$?
- b. What is the equilibrium level of savings?
- c. What is the equilibrium level of taxes and of the governmental deficit?
- d. If governmental expenditures increased by 100, how much would output increase? What is the value of the multiplier of governmental expenditures on output?
- e. If the tax rate were increased from 10% ($t_1=.1$) to 20% ($t_1=.2$), how much would output change? The governmental deficit?
2. Consider an Eastern European community characterized by a Model 2 world. Assume that the relevant behavioral equations such an economy were as follows:

Consumption Demand: $C = 5000 + .9*Y_d$
Taxation $T = -1000 + .33*Y$
Import Demand $Im = 500 + .15*Y_d$

- a. Indicate the remaining equations needed to complete this model under the assumption that the economy can be described as a depressed economy with GDP well below its potential.
- b. Derive the reduced form equation for GDP.
- c. Derive the reduced form equation for Import Demand.
- d. If import demand were to rise by 500, how much would Governmental expenditure have to rise to keep GDP at the pre-rise level?

3. Consider the following variant of Model 3

(1)	$C = a + .8*Y_d$	Exogenous	Endogenous
(2)	$Y_d = Y - T$	G, a, e, P	C, Y _d , Y, T
(3)	$T = .25*Y$	r or M	I _p , M _d , AD
(4)	$I_p = e - 10*r$		r or M
(5)	$AD = C + I_p + G$		
(6)	$Y = AD$		
(7)	$M_d = (.25*Y - 5*r)*P$		
(8)	$M_d = M$		

- Derive the IS and LM curve equations assuming M is endogenous and r exogenous.
- Same as a) with r endogenous and M exogenous.
- Analyze the impact of monetary policy in a) and b).
- Analyze the impact of fiscal policy in a) and b).
- Use the results in part b) and the following data to determine the monetary policy that will bring Y up to Y*.

$$a = 100, e = 200, M = 300, P = 2, G = 300, Y^* = 1200$$

- Answer question e in terms of fiscal policy.

4. Use the following behavioral equations or policy rules along with whatever else you need (based on Model 3 – IS – LM) to answer parts a - f.

Consumption	(1)	$C = 700 + .9*Y_d$
Imports	(2)	$I_m = 200 + .15 Y_d$
Taxes	(3)	$T = .33*Y$
Investment	(4)	$I = 500 - 40*r$
Money Demand	(5)	$M_d = (.25*Y - 10*r)*P$

- Derive the IS Curve. Indicate the slope.
- Derive the LM Curve. Indicate the slope.
- Derive the reduced form equation for income.
- Assume exogenous M and P = 2. Determine the multiplier of money on output.
- Determine the fiscal policy multiplier on output.
- In this model which policy - monetary or fiscal - is more potent? Why?