

## APPENDIX TWO: *The Compensated Version of Problem (I)*

We have seen in the paper the need for considering problem

$$\psi(\alpha, \beta; z) = \max_x \{f(x, \alpha) \mid h(x, \beta) = h(z, \beta)\} \quad (\Gamma^c).$$

This compensated maximization problem requires all constraints to pass through some  $z \in R^n$  for all values of  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

We can be very brief here, since  $(\Gamma^c)$  has been the focus of attention of *Hatta* (1980). We simply want to (i) introduce compensated feasible policies, (ii) present the general Envelope Theorem for  $(\Gamma^c)$  and (iii) show that we do not have to examine  $(\Gamma^c)$  separately, since all relevant results follow directly from Theorems 1 – 4.

The solution of  $(\Gamma^c)$  is given by

$$s(\alpha, \beta; z) \equiv x(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) \quad \text{and} \quad \mu(\alpha, \beta; z) = \lambda(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)).$$

It is immediate that  $S_\alpha(\alpha, \beta; z) = X_\alpha(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))$ ,  $M_\alpha(\alpha, \beta; z) = A_\alpha(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))$  and  $S_\beta(\alpha, \beta; z) = X_\beta(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) + X_\gamma(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))H_\beta(z, \beta)'$ ,  $M_\beta(\alpha, \beta; z) = A_\beta(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) + A_\gamma(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))H_\beta(z, \beta)'$ .

Any smooth compensated feasible policy,  $t(\alpha, \beta; z) \equiv y(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))$ , satisfies all constraints  $h^j(t(\alpha, \beta; z), \beta) = h^j(z, \beta)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, m$ , and thus  $T_\alpha(\alpha, \beta; z) = Y_\alpha(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))$  and  $T_\beta(\alpha, \beta; z) = Y_\beta(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) + Y_\gamma(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta))H_\beta(z, \beta)'$  need not be zero, unless  $t(\alpha, \beta; z)$  is a degenerate policy staying at  $z$  for all  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

**Lemma 1<sup>c</sup>:** For  $t(\alpha, \beta; z) \in C^1$  and any  $z$  we have

$$T_\alpha' H_x = 0_{km} \quad \text{and}$$

$$T_\beta' H_x + H_\beta = H_\beta(z, \beta).$$

**Lemma 2<sup>c</sup>:** For  $t(\alpha, \beta; z) \in C^2$  and any  $z$  we have

$$(\alpha, \alpha) \quad T_\alpha' H_{xx} T_\alpha + [t'_{\alpha_i \alpha_j} H_x \mu] = 0_{kk},$$

$$(\alpha, \beta) \quad T_\alpha' H_{xx} T_\beta + T_\alpha' H_{x\beta} + [t'_{\alpha_i \beta_j} H_x \mu] = 0_{kl},$$

$$(\beta, \alpha) \quad T_\beta' H_{xx} T_\alpha + [t'_{\beta_i \alpha_j} H_x \mu] + H_{\beta x} T_\alpha = 0_{lk},$$

$$(\beta, \beta) \quad T_\beta' H_{xx} T_\beta + T_\beta' H_{x\beta} + [t'_{\beta_i \beta_j} H_x \mu] + H_{\beta x} T_\beta + H_{\beta\beta} = \sum_{j=1}^m \mu_j h_{\beta\beta}^j(z, \beta).$$

The proof of both Lemmas follows that given for *Lemmas 1 and 2*.  $H_\beta = H_\beta(z, \beta)$  and

$$H_{\beta\beta} = \sum_{j=1}^m \mu_j h_{\beta\beta}^j(z, \beta) \quad \text{only when } z = t(\alpha, \beta; z).$$

From  $\psi(\alpha, \beta; z) \equiv \varphi(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) \equiv f(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha)$ , we see that

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_\alpha(\alpha, \beta; z) &= \varphi_\alpha(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) = S_\alpha' f_x + f_\alpha = f_\alpha(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha'), \\ \psi_\beta(\alpha, \beta; z) &= \varphi_\beta(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) + H_\beta(z, \beta) \varphi_\gamma(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) = \\ &= -\{H_\beta(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \beta) - H_\beta(z, \beta)\} \mu(\alpha, \beta; z) \\ &= S_\beta' f_x(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $S_\alpha' f_x(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha) = 0_\kappa$  but

$$S_\beta' f_x(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha) \neq 0_l,$$

unless  $z = s(\alpha, \beta; z)$ . It is clear that we could proceed and consider any given  $z \in R^n$ . Our interest, however, is in the special case where  $z = x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = s(\alpha, \beta; z)$  and all constraints continue to pass through the previously optimal solution as  $(\alpha, \beta)$  vary around their former values (and  $\gamma$  respond accordingly). Thus we have:

**Theorem 1<sup>c</sup>:**

(i)  $\psi_\alpha(\alpha, \beta; x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)) = f_\alpha(x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma), \alpha)$

(ii)  $\psi_\beta(\alpha, \beta; x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)) = 0_l$ .

and

**Theorem 2<sup>c</sup>:**

$$\psi = \begin{bmatrix} F_{\alpha\alpha} S_\alpha + F_{\alpha\alpha}, & F_{\alpha\alpha} S_\beta \\ -H_{\beta\alpha} S_\alpha, & -H_{\beta\alpha} S_\beta \end{bmatrix}$$

is a symmetric matrix.

Here the gain function is given by

$$g^c(\alpha, \beta; z) = \psi(\alpha, \beta; z) - f(t(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha)$$

and is in general positive, unless at some  $(\alpha, \beta)$  it happens that

$$t(\alpha, \beta; z) = s(\alpha, \beta; z)^{13}$$

Then  $g^c$  has a minimum of zero and we can exploit the first and second-order necessary conditions that characterize it.

In the special case where, at  $(\alpha^o, \beta^o; x^o)$ ,  $z = x^o = x(\alpha^o, \beta^o, \gamma^o) = s(\alpha^o, \beta^o; x^o)$ , we deduce

**Theorem 3<sup>c</sup>:**

$$(i) \quad g_{\alpha}^c(\alpha^o, \beta^o; x^o) = -T_{\alpha}^{o'} f_x^o = 0_{\kappa},$$

$$(ii) \quad g_{\beta}^c(\alpha^o, \beta^o; x^o) = -T_{\beta}^{o'} f_x^o = 0_l$$

and

**Theorem 4<sup>c</sup>:**

The matrix  $G^o$ , with submatrices

$$G_{\alpha\alpha}^{co} = F_{\alpha\alpha}^o \{ S_{\alpha}^o - T_{\alpha}^o \} - T_{\alpha}^{o'} A^o T_{\alpha}^o - T_{\alpha}^{o'} F_{\alpha\alpha}^o, \quad G_{\alpha\beta}^{co} = F_{\alpha\beta}^o \{ S_{\beta}^o - T_{\beta}^o \} - T_{\alpha}^{o'} A^o T_{\beta}^o + T_{\alpha}^{o'} H_{\alpha\beta}^o,$$

$$G_{\beta\alpha}^{oo} = -H_{\beta\alpha}^o \{ S_{\alpha}^o - T_{\alpha}^o \} - T_{\beta}^{o'} A^o T_{\alpha}^o - T_{\beta}^{o'} F_{\alpha\alpha}^o, \quad G_{\beta\beta}^{co} = -H_{\beta\beta}^o \{ S_{\beta}^o - T_{\beta}^o \} - T_{\beta}^{o'} A^o T_{\beta}^o + T_{\beta}^{o'} H_{\beta\beta}^o,$$

is symmetric and positive semidefinite.

Envelope tangency requires that

$$S_{\alpha}^{o'} f_x^o = T_{\alpha}^{o'} f_x^o = 0_{\kappa},$$

$$S_{\beta}^{o'} f_x^o = T_{\beta}^{o'} f_x^o = 0_l,$$

although  $S_{\alpha}^{o'} f_x^o = 0_{\kappa}$  holds in general while  $S_{\beta}(\alpha, \beta; z)' f_x(s(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha) = 0_l$  holds whenever  $z = x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ .

As for the curvature properties of an Envelope, not only second-order derivative terms drop out at  $(\alpha^o, \beta^o; x^o)$ , but also terms involving  $M_{\alpha}^o$  and  $M_{\beta}^o$ ; the latter terms drop out whenever  $z = x(\alpha^o, \beta^o, \gamma^o)$ .

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<sup>13</sup> The main difference between *Hatta's* (1980) approach and ours can be indicated in terms of the difference between our gain function

$$\varphi(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) - f(t(\alpha, \beta; z), \alpha)$$

and his own

$$\varphi(\alpha, \beta, h(z, \beta)) - f(z, \alpha),$$

expressed in terms of our model and notation. Thus *Hatta* considers only degenerate compensated feasible paths.

Finally, let us note that *Theorems 1 – 4* can be used to prove the Theorems of this Appendix.

Indeed consider the matrix

$$B \equiv \Phi + \begin{bmatrix} 0_{\kappa\kappa}, & 0_{\kappa l}, & 0_{\kappa m} \\ 0_{l\kappa}, & H_{\beta\beta}, & 0_{lm} \\ 0_{m\kappa}, & 0_{ml}, & 0_{mm} \end{bmatrix}$$

in which the second term is due to the changes in the constraints from (I) to (I<sup>c</sup>), with

$$H_{\beta\beta} = \sum_{j=1}^m \mu_j h_{\beta\beta}^j(x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma), \beta). \text{ If } B \text{ is pre-multiplied by } \begin{bmatrix} I_{\kappa\kappa}, & 0_{\kappa l}, & 0_{\kappa m} \\ 0_{l\kappa}, & I_{ll}, & H_{\beta} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ with}$$

$H_{\beta} = H_{\beta}(x(\alpha, \beta, \gamma), \beta)$ , and is also post-multiplied by its transpose, then we get the symmetric  $(\kappa + l)$ ,  $(\kappa + l)$  matrix  $\Psi$ . Similarly, if  $G^o$  is pre-multiplied by the above matrix and is post-multiplied by its transpose, we get the symmetric and positive semidefinite  $G^{co}$ .