### SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL FOR: IDENTIFICATION OF VECTOR AUTOREGRESSIVE MODELS WITH GRANGER AND STABILITY CONSTRAINTS

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### ABSTRACT

In this document, we present experimental results that have not been included in [1] due to space constraints. The notation is the same as in the main manuscript.

In the caption of each table within the supplementary material, we write down the name of the experiment in which the results have been obtained as well as the sample size (N) used in the training phase. In all cases, the total number of trials is  $N_{\rm tr} = 200$ .

In Tables 1-8, we show statistics concerning how many times each order in the set  $\{1, \ldots, p_{\max}\}$ , where  $p_{\max} = 15$ , is selected by the IT criteria SBC, FPE, RNML and AICc. Note that in the first column of each table, the true VAR-order is written in bold.

In Figs. 1-2 (which are the same as Figs. 3-4 in [1]), we show boxplots for the average distances from the estimated sparsity pattern to the true one. These are graphical representations for the results in Tables 9-16. The convention in these tables is that the columns correspond to the IT criteria applied for VAR-order selection, while the rows correspond to the IT criteria used to choose the Granger sparsity pattern. For the results reported in the last column of such a table, we make the assumption that the order of the model is known. This is why the last column has the label "ORACLE".

Amongst the three estimation methods that we investigate, only "LS with Granger constraints" does not guarantee that the model fitted to the data is stable. In Tables 17-24, we give the empirical probability that models estimated with this method are not stable. The labels for the rows and for the columns are the same as in Tables 9-16. The only difference is that there is a row labeled "ORACLE", which corresponds to the case when the Granger sparsity pattern is assumed to be known.

For the description of the forecasting experiments, we refer to [1]. In this document, we reproduce Figs. 1-2 from [1], which are named Figs. 3-4. They are graphical representations of the results reported in Tables 25-32. Note that the significance of the IT criteria assigned to the rows and to the columns of the Tables 25-32 is the same as in the Tables 17-24.

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| - | VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |  |  |
|---|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|--|--|
|   |           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |  |  |
|   | 1         | 44           | 0   | 44   | 0    |  |  |
|   | 2         | 56           | 0   | 63   | 4    |  |  |
|   | 3         | 100          | 200 | 93   | 196  |  |  |
|   | 4         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 5         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 6         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 7         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 8         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 9         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 10        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 11        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 12        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 13        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
|   | 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |

## **VAR-order estimation**

**Table 1**:  $Exp_1: N = 200$ 

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |  |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|--|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |  |
| 1         | 9            | 0   | 8    | 0    |  |
| 2         | 34           | 0   | 26   | 0    |  |
| 3         | 157          | 200 | 166  | 200  |  |
| 4         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 5         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 6         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 7         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 8         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 9         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 10        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 11        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 12        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 13        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |

**Table 2**:  $Exp_1: N = 300$ 

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |
| 1         | 3            | 0   | 3    | 0    |
| 2         | 9            | 0   | 5    | 0    |
| 3         | 188          | 200 | 192  | 200  |
| 4         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 5         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 6         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 7         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 8         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 9         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 10        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 11        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 12        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 13        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |

**Table 3**: Exp<sub>1</sub>: N = 400

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |  |  |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|--|--|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |  |  |
| 1         | 0            | 0   | 1    | 0    |  |  |
| 2         | 5            | 0   | 1    | 0    |  |  |
| 3         | 195          | 200 | 198  | 200  |  |  |
| 4         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 5         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 6         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 7         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 8         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 9         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 10        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 11        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 12        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 13        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |

**Table 4**:  $Exp_1: N = 500$ 

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |  |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|--|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |  |
| 1         | 7            | 0   | 3    | 0    |  |
| 2         | 9            | 0   | 10   | 0    |  |
| 3         | 20           | 0   | 20   | 0    |  |
| 4         | 15           | 0   | 11   | 0    |  |
| 5         | 29           | 0   | 22   | 4    |  |
| 6         | 19           | 1   | 19   | 1    |  |
| 7         | 22           | 4   | 23   | 14   |  |
| 8         | 24           | 12  | 24   | 20   |  |
| 9         | 24           | 26  | 26   | 39   |  |
| 10        | 31           | 147 | 42   | 122  |  |
| 11        | 0            | 7   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 12        | 0            | 2   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 13        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |
| 15        | 0            | 1   | 0    | 0    |  |

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |  |  |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|--|--|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |  |  |
| 1         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 2         | 1            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 3         | 3            | 0   | 1    | 0    |  |  |
| 4         | 5            | 0   | 2    | 0    |  |  |
| 5         | 10           | 0   | 8    | 0    |  |  |
| 6         | 9            | 0   | 6    | 0    |  |  |
| 7         | 16           | 0   | 9    | 0    |  |  |
| 8         | 18           | 3   | 21   | 4    |  |  |
| 9         | 39           | 9   | 32   | 15   |  |  |
| 10        | 99           | 183 | 121  | 180  |  |  |
| 11        | 0            | 3   | 0    | 1    |  |  |
| 12        | 0            | 2   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 13        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |

**Table 5**:  $Exp_2$ : N = 200

**Table 7**: Exp<sub>2</sub>: N = 400

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |  |  |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|--|--|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |  |  |
| 1         | 2            | 0   | 1    | 0    |  |  |
| 2         | 4            | 0   | 2    | 0    |  |  |
| 3         | 8            | 0   | 5    | 0    |  |  |
| 4         | 7            | 0   | 6    | 0    |  |  |
| 5         | 14           | 0   | 15   | 0    |  |  |
| 6         | 17           | 0   | 9    | 0    |  |  |
| 7         | 22           | 1   | 15   | 3    |  |  |
| 8         | 23           | 4   | 21   | 10   |  |  |
| 9         | 38           | 19  | 38   | 26   |  |  |
| 10        | 65           | 169 | 88   | 161  |  |  |
| 11        | 0            | 5   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 12        | 0            | 1   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 13        | 0            | 1   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 14        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |
| 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |  |  |

| Table 6 <sup>.</sup> | Expo         | N   | = 300 |
|----------------------|--------------|-----|-------|
| Table 0.             | $L_{A}p_{2}$ | 7.4 | -300  |

| VAR Order | IT Criterion |     |      |      |
|-----------|--------------|-----|------|------|
|           | SBC          | FPE | RNML | AICc |
| 1         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 2         | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| 3         | 2            | 0   | 1    | 0    |
| 4         | 1            | 0   | 1    | 0    |
| 5         | 5            | 0   | 6    | 0    |
| 6         | 4            | 0   | 4    | 0    |
| 7         | 17           | 0   | 8    | 0    |
| 8         | 17           | 1   | 17   | 3    |
| 9         | 29           | 9   | 26   | 8    |
| 10        | 125          | 178 | 137  | 185  |
| 11        | 0            | 8   | 0    | 4    |
| 12        | 0            | 2   | 0    | 0    |
| 13        | 0            | 1   | 0    | 0    |
| 14        | 0            | 1   | 0    | 0    |
| 15        | 0            | 0   | 0    | 0    |

**Table 8**:  $Exp_2: N = 500$ 

Average distance from the estimated sparsity pattern  $\widehat{\mathcal{G}}$  to the true sparsity pattern  $\mathcal{G}$ 



**Fig. 1**: Exp<sub>1</sub>: Average distances from the estimated sparsity pattern to the true one. For each sample size (N), a different color is used for each boxplot, depending on the convex optimization problem solved in the training phase: the first boxplot (in black) is for LS with Granger constraints, the second one (in blue) is for the estimation method from [2] and the last one (in red) is for the iterative estimation method.



**Fig. 2**: Exp<sub>2</sub>: Average distances from the estimated sparsity pattern to the true one. All graphical conventions are the same as in Fig. 1.

|       | LS with Granger constraints |            |             |       |        |  |  |
|-------|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|--|
|       | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC   | 0.156                       | 0.102      | 0.174       | 0.103 | 0.102  |  |  |
| FPE   | 0.215                       | 0.130      | 0.229       | 0.131 | 0.130  |  |  |
| RNML  | 0.158                       | 0.105      | 0.171       | 0.105 | 0.105  |  |  |
| AICc  | 0.351                       | 0.409      | 0.354       | 0.400 | 0.409  |  |  |
| EBIC  | 0.187                       | 0.145      | 0.198       | 0.145 | 0.145  |  |  |
| ERNML | 0.189                       | 0.146      | 0.200       | 0.146 | 0.146  |  |  |
|       | Esti                        | mation n   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |  |
|       | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC   | 0.176                       | 0.133      | 0.190       | 0.133 | 0.133  |  |  |
| FPE   | 0.173                       | 0.111      | 0.198       | 0.112 | 0.111  |  |  |
| RNML  | 0.175                       | 0.132      | 0.188       | 0.132 | 0.132  |  |  |
| AICc  | 0.355                       | 0.412      | 0.356       | 0.404 | 0.412  |  |  |
| EBIC  | 0.191                       | 0.146      | 0.203       | 0.146 | 0.146  |  |  |
| ERNML | 0.192                       | 0.147      | 0.202       | 0.147 | 0.147  |  |  |
|       | Iter                        | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |  |
|       | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC   | 0.161                       | 0.107      | 0.179       | 0.108 | 0.107  |  |  |
| FPE   | 0.215                       | 0.129      | 0.240       | 0.130 | 0.129  |  |  |
| RNML  | 0.162                       | 0.108      | 0.175       | 0.108 | 0.108  |  |  |
| AICc  | 0.351                       | 0.410      | 0.355       | 0.401 | 0.410  |  |  |
| EBIC  | 0.188                       | 0.143      | 0.198       | 0.143 | 0.143  |  |  |
| ERNML | 0.189                       | 0.144      | 0.200       | 0.144 | 0.144  |  |  |

**Table 9**:  $Exp_1: N = 200$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |            |             |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.088 | 0.067      | 0.088       | 0.067 | 0.067  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.132 | 0.103      | 0.127       | 0.103 | 0.103  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.087 | 0.067      | 0.085       | 0.067 | 0.067  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.273 | 0.300      | 0.282       | 0.300 | 0.300  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.105 | 0.089      | 0.103       | 0.089 | 0.089  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.106 | 0.090      | 0.103       | 0.090 | 0.090  |  |
|                             | Esti  | mation n   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.102 | 0.085      | 0.102       | 0.085 | 0.085  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.101 | 0.078      | 0.101       | 0.078 | 0.078  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.100 | 0.084      | 0.099       | 0.084 | 0.084  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.277 | 0.307      | 0.286       | 0.307 | 0.307  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.106 | 0.090      | 0.104       | 0.090 | 0.090  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.107 | 0.091      | 0.105       | 0.091 | 0.091  |  |
|                             | Iter  | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.089 | 0.070      | 0.088       | 0.070 | 0.070  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.132 | 0.106      | 0.136       | 0.106 | 0.106  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.089 | 0.070      | 0.087       | 0.070 | 0.070  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.274 | 0.302      | 0.281       | 0.302 | 0.302  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.105 | 0.088      | 0.102       | 0.088 | 0.088  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.106 | 0.089      | 0.102       | 0.089 | 0.089  |  |

**Table 10**:  $Exp_1: N = 300$ 

|       | LS    | with Gra   | nger const  | raints |        |
|-------|-------|------------|-------------|--------|--------|
|       | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc   | ORACLE |
| SBC   | 0.056 | 0.050      | 0.056       | 0.050  | 0.050  |
| FPE   | 0.091 | 0.082      | 0.090       | 0.082  | 0.082  |
| RNML  | 0.056 | 0.051      | 0.056       | 0.051  | 0.051  |
| AICc  | 0.053 | 0.043      | 0.052       | 0.043  | 0.043  |
| EBIC  | 0.069 | 0.064      | 0.068       | 0.064  | 0.064  |
| ERNML | 0.068 | 0.064      | 0.067       | 0.064  | 0.064  |
|       | Esti  | mation n   | nethod from | m [2]  |        |
|       | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc   | ORACLE |
| SBC   | 0.066 | 0.061      | 0.066       | 0.061  | 0.061  |
| FPE   | 0.076 | 0.067      | 0.077       | 0.067  | 0.067  |
| RNML  | 0.065 | 0.060      | 0.065       | 0.060  | 0.060  |
| AICc  | 0.067 | 0.059      | 0.067       | 0.059  | 0.059  |
| EBIC  | 0.069 | 0.064      | 0.068       | 0.064  | 0.064  |
| ERNML | 0.069 | 0.064      | 0.068       | 0.064  | 0.064  |
|       | Iter  | ative esti | mation me   | ethod  |        |
|       | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc   | ORACLE |
| SBC   | 0.055 | 0.050      | 0.055       | 0.050  | 0.050  |
| FPE   | 0.108 | 0.097      | 0.108       | 0.097  | 0.097  |
| RNML  | 0.056 | 0.050      | 0.055       | 0.050  | 0.050  |
| AICc  | 0.055 | 0.047      | 0.053       | 0.047  | 0.047  |
| EBIC  | 0.067 | 0.062      | 0.067       | 0.062  | 0.062  |
| ERNML | 0.068 | 0.063      | 0.067       | 0.063  | 0.063  |

**Table 11**:  $Exp_1: N = 400$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |            |             |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.040 | 0.040      | 0.041       | 0.040 | 0.040  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.073 | 0.072      | 0.074       | 0.072 | 0.072  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.040 | 0.039      | 0.040       | 0.039 | 0.039  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.036 | 0.034      | 0.037       | 0.034 | 0.034  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.050 | 0.049      | 0.050       | 0.049 | 0.049  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.051 | 0.049      | 0.050       | 0.049 | 0.049  |  |
|                             | Esti  | mation n   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.051 | 0.050      | 0.051       | 0.050 | 0.050  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.071 | 0.070      | 0.072       | 0.070 | 0.070  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.050 | 0.049      | 0.050       | 0.049 | 0.049  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.051 | 0.049      | 0.052       | 0.049 | 0.049  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.050 | 0.049      | 0.050       | 0.049 | 0.049  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.051 | 0.049      | 0.050       | 0.049 | 0.049  |  |
|                             | Iter  | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.045 | 0.044      | 0.045       | 0.044 | 0.044  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.093 | 0.092      | 0.096       | 0.092 | 0.092  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.042 | 0.042      | 0.043       | 0.042 | 0.042  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.044 | 0.042      | 0.045       | 0.042 | 0.042  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.049 | 0.048      | 0.049       | 0.048 | 0.048  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.049 | 0.048      | 0.049       | 0.048 | 0.048  |  |

**Table 12**:  $Exp_1: N = 500$ 

|                          | LS with Granger constraints |            |             |       |        |  |  |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|--|
| SBC FPE RNML AICC ORACLE |                             |            |             |       |        |  |  |
| SBC                      | 0.098                       | 0.043      | 0.091       | 0.049 | 0.044  |  |  |
| FPE                      | 0.109                       | 0.037      | 0.098       | 0.038 | 0.034  |  |  |
| RNML                     | 0.094                       | 0.041      | 0.091       | 0.047 | 0.042  |  |  |
| AICc                     | 0.081                       | 0.034      | 0.073       | 0.036 | 0.038  |  |  |
| EBIC                     | 0.118                       | 0.044      | 0.102       | 0.050 | 0.044  |  |  |
| ERNML                    | 0.117                       | 0.044      | 0.102       | 0.051 | 0.045  |  |  |
|                          | Esti                        | mation r   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |  |
|                          | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                      | 0.107                       | 0.043      | 0.097       | 0.048 | 0.043  |  |  |
| FPE                      | 0.084                       | 0.032      | 0.078       | 0.033 | 0.035  |  |  |
| RNML                     | 0.103                       | 0.041      | 0.099       | 0.048 | 0.042  |  |  |
| AICc                     | 0.088                       | 0.039      | 0.083       | 0.043 | 0.041  |  |  |
| EBIC                     | 0.116                       | 0.044      | 0.102       | 0.051 | 0.045  |  |  |
| ERNML                    | 0.116                       | 0.044      | 0.103       | 0.051 | 0.045  |  |  |
|                          | Iter                        | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |  |
|                          | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                      | 0.101                       | 0.044      | 0.097       | 0.050 | 0.045  |  |  |
| FPE                      | 0.108                       | 0.036      | 0.094       | 0.036 | 0.035  |  |  |
| RNML                     | 0.094                       | 0.042      | 0.094       | 0.046 | 0.043  |  |  |
| AICc                     | 0.083                       | 0.037      | 0.078       | 0.038 | 0.042  |  |  |
| EBIC                     | 0.119                       | 0.046      | 0.105       | 0.051 | 0.046  |  |  |
| ERNML                    | 0.119                       | 0.046      | 0.104       | 0.052 | 0.046  |  |  |

**Table 13**:  $Exp_2: N = 200$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |            |             |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.046 | 0.014      | 0.038       | 0.016 | 0.015  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.052 | 0.019      | 0.043       | 0.019 | 0.018  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.046 | 0.014      | 0.038       | 0.015 | 0.015  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.032 | 0.008      | 0.027       | 0.007 | 0.009  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.051 | 0.015      | 0.041       | 0.016 | 0.016  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.051 | 0.015      | 0.042       | 0.016 | 0.016  |  |
|                             | Esti  | mation n   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.047 | 0.016      | 0.041       | 0.017 | 0.016  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.034 | 0.013      | 0.029       | 0.015 | 0.013  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.047 | 0.015      | 0.041       | 0.016 | 0.016  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.033 | 0.014      | 0.029       | 0.015 | 0.014  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.051 | 0.015      | 0.041       | 0.016 | 0.016  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.051 | 0.016      | 0.041       | 0.017 | 0.016  |  |
|                             | Iter  | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.047 | 0.017      | 0.039       | 0.018 | 0.017  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.050 | 0.021      | 0.044       | 0.020 | 0.018  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.047 | 0.017      | 0.040       | 0.017 | 0.017  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.035 | 0.013      | 0.031       | 0.012 | 0.013  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.052 | 0.017      | 0.042       | 0.017 | 0.017  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.050 | 0.017      | 0.042       | 0.017 | 0.017  |  |

**Table 14**:  $Exp_2: N = 300$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |            |             |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.017 | 0.006      | 0.009       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.037 | 0.017      | 0.031       | 0.017 | 0.017  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.016 | 0.006      | 0.009       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.021 | 0.006      | 0.011       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.019 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.019 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
|                             | Esti  | mation n   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.018 | 0.008      | 0.011       | 0.008 | 0.008  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.020 | 0.009      | 0.013       | 0.009 | 0.008  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.019 | 0.007      | 0.011       | 0.007 | 0.007  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.019 | 0.008      | 0.011       | 0.008 | 0.007  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.019 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.019 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
|                             | Iter  | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.022 | 0.010      | 0.014       | 0.012 | 0.010  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.044 | 0.021      | 0.036       | 0.023 | 0.021  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.022 | 0.010      | 0.014       | 0.012 | 0.010  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.027 | 0.009      | 0.017       | 0.011 | 0.009  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.022 | 0.010      | 0.013       | 0.010 | 0.010  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.020 | 0.008      | 0.011       | 0.008 | 0.008  |  |

**Table 15**:  $Exp_2$ : N = 400

| LS with Granger constraints |       |            |             |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.007 | 0.005      | 0.008       | 0.004 | 0.003  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.031 | 0.018      | 0.027       | 0.017 | 0.015  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.008 | 0.004      | 0.008       | 0.003 | 0.003  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.014 | 0.006      | 0.012       | 0.006 | 0.006  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.008 | 0.005      | 0.008       | 0.004 | 0.003  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.008 | 0.005      | 0.008       | 0.004 | 0.003  |  |
|                             | Esti  | mation n   | nethod from | m [2] |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.010 | 0.007      | 0.010       | 0.006 | 0.005  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.012 | 0.006      | 0.011       | 0.004 | 0.004  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.011 | 0.007      | 0.011       | 0.006 | 0.005  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.010 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.004 | 0.004  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.009 | 0.006      | 0.009       | 0.005 | 0.004  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.009 | 0.006      | 0.009       | 0.004 | 0.004  |  |
|                             | Iter  | ative esti | mation me   | ethod |        |  |
|                             | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.009 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.005 | 0.004  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.039 | 0.025      | 0.036       | 0.024 | 0.023  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.011 | 0.006      | 0.011       | 0.005 | 0.004  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.018 | 0.009      | 0.015       | 0.008 | 0.008  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.011 | 0.006      | 0.011       | 0.005 | 0.004  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.010 | 0.006      | 0.010       | 0.005 | 0.004  |  |

**Table 16**:  $Exp_2: N = 500$ 

# Empirical probability that the estimated model is not stable

| LS with Granger constraints |  |  |   |   |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|--|--|
| SBC                         | FPE  | RNML   | AICc  | ORACLE  |  |  |  |
| 0.105                       | 0.170  | 0.095  | 0.175   | 0.170   |  |  |  |
| 0.110                       | 0.165  | 0.100  | 0.165   | 0.165   |  |  |  |
| 0.100                       | 0.165  | 0.095  | 0.170   | 0.165   |  |  |  |
| 0.080                       | 0.140  | 0.075  | 0.140   | 0.140   |  |  |  |
| 0.135                       | 0.175  | 0.115  | 0.180   | 0.175   |  |  |  |
| 0.150                       | 0.180  | 0.140  | 0.185   | 0.180   |  |  |  |
| 0.100                       | 0.160  | 0.095  | 0.160   | 0.160   |  |  |  |
|                             | LS v<br>SBC<br>0.105<br>0.110<br>0.100<br>0.080<br>0.135<br>0.150<br>0.100 | LS with Gran<br>SBC FPE<br>0.105 0.170<br>0.110 0.165<br>0.100 0.165<br>0.080 0.140<br>0.135 0.175<br>0.150 0.180<br>0.100 0.160 | LS with Granger constr<br>SBC FPE RNML<br>0.105 0.170 0.095<br>0.110 0.165 0.100<br>0.100 0.165 0.095<br>0.080 0.140 0.075<br>0.135 0.175 0.115<br>0.150 0.180 0.140<br>0.100 0.160 0.095 | LS with Granger constraints   SBC FPE RNML AICc   0.105 0.170 0.095 0.175   0.110 0.165 0.100 0.165   0.100 0.165 0.095 0.170   0.080 0.140 0.075 0.140   0.135 0.175 0.115 0.180   0.150 0.180 0.140 0.185   0.100 0.160 0.095 0.160 |  |  |  |

**Table 17**:  $Exp_1: N = 200$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.115 | 0.135 | 0.115 | 0.135 | 0.135  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.085 | 0.110 | 0.095 | 0.110 | 0.110  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.095 | 0.115 | 0.105 | 0.115 | 0.115  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.095 | 0.115 | 0.100 | 0.115 | 0.115  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.100 | 0.125 | 0.105 | 0.125 | 0.125  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.095 | 0.125 | 0.105 | 0.125 | 0.125  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.075 | 0.105 | 0.085 | 0.105 | 0.105  |  |

**Table 18**:  $Exp_1: N = 300$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                         | 0.110 | 0.110 | 0.110 | 0.110 | 0.110  |  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.090 | 0.095 | 0.090 | 0.095 | 0.095  |  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.115 | 0.110 | 0.110 | 0.110 | 0.110  |  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.095 | 0.100 | 0.095 | 0.100 | 0.100  |  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.115  |  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.115  |  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.080 | 0.085 | 0.075 | 0.085 | 0.085  |  |  |

**Table 19**:  $Exp_1: N = 400$ 

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                         | 0.085 | 0.085 | 0.080 | 0.085 | 0.085  |  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.075 | 0.075 | 0.070 | 0.075 | 0.075  |  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.095 | 0.095 | 0.085 | 0.095 | 0.095  |  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.080 | 0.080 | 0.075 | 0.080 | 0.080  |  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.090 | 0.100 | 0.100  |  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.090 | 0.100 | 0.100  |  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.070 | 0.070 | 0.065 | 0.070 | 0.070  |  |  |
|                             |       |       |       |       |        |  |  |

**Table 20**: Exp<sub>1</sub>: N = 500

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                         | 0.140 | 0.305 | 0.150 | 0.305 | 0.325  |  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.155 | 0.300 | 0.170 | 0.300 | 0.325  |  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.140 | 0.305 | 0.150 | 0.305 | 0.325  |  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.140 | 0.305 | 0.150 | 0.305 | 0.325  |  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.140 | 0.305 | 0.150 | 0.305 | 0.325  |  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.140 | 0.305 | 0.145 | 0.305 | 0.325  |  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.140 | 0.295 | 0.150 | 0.295 | 0.315  |  |  |

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                         | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.255 | 0.265  |  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.260 | 0.270  |  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.255 | 0.265  |  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.255 | 0.265  |  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.255 | 0.265  |  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.255 | 0.265  |  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.195 | 0.255 | 0.205 | 0.255 | 0.265  |  |  |

**Table 22**:  $Exp_2$ : N = 300

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |
| SBC                         | 0.180 | 0.245 | 0.210 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.185 | 0.245 | 0.205 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.180 | 0.245 | 0.210 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.185 | 0.245 | 0.210 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.180 | 0.245 | 0.210 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.180 | 0.245 | 0.210 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.180 | 0.245 | 0.210 | 0.250 | 0.250  |  |

**Table 23**: Exp<sub>2</sub>: N = 400

| LS with Granger constraints |       |       |       |       |        |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--|--|
|                             | SBC   | FPE   | RNML  | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC                         | 0.130 | 0.150 | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |
| FPE                         | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.120 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |
| RNML                        | 0.130 | 0.150 | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |
| AICc                        | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.120 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |
| EBIC                        | 0.130 | 0.150 | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |
| ERNML                       | 0.130 | 0.150 | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |
| ORACLE                      | 0.130 | 0.150 | 0.125 | 0.150 | 0.150  |  |  |

**Table 24**: Exp<sub>2</sub>: N = 500

## **Prediction errors**



**Fig. 3**: Results of prediction in  $Exp_1$ . This plot is the same as the one in [1, Fig. 1].



**Fig. 4**: Results of prediction in  $Exp_2$ . This plot is the same as the one in [1, Fig. 2].

|        | LS v  | vith Gran   | iger constr | aints |        |
|--------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|--------|
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.668 | 2.549       | 2.690       | 2.549 | 2.549  |
| FPE    | 2.711 | 2.666       | 2.757       | 2.666 | 2.666  |
| RNML   | 2.672 | 2.597       | 2.694       | 2.597 | 2.597  |
| AICc   | 2.675 | 2.642       | 2.656       | 2.642 | 2.642  |
| EBIC   | 2.793 | 2.816       | 2.858       | 2.816 | 2.816  |
| ERNML  | 2.888 | 2.866       | 2.981       | 2.866 | 2.866  |
| ORACLE | 2.694 | 2.481       | 2.695       | 2.481 | 2.481  |
|        | Estir | nation m    | ethod fror  | n [2] |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 3.994 | 3.842       | 3.914       | 3.842 | 3.842  |
| FPE    | 3.993 | 3.853       | 3.914       | 3.845 | 3.853  |
| RNML   | 3.994 | 3.842       | 3.909       | 3.842 | 3.842  |
| AICc   | 3.886 | 3.793       | 3.886       | 3.793 | 3.793  |
| EBIC   | 4.004 | 3.842       | 3.908       | 3.842 | 3.842  |
| ERNML  | 4.004 | 3.842       | 3.908       | 3.842 | 3.842  |
| ORACLE | 4.097 | 3.844       | 4.017       | 3.844 | 3.844  |
|        | Itera | ative estin | mation me   | thod  |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.723 | 2.560       | 2.877       | 2.560 | 2.560  |
| FPE    | 2.733 | 2.564       | 2.815       | 2.564 | 2.564  |
| RNML   | 2.728 | 2.597       | 2.948       | 2.597 | 2.597  |
| AICc   | 2.798 | 2.624       | 2.938       | 2.624 | 2.624  |
| EBIC   | 2.835 | 2.751       | 3.103       | 2.751 | 2.751  |
| ERNML  | 2.860 | 2.766       | 3.232       | 2.766 | 2.766  |
| ORACLE | 2.785 | 2.575       | 3.101       | 2.575 | 2.575  |

**Table 25**:  $Exp_1: N = 200$ 

|        | LS v  | vith Gran  | iger constr | aints |        |
|--------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|--------|
|        | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.513 | 2.558      | 2.558       | 2.558 | 2.558  |
| FPE    | 2.501 | 2.607      | 2.501       | 2.607 | 2.607  |
| RNML   | 2.542 | 2.596      | 2.590       | 2.596 | 2.596  |
| AICc   | 2.550 | 2.600      | 2.602       | 2.600 | 2.600  |
| EBIC   | 2.550 | 2.570      | 2.550       | 2.570 | 2.570  |
| ERNML  | 2.570 | 2.590      | 2.570       | 2.590 | 2.590  |
| ORACLE | 2.499 | 2.541      | 2.517       | 2.541 | 2.541  |
|        | Estir | nation m   | ethod from  | n [2] |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 4.063 | 3.955      | 4.087       | 3.955 | 3.955  |
| FPE    | 4.063 | 3.957      | 4.087       | 3.957 | 3.957  |
| RNML   | 4.063 | 3.955      | 4.087       | 3.955 | 3.955  |
| AICc   | 4.047 | 3.958      | 4.060       | 3.958 | 3.958  |
| EBIC   | 4.063 | 3.955      | 4.109       | 3.955 | 3.955  |
| ERNML  | 4.063 | 3.955      | 4.109       | 3.955 | 3.955  |
| ORACLE | 4.060 | 3.958      | 4.083       | 3.958 | 3.958  |
|        | Itera | tive estii | mation me   | thod  |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE        | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.767 | 2.742      | 2.837       | 2.742 | 2.742  |
| FPE    | 2.702 | 2.690      | 2.745       | 2.690 | 2.690  |
| RNML   | 2.718 | 2.698      | 2.839       | 2.698 | 2.698  |
| AICc   | 2.713 | 2.682      | 2.778       | 2.682 | 2.682  |
| EBIC   | 2.733 | 2.662      | 2.830       | 2.662 | 2.662  |
| ERNML  | 2.733 | 2.634      | 2.854       | 2.634 | 2.634  |
| ORACLE | 2.744 | 2.706      | 2.906       | 2.706 | 2.706  |

**Table 26**:  $Exp_1: N = 300$ 

|        | LS with Granger constraints |             |            |       |        |  |  |
|--------|-----------------------------|-------------|------------|-------|--------|--|--|
|        | SBC                         | FPE         | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 2.614                       | 2.570       | 2.594      | 2.570 | 2.570  |  |  |
| FPE    | 2.565                       | 2.554       | 2.565      | 2.554 | 2.554  |  |  |
| RNML   | 2.620                       | 2.561       | 2.594      | 2.561 | 2.561  |  |  |
| AICc   | 2.496                       | 2.496       | 2.496      | 2.496 | 2.496  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 2.582                       | 2.558       | 2.570      | 2.558 | 2.558  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 2.602                       | 2.570       | 2.582      | 2.570 | 2.570  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 2.559                       | 2.505       | 2.520      | 2.505 | 2.505  |  |  |
|        | Estir                       | nation m    | ethod from | n [2] |        |  |  |
|        | SBC                         | FPE         | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 3.973                       | 3.910       | 3.942      | 3.910 | 3.910  |  |  |
| FPE    | 3.989                       | 3.958       | 3.989      | 3.958 | 3.958  |  |  |
| RNML   | 3.973                       | 3.910       | 3.942      | 3.910 | 3.910  |  |  |
| AICc   | 3.989                       | 3.958       | 3.989      | 3.958 | 3.958  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 4.004                       | 3.910       | 3.968      | 3.910 | 3.910  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 4.004                       | 3.910       | 3.968      | 3.910 | 3.910  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 4.003                       | 3.958       | 3.988      | 3.958 | 3.958  |  |  |
|        | Itera                       | ative estin | nation me  | thod  |        |  |  |
|        | SBC                         | FPE         | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 2.588                       | 2.522       | 2.559      | 2.522 | 2.522  |  |  |
| FPE    | 2.579                       | 2.508       | 2.544      | 2.508 | 2.508  |  |  |
| RNML   | 2.588                       | 2.534       | 2.563      | 2.534 | 2.534  |  |  |
| AICc   | 2.563                       | 2.522       | 2.540      | 2.522 | 2.522  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 2.769                       | 2.542       | 2.680      | 2.542 | 2.542  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 2.768                       | 2.542       | 2.680      | 2.542 | 2.542  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 2.600                       | 2.522       | 2.577      | 2.522 | 2.522  |  |  |

**Table 27**:  $Exp_1: N = 400$ 

|        | LS with Granger constraints |            |            |       |        |  |  |
|--------|-----------------------------|------------|------------|-------|--------|--|--|
|        | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 2.508                       | 2.508      | 2.476      | 2.508 | 2.508  |  |  |
| FPE    | 2.481                       | 2.481      | 2.478      | 2.481 | 2.481  |  |  |
| RNML   | 2.476                       | 2.508      | 2.501      | 2.508 | 2.508  |  |  |
| AICc   | 2.510                       | 2.510      | 2.479      | 2.510 | 2.510  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 2.473                       | 2.490      | 2.490      | 2.490 | 2.490  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 2.473                       | 2.490      | 2.490      | 2.490 | 2.490  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 2.493                       | 2.493      | 2.493      | 2.493 | 2.493  |  |  |
|        | Estir                       | nation m   | ethod fror | n [2] |        |  |  |
|        | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 3.874                       | 3.790      | 3.874      | 3.790 | 3.790  |  |  |
| FPE    | 3.874                       | 3.771      | 3.874      | 3.771 | 3.771  |  |  |
| RNML   | 3.874                       | 3.790      | 3.874      | 3.790 | 3.790  |  |  |
| AICc   | 3.874                       | 3.790      | 3.874      | 3.790 | 3.790  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 3.881                       | 3.790      | 3.881      | 3.790 | 3.790  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 3.881                       | 3.790      | 3.881      | 3.790 | 3.790  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 3.871                       | 3.788      | 3.871      | 3.788 | 3.788  |  |  |
|        | Itera                       | tive estin | mation me  | thod  |        |  |  |
|        | SBC                         | FPE        | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 2.433                       | 2.443      | 2.452      | 2.443 | 2.443  |  |  |
| FPE    | 2.432                       | 2.432      | 2.432      | 2.432 | 2.432  |  |  |
| RNML   | 2.433                       | 2.443      | 2.452      | 2.443 | 2.443  |  |  |
| AICc   | 2.452                       | 2.443      | 2.452      | 2.443 | 2.443  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 2.429                       | 2.462      | 2.476      | 2.462 | 2.462  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 2.429                       | 2.462      | 2.476      | 2.462 | 2.462  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 2.364                       | 2.382      | 2.382      | 2.382 | 2.382  |  |  |

**Table 28**: Exp<sub>1</sub>: N = 500

|        | LS v  | vith Gran   | nger constr | aints |        |
|--------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|--------|
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 1.675 | 1.605       | 1.624       | 1.635 | 1.616  |
| FPE    | 1.728 | 1.601       | 1.628       | 1.611 | 1.612  |
| RNML   | 1.667 | 1.615       | 1.634       | 1.645 | 1.616  |
| AICc   | 1.696 | 1.606       | 1.634       | 1.635 | 1.616  |
| EBIC   | 1.687 | 1.615       | 1.641       | 1.645 | 1.616  |
| ERNML  | 1.687 | 1.615       | 1.641       | 1.645 | 1.616  |
| ORACLE | 1.681 | 1.592       | 1.631       | 1.611 | 1.612  |
|        | Estir | mation m    | ethod from  | n [2] |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.792 | 2.120       | 2.792       | 2.173 | 2.056  |
| FPE    | 2.792 | 2.120       | 2.800       | 2.145 | 2.056  |
| RNML   | 2.792 | 2.120       | 2.792       | 2.173 | 2.056  |
| AICc   | 2.802 | 2.120       | 2.808       | 2.173 | 2.056  |
| EBIC   | 2.792 | 2.120       | 2.792       | 2.173 | 2.056  |
| ERNML  | 2.792 | 2.120       | 2.792       | 2.173 | 2.056  |
| ORACLE | 2.794 | 2.119       | 2.793       | 2.143 | 2.056  |
|        | Itera | ative estin | mation me   | thod  |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 1.743 | 1.598       | 1.623       | 1.618 | 1.616  |
| FPE    | 1.745 | 1.594       | 1.632       | 1.598 | 1.581  |
| RNML   | 1.715 | 1.603       | 1.642       | 1.628 | 1.616  |
| AICc   | 1.745 | 1.598       | 1.624       | 1.605 | 1.610  |
| EBIC   | 1.763 | 1.603       | 1.650       | 1.628 | 1.616  |
| ERNML  | 1.763 | 1.603       | 1.655       | 1.628 | 1.616  |
| ORACLE | 1.759 | 1.592       | 1.658       | 1.601 | 1.599  |

**Table 29**:  $Exp_2: N = 200$ 

|        | LS v  | vith Gran   | nger constr | aints |        |
|--------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|--------|
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 1.574 | 1.530       | 1.536       | 1.530 | 1.527  |
| FPE    | 1.606 | 1.535       | 1.543       | 1.535 | 1.535  |
| RNML   | 1.607 | 1.530       | 1.536       | 1.530 | 1.527  |
| AICc   | 1.607 | 1.530       | 1.536       | 1.530 | 1.527  |
| EBIC   | 1.574 | 1.530       | 1.536       | 1.530 | 1.527  |
| ERNML  | 1.574 | 1.530       | 1.536       | 1.530 | 1.527  |
| ORACLE | 1.607 | 1.530       | 1.536       | 1.530 | 1.527  |
|        | Estir | mation m    | ethod from  | n [2] |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.498 | 2.462  |
| FPE    | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.497 | 2.462  |
| RNML   | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.498 | 2.462  |
| AICc   | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.497 | 2.462  |
| EBIC   | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.498 | 2.462  |
| ERNML  | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.498 | 2.462  |
| ORACLE | 2.897 | 2.466       | 2.883       | 2.497 | 2.462  |
|        | Itera | ative estii | mation me   | thod  |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 1.724 | 1.614       | 1.652       | 1.614 | 1.627  |
| FPE    | 1.709 | 1.618       | 1.631       | 1.614 | 1.630  |
| RNML   | 1.732 | 1.614       | 1.652       | 1.614 | 1.627  |
| AICc   | 1.709 | 1.614       | 1.631       | 1.614 | 1.627  |
| EBIC   | 1.724 | 1.614       | 1.652       | 1.614 | 1.627  |
| ERNML  | 1.724 | 1.614       | 1.652       | 1.614 | 1.627  |
| ORACLE | 1.732 | 1.635       | 1.668       | 1.635 | 1.652  |

**Table 30**:  $Exp_2$ : N = 300

|        | LS v  | vith Gran   | nger constr | aints |        |
|--------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|--------|
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 1.551 | 1.520       | 1.533       | 1.505 | 1.525  |
| FPE    | 1.572 | 1.520       | 1.537       | 1.505 | 1.525  |
| RNML   | 1.551 | 1.520       | 1.533       | 1.505 | 1.525  |
| AICc   | 1.551 | 1.520       | 1.533       | 1.505 | 1.525  |
| EBIC   | 1.551 | 1.520       | 1.533       | 1.505 | 1.525  |
| ERNML  | 1.551 | 1.520       | 1.533       | 1.505 | 1.525  |
| ORACLE | 1.551 | 1.510       | 1.533       | 1.505 | 1.511  |
|        | Estir | nation m    | ethod from  | n [2] |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 2.431 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
| FPE    | 2.431 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
| RNML   | 2.430 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
| AICc   | 2.431 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
| EBIC   | 2.434 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
| ERNML  | 2.434 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
| ORACLE | 2.431 | 2.290       | 2.410       | 2.290 | 2.280  |
|        | Itera | ative estin | mation me   | thod  |        |
|        | SBC   | FPE         | RNML        | AICc  | ORACLE |
| SBC    | 1.615 | 1.614       | 1.604       | 1.631 | 1.600  |
| FPE    | 1.638 | 1.618       | 1.619       | 1.631 | 1.605  |
| RNML   | 1.615 | 1.631       | 1.604       | 1.631 | 1.617  |
| AICc   | 1.615 | 1.614       | 1.604       | 1.631 | 1.600  |
| EBIC   | 1.615 | 1.631       | 1.604       | 1.631 | 1.617  |
| ERNML  | 1.641 | 1.641       | 1.619       | 1.641 | 1.640  |
| ORACLE | 1.641 | 1.641       | 1.616       | 1.641 | 1.640  |

**Table 31**: Exp<sub>2</sub>: N = 400

|        | LS with Granger constraints |             |            |       |        |  |  |
|--------|-----------------------------|-------------|------------|-------|--------|--|--|
|        | SBC                         | FPE         | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 1.386                       | 1.386       | 1.386      | 1.386 | 1.394  |  |  |
| FPE    | 1.379                       | 1.386       | 1.379      | 1.379 | 1.380  |  |  |
| RNML   | 1.386                       | 1.386       | 1.386      | 1.386 | 1.394  |  |  |
| AICc   | 1.379                       | 1.386       | 1.379      | 1.379 | 1.380  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 1.386                       | 1.386       | 1.386      | 1.386 | 1.394  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 1.386                       | 1.386       | 1.386      | 1.386 | 1.394  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 1.386                       | 1.386       | 1.386      | 1.386 | 1.394  |  |  |
|        | Esti                        | mation m    | ethod fror | n [2] |        |  |  |
|        | SBC                         | FPE         | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
| FPE    | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
| RNML   | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
| AICc   | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 2.434                       | 2.312       | 2.417      | 2.312 | 2.312  |  |  |
|        | Itera                       | ative estii | mation me  | thod  |        |  |  |
|        | SBC                         | FPE         | RNML       | AICc  | ORACLE |  |  |
| SBC    | 1.478                       | 1.498       | 1.447      | 1.489 | 1.489  |  |  |
| FPE    | 1.451                       | 1.498       | 1.444      | 1.479 | 1.479  |  |  |
| RNML   | 1.478                       | 1.498       | 1.447      | 1.489 | 1.489  |  |  |
| AICc   | 1.465                       | 1.498       | 1.447      | 1.489 | 1.489  |  |  |
| EBIC   | 1.478                       | 1.498       | 1.447      | 1.489 | 1.489  |  |  |
| ERNML  | 1.478                       | 1.498       | 1.447      | 1.489 | 1.489  |  |  |
| ORACLE | 1.478                       | 1.498       | 1.447      | 1.489 | 1.489  |  |  |

**Table 32**:  $Exp_2$ : N = 500

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