New Estimator for AR (1) Model with Missing Observations

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Abstract: In this paper, new form of the parameters of AR(1) with constant term with missing observations has been derived by using Ordinary Least Squares (OLS) method. Also, the properties of OLS estimator are discussed, moreover, an extension of Youssef [18] has been suggested for AR(1) with constant with missing observations. A comparative study between (OLS), Yule-Walker (YW) and modification of the ordinary least squares (MOLS) is considered in the case of stationary and near unit root time series, using Monte Carlo simulation.

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1. Introduction

A survey of methodologies for handling missing-data problems with emphasis on likelihood methods and the expectation–maximization (EM) algorithm is presented by Little and Rubin [11]. Parzen [12], a time series with missing observations can be regarded as an amplitude modulated version of the original time series, i.e

\[ y_k = a_k x_k \quad k = 1,2, ..., n \] (1)

Where \( x_k \) is assumed to be defined for all time and \( a_k \) represented the state of observation.

\[ a_k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x_k \text{ is observed,} \\ 0 & \text{if } x_k \text{ is missing} \end{cases} \]

and \( y_k \) represents the observed value of \( x_k \), if \( a_k = 1 \) otherwise \( y_k \) will be equal to zero if \( x_k \) is missing. In practice, missing values may occur regularly or randomly. Jones [10] and Parzen [12] considered the case of periodic sampling where the observed data consist of repeated in two groups, the first group consecutive observations followed by second group missed observations. Following Parzen [11] concentrated on the analysis of irregularly observed time series and contains theoretical and practical contributions. In contrast, Scheinok [15] and Bloomfield [3] investigated the case where \( x_k \) is observed
when a “success” is achieved on a Bernoulli trial. These references concentrate on non-parametric spectral analysis of time series with missing values, while a parametric approach is considered by Dunsmuir and Robinson [5]. In the time domain, asymptotic properties of non-parametric estimators of autocovariances and autocorrelations of amplitude modulated time series are established by Dunsmuir and Robinson [6] and Yajima and Nishino [16]. These results can be used to build Yule-Walker type estimators for an AR process with missing observations.

The literatures have several approaches to estimate AR model with missing observations. Abdelwahab [1] extended the estimator of Dunsmuir and Robinson [4] of AR(1) with constant term with missing observations be using Yule-Walker method when \(|\rho| < 1\) is given by

\[
\hat{\rho}_{YW} = \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} z_k z_{k-1} / \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1}}{\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} z_k^2 / \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} a_k}
\]

(2)

Where \(Z_k = k - \mu\) and \(Z_{k-1} = k-1 - \mu\)

El-sayed et al. [7] derived OLS estimator for AR (1) without constant term in case of missing values. In addition, the properties of the estimator's linearity and unbiased are discussed. Saadatmand, et al [14] considered estimation of a missing value for AR (1) with exponential innovations and compared two methods of estimation of the missing value, with respect to Pitman’s measure of closeness. AbdelWahab and Issa [2] derived a general form of the mean and variance of AR (P) model with missing observations, and a special cases also introduced. In [9] they derived OLS estimator for AR (1) panel data model with missing data, which can be considered as an extension of El-Sayed, et al [7]. In addition Enany, et al. [8] introduced a closed form estimator for \(\rho\) in case of missing observations using maximum likelihood (ML) of AR(1) model without constant term with missing observations when \(y_0\) is random. The rest of this paper is organized as follows: section (2) the model and its assumptions has been introduced and alternative estimators for AR(1) model with constant term and missing observations has been obtained. Moreover, the properties of the estimator are investigated. In section (3), simulation studies are carried out to compare between different estimators YW estimator, and the proposed estimators (OLS and MOLS). Finally, in section (4), conclusion of the theory and simulation study has been presented.

2. Model and Alternative Estimators

Parzen [12] introduced the time series model with missing observations as a specific case of an amplitude modulated stationary process. He observed that the data \((x_1, x_2, x_3, ..., x_p)\) can be represented as,

\[
x_k = \eta + \rho x_{k-1} + \varepsilon_k, \quad k = 1, 2, ..., n
\]

(3)
To specify the model in (3), the following assumptions are imposed.

a) The unknown parameters $\rho$ and $\eta$ are constrained to $|\rho| < 1$ for stationarity.

b) $\theta$ is fixed and when $n \to \infty$ the effect of $\varepsilon_1$ will be negligible and so it will tend to zero.

c) $\varepsilon_k$ is (i.i.d) with a Gaussian distribution with mean 0 and variances $\sigma^2_{\varepsilon_k}$ and the fourth moment of $\varepsilon_k$ exists.

d) $E(\varepsilon_k, \varepsilon_k) = 0$, the independent variable are predetermined in the sense that they are orthogonal to the contemporary error term for every $k = 2,3,..., n$.

e) $E(\varepsilon_i, \varepsilon_k) = 0$

f) $a_{k-1}a_k = 1$ (this assumption stated by Takeuchi [16])

### 2.1 Least Square Estimator of AR (1) Model

Pre multiply $a_k$ of both sides of equation (3), to get,

$$k = \eta a_k + \rho a_{k-1} + a_k \varepsilon_k$$

(4)

The least square estimator for $\eta$ and $\rho$, can be obtained by regressing, including an intercept, $y_k$ on $y_{k-1}$ as in model (1). Let, $Q$ be the sum of squares of the random variables of model (4) of the estimated residuals:

$$Q_{ols} = \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \varepsilon_k^2 = \sum_{k=2}^{n} [y_k - \eta a_k - \rho a_{k-1}]^2$$

(5)

By differentiating equation (5) with respect to $\rho, \eta$ and set to zero then,

$$\hat{\rho}_{ols} = \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1} - \hat{\eta} \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1}}{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k^2}$$

(6)

$$\hat{\eta}_{ols} = \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1}}{n - c - 1} - \frac{\hat{\rho}_{ols} \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1}}{n - c - 1}$$

(7)

Where $n$ is sample size and $c$ is number of missing values. By substituting the value $\hat{\eta}_{ols}$ of equation (7), to get

$$\hat{\rho}_{ols} = \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1}}{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k^2} - \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k a_{k-1}}{n - c - 1}$$

(8)

### Properties of the Least Square Estimator

Some properties of the OLS method for the estimator of AR(1) with missing observations model with constant will be discussed.
- **The linearity of \( \rho \)**

By taking \( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k y_k \) as a common factor of the numerator

\[
\hat{\rho}_{ols} = \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left( y_{k-1} \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right)}{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1}}
\]

From equation (9), it is easy to verify that \( \hat{\rho}_{ols} \) can be rewritten as linear form

\[
\hat{\rho}_{ols} = \sum_{k=2}^{n} M_k a_k \]

Where

\[
M_k = a_k \left( y_{k-1} \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right) \left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right)^{-1}
\]

To prove the unbiasedness and variance property of \( \hat{\rho}_{ols} \) the following lines need to be established.

**Lemma (1):**

(i) \( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k = 0 \)

(ii) \( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} = 1 \)

(iii) \( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k^2 = \frac{\left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right)^2}{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1}} \]

**Proof**

(i) Since,

\[
\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k = \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left( y_{k-1} \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right) \left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right)^{-1} = \left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right) \left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right)^{-1} \]

Since, \( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k = n - c - 1 \), then

\[
\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k = 0
\]

(ii) Since,

\[
\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} = \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1}}{\left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n - c - 1} \right)^{-1}} = 1
\]
(iii) Since,

\[
\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k^2 = \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left[ a_{k-1} \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n-c-1} \right]^2 \left( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n-c-1} \right)^2
\]

\[
= \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left[ a_{k-1} + \frac{(\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k)^2}{(n-c-1)^2} - 2 \frac{a_{k-1}}{n-c-1} \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n-c-1} \right]
\]

\[
= \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left[ a_{k-1} + \frac{(n-c-1)(\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k)^2}{(n-c-1)^2} - 2 \frac{a_{k-1}}{n-c-1} \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n-c-1} \right]
\]

\[
= \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left[ a_{k-1} + \frac{(n-c-1)(\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k)^2}{(n-c-1)^2} - 2 \frac{a_{k-1}}{n-c-1} \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n-c-1} \right]
\]

\[
= \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \left[ a_{k-1} + \frac{(n-c-1)(\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k)^2}{(n-c-1)^2} - 2 \frac{a_{k-1}}{n-c-1} \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k \frac{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k}{n-c-1} \right]
\]

By simplifying equation (11) \( \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k^2 \) has its form

- The Unbiasedness of \( \hat{\rho}_{ols} \)

By substituting \( \hat{\rho}_{ols} \) of equation (4) in equation (10), to get

\[
\hat{\rho}_{ols} = - \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k + \rho \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k - \sum_{k=2}^{n} \rho_2 M_k \varepsilon_k \]

(12)

From result of lemma (1), then

\[
\hat{\rho}_{ols} = \rho + \sum_{k=2}^{n} M_k a_k \varepsilon_k \]

(13)

By taking the expectation of equation (13), so, \( \hat{\rho}_{ols} \) is unbiased estimator of \( \rho \)

Not: \( \hat{\eta}_{ols} \) is unbiased estimator of \( \eta \) (The proof is omitted).

- The Variance of the Estimators \( \hat{\rho}_{ols} \)

The variance of the (OLS) estimator can be obtained as follows:

\[
\text{var}(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) = E[\hat{\rho}_{ols} - \rho]^2
\]

(14)

By substituting from (13) in equation (14), to get;

\[
\text{var}(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) = E \left[ \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k \varepsilon_k \right]^2
\]
\[
\text{var}(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) = E \left[ \sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k M_k^2 \varepsilon_k^2 + \sum_{k=2}^{n} \sum_{i \neq k} a_i a_i M_i M_i \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_i \right] \tag{15}
\]

By taking the expectation in (15), to get;

\[
\text{var}(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) = \frac{\sigma_{ols}^2}{\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k (k-1)} - \frac{(\sum_{k=2}^{n} a_k)^2}{n(n-1)} \tag{16}
\]

### 2.2 Modification Least Square Estimator of AR (1)

In this section, we suggested a modification of Youssef (2006) in case of missing observations, is given by:

\[
\hat{\rho}_{MOLS} = \hat{\rho}_{ols} + c(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) \left[ \text{var}(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \tag{17}
\]

and an estimator of

\[
\hat{\eta}_{MOLS} = \bar{y}(0) - \hat{\rho}_{ols} \bar{y}(1) \tag{18}
\]

Where

\[
c(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) = \begin{cases} 
0 & \text{if } \hat{\rho}_{ols} \geq -7.1, \\
0.062222(\hat{\rho}_{ols} + 7.1)^2 & \text{if } -7.1 \leq \hat{\rho}_{ols} < -3.6, \\
1.71 - 0.062222(\hat{\rho}_{ols} + 0.10)^2 & \text{if } -3.6 \leq \hat{\rho}_{ols} \leq 3.4, \\
0.062222(\hat{\rho}_{ols} - 6.90)^2 & \text{if } 3.4 \leq \hat{\rho}_{ols} \leq 6.9, \\
0 & \text{if } \hat{\rho}_{ols} > 6.9, 
\end{cases}
\]

and

\[
\hat{\phi}_{ols} = \left( \text{var}(\hat{\rho}_{ols}) \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left( \hat{\rho}_{ols} - 1 \right)
\]

We choose the function \(c(\hat{\rho}_{ols})\) to be a smooth function of the statistic \(\hat{\rho}_{ols}\) to remove fluctuations in an ordered series, so that the result shall be smooth in the sense that the first-order differences errors must be regular and small.

### 3. Simulations Study

Here we analyse the finite sample behavior of estimators for OLS, YW and MOLS are defined by Monte Carlo simulations. The random errors is assumed to be standard normal distribution. A Comparison between (OLS), (YW) and (MOLS) estimators for AR (1) is presented using MSE as criteria. The setting of model and the result of the simulation study are discussed. To perform the simulation, the model is needed to construct as follows:

1. AR (1) model with constant is generated. The errors are generated \(\sim\) IIDN (0, 1), and the autoregressive parameter \(\rho\) is chosen to be (0.4, 0.7, 0.95 and 0.99) and \(\eta\) is chosen to be (0, 2 and 5).
2. The values of sample size \(n\) are equal to 20, 50, 100 and 250 to represent small, medium and large samples of time series.
To investigate the resistance of the proposed estimators, we randomly generate different percentages of missing values equals to \([5 \text{ to } 10], (15 \text{ to } 20)\) and \((23 \text{ to } 30)\] based on MSE as a criteria of comparison.

From tables (1 to 3) MOLS has better performance for small, medium and large sample size whatever the percentages of missing values and the values of \(\rho\) (Specially for the case of nearing unit root) comparing with the other methods. While for small sample size \((n = 20 \text{ and } \rho = 0.99)\) the MSE of (YW) method is inflated otherwise YW and OLS are almost for large sample size excepted for case of nearing unit root when \((\rho = 0.99)\) the MSE of (YW) methods is decrease as the sample size increase. Also, there is a positive correlation between the percentage of missing values and the value of the MSE whatever methods of estimation.

### 4. Conclusion

In this article, a new form of the estimator of the parameters of AR(1) with constant term with missing observations has been derived by using OLS and MOLS. Also, the linearity, the unbiasedness and the variance of the estimated parameters has been proved for OLS method. Also, a modification of the ordinary least square estimator for AR (1) with constant term with missing observations has been suggested. Moreover, the results of Monte Carlo simulation have been approved good results for MOLS comparing with the other methods.

### Appendix

**Table 1: MSE of AR (1) with constant when presenting missing from (5 to 10) %**

| \(n\) | \(\eta\) | \(\rho\) | Methods |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 4 | 0.968393 | 0.1805806 | 0.9716754 |
| 0 | 0.7 | 1.032027 | 0.1298812 | 1.044211 |
| 0 | 0.95 | 1.604699 | 0.336904 | 2.477449 |
| 0 | 0.99 | 10.76233 | 1.278834 | 101.0191 |

| 20 | 2 | 0.963473 | 0.1809134 | 0.966687 |
| 7 | 0.4 | 1.035475 | 0.1323727 | 1.047395 |
| 0 | 0.7 | 1.580166 | 0.3402403 | 2.29778 |
| 0 | 0.95 | 1.537254 | 0.106909 | 101.0087 |

| 5 | 0.4 | 0.982783 | 0.5999709 | 1.006373 |
| 7 | 1.17732 | 0.4441973 | 1.254056 |
| 0 | 0.95 | 2.096177 | 0.658379 | 10.0071 |
| 0 | 0.99 | 3.809973 | 1.066639 | 380.3538 |

| 50 | 0 | 0.9946356 | 0.05153484 | 0.9955089 |
| 7 | 0.4 | 1.047994 | 0.04088866 | 1.052115 |
| 0 | 0.7 | 1.54701 | 0.04825183 | 1.597877 |
| 0 | 0.95 | 2.867574 | 0.2552623 | 4.526094 |
| 2 | 0.4 | 0.9939973 | 0.05131506 | 0.9948659 |
| n  | η    | ρ     | OLS          | MOLS          | YW           |
|----|------|-------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| 0.7|      | 1.046383 | 0.04036824   | 1.050568      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.555653 | 0.04707399   | 1.604129      |              |
| 0.99|     | 2.824367 | 0.2520745    | 4.706201      |              |
| 5  |      | 0.990618 | 0.05159136   | 0.9915005     |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.051061 | 0.04020128   | 1.055237      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.55386  | 0.04803618   | 1.602607      |              |
| 0.99|     | 2.853917 | 0.2503087    | 4.203451      |              |
| 100| 0    | 1.003708 | 0.01998433   | 1.004219      |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.067184 | 0.01854758   | 1.069772      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.697259 | 0.01453212   | 1.744177      |              |
| 0.99|     | 3.579322 | 0.1028003    | 4.276545      |              |
| 2  | 0.4  | 1.005733 | 0.01972462   | 1.006243      |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.067159 | 0.01835664   | 1.069733      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.704838 | 0.01457261   | 1.750174      |              |
| 0.99|     | 3.615873 | 0.1038923    | 4.320035      |              |
| 5  | 0.4  | 1.005458 | 0.01989451   | 1.005963      |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.068698 | 0.01858591   | 1.071233      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.691083 | 0.01373967   | 1.736293      |              |
| 0.99|     | 3.649369 | 0.1081818    | 4.3734        |              |
| 250| 0    | 1.01063  | 0.006324722  | 1.010818      |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.066909 | 0.004926175  | 1.067891      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.68105  | 0.002955617  | 1.697834      |              |
| 0.99|     | 4.162772 | 0.0239558    | 3.461238      |              |
| 2  | 0.4  | 1.052456 | 0.01487625   | 1.053558      |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.282189 | 0.01576271   | 1.2886        |              |
| 0.95|     | 3.619094 | 0.01543403   | 3.81975       |              |
| 0.99|     | 10.9264  | 0.1054635    | 15.41834      |              |
| 5  | 0.4  | 1.007877 | 0.00658123   | 1.008063      |              |
| 0.7|      | 1.068466 | 0.00475400   | 1.069423      |              |
| 0.95|     | 1.671939 | 0.00288914   | 1.688428      |              |
| 0.99|     | 4.134925 | 0.0234227    | 4.567435      |              |
| n  | η  | ρ   | Methods       |
|----|----|-----|---------------|
|    |    |     | OLS | MOLS | YW   |
| 20 | 0  | 0.4 | 0.9749133 | 0.2451357 | 0.981976 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.102778  | 0.1841462 | 1.128937 |
|    |    | 0.95| 1.81887   | 0.413793  | 7.4.11254 |
|    |    | 0.99| 3.448981  | 0.886506  | 177.314  |
|    | 2  | 0.4 | 0.973123  | 0.2524433 | 0.9802957 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.096779  | 0.1867491 | 1.12212  |
|    |    | 0.95| 1.805127  | 0.4196555 | 3.93168  |
|    |    | 0.99| 3.506999  | 0.895706  | 187.4455 |
|    | 5  | 0.4 | 0.9795613 | 0.2480053 | 0.986971 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.100043  | 0.1889251 | 1.126146 |
|    |    | 0.95| 1.812485  | 0.417819  | 4.289986 |
|    |    | 0.99| 3.520894  | 0.9008005 | 202.2944 |
| 50 | 0  | 0.4 | 1.004058  | 0.07651163| 1.00635 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.135946  | 0.05426383| 1.147093 |
|    |    | 0.95| 2.16274   | 0.09801211| 2.396821 |
|    |    | 0.99| 3.950891  | 0.3643709 | 9.264502 |
|    | 2  | 0.4 | 1.007852  | 0.07405498| 1.010127 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.133281  | 0.05547938| 1.144867 |
|    |    | 0.95| 2.154456  | 0.09723346| 2.381065 |
|    |    | 0.99| 3.918684  | 0.357317  | 9.800973 |
|    | 5  | 0.4 | 1.007661  | 0.07536211| 1.009891 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.135624  | 0.05551519| 1.146992 |
|    |    | 0.95| 2.159953  | 0.09605557| 2.396225 |
|    |    | 0.99| 3.917036  | 0.3599319 | 10.57138 |
| 100| 0  | 0.4 | 1.024281  | 0.02889199| 1.025523 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.155633  | 0.02658009| 1.162268 |
|    |    | 0.95| 2.461991  | 0.03391199| 2.638604 |
|    |    | 0.99| 5.540116  | 0.185878  | 8.134825 |
|    | 2  | 0.4 | 1.024384  | 0.02814007| 1.025602 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.158659  | 0.02678125| 1.165434 |
|    |    | 0.95| 2.4726    | 0.03179676| 2.64757  |
|    |    | 0.99| 5.545234  | 0.1917081 | 8.20409  |
|    | 5  | 0.4 | 1.023849  | 0.02768167| 1.025095 |
|    |    | 0.7 | 1.157484  | 0.02690667| 1.164363 |
|    |    | 0.95| 2.458909  | 0.03305783| 2.637638 |
|    |    | 0.99| 5.542934  | 0.1883303 | 8.190199 |
| n  | η   | ρ   | Methods         |
|----|-----|-----|-----------------|
|    |     |     | OLS             | MOLS              | YW               |
| 250| 0   | 0.4 | 1.027401        | 0.008150639       | 1.027898         |
|    |     | 0.7 | 1.161601        | 0.006983699       | 1.164324         |
|    |     | 0.95| 2.544047        | 0.007038097       | 2.612736         |
|    |     | 0.99| 7.564561        | 0.0625094         | 9.347866         |
|    | 2   | 0.4 | 1.028419        | 0.00826265        | 1.028911         |
|    |     | 0.7 | 1.164313        | 0.0068932         | 1.167031         |
|    |     | 0.95| 2.559845        | 0.00707358        | 2.629815         |
|    |     | 0.99| 7.524884        | 0.06157131        | 9.365334         |
|    | 5   | 0.4 | 1.029756        | 0.00819661        | 1.030243         |
|    |     | 0.7 | 1.161748        | 0.00703535        | 1.164477         |
|    |     | 0.95| 2.54889         | 0.0072963         | 2.620243         |
|    |     | 0.99| 7.54267         | 0.06019454        | 9.335837         |
Table 3: MSE of AR (1) with constant when presenting missing from (25 to 30) %

| n  | η | ρ | Methods |   |   |   |
|----|---|---|---------|---|---|---|
|    |   |   | OLS     | MOLS | YW |
| 20 | 0 | 0.4 | 0.989734 | 0.3630099 | 1.003201 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.16342 | 0.2793209 | 1.2121 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 2.046242 | 0.526814 | 6.227486 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 3.522668 | 0.9450221 | 303.5422 |
|    | 2 | 0.4 | 0.986509 | 0.3559574 | 0.9995428 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.157195 | 0.2765968 | 1.203877 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 2.058793 | 0.5247158 | 6.672372 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 3.544081 | 0.9450047 | 322.6182 |
|    | 5 | 0.4 | 0.9830455 | 0.3581278 | 0.9995927 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.154696 | 0.2784056 | 1.203939 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 2.06056 | 0.5184065 | 6.136531 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 3.519206 | 0.9365839 | 328.6834 |
| 50 | 0 | 0.4 | 1.021325 | 0.1105151 | 1.025451 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.219952 | 0.07860798 | 1.241476 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 2.680779 | 0.1423166 | 3.127464 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 4.699261 | 0.4456397 | 17.98212 |
|    | 2 | 0.4 | 1.02674 | 0.1127874 | 1.030933 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.219617 | 0.07717804 | 1.240231 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 2.681446 | 0.1482986 | 3.197909 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 4.749971 | 0.435359 | 18.19253 |
|    | 5 | 0.4 | 1.027967 | 0.1131732 | 1.032161 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.219478 | 0.07704651 | 1.240723 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 2.666624 | 0.1438715 | 3.175342 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 4.679432 | 0.4303502 | 15.38143 |
| 100| 0 | 0.4 | 1.037259 | 0.04349907 | 1.039462 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.24749 | 0.03766628 | 1.259853 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 3.138684 | 0.05548763 | 3.509958 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 7.046477 | 0.2578023 | 12.24296 |
|    | 2 | 0.4 | 1.037563 | 0.0437655 | 1.039803 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.251381 | 0.03887541 | 1.264006 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 3.127201 | 0.05437775 | 3.49849 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 6.958483 | 0.2564259 | 12.3649 |
|    | 5 | 0.4 | 1.041536 | 0.04389702 | 1.043784 |
|    |   | 0.7 | 1.247821 | 0.03811179 | 1.260122 |
|    |   | 0.95 | 3.144592 | 0.0539822 | 3.50933 |
|    |   | 0.99 | 7.086264 | 0.2540915 | 12.46207 |
| n  | η   | ρ     | Methods    |
|----|-----|-------|------------|
|    |     |       | OLS        | MOLS       | YW          |
| 0  | 0.4 | 1.0473| 0.01093144 | 1.048205   |
|    | 0.7 | 1.25368|0.01132473 | 1.258704   |
|    | 0.95| 3.397033|0.01301089 | 3.551554   |
|    | 0.99| 10.48604|0.09989088 | 14.33149   |
| 250| 2   | 0.4   | 1.049174   | 0.01089173 | 1.050059    |
|    | 0.7 | 1.257273|0.01134291 | 1.262369   |
|    | 0.95| 3.390354|0.01259854 | 3.543414   |
|    | 0.99| 10.44989|0.09749443 | 14.15096   |
| 5  | 0.4 | 1.046947|0.01102443 | 1.047841   |
|    | 0.7 | 1.256377|0.01096677 | 1.261484   |
|    | 0.95| 3.373794|0.01272019 | 3.527032   |
|    | 0.99| 10.37268|0.09832786 | 14.09242   |

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