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Technology Life-Cycles and Endogenous Growth

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Abstract

## 1. Introduction







$$t \quad i \quad t \quad \frac{\mu \quad \eta^{\circ}}{t}$$

## 2.2. Individuals

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## 2.3. The Technology and Potential versus Actual Productivity

$$t \quad t \quad t$$

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$$t \quad \frac{t \quad t \quad t}{\circ}$$

t

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i

t+1 t

i

t





$$\frac{A}{t} \cdot \mu \left( \frac{t}{i} \right) \frac{1}{i} \frac{1}{j} \dots$$

Proof:

i

Lemma 3:  $\frac{A}{t} \dots \frac{1}{i} \dots \frac{1}{i}$

$$\frac{\frac{x}{t}}{i} \dots \frac{x}{t} \dots \frac{A}{t} \dots \frac{A}{t} \dots \frac{A}{t} \dots$$

Proof:  $8 t_s \quad x$   $\frac{3}{t}$   $\frac{\textcircled{3}}{\text{---}}$

Lemma 4:  $\delta_t \leq$

$$\frac{x_t}{x_{t-1}}$$

$\delta_t \leq t$

$$\frac{A_t}{A_{t-1}}$$

Proof:  $\frac{x_t}{x_{t-1}} = \frac{x_{t-1}}{x_{t-2}} \dots \frac{x_2}{x_1} \delta_t$

$$\frac{A_t}{A_{t-1}} = \frac{A_{t-1}}{A_{t-2}} \dots \frac{A_2}{A_1} \delta_t$$

□

## 2.5. Equilibrium R&D Effort in Inventions versus Innovations

10  $\frac{A_t}{t}$

$\frac{x_t}{t}$

$\frac{A_t}{t} \frac{x_t}{t}$

$$\frac{\mu}{t} = \frac{\eta}{t}$$

10  $\frac{\mu}{t}$

;

8





$$\frac{A}{t} \vee \frac{A}{t} \quad \frac{x}{t} \wedge \frac{A}{t} \wedge \frac{x}{t}$$

Proposition 1:

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$$\frac{A;n}{t} \quad \frac{\frac{A}{t} \quad i \quad \frac{x}{t} \quad \frac{A}{t}}{\quad} \quad \frac{x;n}{t} \quad \frac{\frac{x}{t} \quad i \quad \frac{A}{t} \quad \frac{x}{t}}{\quad}$$

$$\frac{x}{t} \quad \frac{x;n}{t} \quad \frac{x;n}{t} \quad \frac{A;n}{t} \quad \frac{x;n}{t} \quad \frac{A}{t} \quad \frac{A;n}{t} \quad \frac{A;n}{t}$$

Proof:

□

$$\frac{\frac{\square}{t} \quad \frac{\square}{t} \quad \frac{\square;n}{t} \quad \square}{12 \quad 13}$$

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Proposition 2: 8

$$\frac{\frac{\alpha; n}{t}}{\frac{\alpha}{t}} = \frac{\alpha; n}{t} \quad \frac{\alpha; n}{t} \quad \alpha$$







i  
x  
t

A  
t

i

t

i

t

x

A

0

Á x

i

t

i







## 6. Appendix



$t^{\alpha}$

$i \frac{A}{t} h (1_i I_t^{\alpha})$

8 t · i

$$\frac{\overset{A}{t} \overset{x}{t}}{i}$$

$$\frac{\overset{A}{t} \overset{x}{t}}{t}$$

8 t

i

$$\frac{\textcircled{\overset{A}{t} = \overset{x}{t}}}{\textcircled{(t_i v)}}$$

$$\frac{\textcircled{\overset{A}{t} = \overset{x}{t}}}{\textcircled{x_t}} \rightarrow$$

□







Figure 1

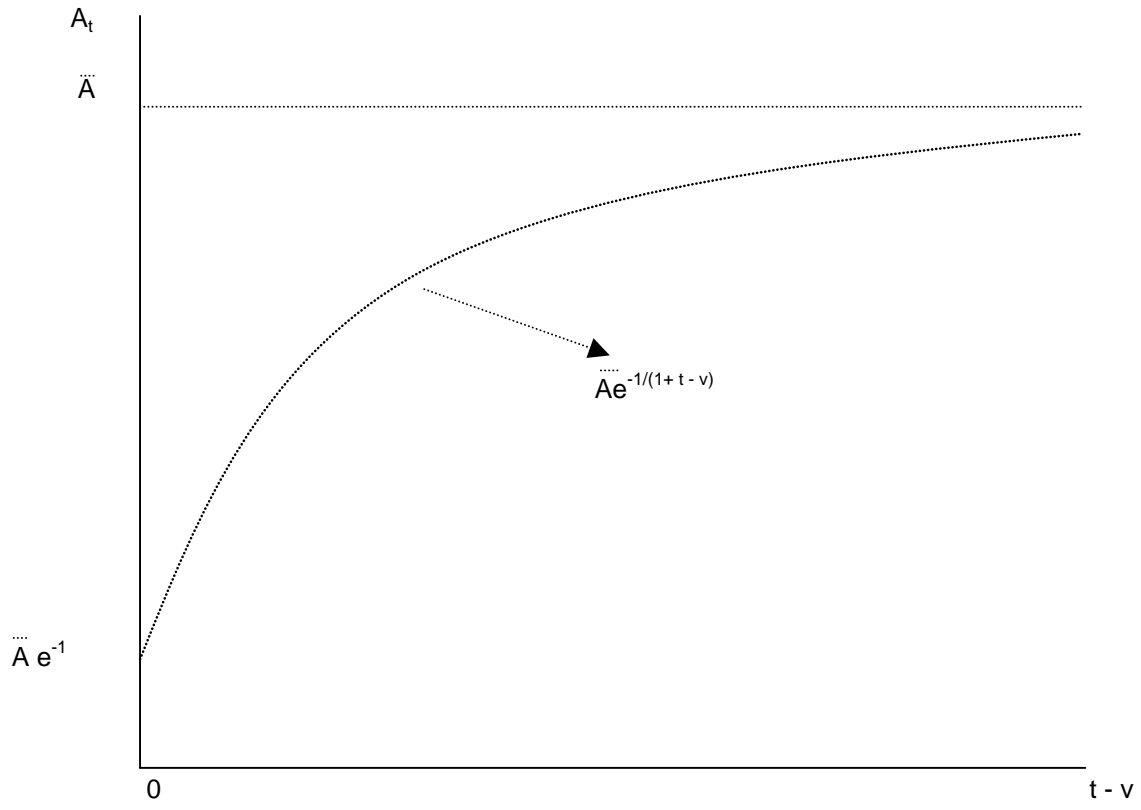


Figure 2

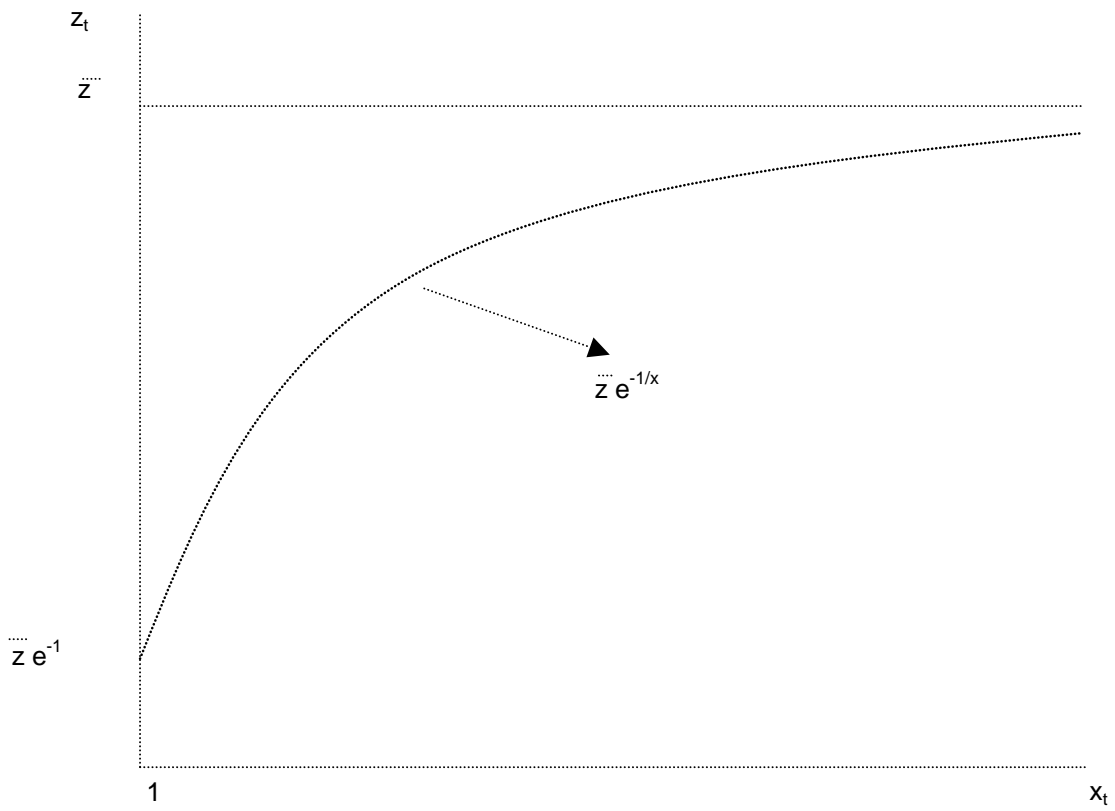


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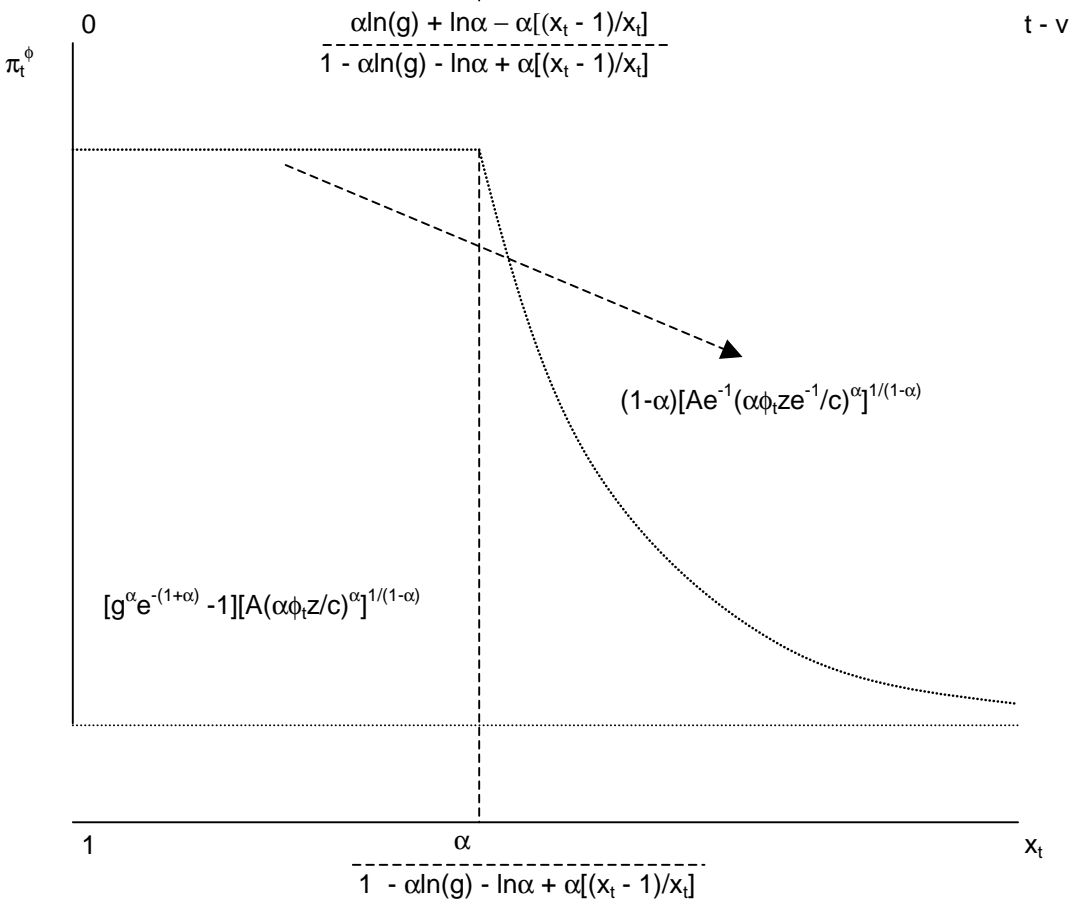
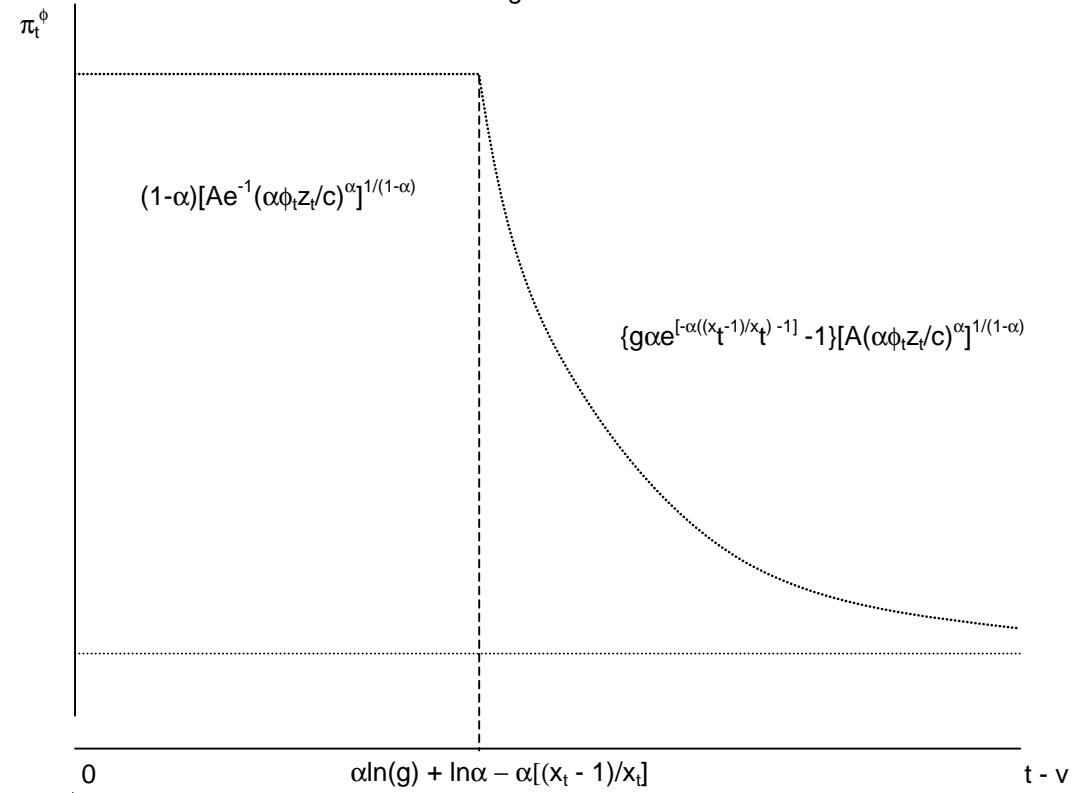


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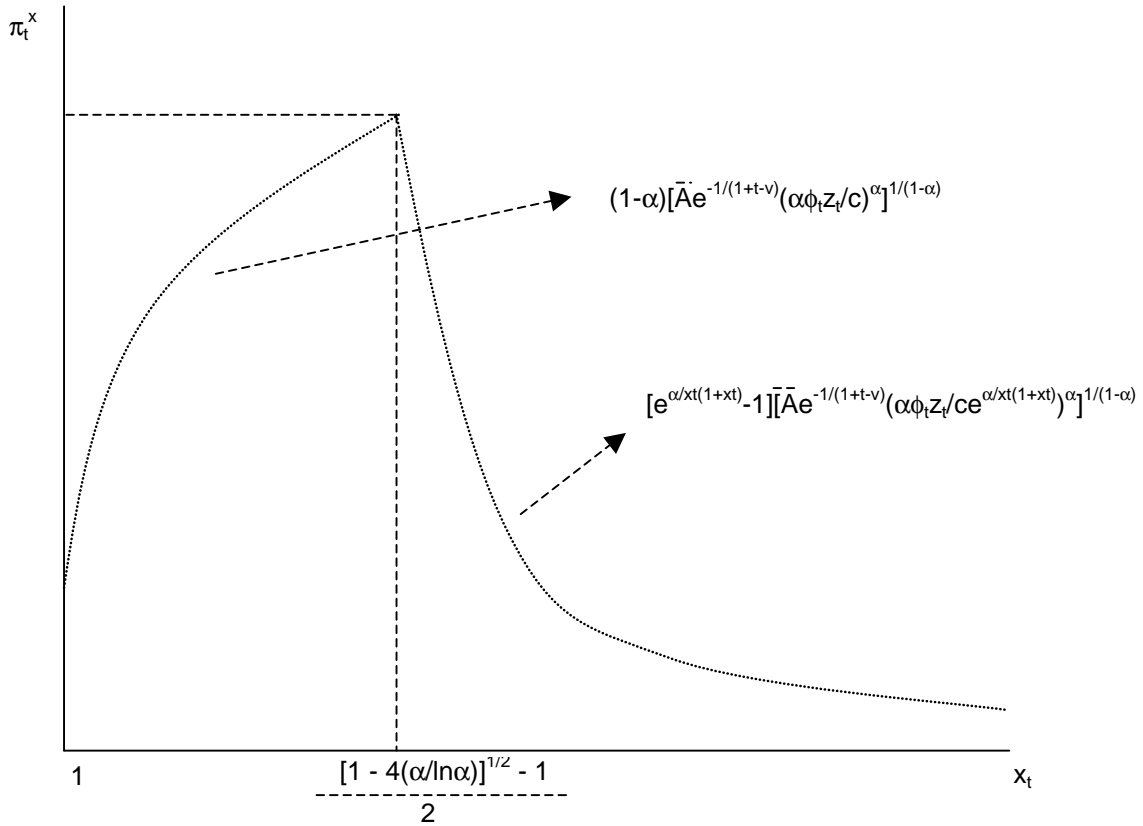
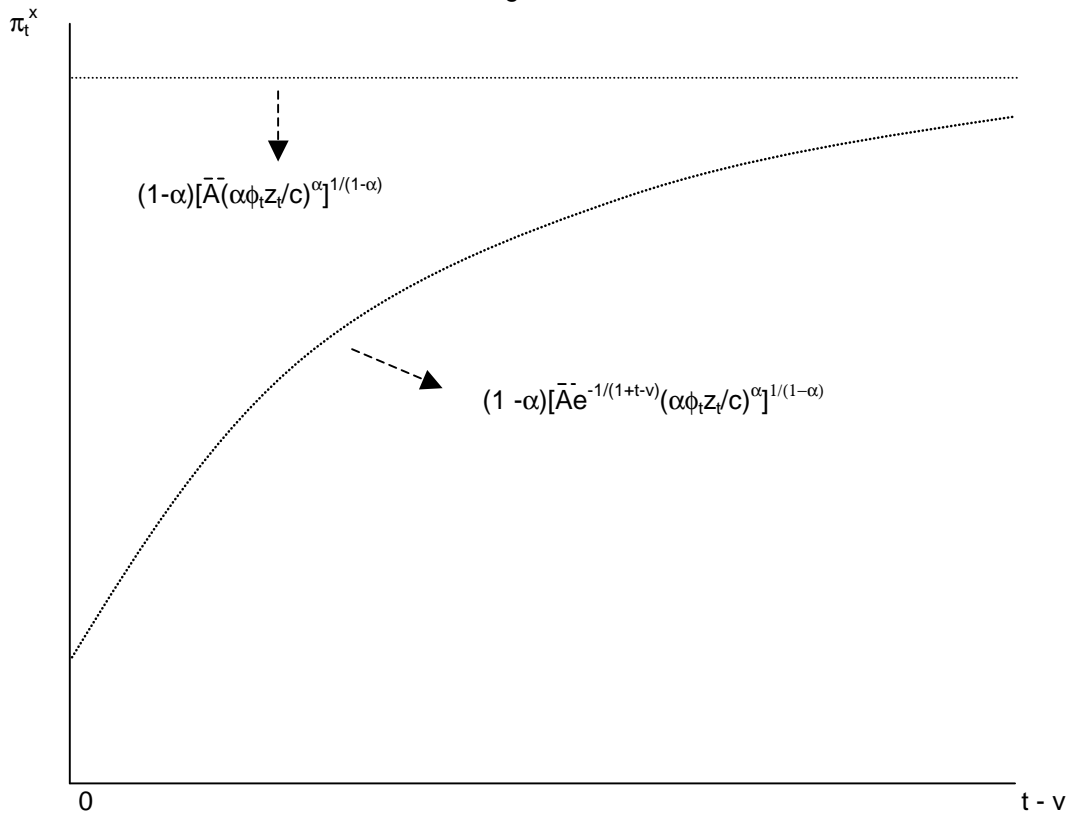


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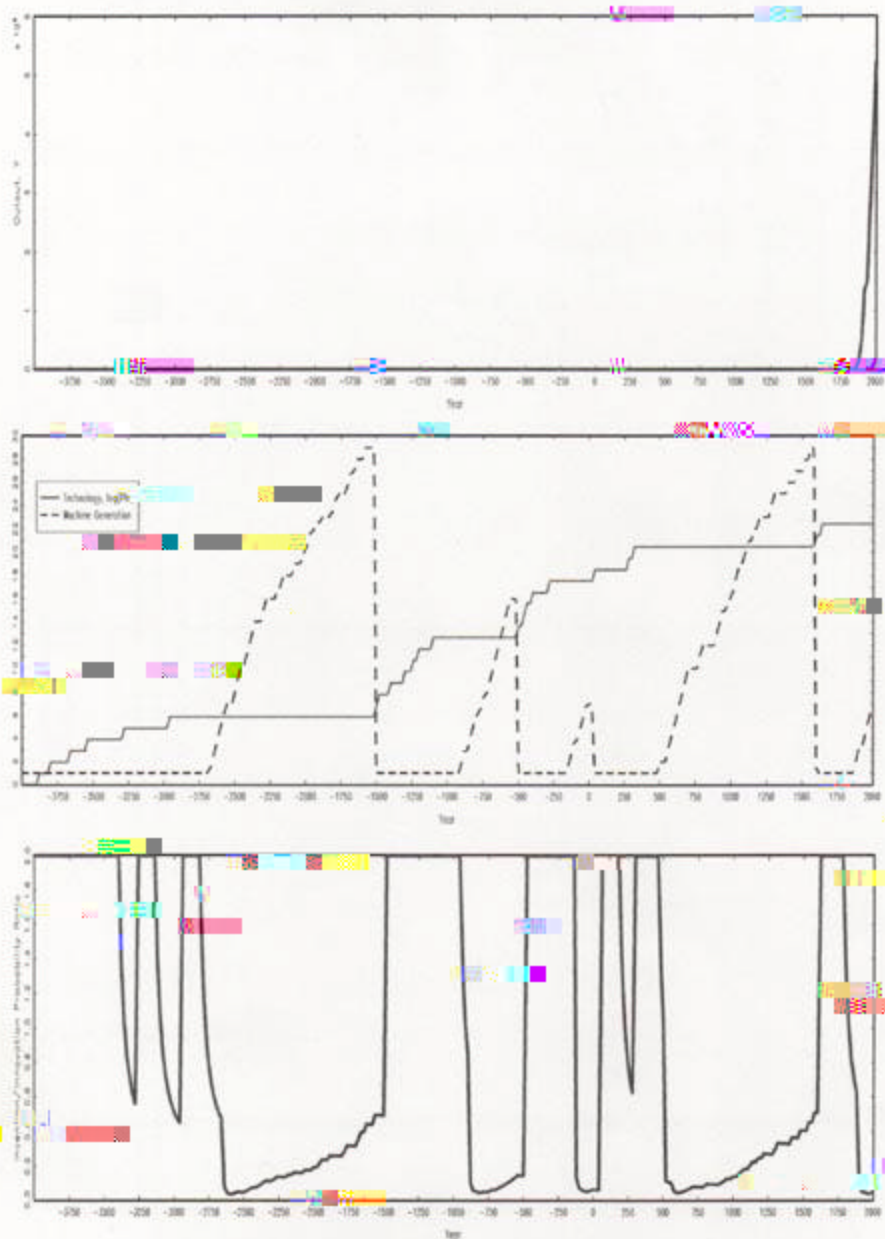


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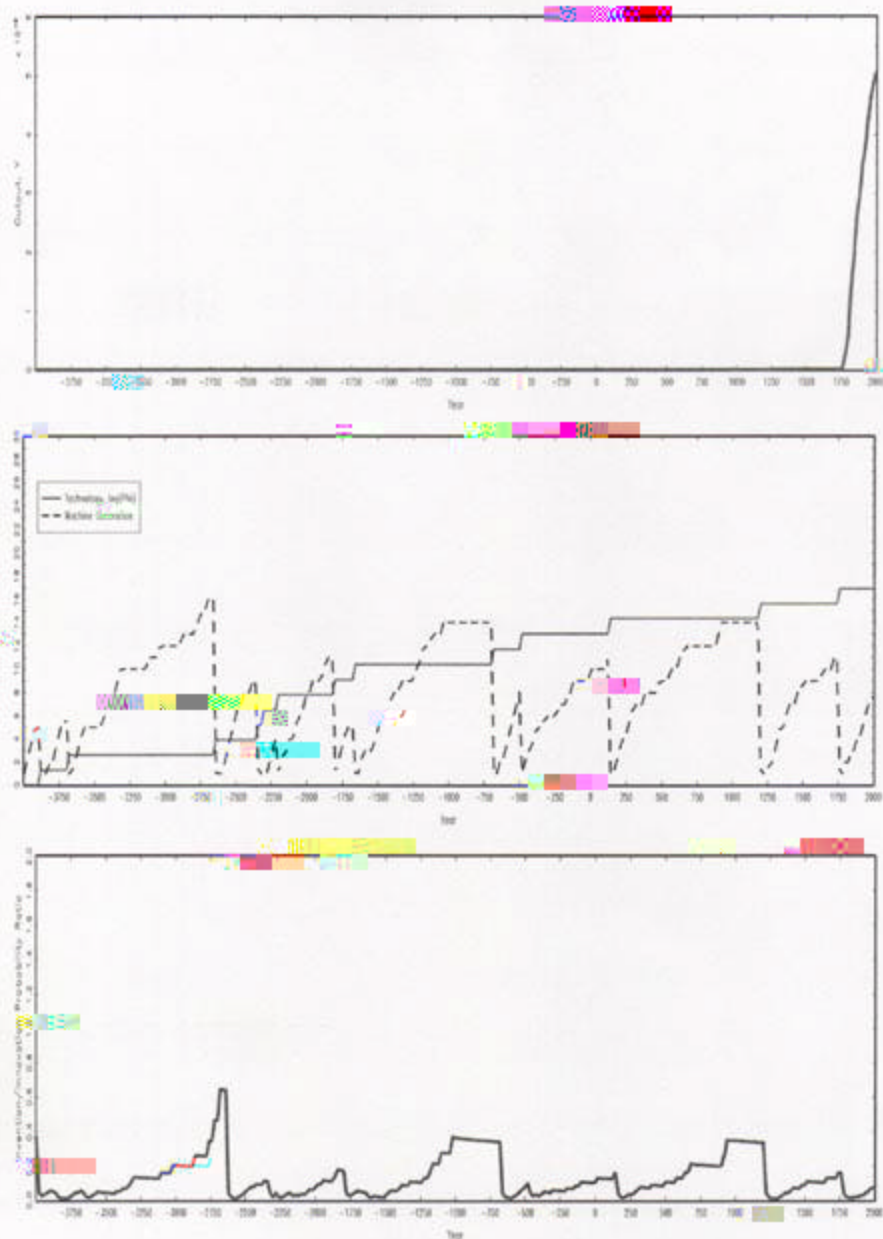


Table 1:

A		
x		
0	i 20	i 20