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Structural Estimation of a Matching Model with Heterogenous Agents

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The study analyzes both qualitatively and quantitatively the differences in unemployment rates of individuals with different educational backgrounds. We develop an estimable general equilibrium matching-bargaining model with heterogenous agents and endogenous search effort. The model is then structurally estimated by Maximum Likelihood using the IAB's linked employer-employee micro-dataset. The estimates show that our theoretical model can account for differences in unemployment risks across skill-groups.

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