

THE STUDY OF PLANNED ECONOMY AND MARKET ECONOMY OF OIL AND ENGINE DEMAND IN THE EQUILIBRIUM SYSTEM THROUGH S.D.

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Abstract The systems of oil and engine production of our complete planned economy before 1979 and market economy guided by planned economy after 1980 are simulated and some conclusions are given in these models.

The complete planned economy can't meet the national requirement for oil and engines and the market economy guided by planned economy can develop equilibriumly under the instruction of mixed policies applied to the production of oil and engines.

The main items of microeconomics are simulated and some useful plots and conclusions are given. Further study of many fields of macroeconomics and microeconomics is expected.

Preface

System dynamics (in brief S.D.) has already been applied to many fields. The S.D. is thought to be used in many fields of economics too.

Recently two models of planned and market economy has been built to simulate the production of oil and intercombustion engines (in brief engine) in China.

Introduction To The Models

We have built the two models by the S.D. One is a model of complete planned economy before 1979 in China. The other is a model of market economy guided by planned economy. After 1980 in China, in order to decrease exterior variable, we chose oil, engines and capital as principle elements. The production of oil and engines, capital of oil and engine and amount of engines stand for five levels. The supply of oil and engines, prices of oil and engines are reprinted as important auxiliary variables, the amount of engines and oil capital growth are important rates.

Model Of Planned Economy

Our complete planned economy is guided nationally. Market economy factors were totally rejected. The causal loops diagram is as follows:

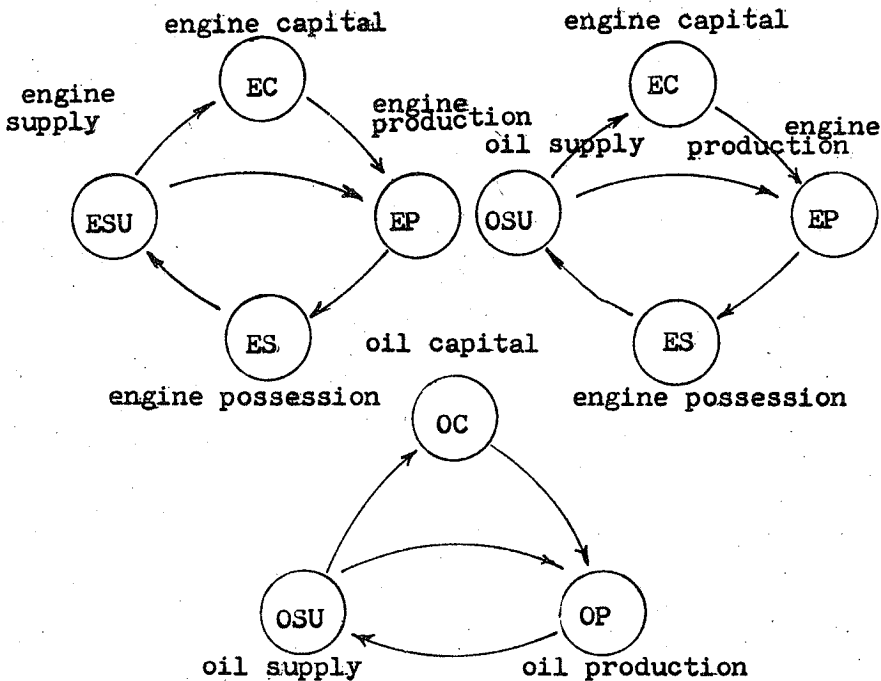


Fig.1 the causal loops diagram of complete planned economy

In this models the oil plan is based on our oil sources, oil capital and oil production capability. The oil investment is stimulated by engine demands, the engine plan depends upon our national macroscopic plan. It is limited by our oil supply, engine capital and engine production capability. The oil supply in this model is the key as the engine production depends on the oil supply. The conclusion from our regression analysis is that the amount of engines possessed increases 10,000 horse powers while oil consumption or production increases 2700 tons. In this model, the prices of oil and engines do not stimulate the output or demands of oil and engines, but the oil supply affects to production of oil and engines to a great extent. Thus the variable of oil plan is the key of oil output and its value planned depends on increasing rate of our oil plans and our oil output. The instruct of this model is simple. The flow diagraph is as follows: Figure Two.

The running of this model has been tested by 100 equations and the result is as follow:

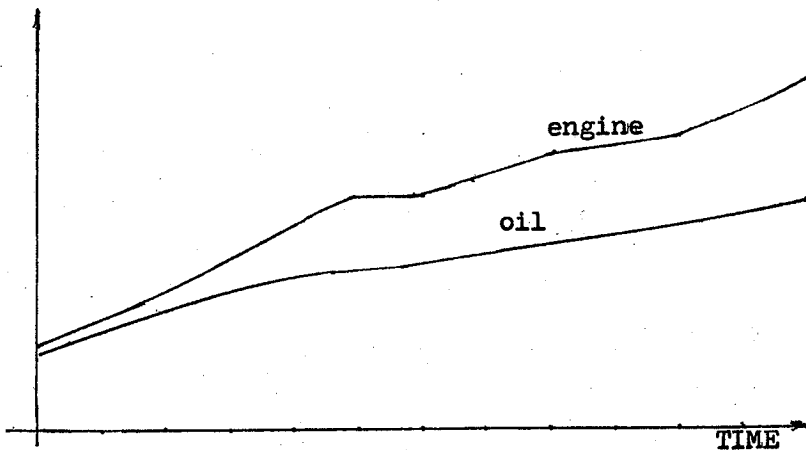


Fig.3 The plot of limitless sources

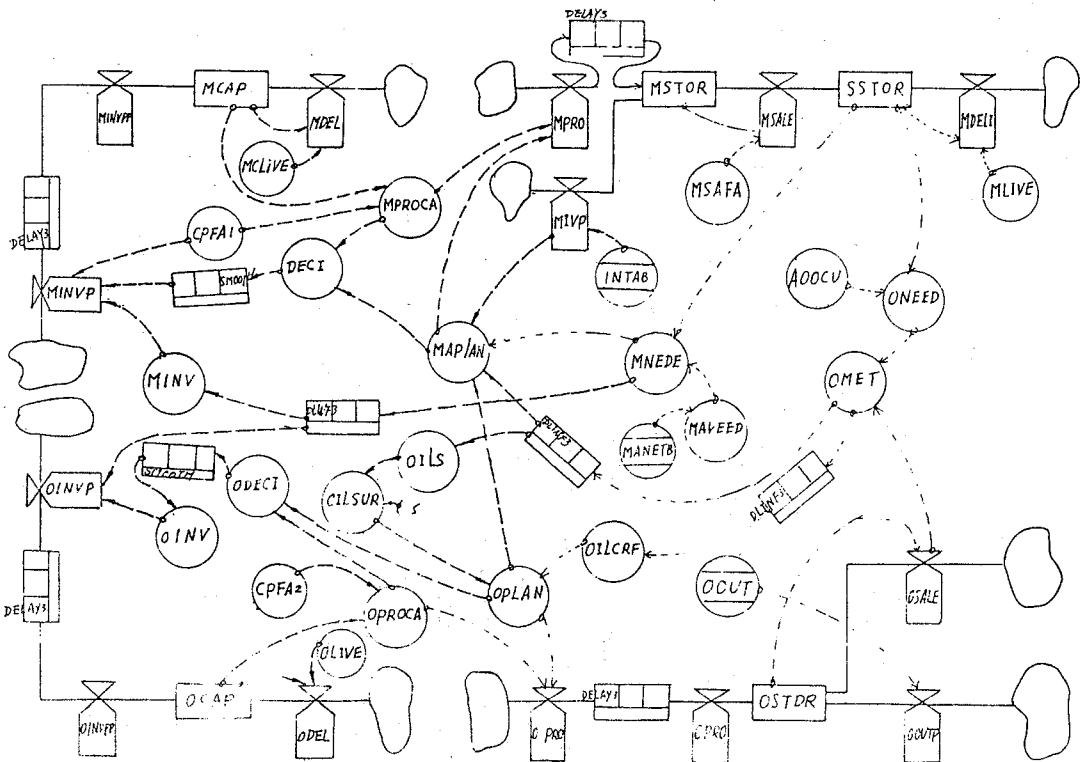


Fig. 2 The flow diagram

From the plots we can foresee the output of oil and engines in the year 2000. Both the output of oil and engines from figure four precipitately drops.

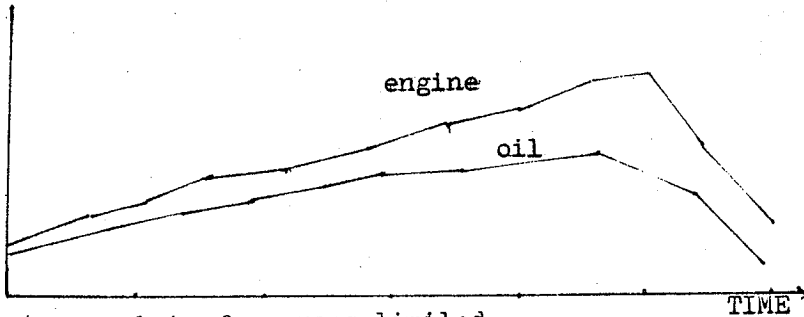


Fig.4 The plot of sources limiled

Further production of engines is limited by oil because oil sources will be exhausted from a long point of view. The output of engines has to depend upon the oil plan. The demand for engines can't stimulate the oil output. So the possessed engines can't meet the public requirements for them. As there is no price variable, and market readjustment, invisible hand, the oil plan can't stimulate the microeconomy and it is difficult to adjust our production structure according to our market structure.

Model of market economy guided by planned economy.

When our system reformation started in 1980, we began making the model of our market economy guided by planned economy. The causal loops diagram of this model is in Figure Five.

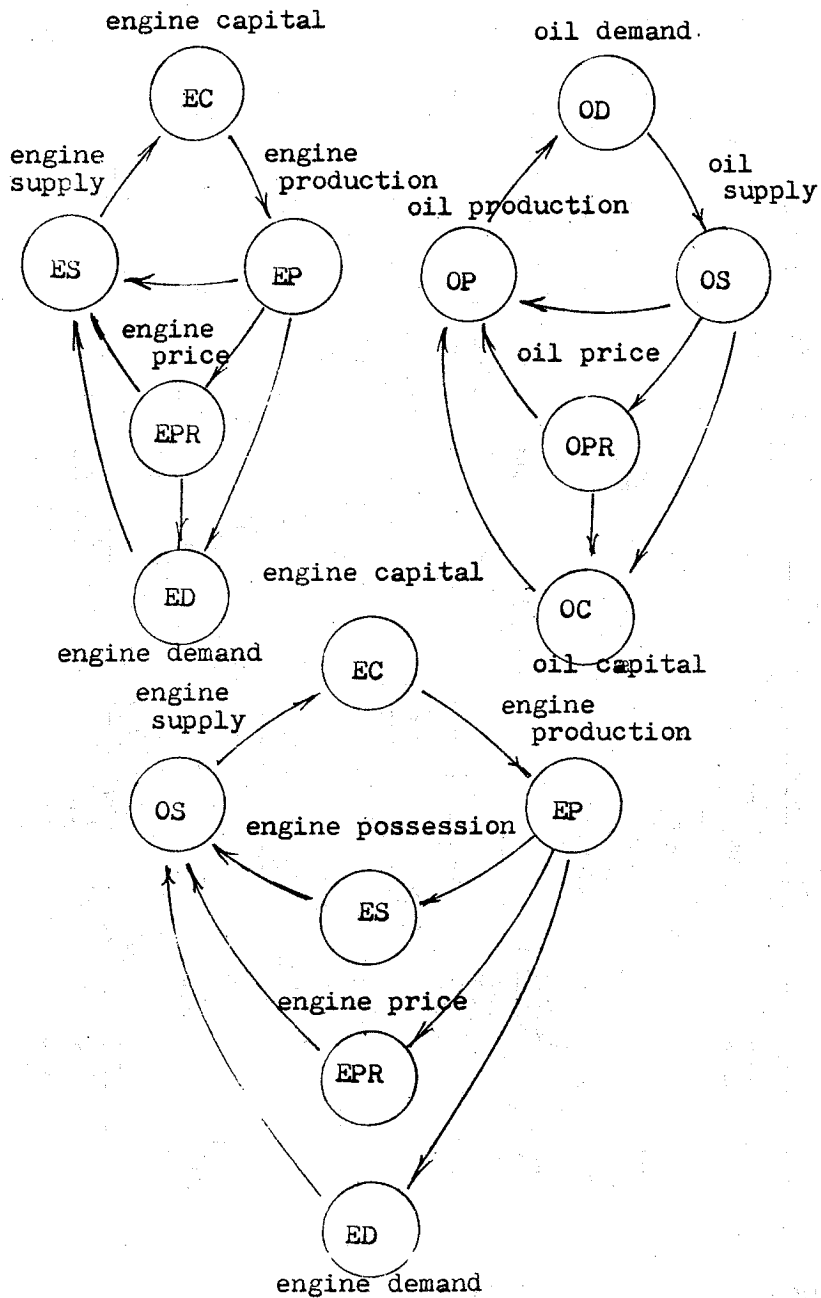


Fig. 5 The causal loops diagram of market economy guided by planned economy

The systematic behavior of this model has changed significantly because some variables---the prices of oil and engines and their demands have been added to stimulate planned output. Market factors being added, our engine plan has changed too, our microscopic engine plan can come from the difference between our national macroscopic plan and social engine possession, and market readjustment. This system contains three important auxiliaries---instructed plan, guided plan and market readjustment plan. The engine production is limited by engine production capability and is controlled by market. The feedback is affected by prices of oil and engines, and demands for oil and engines. It can reach as high as 100%. So it is very important to change the system behavior. As for oil, its price is affected by market factors very limitedly. Therefore the system behavior is adjusted indirectly by oil price and demand. The value of adjustment is limited by our policies, our oil plan is nationally made and determined by our oil sources, our published engine possession, oil exhaustion rate.

In order to analyse the system behavior of this model we have supposed many policies, they are:

- (1) the policy of limit concerning engine use.
- (2) the policy of planned supply of oil.
- (3) the policy of engine production limitation.
- (4) the policy of forceful engine depreciation.
- (5) the policy of **controlled engine buying.**
- (6) the policy of controlled import and export of engines.
- (7) the policy of interprise production readjustment.

The results of these policies are as follows:

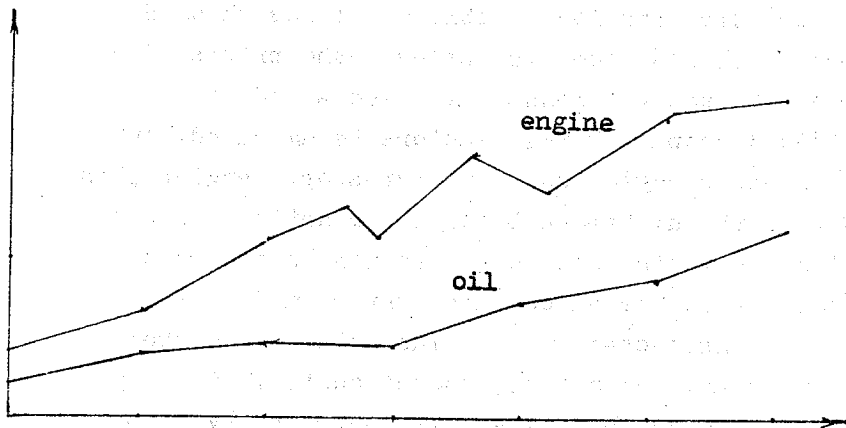


Fig.7a The behaviour putting the policy 6 into effect

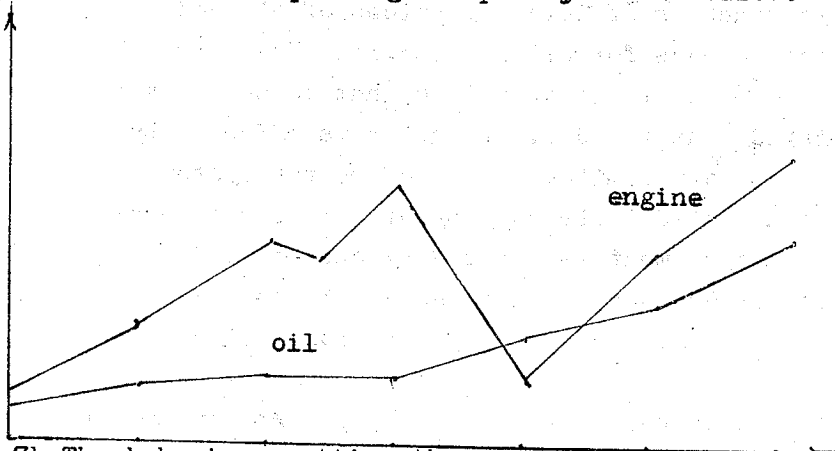


Fig.7b The behaviour putting the policy 3 into effect

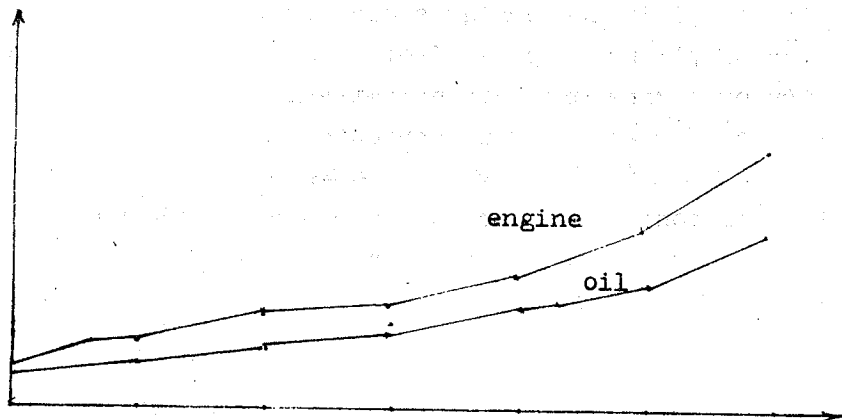


Fig.7c The model can develop equilibriumly under the instruction of mixed policies

In microeconomics there are many important items. Some characteristic items are simulated by the S.D., so as to analyse the system behavior.

The simulation of spider web effect.

Suppose the engine supply is $S \cdot K$ in a month. It is function of price twelve months ago, so $S \cdot K = S(P \cdot K - 12)$ and engine demand is $N \cdot K$ in a month. It is also function of price a month ago, so $N \cdot K = N(P \cdot K - 1)$.

$$N_{\text{demand} \cdot k} = S(\text{DLIN}3(\text{PRICE} \cdot K, 1)) \quad (1)$$

$$S_{\text{supply} \cdot k} = S(\text{DLIN}3(\text{PRICE} \cdot K, 12)) \quad (2)$$

The price $\cdot k$ stands for the present price. As $\text{PRICE} \cdot K$ is related with $S_{\text{supply} \cdot k}$ and $N_{\text{demand} \cdot k}$ it is known that

$$\text{PRICE} \cdot K = k \cdot \frac{N_{\text{demand} \cdot k}}{S_{\text{supply} \cdot k}} \quad (3)$$

k is factor.

According to the relationship between supply and demand, if $N_{\text{demand} \cdot k} > S_{\text{supply} \cdot k}$, that is $\text{PRICE} \cdot K > 1$, the supply is stimulated, vice versa the DEMAND $\cdot K$ is stimulated. Through clip function, we can express the item of the relation of spider web between supply and demand.

The description of elasticity demand through S.D..

The elasticity theory is famous in microeconomics. Elasticity between supply and demand is sensitive to the change of goods supply versus the demand. In this model the elasticity of demand between the supply and demand is simulated.

$$\text{The elasticity } e = \frac{\frac{\Delta y}{y}}{\frac{\Delta x}{x}} \quad (4)$$

So the engine elasticity between supply and demand is

$$e = \frac{\frac{\Delta y}{y}}{\frac{\Delta x}{x}} = \frac{\frac{\text{Smooth}(\text{DEMAND} \cdot K, DT)}{\text{Smooth}(\text{DEMAND} \cdot K, DT)} \cdot \frac{\text{DEMAND} \cdot K}{\text{DEMAND} \cdot K}}{\frac{\text{Smooth}(\text{SUPPLY} \cdot K, DT)}{\text{Smooth}(\text{SUPPLY} \cdot K, DT)} \cdot \frac{\text{SUPPLY} \cdot K}{\text{SUPPLY} \cdot K}} \quad (5)$$

The DT is length of steps.

In this model, many elasticity items can be expressed, for example: elasticity of demand, elasticity between demand and price, elasticity between supply and price, etc. The elasticity of price of engine is in Figure 8

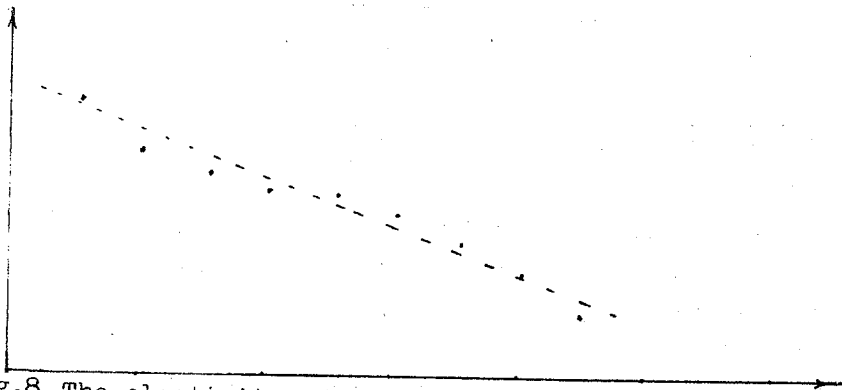


Fig.8 The elasticity of price of engine

The conclusions and evaluations of the simulating model.

The simulating conclusions are as follows:

- a. In the system the elasticity of oil price is weak because oil is controlled largely by planned economy.
- b. The system readjustment is limited by the price readjustment.
- c. The efficiency of our mixed policies is seen in the equilibrium development of the oil and engine system.

The S.D. can simulate planned economy and market economy guided by planned economy in China., the

characteristic relationships in microeconomics — the relationship of demand, relationship of price, the relationship of elasticity, can be simulated as well.

If the model is improved, the study of margin effect in microeconomics can be widened and deepened. When population and income are necessarily taken into consideration, this model can be enlarged easily.