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open mrw.gdt
genr ly60 = log(gdp60)
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genr ngd = 0.05 + (popgrow/100)
genr lngd = log(ngd)
genr linv = log(inv/100)
genr lschool = log(school/100)
# set sample to non-oil producing countries
smpl nonoil --dummy
# OLS, as per M, R & W
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```
ols dlny const ly60 linc lngd lschool
```

```
# Top quartile
```

```
quantreg 0.75 dlny const ly60 linc lngd lschool
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```
open hall.gdt
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```
set force_hc on
```

```
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```

```
series e = 0
```

```
list inst = const consrat(-1) consrat(-2) ewr(-1) ewr(-2)
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```

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matrix Z = { inst }
```

```
matrix V1 = $nobs*inv(Z'Z)
```

```
# one-step estimation, identity matrix for initial weights
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```
gmm e = delta*ewr*consrat^(alpha-1) - 1
```

```
orthog e ; inst
```

```
weights V0
```

```
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```

```
end gmm
```

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