Money, Income, and Prices in Pakistan: An Investigation of Causal Relations with shifts

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Monetarist claim that money plays an active role and leads to changes in Income and Prices

Keynesians argue that money does not play an active role but Income leads to changes in Money through Money Demand

Investigation of causal relations started with Sims(1972) who found evidence of unidirectional causality from Money to Income in USA

Subsequent studies report different results

Previous Studies in Pakistan

Khan and Siddiqui (1990) found unidirectional from Income to Money and bi-directional between money and Prices

Bengali, Khan, and Sadaqat (1999) found bidirectional between Money and Income and unidirectional from money to prices

Abbas (1991) found bi-directional between Income and Money

Jones and Khilji (1988) found bi-directional between Money and Prices

Siddiqui(1989) found bi-directional between Money and Prices

This Study

Investigates causal relations between

- Real Money and Real Income
- Nominal Money and Nominal Income
- Nominal Money and Prices

Take care of shifts in Variables Economic reforms (1990s) Price Hikes (1970s)

Take care of Stochastic Properties

Sample: 1959/60 to 2003/04

Variables

Income: GNP at current prices

Money: M2

Prices: GDP Deflator (base 1980/81)

Real Income: GNP at constant prices of

1980/81

Real Money: M2 deflated

Sources:

National Accounts Statistical Bulletins

Table 1: Descriptive Statistics for Growth in Money, Income, and Prices

Full Sample: (1960/61 - 2003/04)								
	Real	Nominal	Real	Nominal				
	Money	Money	Income	Income	Prices			
Mean	0.0605	0.1325	0.0540	0.1262	0.0720			
Std. Dev.	0.0697	0.0541	0.0242	0.0491	0.0499			
Skewness	-1.72	0.05	0.50	0.79	0.76			
Kurtosis	5.29	-0.36	0.77	0.63	1.49			
Observations	44	44	44	44	44			

Table 2: Correlations Among Money, Income, and Prices (in growth terms)

	Full Sample: (1960/61 - 2003/04)								
	Nominal Money	Nominal Income	Prices		Real Money	Real Income			
	NM	NY	DF		RM	RY			
NM	1.000			RM	1.000				
NY	0.250	1.000		RY	0.450***	1.000			
DF	0.102	0.887***	1.000						

Table 3: Lagged Correlations Among Money, Income, and Prices (in growth)

Table 5. Lagged Correlations Among Money, income, and Prices (in growth)										
	Full Sample: (1960/61 - 2003/04)									
	NY	NM	DF		RY	RM				
NY(-1)	0.483***	0.086	0.567***	RY(-1)	0.020	0.071				
NY(-2)	0.192	0.330**	0.203	RY(-2)	0.226	-0.289				
NY(-3)	0.192	0.574***	0.096	RY(-3)	0.115	0.041				
NY(-4)	0.038	0.110	-0.006	RY(-4)	0.232	-0.016				
NY(-5)	-0.080	0.093	-0.185	RY(-5)	0.149	-0.111				
NM(-1)	0.214	0.249	0.214	RM(-1)	0.123	0.239				
NM(-2)	0.108	0.085	0.094	RM(-2)	0.036	-0.160				
NM(-3)	-0.045	0.113	-0.036	RM(-3)	-0.145	-0.132				
NM(-4)	-0.043	-0.068	0.022	RM(-4)	-0.137	-0.116				
NM(-5)	-0.040	-0.223	-0.044	RM(-5)	-0.089	-0.276				
DF(-1)	0.387**	0.049	0.491 ***							
DF(-2)	0.111	0.454***	0.168							
DF(-3)	0.140	0.492***	0.098							
DF(-4)	-0.010	0.132	0.015							
DF(-5)	-0.179	0.098	-0.235							

Table 4: Unit Root Tests for Money, Income, and Prices

ADF		. ,,	,	
	Le	evels	First Dif	ference
	W/O		W/O	W.
	Trend	W. Trend	Trend	Trend
Real Money	-0.490	-3.303	-4.957**	-4.365**
Real Income	-2.837	-1.006	-6.119**	-6.666**
Nominal Money	0.314	-3.507	-5.012**	
Nominal Income	-0.399	-1.455	-3.661**	-3.711**
Prices	0.089	-2.563	-3.548**	-3.558**
PP (W/O Tre	nd)			
	Le	evels	First Dif	ference
	(l=3)	(l=9)	(l=3)	(I=9)
Real Money	-0.214	-0.103	-4.886**	-4.763**
Real Income	-3.104**	-2.930**	-6.211**	-6.745**
Nominal Money	0.844	1.021	-5.014**	-4.888**
Nominal Income	-0.151	-0.162	-3.612**	-3.540**
Prices	0.487	0.469	-3.489**	-3.309**
PP (W Trend	l)			
	Le	evels	First Dif	ference
	(l=3)	(I=9)	(l=3)	(l=9)
Real Money	-2.540	-2.152	-4.823**	-4.682**
Real Income	-0.457	-0.556	-7.325**	-7.290**
Nominal Money	-2.600	-2.433	-5.006**	-4.852**
Nominal Income		-1.992	-3.553*	-3.457*
Prices	-2.779	-2.727	-3.488*	-3.295*

Table 5(a): Causality between Real Money and Real Income

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)									
	Const.	Coeff.	ADF	PP(l=3)	PP(I=9)				
RM on RY	-1.345***	1.035***	-1.092	-1.387	-1.358				

Conclusion: No Cointegration

Granger Causality			Grange	r Causality	У
Lag 1	DRY	DRM	Lag 3	DRY	DRM
DRY(-1)	-0.032	-0.115	DRY(-1)	-0.132	-0.348
DRM(-1)	0.059	0.270	DRY (-2)	0.267	-0.731
F-Value	0.917	0.055	DRY (-3)	0.321	0.729
			DRM(-1)	0.086	0.394*
			DRM(-2)	-0.012	-0.089
			DRM(-3)	-0.916	-0.117
			F-Value	1.313	1.328

Lag length: BIC(1), AIC(3)

Conclusion: No Short run Causality upto three lags

Table 5(b): Causality between Real Money and Real Income (reforms)

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)

Const. D Coeff. ADF PP(I=3) PP(I=9)

RM on RY 0.137 0.269*** 0.911*** -2.061** -2.317** -2.108**

Conclusion: Evidence of Co-integration

Error Co	Error Correction Causality			Error Correction Causality			
Lag 1	DRY	DRM	Lag 2	DRY	DRM		
D	-0.025**	0.010	D	-0.028**	-0.030		
e(-1)	0.027	-0.270*	e(-1)	0.035	-0.267*		
DRY(-1)	-0.337	-0.212	DRY (-1)	-0.371	-0.608		
DRM(-1)	0.110	0.380*	DRY (-2)	-0.076	-1.182		
F-Value	2.827	0.122	DRM(-1)	0.111	0.437**		
			DRM(-2)	0.039	0.086		
			F-Value	1.437	1.461		

Lag length: BIC(1), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Unidirectional Causality from Income to Money in the long run

No Short run Causality

Table 5(c): Causality between Real Money and Real Income (prices)

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)									
	Const.	D	Coeff.	ADF	PP(l=3)	PP(I=9)			
RM on RY	-3.863***	-0.428***	1.259***	-4.943***	-4.864***	-4.940***			

Conclusion: Evidence of Co-integration

Error C	Error Correction Causality			Error Correction Causality			
Lag 1	DRY	DRM	Lag 3	DRY	DRM		
D	0.059***	0.017	D	0.003	0.009		
e(-1)	-0.008	-0.728***	e(-1)	0.062	-0.752***		
DRY(-1)	-0.081	-0.446	DRY (-1)	-0.180	-0.293		
DRM(-1)	0.058	0.369	DRY (-2)	0.334	-0.206		
F-Value	0.711	1.474	DRY (-3)	0.299	-0.334		
			DRM (-1)	0.087	0.295*		
			DRM (-2)	-0.019	0.058		
			DRY (-3)	-0.093	-0.044		
			F-Value	1.078	0.632		

Lag length: BIC(1), AIC(3)

Conclusion: Unidirectional Causality from Income to Money in the long run

No Short run Causality

Table 5(d): Causality between Real Money and Real Income (prices & reforms)

		Cointegra	tion (Engle-	-Granger)				
		Const.	D1	D2	Coeff.	ADF	PP(I=3)	PP(I=9)
١	RM on RY	-2.735***	-0.353***	0.124***	1.163***	-5.238***	-5.093***	-5.008***

Conclusion: Evidence of strong Co-integration

Error Correction Causality

Lag 2	DRY	DRM
D1	0.003	0.004
D2	-0.026*	0.005
e(-1)	0.051	-0.929***
DRY (-1)	-0.338	-0.186
DRY (-2)	0.012	0.171
DRM(-1)	0.099	0.381**
DRM (-2)	0.022	0.082
F-Value	1.137	0.211

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Unidirectional Causality from Income to Money in the long run

No Short run Causality

Table 6(a): Causality between Nominal Money and Nominal Income

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)							
Const. Coeff. ADF PP(l=3) PP(l=9)							
NM on NY	-1.100***	1.016***	-1.859*	-1.525	-1.451		

Conclusion: weak evidence of Cointegration

Error Co	Error Correction Causality		Granger Causality
Lag 2	DNY	DNM	Lag 2 DNY DNM
e(-1)	-0.037	-0.201*	
DNY (-1)	0.520**	-0.311	DNY (-1) 0.495*** -0.196
DNY (-2)	-0.012	0.125	DNY (-2) -0.060 0.401**
DNM (-1)	0.085	0.208	DNM(-1) 0.115 0.261
DNM (-2)	0.019	-0.017	DNM(-2) -0.009 -0.052
F-Value	0.182	1.061	F-Value 0.371 2.346

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Weak Evidence of Unidirectional Causality from income to money

Error Correction Causality			Granç	Granger Causality		
Lag 3	DNY	DNM	Lag 3	DNY	DNM	
e(-1)	0.066	-0.075				
DNY (-1)	0.569**	-0.159	DNY (-1)	0.504***	-0.097	
DNY (-2)	-0.069	-0.005	DNY (-2)	-0.115	0.097	
DNY (-3)	0.209	0.559**	DNY (-3)	0.150	0.520**	
DNM (-1)	0.020	0.034	DNM (-1)	0.061	0.104	
DNM (-2)	0.049	0.017	DNM (-2)	0.019	0.022	
DNM (-3)	-0.095	-0.025	DNM (-3)	-0.111	-0.056	
F-Value	0.148	2.503*	F-Value	0.288	4.034**	

Conclusion: Unidirectional Causality from income to money at 3 years lag

Note: ***,**,and * represent significance at 1%, 5% and 10%

Table 6(b): Causality between Nominal Money and Income (reforms)

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)							
	Const.	D	Coeff.	ADF	PP(l=3)	PP(I=9)	
NM on NY	-0.460***	0.290***	0.958***	-2.183**	-2.412**	-2.157**	

Conclusion: Evidence of Co-integration

Error Correction Causality		ausality	Granger Causality
Lag 2	DNY	DNM	Lag 2 DNY DNM
D	-0.016	-0.004	D -0.015 0.008
e(-1)	-0.174	-0.307	
DNY (-1)	0.531**	-0.321	DNY (-1) 0.479*** -0.187
DNY (-2)	0.156	-0.002	DNY(-2) -0.074 0.408**
DNM(-1)	0.102	0.204	DNM(-1) 0.124 0.257
DNM (-2)	0.033	-0.018	DNM (-2) 0.009 -0.062
F-Value	0.301	0.970	F-Value 0.455 2.365

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Weak Unidirectional Causality from Income to Money in the long

run with no Short run Causality

Error Co	Error Correction Causality			Granger	Causality
Lag 3	DNY	DNM	Lag 3	DNY	DNM
D	-0.004	0.017	D	-0.014	0.012
e(-1)	-0.383	0.049			
DNY (-1)	0.690***	-0.051	DNY (-1)	0.484***	-0.080
DNY (-2)	0.235	0.125	DNY (-2)	-0.124	0.105
DNY (-3)	0.431	0.701**	DNY (-3)	0.139	0.530**
DNM(-1)	-0.025	-0.007	DNM (-1)	0.072	0.095
DNM (-2)	0.057	0.006	DNM (-2)	0.032	0.012
DNM (-3)	-0.051	-0.027	DNM (-3)	-0.102	-0.063
F-Value	0.075	2.702*	F-Value	0.285	4.122**

Conclusion: Unidirectional Causality from income to money at 3 years lag

Note: ***,***,and * represent significance at 1%, 5% and 10%

Table 6(c): Causality between Nominal Money and Income (prices)

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)						
	Const.	D	Coeff.	ADF	PP(I=3)	PP(I=9)
NM on NY	-1.846***	-0.393***	1.097***	-4.631***	-4.479***	-4.407***

Conclusion: Evidence of Co-integration

Error Co	Error Correction Causality			Error Correction Causality		
Lag 2	DNY	DNM	Lag 3	DNY	DNM	
D	0.066**	0.060*	D	0.056*	0.050	
e(-1)	-0.369***	-0.449***	e(-1)	-0.474***	-0.359**	
DNY (-1)	0.239	0.046	DNY (-1)	0.236	0.045	
DNY (-2)	0.205	0.018	DNY (-2)	0.098	-0.075	
DNM(-1)	-0.072	0.317**	DNY (-3)	0.370*	0.324	
DNM (-2)	-0.041	-0.011	DNM (-1)	-0.214	0.191	
F-Value	0.230	0.063	DNM (-2)	0.000	0.018	
			DNM (-3)	-0.118	-0.065	
			F-Value	1.082	0.753	

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Bidirectional Causality between Income and Money in the long run

No Short run Causality

Table 6(d): Causality between Nominal Money and Income (prices & reforms)

	Cointegration (Engle-Granger)							
	Const.	D1	D2	Coeff.	ADF	PP(I=3)	PP(I=9)	
NM on N	NY -1.451***	-0.321***	0.117**	1.059***	-4.597***	-4.411***	-4.226***	

Conclusion: Strong evidence of Co-Integration

Error Correction Causality			Error Co	Error Correction Causality		
Lag 2	DNY	DNM	Lag 3	DNY	DNM	
D1	0.080***	0.064*	D1	0.064**	0.054	
D2	-0.022	-0.015	D2	-0.012	-0.007	
e(-1)	-0.442***	-0.549***	e(-1)	-0.600***	-0.438**	
DNY (-1)	0.186	0.001	DNY (-1)	0.193	0.010	
DNY (-2)	0.252	-0.132	DNY (-2)	0.192	-0.157	
DNM(-1)	-0.076	0.312*	DNY (-3)	0.407**	0.279	
DNM (-2)	-0.028	-0.002	DNM (-1)	-0.239	0.201	
F-Value	0.250	0.209	DNM (-2)	0.003	0.021	
			DNM (-3)	-0.098	-0.081	
			F-Value	1.352	0.522	

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Bidirectional Causality between Income and Money in the long run

No Short run Causality

Table 7(a): Causality between Nominal Money and Prices

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	Cointegration (Engle-Granger)							
	Const.	Coeff.	ADF	PP(I=3)	PP(I=9)			
NM on DF	3.850***	1.697***	-3.696***	-2.687***	-2.477**			
	Conclusio	on: Strong	evidence of (Cointegration	1			
Error Cor	Error Correction Causality							
Lag 2	DDF	DNM						
e(-1)	-0.314***	-0.071						
DDF(-1)	0.589***	-0.349						
DDF(-2)	0.216	0.496*						
DNM (-1)	0.163	0.167						
DNM (-2)	0.003	0.045						
F-Value	0.898	2.446						
Lag length	: BIC(2), AIC	(2)						
Conclusion	: Unidirection	nal from mo	nev to Price	s in the long	run			

Conclusion: Unidirectional from money to Prices in the long run

Table 7(b): Causality between Money and Prices (reforms)

	Cointegration (Engle-Granger)					
	Const.	D	Coeff.	ADF	PP(l=3)	PP(I=9)
NM on DF	3.920***	0.0550	1.678***	-3.758***	-2.716***	-2.510***

Conclusion: Evidence of Co-integration

Error	Correction	Causality
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Lag 2	DDF	DNM
D	-0.008	-0.003
e(-1)	-0.307***	-0.062
DDF(-1)	0.584***	-0.349
DDF(-2)	0.208	0.515*
DNM (-1)	0.163	0.168
DNM (-2)	0.005	0.049
F-Value	0.884	2.403

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Unidirectional from money to Prices in the long run

Table 7(c): Causality between Money and Prices (prices)

	Cointegration (Engle-Granger)					
	Const.	D	Coeff.	ADF	PP(I=3)	PP(l=9)
NM on DF	3.702***	-0.172**	1.755***	-3.915***	-2.924***	-2.734***

Conclusion: Evidence of Co-integration

Error Correction Causality

DDF	DNM
0.097***	0.038
-0.462***	-0.054
0.393***	-0.324
0.244*	0.490*
-0.002	0.153
-0.046	0.032
0.130	2.068
	0.097*** -0.462*** 0.393*** 0.244* -0.002 -0.046

Lag length : BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Unidirectional from money to Prices in the long run

Table 7(d): Causality between Money and Prices (prices & reforms)

Cointegration (Engle-Granger)							
	Const.	D1	D2	Coeff.	ADF	PP(I=3)	PP(I=9)
NM on DF	3.556***	-0.220**	-0.081	1.799***	-3.953***	-2.993***	-2.787***

Conclusion: Strong evidence of Cointegration

Error Correction Causality

DDF	DNM
0.102***	0.039
-0.010	-0.008
-0.446***	-0.076
0.307**	-0.311
0.164	0.452*
-0.039	0.162
-0.054	0.032
0.350	1.777
	0.102*** -0.010 -0.446*** 0.307** 0.164 -0.039 -0.054

Lag length: BIC(2), AIC(2)

Conclusion: Unidirectional from money to Prices in the long run

Main Findings

Significant shifts in annual series of Money, Income, and Prices

A unidirectional causality from real income to real money in the long run (after taking care of shifts) with no short run causality

A weak evidence of unidirectional causality from nominal income to nominal money in the long run with no short run causality

Persistent evidence of Income affecting Money at three years lag.

A bi-directional causality between money and income in the log run with no short run affects if we take care of shifts due to price hikes

A unidirectional causality from Money to Prices in the long run with the indication of Prices affecting money at two years lag

Extensions

More Variables, e.g., Interest Rates

Multivariate Analysis

Quarterly Data

Advanced Econometric Tools that take care of structural shifts

