



Ch 5 More on Consumer Theory

* Compensated demand functions

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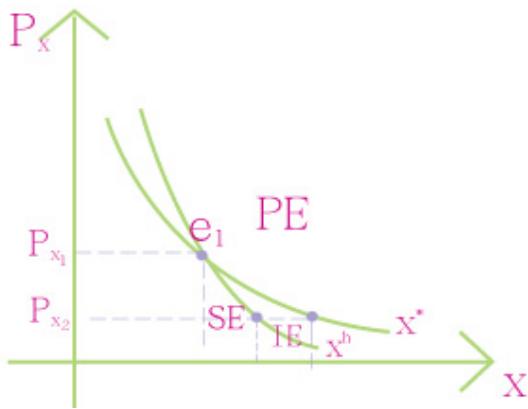


Figure 65 :

$$\begin{aligned} \min x, y : & P_x x + P_y y \\ \text{s.t.} & u(x, y) = u \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Foc} \quad MRS_{xy} = \frac{P_x}{P_y} \quad \Phi$$

$$u(x, y) = u \quad \Theta$$

$$\Phi \Rightarrow MRS_{xy} = \frac{Mu_x}{Mu_y} = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} \frac{y}{x} = \frac{P_x}{P_y} \right), \quad \beta P_x x = \alpha P_y y, \quad P_y y = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} P_x x$$

$$y = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \frac{P_x}{P_y} x \quad \Phi,$$

$$\Theta \Rightarrow x^\alpha y^\beta = u$$

$\Phi \rightarrow \Theta$

$$x^\alpha \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha} \frac{P_x}{P_y} \right)^\beta x^\beta = u$$

$$u(x, y) = x^\alpha y^\beta$$

$$x^{\alpha+\beta} \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha} \frac{P_x}{P_y} \right)^\beta = u$$

$$x^* = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta} \frac{m}{P_x}, \quad y^* = \frac{\beta}{\alpha+\beta} \frac{m}{P_y}$$

$$x^{\alpha+\beta} = \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha} \frac{P_x}{P_y}\right)^\beta u$$

$$u(x^*, y^*) = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}\right)^\alpha \left(\frac{m}{P_x}\right)^\alpha \cdot \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha+\beta}\right)^\beta \left(\frac{m}{P_y}\right)^\beta$$

$$x^h = x(P_x, P_y, u)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha^\alpha \beta^\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)^{\alpha+\beta}} \frac{m^{\alpha+\beta}}{P_x^\alpha P_y^\beta}$$

$$\begin{cases} x^h = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} \frac{P_x}{P_y}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha+\beta}} u^{\frac{1}{\alpha+\beta}} \\ y^h = \left(\frac{\beta}{\alpha} \frac{P_x}{P_y}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha+\beta}} u^{\frac{1}{\alpha+\beta}} \end{cases}$$

$\max x, y : u(x, y)$ vs. $\min x, y : P_x x + P_y y$ $P_x x^h + P_y y^h$ is a function of P_x , P_y , u

s.t. $P_x x + P_y y = m$	s.t. $u(x, y) = u$	$e(P_x, P_y, u) = P_x x^h + P_y y^h$
$\Rightarrow x^* = x(P_x, P_y, m)$	$\Rightarrow x^h = x(P_x, P_y, u)$	$= P_x x(P_x, P_y, u) + P_y y(P_x, P_y, u)$
$y^* = y(P_x, P_y, m)$	$y^h = y(P_x, P_y, u)$	expenditure function 支出函数

$u(x^*, y^*) = u(x(P_x, P_y, m), y(P_x, P_y, m)) = v(P_x, P_y, m)$
indirect utility function 間接效用函数

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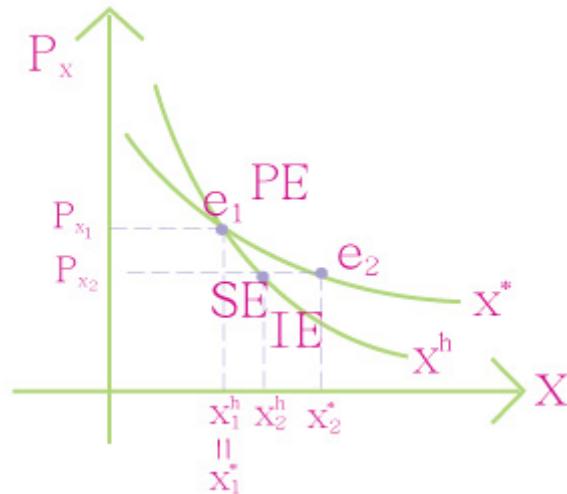


Figure 66 : Compensated demand functions (Hickian demand functions)

$$\left[\frac{dx}{dP_x} \right]_{PE} = \left[\frac{dx}{dP_x} \right]_{SE} + \left[\frac{dx}{dP_x} \right]_{IE}$$

↑ slope of ordinary demand function ↓ slope of the compensated demand function

$$dm = -(dP_x)x$$

$$\Rightarrow dP_x = \frac{dm}{-x}$$

$$\left[\frac{dx}{dP_x} \right]_{IE} = \frac{dx}{dm} = -x \frac{dx}{dm}$$

$$\left[\frac{dx}{dP_x} \right]_{given m} = \left[\frac{dx}{dP_x} \right]_{given u} - x \frac{dx}{dm}$$

$$\frac{dx^*}{dP_x} = \frac{dx^h}{dP_x} - x \frac{dx^*}{dP_x} \quad \text{Slutsky Equation}$$

PE SE IE

$$\frac{dx^*}{dP_x} \frac{P_x}{x^*} = \frac{dx^h}{dP_x} \frac{P_x}{h} - x \frac{dx^*}{dm} \frac{P_x}{x^*} \quad x^* = x^h \text{ at equilibrium}$$

$$-\frac{\frac{dx^*}{x^*}}{\frac{dP_x}{P_x}} = -\frac{\frac{dx^h}{x^h}}{\frac{dP_x}{P_x}} + \frac{P_x x}{m} \frac{\frac{dx^*}{x^*}}{\frac{dm}{m}} \Rightarrow \varepsilon_{X^*}^P = \varepsilon_{X^h}^P + e_x \varepsilon_{X^*}^m$$

$$\varepsilon_{X^*}^P = \varepsilon_{X^h}^P + e_x \cdot \varepsilon_x^m$$

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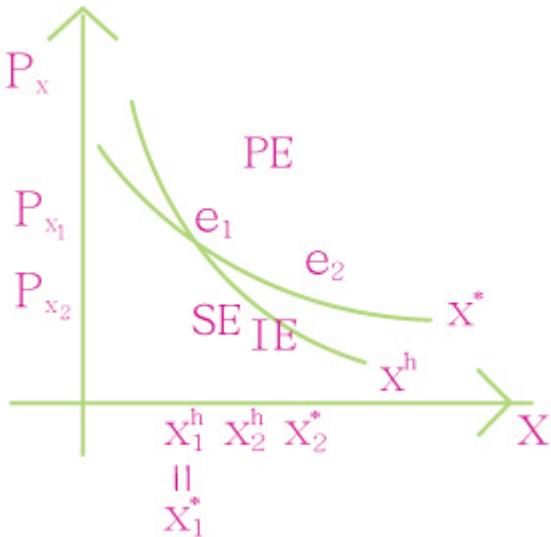


Figure 67 : Compensated demand function

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$$\frac{dx^*}{dP_y} ? \quad \frac{dx^h}{P_y} - y \frac{dx^*}{dm}$$

$$dm = -(dP_y)y \quad \Rightarrow \quad dP_y = -\frac{dm}{y}$$

$$[\frac{dx}{dP_y}]_{IE} = \frac{dx}{\frac{-dm}{y}} = -y \frac{dx^*}{dm}$$

$$\frac{dx^*}{dP_y} = \frac{dx^h}{dP_y} - y \frac{dx^*}{dm}$$

PE SE IE

$$\frac{dx^*}{dP_y} \frac{P_y}{X^*} = \frac{dx^h}{dP_y} \frac{P_y}{x^h} - y \frac{dx^*}{dm} \frac{P_y}{x^*}$$

$$-\frac{\frac{dx^*}{dP_y}}{\frac{P_y}{X^*}} = -\frac{\frac{dx^h}{dP_y}}{\frac{x^h}{P_y}} + \frac{P_y y}{m} \frac{\frac{dx^*}{dm}}{\frac{x^*}{m}}$$

$$\varepsilon_{xy} = \varepsilon_{x^h} \varepsilon_y^m \quad (\text{a})$$

In previous discussion,

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx^*}{dP_y} > 0 \Rightarrow X \text{ and } Y \text{ are gross substitutes.} \\ \frac{dx^*}{dP_y} < 0 \Rightarrow X \text{ and } Y \text{ are gross complements.} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx^h}{dP_y} > 0 \Rightarrow X \text{ and } Y \text{ are net substitutes.} \\ \frac{dx^h}{dP_y} < 0 \Rightarrow X \text{ and } Y \text{ are net complements.} \end{array} \right.$$

From (a), $\varepsilon_{x^h y} < 0, > 0$ (X and Y are net substitutes/complements)
 and $\varepsilon_x^m < 0, > 0$ (X is inferior/normal good)
 $\Rightarrow \varepsilon_{xy} < 0, > 0$ (X and Y are gross substitutes/complements)

compensating variation (CV) 補償變量

Equivalent variation (EV) 等值變量

與消費者滿意度有關

$$\max x, y: \left. \begin{array}{l} u(x, y) \\ P_x x + P_y y = m \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} x^*, y^* \text{ ordinary demand fct.} \\ u(x^*, y^*) = V(P_x, P_y, m) \text{ indirect utility} \end{array}$$

市場上看不到，卻有存在而被估計的

$$\min x, y: \left. \begin{array}{l} P_x x + P_y y \\ u(x, y) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} x^h, y^h \text{ compensated demand fct.} \\ e(P_x, P_y, u) = P_x x^h + P_y y^h \text{ expenditure fct.} \end{array}$$

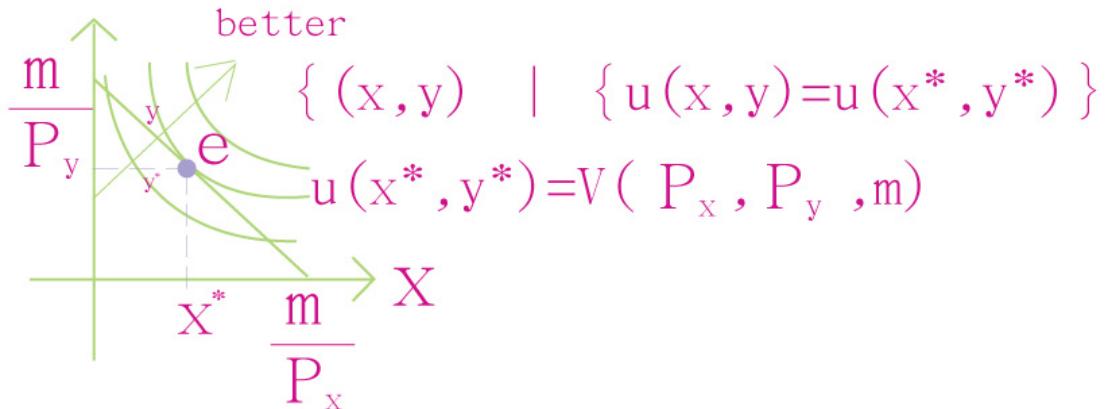


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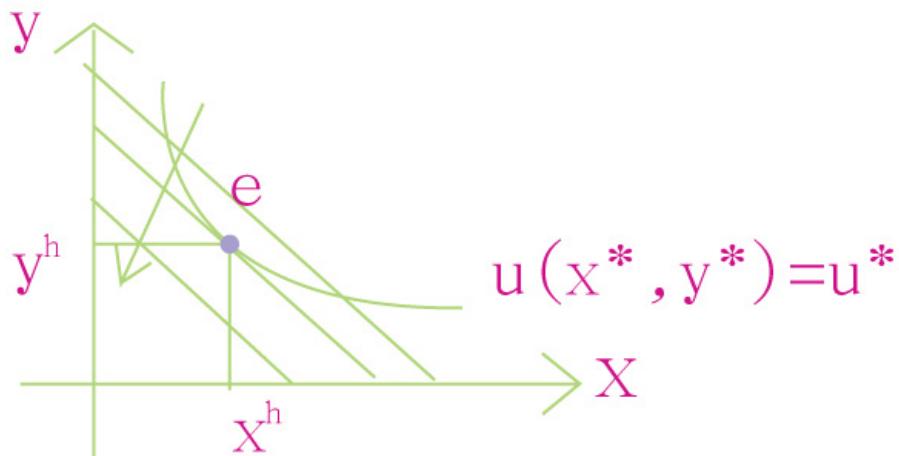


Figure 69 :

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x^h = x^* \\ y^h = y^* \\ e = P_x x^h + P_y y^h = P_x x^* + P_y y^* = m \end{array} \right\} \text{為了滿足均衡而有的結果}$$

$\Rightarrow e(P_x, P_y, u(x^*, y^*)) = m$

change in $P_x \rightarrow$ change in x^*, y^*
 \rightarrow change in $u(x^*, y^*)$

suppose there is a tax on $X \Rightarrow P_x \uparrow \rightarrow x^*, y^*$ change

how to measure the change in $u(x^*, y^*)$?

補貼多少才能回到 original utility?

change in $u(x^*, y^*) \sim$ change in income