

## **Not so Harmless After All: The Fixed-Effects Model**

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## Online Appendix:

Table A1: Omitted Within Variance  $\text{corr}(\ddot{x}_u^1, \ddot{x}_u^2) = 0.8$ : Bias for Estimate of  $x_{it}^1$  and  $x_{it-1}^1$

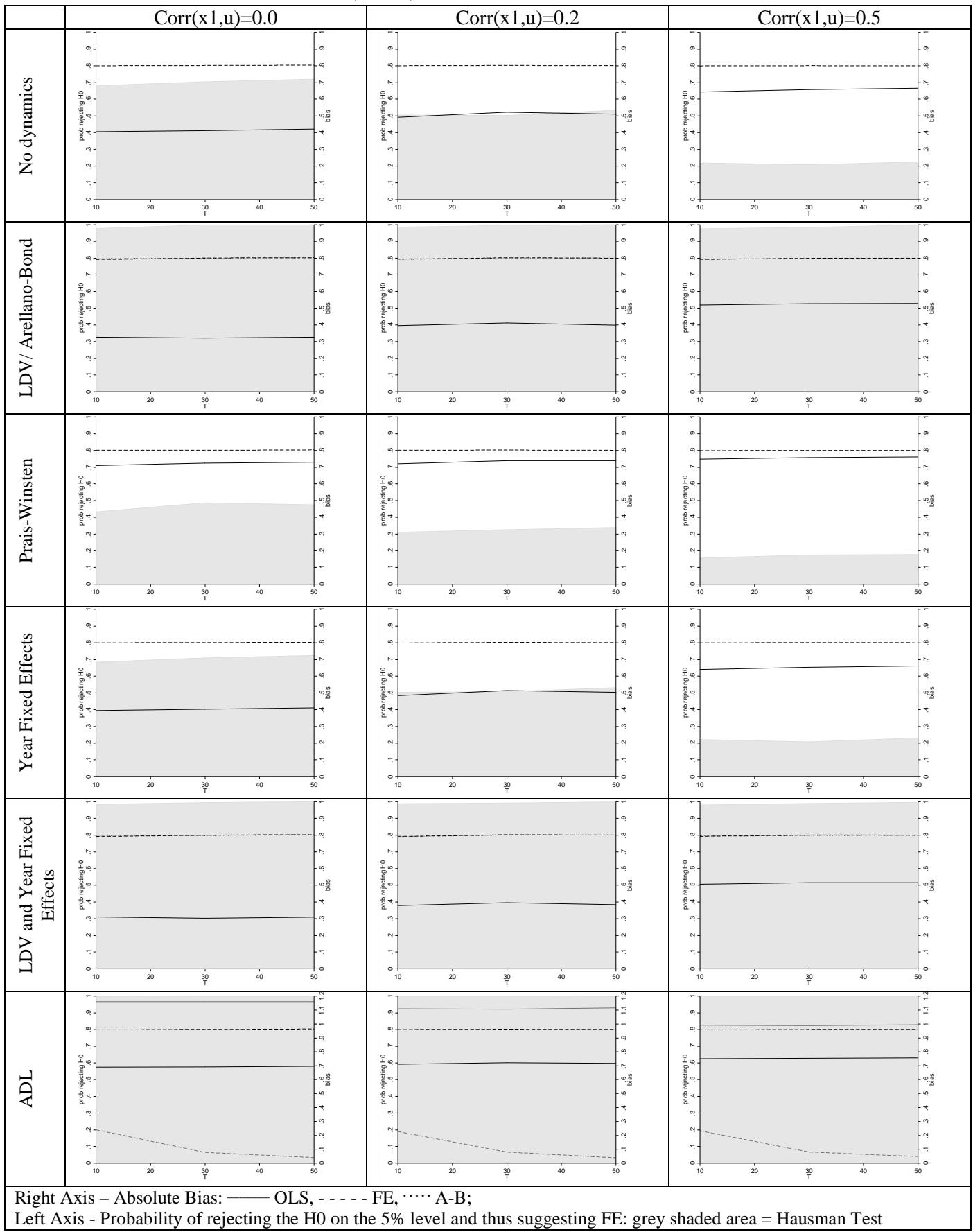
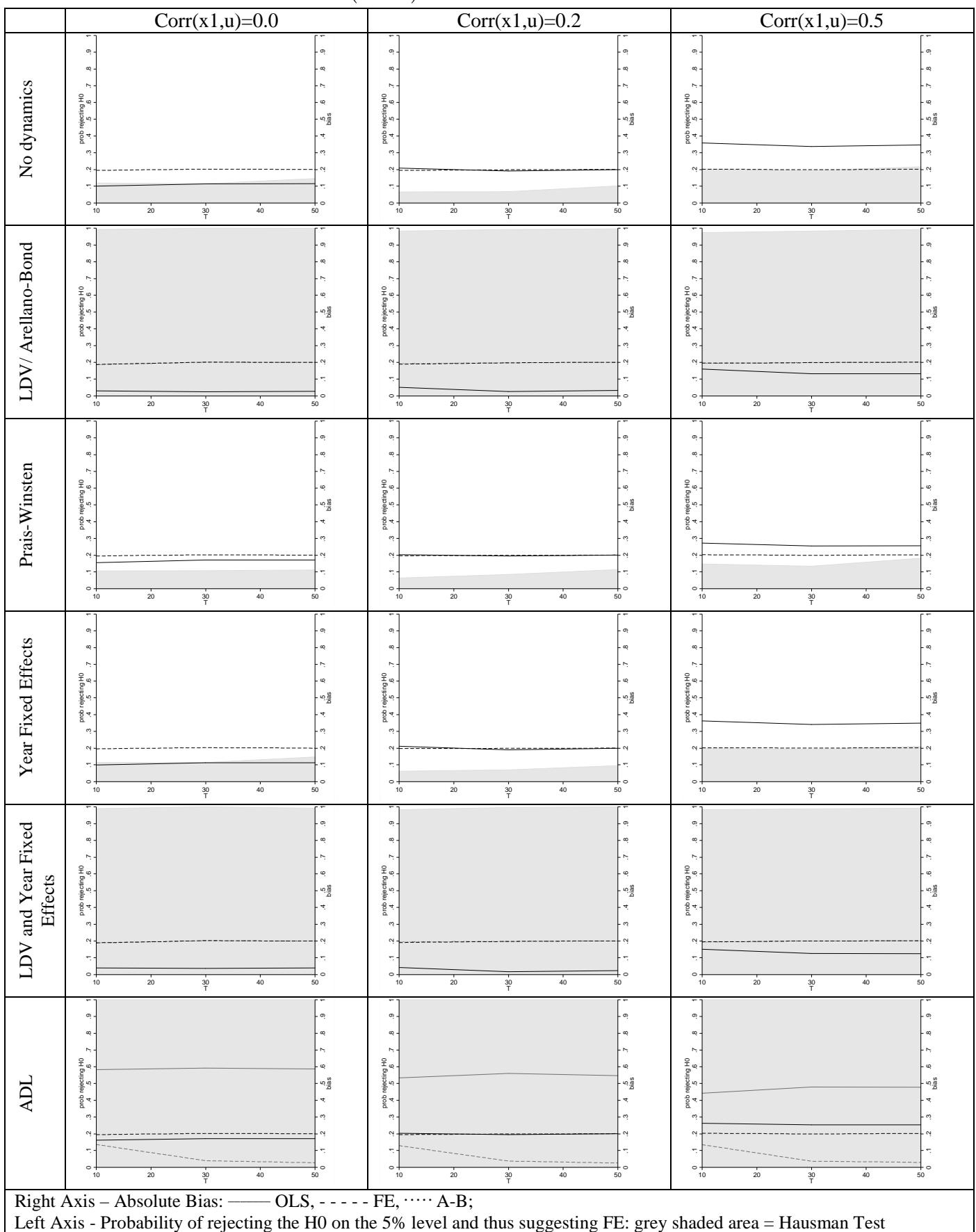


Table A2: Omitted Within Variance  $\text{corr}(\hat{x}_{it}^1, \hat{x}_{it}^2) = 0.2$ : Bias for Estimate of  $x_{it}^1$  and  $x_{it-1}^1$



Right Axis – Absolute Bias: — OLS, - - - FE, ····· A-B;

Left Axis - Probability of rejecting the H0 on the 5% level and thus suggesting FE: grey shaded area = Hausman Test

Table A3: Experiment 1a: Omitted Within Variance  $\text{corr}(\ddot{x}_{it}^1, \ddot{x}_{it}^2) = 0.2$  : Bias for Estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )

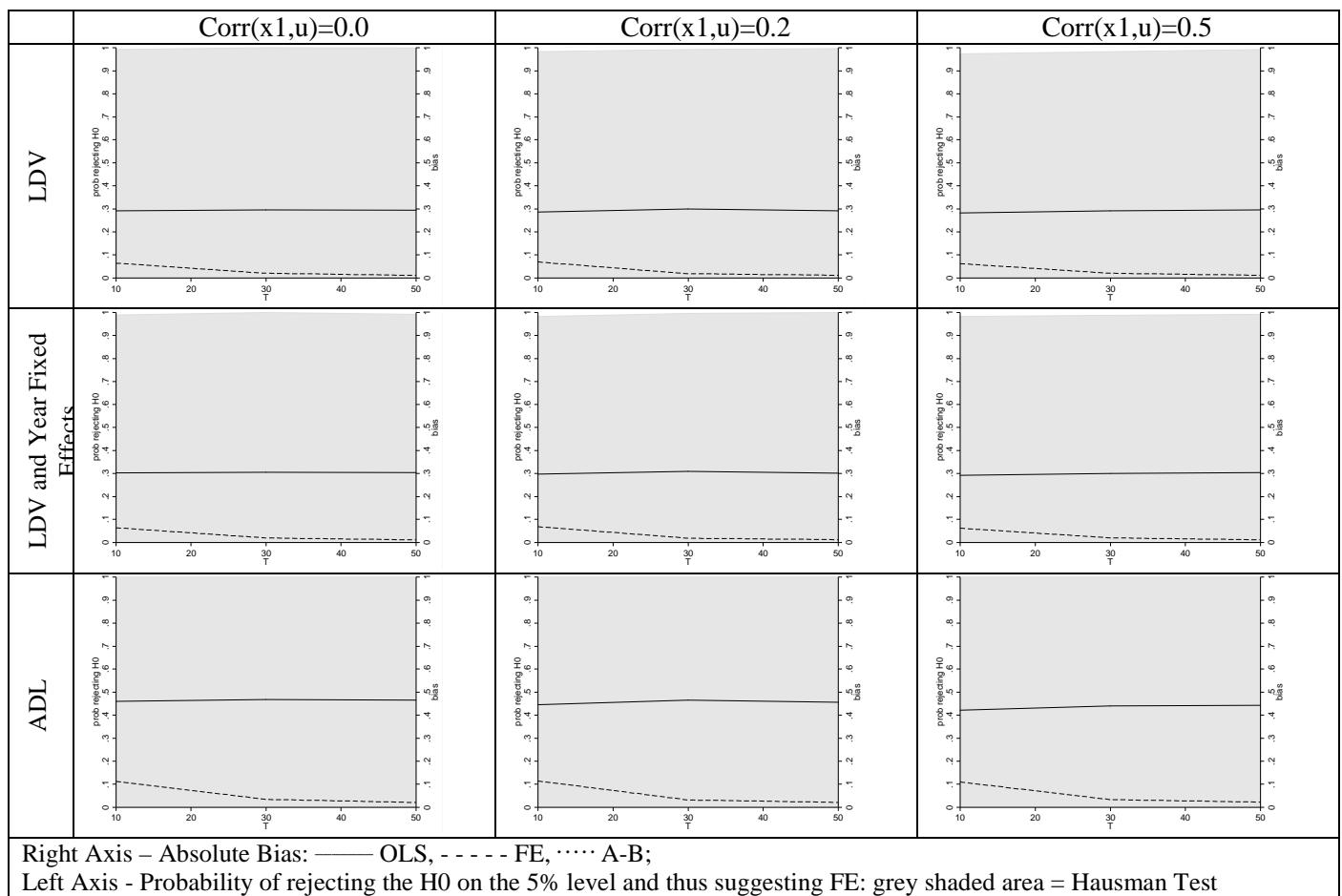
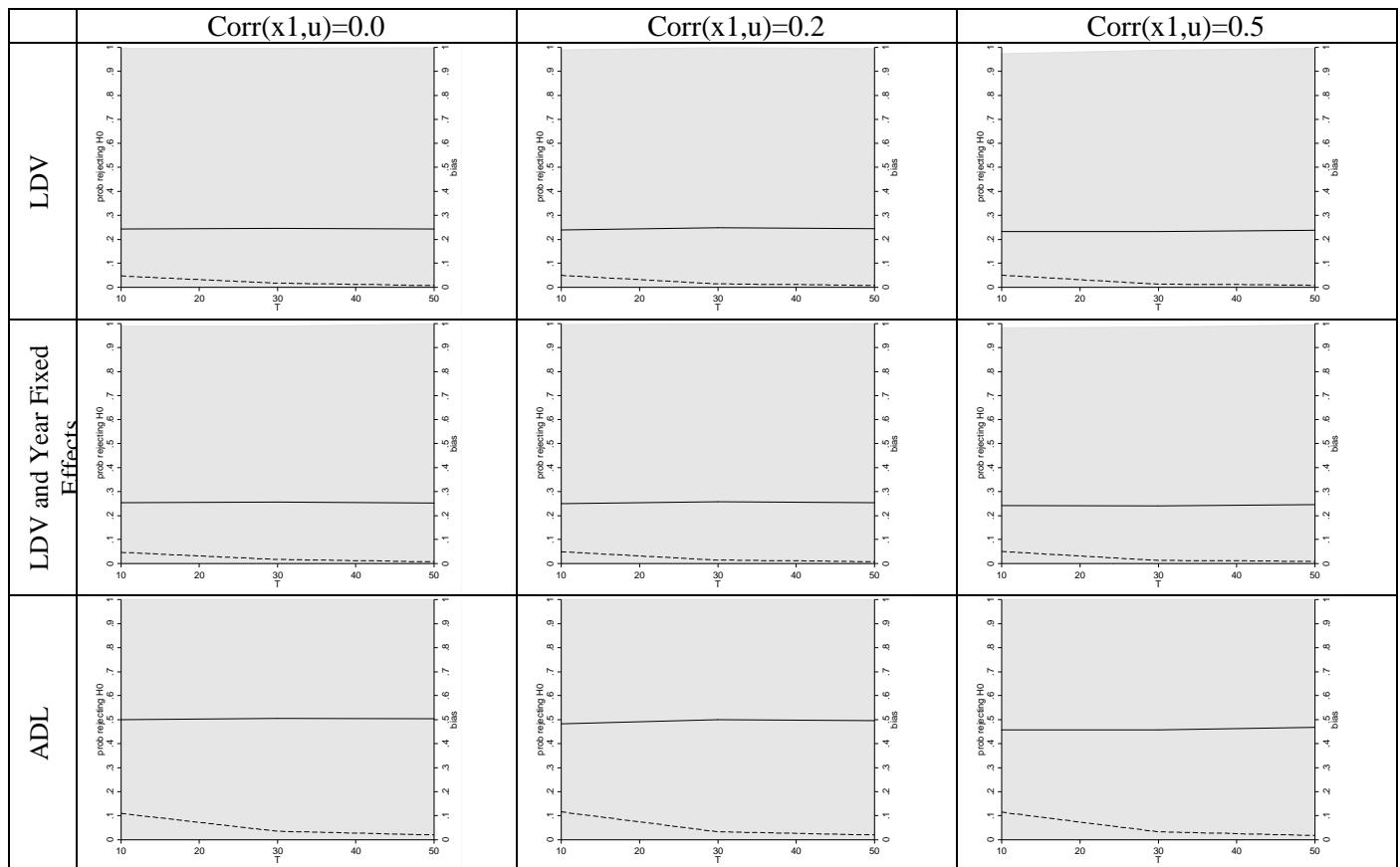
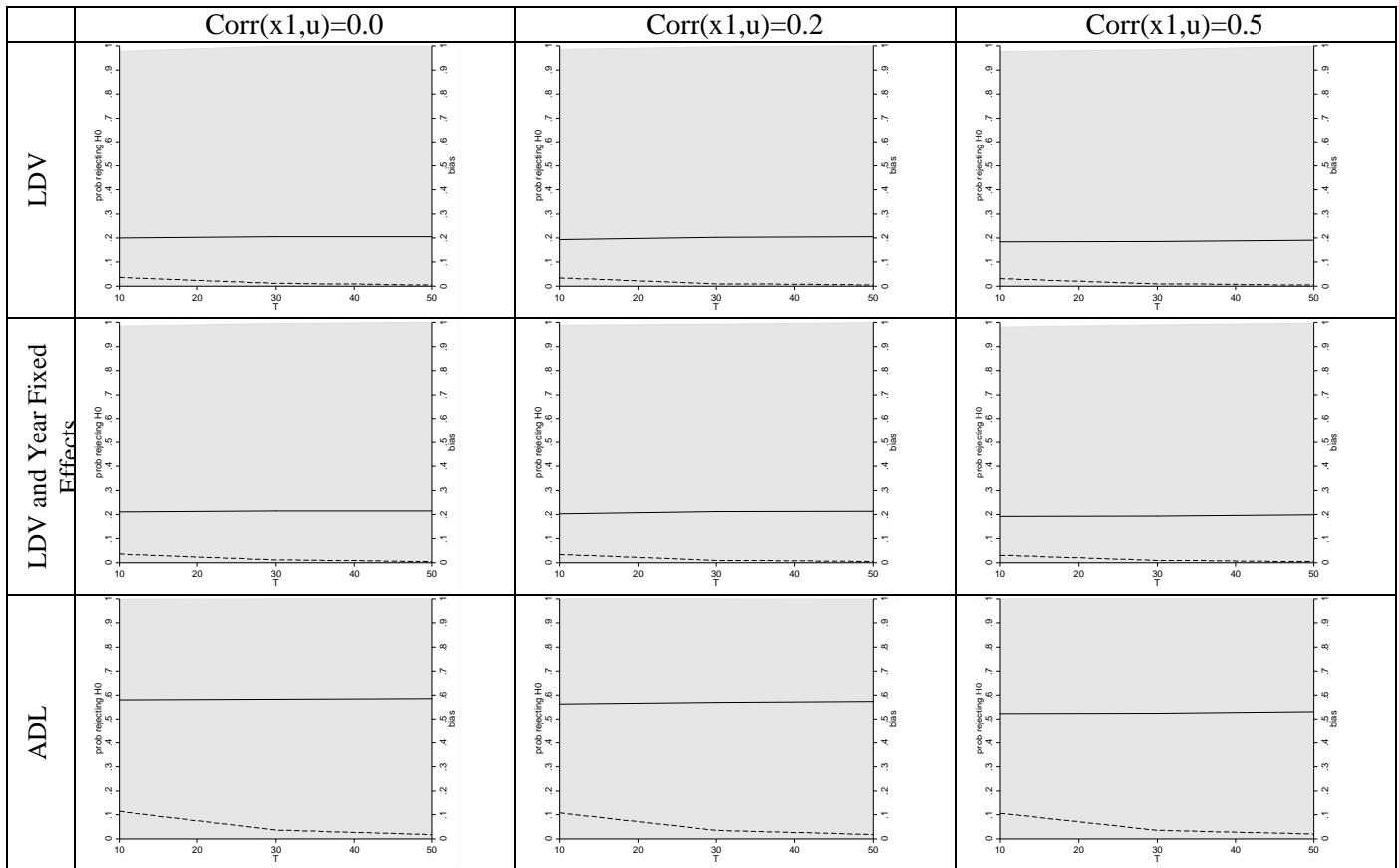


Table A4: Experiment 1b: Omitted Within Variance  $\text{corr}(\ddot{x}_{it}^1, \ddot{x}_{it}^2) = 0.5$  : Bias for Estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )



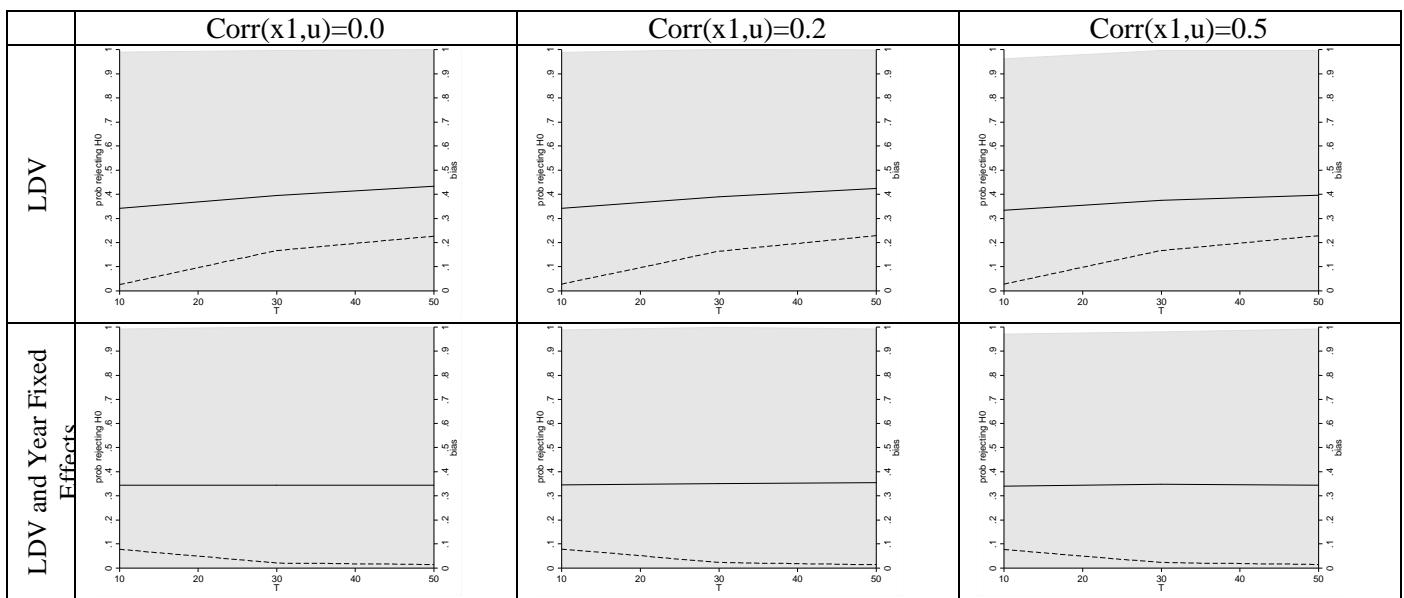
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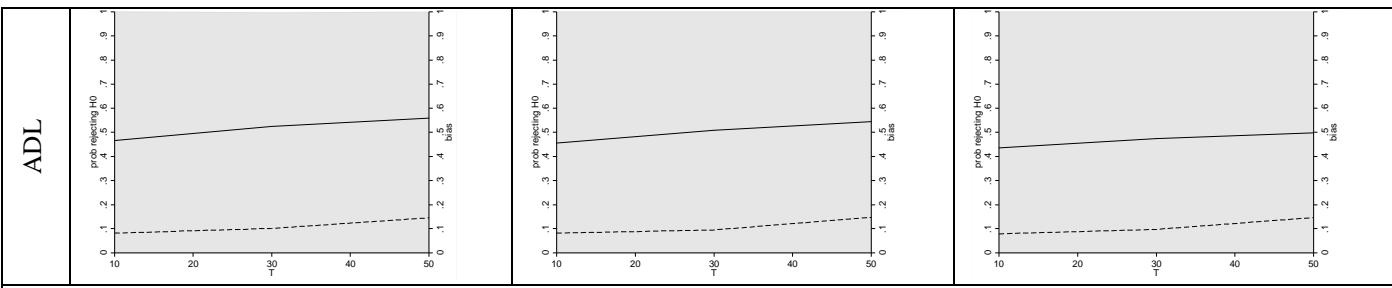
Table A5: Experiment 1c: Omitted Within Variance  $\text{corr}(\ddot{x}_{it}^1, \ddot{x}_{it}^2) = 0.8$ : Bias for Estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )



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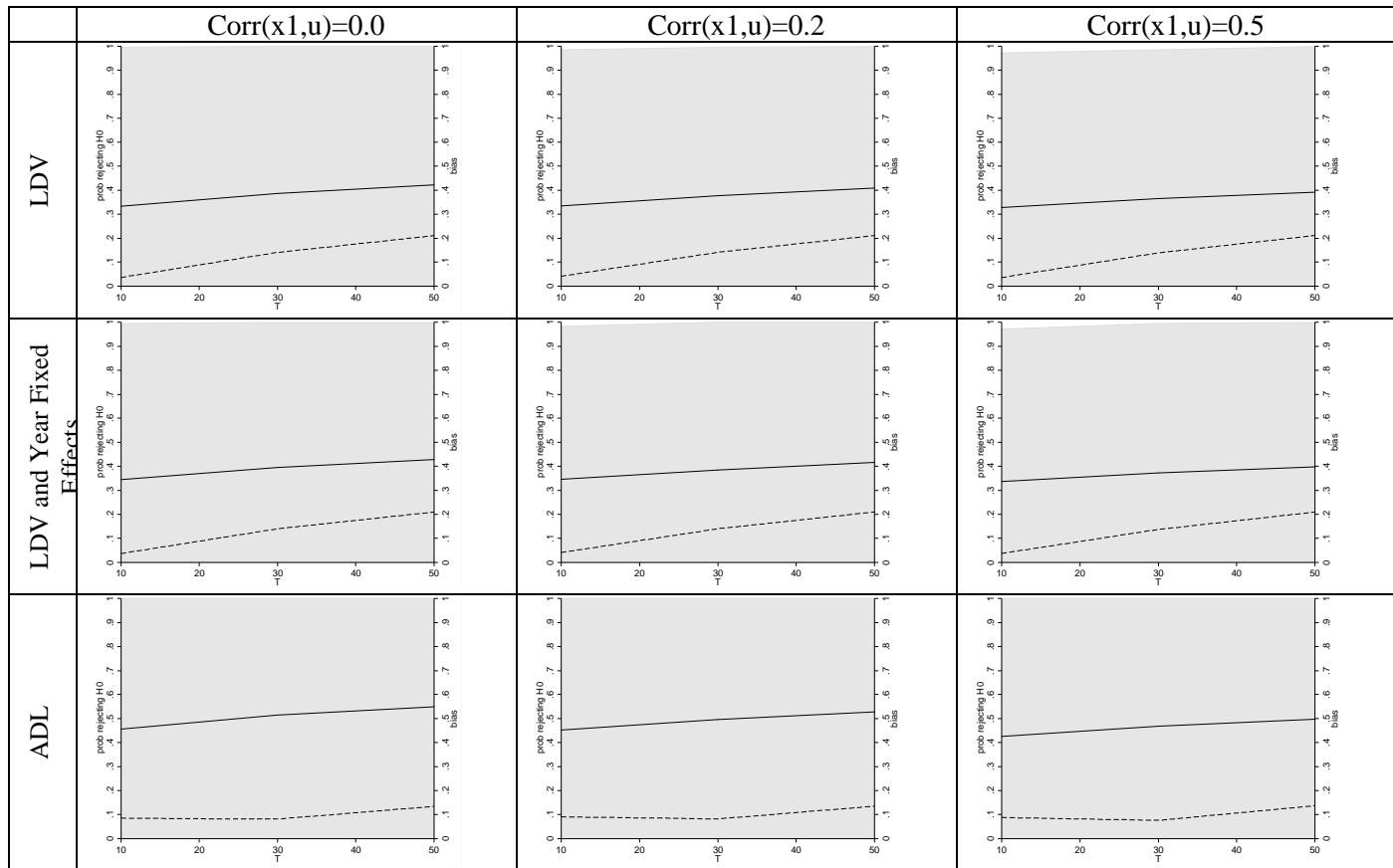
Table A6: Experiment 2a: Omitted Common Trend: Bias for Estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )





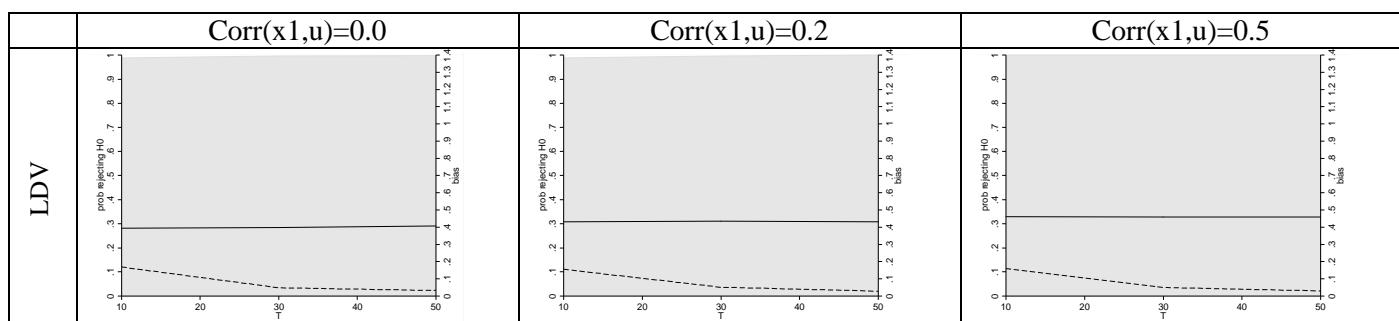
Right Axis – Absolute Bias: —— OLS, - - - FE, ..... A-B;  
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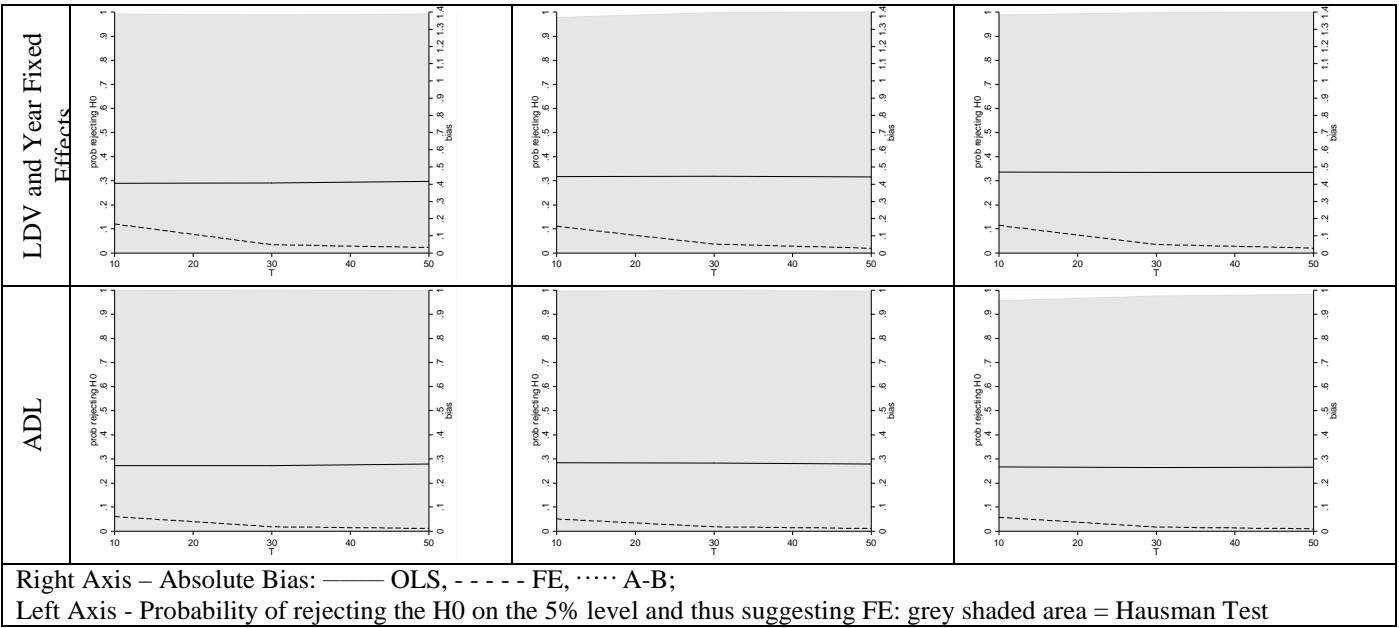
Table A7: Experiment 2b: Omitted Unit Specific Trend: Bias for Estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )



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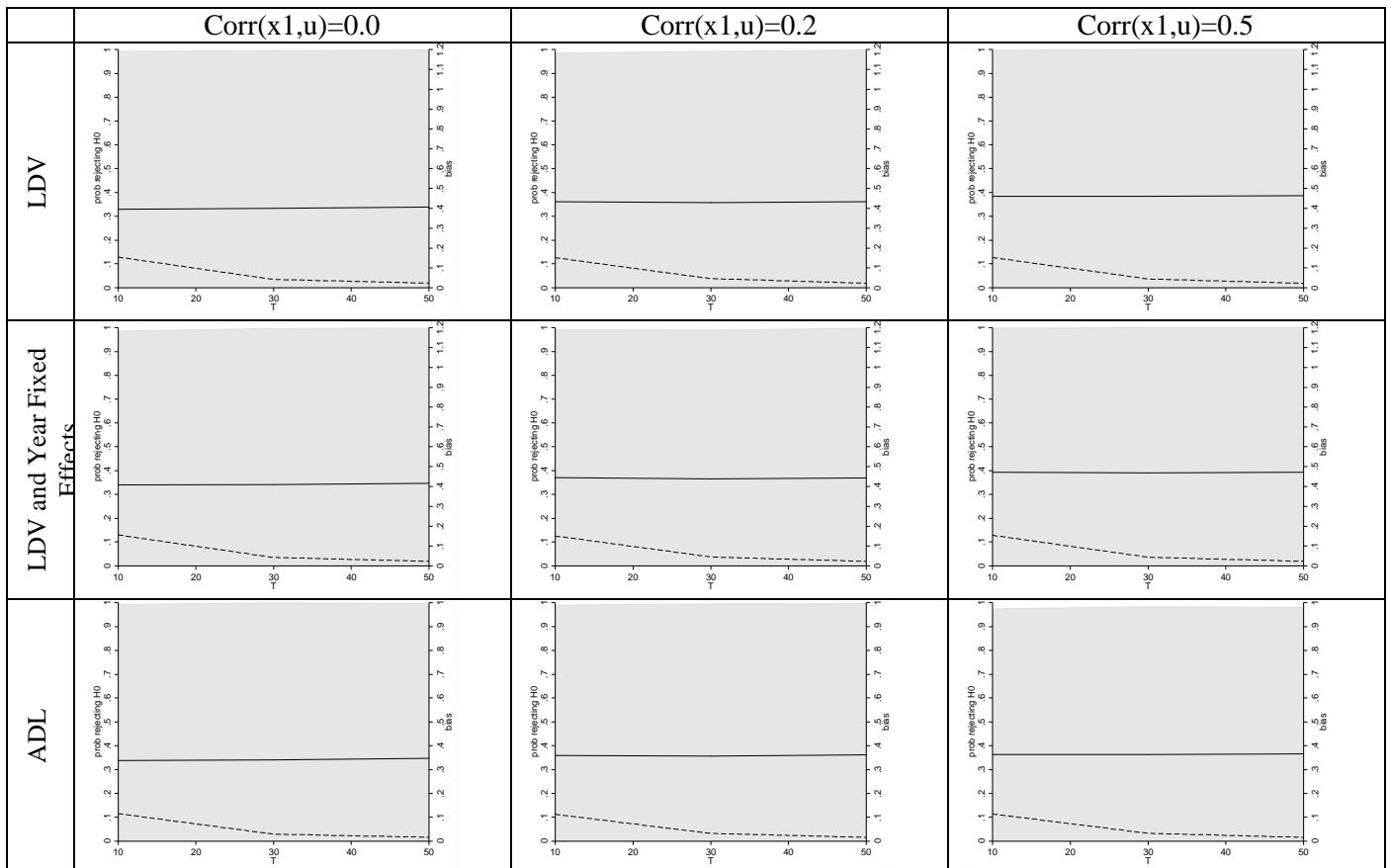
Table A8: Experiment 3a: One Period Lagged X: bias for estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )





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Table A9: Experiment 3b: Unit-specific Lagged X: Bias for Estimate of LDV ( $y_{it-1}$ )



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 Left Axis - Probability of rejecting the H0 on the 5% level and thus suggesting FE: grey shaded area = Hausman Test