Time Series Analysis- GroupH - Assignment 2

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Question 1

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In [1]: %matplotlib inline
          import numpy as np
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          from statsmodels.tsa.ar_model import AR
          from statsmodels.tsa.arima_model import ARMA
          import statsmodels as sm
          import pandas as pd
In [2]: #Simulate AR(1)
          alpha=0.1
          beta = 0.3
          sigma=0.005
          T_list=[100,250,1250]
          N = 2000
          for T in T_list:
              alpha_sum = 0
              beta_sum = 0
              sigma_sum = 0
              for i in range(0,N):
                  x0=alpha/(1-beta)
                  x=np.zeros(T+1)
                  0x = [0]x
                  eps=np.random.normal(0.0,sigma,T)
                  for i in range(1,T+1):
                      x[i]=alpha+beta*x[i-1]+eps[i-1]
                  y=x[0:T]
                  yp=x[1:(T+1)]
                  m=np.sum(y)/T
                  mp=np.sum(yp)/T
                  betaCMLE=np.inner(y-m,yp-mp)/np.inner(y-m,y-m)
                  alphaCMLE=mp-betaCMLE*m
                  sigmaCMLE=np.sqrt(np.inner(yp-betaCMLE*y-alphaCMLE,
                                             yp-betaCMLE*y-alphaCMLE)/T)
                  alpha_sum += alphaCMLE
                  beta_sum += betaCMLE
                  sigma_sum += sigmaCMLE
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alpha_hat = alpha_sum / N
beta_hat = beta_sum / N
sigma_hat = sigma_sum / N
print("T = ", T, ",(alpha,beta,sigma) = ",[alpha_hat,beta_hat,sigma_hat])

T = 100 ,(alpha,beta,sigma) = [0.1024153805831, 0.2831247621365, 0.004951490497068]
T = 250 ,(alpha,beta,sigma) = [0.1009745294900, 0.2932032633954, 0.004971390214618]
T = 1250 ,(alpha,beta,sigma) = [0.1002329906964, 0.2983269719304, 0.004993956810083]
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- \$ Comment\$
- We run simulations N(=2000) times to give T(=100,250,1250) observations from the given AR(1) model and then fit the observartions into AR(1) to give the average MLE estimates.
- The output is:

$$T = 100, [\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}, \hat{\sigma}] = [0.102415, 0.283124, 0.00495149]$$

 $T = 250, [\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}, \hat{\sigma}] = [0.100974, 0.293203, 0.00497139]$
 $T = 1250, [\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}, \hat{\sigma}] = [0.100232, 0.298326, 0.00499396]$

we can see that the estimates are biased compare with the given parameters

$$[\alpha, \beta, \sigma] = [0.1, 0.3, 0.005]$$

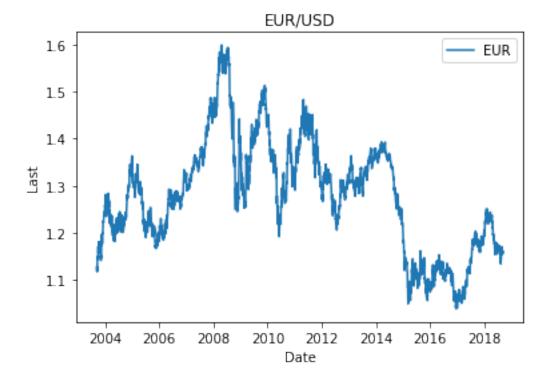
• for these biased estimates, we can see that when T goes larger, the bias get smaller because the error is $O(\frac{1}{N})$, which means that they are consistant.

Question 2

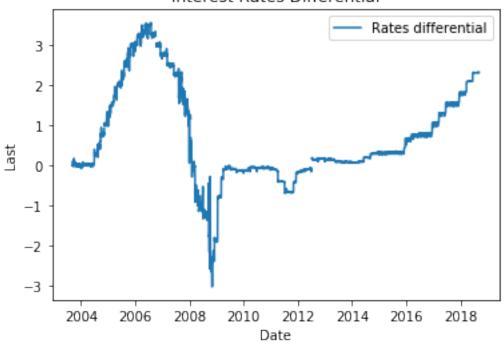
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In [5]: def problem_2():
            # Section 2.1: Generate time series
            eur = pd.read_excel('HW2_Data.xlsx', sheet_name = 'EUR',
                                index_col=0, parse_dates=True, infer_datetime_format=True)
            fed = pd.read_excel('HW2_Data.xlsx', sheet_name = 'FEDL01',
                                index_col=0, parse_dates=True, infer_datetime_format=True)
            ecb = pd.read_excel('HW2_Data.xlsx', sheet_name = 'EUORDEPOT',
                                index_col=0, parse_dates=True, infer_datetime_format=True)
            diff = fed - ecb
            plt.figure()
            plt.plot(eur,label='EUR')
            plt.title('EUR/USD')
            plt.xlabel('Date')
            plt.ylabel('Last')
            plt.legend()
            plt.show()
            plt.plot(diff,label='Rates differential')
            plt.title('Interest Rates Differential')
            plt.xlabel('Date')
            plt.ylabel('Last')
            plt.legend()
            plt.show()
            # run Dickey-Fuller on each series separately.
            eur_rates = eur['Last Price'].dropna()
            diff_interest_rates = diff['Last Price'].dropna()
            print("EURUSD")
            perform_adf_test(eur_rates)
            print("Diff")
            perform_adf_test(diff_interest_rates)
            # this should be stationary
            print("delta EURUSD")
            lagged_eur = eur['Last Price'].pct_change(1).dropna()
            perform_adf_test(lagged_eur)
            # this too should be stationary
            print("delta rates")
            lagged_rates = diff['Last Price'].pct_change(1).replace([np.inf, -np.inf], np.nan).d
            perform_adf_test(lagged_rates)
            # form vector a = (1, -1)' ==> u_t = x - y
            merged_data = pd.concat([eur_rates.rename('eur'), diff_interest_rates.rename('rates')
            clean_data = merged_data.dropna()
            u = (clean_data['eur'] - clean_data['rates'])
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test unit root on u, this would have to be stationary
print("u")
perform_adf_test(u)

In [9]: problem_2()







EURUSD

ADF Statistic: -1.966646

p-value: 0.301386

5%: -2.862

1%: -3.432

10%: -2.567

Diff

ADF Statistic: -1.016293

p-value: 0.747276

5%: -2.862

1%: -3.432

10%: -2.567

 ${\tt delta} \ {\tt EURUSD}$

ADF Statistic: -62.486528

p-value: 0.000000

5%: -2.862

1%: -3.432

10%: -2.567

delta rates

ADF Statistic: -9.344125

p-value: 0.000000

5%: -2.862

1%: -3.432

10%: -2.567

u

ADF Statistic: -0.930077

p-value: 0.777906 5%: -2.862 1%: -3.432

10%: -2.567

Comment

First, we run ADF on EURUUSD, the short interest difference between Fed and ECB. The test result shows that both series are not stationary at 5% significance level. And the first difference of both series are stationary at 5% significance level. Thus we can conclude that both series are I(1).

Second, we use the given cointegration vector $\alpha = (1, -1)$ to calculate the residual of the cointegration process u_t , which $u_t = EURUSD - Diff$. Then we test the stationarity of the reriduals. The test shows that the residual is not stationary at 5% significance level. Thus the vector $\alpha = (1, -1)$ is not the cointegration vector of EURUSD exchange rate and the differential between Fed and ECB short interest rates in these currencies.