

Academic Project: The Recovery Theorem and Robust Estimation of the Probability Density of Returns

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1 Introduction

The project is focused on the article "The Recovery Theorem" by Steven Ross (2015) (3) and implement on the empirical estimation of the returns distribution from the options data.

I would like to apply the Recovery Theorem to divide the state prices into the risk aversion component and the estimation of the probability distribution and returns. This separation lets us get the pricing kernel, market risk premium, and the tail events probabilities in a model-independent fashion.

While some applications are used to check the Efficient Market Hypothesis, I would like to focus the work on the opportunities for more robust estimation of the probability densities, which show very transient behavior, using the techniques such as the Kalman Filter.

Moreover, the particular interest in the estimation lies in the application of the resulted methodology to the SOFR Options, which gained a lot of interest in recent years due to the transition from LIBOR-world. After this, we will be able to create an asset-independent framework applicable to any type of option.

The result of the work will be the application of the robust probability densities for returns forecast for the given asset class to measure the predictive power of the estimates.

The overall work will include working with the original model and extension of it for more robust estimations, data collection and cleaning for the SOFR options prices, using the trading terminals, estimation framework development, and forecastability hypothesis testing using Python.

2 Research methodology

In order to estimate the recovered probabilities and check the forecasting power of this feature, we are following the methodology outlined by Ross (2015) (3) and try to recover the pricing kernel from the option prices:

$$(x, y) = \frac{P(x, y)}{\mathcal{P}(x, y)}$$

$P(x, y)$ is a Risk-Neutral Density Matrix

$\mathcal{P}(x, y)$ is a Transition Matrix $m(x, y)$ is a Pricing Kernel

This pricing kernel allows us to capture the combined effect of the time-value-of-money and risk-aversion of the representative investor.

In order to do this, we are going to use the market data from Bloomberg, process it and interpolate. After this, we will estimate the Risk-Neutral density matrix using the Breeden-Litzenberger approach (4), and estimate the Transition Matrix using the Forward equation. Following this step, we will recover the pricing kernel and convert it to the recovered probabilities.

Our last step will be to check the predictive power of the recovered probabilities for the Delta-1 instrument, chosen to be the SOFR interest rate swaps, the options underlyings.

3 Data analysis

Using Bloomberg Terminal, I downloaded the data for the whole SOFR (S490) Interest Rate Swap (IRS) Curve and for the Cap Options Implied Volatilities contributed by interdealer broker Conticap over the available dates of November 9th 2021 to September 27th 2022.

For the interest rate curve we initially get the maturities from 1 day to 50 years with weekly and monthly data up to 1 year, 1 year data from 1 year to 10 years, and data with 2-10 years time step starting from 10 years.

For the options we initially get most dense data with the maturities from 1 to 30 years to expiry with step of 1 year in the short-end and the belly of the term structure, and 2-5 years in the long end, starting from 10 years. And I get strikes from -2% to 7% with the step of 0.5%.

As SOFR-options and IRS are the new instruments, not all the expiries and strikes are liquid and we can miss some data at given points. It is crucial for us to keep the dataset stable across the time, After the data preprocessing we keep only 1 to 10 years maturities with time step of 1 year across the options and swaps. For the strikes we keep the data from -0.75% to 6%.

Let's look at the example of the implied volatility surface we got for the date of September 27th 2022.

The Implied Volatilities are quoted in basis points for the interest rate swaps, so, for example, point -0.75% 1Y, which is equal to 114.3bps will be equivalent to 1.143%:

	-0.75%	-0.50%	-0.25%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	2.50%	3.00%	3.50%
1Y	133.9	134.2	114.3	112.3	109.9	107.4	104.8	102.7	101.5	103.3	103.8	103.8	112.1
2Y	163.3	162.2	160.7	158.8	156.7	154.5	152.2	150.1	146.2	143.2	140.4	137.9	139.3
3Y	166.4	166.6	166.3	165.6	164.4	163.0	161.4	159.7	156.4	153.5	151.1	149.5	150.9
4Y	158.2	159.0	159.4	159.4	158.9	158.2	157.3	156.3	154.3	152.6	151.4	150.9	152.6
5Y	151.4	152.4	153.0	153.2	153.0	152.6	152.0	151.3	149.9	148.7	148.1	148.2	150.2
6Y	145.0	146.0	146.7	146.9	146.9	146.6	146.2	145.7	144.6	143.8	143.6	144.1	146.2
7Y	137.6	138.7	139.4	139.9	140.0	139.9	139.6	139.3	138.7	138.3	138.5	139.4	141.6
8Y	130.7	131.8	132.6	133.1	133.3	133.3	133.2	133.0	132.7	132.7	133.2	134.4	136.9
9Y	125.2	126.3	127.1	127.6	127.9	128.0	127.9	127.8	127.7	127.8	128.6	130.1	132.8
10Y	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.3	123.5	123.6	123.5	123.4	123.3	123.5	124.4	126.0	128.6

In addition to the Implied Volatilities, I also downloaded price series from the ContiCap datasource in order to check the quality of our price-fitting process, which will be used further down in the analysis:

	-0.25%	-0.50%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	2.50%	3.00%	4.00%	4.50%
1.0	440.0	465.0	416.0	391.0	366.0	341.0	317.0	267.0	218.0	169.0	122.0	51.6	3
2.0	866.0	915.0	818.0	770.0	722.0	674.0	627.0	532.0	440.0	350.0	267.0	139.0	9
3.0	1235.0	1304.0	1166.0	1097.0	1029.0	961.0	893.0	760.0	632.0	510.0	397.0	226.0	17
4.0	1581.0	1670.0	1493.0	1404.0	1317.0	1230.0	1145.0	977.0	816.0	664.0	526.0	315.0	24
5.0	1911.0	2019.0	1804.0	1697.0	1592.0	1488.0	1385.0	1184.0	992.0	813.0	650.0	400.0	31
6.0	2228.0	2354.0	2103.0	1979.0	1857.0	1735.0	1616.0	1383.0	1162.0	956.0	770.0	483.0	38
7.0	2519.0	2662.0	2377.0	2237.0	2098.0	1960.0	1825.0	1563.0	1315.0	1084.0	877.0	557.0	44
8.0	2799.0	2959.0	2641.0	2484.0	2329.0	2176.0	2026.0	1735.0	1460.0	1206.0	978.0	628.0	50
9.0	3071.0	3247.0	2897.0	2724.0	2554.0	2386.0	2221.0	1902.0	1602.0	1325.0	1078.0	699.0	56
10.0	3346.0	3538.0	3156.0	2968.0	2783.0	2600.0	2420.0	2074.0	1748.0	1448.0	1181.0	771.0	62

Now, with the trimmed data stable across all the timestamps, we are ready to start extracting our Risk-Neutral probability densities from the options prices.

4 Arrow-Debreu Densities

In order to do this, we are following the procedure outlined in the seminal paper by the Breeden and Litzenberger (1978) (4), and we want to get the densities from the options prices $p(K, T)$:

$$C(K, T) = \int_0^\infty [S - K]^+ p(S, T) dS = \int_K^\infty [S - K] p(S, T) dS$$

$$p(K, T) = \frac{\partial C(K, T)}{\partial K}$$

4.1 Forward Curve Construction

In order to price SOFR option, we have to follow several intermediary steps: SOFR rates are compounded overnight rates and the Cap options are the strip of Caplet options, which are fixed every day up to maturity with the strike equal to the forward rate. We can refer to the Bloomberg methodology (12) and see that:

$$\text{A daily overnight compounded rate is } 1 + \Delta(t_m, t_n) R_{[t_m, t_n]} = \prod_{k=m+1}^n (1 + \tau_k R_k), \quad \tau_k = \Delta(t_{k-1}, t_k)$$

$$\text{Swaplet is } Z(T) = R_{[T_s, T_e]} - K$$

$$\text{PV of the payment is } Z(t) = P(t, T)(\mathbb{E}^T[R_{[T_s, T_e]} | \mathcal{F}_t] - K)$$

$$\text{Forward Value of the compounded rate is } F(t, T_s, T_e, T) = \mathbb{E}^T[R_{T_s, T_e} | \mathcal{F}_t], \quad t \leq T$$

Therefore, we have to construct the forward curve with the values up to the longest maturity of the options, 10 years in our case, and we have to create the pricing mechanism for Caplets and Caps. In order to do precise pricing, we take the raw yield curve with the tenors from 1 day up to 10 years

	1D	1W	2W	3W	1M	2M	3M	4M	5M	6M	7M	8M	9M	1Y
Value	2.99	3.0281	3.0265	3.0285	3.032	3.319	3.5226	3.697	3.8375	3.9435	4.03	4.104	4.1602	4.2

And plug it into the QuantLib library, which will be used for the forwards pricing using the bootstrapping techniques and forward schedule generation.

We are using the following parameters for this:

- Calendar is the US Holidays
- Day Count Convention is ACT/360
- Settlement is T+0

After this, we are constructing the SOFR IRS Curve for each date in our sample (230 points). For Forward Curve construction we are using Piecewise Logarithmic Cubic Discount Term Structure model with extrapolation. It works the following way:

- Term structure is bootstrapped on a number of interest rate instruments which are passed as a vector of RateHelper instances
- Their maturities mark the boundaries of the interpolated segments
- Each segment is determined sequentially starting from the earliest period to the latest and is chosen so that the instrument whose maturity marks the end of such segment is correctly repriced on the curve

After the interpolation we get SOFR IRS curve, Bootstrapped Implied Forwards curve and Discount Factors curve for each date in our sample:

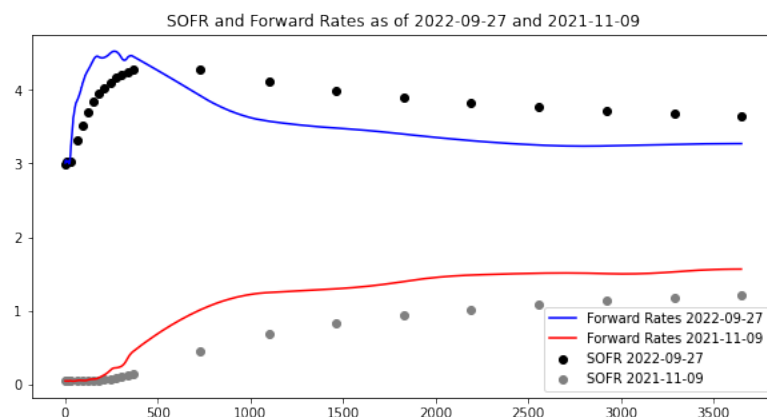


Figure 1: SOFR and Forward Rates as of 2022-09-27 and 2021-11-09

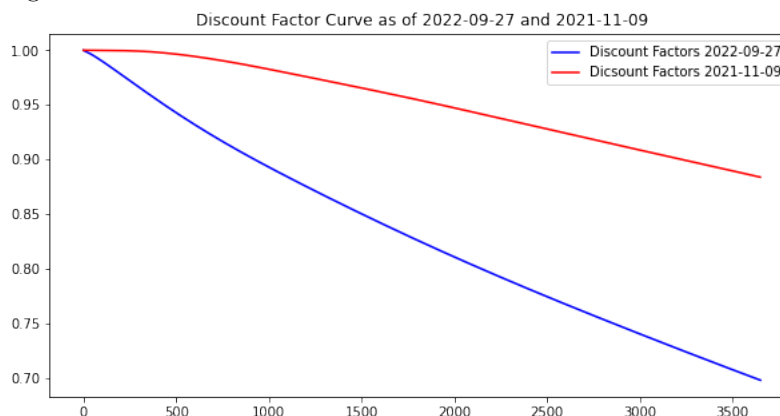


Figure 2: Discount Factor Curve as of 2022-09-27 and 2021-11-09

After getting this data, let's move to the Caplets and Caps pricing.

4.2 Implied Volatility Surface Construction

As the published volatilities correspond to the 3-month compounded overnight rates, we have to construct swaps for each of these values for each expiry from the closest one up to 10 years.

We get quarterly-quarterly swaps (QQ-Swaps) from the Market Overnight Forward Rates in order to imply the ATM Swap Rates:

- We have Compounded 3M Fwd OIS rates, which is used for pricing of Caps and have to annualize it to match with strike
- We use convention that we have 10 swaps, each has quarterly fixings, so we divide every swap rate by 4 and get fixing

Here is the example of the QQ-Swap rates for each Cap expiry:

Tenor	Q-Q Swaps
0	0.042722
1	0.042782
2	0.041187
3	0.039882
4	0.038918
5	0.038167
6	0.037480
7	0.036917
8	0.036491
9	0.036131

In order to get the Cap price as a function of daily Caplets, given the inputs, Cap Vol, Strike, Expiry, Forward Curve and Discount Factors.

As the current market practice for the interest rate options correspond to the negative-rate environment, instead of using the classic Black-Scholes model (1), we use Bachelier model (2):

$$Caplet(F, K, V) = \sqrt{V} \left[\phi \left(\frac{F - K}{\sqrt{V}} \right) + \frac{F - K}{\sqrt{V}} \mathcal{N} \left(\frac{F - K}{\sqrt{V}} \right) \right]$$

Where F, K, V are Forward, Strike, Variance

$$\phi(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2}}$$

$$\mathcal{N}(z) = \int_{-\infty}^z \phi(x) dx$$

$$Cap(F, K, V, T) = \sum_{t_i=t_1}^T Z(t, t_i) \times Caplet(F, K, V)$$

We get the following price surface in basis points:

	-0.25%	-0.50%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%
1Y	440.393542	464.763601	416.024099	391.654704	367.285403	342.916269	318.547578	269.81651
2Y	864.614434	912.054153	817.225229	769.906015	722.679566	675.568645	628.637817	535.51760
3Y	1235.250985	1303.695751	1167.057207	1099.099454	1031.492291	964.28427	897.578606	766.26357
4Y	1579.153331	1667.167676	1491.632936	1404.561629	1318.15675	1232.490805	1147.735639	981.78911
5Y	1906.976928	2013.520746	1801.137832	1696.017047	1591.861505	1488.759063	1386.947294	1188.3030
6Y	2220.381217	2344.624359	2096.896161	1974.574286	1853.342955	1733.612426	1615.53798	1385.5127
7Y	2514.91544	2656.394655	2374.827926	2235.837766	2098.362023	1962.509213	1828.899739	1569.4332
8Y	2796.608452	2954.622831	2640.025944	2484.911839	2331.571438	2180.407633	2031.618294	1743.4594
9Y	3070.610653	3244.680574	2898.143524	2727.599285	2559.090648	2392.741224	2229.427845	1913.6069
10Y	3336.212096	3525.626508	3148.561533	2962.69433	2779.383088	2598.441626	2420.879191	2077.7750

After comparing it to the ContiCap price surface we get the following differences in basis points:

	-0.25%	-0.50%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	2.50%
1.0	0.393542	-0.236399	0.024099	0.654704	1.285403	1.916269	1.547578	2.816512	3.137087	3.708165
2.0	-1.385566	-2.945847	-0.774771	-0.093985	0.679566	1.568645	1.637817	3.517607	4.101043	5.517607
3.0	0.250985	-0.304249	1.057207	2.099454	2.492291	3.28427	4.578606	6.263579	6.930614	7.517607
4.0	-1.846669	-2.832324	-1.367064	0.561629	1.15675	2.490805	2.735639	4.789114	6.259296	7.708165
5.0	-4.023072	-5.479254	-2.862168	-0.982953	-0.138495	0.759063	1.947294	4.303006	6.199906	7.081651
6.0	-7.618783	-9.375641	-6.103839	-4.425714	-3.657045	-1.387574	-0.46202	2.512787	4.391043	5.917607
7.0	-4.08456	-5.605345	-2.172074	-1.162234	0.362023	2.509213	3.899739	6.433227	7.895021	9.708165
8.0	-2.391548	-4.377169	-0.974056	0.911839	2.571438	4.407633	5.618294	8.45944	10.818552	11.517607
9.0	-0.389347	-2.319426	1.143524	3.599285	5.090648	6.741224	8.427845	11.606979	13.019256	14.517607
10.0	-9.787904	-12.373492	-7.438467	-5.30567	-3.616912	-1.558374	0.879191	3.775698	6.342841	8.817607

We see that we get sufficiently precise pricing:

- Mean Error is 2.88 bps
- Relative Mean Error is 0.88%

Let's move to the interpolation of the implied volatility surface we got in order to compute the risk-neutral densities.

4.3 Volatility Interpolation

For the interpolation, we choose a step of 25bps for the strike, keeping the maturities the same. After this, we take each volatility smile for each date and run a 5-degree Spline interpolation: we estimate uniformly divided polynomial $P(z)$ (14):

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_i(z) &= a_i(z - z_i)^5 + b_i(z - z_i)^4 + c_i(z - z_i)^3 + d_i(z - z_i)^2 + e_i(z - z_i) + f_i, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1 \\
 a_i &= \frac{1}{120h}(F_{i+1} - F_i) \\
 b_i &= \frac{1}{24}F_i \\
 c_i &= 16h(M_{i+1} - M_i) - h36(F_{i+1} + 2F_i) \\
 d_i &= 12M_i \\
 e_i &= h(S_{i+1} - S_i) - h6(M_{i+1} + 2M_i) + h360(7F_{i+1} + 8F_i) \\
 f_i &= S_i
 \end{aligned}$$

In essence, we do the following procedure:

- Create the polynomial of degree 5
- Construct piecewise version of it
- Join it at the knots
- Match the derivatives

In addition to this, to reduce the model complexity, we reduce the grid of strikes to -1% to 1% with the step equal to 25 basis points.
Let's look at the examples we got:

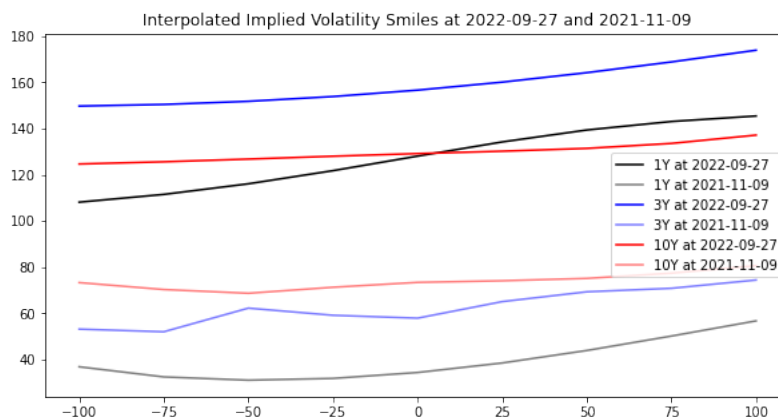


Figure 3: Interpolated Implied Volatility Smiles at 2022-09-27 and 2021-11-09

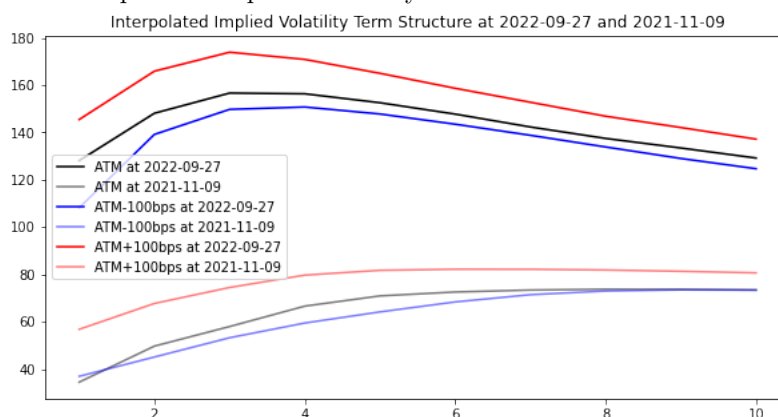


Figure 4: Interpolated Implied Volatility Term Structure at 2022-09-27 and 2021-11-09

In addition to this we constructed the price surface, which will be used for the Breeden-Litzenberger procedure later.

Let's also take a look at the surfaces of Implied Volatilities and Prices:

Implied Volatility Surface as of 2022-09-27

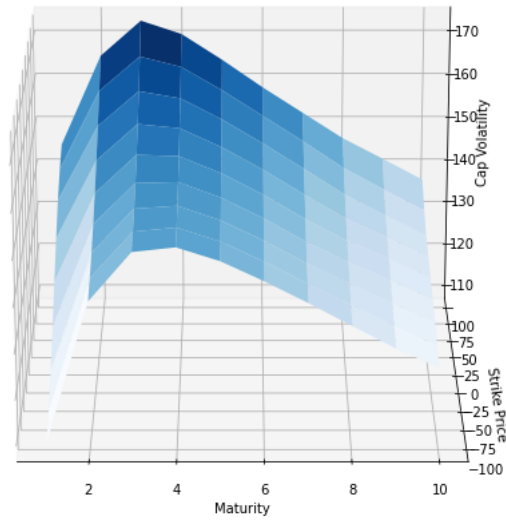


Figure 5: Interpolated Implied Volatility Surface at 2022-09-27
Price Surface as of 2022-09-27

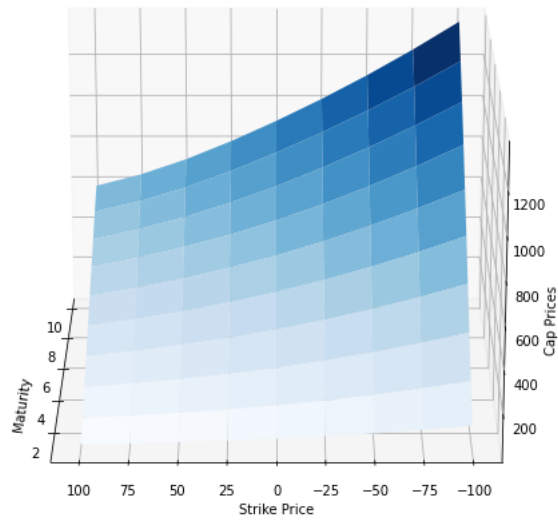


Figure 6: Interpolated Price Surface at 2022-09-27

Now we have everything to move to the risk-neutral probabilities.

4.4 Risk-Neutral Probability Surfaces

We follow the procedure outlined in Breeden, Litzenberger (4) article and numerically solve the equation we got

$$p(K, T) = e^{rT} \frac{\partial^2 C(K, T)}{\partial K^2}$$

$$\approx e^{rT} \frac{C(K + \Delta_K, T) - 2C(K, T) + C(K - \Delta_K, T)}{(\Delta_K)^2}$$

The equation we get is the compounded butterfly option spread price. After solving the equation, we get the following probability surface:

	-75	-50	-25	0	25	50	75
1.0	0.194839	0.206928	0.188070	0.149538	0.109216	0.080973	0.070436
2.0	0.161696	0.170652	0.167983	0.155606	0.136807	0.114866	0.092391
3.0	0.148574	0.159660	0.162113	0.156000	0.142966	0.125335	0.105352
4.0	0.140657	0.152449	0.157525	0.155233	0.146329	0.132431	0.115376
5.0	0.136113	0.148253	0.154769	0.154653	0.148185	0.136584	0.121442
6.0	0.133095	0.145362	0.152782	0.154126	0.149364	0.139454	0.125817
7.0	0.124564	0.139451	0.150494	0.155586	0.153742	0.145190	0.130973
8.0	0.111065	0.119783	0.130049	0.142302	0.157039	0.171230	0.168533
9.0	0.118191	0.115549	0.109931	0.113960	0.141094	0.192281	0.208993
10.0	0.119734	0.115331	0.106061	0.106686	0.133748	0.193214	0.225227

We see that each maturity probability sums up to 1.0 and that our strike space was trimmed due to the NaN values for the wings.

If we look at the estimations over time, we see that the change a lot, what depends on the changed market regime, but also is hinting at the fact that we have to use some smoothing techniques in order to get the values correctly:

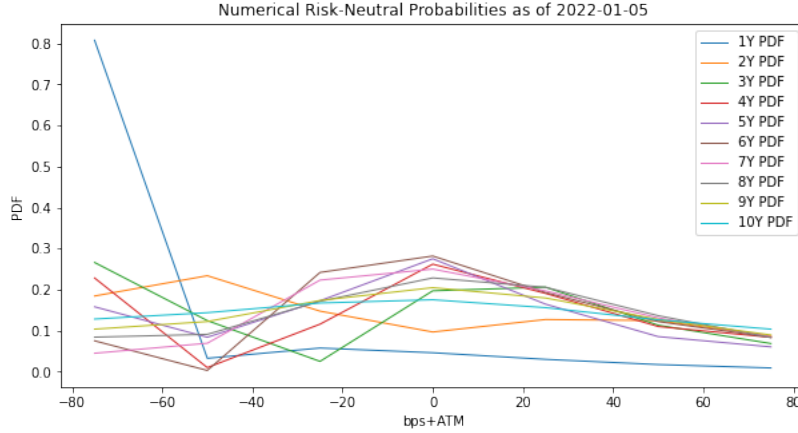


Figure 7: Numerical Risk-Neutral Probabilities as of 2022-01-05

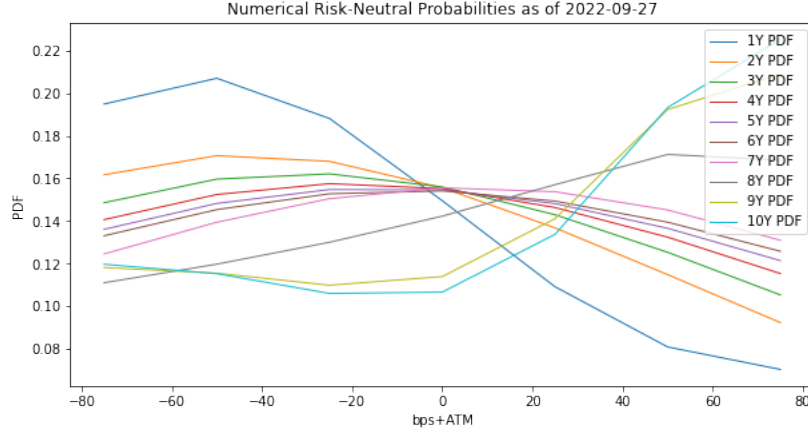


Figure 8: Numerical Risk-Neutral Probabilities as of 2022-09-27

After this step, it is time to estimate the transition matrix.

5 Transition Matrix

In order to estimate the transition matrix, we use are trying to find the matrix, which corresponds to the following equation with respect to our implied risk-neutral probability matrix:

$$P^{t+1} = P^t \mathcal{P}, t = 1, \dots, m - 1$$

Where our transition matrix is \mathcal{P}

And P^0 is an Arrow-Debreu state price vector with 0 everywhere apart from current, ATM, state.

In order to solve it, we are using not the dynamic, but static solution, using numerical optimization and Sequential Least Squares method for Quadratic Programming (15) with $m^2 - m$ restrictions, ensuring that every strike probability sums up to 1, as we have to get the unimodal rows for the transition matrix.

Let's look at the example of the transition probabilities we get over time:

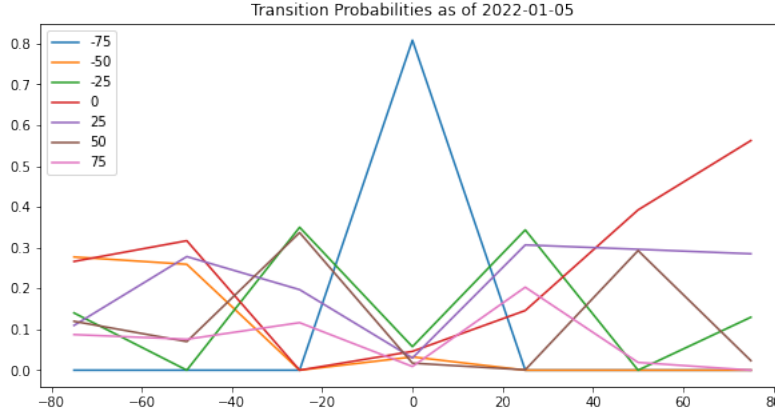


Figure 9: Transition Probabilities as of 2022-01-05

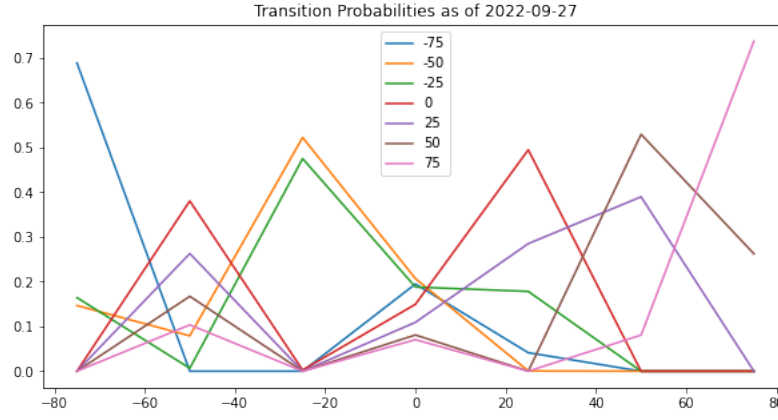


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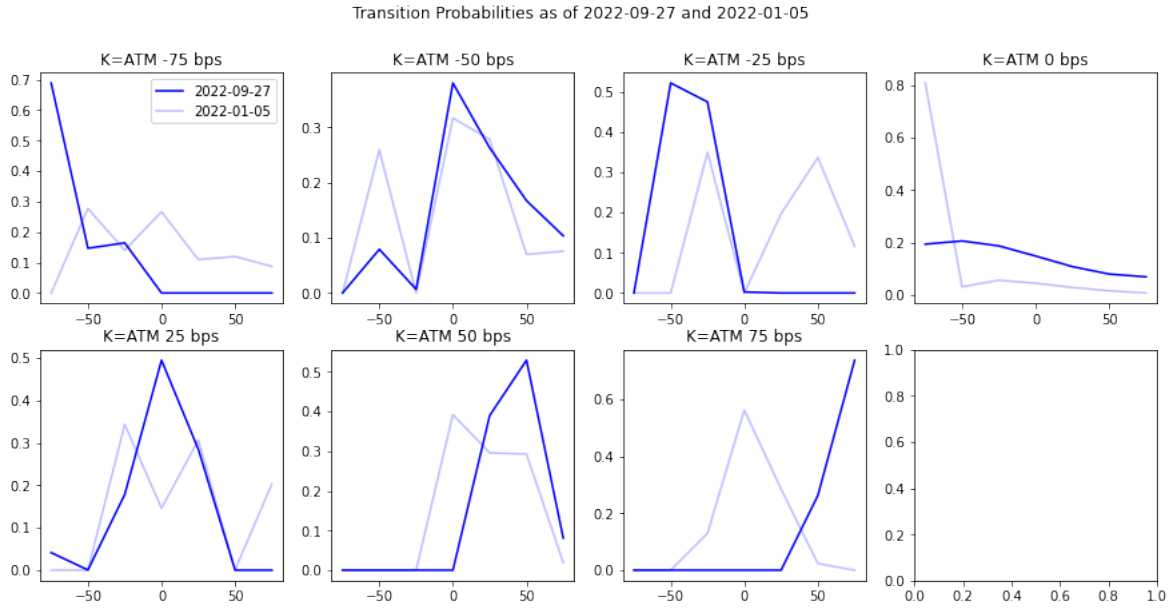


Figure 11: Transition Probabilities as of 2022-09-27 and 2022-01-05

We see that transition probabilities also reflect the change in the market regime as well as some inherent numerical instability, coming from the risk-neutral probability density function estimation and the transition probabilities itself.

Moreover, we see that:

- Probability to go further up or down from the wings, -75bps from ATM and +75bps to ATM, are significantly higher, as before the matrix indicated mean-reversion to the ATM. This behavior correspond to the current market expectations
- If rates fall 50bps from ATM, they will likely retrace back
- If we have a rise by 25bps, we likely stay at this level
- If there is jump by 50bps, we go further up Nevertheless, we see that some points are inconsistent, which is the result of the numerical estimation.

6 Recovered Probabilities

Following the previous step, we are ready to estimate the recovered probabilities. According to Ross (3), we can estimate the pricing kernel and the recovered probabilities from the transition probabilities:

$$p_{i,j} = \frac{\mathcal{P}_{i,j}}{m_{i,j}} = \frac{1}{\delta} \times \frac{\mathcal{P}_{i,j} \times u^i}{u^j}$$

$p_{i,j}$ is a Recovered Probability

$m_{i,j}$ is a Pricing Kernel

$\mathcal{P}_{i,j}$ is a Transition Matrix

δ is a Risk-Neutral Discount Factor

u^i is a Marginal Utility

We can apply the Perron-Frobenius theorem and can solve the problem as an N-dimensional eigenvalue problem

$$\Pi z = \delta z, \quad z_i = \frac{1}{u^i}$$

δ is the largest eigenvalue

z_i is a corresponding eigenvector

Let's look at the values we got:

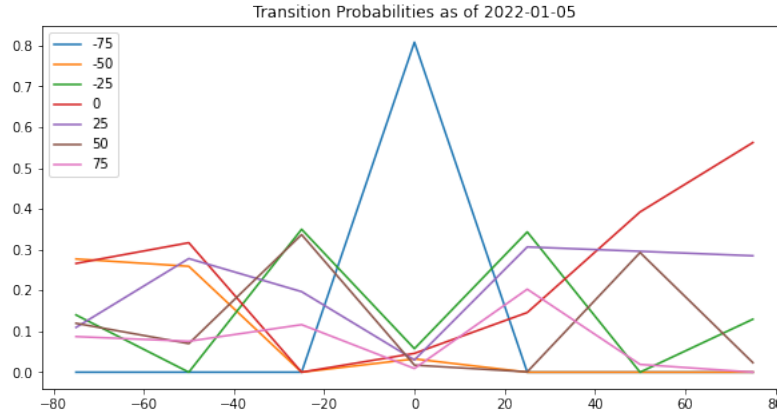


Figure 12: Transition Probabilities as of 2022-01-05

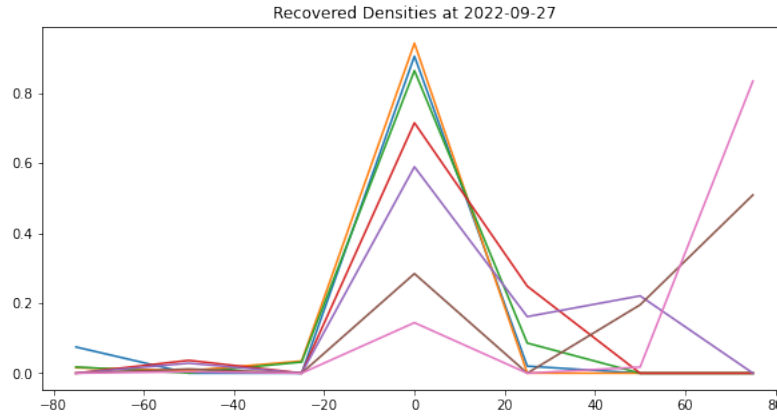


Figure 13: Recovered Probabilities as of 2022-01-05

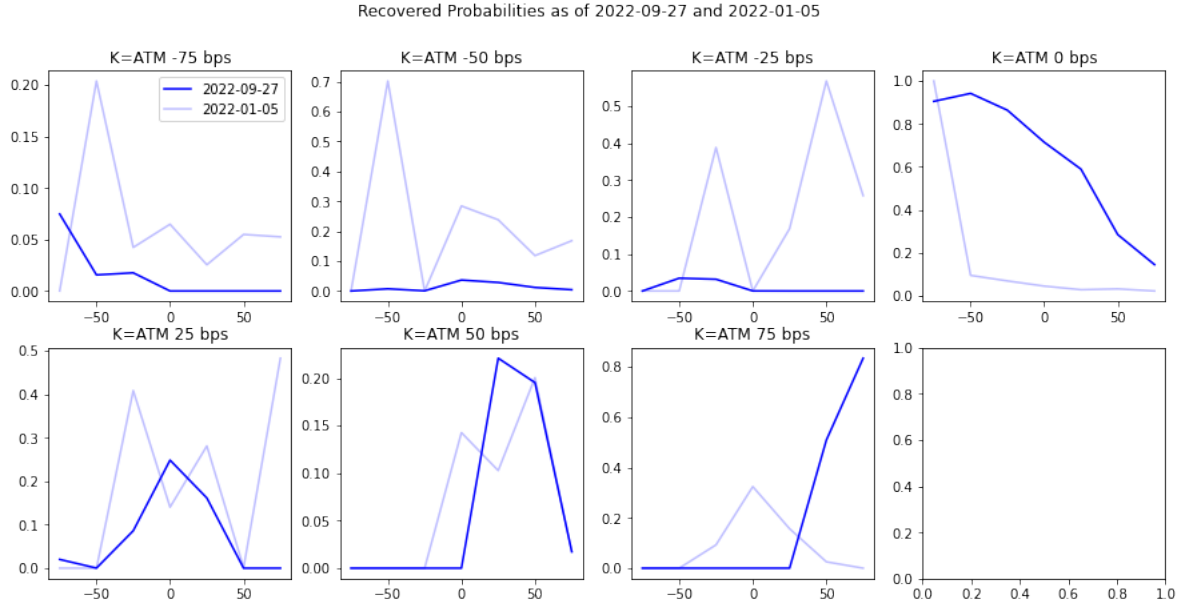


Figure 14: Recovered Probabilities as of 2022-09-27 and 2022-01-05

We see similar behavior to the transition probabilities:

- Probability to go further up or down from the wings, -75bps from ATM and +75bps to ATM, are significantly higher, as before the matrix indicated mean-reversion to the ATM. This behavior correspond to the current market expectations
- If rates fall 50bps or 25bps from ATM, they will likely remain there
- If rates rise by 25 or 50 basis points, there is room for further hikes

Again, we see that some points are inconsistent, which is the result of the numerical estimation. Let's check the forecastability of the data we got.

7 Signal Generation

Let's also create time-series and look at the data in order to make a signal:

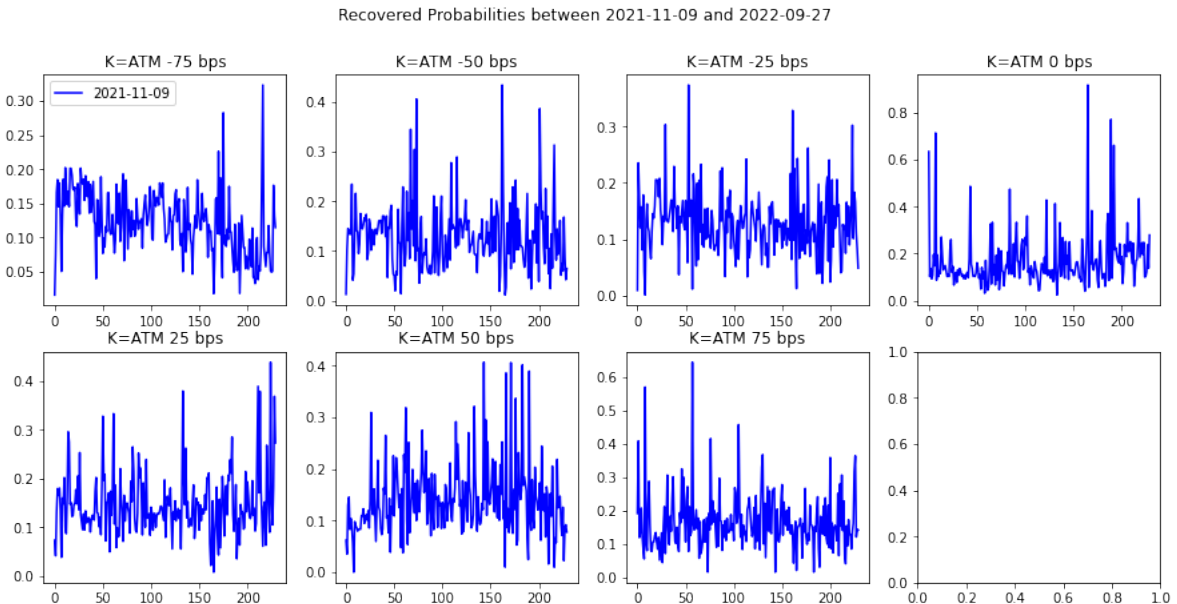


Figure 15: Recovered Probabilities over time

We see that we get very noisy data for the returns. Therefore, it makes sense for us to use some smoothing techniques.

8 Kalman Filter

In order to smooth our values, we are using Kalman Filter as a state-space estimator. The mechanics that is used is that we:

- Mark the unobserved space
- Model the inertia in our underlyings
- Define the time grid for the changes
- Find the values which contribute excessively to the estimated covariance matrix and mask them
- Construct the smoothed values using the masked data

In mathematical terms, we follow the approach of Welch and Bishop (16):

$$x_k = F_k x_{k-1} + B_k u_k + w_k$$

F_k is a State Transition Model

B_k is a Control-Input model

w_k is a Process Noise

$$z_k = H_k x_k + v_k$$

H_k is the Observation model

v_k is an Observation Noise

We get the following estimations. Indeed, we see that the extreme values were removed by Kalman Filter:

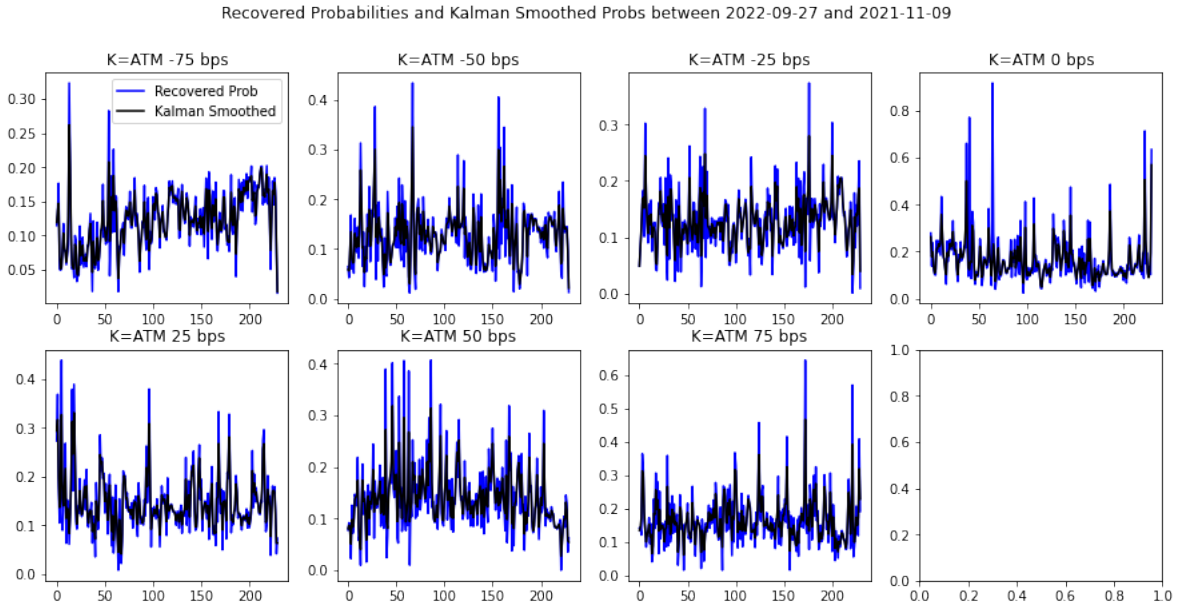


Figure 16: Recovered Probabilities and Kalman Smoother Probabilities over time

8.1 Test for Forward Returns

In order to estimate the forecasting power of our variables, let's check the simple OLS model based on the mean swap quotes shifted 30 business days forward. As the exogenous variable we choose our smoothed recovered probabilities: We get that strikes ATM-50bps, ATM and ATM+25bps are insignificant, while the other values have very high t-statistics:

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.941
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.940
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	778.7
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	4.55e-119
Time:	23:44:26	Log-Likelihood:	-183.12
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	374.2
Df Residuals:	196	BIC:	387.4
Df Model:	4		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
-75_K	10.0543	1.091	9.218	0.000	7.903	12.205
-25_K	2.0266	1.002	2.023	0.044	0.051	4.002
50_K	2.7243	0.747	3.647	0.000	1.251	4.197
75_K	3.2489	0.634	5.125	0.000	1.999	4.499

Omnibus:	4.701	Durbin-Watson:	0.307
Prob(Omnibus):	0.095	Jarque-Bera (JB):	4.470
Skew:	-0.364	Prob(JB):	0.107
Kurtosis:	3.085	Cond. No.	8.40

Notes:

[1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.

[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

We run uncentered regression, as otherwise we would get multicollinearity issue, as the probabilities sum up to 1.

We see that there is no evidence of multicollinearity. Moreover, data shows close-to-normal Skew and Kurtosis. We get that all the variables have positive relationship with forward swap value. Let's see the plots:

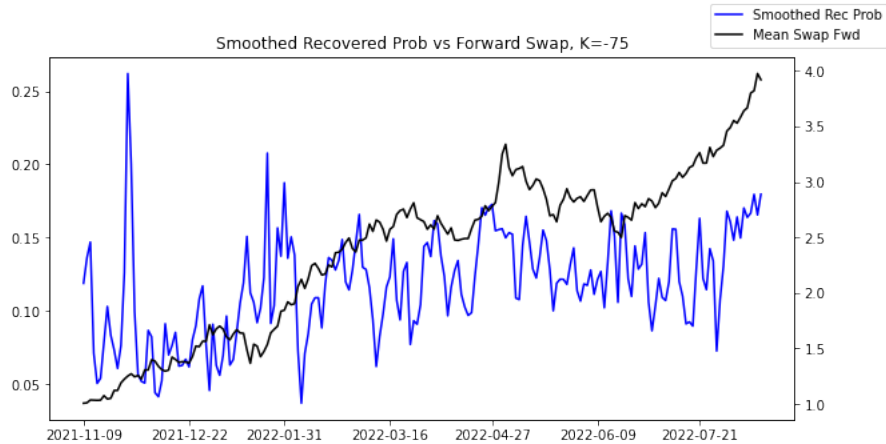


Figure 17: Smoothed Recovered Probability vs Mean Forward Swap, K=-75

Kalman Smoothed Probs vs Mean Swap Rate between 2022-08-16 and 2021-11-09

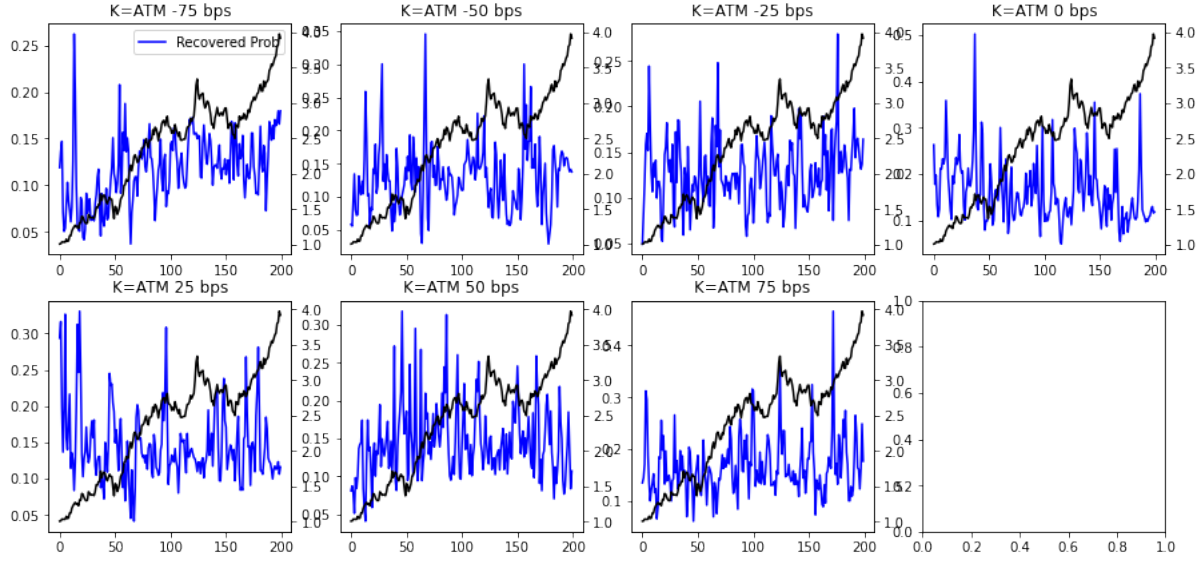


Figure 18: Smoothed Recovered Probability vs Mean Forward Swap

Let's also check the marginal regressions for all the strikes: we get that all the variables are significant, while together we see that some of them are redundant

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.914
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.913
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	2110.
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	6.90e-108
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-220.65
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	443.3
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	446.6
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
-75_K	19.3090	0.420	45.939	0.000	18.480	20.138
Omnibus:	71.679					0.596
Prob(Omnibus):	0.000					267.593
Skew:	-1.401					7.82e-59
Kurtosis:	7.926					1.00

Notes:

[1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.

[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.800
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.799
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	796.9
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	1.63e-71
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-304.76
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	611.5
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	614.8
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
-50_K	16.1228	0.571	28.230	0.000	14.997	17.249

Omnibus:	13.734	Durbin-Watson:	0.485
Prob(Omnibus):	0.001	Jarque-Bera (JB):	15.089
Skew:	-0.565	Prob(JB):	0.000529
Kurtosis:	3.730	Cond. No.	1.00

Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.859
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.858
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	1213.
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	1.34e-86
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-269.88
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	541.8
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	545.1
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
-25_K	17.3877	0.499	34.822	0.000	16.403	18.372

Omnibus:	12.693	Durbin-Watson:	0.555
Prob(Omnibus):	0.002	Jarque-Bera (JB):	13.332
Skew:	-0.619	Prob(JB):	0.00127
Kurtosis:	3.256	Cond. No.	1.00

Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.729
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.727
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	534.0
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	3.02e-58
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-335.42
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	672.8
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	676.1
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
0_K	12.1335	0.525	23.108	0.000	11.098	13.169

Omnibus:	13.730	Durbin-Watson:	0.349
Prob(Omnibus):	0.001	Jarque-Bera (JB):	14.574
Skew:	-0.644	Prob(JB):	0.000684
Kurtosis:	3.298	Cond. No.	1.00

Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.778
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.777
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	699.3
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	4.74e-67
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-315.08
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	632.2
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	635.5
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
25_K	14.2200	0.538	26.444	0.000	13.160	15.280
Omnibus:		32.906	Durbin-Watson:		0.293	
Prob(Omnibus):		0.000	Jarque-Bera (JB):		45.773	
Skew:		-0.985	Prob(JB):		1.15e-10	
Kurtosis:		4.271	Cond. No.		1.00	

Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.838
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.837
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	1031.
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	1.20e-80
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-283.65
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	569.3
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	572.6
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
50_K	14.8860	0.464	32.109	0.000	13.972	15.800
Omnibus:		3.888	Durbin-Watson:		0.571	
Prob(Omnibus):		0.143	Jarque-Bera (JB):		3.474	
Skew:		-0.278	Prob(JB):		0.176	
Kurtosis:		3.330	Cond. No.		1.00	

Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.852
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.852
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	1149.
Date:	Mon, 17 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	1.36e-84
Time:	23:45:15	Log-Likelihood:	-274.53
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	551.1
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	554.3
Df Model:	1		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
75_K	13.0966	0.386	33.890	0.000	12.335	13.859
Omnibus:		18.923	Durbin-Watson:		0.601	
Prob(Omnibus):		0.000	Jarque-Bera (JB):		22.703	
Skew:		-0.675	Prob(JB):		1.17e-05	
Kurtosis:		3.951	Cond. No.		1.00	

Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.
Given the reasonable theoretical justification let's construct the trading strategy, which works the following way:

- If the expected value of the rate is higher than 0, we long the aggregate swap curve - Pay Fixed (bet on swap rate rise)
- If less than 0, we short - Receive Fixed (bet on swap rate fall)

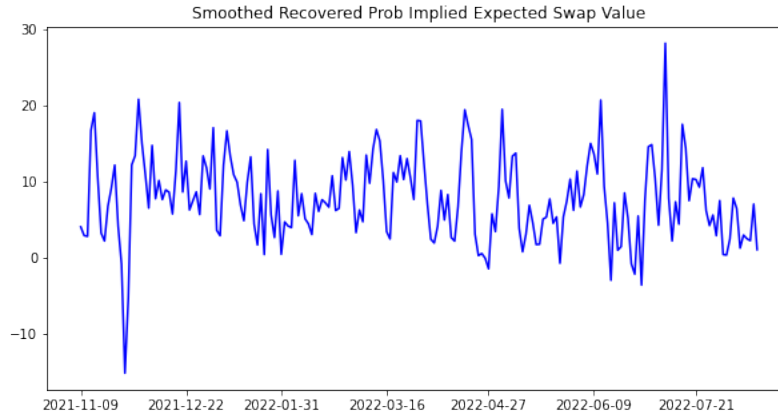


Figure 19: Smoothed Recovered Probability Implied Expected Swap Value

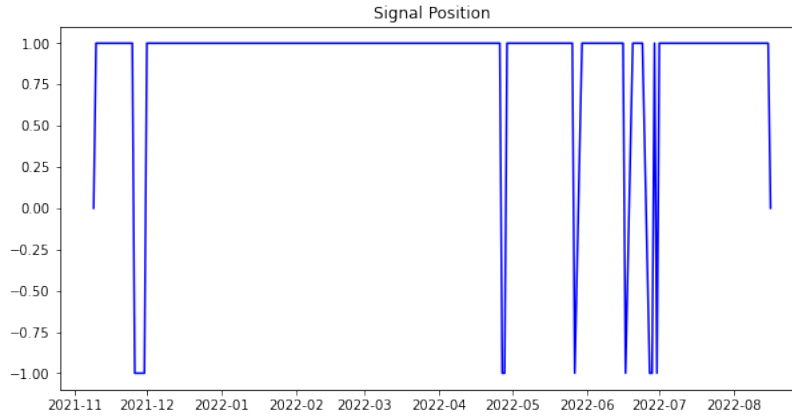


Figure 20: Signal Posiiton

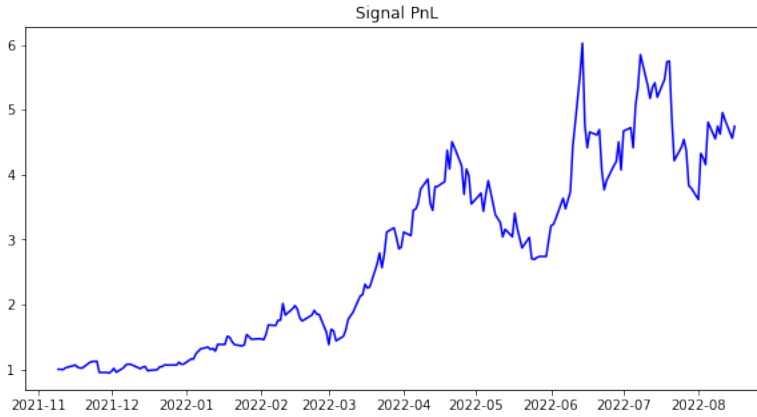


Figure 21: Signal PnL

We get the signal that in the current market environment, during the last year, most of the time we had to keep the long position in the aggregated swap curve. We see that it produced significant PnL, while the volatility of it was very high.

The interesting thing to look into is the prediction for the negative signals:

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2021-11-19	-0.00011	0.99572	1	6.753158
2021-11-22	0.08289	1.07861	1	9.105183
2021-11-23	0.01356	1.09217	1	12.140045
2021-11-24	0.00212	1.09429	1	4.121661
2021-11-25	0.00173	1.09602	1	-0.858330
2021-11-26	-0.15358	0.94244	-1	-15.183108
2021-11-29	-0.00012	0.94256	-1	-5.341180
2021-11-30	-0.01156	0.95412	-1	12.172705
2021-12-01	0.02790	0.92622	1	13.365422
2021-12-02	0.05038	0.97660	1	20.784968
2021-12-03	-0.05937	0.91723	1	15.033549

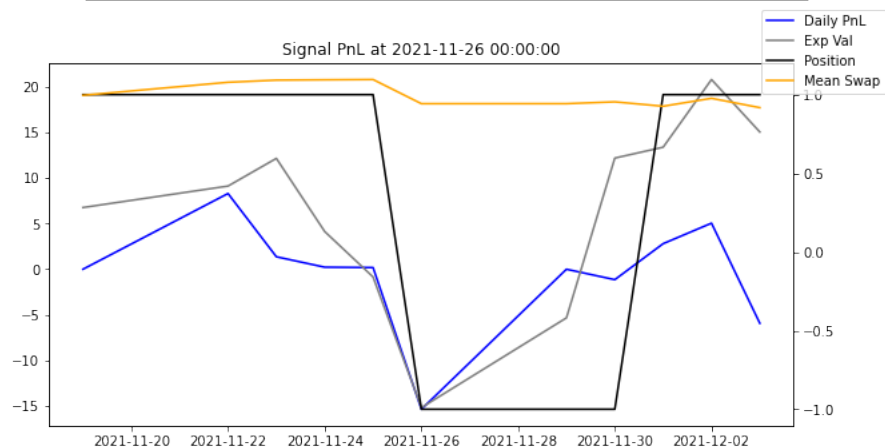


Figure 22: PnL at 2021-11-26

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2021-11-22	0.08289	1.07861	1	9.105183
2021-11-23	0.01356	1.09217	1	12.140045
2021-11-24	0.00212	1.09429	1	4.121661
2021-11-25	0.00173	1.09602	1	-0.858330
2021-11-26	-0.15358	0.94244	-1	-15.183108
2021-11-29	-0.00012	0.94256	-1	-5.341180
2021-11-30	-0.01156	0.95412	-1	12.172705
2021-12-01	0.02790	0.92622	1	13.365422
2021-12-02	0.05038	0.97660	1	20.784968
2021-12-03	-0.05937	0.91723	1	15.033549
2021-12-06	0.07060	0.98783	1	10.932793

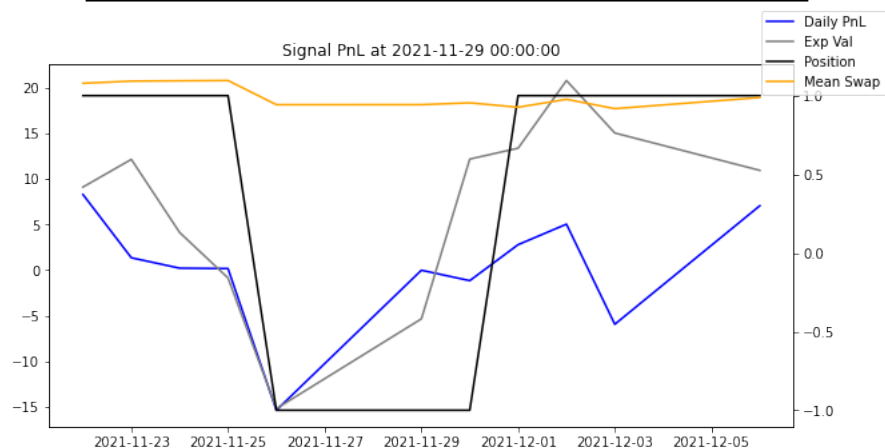


Figure 23: PnL at 2021-11-29

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2021-11-23	0.01356	1.09217	1	12.140045
2021-11-24	0.00212	1.09429	1	4.121661
2021-11-25	0.00173	1.09602	1	-0.858330
2021-11-26	-0.15358	0.94244	-1	-15.183108
2021-11-29	-0.00012	0.94256	-1	-5.341180
2021-11-30	-0.01156	0.95412	-1	12.172705
2021-12-01	0.02790	0.92622	1	13.365422
2021-12-02	0.05038	0.97660	1	20.784968
2021-12-03	-0.05937	0.91723	1	15.033549
2021-12-06	0.07060	0.98783	1	10.932793
2021-12-07	0.04485	1.03268	1	6.496641

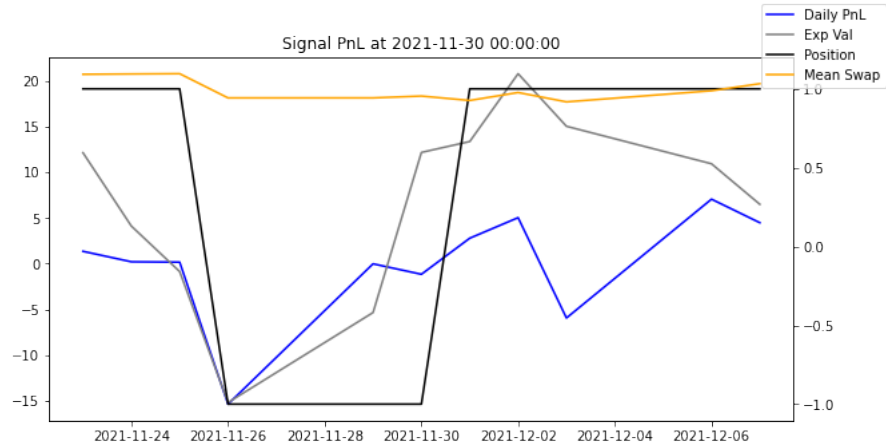


Figure 24: PnL at 2021-11-30

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-04-20	-0.06622	2.55440	1	15.504003
2022-04-21	0.10267	2.65707	1	3.076724
2022-04-22	-0.01885	2.63822	1	0.256691
2022-04-25	-0.06453	2.57369	1	0.528700
2022-04-26	-0.10630	2.46739	1	-0.090780
2022-04-27	0.10570	2.57309	-1	-1.477216
2022-04-28	-0.02567	2.59876	-1	5.738454
2022-04-29	-0.10910	2.70786	1	3.408595
2022-05-02	0.03445	2.74231	1	9.293731
2022-05-03	0.01253	2.75484	1	19.462155
2022-05-04	-0.07567	2.67917	1	10.057492

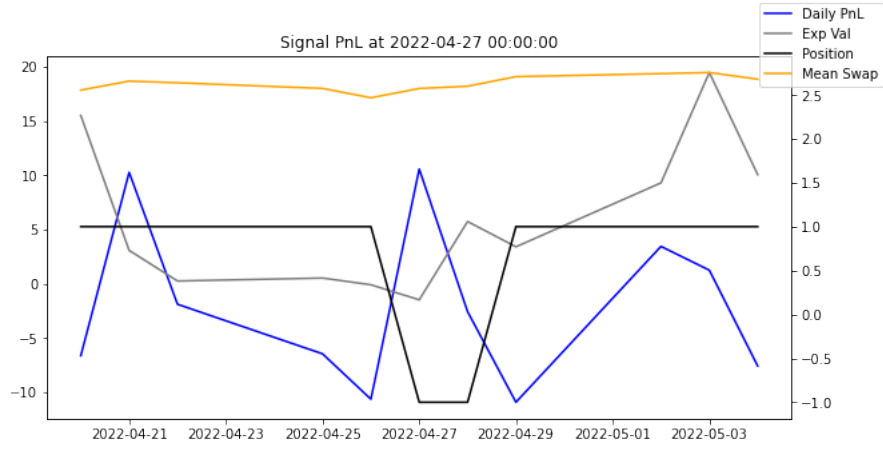


Figure 25: PnL at 2022-04-27

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-04-21	0.10267	2.65707	1	3.076724
2022-04-22	-0.01885	2.63822	1	0.256691
2022-04-25	-0.06453	2.57369	1	0.528700
2022-04-26	-0.10630	2.46739	1	-0.090780
2022-04-27	0.10570	2.57309	-1	-1.477216
2022-04-28	-0.02567	2.59876	-1	5.738454
2022-04-29	-0.10910	2.70786	1	3.408595
2022-05-02	0.03445	2.74231	1	9.293731
2022-05-03	0.01253	2.75484	1	19.462155
2022-05-04	-0.07567	2.67917	1	10.057492
2022-05-05	0.07516	2.75433	1	7.832490

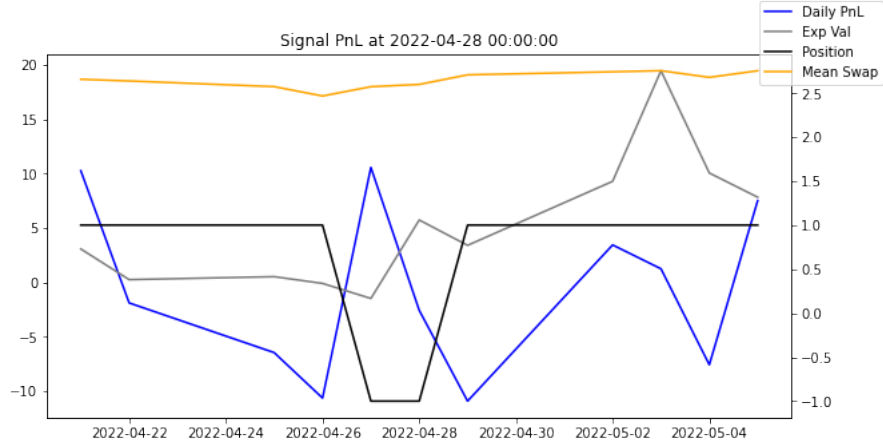


Figure 26: PnL at 2022-04-28

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-05-20	-0.05009	2.52983	1	5.307967
2022-05-23	0.05648	2.58631	1	7.695054
2022-05-24	-0.10800	2.47831	1	4.499782
2022-05-25	-0.00485	2.47346	1	5.337023
2022-05-26	0.01000	2.48346	1	-0.746280
2022-05-27	0.00697	2.49043	-1	5.347120
2022-05-30	-0.00002	2.49045	1	7.398284
2022-05-31	0.08958	2.58003	1	10.295527
2022-06-01	0.07678	2.65681	1	6.198352
2022-06-02	0.00658	2.66339	1	11.352957
2022-06-03	0.02848	2.69187	1	6.640405

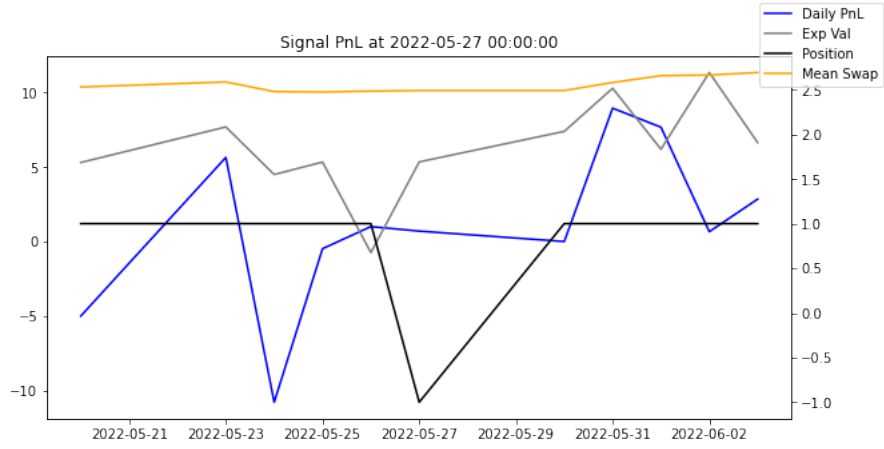


Figure 27: PnL at 2022-11-26

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-06-10	0.18549	2.99937	1	10.974319
2022-06-13	0.25048	3.24985	1	20.671028
2022-06-14	0.08884	3.33869	1	9.349077
2022-06-15	-0.20910	3.12959	1	4.530647
2022-06-16	-0.07394	3.05565	1	-2.984454
2022-06-17	0.05515	3.11080	-1	7.185208
2022-06-20	-0.00974	3.12054	1	0.960761
2022-06-21	0.01802	3.13856	1	1.442416
2022-06-22	-0.13145	3.00711	1	8.491379
2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617

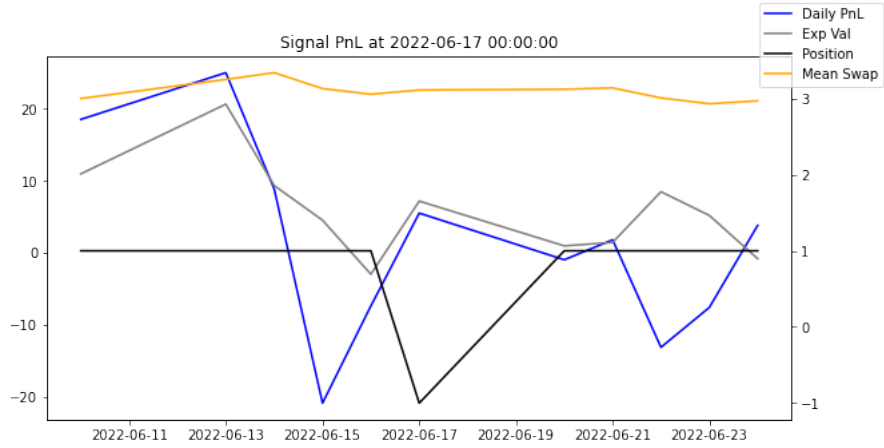


Figure 22: PnL at 2022-05-27

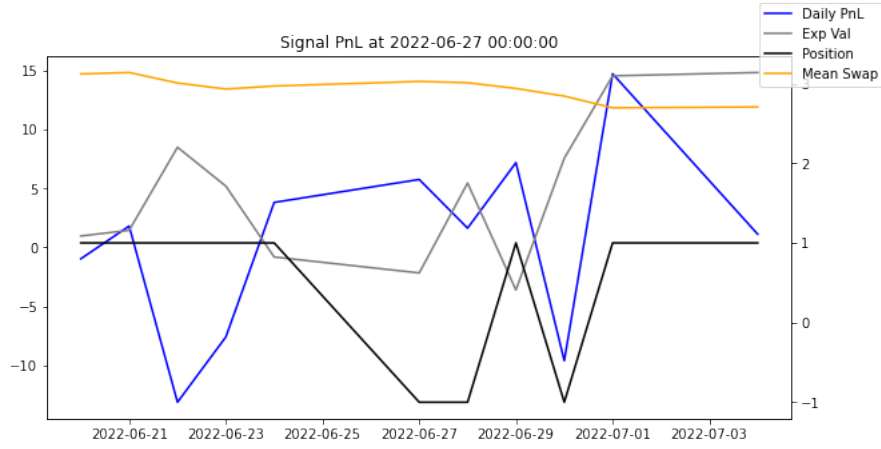


Figure 28: PnL at 2022-06-17

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-06-20	-0.00974	3.12054	1	0.960761
2022-06-21	0.01802	3.13856	1	1.442416
2022-06-22	-0.13145	3.00711	1	8.491379
2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617
2022-06-27	0.05757	3.02672	-1	-2.175269
2022-06-28	0.01626	3.01046	-1	5.455327
2022-06-29	0.07183	2.93863	1	-3.621882
2022-06-30	-0.09621	2.84242	-1	7.560011
2022-07-01	0.14724	2.69518	1	14.550637
2022-07-04	0.01115	2.70633	1	14.832692

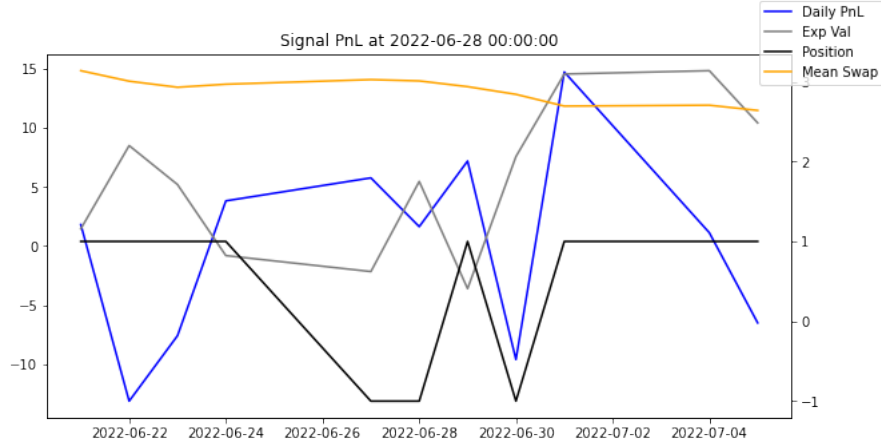


Figure 22: PnL at 2022-06-27

	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-06-21	0.01802	3.13856	1	1.442416
2022-06-22	-0.13145	3.00711	1	8.491379
2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617
2022-06-27	0.05757	3.02672	-1	-2.175269
2022-06-28	0.01626	3.01046	-1	5.455327
2022-06-29	0.07183	2.93863	1	-3.621882
2022-06-30	-0.09621	2.84242	-1	7.560011
2022-07-01	0.14724	2.69518	1	14.550637
2022-07-04	0.01115	2.70633	1	14.832692
2022-07-05	-0.06518	2.64115	1	10.412682

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2022-06-29	0.07183	2.93863	1	-3.621882
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2022-07-01	0.14724	2.69518	1	14.550637
2022-07-04	0.01115	2.70633	1	14.832692
2022-07-05	-0.06518	2.64115	1	10.412682
2022-07-06	0.14873	2.78988	1	4.242454
2022-07-07	0.05380	2.84368	1	11.535816

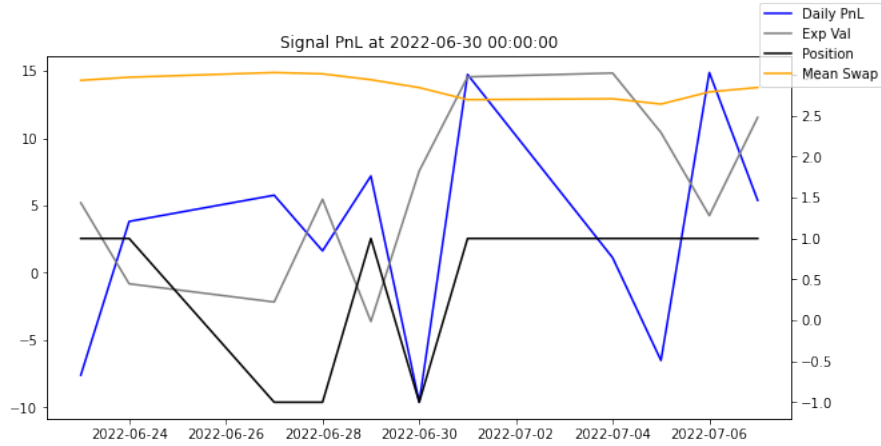


Figure 27: PnL at 2022-06-30

Despite the decent predictive power, our estimated PnL during the short positions is -0.45%. We see that the signal has a significant delay, what is caused by the trading strategy we use: to avoid data leakage, we put the trades the next day we saw the value. In reality, we can do this faster.

9 Results

Let's estimate monthly daily mean, standard deviation and sharpe of the PnL we get:

Mean PnL is	
	pnl
2021-11-30	-0.002740
2021-12-31	0.006704
2022-01-31	0.015692
2022-02-28	0.005692
2022-03-31	0.029600
2022-04-30	0.012730
2022-05-31	-0.005812
2022-06-30	0.019050
2022-07-31	-0.000034
2022-08-31	0.021780
Standard Deviation is	

	pnl
2021-11-30	0.047472
2021-12-31	0.033878
2022-01-31	0.045870
2022-02-28	0.066987
2022-03-31	0.079522
2022-04-30	0.076585
2022-05-31	0.064908
2022-06-30	0.100584
2022-07-31	0.082886
2022-08-31	0.083621
Share Ratio is	
	pnl
2021-11-30	-0.057718
2021-12-31	0.197897
2022-01-31	0.342095
2022-02-28	0.084965
2022-03-31	0.372228
2022-04-30	0.166215
2022-05-31	-0.089547
2022-06-30	0.189390
2022-07-31	-0.000408
2022-08-31	0.260462

And here are the final in-sample daily and annualized results:

- Mean Monthly PnL is 0.0102
- Mean Annual PnL is 2.5805
- Std Daily PnL is 0.0701
- Std Annual PnL is 1.1126
- Sharpe Ratio is 2.32

We see that our signal parsed from the implied volatilities for SOFR options and transformed into transition probabilities for predictions, showed forecasting power for the forward values of the SOFR interest rate swaps.

10 Suggestions for Further Work

We received decent in-sample results for the given method of estimation of Recovered probability densities and using them for the forecasting.

As we have not enough data, due to recent launch of SOFR products, we have to obtain the larger sample later and check the values.

Moreover, we could parse the data from different brokers and check the stability of results.

After this, we had numerical issues for estimating the risk-neutral probabilities, probably we need more dense strikes grid, transition matrix and recovery probabilities, which are subject to ill-conditioned matrices we get.

Finally, we could work more on our signal, as we see significant drawdowns of the strategy and very high volatility, what is undesirable.

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```
[1200]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.dates as dates
import statsmodels.api as sm
import datetime
import re
import QuantLib as ql
import copy
import pickle

from datetime import datetime

from filterpy.kalman import KalmanFilter

from matplotlib.ticker import LinearLocator
from matplotlib import cm
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D

from scipy import optimize
from scipy.optimize import root
from scipy.optimize import fsolve
from scipy import interpolate
from scipy.stats import norm

from functools import reduce

from pykalman import KalmanFilter

[1049]: def pickle_dict(filename, dic=None, serialize='wb'):
    if serialize == 'wb':
        with open(f'{filename}.pickle', serialize) as handle:
            pickle.dump(dic, handle, protocol=pickle.HIGHEST_PROTOCOL)
    else:
        with open(f'{filename}.pickle', serialize) as handle:
            return pickle.load(handle)
```

1 EDA

1.1 Import Data

```
[116]: vol_tickers = pd.read_excel('SOFR_data.xlsx', sheet_name=1).iloc[:-5, :]  
curve_tickers = pd.read_excel('SOFR_data.xlsx', sheet_name=2).iloc[:-7, :]  
curve = pd.read_excel('SOFR_data.xlsx', sheet_name='S490')  
prices = pd.read_excel('SOFR_data.xlsx', sheet_name=3, skiprows=18, index_col=0).  
→iloc[:10, 1:28]  
  
vol_tickers.index = [val[:-1] for val in vol_tickers['Expiry']]  
vol_tickers.drop(['Expiry'], axis=1, inplace=True)
```

1.2 Analyze Vol

```
[117]: def parse_vol(vol_surface):  
    max_len = 0  
    max_col = 0  
  
    for col in vol_surface.iloc[:, 2::2].columns:  
        cur_len = len(vol_surface.iloc[:, 2::2][col].dropna())  
        if cur_len > max_len:  
            max_len = cur_len  
            max_col = col  
        else:  
            continue  
  
    vol_df = pd.DataFrame(vol_surface[max_col].dropna().values,  
                          columns=['Dates'])  
  
    for j in range(len(vol_surface.columns)//2-2):  
        try:  
            vol_df = vol_df.merge(vol_surface.iloc[1:, 2+j*2:2+(j+1)*2].  
→set_index('Unnamed: {}'.format(2+j*2)),  
                                left_on='Dates', right_index=True, how='left').  
→fillna(method='bfill')  
        except ValueError:  
            pass  
  
    vol_df.set_index('Dates', inplace=True)  
  
    return vol_df
```

Create stable panel of data for volatility surfaces

```
[118]: tenors = vol_tickers.index  
vol_dict = {tenor : pd.DataFrame for tenor in tenors}
```

```

for tenor in vol_dict.keys():
    vol_surface = pd.read_excel('SOFR_data.xlsx', sheet_name=tenor)
    vol_dict[tenor] = parse_vol(vol_surface)

```

Let's see the example

```
[119]: vol_dict['1Y'].head()
```

```

[119]:
          USCLQD1  USCLQC1  USCLQB1  USCNSQ1  USCNQA1  USCNQB1  USCNCQ1  \
Dates
2022-09-27    133.9    134.2    114.3    127.0    112.3    109.9    107.4
2022-09-26    133.9    118.3    117.9    120.8    115.9    113.6    111.1
2022-09-23    133.9    118.3    119.2    113.1    117.2    114.9    112.3
2022-09-22    133.9    118.3    119.3     91.2    117.2    114.8    112.1
2022-09-21    133.9    118.3    118.0     91.0    115.8    113.4    110.7

          USCNQD1  USCNQE1  USCNQG1  USCNQH1  USCNQI1  USCNQJ1  USCNQK1  \
Dates
2022-09-27    104.8    102.7    101.5    103.3    103.8    103.8    112.1
2022-09-26    108.5    105.8    101.3     99.7     99.0     98.3    106.1
2022-09-23    109.6    106.8    101.3     97.1     94.4     93.4    101.0
2022-09-22    109.4    106.5    100.7     95.0     89.1     85.6     89.6
2022-09-21    107.8    104.8     98.9     93.1     87.5     84.5     88.6

          USCNQL1  USCNQM1  USCNQO1  USCNQQ1
Dates
2022-09-27    122.8    133.1    143.1    162.4
2022-09-26    115.3    124.0    133.2    151.6
2022-09-23    108.6    116.1    124.6    142.7
2022-09-22     90.1     93.3    100.3    120.7
2022-09-21     89.7     93.8    101.4    122.8

```

1.3 Analyze Curve

Create stable panel of data for interest rate swaps

```

[120]: def parse_curve(curve):
        max_len = 0
        max_col = 0

        for col in curve.iloc[:, 0::2].columns:
            cur_len = len(curve.iloc[:, 0::2][col].dropna())
            if cur_len > max_len:
                max_len = cur_len
                max_col = col
            else:
                continue

```

```

curve_df = pd.DataFrame(curve[max_col].values,
                        columns=['Dates'])

for j in range(len(curve.columns)//2):
    curve_df = curve_df.merge(curve.iloc[:, j*2:(j+1)*2].set_index('Unnamed:0',
→ '{}'.format(j*2)),
                            left_on='Dates', right_index=True, how='left').
→ fillna(method='bfill')

curve_df.set_index('Dates', inplace=True)

return curve_df

```

```
[123]: s_490 = parse_curve(curve).iloc[:, :-7]
```

```
[124]: s_490.head()
```

```
[124]:
```

	SOFRRATE	Index	USOSFR1Z	BGN	Curncy	USOSFR2Z	BGN	Curncy	\
Dates									
2022-09-27		2.99			3.0281			3.0265	
2022-09-26		2.99			3.0407			3.0415	
2022-09-23		2.99			3.0304			3.0250	
2022-09-22		2.99			3.0301			3.0310	
2022-09-21		2.25			3.0351			3.0370	

	USOSFR3Z	BGN	Curncy	USOSFRA	BGN	Curncy	USOSFRB	BGN	Curncy	\
Dates										
2022-09-27			3.0285			3.0320			3.3190	
2022-09-26			3.0425			3.0438			3.3331	
2022-09-23			3.0322			3.0367			3.3235	
2022-09-22			3.0315			3.0320			3.3152	
2022-09-21			3.0369			3.0387			3.2689	

	USOSFRC	BGN	Curncy	USOSFRD	BGN	Curncy	USOSFRE	BGN	Curncy	\
Dates										
2022-09-27			3.5226			3.6970			3.8375	
2022-09-26			3.5466			3.7400			3.8900	
2022-09-23			3.5270			3.7125			3.8735	
2022-09-22			3.5175			3.6963			3.8575	
2022-09-21			3.4711			3.6697			3.8229	

	USOSFRF	BGN	Curncy	...	USOSFR1	BGN	Curncy	USOSFR2	BGN	Curncy	\
Dates				...							
2022-09-27			3.9435	...			4.2762			4.2800	
2022-09-26			3.9990	...			4.3870			4.3895	
2022-09-23			3.9850	...			4.3807			4.3292	
2022-09-22			3.9690	...			4.3482			4.2571	

2022-09-21	3.9326	...	4.2960	4.1874
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	USOSFR3 BGN Curncy	USOSFR4 BGN Curncy	USOSFR5 BGN Curncy	\
Dates				
2022-09-27	4.1200	3.9945	3.9039	
2022-09-26	4.2065	4.0640	3.9571	
2022-09-23	4.0955	3.9093	3.7735	
2022-09-22	4.0185	3.8514	3.7408	
2022-09-21	3.9302	3.7256	3.5849	

	USOSFR6 BGN Curncy	USOSFR7 BGN Curncy	USOSFR8 BGN Curncy	\
Dates				
2022-09-27	3.8288	3.7652	3.7131	
2022-09-26	3.8692	3.7959	3.7368	
2022-09-23	3.6701	3.5893	3.5278	
2022-09-22	3.6570	3.5923	3.5425	
2022-09-21	3.4928	3.4245	3.3726	

	USOSFR9 BGN Curncy	USOSFR10 BGN Curncy
Dates		
2022-09-27	3.6734	3.6434
2022-09-26	3.6917	3.6579
2022-09-23	3.4818	3.4507
2022-09-22	3.5059	3.4827
2022-09-21	3.3379	3.3164

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1.4 Merge the dates between Vols and Rates

```
[125]: for tenor in vol_dict.keys():
        index_intersection = set(s_490.index).intersection(vol_dict[tenor].index)
        vol_dict[tenor] = vol_dict[tenor].loc[index_intersection, :].
        ↪sort_index(ascending=False)
```

```
[1076]: # Save data to reuse it
        # pickle_dict('vol_dict', vol_dict)
        vol_dict = pickle_dict('vol_dict', serialize='rb')
```

1.5 Create Auxillary Data

```
[126]: for i in range(len(curve_tickers)):

        tenor = curve_tickers.Tenor[i]

        if len(tenor) == 2:
            tenor_numeric = int(tenor[0])
```

```

elif len(tenor) == 3:
    tenor_numeric = int(tenor[:2])

    if 'D' in tenor:
        curve_tickers.loc[i, 'year_frac'] = tenor_numeric / 360
    elif 'W' in tenor:
        curve_tickers.loc[i, 'year_frac'] = tenor_numeric * 7 / 360
    elif 'M' in tenor:
        curve_tickers.loc[i, 'year_frac'] = tenor_numeric * 30 / 360
    else:
        if tenor_numeric <= 10:
            curve_tickers.loc[i, 'year_frac'] = tenor_numeric

```

Create mapping for ticker to year fraction:

```

[127]: ticker_yearfrac_dict = curve_tickers[['Cusip', 'year_frac']].set_index('Cusip').
        ↳to_dict()['year_frac']

```

```

[1075]: # Save data to reuse it
        # pickle_dict('ticker_yearfrac_dict', ticker_yearfrac_dict)
        ticker_yearfrac_dict = pickle_dict('ticker_yearfrac_dict', serialize='rb')

```

Create mapping for tenor and strike to ticker:

```

[128]: ticker_strike_dict = {}
        ticker_strike_dict_unique = {}
        strikes_unique = []
        pattern = r'[0-9]'

        for tenor in vol_tickers.index:
            for strike in vol_tickers.columns:
                strike_generic = re.sub(pattern, '', vol_tickers.loc[tenor, strike]).
                ↳replace(' ', '')
                ticker_strike_dict[(tenor, strike)] = vol_tickers.loc[tenor, strike]
                strikes_unique.append(strike_generic)
                ticker_strike_dict_unique[strike_generic] = strike

        strikes_unique = set(strikes_unique)

```

```

[129]: strikes_unique_keep = []

        for strike in strikes_unique:
            count = 0
            for key in vol_dict:
                if strike+key[:-1] in vol_dict[key].columns:
                    count += 1
            if count == len(vol_dict.keys()):
                strikes_unique_keep.append(strike)

```

```
strikes_unique_keep = set(strikes_unique_keep)
```

```
[130]: vol_tickers
```

```
[130]:
```

	-2.00%	-1.50%	-1.25%	-1.00%	-0.75%	-0.50%	-0.25%	\
1Y	USCLQH1	USCLQG1	USCLQF1	USCLQE1	USCLQD1	USCLQC1	USCLQB1	
2Y	USCLQH2	USCLQG2	USCLQF2	USCLQE2	USCLQD2	USCLQC2	USCLQB2	
3Y	USCLQH3	USCLQG3	USCLQF3	USCLQE3	USCLQD3	USCLQC3	USCLQB3	
4Y	USCLQH4	USCLQG4	USCLQF4	USCLQE4	USCLQD4	USCLQC4	USCLQB4	
5Y	USCLQH5	USCLQG5	USCLQF5	USCLQE5	USCLQD5	USCLQC5	USCLQB5	
6Y	USCLQH6	USCLQG6	USCLQF6	USCLQE6	USCLQD6	USCLQC6	USCLQB6	
7Y	USCLQH7	USCLQG7	USCLQF7	USCLQE7	USCLQD7	USCLQC7	USCLQB7	
8Y	USCLQH8	USCLQG8	USCLQF8	USCLQE8	USCLQD8	USCLQC8	USCLQB8	
9Y	USCLQH9	USCLQG9	USCLQF9	USCLQE9	USCLQD9	USCLQC9	USCLQB9	
10Y	USCLQH10	USCLQG10	USCLQF10	USCLQE10	USCLQD10	USCLQC10	USCLQB10	

	-0.10%	ATM	0.00%	...	2.50%	3.00%	3.50%	\
1Y	USCLQA1	USCNSQ1	USCNQA1	...	USCNQI1	USCNQJ1	USCNQK1	
2Y	USCLQA2	USCNSQ2	USCNQA2	...	USCNQI2	USCNQJ2	USCNQK2	
3Y	USCLQA3	USCNSQ3	USCNQA3	...	USCNQI3	USCNQJ3	USCNQK3	
4Y	USCLQA4	USCNSQ4	USCNQA4	...	USCNQI4	USCNQJ4	USCNQK4	
5Y	USCLQA5	USCNSQ5	USCNQA5	...	USCNQI5	USCNQJ5	USCNQK5	
6Y	USCLQA6	USCNSQ6	USCNQA6	...	USCNQI6	USCNQJ6	USCNQK6	
7Y	USCLQA7	USCNSQ7	USCNQA7	...	USCNQI7	USCNQJ7	USCNQK7	
8Y	USCLQA8	USCNSQ8	USCNQA8	...	USCNQI8	USCNQJ8	USCNQK8	
9Y	USCLQA9	USCNSQ9	USCNQA9	...	USCNQI9	USCNQJ9	USCNQK9	
10Y	USCLQA10	USCNSQ10	USCNQA10	...	USCNQI10	USCNQJ10	USCNQK10	

	4.00%	4.50%	5.00%	5.50%	6.00%	6.50%	7.00%
1Y	USCNQL1	USCNQM1	USCNQO1	USCNQP1	USCNQQ1	USCNQR1	USCNQS1
2Y	USCNQL2	USCNQM2	USCNQO2	USCNQP2	USCNQQ2	USCNQR2	USCNQS2
3Y	USCNQL3	USCNQM3	USCNQO3	USCNQP3	USCNQQ3	USCNQR3	USCNQS3
4Y	USCNQL4	USCNQM4	USCNQO4	USCNQP4	USCNQQ4	USCNQR4	USCNQS4
5Y	USCNQL5	USCNQM5	USCNQO5	USCNQP5	USCNQQ5	USCNQR5	USCNQS5
6Y	USCNQL6	USCNQM6	USCNQO6	USCNQP6	USCNQQ6	USCNQR6	USCNQS6
7Y	USCNQL7	USCNQM7	USCNQO7	USCNQP7	USCNQQ7	USCNQR7	USCNQS7
8Y	USCNQL8	USCNQM8	USCNQO8	USCNQP8	USCNQQ8	USCNQR8	USCNQS8
9Y	USCNQL9	USCNQM9	USCNQO9	USCNQP9	USCNQQ9	USCNQR9	USCNQS9
10Y	USCNQL10	USCNQM10	USCNQO10	USCNQP10	USCNQQ10	USCNQR10	USCNQS10

```
[10 rows x 27 columns]
```

```
[1074]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('ticker_strike_dict', ticker_strike_dict)
# pickle_dict('ticker_strike_dict_unique', ticker_strike_dict_unique)

ticker_strike_dict = pickle_dict('ticker_strike_dict', serialize='rb')
```

```
ticker_strike_dict_unique = pickle_dict('ticker_strike_dict_unique',
    ↪serialize='rb')
```

1.6 Trim the Strikes

We see that now all the data has the same strikes and tenors.

```
[131]: for key in vol_dict.keys():
        print(key, vol_dict[key].shape)
```

```
1Y (230, 18)
2Y (230, 18)
3Y (230, 18)
4Y (230, 18)
5Y (230, 18)
6Y (230, 18)
7Y (230, 18)
8Y (230, 18)
9Y (230, 18)
10Y (230, 18)
```

Therefore, let's create historical surfaces for all timestamps

```
[506]: strikes_numeric = sorted([ticker_strike_dict_unique[key] for key in
    ↪strikes_unique_keep])

vol_surface_dict = {key.date().strftime('%Y-%m-%d') :
                    pd.DataFrame(index=vol_dict.keys(), columns=strikes_numeric)
                    for key in vol_dict['1Y'].index}
```

```
[507]: for key in vol_surface_dict:
        for tenor in vol_surface_dict[key].index:
            for strike in vol_surface_dict[key].columns:
                ticker = ticker_strike_dict[(tenor, strike)].replace(' ', '')
                vol_value = vol_dict[tenor][key][ticker].values[0]

                vol_surface_dict[key].loc[tenor, strike] = vol_value
```

/var/folders/zt/2mmqhx5j3ms4m8_dlf7n891c0000gn/T/ipykernel_9363/2435240141.py:5:

FutureWarning: Indexing a DataFrame with a datetimelike index using a single string to slice the rows, like `frame[string]`, is deprecated and will be removed in a future version. Use `frame.loc[string]` instead.

```
vol_value = vol_dict[tenor][key][ticker].values[0]
```

This is the example of the surface

```
[508]: vol_surface_dict['2022-09-27']
```

```
[508]:
```

	-0.25%	-0.50%	-0.75%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	\
1Y	114.3	134.2	133.9	112.3	109.9	107.4	104.8	102.7	101.5	103.3	
2Y	160.7	162.2	163.3	158.8	156.7	154.5	152.2	150.1	146.2	143.2	
3Y	166.3	166.6	166.4	165.6	164.4	163.0	161.4	159.7	156.4	153.5	
4Y	159.4	159.0	158.2	159.4	158.9	158.2	157.3	156.3	154.3	152.6	
5Y	153.0	152.4	151.4	153.2	153.0	152.6	152.0	151.3	149.9	148.7	
6Y	146.7	146.0	145.0	146.9	146.9	146.6	146.2	145.7	144.6	143.8	
7Y	139.4	138.7	137.6	139.9	140.0	139.9	139.6	139.3	138.7	138.3	
8Y	132.6	131.8	130.7	133.1	133.3	133.3	133.2	133.0	132.7	132.7	
9Y	127.1	126.3	125.2	127.6	127.9	128.0	127.9	127.8	127.7	127.8	
10Y	122.8	122.0	121.0	123.3	123.5	123.6	123.5	123.4	123.3	123.5	

	2.50%	3.00%	3.50%	4.00%	4.50%	5.00%	6.00%	ATM
1Y	103.8	103.8	112.1	122.8	133.1	143.1	162.4	127.0
2Y	140.4	137.9	139.3	144.8	152.2	160.3	178.0	147.8
3Y	151.1	149.5	150.9	155.9	163.1	171.9	192.1	156.6
4Y	151.4	150.9	152.6	157.3	163.9	171.8	190.2	156.6
5Y	148.1	148.2	150.2	154.4	160.4	167.6	183.9	153.0
6Y	143.6	144.1	146.2	150.2	155.7	162.2	177.0	148.3
7Y	138.5	139.4	141.6	145.6	150.8	156.9	170.6	143.2
8Y	133.2	134.4	136.9	140.9	146.0	151.8	164.8	138.1
9Y	128.6	130.1	132.8	136.7	141.7	147.3	159.7	133.6
10Y	124.4	126.0	128.6	132.6	137.3	142.7	154.6	129.3

Let's trim the price surface in order to check the convergence of the method further

```
[135]: prices = prices[vol_surface_dict['2022-09-27'].columns].dropna(axis=1)
```

```
[136]: prices
```

```
[136]:
```

	-0.25%	-0.50%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	\
1.0	440.0	465.0	416.0	391.0	366.0	341.0	317.0	267.0	218.0	
2.0	866.0	915.0	818.0	770.0	722.0	674.0	627.0	532.0	440.0	
3.0	1235.0	1304.0	1166.0	1097.0	1029.0	961.0	893.0	760.0	632.0	
4.0	1581.0	1670.0	1493.0	1404.0	1317.0	1230.0	1145.0	977.0	816.0	
5.0	1911.0	2019.0	1804.0	1697.0	1592.0	1488.0	1385.0	1184.0	992.0	
6.0	2228.0	2354.0	2103.0	1979.0	1857.0	1735.0	1616.0	1383.0	1162.0	
7.0	2519.0	2662.0	2377.0	2237.0	2098.0	1960.0	1825.0	1563.0	1315.0	
8.0	2799.0	2959.0	2641.0	2484.0	2329.0	2176.0	2026.0	1735.0	1460.0	
9.0	3071.0	3247.0	2897.0	2724.0	2554.0	2386.0	2221.0	1902.0	1602.0	
10.0	3346.0	3538.0	3156.0	2968.0	2783.0	2600.0	2420.0	2074.0	1748.0	

	2.50%	3.00%	4.00%	4.50%	5.00%	6.00%	ATM
1.0	169.0	122.0	51.6	31.9	19.4	7.2	42.5
2.0	350.0	267.0	139.0	97.9	69.2	35.8	120.0
3.0	510.0	397.0	226.0	171.0	130.0	81.1	219.0
4.0	664.0	526.0	315.0	244.0	192.0	127.0	324.0
5.0	813.0	650.0	400.0	316.0	252.0	170.0	430.0

6.0	956.0	770.0	483.0	385.0	311.0	213.0	533.0
7.0	1084.0	877.0	557.0	447.0	363.0	251.0	633.0
8.0	1206.0	978.0	628.0	507.0	414.0	290.0	730.0
9.0	1325.0	1078.0	699.0	567.0	466.0	329.0	824.0
10.0	1448.0	1181.0	771.0	628.0	518.0	369.0	915.0

```
[1073]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('vol_surface_dict', vol_surface_dict)

vol_surface_dict= pickle_dict('vol_surface_dict', serialize='rb')
```

2 Arrow-Debreau Densities

2.1 Forward Curve Construction

Create tenors

```
[138]: tenors = [curve_tickers[curve_tickers.Cusip == ticker].Tenor.values[0] for
            ↪ ticker in s_490.columns]
```

```
[139]: tenors
```

```
[139]: ['1D',
        '1W',
        '2W',
        '3W',
        '1M',
        '2M',
        '3M',
        '4M',
        '5M',
        '6M',
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        '8M',
        '9M',
        '10M',
        '11M',
        '12M',
        '2Y',
        '3Y',
        '4Y',
        '5Y',
        '6Y',
        '7Y',
        '8Y',
        '9Y',
        '10Y']
```

Create yield curve for each date

```
[140]: yield_curve_dict = {date.strftime('%Y-%m-%d') : pd.DataFrame(s_490.loc[date, :].
    ↪values,
                                index=tenors, columns=['Value']).T for date in s_490.index}
```

```
[ ]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('yield_curve_dict', yield_curve_dict)

yield_curve_dict = pickle_dict('yield_curve_dict', serialize='rb')
```

```
[141]: yield_curve_dict['2022-09-27']
```

```
[141]:      1D      1W      2W      3W      1M      2M      3M      4M      5M  \
Value  2.99  3.0281  3.0265  3.0285  3.032  3.319  3.5226  3.697  3.8375

      6M  ...      12M      2Y      3Y      4Y      5Y      6Y      7Y  \
Value  3.9435  ...  4.2762  4.28  4.12  3.9945  3.9039  3.8288  3.7652

      8Y      9Y      10Y
Value  3.7131  3.6734  3.6434

[1 rows x 25 columns]
```

And make the version for pricing

```
[142]: yield_curve_dict_ql = {date.strftime('%Y-%m-%d') : 0 for date in s_490.index}
```

Set up the schedule parameters: - US Holidays - ACT/360 day count - T+0 settlement convention

```
[143]: calendar = ql.UnitedStates()
day_count = ql.Actual360()
settlement_days_SOFR = 0

SOFR = ql.OvernightIndex("SOFR", settlement_days_SOFR,
                        ql.USDCurrency(), calendar, day_count)
```

Create SOFR Swap curve for each date

Convert each yield curve into the QuantLib format:

```
[144]: for date in yield_curve_dict.keys():
    ois_helper_i = []
    for tenor in yield_curve_dict[date].columns:
        rate = yield_curve_dict[date].loc['Value', tenor]
        if 'D' in tenor:
            tenor_ql = ql.Period(int(tenor[:-1]), ql.Days)
            ois_helper_i.append(ql.OISRateHelper(settlement_days_SOFR, tenor_ql,
                ql.QuoteHandle(ql.SimpleQuote(rate/
    ↪100)), SOFR))
```

```

        if 'W' in tenor:
            tenor_ql = ql.Period(int(tenor[:-1]), ql.Weeks)
            ois_helper_i.append(ql.OISRateHelper(settlement_days_SOFR, tenor_ql,
                                                ql.QuoteHandle(ql.
→SimpleQuote(rate/100)), SOFR))
        if 'M' in tenor:
            tenor_ql = ql.Period(int(tenor[:-1]), ql.Months)
            ois_helper_i.append(ql.OISRateHelper(settlement_days_SOFR, tenor_ql,
                                                ql.QuoteHandle(ql.
→SimpleQuote(rate/100)), SOFR))
        if 'Y' in tenor:
            tenor_ql = ql.Period(int(tenor[:-1]), ql.Years)
            ois_helper_i.append(ql.OISRateHelper(settlement_days_SOFR, tenor_ql,
                                                ql.QuoteHandle(ql.
→SimpleQuote(rate/100)), SOFR))
    yield_curve_dict_ql[date] = ois_helper_i

```

Here is the example of the object

```
[145]: yield_curve_dict_ql['2022-09-27']
```

```

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```

Let's create the dictionaries for SOFR, Forward Curves and Discount Factors:

```

[146]: sofr_curves_dict = {date.strftime('%Y-%m-%d') : 0 for date in s_490.index}

fwd_curves_dict = {date.strftime('%Y-%m-%d') : 0 for date in s_490.index}

dfs_curves_dict = {date.strftime('%Y-%m-%d') : 0 for date in s_490.index}

```

And interpolate:

```

[160]: # for date in list(sofr_curves_dict.keys()):
#       print(date)

#       # Set the pricing date
#       date_datetime = pd.to_datetime(date)
#       year = date_datetime.year
#       month = date_datetime.month
#       day = date_datetime.day

#       ql.Settings.instance().evaluationDate = ql.Date(day, month, year)

# #       # Create the curves

```

```

#     sofr_curve_i = ql.PiecewiseLogCubicDiscount(settlement_days_SOFR,
→calendar,
#
#                                     yield_curve_dict_ql[date],
→day_count)
#     sofr_curve_i.enableExtrapolation()

#     all_days = ql.MakeSchedule(calendar.advance(ql.Date(day, month, year),
#
#                                     1, ql.Days),
#
#                                     ql.Date(day, month, year+10),
#
#                                     ql.Period('1D'))

# #     all_days = all_days[all_days.index(ql.Date(day,month,year)):all_days.
→index(ql.Date(day,month,year + 10))]

#     rates_fwd = [sofr_curve_i.forwardRate(d, calendar.advance(d, 1, ql.Days),
#
#                                     day_count, ql.Simple).rate()*100 for
→d in all_days]

#     dfs = [sofr_curve_i.discount(d) for d in all_days]

#     sofr_curves_dict[date] = sofr_curve_i
#     fwd_curves_dict[date] = rates_fwd
#     dfs_curves_dict[date] = dfs

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```
[1071]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('fwd_curves_dict', fwd_curves_dict)
# pickle_dict('dfs_curves_dict', dfs_curves_dict)

fwd_curves_dict = pickle_dict('fwd_curves_dict', serialize='rb')
dfs_curves_dict = pickle_dict('dfs_curves_dict', serialize='rb')
```

```
[346]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-1]

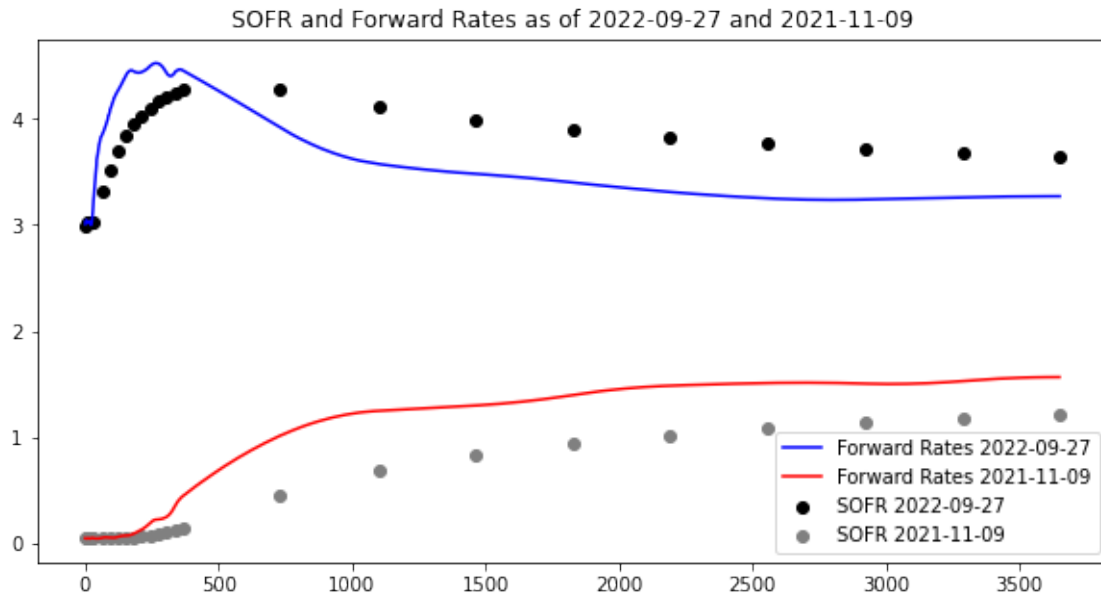
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))

plt.plot([d for d in range(len([d for d in all_days])+1)],
         fwd_curves_dict[key], color='blue')
plt.plot([d for d in range(len([d for d in all_days]))],
         fwd_curves_dict[key_init], color='red')

plt.scatter([time*360 for time in sofr_curve_i.times()[1:] if time < 11],
            yield_curve_dict[key], color='black')
plt.scatter([time*360 for time in sofr_curve_i.times()[1:] if time < 11],
            yield_curve_dict[key_init], color='grey')

plt.legend([f'Forward Rates {key}', f'Forward Rates {key_init}',
            f'SOFR {key}', f'SOFR {key_init}'])
plt.title(f'SOFR and Forward Rates as of {key} and {key_init}')

plt.show()
```



```
[351]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))

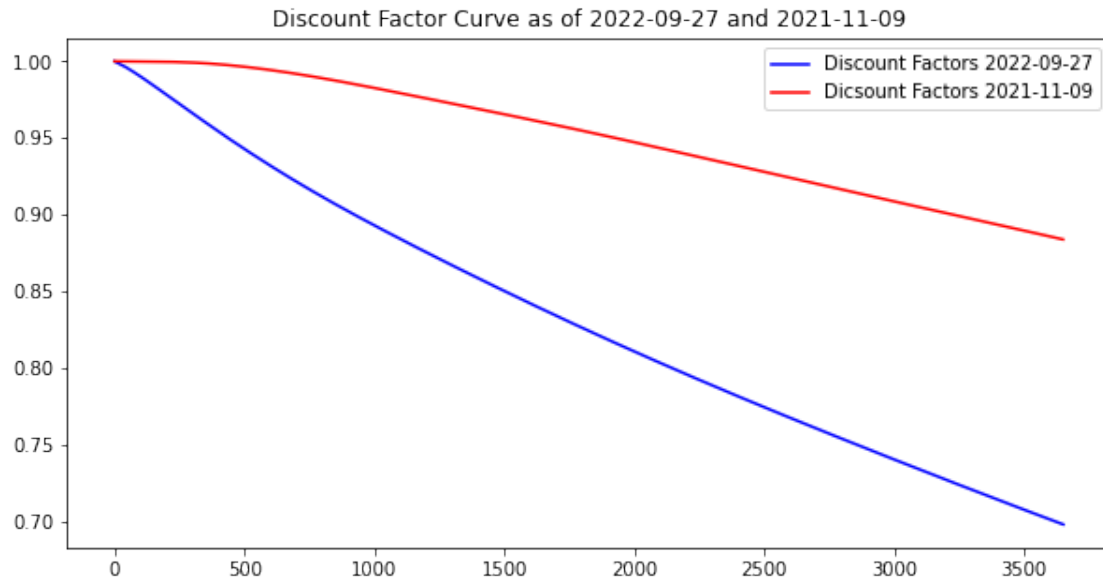
plt.plot([d for d in range(len([d for d in all_days])+1)],
         dfs_curves_dict[key], color='blue')

plt.plot([d for d in range(len([d for d in all_days]))],
         dfs_curves_dict[key_init], color='red')

plt.legend([f'Discount Factors {key}', f'Dicsount Factors {key_init}'])

plt.title(f'Discount Factor Curve as of {key} and {key_init}')

plt.show()
```

2.2 Implied Volatility Surface Construction

We get quarterly-quarterly swaps (QQ-Swaps) from the Market Overnight Forward Rates in order to imply the ATM Swap Rates: - We have Compounded 3M Fwd OIS rates, which is used for pricing of Caps and have to annualize it to match with strike - We use convention that we have 10 swaps, each has quarterly fixings, so we divide every swap rate by 4 and get fixing

```
[223]: qq_swaps_dict = {key : {'qq_swaps': [],
                              'dfs': [],
                              'quarter_comps': []} for key in fwd_curves_dict.keys()}
```

```
[239]: # for key in fwd_curves_dict.keys():
#       date_datetime = pd.to_datetime(key)
#       year = date_datetime.year
#       month = date_datetime.month
#       day = date_datetime.day
#       today = ql.Date(day, month, year)

#       quarters = []

#       i = today
#       while i <= calendar.advance(today, 10, ql.Years):
#           quarters.append(calendar.advance(i, 3, ql.Months))
#           i = quarters[-1]

#       days_in_quarters = []
#       for i in quarters:
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#         days_in_quarters.append(i - today)
#     days_in_quarters = [0]+days_in_quarters
#     days_in_quarters[-1] = 3653

#     tenors_by_quarters = [4*i for i in range(1, 11)]

#     quarter_comps = []

#     for j in range(len(days_in_quarters)-1):
#         q = 1
#         for i in fwd_curves_dict[key][days_in_quarters[j]:
#             ↪days_in_quarters[j+1]]:
#             x = 1 + i/360/100
#             q *= x
#             quarter_comps.append(q)

#     q_swaps = []
#     for i in tenors_by_quarters:
#         k = 1
#         for j in quarter_comps[:i]:
#             k *= j
#             res = (k**(1/i)-1)*4
#             q_swaps.append(res)

#     qq_swaps_dict[key]['qq_swaps'] = q_swaps

#     #here we have dfs for every quarter(end)
#     DFs = []
#     for i in days_in_quarters[1:]:
#         try:
#             DFs.append(dfs_curves_dict[key][i])
#         except IndexError:
#             DFs.append(dfs_curves_dict[key][-1])
#     qq_swaps_dict[key]['dfs'] = DFs

#     qq_swaps_dict[key]['quarter_comps'] = quarter_comps

```

Here is the Example

```
[1819]: pd.DataFrame(qq_swaps_dict['2022-09-27']['qq_swaps'])
```

```
[1819]: [0.042722202160856426,
0.04278212660699943,
0.041186561116353104,
0.039881962173724084,
0.0389182705838067,
0.038167197626648,
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0.037480081462804904,
0.03691693658608486,
0.03649072835189582,
0.036130568582940725]
```

```
[1069]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('qq_swaps_dict', qq_swaps_dict)

qq_swaps_dict = pickle_dict('qq_swaps_dict', serialize='rb')
```

We get the Cap price as a function of daily Caplets, given the inputs, Cap Vol, Strike, Expiry, Forward Curve and Discount Factors

```
[251]: def caplet_fv(tau, rate, strike, vol, expiry):
        z = ( rate - strike ) / (vol * expiry ** 0.5)
        return tau * (( rate - strike ) * norm.cdf(z) + vol * (expiry ** 0.5) * norm.
        pdf(z))

def cap_pv(tau, fwd_vector, dfs_vector, strike, vol, expiry):
    caplets = []
    for i in range(1, 4 * expiry + 1):
        df = dfs_vector[i-1]
        rate = (fwd_vector[i-1] - 1) * 4
        expiry = i * tau
        caplets.append(df * caplet_fv(tau, rate, strike, vol, expiry))
    return sum(caplets)
```

```
[303]: price_surface_dict = {key : pd.DataFrame(index=vol_surface_dict[key].index,
                                                columns=[col for col in
                                                vol_surface_dict[key].columns
                                                if col not in ['-0.75%', '3.
        -50%']])

        for key in vol_surface_dict.keys()}
```

```
[306]: # for key in price_surface_dict.keys():
#     for strike in price_surface_dict[key].columns:
#         for expiry in price_surface_dict[key].index:
#             expiry_num = int(expiry.replace('Y', ''))

#             if strike == 'ATM':
#                 strike_num = qq_swaps_dict[key]['qq_swaps'][expiry_num-1]
#             else:
#                 strike_num = float(strike.replace('%', '')) / 100

#             vol = vol_surface_dict[key].loc[expiry, strike]/10000
#             tau = 0.25

#             price_surface_dict[key].loc[expiry, strike] = cap_pv(tau,
```

```
# qq_swaps_dict[key]['quarter_comps'],
# qq_swaps_dict[key]['dfs'],
# strike_num, vol, expiry_num) * 10000
```

/var/folders/zt/2mmqxb5j3ms4m8_dlf7n891c0000gn/T/ipykernel_9363/1990442262.py:2:

RuntimeWarning: divide by zero encountered in double_scalars

```
z = ( rate - strike ) / (vol * expiry ** 0.5)
```

Here is the result

[1826]: price_surface_dict['2022-09-27']

```
[1826]:
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	-0.25%	-0.50%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	\
1Y	440.393542	464.763601	416.024099	391.654704	367.285403	
2Y	864.614434	912.054153	817.225229	769.906015	722.679566	
3Y	1235.250985	1303.695751	1167.057207	1099.099454	1031.492291	
4Y	1579.153331	1667.167676	1491.632936	1404.561629	1318.15675	
5Y	1906.976928	2013.520746	1801.137832	1696.017047	1591.861505	
6Y	2220.381217	2344.624359	2096.896161	1974.574286	1853.342955	
7Y	2514.91544	2656.394655	2374.827926	2235.837766	2098.362023	
8Y	2796.608452	2954.622831	2640.025944	2484.911839	2331.571438	
9Y	3070.610653	3244.680574	2898.143524	2727.599285	2559.090648	
10Y	3336.212096	3525.626508	3148.561533	2962.69433	2779.383088	

	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	2.50%	\
1Y	342.916269	318.547578	269.816512	221.137087	172.735966	
2Y	675.568645	628.637817	535.517607	444.101043	355.538381	
3Y	964.28427	897.578606	766.263579	638.930614	517.546564	
4Y	1232.490805	1147.735639	981.789114	822.259296	671.721533	
5Y	1488.759063	1386.947294	1188.303006	998.199906	820.026081	
6Y	1733.612426	1615.53798	1385.512787	1166.391043	961.920052	
7Y	1962.509213	1828.899739	1569.433227	1322.895021	1093.772747	
8Y	2180.407633	2031.618294	1743.45944	1470.818552	1217.979057	
9Y	2392.741224	2229.427845	1913.606979	1615.019256	1339.773472	
10Y	2598.441626	2420.879191	2077.775698	1754.342841	1456.892907	

	3.00%	4.00%	4.50%	5.00%	6.00%	ATM
1Y	125.720368	54.512788	34.01337	20.922871	7.877918	41.88187
2Y	272.146243	143.132869	101.582156	72.04408	37.390676	117.594767
3Y	405.326447	232.860088	175.953673	134.820322	84.035787	216.621484
4Y	533.804936	321.419243	249.971233	196.99961	129.653345	322.25529
5Y	657.699346	406.845344	321.290218	257.169417	173.172865	427.828618
6Y	776.388832	489.058306	389.934276	314.780652	215.254425	531.690376
7Y	886.703768	565.795967	454.302296	369.346014	255.50836	632.839741
8Y	990.273533	638.51639	515.98579	421.861066	295.175867	730.136377
9Y	1092.728107	710.825313	577.647656	474.913834	335.627669	825.346053
10Y	1190.527892	779.374174	634.750892	523.806347	372.956258	916.704045

```
[1068]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('price_surface_dict', price_surface_dict)

price_surface_dict = pickle_dict('price_surface_dict', serialize='rb')
```

We can check the prices on one slice to see that they are close to the market ones

```
[315]: prices_diff_example = pd.DataFrame(price_surface_dict['2022-09-27'].values -
    prices.values,
    index=prices.index, columns=prices.columns)
```

```
[1827]: prices_diff_example
```

```
[1827]:      -0.25%   -0.50%    0.00%    0.25%    0.50%    0.75%    1.00%  \
1.0    0.393542 -0.236399  0.024099  0.654704  1.285403  1.916269  1.547578
2.0   -1.385566 -2.945847 -0.774771 -0.093985  0.679566  1.568645  1.637817
3.0    0.250985 -0.304249  1.057207  2.099454  2.492291  3.28427  4.578606
4.0   -1.846669 -2.832324 -1.367064  0.561629  1.15675  2.490805  2.735639
5.0   -4.023072 -5.479254 -2.862168 -0.982953 -0.138495  0.759063  1.947294
6.0   -7.618783 -9.375641 -6.103839 -4.425714 -3.657045 -1.387574 -0.46202
7.0   -4.08456  -5.605345 -2.172074 -1.162234  0.362023  2.509213  3.899739
8.0   -2.391548 -4.377169 -0.974056  0.911839  2.571438  4.407633  5.618294
9.0   -0.389347 -2.319426  1.143524  3.599285  5.090648  6.741224  8.427845
10.0  -9.787904 -12.373492 -7.438467 -5.30567 -3.616912 -1.558374  0.879191
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      1.50%    2.00%    2.50%    3.00%    4.00%    4.50%  \
1.0    2.816512  3.137087  3.735966  3.720368  2.912788  2.11337
2.0    3.517607  4.101043  5.538381  5.146243  4.132869  3.682156
3.0    6.263579  6.930614  7.546564  8.326447  6.860088  4.953673
4.0    4.789114  6.259296  7.721533  7.804936  6.419243  5.971233
5.0    4.303006  6.199906  7.026081  7.699346  6.845344  5.290218
6.0    2.512787  4.391043  5.920052  6.388832  6.058306  4.934276
7.0    6.433227  7.895021  9.772747  9.703768  8.795967  7.302296
8.0    8.45944  10.818552 11.979057 12.273533 10.51639  8.98579
9.0   11.606979 13.019256 14.773472 14.728107 11.825313 10.647656
10.0   3.775698  6.342841  8.892907  9.527892  8.374174  6.750892
```

```
      5.00%    6.00%    ATM
1.0    1.522871  0.677918 -0.61813
2.0    2.84408  1.590676 -2.405233
3.0    4.820322  2.935787 -2.378516
4.0    4.99961  2.653345 -1.74471
5.0    5.169417  3.172865 -2.171382
6.0    3.780652  2.254425 -1.309624
7.0    6.346014  4.50836  -0.160259
8.0    7.861066  5.175867  0.136377
9.0    8.913834  6.627669  1.346053
10.0   5.806347  3.956258  1.704045
```

Average error is:

```
[337]: print(f'Mean Error is {round(np.mean(prices_diff_example).mean(), 2)} bps')
```

Mean Error is 2.88 bps

And check the relative difference

```
[327]: prices_rel_diff_example = pd.DataFrame(price_surface_dict['2022-09-27'].values /
      →prices.values - 1,
      index=prices.index, columns=prices.columns)
```

```
[328]: prices_rel_diff_example
```

```
[328]:
```

	-0.25%	-0.50%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	\
1.0	0.000894	-0.000508	0.000058	0.001674	0.003512	0.00562	0.004882	
2.0	-0.0016	-0.00322	-0.000947	-0.000122	0.000941	0.002327	0.002612	
3.0	0.000203	-0.000233	0.000907	0.001914	0.002422	0.003418	0.005127	
4.0	-0.001168	-0.001696	-0.000916	0.0004	0.000878	0.002025	0.002389	
5.0	-0.002105	-0.002714	-0.001587	-0.000579	-0.000087	0.00051	0.001406	
6.0	-0.00342	-0.003983	-0.002902	-0.002236	-0.001969	-0.0008	-0.000286	
7.0	-0.001622	-0.002106	-0.000914	-0.00052	0.000173	0.00128	0.002137	
8.0	-0.000854	-0.001479	-0.000369	0.000367	0.001104	0.002026	0.002773	
9.0	-0.000127	-0.000714	0.000395	0.001321	0.001993	0.002825	0.003795	
10.0	-0.002925	-0.003497	-0.002357	-0.001788	-0.0013	-0.000599	0.000363	

	1.50%	2.00%	2.50%	3.00%	4.00%	4.50%	5.00%	\
1.0	0.010549	0.01439	0.022106	0.030495	0.056449	0.06625	0.078499	
2.0	0.006612	0.009321	0.015824	0.019274	0.029733	0.037611	0.041099	
3.0	0.008242	0.010966	0.014797	0.020973	0.030354	0.028969	0.037079	
4.0	0.004902	0.007671	0.011629	0.014838	0.020379	0.024472	0.02604	
5.0	0.003634	0.00625	0.008642	0.011845	0.017113	0.016741	0.020514	
6.0	0.001817	0.003779	0.006193	0.008297	0.012543	0.012816	0.012156	
7.0	0.004116	0.006004	0.009015	0.011065	0.015792	0.016336	0.017482	
8.0	0.004876	0.00741	0.009933	0.01255	0.016746	0.017723	0.018988	
9.0	0.006103	0.008127	0.01115	0.013662	0.016917	0.018779	0.019128	
10.0	0.00182	0.003629	0.006142	0.008068	0.010861	0.01075	0.011209	

	6.00%	ATM
1.0	0.094155	-0.014544
2.0	0.044432	-0.020044
3.0	0.0362	-0.010861
4.0	0.020892	-0.005385
5.0	0.018664	-0.00505
6.0	0.010584	-0.002457
7.0	0.017962	-0.000253
8.0	0.017848	0.000187
9.0	0.020145	0.001634

10.0 0.010722 0.001862

```
[334]: print(f'Relative Mean Error is {round(np.mean(prices_rel_diff_example).mean() * 100, 2)}%')
```

Relative Mean Error is 0.88%

```
[362]: vol_surface_dict[key_init]
```

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[362]:
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	-0.25%	-0.50%	-0.75%	0.00%	0.25%	0.50%	0.75%	1.00%	1.50%	2.00%	2.50%	\
1Y	30.6	31.8	34.6	33.2	38.7	46.4	55.1	64.3	82.8	101.1	119.0	
2Y	39.9	43.8	49.0	41.0	46.8	53.9	61.1	68.0	81.7	95.6	109.5	
3Y	52.9	57.0	61.4	51.9	55.5	60.6	65.9	71.2	82.8	95.4	108.5	
4Y	61.3	64.4	67.4	60.0	62.1	65.7	69.7	74.0	83.7	94.6	106.2	
5Y	64.8	66.8	68.5	63.9	65.5	68.4	71.7	75.3	83.5	92.9	102.9	
6Y	66.0	67.2	68.0	65.5	66.9	69.4	72.2	75.3	82.4	90.5	99.2	
7Y	66.5	67.2	67.5	66.3	67.6	69.8	72.3	75.0	81.3	88.5	96.3	
8Y	66.8	67.1	67.1	66.8	68.0	69.9	72.2	74.6	80.3	86.8	93.8	
9Y	66.9	66.9	66.7	67.0	68.1	69.9	71.9	74.1	79.3	85.3	91.9	
10Y	66.8	66.7	66.2	67.1	68.1	69.7	71.5	73.6	78.3	83.9	90.1	

	3.00%	3.50%	4.00%	4.50%	5.00%	6.00%	ATM
1Y	136.6	153.8	170.8	187.5	204.0	236.6	36.8
2Y	123.3	137.1	150.8	164.3	177.6	203.9	53.9
3Y	121.7	134.9	147.9	160.8	173.5	198.4	65.6
4Y	118.1	129.9	141.8	153.4	165.0	187.6	71.8
5Y	113.3	123.7	134.1	144.5	154.7	174.9	74.7
6Y	108.3	117.4	126.6	135.7	144.8	162.8	76.0
7Y	104.4	112.6	121.0	129.3	137.6	154.1	76.3
8Y	101.3	108.9	116.6	124.4	132.2	147.6	76.3
9Y	98.8	106.0	113.3	120.7	128.1	142.8	76.1
10Y	96.6	103.5	110.4	117.5	124.5	138.7	75.7

2.3 Volatility Interpolation

```
[722]: vol_surface_int_dict = {key : {'vol_surface':pd.
    ↳DataFrame(index=vol_surface_dict[key].index,
                columns=vol_surface_dict[key].columns),
        'price_surface': pd.
    ↳DataFrame(index=vol_surface_dict[key].index,
                columns=vol_surface_dict[key].columns)}}
    for key in vol_surface_dict.keys() }
```

```
[723]: vol_surface_dict['2022-09-13'].shape
```

```
[723]: (10, 18)
```

Create the 5-degree Spline to get interpolated volatilities per each smile:

```

[733]: # for key in vol_surface_int_dict.keys():
#       print(key)
#       atm_replace = f'{round(qq_swaps_dict[key]["qq_swaps"][0]*100,2):.1f}'

#       vol_surface_dict[key].rename(columns={'ATM':f'{atm_replace}%'},
#       →inplace=True)
#       vol_surface_dict[key].columns = [f'{float(val.replace("%", "")):.2f}%' for
#       →val in vol_surface_dict[key].columns]

#       # Sort Strikes
#       tenors = [float(tenor.replace('Y', '')) for tenor in
#       →list(vol_surface_dict[key].index)]
#       strikes = [float(strike.replace('%', '')) for strike in
#       →list(set(list(vol_surface_dict[key].columns)))]

#       vol_surface_dict[key] = vol_surface_dict[key][[f'{strike:.2f}'+ '%' for
#       →strike in sorted(strikes)]]

#       # Convert to Numbers
#       strikes = [float(strike.replace('%', ''))/ 100 for strike in list(vol_temp.
#       →columns)]
#       strikes_new = [np.arange(atm_i - 0.01, atm_i + 0.0125, 0.0025)
#       for atm_i in qq_swaps_dict[key]["qq_swaps"]]

#       vol_temp_new = pd.DataFrame(index=range(len(tenors)),
#       columns=range(len(strikes_new[0])))

#       # Interpolate
#       for i in range(vol_surface_dict[key].shape[0]):
#           x = strikes
#           y = vol_surface_dict[key].iloc[i, :].values
#           f = interpolate.UnivariateSpline(x, y, k=5)

#           strike_i = strikes_new[i]
#           vol_new = f(strike_i)

#           for j in range(len(vol_new)):
#               try:
#                   vol_temp_new.iloc[i, j] = vol_new[j]
#               except IndexError:
#                   pass

#       # Address the NaNs
#       vol_temp_new = vol_temp_new.T.fillna(method='ffill').T
#       new_cols = [f'ATM-{25*i}' for i in \
#       range(4, 0, -1)]+[f'ATM']+[f'ATM+{25*i}' for i in range(1, 5)]

```



```

#      # Format data
#      vol_temp_new.columns = new_cols
#      vol_temp_new.index = tenors

#      K = np.arange(-100, 125, 25)
#      vol_temp_new.columns = K

#      vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'] = vol_temp_new

#      # Calculate the Price matrix
#      pv_temp_new = vol_temp_new.copy()
#      for i in range(len(strikes_new)):
#          for j in range(len(strikes_new[i])):
#              expiry = int(pv_temp_new.index[i])
#              strike = strikes_new[i][j]
#              vol = vol_temp_new.iloc[i, min(vol_temp_new.shape[1]-1, j)] / 10000
#              tau = 0.25
#              pv_temp_new.iloc[i, min(vol_temp_new.shape[1]-1, j)] = cap_pv(tau,
#                                      qq_swaps_dict[key]['quarter_comps'],
#                                      qq_swaps_dict[key]['dfs'],
#                                      strike, vol, expiry) * 10000

#      pv_temp_new.columns = K
#      vol_surface_int_dict[key]['price_surface'] = pv_temp_new

```

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```
[1077]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('vol_surface_int_dict', vol_surface_int_dict)

vol_surface_int_dict = pickle_dict('vol_surface_int_dict', serialize='rb')
```

Here is our interpolated volatility surface

```
[735]: vol_surface_int_dict['2021-11-09']['vol_surface']
```

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[735]:
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	-100	-75	-50	-25	0	25	\
1.0	36.879176	32.493270	31.078558	31.849497	34.406792	38.524366	
2.0	45.038807	39.570780	41.217824	50.636831	49.645523	51.153025	
3.0	53.188185	52.035331	62.270712	59.171975	57.925982	65.091370	
4.0	59.418613	65.471634	68.446312	62.967415	66.558435	71.730657	
5.0	64.120089	72.090413	68.590269	66.823569	70.891596	73.574952	
6.0	68.337491	73.728787	68.116796	69.050376	72.534178	74.609571	
7.0	71.396720	72.941407	68.191194	70.331133	73.367423	74.949181	
8.0	72.952254	71.925845	68.474500	70.990142	73.706698	74.882119	
9.0	73.454780	71.035634	68.677307	71.278418	73.625817	74.531800	
10.0	73.317750	70.322737	68.704529	71.304175	73.417072	74.114435	

	50	75	100
1.0	43.936706	50.179959	56.748803
2.0	59.987746	65.593634	67.686038
3.0	69.340089	70.856092	74.438572
4.0	73.394633	75.026378	79.674102
5.0	75.551575	78.036432	81.710332
6.0	76.187520	78.547846	82.157621
7.0	76.248337	78.579376	82.141944
8.0	76.019956	78.363969	81.842542
9.0	75.622761	77.942720	81.294113
10.0	75.144135	77.413305	80.628251

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[737]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))

key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-1]

strikes = vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].columns

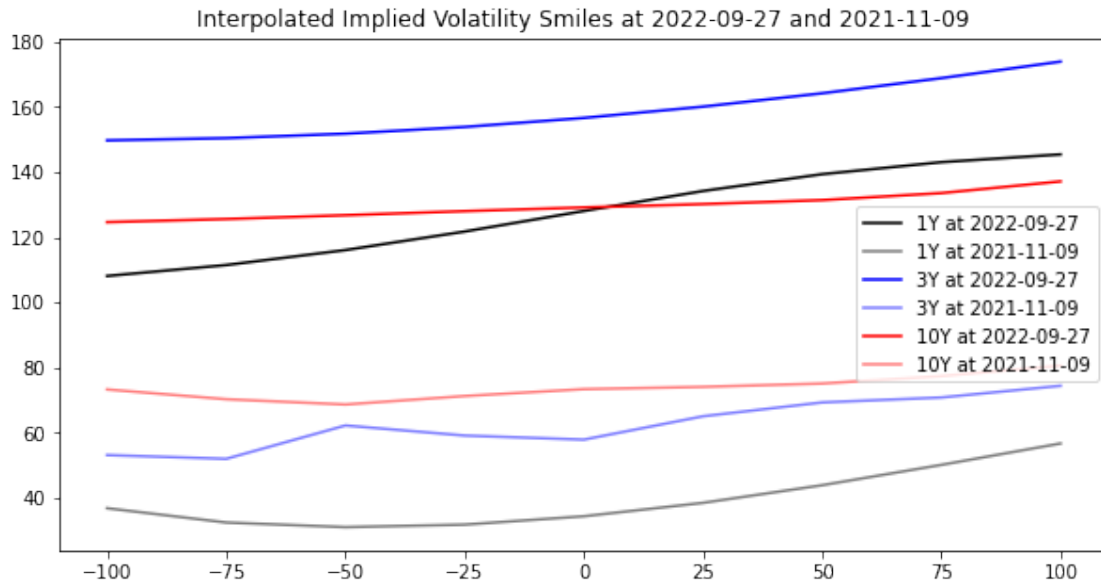
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].iloc[0, :],
         color='black')
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key_init]['vol_surface'].iloc[0, :],
         color='black',
         alpha=0.5)
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].iloc[2, :],
         color='blue')
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key_init]['vol_surface'].iloc[2, :],
         color='blue',
         alpha=0.5)
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].iloc[9, :],
         color='red')
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key_init]['vol_surface'].iloc[9, :],
         color='red',
         alpha=0.5)

plt.legend([f'1Y at {key}', f'1Y at {key_init}',
           f'3Y at {key}', f'3Y at {key_init}',
           f'10Y at {key}', f'10Y at {key_init}'])

plt.title(f'Interpolated Implied Volatility Smiles at {key} and {key_init}')

plt.show()

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[739]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
cut_strikes = 0

key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-1]

strikes = vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].index

plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].loc[:, 0],
         color='black')
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key_init]['vol_surface'].loc[:, 0],
         color='black',
         alpha=0.5)
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].loc[:, -100],
         color='blue')
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key_init]['vol_surface'].loc[:, -100],
         color='blue',
         alpha=0.5)
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].loc[:, 100],
         color='red')
plt.plot(strikes, vol_surface_int_dict[key_init]['vol_surface'].loc[:, 100],
         color='red',
         alpha=0.5)

plt.legend([f'ATM at {key}', f'ATM at {key_init}',
           f'ATM-100bps at {key}', f'ATM-100bps at {key_init}',
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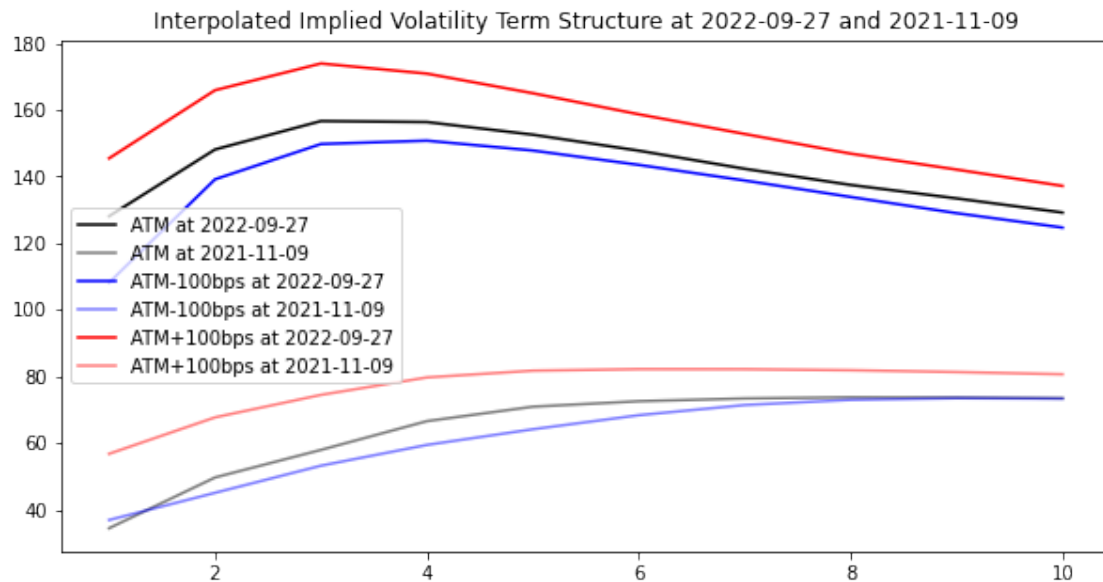
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        f'ATM+100bps at {key}', f'ATM+100bps at {key_init}'])

plt.title(f'Interpolated Implied Volatility Term Structure at {key} and_
→{key_init}')

plt.show()

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And we also have price surface

```
[740]: vol_surface_int_dict['2022-09-27']['price_surface']
```

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[740]:
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	-100	-75	-50	-25	0	\
1.0	102.385396	83.076719	66.563238	53.018391	42.171639	
2.0	230.730345	196.680662	166.418339	140.153147	117.822566	
3.0	381.033871	332.652587	288.944216	250.257436	216.669393	
4.0	536.625009	474.478154	417.692636	366.717911	321.747452	
5.0	690.488985	615.010828	545.559665	482.673041	426.639485	
6.0	840.829866	752.529218	670.889876	596.525770	529.808275	
7.0	987.752204	886.605542	792.580746	706.528986	629.081644	
8.0	1128.682612	1017.097670	912.562162	815.629461	726.951135	
9.0	1263.005971	1141.077410	1027.475677	922.014602	824.298413	
10.0	1393.514829	1260.860140	1137.315841	1022.546933	915.848070	

	25	50	75	100
1.0	33.470194	26.335585	20.362638	15.400175
2.0	99.136709	83.655232	70.864219	60.237245
3.0	187.987822	163.802797	143.559792	126.630281
4.0	282.693914	249.217912	220.789702	196.759216

5.0	377.453854	334.829731	298.253465	267.054576
6.0	470.804646	419.276552	374.728006	336.476509
7.0	560.529855	500.768158	449.307616	405.335392
8.0	647.304926	577.626207	518.815680	470.702217
9.0	734.610929	654.863829	588.663330	537.186852
10.0	817.266796	728.862257	655.159187	598.593369

2.4 3D Volatility Surface Plot

```
[741]: Ts, Ks = np.meshgrid(range(1,11), K)
vol_matrix = np.zeros((len(range(1,11)), len(K)))

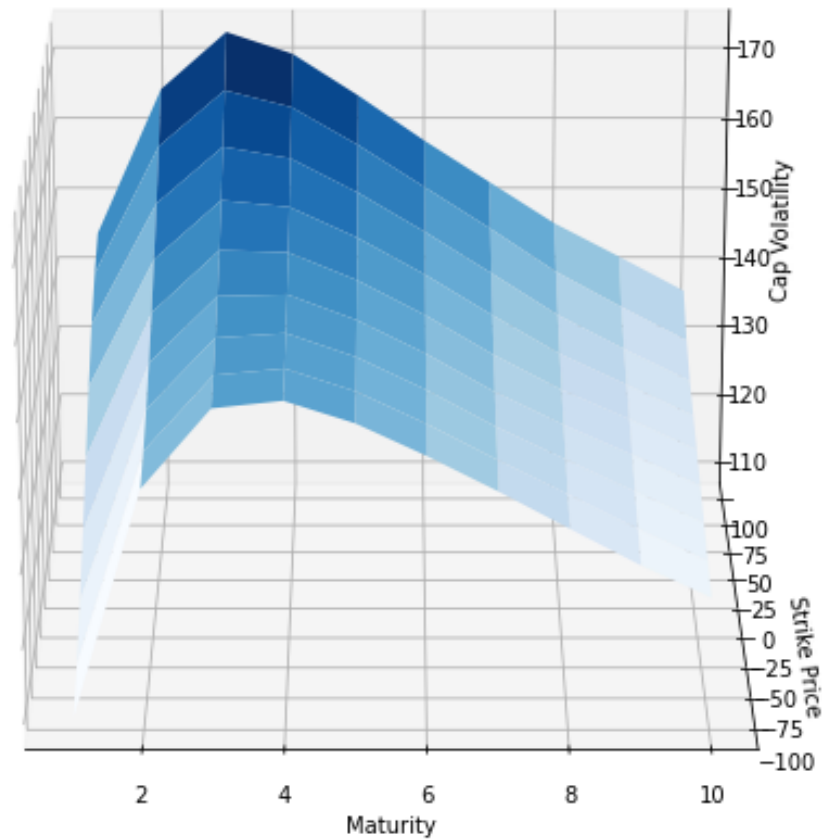
def vol_plot(tenor, strike):
    return vol_surface_int_dict[key]['vol_surface'].loc[tenor, strike]

vol_3d=np.vectorize(vol_plot)
Vol = vol_3d(Ts, Ks)

fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))
ax = Axes3D(fig)
ax.plot_surface(Ts, Ks, Vol, cmap = "Blues")
ax.view_init(20,270)
plt.xlabel('Maturity')
plt.ylabel('Strike Price')
ax.set_zlabel('Cap Volatility')
plt.title(f'Implied Volatility Surface as of {key}')

plt.show()
```

Implied Volatility Surface as of 2022-09-27



```
[742]: Ts, Ks = np.meshgrid(range(1,11), K)
vol_matrix = np.zeros((len(range(1,11)), len(K)))

def vol_plot(tenor, strike):
    return vol_surface_int_dict[key]['price_surface'].loc[tenor, strike]

vol_3d=np.vectorize(vol_plot)
Vol = vol_3d(Ts, Ks)

fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))
ax = Axes3D(fig)
ax.plot_surface(Ts, Ks, Vol, cmap = "Blues")
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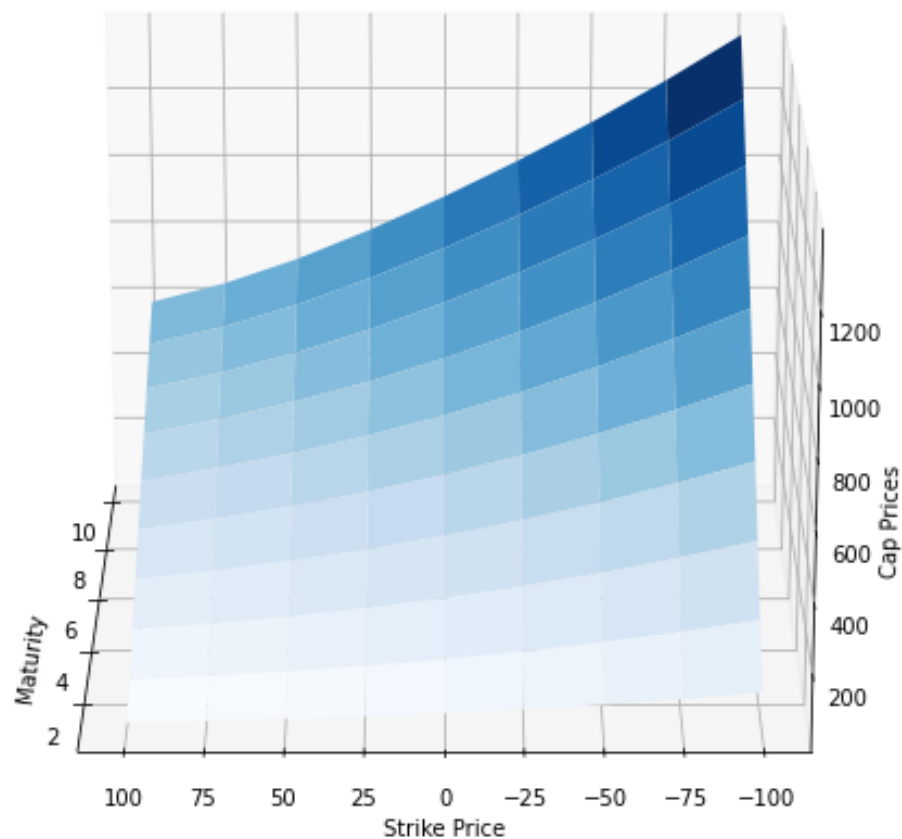
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ax.view_init(20,180)
plt.xlabel('Maturity')
plt.ylabel('Strike Price')
ax.set_zlabel('Cap Prices')
plt.title(f'Price Surface as of {key}')

plt.show()

```

Price Surface as of 2022-09-27



2.5 Risk-Neutral Probability Matrix

We solve Breeden-Litzenberger Numerically

$$f(K) = e^{rT} \frac{\partial^2 C(K, T)}{\partial K^2} \quad (1)$$

$$\approx e^{rT} \frac{C(K + \Delta_K, T) - 2C(K, T) + C(K - \Delta_K, T)}{(\Delta_K)^2} \quad (2)$$

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[743]: rn_pdf_dict = {key : pd.DataFrame() for key in vol_surface_int_dict.keys()}
```

Here we get annual DFs and after that convert them to ZC Bonds, because probabilities are measured in future terms

```
[751]: def breedenlitzenberger(pv_matrix, FVs):
    pdf_implied = pv_matrix.copy()
    tenors = range(1, len(pv_matrix.loc[:,0])+1)
    strikes = pv_matrix.columns
    for t in tenors:
        for k in strikes:
            if k == -100 or k == 100:
                pdf_implied.loc[t,k] = "NaN"
            else:
                pdf_implied.loc[t,k] = FVs[t-1] * (pv_matrix.loc[t, k + 25] - 2*
→* pv_matrix.loc[t, k] + pv_matrix.loc[t, k - 25] ) / (25**2)
    return pdf_implied
```

```
[752]: def prob(b1_pdf):
    prob_values = b1_pdf.copy()
    for t in range(1,11):
        prob_values.loc[t,:] = abs(b1_pdf.loc[t,:])/sum(abs(b1_pdf.loc[t,:]))
    return prob_values
```

```
[753]: # for key in rn_pdf_dict.keys():
#     print(key)
#     DFs_yearly = [qq_swaps_dict[key]['dfs'][3 + 4*i] for i in range(10)]
#     FVs = [1/DFs_yearly[i] for i in range(10)]

#     rn_pdf_dict[key] =
→prob(breedenlitzenberger(vol_surface_int_dict[key]['price_surface'],
#                             FVs).iloc[:,1:-1])
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```
[1078]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('rn_pdf_dict', rn_pdf_dict)

rn_pdf_dict = pickle_dict('rn_pdf_dict', serialize='rb')
```

Let's see the example:

```
[1829]: rn_pdf_dict['2022-09-27']
```

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[1829]:
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	-75	-50	-25	0	25	50	75
1.0	0.194839	0.206928	0.188070	0.149538	0.109216	0.080973	0.070436
2.0	0.161696	0.170652	0.167983	0.155606	0.136807	0.114866	0.092391
3.0	0.148574	0.159660	0.162113	0.156000	0.142966	0.125335	0.105352
4.0	0.140657	0.152449	0.157525	0.155233	0.146329	0.132431	0.115376
5.0	0.136113	0.148253	0.154769	0.154653	0.148185	0.136584	0.121442
6.0	0.133095	0.145362	0.152782	0.154126	0.149364	0.139454	0.125817
7.0	0.124564	0.139451	0.150494	0.155586	0.153742	0.145190	0.130973
8.0	0.111065	0.119783	0.130049	0.142302	0.157039	0.171230	0.168533

9.0	0.118191	0.115549	0.109931	0.113960	0.141094	0.192281	0.208993
10.0	0.119734	0.115331	0.106061	0.106686	0.133748	0.193214	0.225227

And we see that they sum up to 1

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[755]: rn_pdf_dict['2022-09-27'].sum(axis=1)
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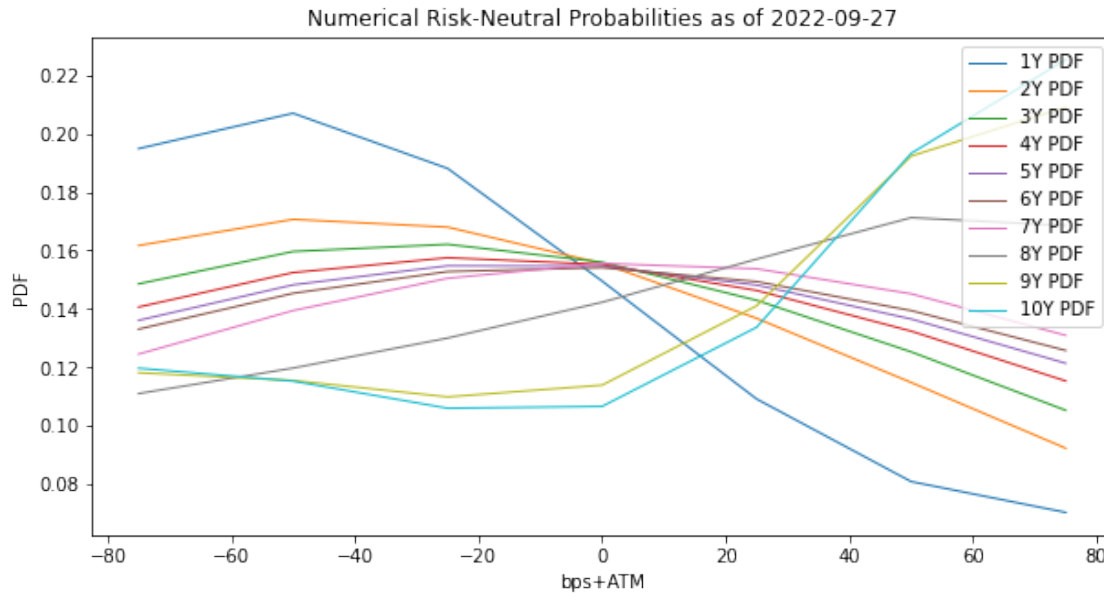
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     10.0      1.0
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2.5.1 PDFs Charts

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[756]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
      key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-1]

      new_K = K[1:-1]
      fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
      for i in range(1,11):
          plt.plot(new_K, rn_pdf_dict[key].loc[i,:], linewidth = 1, linestyle='-',
                  label=str(i)+'Y PDF')
      plt.gca().set_prop_cycle(None)

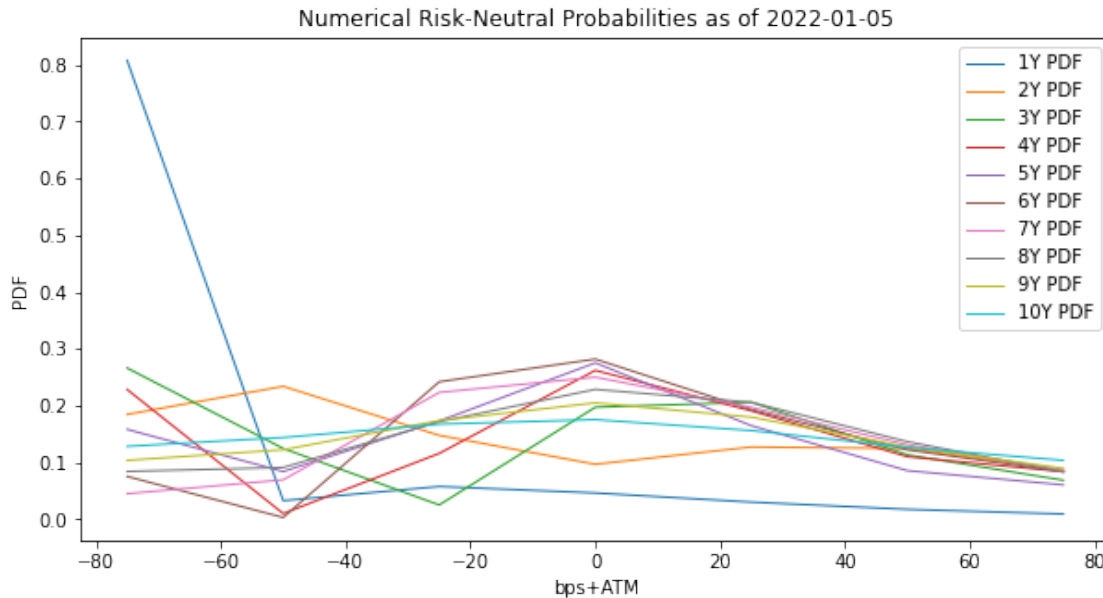
      plt.xlabel("bps+ATM")
      plt.ylabel("PDF")
      plt.title(f'Numerical Risk-Neutral Probabilities as of {key}')
      plt.legend()
      plt.show()
```



```
[757]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-42]

new_K = K[1:-1]
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
for i in range(1,11):
    plt.plot(new_K, rn_pdf_dict[key_init].loc[i,:], linewidth = 1,
             linestyle='-', label=str(i)+'Y PDF')
plt.gca().set_prop_cycle(None)

plt.xlabel("bps+ATM")
plt.ylabel("PDF")
plt.title(f'Numerical Risk-Neutral Probabilities as of {key_init}')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



3 Transition Matrix

Now let's estimate the transition matrix

```
[758]: transition_matrix_dict = {key : pd.DataFrame() for key in rn_pdf_dict.keys()}
```

```
[805]: # for key in transition_matrix_dict.keys():
#     print(key)
#     strks = rn_pdf_dict[key].T.shape[0]

#     P = pd.DataFrame(np.zeros((strks, strks)),
#                       index = rn_pdf_dict[key].T.index,
#                       columns = rn_pdf_dict[key].T.index)

#     P.loc[0, :] = rn_pdf_dict[key].T.iloc[:, 0].values
#     P = P.values
#     pi_0 = [0 if strike != 0 else 1 for strike in rn_pdf_dict[key].T.index]
#     pi_1 = rn_pdf_dict[key].T.iloc[:, 0].values

#     def objective(P):
#         x1, x2, x3, x4, x5, x6, x7 = P.reshape(strks, strks)

#         P_tot = np.vstack([x1, x2, x3, x4, x5, x6, x7])

#         res1 = 0
```

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#         for i in range(strks):
#             res1 = res1 + np.sum(np.abs(rn_pdf_dict[key].T.iloc[:,i + 1].
# →values - \
#                                     np.dot(pi_0, np.linalg.
# →matrix_power(P_tot, i+ 2))))*1)

#         cross_results = np.zeros(strks)

#         for i in range(strks):
#             for j in range(strks - i):
#                 cross_results[i] = cross_results[i] + \
#                                     np.sum(np.abs(rn_pdf_dict[key].T.iloc[:,
# →strks - j].values - \
#                                     np.dot(rn_pdf_dict[key].T.iloc[:
# →,strks - 1 - i - j].values,
#                                     np.linalg.matrix_power(P_tot,
# →i + 1))))*1)
#         res = res1 + sum(cross_results)
#         return res

#     constr = []
#     middle_strk = strks // 2

#     res = optimize.minimize(objective, P, method='SLSQP',
#                             tol=1e-5,bounds=[(0.0, 1.0)]*strks*strks,
#                             constraints=({'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: 1.0 - sum([X[strks * 0 +
# →i] for i in range(strks)])}),
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: 1.0 - sum([X[strks * 1 +
# →i] for i in range(strks)])}),
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: 1.0 - sum([X[strks * 2 +
# →i] for i in range(strks)])}),
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[0]-X[strks *
# →middle_strk + 0]}},
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[1]-X[strks *
# →middle_strk + 1]}},
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[2]-X[strks *
# →middle_strk + 2]}},
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[3]-X[strks *
# →middle_strk + 3]}},
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[4]-X[strks *
# →middle_strk + 4]}},
#                             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[5]-X[strks *
# →middle_strk + 5]}},

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#             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: pi_1[6]-X[strks * 4 +
→middle_strk + 6]}},

#             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: 1.0 - sum([X[strks * 4 +
→i] for i in range(strks)]))},
#             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: 1.0 - sum([X[strks * 5 +
→i] for i in range(strks)]))},
#             {'type':'eq', 'fun': lambda X: 1.0 - sum([X[strks * 6 +
→i] for i in range(strks)]))}
#             ))

#     rec_df = pd.DataFrame(res.x.reshape(strks, strks), index=rn_pdf_dict[key].
→T.index,
#                               columns=rn_pdf_dict[key].T.index)

#     transition_matrix_dict[key] = rec_df

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```
[1079]: # Save data to reuse it
# pickle_dict('transition_matrix_dict', transition_matrix_dict)

transition_matrix_dict = pickle_dict('transition_matrix_dict', serialize='rb')
```

Let's look at the example of the Transition Matrix

```
[806]: transition_matrix_dict['2022-09-27']
```

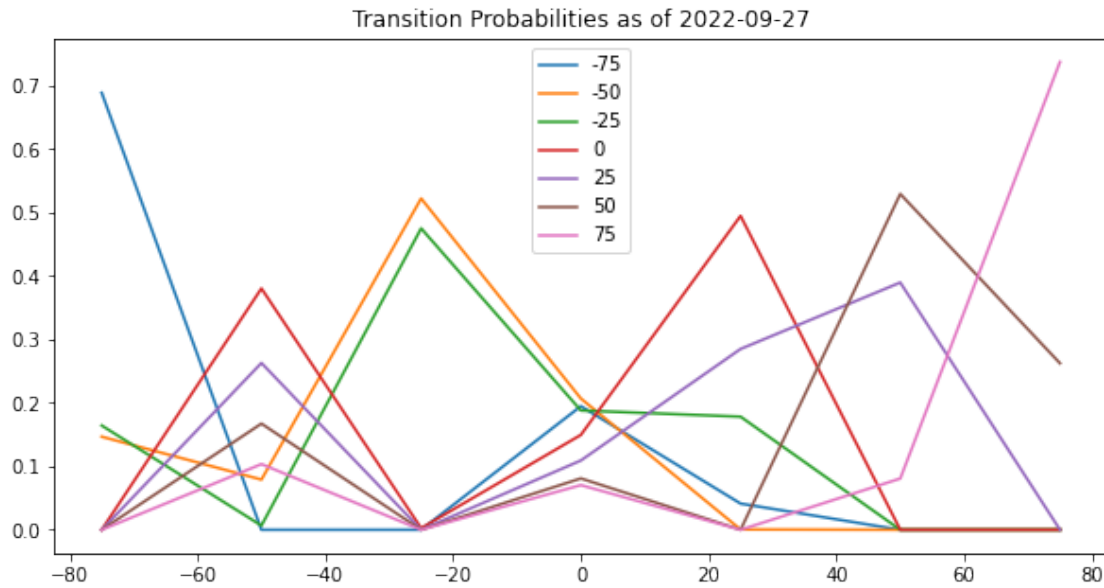
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[806]:
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-50	6.511673e-18	7.909911e-02	6.630280e-03	3.804476e-01	2.629488e-01	
-25	3.821182e-17	5.223131e-01	4.751570e-01	2.529892e-03	4.680678e-18	
0	1.948386e-01	2.069281e-01	1.880702e-01	1.495382e-01	1.092160e-01	
25	4.131939e-02	4.997899e-04	1.783062e-01	4.948350e-01	2.850396e-01	
50	2.927340e-17	8.705765e-18	3.937417e-17	4.404462e-18	3.897847e-01	
75	1.659542e-17	5.438438e-18	7.004841e-18	2.819991e-17	3.079491e-17	

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-75	8.772537e-18	5.080904e-18
-50	1.673437e-01	1.035306e-01
-25	5.634808e-18	6.990003e-18
0	8.097337e-02	7.043557e-02
25	2.713681e-17	2.346598e-18
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75	2.624750e-01	7.375250e-01

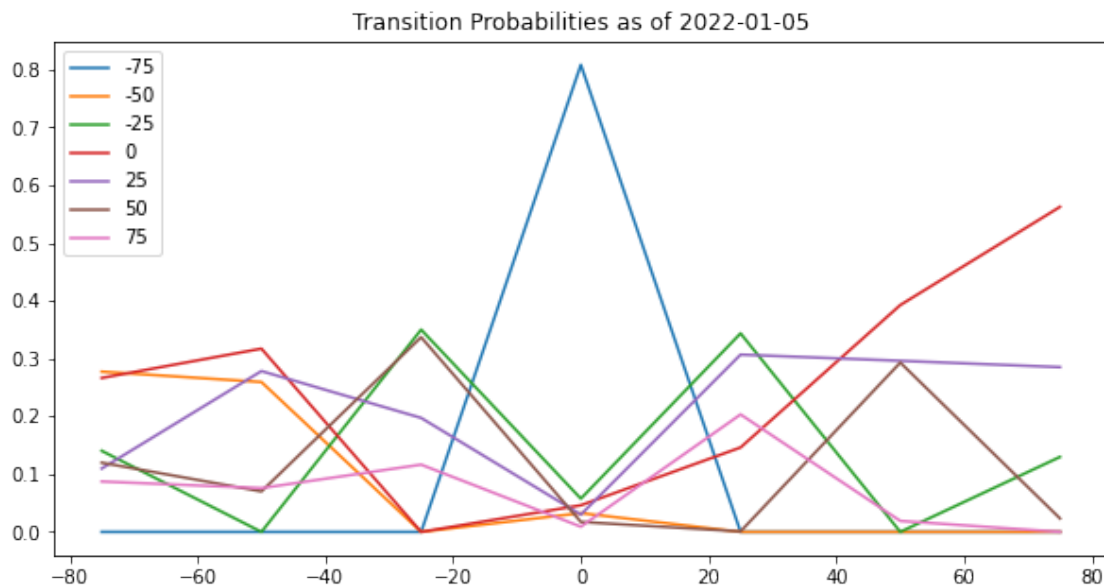
```
[807]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-42]

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(transition_matrix_dict[key])
plt.title(f'Transition Probabilities as of {key}')
plt.legend(rec_df.columns)
plt.show();
```



```
[808]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-42]

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(transition_matrix_dict[key_init])
plt.title(f'Transition Probabilities as of {key_init}')
plt.legend(rec_df.columns)
plt.show();
```



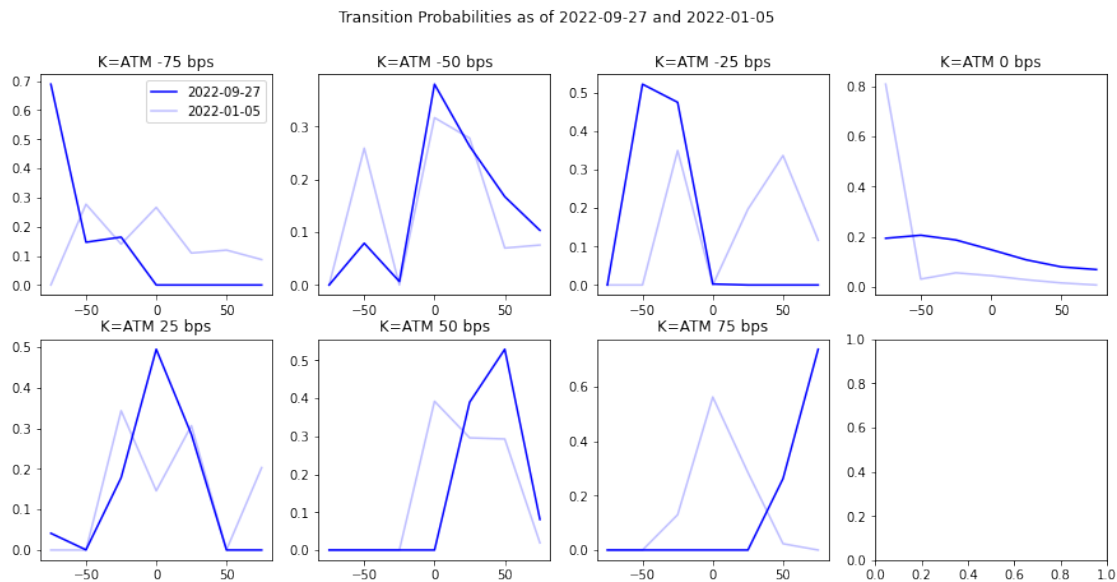
Let's look at the slices

```
[896]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=4, figsize=(15, 7))

fig.suptitle(f'Transition Probabilities as of {key} and {key_init}')
axes = axes.flatten()

for strike in transition_matrix_dict[key].index:
    idx = list(transition_matrix_dict[key].index).index(strike)
    axes[idx].plot(transition_matrix_dict[key].loc[strike, :], color='blue')
    axes[idx].plot(transition_matrix_dict[key_init].loc[strike, :],
    →color='blue', alpha=0.25)
    if idx == 0:
        axes[idx].legend([key, key_init])
        axes[idx].set_title(f'K=ATM {strike} bps')

plt.show();
```



4 Recovered Probabilities

```
[921]: rec_prob_dict = {key : {'rec_df' : pd.
    →DataFrame(index=transition_matrix_dict[key].index,
                columns=transition_matrix_dict[key].columns),
        'eigenval' : 0,
        'eigenvec' : 0,
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        'expected_value': 0}
    for key in transition_matrix_dict.keys():

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[937]: for key in rec_prob_dict.keys():
        eigenvals = np.linalg.eig(transition_matrix_dict[key])[0]
        eigenvecs = np.linalg.eig(transition_matrix_dict[key])[1]
        delta = eigenvals[0]
        z = 1 / eigenvecs[0]
        rec_prob_dict[key]['eigenval'] = eigenvals
        rec_prob_dict[key]['eigenvec'] = eigenvecs

        for i in range(len(transition_matrix_dict[key])):
            for j in range(len(transition_matrix_dict[key])):
                rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].iloc[i, j] = np.abs(1/delta *
→transition_matrix_dict[key].iloc[i, j] * z[i] / z[j])
            # Normalize data
            rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'] = rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'] /
→rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].sum(axis=0)

            rec_prob_dict[key]['expected_value'] = np.sum(rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].
→index * \
                                                    rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].
→sum(axis=1))

```

```

[1080]: # Save data to reuse it
        # pickle_dict('rec_prob_dict', rec_prob_dict)

rec_prob_dict = pickle_dict('rec_prob_dict', serialize='rb')

```

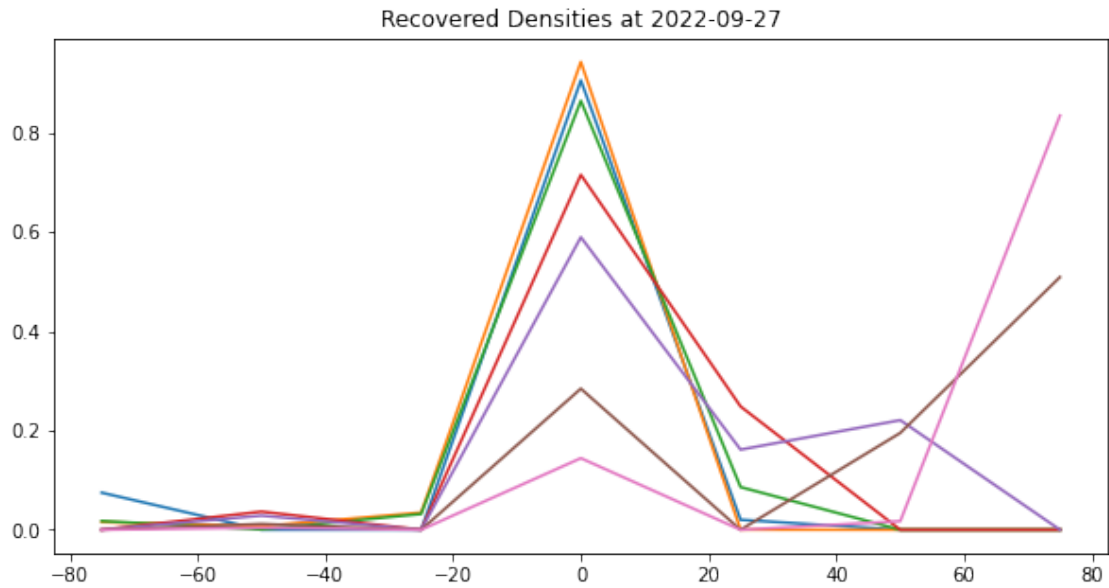
Let's look at the examples:

```

[924]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
        key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-42]

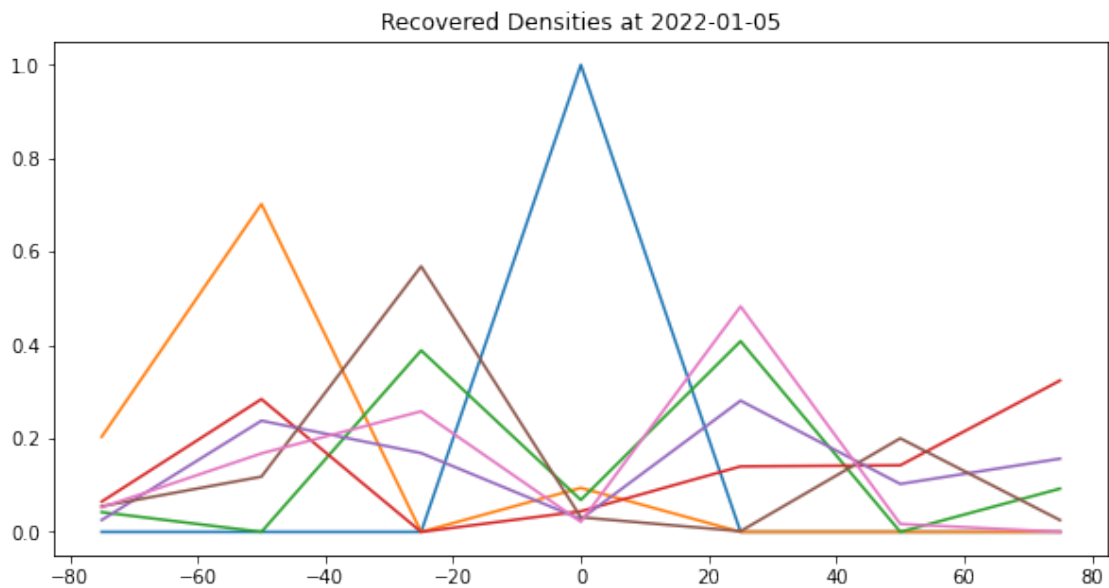
        plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
        plt.plot(rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'])
        plt.title(f'Recovered Densities at {key}')
        plt.show()

```



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[925]: key = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[0]
key_init = list(fwd_curves_dict.keys())[-42]

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(rec_prob_dict[key_init]['rec_df'])
plt.title(f'Recovered Densities at {key_init}')
plt.show()
```



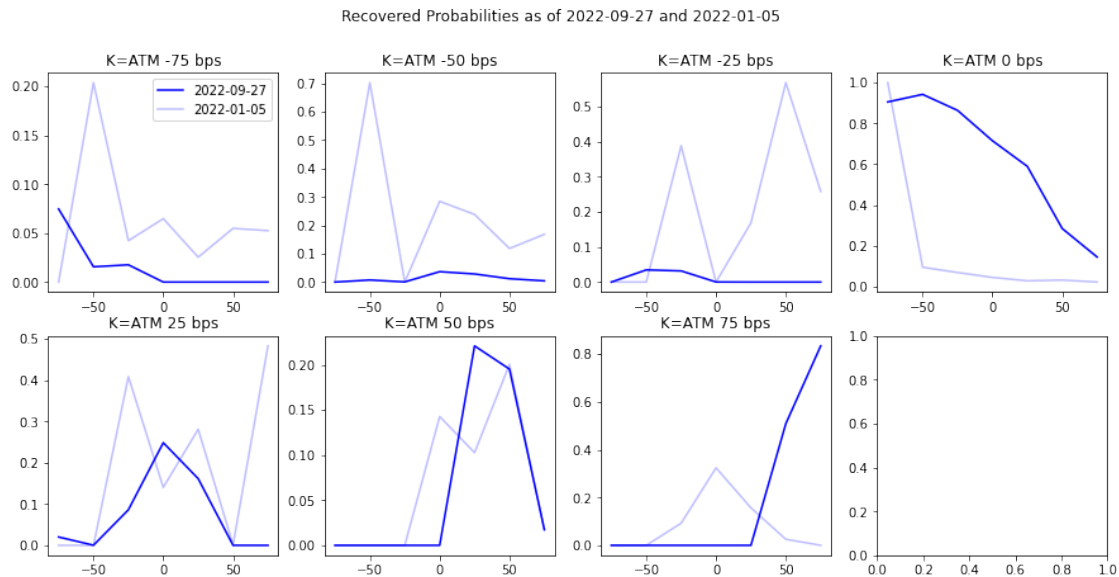
And see how our expected value moves through the time:

```
[926]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=4, figsize=(15, 7))

fig.suptitle(f'Recovered Probabilities as of {key} and {key_init}')
axes = axes.flatten()

for strike in rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].index:
    idx = list(rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].index).index(strike)
    axes[idx].plot(rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].loc[strike, :], color='blue')
    axes[idx].plot(rec_prob_dict[key_init]['rec_df'].loc[strike, :],
        color='blue', alpha=0.25)
    if idx == 0:
        axes[idx].legend([key, key_init])
        axes[idx].set_title(f'K=ATM {strike} bps')

plt.show();
```



5 Signal Generation

Let's also create time-series and look at the data in order to make a signal

```
[1832]: rec_prob_df = pd.DataFrame(index=list(rec_prob_dict.keys()),
                                     columns=list(rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].columns))
```

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[1833]:
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for key in rec_prob_dict.keys():
    rec_prob_df.loc[key, :] = rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].sum(axis=1) /
    →rec_prob_dict[key]['rec_df'].sum(axis=1).sum()
    rec_prob_df.loc[key, 'exp_val'] = rec_prob_dict[key]['expected_value']

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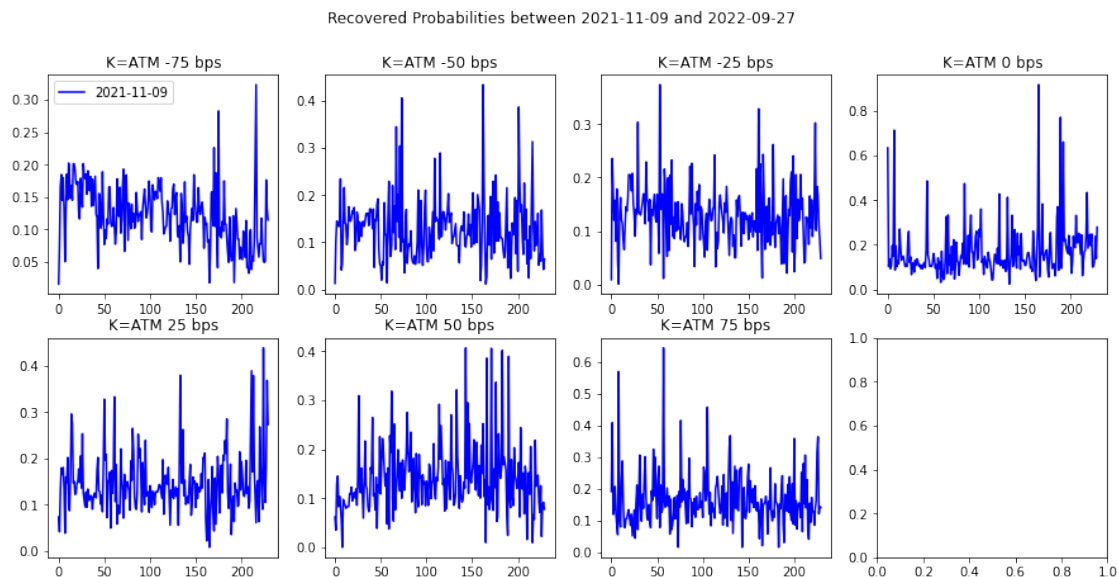
[1834]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=4, figsize=(15, 7))

fig.suptitle(f'Recovered Probabilities between {rec_prob_df.index[-1]} and
    →{rec_prob_df.index[0]}')
axes = axes.flatten()

for strike in rec_prob_df.iloc[:, :-1].columns:
    idx = list(rec_prob_df.iloc[:, :-1].columns).index(strike)
    axes[idx].plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, strike].values, color='blue')
    if idx == 0:
        axes[idx].legend([key, key_init])
    axes[idx].set_title(f'K=ATM {strike} bps')

plt.show();

```



6 Kalman Filter

We see that we get very noisy data for the returns. Therefore, it makes sense for us to use some smoothing techniques

```

[1151]: # for column in rec_prob_df.columns[:-1]:

```

```

# outlier_thresh = 0.95

# # Treat y as position, and that y-dot is
# # an unobserved state - the velocity,
# # which is modelled as changing slowly (inertia)

# # state vector [y,
# #               y_dot]

# # transition_matrix = [[1, dt],
# #                       [0, 1]]

# observation_matrix = np.asarray([[1, 0]])

# # observations:
# t = list(range(len(rec_prob_df.index)))

# # dt between observations:
# dt = [np.mean(np.diff(t))] + list(np.diff(t))
# transition_matrices = np.asarray([[1, each_dt], [0, 1]]
#                                   for each_dt in dt))

# # observations
# y = np.transpose(np.asarray([list(rec_prob_df.loc[:, column].values)]))

# y = np.ma.array(y)

# leave_1_out_cov = []

# for i in range(len(y)):
#     y_masked = np.ma.array(copy.deepcopy(y))
#     y_masked[i] = np.ma.masked

#     kf1 = KalmanFilter(transition_matrices = transition_matrices,
#                         observation_matrices = observation_matrix)

#     kf1 = kf1.em(y_masked)

#     leave_1_out_cov.append(kf1.observation_covariance[0,0])

# # Find indexes that contributed excessively to observation covariance
# outliers = (leave_1_out_cov / np.mean(leave_1_out_cov)) < outlier_thresh

# for i in range(len(outliers)):
#     if outliers[i]:
#         y[i] = np.ma.masked

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```
#     kf1 = KalmanFilter(transition_matrices = transition_matrices,
#                         observation_matrices = observation_matrices)

#     kf1 = kf1.em(y)

#     (smoothed_state_means, smoothed_state_covariances) = kf1.smooth(y)

#     rec_prob_df.loc[:, f'{column}_K'] = smoothed_state_means[:,0]
```

```
[1849]: # rec_prob_df.to_pickle('rec_prob_df.pickle')
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rec_prob_df = pd.read_pickle('rec_prob_df.pickle')
rec_prob_df = rec_prob_df.sort_index()
```

```
[1850]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=4, figsize=(15, 7))
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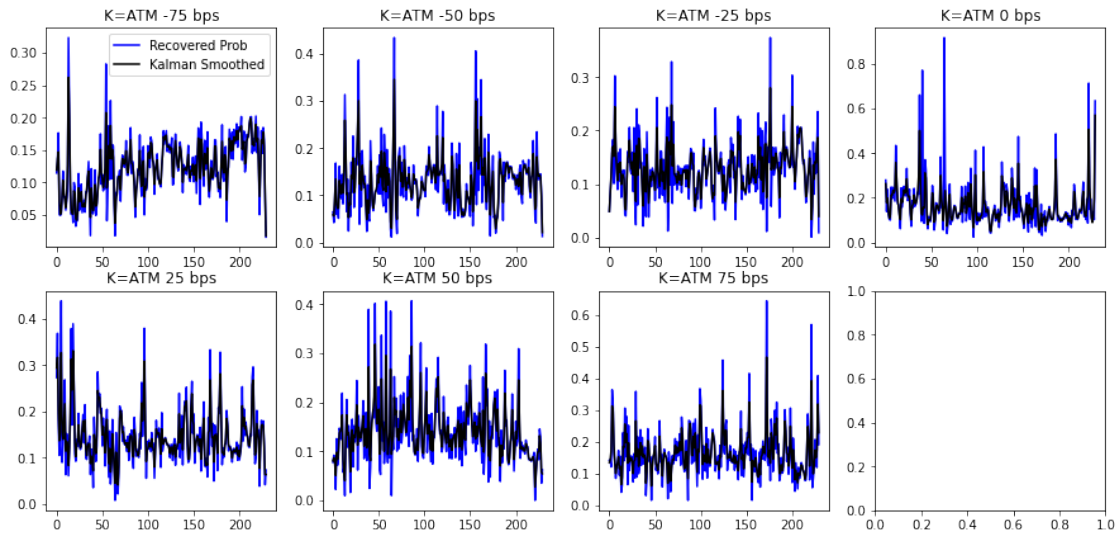
```
fig.suptitle(f'Recovered Probabilities and Kalman Smoothed Probs between_
→{rec_prob_df.index[-1]} and {rec_prob_df.index[0]}')
axes = axes.flatten()

for strike in rec_prob_df.iloc[:, :7].columns:
    idx = list(rec_prob_df.iloc[:, :-2].columns).index(strike)
    axes[idx].plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, strike].values, color='blue')
    axes[idx].plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, str(strike)+'_K'].values, color='black')

    if idx == 0:
        axes[idx].legend(['Recovered Prob', 'Kalman Smoothed'])
        axes[idx].set_title(f'K=ATM {strike} bps')

plt.show();
```

Recovered Probabilities and Kalman Smoothed Probs between 2022-09-27 and 2021-11-09



7 Test for the Forward Returns

Let's calculate the mean swap rate

```
[1851]: for date in rec_prob_df.index:
         rec_prob_df.loc[date, 'mean_swap'] = yield_curve_dict[date].iloc[:, 15:25].
         ↪mean(axis=1).values[0]
```

```
[1852]: rec_prob_df['mean_swap_fwd'] = rec_prob_df['mean_swap'].shift(-30)
         rec_prob_df = rec_prob_df.dropna()
```

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[1853]: rec_prob_df.head()
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[1853]:
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	-75	-50	-25	0	25	50 \
2021-11-09	0.1145	0.064408	0.048971	0.279243	0.273139	0.077766
2021-11-10	0.131841	0.041973	0.083144	0.138381	0.368266	0.09199
2021-11-11	0.176407	0.086784	0.110993	0.237541	0.18058	0.086456
2021-11-12	0.050257	0.168266	0.166233	0.123779	0.105405	0.022419
2021-11-15	0.04894	0.059682	0.18327	0.102861	0.163048	0.125743

	75	exp_val	-75_K	-50_K	-25_K	0_K \
2021-11-09	0.141974	58.328462	0.118902	0.058253	0.049113	0.263159
2021-11-10	0.144406	73.999101	0.136265	0.055833	0.083103	0.178280
2021-11-11	0.121239	-16.900236	0.147011	0.092682	0.116625	0.197905
2021-11-12	0.36364	102.834768	0.071179	0.134441	0.158274	0.134449
2021-11-15	0.316456	160.028576	0.050596	0.080003	0.170425	0.108461

	25_K	50_K	75_K	mean_swap	mean_swap_fwd
2021-11-09	0.293772	0.080696	0.135161	0.86625	1.00809
2021-11-10	0.316499	0.086916	0.144551	0.97460	1.01170
2021-11-11	0.197829	0.077217	0.171531	0.96882	1.03716
2021-11-12	0.136782	0.050831	0.312539	0.99760	1.03578
2021-11-15	0.195873	0.097886	0.295769	1.02727	1.03430

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[1854]: X = rec_prob_df[[col for col in rec_prob_df.columns[8:-2] if col not in_
→ ['-50_K', '0_K', '25_K']]]
# X = sm.add_constant(X)
y = rec_prob_df['mean_swap_fwd']

model = sm.OLS(y, X)

res = model.fit()

print(res.summary())
```

OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd    R-squared (uncentered):
0.941
Model:                  OLS             Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.940
Method:                 Least Squares    F-statistic:
778.7
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022  Prob (F-statistic):
4.55e-119
Time:                   00:12:10         Log-Likelihood:
-183.12
No. Observations:      200              AIC:
374.2
Df Residuals:          196              BIC:
387.4
Df Model:               4
Covariance Type:       nonrobust
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	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
-75_K	10.0543	1.091	9.218	0.000	7.903	12.205
-25_K	2.0266	1.002	2.023	0.044	0.051	4.002
50_K	2.7243	0.747	3.647	0.000	1.251	4.197
75_K	3.2489	0.634	5.125	0.000	1.999	4.499

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Omnibus:                4.701    Durbin-Watson:           0.307
Prob(Omnibus):          0.095    Jarque-Bera (JB):       4.470
Skew:                  -0.364    Prob(JB):               0.107
```

Notes:

[1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.

[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

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[1855]: significant_values = ['-75_K', '-25_K', '50_K', '75_K']
```

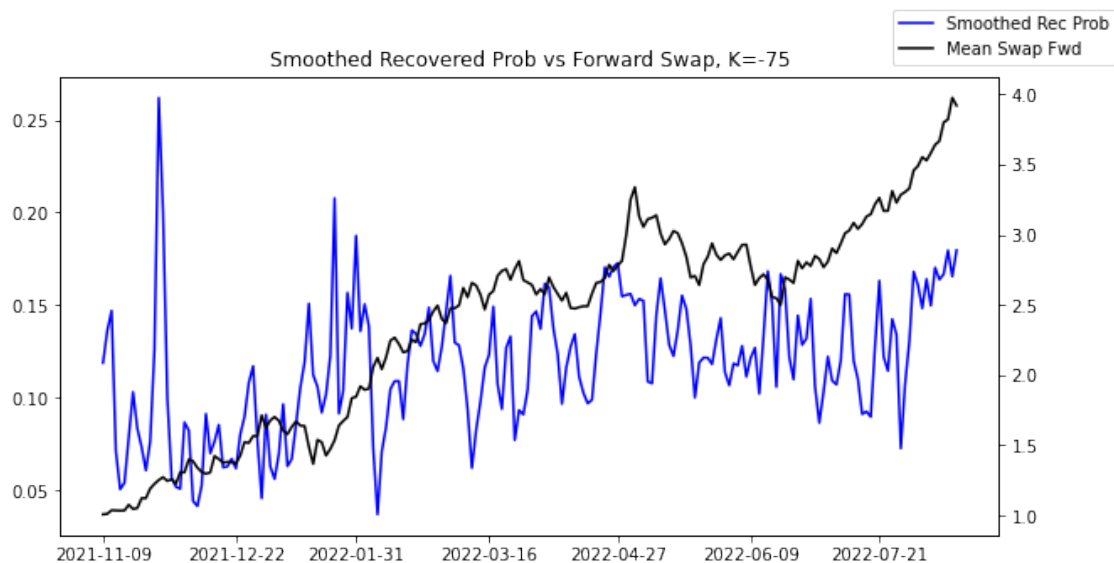
Let's look at the data:

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[1856]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, '-75_K'], color='blue', label='Smoothed Rec Prob')

ax2 = ax.twinx()
ax2.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, 'mean_swap_fwd'], color='black', label='Mean Swap_
→Fwd')

ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(dates.MonthLocator())

fig.legend()
plt.title('Smoothed Recovered Prob vs Forward Swap, K=-75')
plt.show()
```



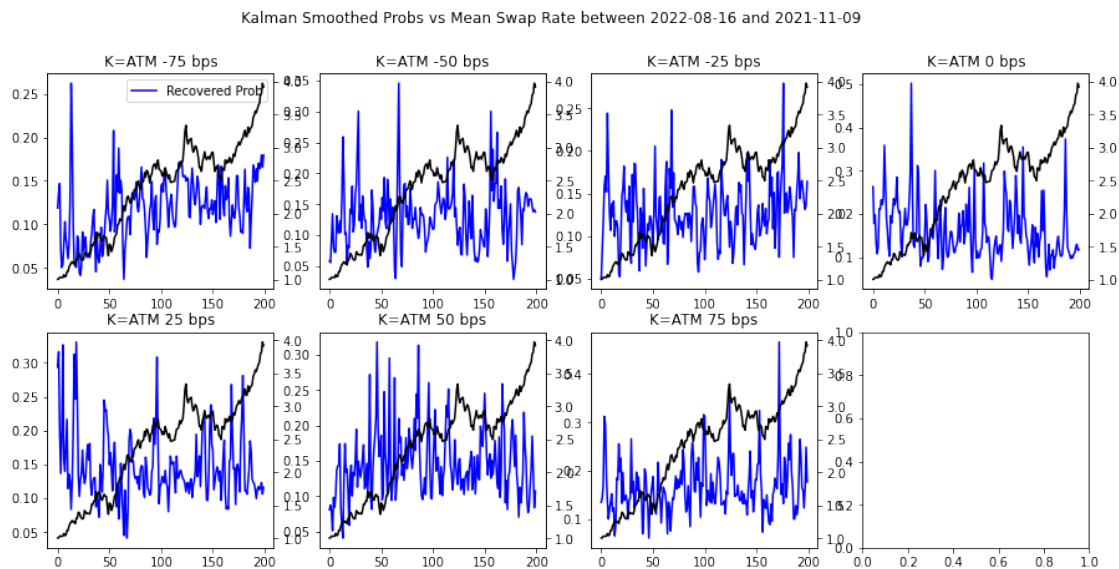
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[1857]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=4, figsize=(15, 7))

fig.suptitle(f'Kalman Smoothed Probs vs Mean Swap Rate between {rec_prob_df.
→index[-1]} and {rec_prob_df.index[0]}')
axes = axes.flatten()

for strike in rec_prob_df.iloc[:, :7].columns:
    idx = list(rec_prob_df.iloc[:, :-2].columns).index(strike)
    ax2 = axes[idx].twinx()
    axes[idx].plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, f'{strike}_K'].values, label='Smoothed Rec_
→Prob', color='blue')
    ax2.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, 'mean_swap_fwd'].values, color='black')

    if idx == 0:
        axes[idx].legend(['Recovered Prob', 'Kalman Smoothed'])
    axes[idx].set_title(f'K=ATM {strike} bps')

plt.show();
```



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[1858]: for strike in rec_prob_df.columns[:7]:
    X = rec_prob_df[[f'{strike}_K']]
    # X = sm.add_constant(X)
    y = rec_prob_df['mean_swap_fwd']

    model = sm.OLS(y, X)

    res = model.fit()
```



```
print(res.summary())
```

OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd    R-squared (uncentered):
0.914
Model:                  OLS              Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.913
Method:                 Least Squares    F-statistic:
2110.
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022  Prob (F-statistic):
6.90e-108
Time:                   00:12:12         Log-Likelihood:
-220.65
No. Observations:      200              AIC:
443.3
Df Residuals:          199              BIC:
446.6
Df Model:               1
Covariance Type:       nonrobust
=====
              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025      0.975]
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-75_K          19.3090      0.420     45.939      0.000     18.480     20.138
=====
Omnibus:                 71.679    Durbin-Watson:                 0.596
Prob(Omnibus):            0.000    Jarque-Bera (JB):            267.593
Skew:                    -1.401    Prob(JB):                     7.82e-59
Kurtosis:                 7.926    Cond. No.                      1.00
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Notes:

- [1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.
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OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd    R-squared (uncentered):
0.800
Model:                  OLS              Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.799
Method:                 Least Squares    F-statistic:
796.9
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022  Prob (F-statistic):
1.63e-71
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Time:                                00:12:12   Log-Likelihood:
-304.76
No. Observations:                    200   AIC:
611.5
Df Residuals:                        199   BIC:
614.8
Df Model:                            1
Covariance Type:                     nonrobust
=====
              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025      0.975]
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-50_K          16.1228      0.571      28.230      0.000      14.997      17.249
=====
Omnibus:                        13.734   Durbin-Watson:                0.485
Prob(Omnibus):                   0.001   Jarque-Bera (JB):              15.089
Skew:                           -0.565   Prob(JB):                      0.000529
Kurtosis:                       3.730   Cond. No.                      1.00
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Notes:

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- [2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd   R-squared (uncentered):
0.859
Model:                  OLS             Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.858
Method:                 Least Squares   F-statistic:
1213.
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022   Prob (F-statistic):
1.34e-86
Time:                   00:12:12   Log-Likelihood:
-269.88
No. Observations:      200   AIC:
541.8
Df Residuals:          199   BIC:
545.1
Df Model:               1
Covariance Type:       nonrobust
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              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025      0.975]
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-25_K          17.3877      0.499      34.822      0.000      16.403      18.372
=====

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Omnibus:	12.693	Durbin-Watson:	0.555
Prob(Omnibus):	0.002	Jarque-Bera (JB):	13.332
Skew:	-0.619	Prob(JB):	0.00127
Kurtosis:	3.256	Cond. No.	1.00

Notes:

[1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.

[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

OLS Regression Results

Dep. Variable:	mean_swap_fwd	R-squared (uncentered):	0.729
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared (uncentered):	0.727
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	534.0
Date:	Tue, 18 Oct 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	3.02e-58
Time:	00:12:12	Log-Likelihood:	-335.42
No. Observations:	200	AIC:	672.8
Df Residuals:	199	BIC:	676.1
Df Model:	1		
Covariance Type:	nonrobust		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
0_K	12.1335	0.525	23.108	0.000	11.098	13.169

Omnibus:	13.730	Durbin-Watson:	0.349
Prob(Omnibus):	0.001	Jarque-Bera (JB):	14.574
Skew:	-0.644	Prob(JB):	0.000684
Kurtosis:	3.298	Cond. No.	1.00

Notes:

[1] R^2 is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does not contain a constant.

[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd   R-squared (uncentered):
0.778
Model:                  OLS             Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.777
Method:                 Least Squares   F-statistic:
699.3
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022 Prob (F-statistic):
4.74e-67
Time:                   00:12:12        Log-Likelihood:
-315.08
No. Observations:      200             AIC:
632.2
Df Residuals:          199             BIC:
635.5
Df Model:               1
Covariance Type:       nonrobust
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	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
25_K	14.2200	0.538	26.444	0.000	13.160	15.280

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Omnibus:                32.906   Durbin-Watson:              0.293
Prob(Omnibus):           0.000   Jarque-Bera (JB):        45.773
Skew:                    -0.985   Prob(JB):                1.15e-10
Kurtosis:                4.271   Cond. No.                1.00
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Notes:

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- [2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd   R-squared (uncentered):
0.838
Model:                  OLS             Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.837
Method:                 Least Squares   F-statistic:
1031.
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022 Prob (F-statistic):
1.20e-80
Time:                   00:12:12        Log-Likelihood:
-283.65
No. Observations:      200             AIC:
569.3

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Df Residuals:          199    BIC:
572.6
Df Model:              1
Covariance Type:      nonrobust
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              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025      0.975]
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50_K          14.8860      0.464      32.109      0.000      13.972      15.800
=====
Omnibus:              3.888    Durbin-Watson:              0.571
Prob(Omnibus):        0.143    Jarque-Bera (JB):              3.474
Skew:                -0.278    Prob(JB):              0.176
Kurtosis:            3.330    Cond. No.              1.00
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Notes:

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- [2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:          mean_swap_fwd    R-squared (uncentered):
0.852
Model:                  OLS    Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.852
Method:                 Least Squares    F-statistic:
1149.
Date:                   Tue, 18 Oct 2022    Prob (F-statistic):
1.36e-84
Time:                   00:12:12    Log-Likelihood:
-274.53
No. Observations:      200    AIC:
551.1
Df Residuals:          199    BIC:
554.3
Df Model:              1
Covariance Type:      nonrobust
=====
              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025      0.975]
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75_K          13.0966      0.386      33.890      0.000      12.335      13.859
=====
Omnibus:              18.923    Durbin-Watson:              0.601
Prob(Omnibus):        0.000    Jarque-Bera (JB):              22.703
Skew:                -0.675    Prob(JB):              1.17e-05
Kurtosis:            3.951    Cond. No.              1.00

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Notes:

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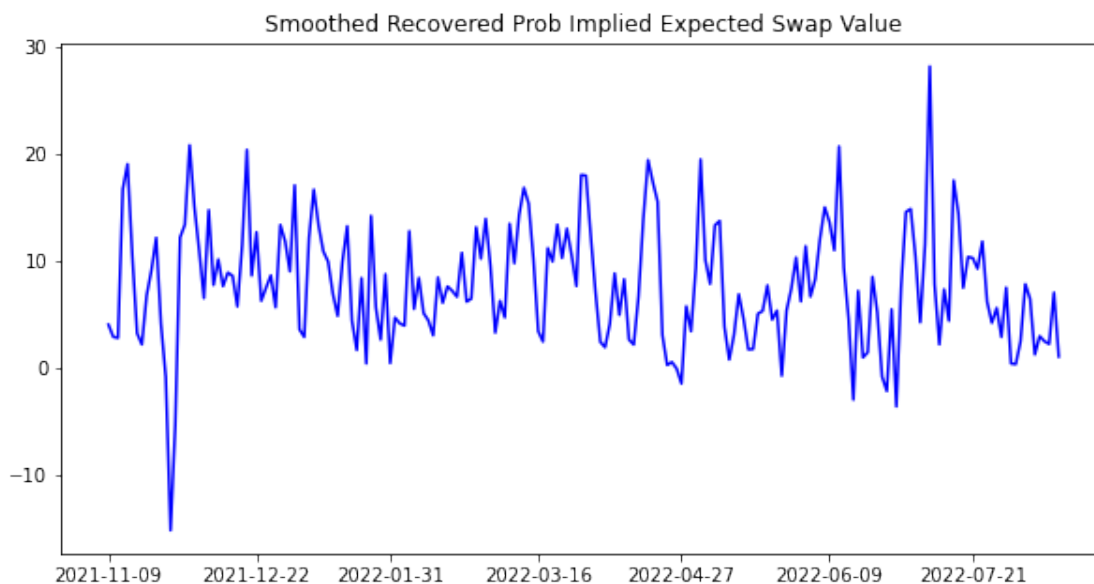
Given the reasonable theoretical justification let's construct the trading strategy, which works the following way: - If the expected value of the rate is higher than 0, we long the aggregate swap curve -> Pay Fixed - If less than 0, we short -> Receive Fixed

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[1859]: rec_prob_df['exp_val'] = rec_prob_df[significant_values].values @ [-75, -25, 50, 75]
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[1860]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, 'exp_val'], color='blue', label='Smoothed Rec Prob')

ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(dates.MonthLocator())

plt.title('Smoothed Recovered Prob Implied Expected Swap Value')
plt.show()
```



Construct the position

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[1861]: rec_prob_df['position'] = 0

for i in range(1, rec_prob_df.shape[0]-1):
    date = list(rec_prob_df.index)[i]
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date_fwd = list(rec_prob_df.index)[i+1]
date_bwd = list(rec_prob_df.index)[i-1]

if rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd, 'exp_val'] > 0:
    rec_prob_df.loc[date, 'position'] = 1
    count +=1
elif rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd, 'exp_val'] < 0:
    rec_prob_df.loc[date, 'position'] = -1
    count +=1
else:
    rec_prob_df.loc[date, 'position'] = 0

if i == rec_prob_df.shape[0]-1:
    rec_prob_df.loc[date_fwd, 'position'] = 0

rec_prob_df['pnl'] = rec_prob_df['mean_swap'].diff().fillna(0) *
    →rec_prob_df['position'].shift(1).fillna(0)
rec_prob_df['pnl_agg'] = (1 + rec_prob_df['pnl']).cumprod()

print(f'Sharpe Ratio is {round(rec_prob_df["pnl"].mean()/ rec_prob_df["pnl"].
    →std(), 2)}')

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Sharpe Ratio is 0.15

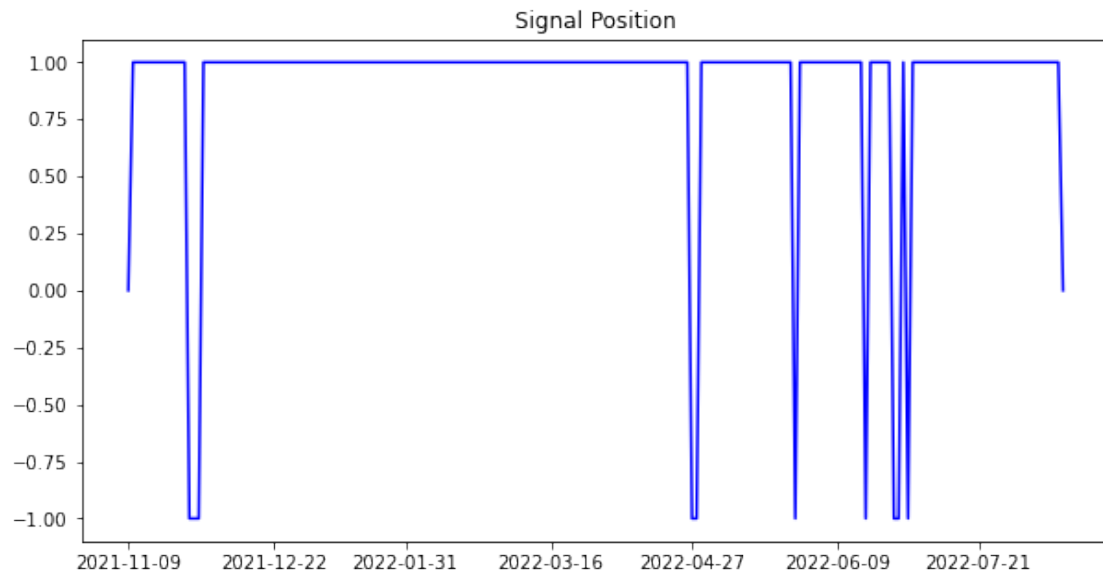
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[1862]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, 'position'], color='blue', label='Smoothed Rec Prob')

ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(dates.MonthLocator())

plt.title('Signal Position')
plt.show()

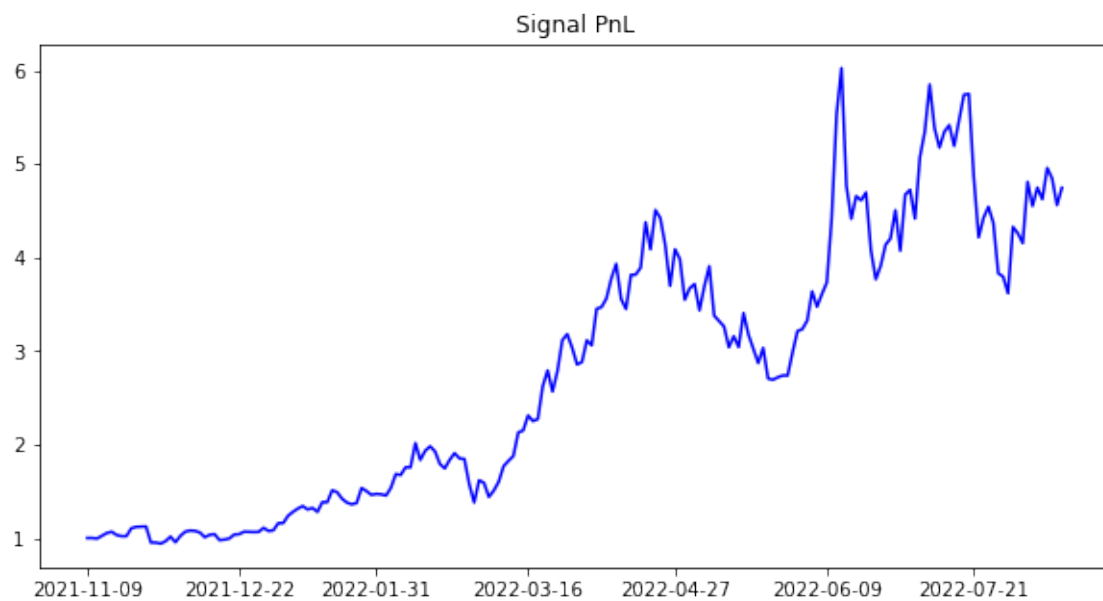
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[1863]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 5))
plt.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[:, 'pnl_agg'], color='blue', label='Smoothed Rec Prob')

ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(dates.MonthLocator())

plt.title('Signal PnL')
plt.show()
```



Let's investigate the cases when the position goes short:

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[1873]: print(f'Mean PnL for shorts is {round(rec_prob_df[rec_prob_df.position == -1].
        ↪pnl.mean(), 4)}')
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Mean PnL for shorts is -0.0045

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[1865]: for i in rec_prob_df[rec_prob_df.position == -1].index:
        date = list(rec_prob_df.index).index(i)
        date_fwd = list(rec_prob_df.index)[date+5]
        date_bwd = list(rec_prob_df.index)[date-5]

        fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 5))
        display(rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd:date_fwd,
                                ['pnl', 'mean_swap', 'position', 'exp_val']])

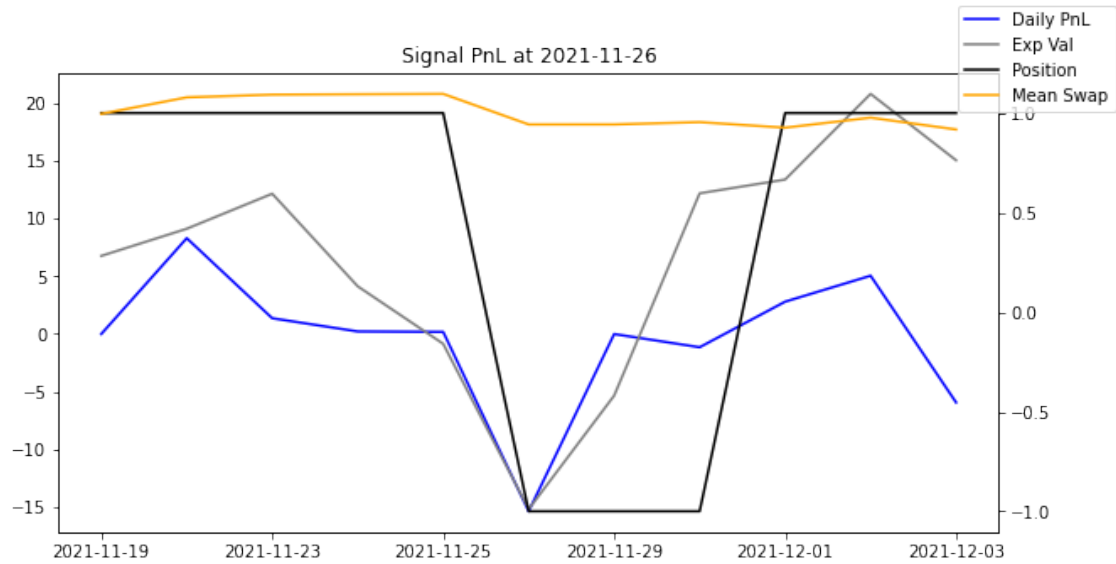
        plt.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd:date_fwd, 'pnl']*100, color='blue',
        ↪label='Daily PnL')
        plt.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd:date_fwd, 'exp_val'], color='grey',
        ↪label='Exp Val')

        ax2 = ax.twinx()
        ax2.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd:date_fwd, 'position'], color='black',
        ↪label='Position')
        ax2.plot(rec_prob_df.loc[date_bwd:date_fwd, 'mean_swap'], color='orange',
        ↪label='Mean Swap')

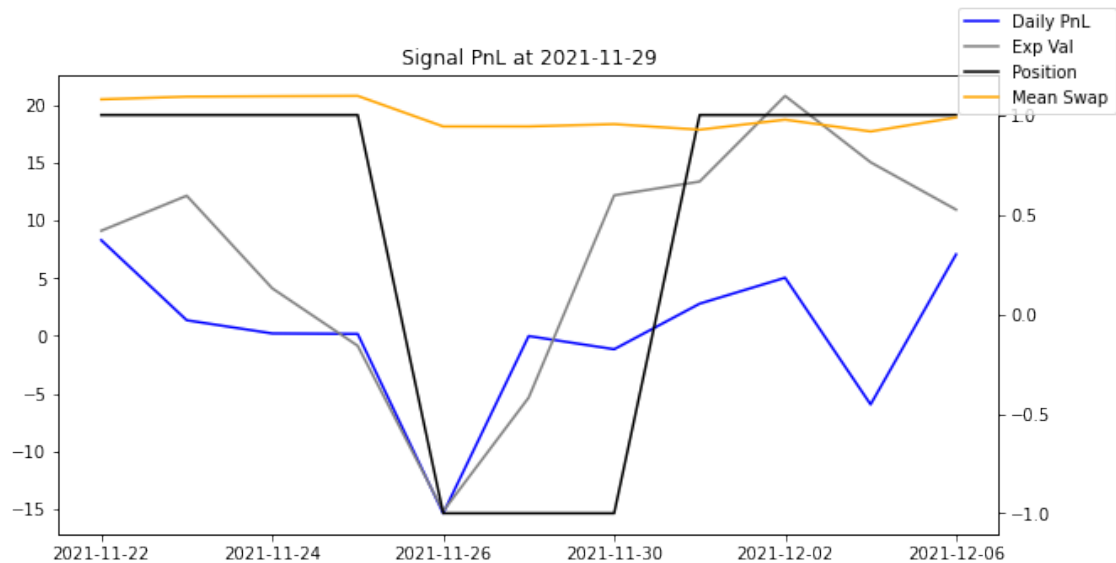
        fig.legend()
        ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(dates.DayLocator(interval=2))

        plt.title(f'Signal PnL at {i}')
        plt.show()
```

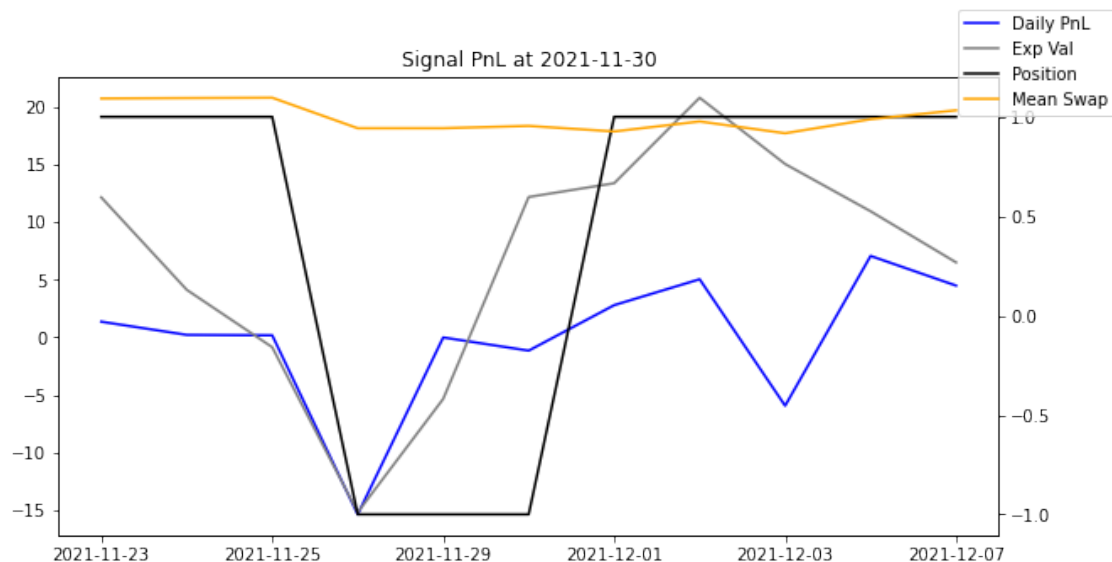
	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2021-11-19	-0.00011	0.99572	1	6.753158
2021-11-22	0.08289	1.07861	1	9.105183
2021-11-23	0.01356	1.09217	1	12.140045
2021-11-24	0.00212	1.09429	1	4.121661
2021-11-25	0.00173	1.09602	1	-0.858330
2021-11-26	-0.15358	0.94244	-1	-15.183108
2021-11-29	-0.00012	0.94256	-1	-5.341180
2021-11-30	-0.01156	0.95412	-1	12.172705
2021-12-01	0.02790	0.92622	1	13.365422
2021-12-02	0.05038	0.97660	1	20.784968
2021-12-03	-0.05937	0.91723	1	15.033549



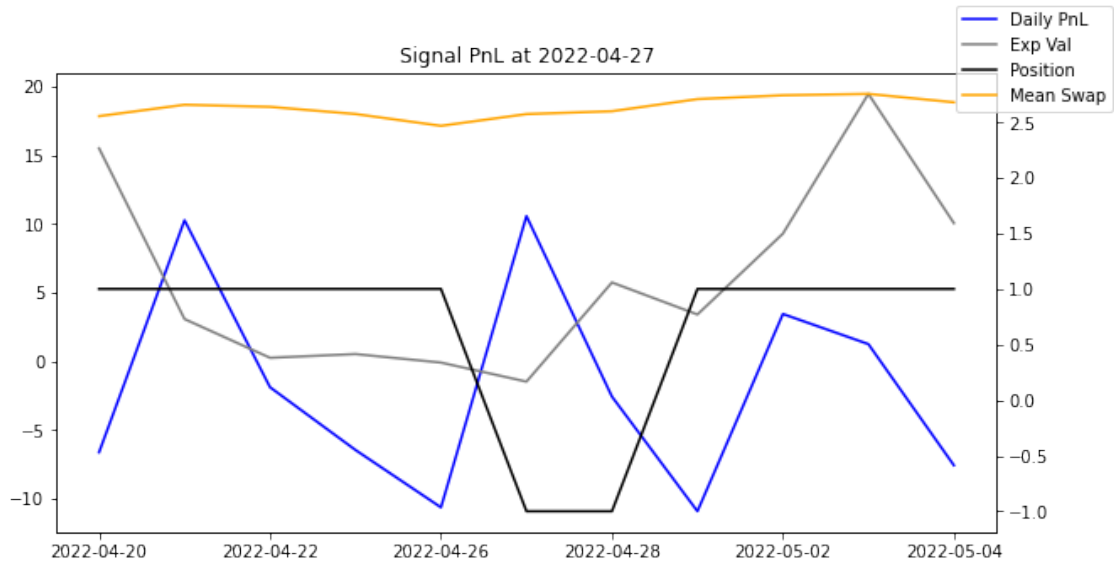
	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2021-11-22	0.08289	1.07861	1	9.105183
2021-11-23	0.01356	1.09217	1	12.140045
2021-11-24	0.00212	1.09429	1	4.121661
2021-11-25	0.00173	1.09602	1	-0.858330
2021-11-26	-0.15358	0.94244	-1	-15.183108
2021-11-29	-0.00012	0.94256	-1	-5.341180
2021-11-30	-0.01156	0.95412	-1	12.172705
2021-12-01	0.02790	0.92622	1	13.365422
2021-12-02	0.05038	0.97660	1	20.784968
2021-12-03	-0.05937	0.91723	1	15.033549
2021-12-06	0.07060	0.98783	1	10.932793



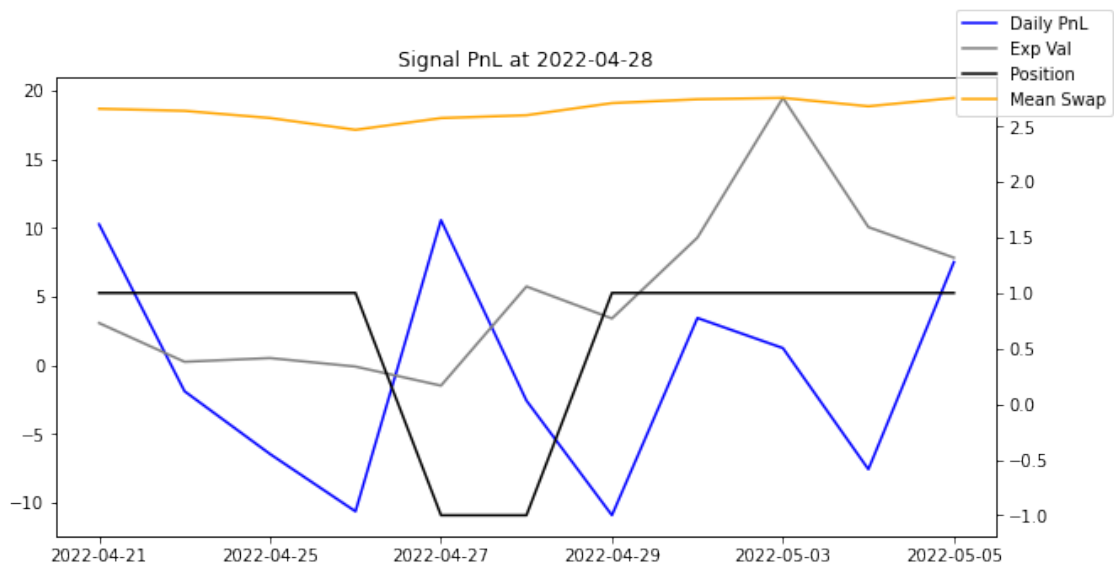
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2021-11-24	0.00212	1.09429	1	4.121661
2021-11-25	0.00173	1.09602	1	-0.858330
2021-11-26	-0.15358	0.94244	-1	-15.183108
2021-11-29	-0.00012	0.94256	-1	-5.341180
2021-11-30	-0.01156	0.95412	-1	12.172705
2021-12-01	0.02790	0.92622	1	13.365422
2021-12-02	0.05038	0.97660	1	20.784968
2021-12-03	-0.05937	0.91723	1	15.033549
2021-12-06	0.07060	0.98783	1	10.932793
2021-12-07	0.04485	1.03268	1	6.496641



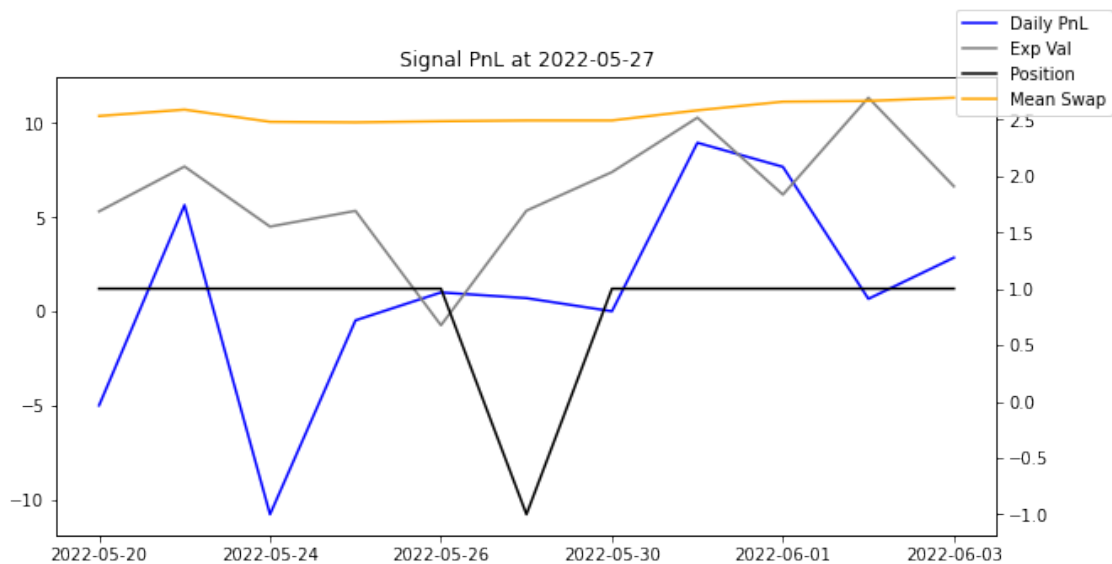
	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-04-20	-0.06622	2.55440	1	15.504003
2022-04-21	0.10267	2.65707	1	3.076724
2022-04-22	-0.01885	2.63822	1	0.256691
2022-04-25	-0.06453	2.57369	1	0.528700
2022-04-26	-0.10630	2.46739	1	-0.090780
2022-04-27	0.10570	2.57309	-1	-1.477216
2022-04-28	-0.02567	2.59876	-1	5.738454
2022-04-29	-0.10910	2.70786	1	3.408595
2022-05-02	0.03445	2.74231	1	9.293731
2022-05-03	0.01253	2.75484	1	19.462155
2022-05-04	-0.07567	2.67917	1	10.057492



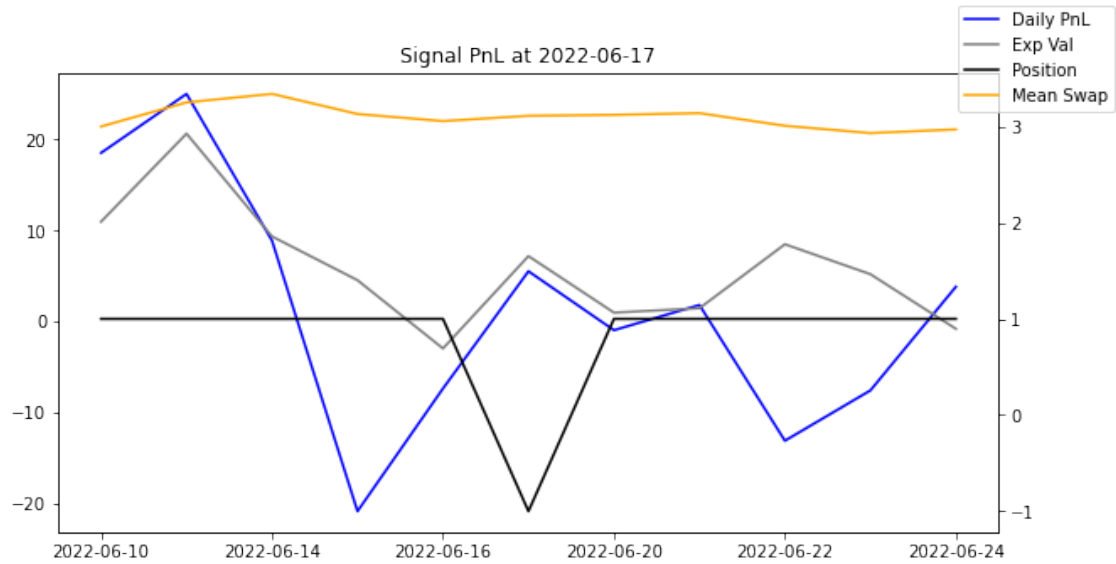
	pnl	mean_swap	position	exp_val
2022-04-21	0.10267	2.65707	1	3.076724
2022-04-22	-0.01885	2.63822	1	0.256691
2022-04-25	-0.06453	2.57369	1	0.528700
2022-04-26	-0.10630	2.46739	1	-0.090780
2022-04-27	0.10570	2.57309	-1	-1.477216
2022-04-28	-0.02567	2.59876	-1	5.738454
2022-04-29	-0.10910	2.70786	1	3.408595
2022-05-02	0.03445	2.74231	1	9.293731
2022-05-03	0.01253	2.75484	1	19.462155
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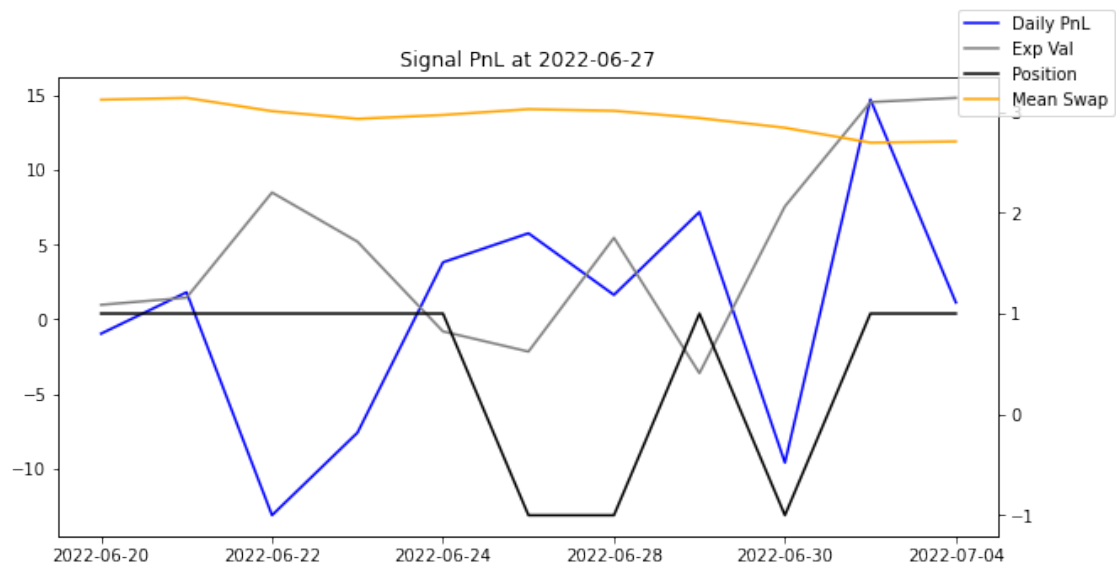
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2022-05-25	-0.00485	2.47346	1	5.337023
2022-05-26	0.01000	2.48346	1	-0.746280
2022-05-27	0.00697	2.49043	-1	5.347120
2022-05-30	-0.00002	2.49045	1	7.398284
2022-05-31	0.08958	2.58003	1	10.295527
2022-06-01	0.07678	2.65681	1	6.198352
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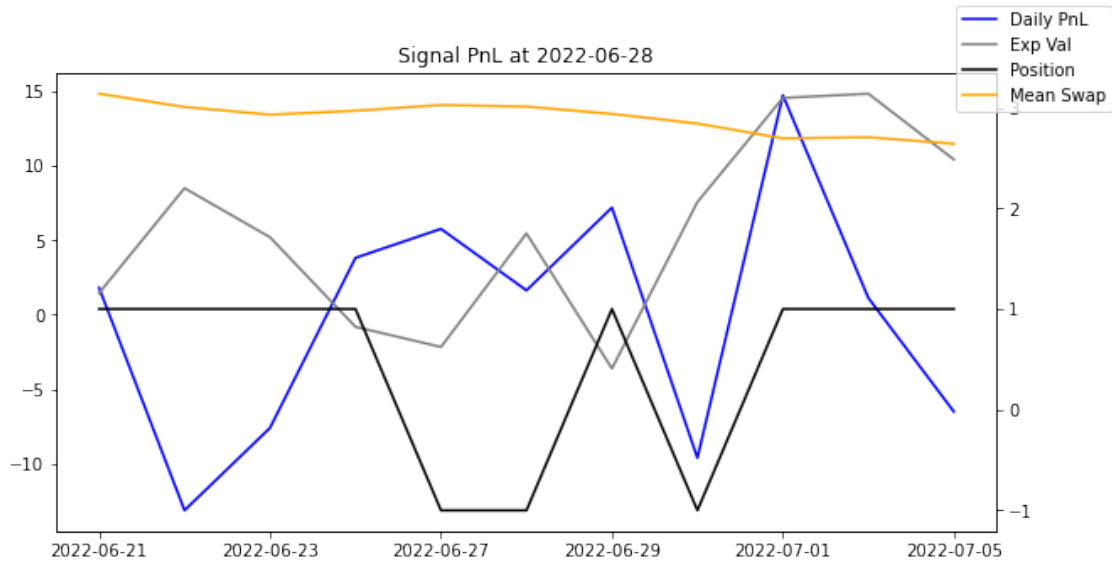
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2022-06-14	0.08884	3.33869	1	9.349077
2022-06-15	-0.20910	3.12959	1	4.530647
2022-06-16	-0.07394	3.05565	1	-2.984454
2022-06-17	0.05515	3.11080	-1	7.185208
2022-06-20	-0.00974	3.12054	1	0.960761
2022-06-21	0.01802	3.13856	1	1.442416
2022-06-22	-0.13145	3.00711	1	8.491379
2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617



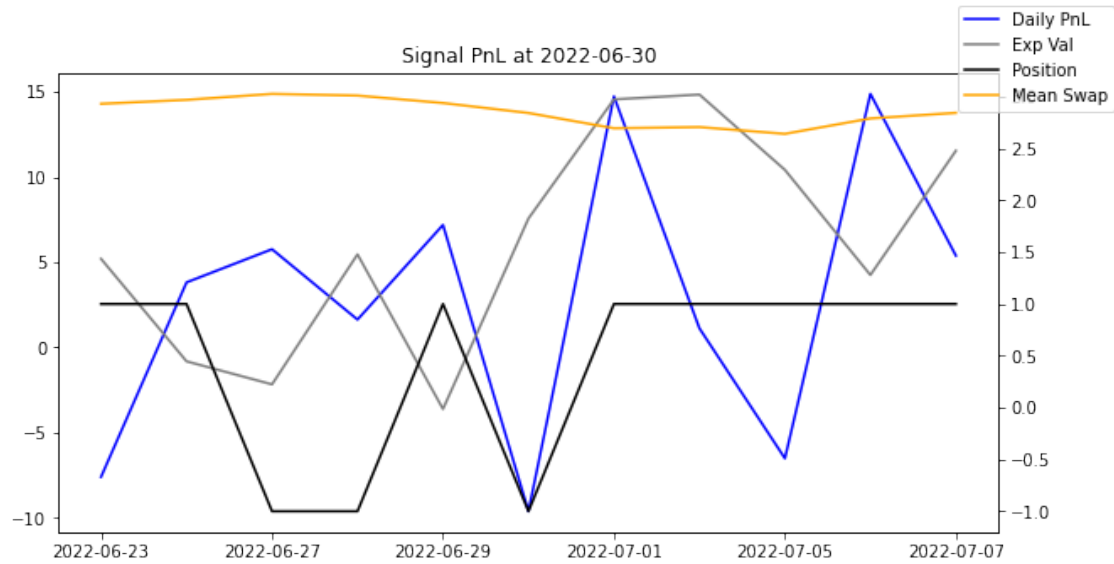
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2022-06-22	-0.13145	3.00711	1	8.491379
2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617
2022-06-27	0.05757	3.02672	-1	-2.175269
2022-06-28	0.01626	3.01046	-1	5.455327
2022-06-29	0.07183	2.93863	1	-3.621882
2022-06-30	-0.09621	2.84242	-1	7.560011
2022-07-01	0.14724	2.69518	1	14.550637
2022-07-04	0.01115	2.70633	1	14.832692



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2022-06-22	-0.13145	3.00711	1	8.491379
2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617
2022-06-27	0.05757	3.02672	-1	-2.175269
2022-06-28	0.01626	3.01046	-1	5.455327
2022-06-29	0.07183	2.93863	1	-3.621882
2022-06-30	-0.09621	2.84242	-1	7.560011
2022-07-01	0.14724	2.69518	1	14.550637
2022-07-04	0.01115	2.70633	1	14.832692
2022-07-05	-0.06518	2.64115	1	10.412682



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2022-06-23	-0.07606	2.93105	1	5.192505
2022-06-24	0.03810	2.96915	1	-0.822617
2022-06-27	0.05757	3.02672	-1	-2.175269
2022-06-28	0.01626	3.01046	-1	5.455327
2022-06-29	0.07183	2.93863	1	-3.621882
2022-06-30	-0.09621	2.84242	-1	7.560011
2022-07-01	0.14724	2.69518	1	14.550637
2022-07-04	0.01115	2.70633	1	14.832692
2022-07-05	-0.06518	2.64115	1	10.412682
2022-07-06	0.14873	2.78988	1	4.242454
2022-07-07	0.05380	2.84368	1	11.535816



8 Results

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[1795]: rec_prob_df.index = pd.to_datetime(rec_prob_df.index)
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[1796]: rec_prob_df_month = rec_prob_df.resample('M').mean()
rec_prob_df_month_std = rec_prob_df.resample('M').std()
rec_prob_df_month['time'] = rec_prob_df_month.index
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[1908]: rec_prob_df_month[['pnl']]
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[1908]:
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	pnl
2021-11-30	-0.032880
2021-12-31	0.080452
2022-01-31	0.188303
2022-02-28	0.068299
2022-03-31	0.355205
2022-04-30	0.152754
2022-05-31	-0.069747
2022-06-30	0.228595
2022-07-31	-0.000406
2022-08-31	0.261360

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[1907]: rec_prob_df_month_std[['pnl']]
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[1907]:
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	pnl
2021-11-30	0.164449
2021-12-31	0.117357


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2022-01-31  0.158898
2022-02-28  0.232051
2022-03-31  0.275474
2022-04-30  0.265297
2022-05-31  0.224846
2022-06-30  0.348432
2022-07-31  0.287125
2022-08-31  0.289670

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[1909]: rec_prob_df_month[['pnl']] / rec_prob_df_month_std[['pnl']]
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[1909]:          pnl
2021-11-30 -0.057718
2021-12-31  0.197897
2022-01-31  0.342095
2022-02-28  0.084965
2022-03-31  0.372228
2022-04-30  0.166215
2022-05-31 -0.089547
2022-06-30  0.189390
2022-07-31 -0.000408
2022-08-31  0.260462

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[1899]: print(f'Mean Daily PnL is {round(rec_prob_df["pnl"].mean(), 4)}')
```

Mean Monthly PnL is 0.0102

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[1903]: print(f'Mean Annual PnL is {round(rec_prob_df["pnl"].mean() * 252, 4)}')
```

Mean Annual PnL is 2.5805

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[1902]: print(f'Std Daily PnL is {round(rec_prob_df["pnl"].std(), 4)}')
```

Std Daily PnL is 0.0701

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[1904]: print(f'Std Annual PnL is {round(rec_prob_df["pnl"].std() * np.sqrt(252), 4)}')
```

Std Annual PnL is 1.1126

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[1905]: print(f'Sharpe Ratio is {round(rec_prob_df["pnl"].mean()*252/ rec_prob_df["pnl"].
→std(), 2) / np.sqrt(252)}')
```

Sharpe Ratio is 2.3194419826999577

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