

# FIN307 MATLAB

FINANICAL TOOLBOX **CHAPTER 1** - Financial Data Analysis (**PART05**)

## Box-Jenkins Methodology



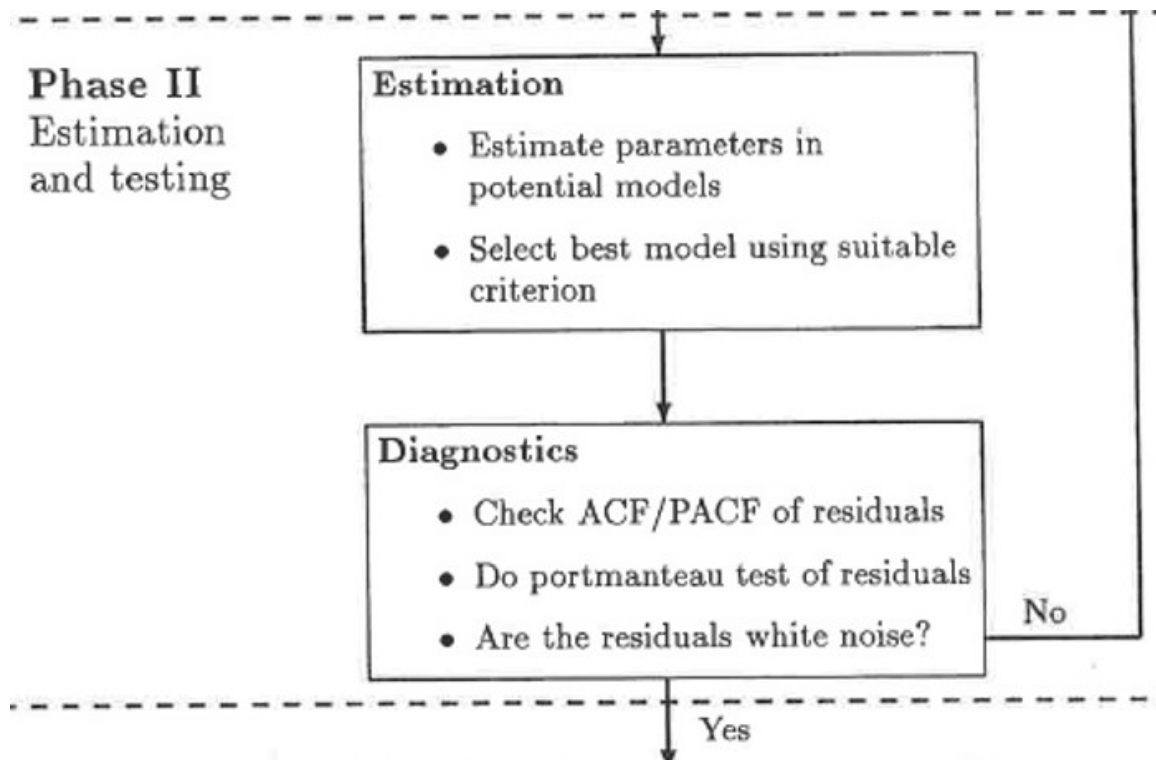
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Return - ARMA  
Volatility - GARCH



**Model Selections:**  
AIC  
BIC



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Return: serial correlation?  
Volatility: ARCH effect?



## *MODEL: what should be included in the models???*

- ▶ Stylized facts: Sharing **non-trivial** statistical properties
- ▶ Such properties, **common** across a wide range of financial instruments



Rama Cont, *Empirical properties of asset returns: Stylized facts and statistical issues*, Quantitative Finance, 1 (2001), pp. 1-14.



not more than 20 words in a slide!!!

## Model should include all Stylized Facts

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1. **Heavy tails:** the (unconditional) distribution of returns seems to display a power-law or Pareto-like tail, with a tail index which is finite, higher than two and less than five for most data sets studied. In particular this excludes stable laws with infinite variance and the normal distribution. However the precise form of the tails is difficult to determine.



2. **Volatility clustering:** different measures of volatility display a positive autocorrelation over several days, which quantifies the fact that high-volatility events tend to cluster in time.



3. **Slow decay of autocorrelation in absolute returns:** the autocorrelation function of absolute returns decays slowly as a function of the time lag, roughly as a power law with an exponent  $\gamma$ . This is sometimes interpreted as a sign of long-range dependence.



4. **Leverage effect:** most measures of volatility of an asset are negatively correlated with the returns of that asset.

## MODELS for Return



Return assumption: normally distributed

$$R_t = \varepsilon_t$$

$$\varepsilon_t = \sigma_t z_t, \quad z_t \sim iid \quad N(0,1)$$

$$R_t = \sigma_t z_t$$



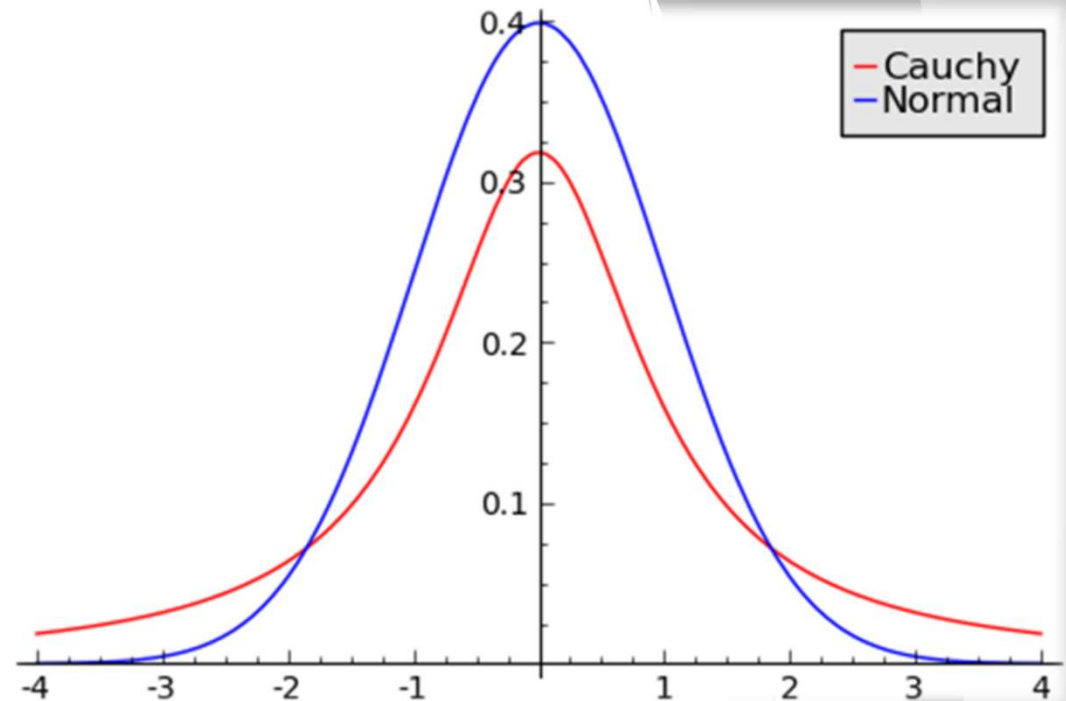
Return assumption: student-t distribution

$$R_t = \varepsilon_t$$

$$\varepsilon_t = \sigma_t T_t, \quad T_t \sim \text{student} - T(\nu), \quad \nu = \text{degree of freedom}$$

$$R_t = \sigma_t T_t$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\nu}{\nu - 2}} \varepsilon_t \sim t_\nu, \quad \nu > 2$$



## MODELS for Return

### ✓ **Autoregressive (AR) Models**

$$\text{AR}(1) \quad R_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 R_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t \quad \text{where } E[\varepsilon_t] = 0, \text{Var}[\varepsilon_t] = \sigma_\varepsilon^2$$

$$\text{AR}(2) \quad R_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 R_{t-1} + \phi_2 R_{t-2} + \varepsilon_t$$

not *independent*  
white noise.

### ✓ **Moving Average (MA) Models**

$$\text{MA}(1) \quad R_t = \theta_0 + \varepsilon_t + \theta_1 \varepsilon_{t-1}$$

where  $\varepsilon_t$  and  $\varepsilon_{t-1}$  are independent of each other and where  $E[\varepsilon_t] = 0$ .

$$\text{MA}(q) \quad R_t = \theta_0 + \theta_1 \varepsilon_{t-1} + \theta_2 \varepsilon_{t-2} + \cdots + \theta_q \varepsilon_{t-q} + \varepsilon_t$$

## ✓ ***Combining AR and MA into ARMA Models***

Parameter parsimony is key in forecasting, and combining AR and MA models into ARMA models often enables us to model dynamics with fewer parameters.

Consider the ARMA(1,1) model, which includes one lag of  $R_t$  and one lag of  $\varepsilon_t$ :

$$R_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 R_{t-1} + \theta_1 \varepsilon_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

The general ARMA( $p, q$ ) model is

$$R_t = \phi_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p \phi_i R_{t-i} + \sum_{i=1}^q \theta_i \varepsilon_{t-i} + \varepsilon_t$$



## MODELS for Volatility

### THE ARCH MODEL

$$ARCH(1): \quad \sigma_{t+1}^2 = \omega + \alpha R_t^2$$

$$ARCH(2): \quad \sigma_{t+1}^2 = \omega + \alpha_1 R_t^2 + \alpha_2 R_{t-1}^2$$

Return assumption:

$$R_t = \varepsilon_t \quad \varepsilon_t = \sigma_t z_t, \quad z_t \sim iid \quad N(0,1)$$

$$R_t = \sigma_t z_t$$

### The GARCH Variance Model

The simplest generalized autoregressive conditional heteroskedasticity (GARCH) model of dynamic variance can be written as

GARCH(1,1)

$$\sigma_{t+1}^2 = \omega + \alpha R_t^2 + \beta \sigma_t^2, \quad \text{with } \alpha + \beta < 1$$

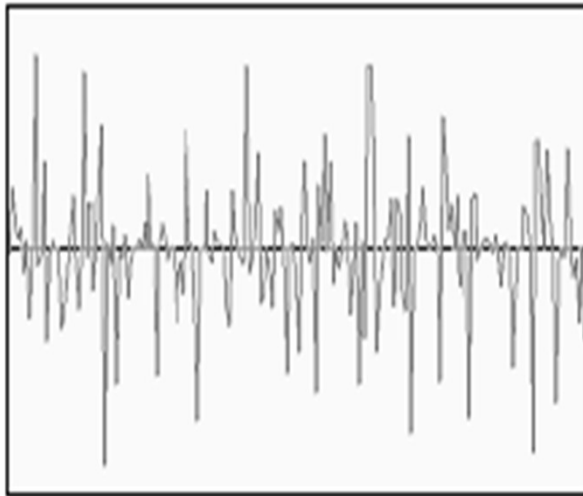
ARCH term

GARCH term



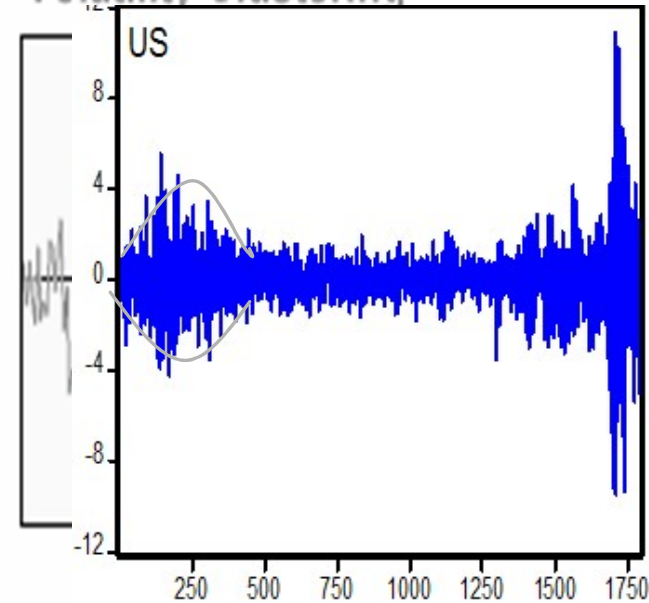
## ✓ GARCH model with clustering volatility

Not Volatility Clustering



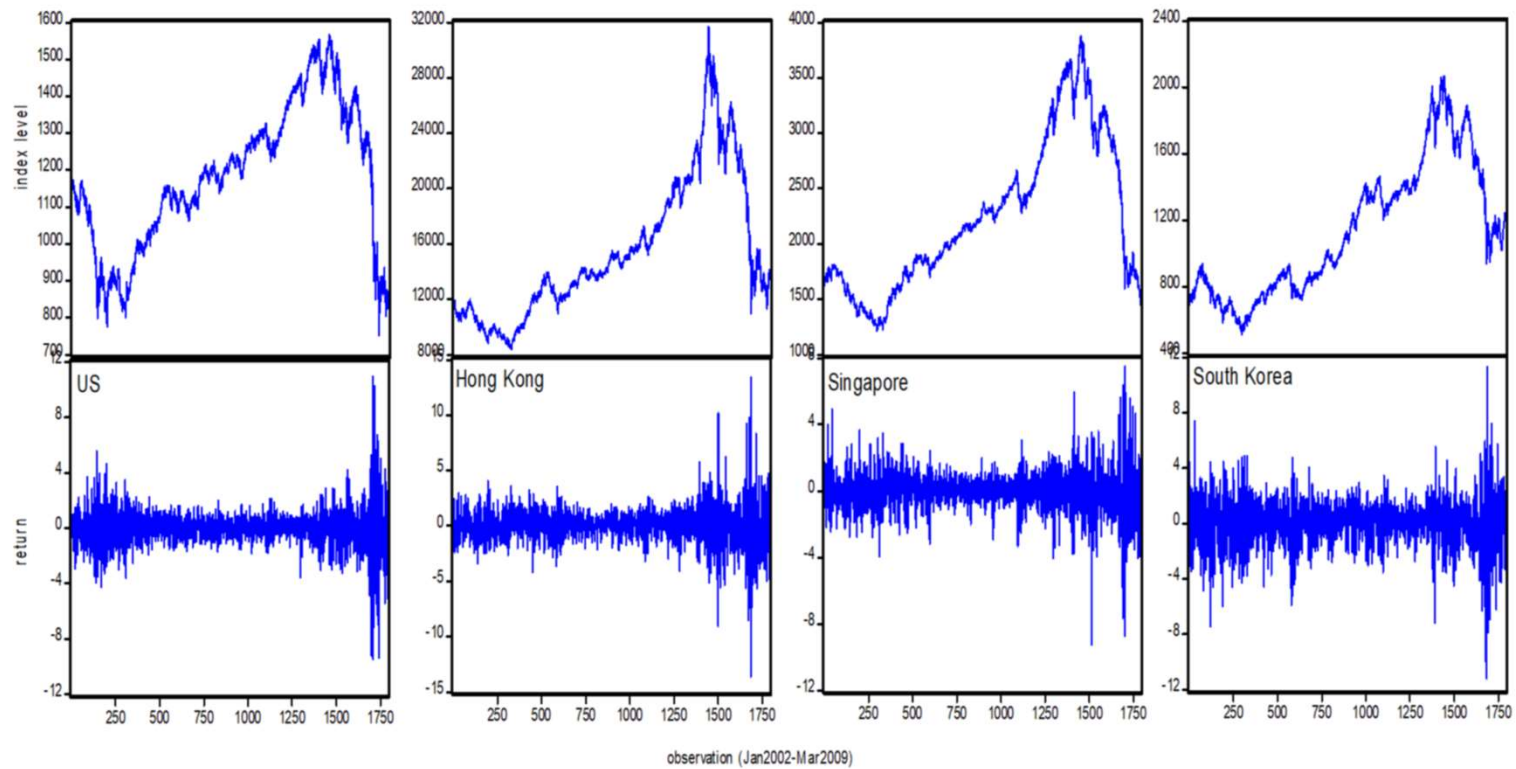
Time

Volatility Clustering



Details: <http://www.riskglossary.com>

# *Global financial markets*



Index level and return series

## Why does volatility change?

- *News Announcements*: The arrival of unanticipated news (or “news surprises”) forces agents to update beliefs. These new beliefs trigger portfolio rebalancing and high periods of volatility correspond to agents dynamically solving for new asset prices. While certain classes of assets have been shown to react to surprises, in particular government bonds and foreign exchange, many appear to be unaffected by even large surprises (see, *inter alia* Engle & Li (1998) and Andersen, Bollerslev, Diebold & Vega (2007)). Additionally, news-induced periods of high volatility are generally short, often on the magnitude of 5 to 30-minutes and the apparent resolution of uncertainty is far too quick to explain the time-variation of volatility seen in asset prices.

Engle, R. F. & Li, L. (1998), Macroeconomic announcements and volatility of treasury futures. UCSD Working Paper No. 97-27.

Andersen, T. G., Bollerslev, T., Diebold, F. X. & Vega, C. (2007), 'Real-time price discovery in global stock, bond and foreign exchange markets', *Journal of International Economics* 73(2), 251 – 277.

Source: Kevin Sheppard. Financial Econometrics Notes

# clustering volatility

Robert Engle

Why is global financial volatility so high?

Putrajaya DEC 8-12, 2008



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.."large shocks 'tend' to be followed by large shocks.."

- ▶ 2003 Nobel Prize in Economics
- ▶ "Autoregressive Conditional Heteroskedasticity With Estimates of the Variance of U.K. Inflation," *Econometrica* 50 (1982): 987-1008.

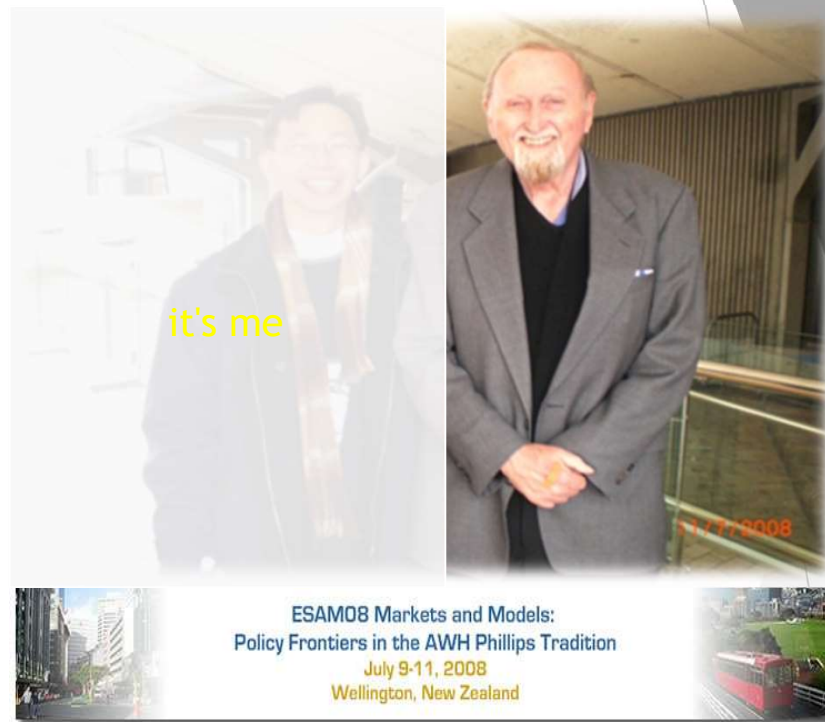


half only...

# Long memory volatility

Clive W.J. Granger

- Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences 2003;



"An introduction to long-memory time series",  
with R. Joyeux, *Journal of Time Series Analysis*,  
1, 1980, 15-30.





## **Clive W.J. Granger**

**Born:** 4 September 1934, Swansea, United Kingdom

**Died:** 27 May 2009, San Diego, CA, USA

**Affiliation at the time of the award:** University of California

**Prize motivation:** "for methods of analyzing economic time series with common trends (cointegration)"

**Field:** Econometrics

## ✓ Combination ARMA(r,s)-GARCH(p,q) model

we defined the daily asset log return,  $R_{t+1}$ , using the daily closing price,  $S_{t+1}$ , as

$$R_{t+1} \equiv \ln(S_{t+1}/S_t)$$

### Example: ARMA(1,1)-GARCH(1,1) normal model

Given the assumptions made, we can write the daily return as

$$R_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 R_{t-1} + \theta_1 \varepsilon_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

$$\varepsilon_t = \sigma_t z_t \quad z_t \sim i.i.d. \quad N(0,1)$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \omega + \alpha \varepsilon_{t-1}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-1}^2$$

Return assumption:

$$R_t = \varepsilon_t \quad \varepsilon_t = \sigma_t z_t, \quad z_t \sim i.i.d. \quad N(0,1)$$

$$R_t = \sigma_t z_t$$





1. Construct an ARMA-GARCH normal model
2. Construct an ARMA-GARCH student-t model

**Matlab function: `arima( )`, `estimate( )`, `garch( )`**



## Estimations

Recall our assumption that

$$R_t = \sigma_t z_t, \quad \text{with } z_t \sim \text{i.i.d. } N(0, 1)$$

The assumption of i.i.d. normality implies that the probability, or the likelihood,  $l_t$ , of  $R_t$  is

$$l_t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_t^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{R_t^2}{2\sigma_t^2}\right)$$

and thus the joint likelihood of our entire sample is

$$L = \prod_{t=1}^T l_t = \prod_{t=1}^T \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_t^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{R_t^2}{2\sigma_t^2}\right)$$

A natural way to choose parameters to fit the data is then to maximize the joint likelihood of our observed sample. Recall that maximizing the logarithm of a function is equivalent to maximizing the function itself since the logarithm is a monotone, increasing function. Maximizing the logarithm is convenient because it replaces products with sums. Thus, we choose parameters  $(\alpha, \beta, \dots)$ , which solve

$$\text{Max} \ln L = \text{Max} \sum_{t=1}^T \ln(l_t) = \text{Max} \sum_{t=1}^T \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \ln(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(\sigma_t^2) - \frac{1}{2} \frac{R_t^2}{\sigma_t^2} \right]$$

## Extensions to the GARCH Model

### ✓ *The Leverage Effect*

We argued that a negative return increases variance by more than a positive return of the same magnitude. This was referred to as the leverage effect, as a negative return on a stock implies a drop in the equity value, which implies that the company becomes more highly levered and thus more risky (assuming the level of debt stays constant).

capturing the leverage effect is to define an indicator variable,  $I_t$ , to take on the value 1 if day  $t$ 's return is negative and zero otherwise.

$$I_t = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } R_t < 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } R_t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

The variance dynamics can now be specified as

$$\sigma_{t+1}^2 = \omega + \alpha R_t^2 + \alpha \theta I_t R_t^2 + \beta \sigma_t^2$$

Thus, a  $\theta$  larger than zero will capture the leverage effect. This is sometimes referred to as the GJR-GARCH model.

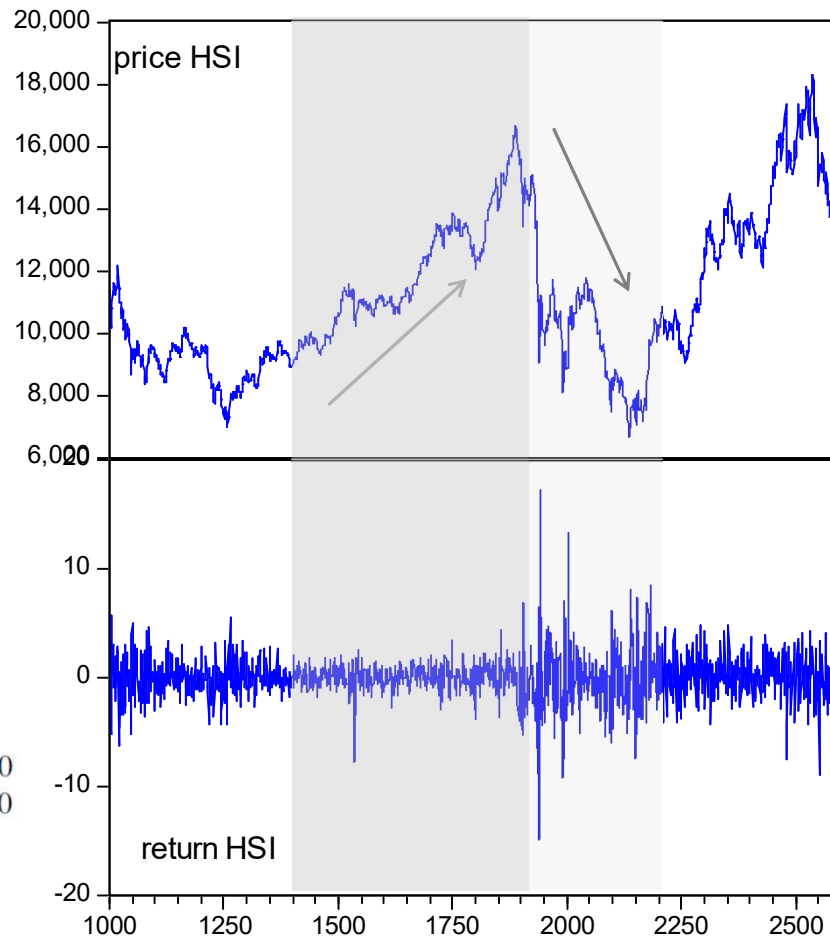
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## GARCH model with leverage effect



$$R_t = \varepsilon_t$$

$$I_t = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } R_t < 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } R_t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

- ▶ “**Bad news**” tends to increase future market volatility more than “**good news**” at the same magnitude;

News  $\leftrightarrow$  Volatility  $\leftrightarrow$  Risk

Debt-Equity ratio



## ARMA-GARCH model summary:

The following are so-called “stylized features” associated with observed time series of financial returns:

- (i) the marginal distributions have heavy tails,
- (ii) there is persistence of volatility,
- (iii) the returns exhibit aggregational Gaussianity,
- (iv) there is asymmetry with respect to negative and positive disturbances and

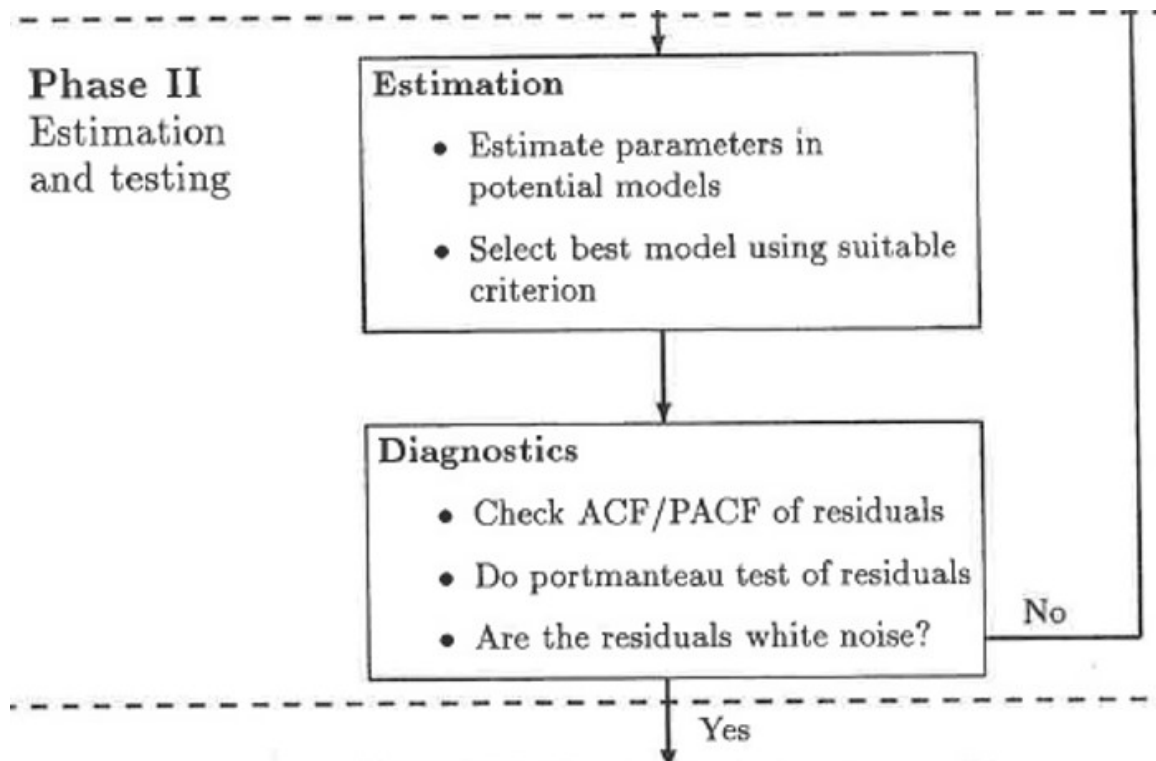


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- ✓ 3. Construct an ARMA-GJR model

**Matlab function: `arima( )`, `estimate( )`, `gjr( )`,**



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## ✓ Model selections using information criteria

$$\text{Max} \sum_{t=1}^T \ln(l_t) = \text{Max} \sum_{t=1}^T \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \ln(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(\sigma_t^2) - \frac{1}{2} \frac{R_t^2}{\sigma_t^2} \right]$$

### ✓ Akaike Information Criterion

A model fit statistic considers goodness-of-fit and parsimony. Select models that minimize AIC.

When comparing multiple model fits, additional model parameters often yield larger, optimized loglikelihood values. Unlike the optimized loglikelihood value, AIC penalizes for more complex models, i.e., models with additional parameters.

The formula for AIC, which provides insight into its relationship to the optimized loglikelihood and its penalty for complexity, is:

$$aic = -2(\log L) + 2(\text{numParam}).$$

### ✓ Bayesian Information Criterion

A model fit statistic considers goodness-of-fit and parsimony. Select models that minimize BIC.

Like AIC, BIC uses the optimal loglikelihood function value and penalizes for more complex models, i.e., models with additional parameters. The penalty of BIC is a function of the sample size, and so is typically more severe than that of AIC.

The formula for BIC is:

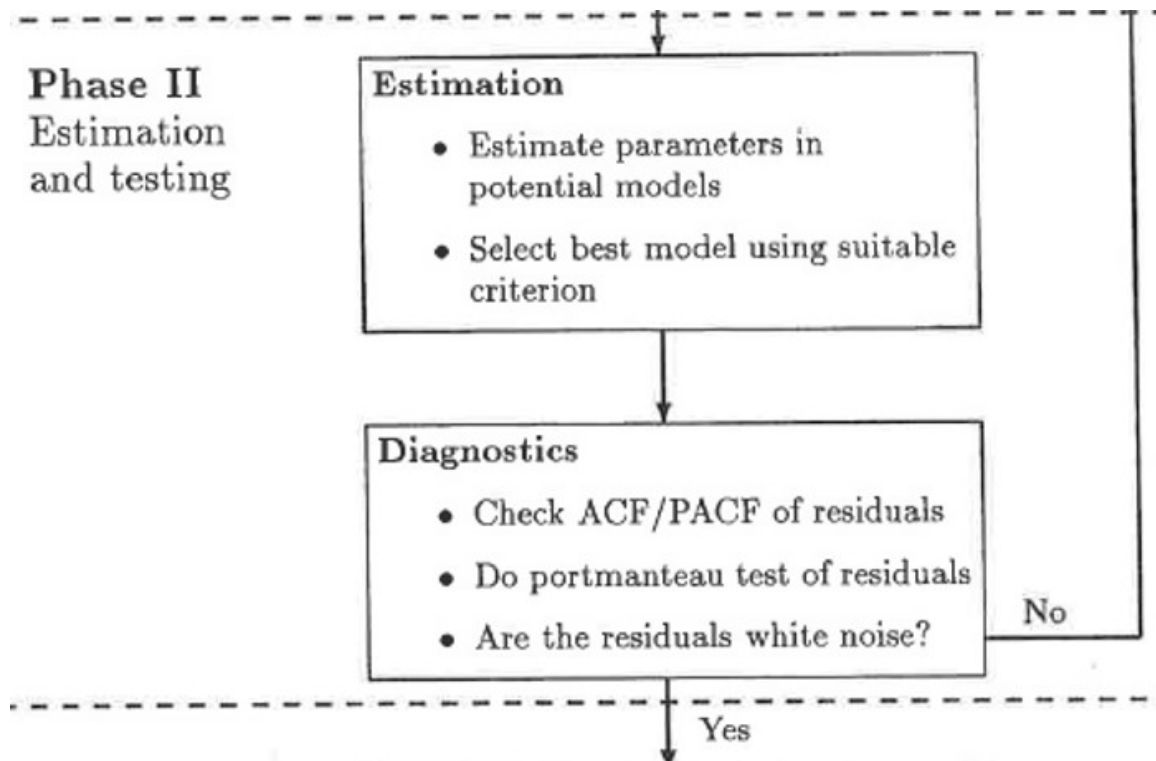
$$bic = -2(\log L) + \text{numParam} * \log(\text{numObs}).$$



**Compare the Model Fits.**

```
[resT,vT,logLT] = infer(EstMdlT,r);  
[aic,bic] = aicbic([logL,logLT],[5,6],T)
```

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## Example: return with GARCH(1,1) normal model

Given the assumptions made, we can write the daily return as

$$R_t = \varepsilon_t \quad R_t = \varepsilon_t = \text{residual}$$

$$\varepsilon_t = \sigma_t z_t \quad z_t \sim i.i.d. \quad N(0,1)$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \omega + \alpha \varepsilon_{t-1}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-1}^2$$



Conduct the Ljung-Box Q-test for autocorrelation at lags 5, 10, and 15.

```
[h,p,Qstat,crit] = lbqtest(Y,'Lags',[5,10,15])
```

## Diagnostic

**Residual:**  $\varepsilon_t = \sigma_t z_t$

**Standardized residual:**  $\tilde{\varepsilon}_t = \frac{\varepsilon_t}{\sigma_t} \sim z_t \quad z_t \sim iid \quad N(0,1)$

**Standardized residual-squared:**  $\tilde{\varepsilon}_t^2 = \left( \frac{\varepsilon_t}{\sigma_t} \right)^2$

```
[h,pValue,stat,cValue] = archtest(res)
[h,pValue,stat,cValue] = archtest(res,param1,val1,param2,val2,...)
```

**Return with no serial correlation?**

**Volatility with no ARCH effect?**



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# Forecasting

MA(1) model  $X_t = Z_t + \theta Z_{t-1}$ , where  $Z_t \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$

information known can thus be written as:  $I_T = \{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_T; Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_T\}$

$$X_{T+1} = Z_{T+1} + \theta Z_T$$

One-period ahead forecast:

$$\begin{aligned} X_{T+1,T} &= E(X_{T+1} | I_T) = E(Z_{T+1} + \theta Z_T | I_T) \\ &= E(Z_{T+1} | I_T) + \theta E(Z_T | I_T) \\ &= E(Z_{T+1}) + \theta E(Z_T | Z_T) \\ &= 0 + \theta Z_T = \theta Z_T \end{aligned}$$

## Two-periods ahead forecast:

$$\begin{aligned}X_{T+2,T} &= E(X_{T+2}|I_T) \\&= E(Z_{T+2} + \theta Z_{T+1}|I_T) \\&= E(Z_{T+2}|I_T) + \theta E(Z_{T+1}|I_T) \\&= 0 + \theta * 0 = 0\end{aligned}$$

The MA(1) process is not forecastable for more than one period ahead (apart from the unconditional mean).



## Forecast in AR(1)

Given  $I_T = \{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_T; Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_T\}$

$X_t = \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t$ , where  $Z_t \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$

$$X_{T+1} = \phi X_T + Z_{T+1}$$

given data  $I_T$ , the one period ahead forecast is

$$\begin{aligned} X_{T+1,T} &= E(X_{T+1} | I_T) = E(\phi X_T + Z_{T+1} | I_T) \\ &= E(\phi X_T | I_T) + E(Z_{T+1} | I_T) \\ &= \phi X_T + 0 \\ &= \phi X_T \end{aligned}$$



## Two Periods Ahead Forecast

$$X_{T+2} = \phi X_{T+1} + Z_{T+2}$$

$$X_{T+1} = \phi X_T + Z_{T+1}$$

$$X_{T+2} = \phi(\phi X_T + Z_{T+1}) + Z_{T+2}$$

$$X_{T+2} = \phi^2 X_T + \phi Z_{T+1} + Z_{T+2}$$

$$X_{T+2,T} = E(X_{T+2} | I_T)$$

$$= E(\phi^2 X_T + \phi Z_{T+1} + Z_{T+2} | I_T)$$

$$= \phi^2 X_T + \phi 0 + 0 = \phi^2 X_T$$

## K Periods Ahead Forecast

$$X_{T+k} = \phi^k X_T + \phi^{k-1} Z_{T+1} + \dots + \phi Z_{T+k-1} + Z_{T+k}$$

$$X_{T+k,T} = E(X_{T+k} | I_T) = \phi^k X_T$$

Consider the GARCH(1, 1) model  $\sigma_{h+1}^2 = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 a_h^2 + \beta_1 \sigma_h^2$ ,

1-step ahead forecast  $\sigma_h^2(1) = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 a_h^2 + \beta_1 \sigma_h^2$ .

use  $a_t^2 = \sigma_t^2 \epsilon_t^2$   $\sigma_{t+1}^2 = \alpha_0 + (\alpha_1 + \beta_1) \sigma_t^2 + \alpha_1 \sigma_t^2 (\epsilon_t^2 - 1)$ .

$t = h + 1$ ,  $\sigma_{h+2}^2 = \alpha_0 + (\alpha_1 + \beta_1) \sigma_{h+1}^2 + \alpha_1 \sigma_{h+1}^2 (\epsilon_{h+1}^2 - 1)$ .

2-step ahead volatility forecast

$E(\epsilon_{h+1}^2 - 1 \mid F_h) = 0$ ,  $\sigma_h^2(2) = \alpha_0 + (\alpha_1 + \beta_1) \sigma_h^2(1)$ .

In general,  $\sigma_h^2(\ell) = \alpha_0 + (\alpha_1 + \beta_1) \sigma_h^2(\ell - 1)$ ,  $\ell > 1$ .



## Forecast an ARMA-GARCH normal model

**Matlab function: infer(), forecast()**



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