

## Graphical Methods

### Histograms

- Histograms can be produced using `hist`.
- A basic histogram produced using the code below is presented below.
- This example sets the number of bins used in producing the histogram using the keyword argument `bins`.

### Adding a Title and Legend

Titles are added with `title` and legends are added with `legend`. `legend` requires that lines have labels, which is why 3 calls are made to `plot` – each series has its own label.

```
x = cumsum(randn(100,3), axis = 0)

plot(x[:,0], 'b', label = 'Series 1')
hold(True)
plot(x[:,1], 'g.', label = 'Series 2')
plot(x[:,2], 'r:', label = 'Series 3')

legend()
title('Basic Legend')
```

- `legend` takes keyword arguments which can be used to change its location (`loc` and an integer, see the docstring), remove the frame (`frameon`) and add a title to the legend box (`title`).
- The output of a simple example using these options is presented in panel (b).

```
plot(x[:,0], 'b',
label = 'Series 1')
hold(True)
plot(x[:,1], 'g.', label = 'Series 2')
plot(x[:,2], 'r:', label = 'Series 3')
legend(loc = 0, frameon = False, title = 'The Legend')
title('Improved Legend')
```

## 0.1 Plotting

```
close_px.plot(label='AAPL')  
mavg.plot(label='mavg')  
plt.legend()
```