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Formulas and figures in this presentation refer to the book **Risk and Asset Allocation**, Springer.

The notation, say, (5.24) refers to Formula 24 in Chapter 5 of the book

The notation, say, (T4.12) refers to Formula 12 in the Technical Appendices for Chapter 4, which can be downloaded from www.symmys.com

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sample-based allocation

$\alpha_s = [\operatorname{diag} (p_T)]^{-1} \widehat{\Sigma}^{-1} \left(\zeta \widehat{\mu} + \frac{w_T - \zeta \mathbf{1}' \widehat{\Sigma}^{-1} \widehat{\mu}}{\mathbf{1}' \widehat{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{1}} \mathbf{1} \right)$

(8.82)

$\alpha (\boldsymbol{\theta}) \equiv \operatorname{argmax}_{\alpha \in \mathcal{C}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} \{S_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} (\alpha)\}$ (8.30)

$\overline{S} (\boldsymbol{\theta}) \equiv S_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} (\alpha (\boldsymbol{\theta})) \equiv \max_{\alpha \in \mathcal{C}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} \{S_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} (\alpha)\}$ (8.31)



$\operatorname{OC}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} (\alpha) \equiv \overline{S} (\boldsymbol{\theta}) - S_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} (\alpha)$ (8.37)

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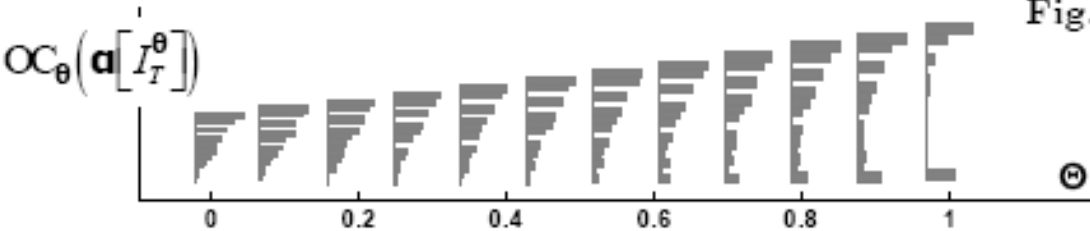
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$$\Xi(\rho) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \rho & \cdots & \rho \\ \rho & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \rho \\ \rho & \cdots & \rho & 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{8.58}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{\text{diag}(\Sigma(\rho))} &\equiv (1 + \xi \rho) \mathbf{v} \\ \mu &\equiv p \sqrt{\text{diag}(\Sigma(\rho))} \end{aligned} \tag{8.59}$$

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