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ABSTRACT

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We will study non parametric estimator Floren Zmirou in local real time on compact domain with stochastic differential equation which has unknown drift and diffusion coeificents. Once we will have volatility from floren zmirou. We will obtain volatility funtion then we will interpolate with cubic spline to see the behavior of the function.

Chapter 1

Numerical Solution, Conclusion and Future Work

Since we have done lot of good work, now it is the time to check the implementation. We will provide examples which will give better understanding for our problem. Numberical Solutions using implementation

1.1 Example 1

• Ticker: MWI Veterinary Supply Inc

• D: 05/16/2014

• T: 60 seconds

1.1.1 Stock Class

We are using NASD. We download information from following website. Figure 1.1 shows stock prices vs. time in seconds.

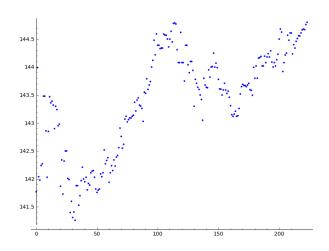


Figure 1.1: Stock Prices vs. Time

Now we have stock prices for MWI Veterinary. We will use Floren Zmirou estimator to see the volatility of stock prices.

1.1.2 Floren Zmirou Estimation

$$S_n(x) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{|S_{t_i} - x| < h_n\}} n(S_{t_i+1} - S_{t_i})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{|S_{t_i} - x| < h_n\}}}$$
(1.1)

| Usable Grid Points | Estimated Sigma Zmirou | Number of Points |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 141.842890874 | 1897.69862662 | 50 |
| 144.17445437 | 290.806107556 | 108 |
| 143.008672622 | 464.127160557 | 60 |

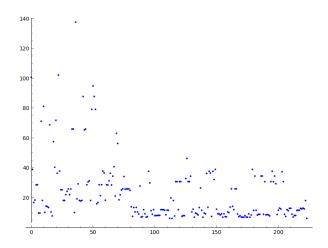


Figure 1.2: Stock Prices vs.Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation Figure 1.2 shows volatility vs. stock prices. There are Floren Zmirou's estimated sigma values for usable grid points and number of points in each usable grid point. Next we used Cubic spline to connect Floren Zmirou's sigma points.

1.1.3 Cublic Spline

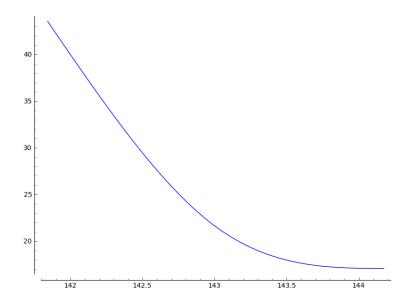


Figure 1.3: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Variance Cubic Spline

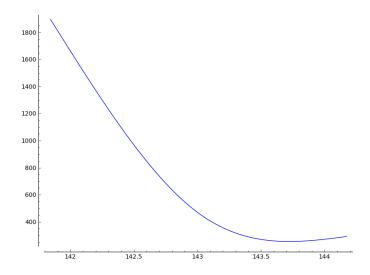


Figure 1.4: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs.Standard Deviation Cubic Spline

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1.2 Example 2

• Ticker: GOOGLE Inc.

• D: 05/16/2014

• T: 60 seconds

1.2.1 Stock Class

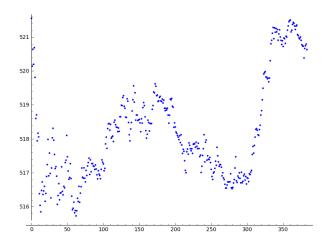


Figure 1.5: Stock Prices vs. Time

1.2.2 Floren Zmirou Class

| Usable Grid Points | Estimated Sigma Zmirou | Number of Points |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 516.530717358 | 1457.28946616 | 139 |
| 519.733586789 | 1665.54754231 | 49 |
| 518.132152074 | 1599.68642575 | 143 |
| 521.335021505 | 927.719546048 | 53 |

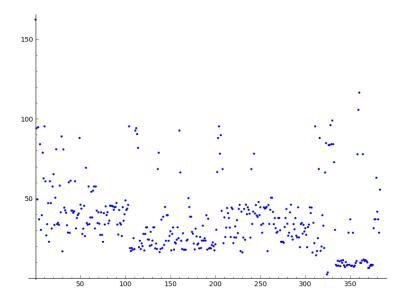


Figure 1.6: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Stock Prices

1.2.3 Cublic Spline

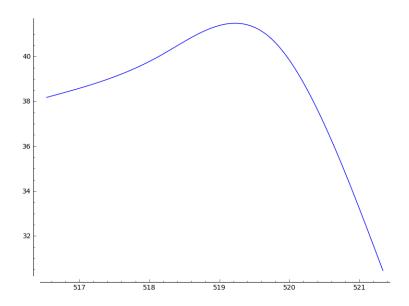


Figure 1.7: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Variance Cubic Spline

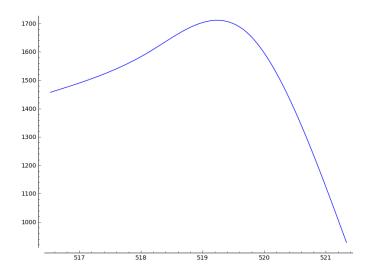


Figure 1.8: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs.Standard Deviation Cubic Spline

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1.3 Example 3

• Ticker: **APPLE Inc.**

• D: 05/21/2014

• T: 60 seconds

1.3.1 Stock Class

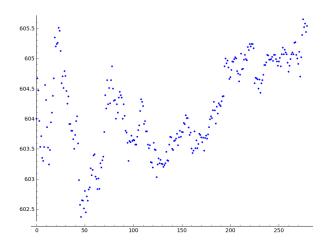


Figure 1.9: Stock Prices vs. Time

1.3.2 Floren Zmirou Estimation

$$S_n(x) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{|S_{t_i} - x| < h_n\}} n(S_{t_i+1} - S_{t_i})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{|S_{t_i} - x| < h_n\}}}$$
(1.2)

| Usable Grid Points | Estimated Sigma Zmirou | Number of Points |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 602.871457276 | 138.351149247 | 42 |
| 603.874371827 | 245.251175157 | 125 |
| 604.877286378 | 102.97102087 | 104 |

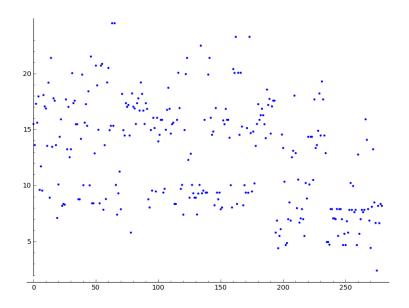
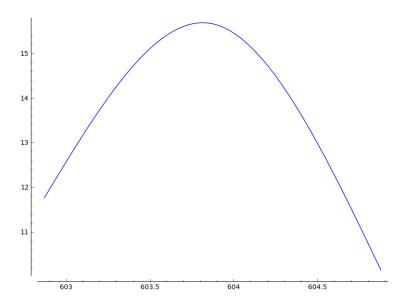
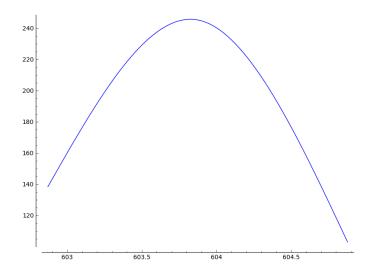


Figure 1.10: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Stock Prices

1.3.3 Cublic Spline



Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Variance Cubic Spline



Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Standard Deviation Cubic Spline
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1.4 Example 4

• Ticker: GROUPON Inc.

• D: 05/21/2014

• T:60 seconds

1.4.1 Stock Class

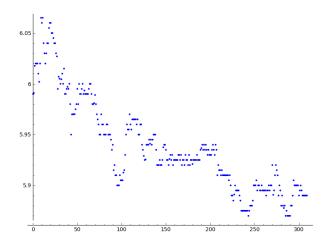


Figure 1.11: Stock Prices vs. Time

1.4.2 Floren Zmirou Estimation

$$S_n(x) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{|S_{t_i} - x| < h_n\}} n(S_{t_i+1} - S_{t_i})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n 1_{\{|S_{t_i} - x| < h_n\}}}$$
(1.3)

| Usable Grid Points | Estimated Sigma Zmirou | Number of Points |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| 5.89881248479 | 0.000174386207801 | 154 |
| 5.95643745436 | 0.000631006527365 | 97 |
| 6.01406242393 | 0.00213227912639 | 50 |

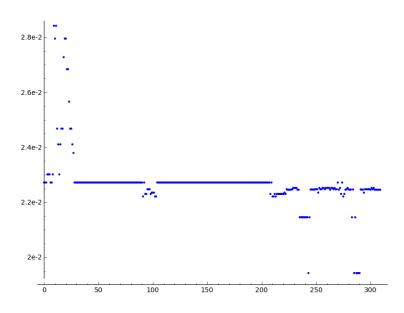


Figure 1.12: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Stock Prices

1.4.3 Cublic Spline

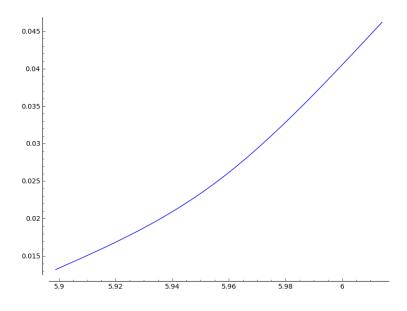


Figure 1.13: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs. Variance Cubic Spline

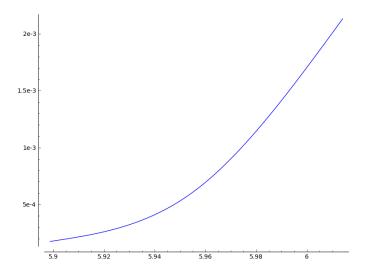


Figure 1.14: Floren Zmirou Standard Deviation Estimation vs.Standard Deviation Cubic Spline