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CHAPTER 1: Interests

▪ Simple Interest:

$$A = P + Prt = P(1 + rt)$$

A: Accumulated value

P: Principal

r: nominal interest rate

t: duration in years

EXAMPLE

Given :

$$P = 1000$$

$$r = 5\% = .05$$

$$t = 18 \text{ months} = 18/12 = 1.5 \text{ years}$$

$$A = 1000(1 + (.05)(1.5))$$

$$A = \$1075$$

▪ Compound Interest:

$$A = P(1 + r)^t$$

A: Accumulated value

P: Principal

r: nominal interest rate

t: duration in years

EXAMPLE

$$P = 1000$$

$$r = 5\% = .05$$

$$t = 18 \text{ months} = 18/12 = 1.5 \text{ years}$$

$$A = 1000(1 + .05)^{1.5}$$

$$A = 1075.93$$

t	A
0	P

1	$A_1 = P(1 + r)^1$
2	$A_2 = P(1 + r)^2 = A_1(1 + r)$
3	$A_3 = A_2(1 + r)$

▪ **Periodic Compounding:**

$$A = P\left(1 + \frac{r^{(m)}}{m}\right)^{m \cdot t} = P(1 + j_{(m)})^n$$

m : Compound frequency

$r^{(m)}$: Nominal yearly rate

$j_{(m)} = \frac{r^{(m)}}{m}$: Rate-per-period

n=m.t : number of periods

EXAMPLE:

$$P = 1000$$

$$r = 5\%$$

$$m = 12(\text{monthly})$$

$$t = 3 \text{ years}$$

$$A = 1000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{12}\right)^{12(3)}$$

$$A = 1161.49$$

Quarterly:

$$A = 1000 \left(1 + \frac{.05}{4}\right)^{4(3)}$$

$$A = \$1160.75$$

Note: Monthly gives more interest as compared to quarterly.

▪ **EQUIVALENT RATES**

Two nominal rates $r^{(m)}, r^{(p)}$ are 'equivalent' if they generate the same accumulated values, over 1 year

$$P\left(1 + \frac{r^{(m)}}{m}\right)^{m \cdot t} = P\left(1 + \frac{r^{(p)}}{p}\right)^{p \cdot t}$$

$$\left(1 + \frac{r^{(m)}}{m}\right)^m = \left(1 + \frac{r^{(p)}}{p}\right)^p$$

▪ **Effective Annualized Rate(EAR):**

EAR is defined as

$$1 + EAR = \left(1 + \frac{r^{(m)}}{m}\right)^m$$

EXAMPLE:

(a) Given $r^{(12)} = .05$; $EAR = \left(1 + \frac{.05}{12}\right)^{12} - 1 = .05116$

(b) Given $EAR = .05$; $1 + .05 = \left(1 + \frac{r^{(12)}}{12}\right)^{12}$; $\frac{r^{(12)}}{12} = (1 + .05)^{\frac{1}{12}} - 1 = .00407$; $r^{(12)} = 12(.00407) = .04889$

Note: EAR Is larger or equal to nominal rates.

▪ **Continuous Compounding**

$$A = Pe^{rt}$$

r: nominal rate

EXAMPLE:

$$P = 1000;$$

$$r = .05$$

$$t = 5 \text{ yrs}$$

$$A = 1000e^{(.05)(5)} = 1284.03$$

CHAPTER 2: ANNUITIES

- **Annuity:** a string of payments (mostly fixed)
- **Annuity - Immediate:** n payments, each made at the end of period
- **Annuity-Due:** n payments, each made at the beginning of period

PV : Present value

FV : Future value

CF : Cash flow

▪ **Annuity-Immediate Present Value**

$PV = CF a_{n,i}$, where

$$a_{n,i} = \frac{1 - v^n}{i} = \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-n}}{i}$$

▪ **Annuity-Immediate Future Value**

$FV = CV s_{n,i}$, where

$$s_{n,i} = \frac{(1 + i)^n - 1}{i}$$

▪ **Annuity-Due Present Value**

$PV = CF \ddot{a}_{n,i}$, where

$$\ddot{a}_{n,i} = \frac{1 - v^n}{d} = \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-n}}{d}$$

▪ **Annuity-Due Future Value**

$FV = CF \ddot{s}_{n,i}$

$$\ddot{s}_{n,i} = \frac{(1 + i)^n - 1}{d}$$

$$i = \frac{j_{(m)}}{m} = \text{rate} - \text{per} - \text{period}$$

$$n = mt = \text{number of periods}$$

$$v^n = (1 + i)^{-n}$$

$$d = \frac{i}{1+i}$$

EXAMPLE:

(a) Retirement payments of \$1,000 is paid to you for 10 years with a rate-per-period of 5% and compounded monthly. Find the annuity-immediate present value and its future value.

Answer: The number of periods is $n = 10 \times 12 = 120$ and the yield rate is $i = j_{(12)} = \frac{r^{(12)}}{12} = \frac{.05}{12} = .0042$.

The annuity-immediate PV is $a_{120-.0042} = \$1,000 \left[\frac{1-(1+.0042)^{-120}}{.0042} \right] = \$94,107.78$.

You must have this amount at this current time for those payments.

(b) Suppose payments of \$1,000 are paid into a retirement account for 10 years, with a rate-per-period of 5% and compounded monthly. Find the annuity-immediate future value.

ANS: The annuity-immediate future value is $FV = CF \cdot s_{120-.0042} = \$1,000 \times \left[\frac{(1+.0042)^{120}-1}{.0042} \right] = \$138,873.82$.

You will have \$138,873.82 In 10 years.

NOTE: As interest rate is increasing, the present value decreases.

CHAPTER 3: STOCK PRICES AND RETURNS

3.1 Returns and Log-returns

- **Returns**

$P(t)$: price at time t t :discrete= $0,1,2,3,\dots$

$$\text{Return: } R(t) = \frac{P(t) - P(t-1)}{P(t-1)} = \frac{P(t)}{P(t-1)} - 1$$

$$\frac{P(t)}{P(t-1)} = 1 + R(t) \quad (1)$$

$$P(t) = P(t-1)(1 + R(t)) = \dots =$$

$$P(t) = P(0)(1 + R(1))(1 + R(2)) \dots (1 + R(t))$$

Another notation (2)

$$P(t) = P(0) \prod_{i=1}^t (1 + R(i))$$

- **Log-returns**

From (1)

$$\ln(P(t)) - \ln(P(t-1)) = \ln(1 + R(t))$$

Define log-return: $r(t) = \ln(1 + R(t))$

$$\ln(P(t)) - \ln(P(t-1)) = r(t)$$

From (2)

$$\ln(P(t)) = \ln P(0) + \sum_{i=1}^t r(i)$$

NOTE:

(i) Returns and log-returns are used Interchangeable

(ii) If $R(t)$ Is small (≈ 0) then $R(t) \approx r(t)$

3.2 Weakly stationary

Weakly stationary

$Y(t), t = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ Is a time-series

(1) Mean function: $\mu(t) = E[Y(t)] = \frac{\sum^t Y(i)}{t}$

(2) Variance function: $\sigma^2(t) = Var[Y(t)] = \frac{\sum^t (Y(i) - \mu(t))^2}{t-1}$

(3) Auto-Covariance: $\gamma(t, s) = cov(Y(t), Y(s))$

(4) Auto-Correlation: $\rho(t, s) = \frac{cov(t, s)}{\sqrt{Var(Y_t)} * \sqrt{Var(Y_s)}}$

Time series $\{Y(t), t = 1, 2, \dots\}$ is **weakly stationary** if

(1) $E[Y(t)] = \mu$

(2) $Var[Y(t)] = \sigma^2$

(3) $cov(Y_t, Y_s) = \gamma(|t - s|), \text{ any } s, t$

(4) $cor(Y_t, Y_s) = \rho(|t - s|), \text{ any } s, t$

Note: Most Financial time series fail to be weakly stationary. Other models must be explored.

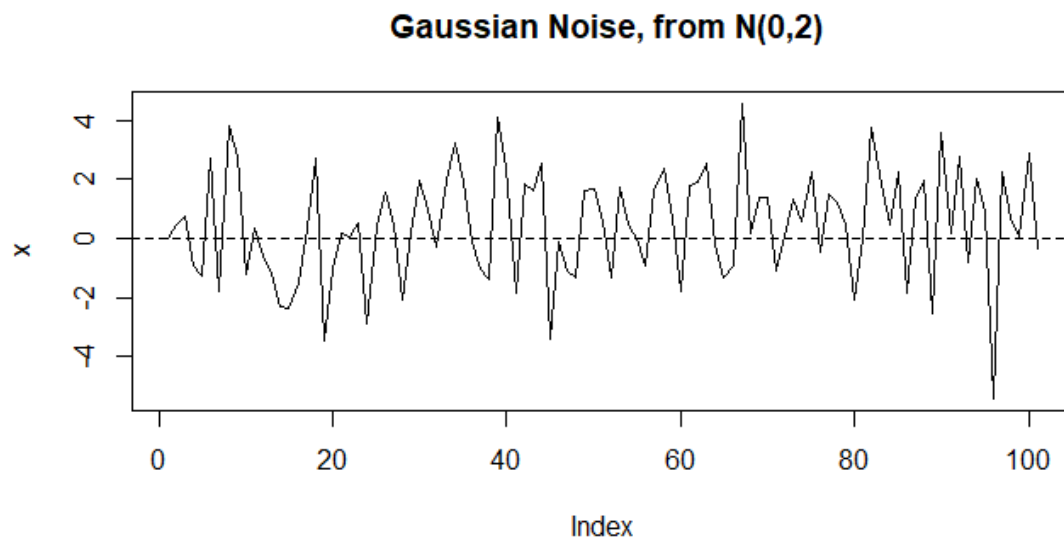
3.3 : NOISE, RANDOM WALK, WIENER PROCESS, GENERALIZED WIENER PROCESS.

Noise: $Z(t)$ is called a Noise if:

(1) $E[Z(t)] = 0$

(2) $Var[Z(t)] = \sigma^2$

(3) $cov(Z(s), Z(t)) = 0$ [uncorrelated]



```
x <- c(0, rnorm(99, 0,2)) # this Noise starts at 0. x(0)=0
plot(x, type="l", main="Gaussian noise, N(0,2)")
```

REMARK: Noise Is Weakly stationary, by definition

Random Walk:

$Y(t)$ is a Random Walk if:

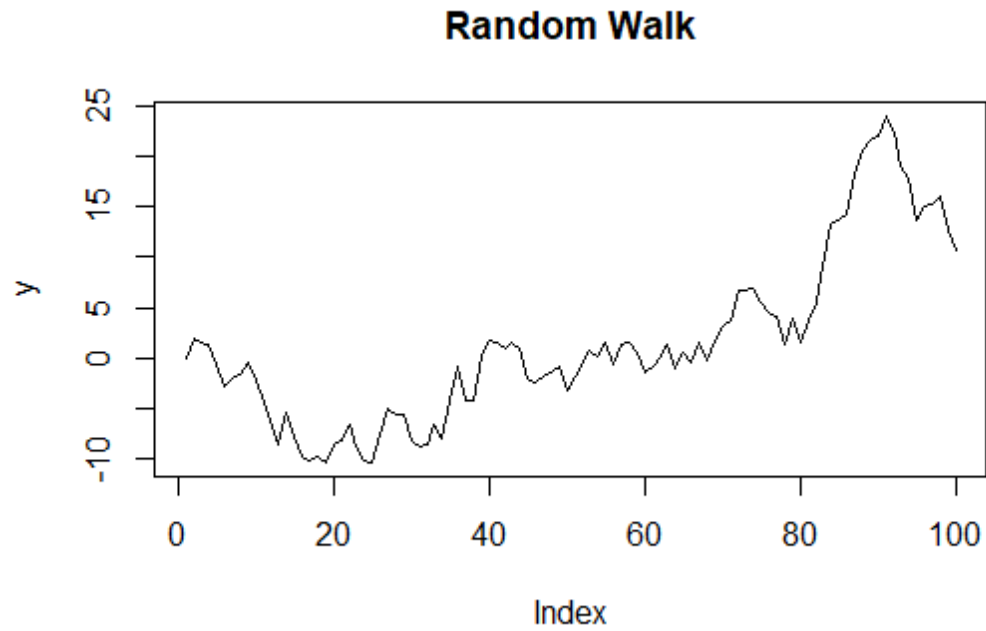
$Y(t) = \sum Z(t)$, where $Z(t)$ is a noise

If $Y(t)$ is a random walk then,

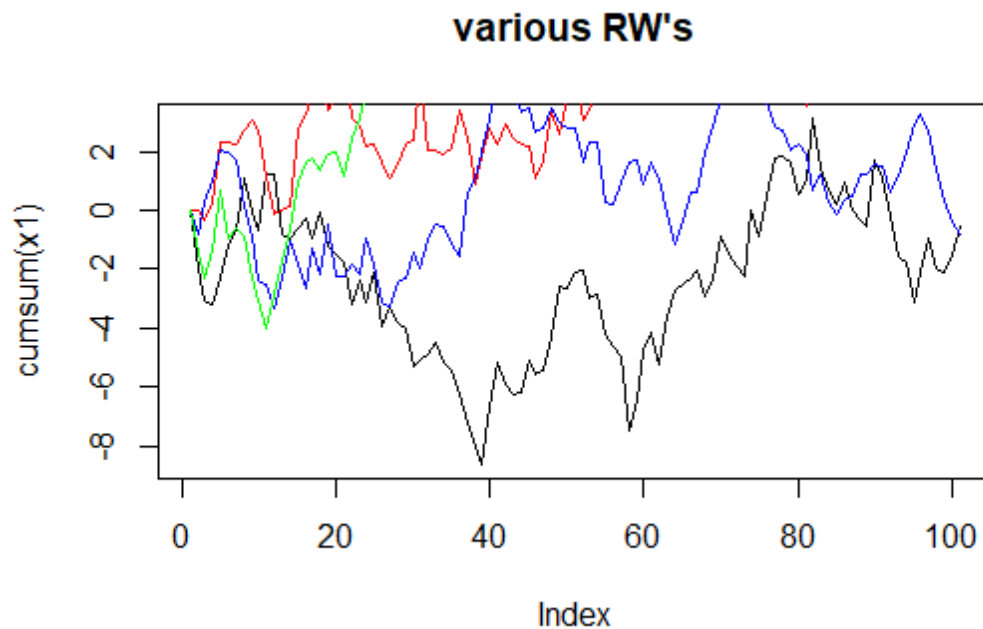
(1) $E[Y(t)] = 0$

(2) $Var[Y(t)] = t\sigma^2$

(3) $cov(Y(t), Y(s)) = 0$



REMARK: (1) Graph eventual returns to 0. (2) Graph gets wider and wider



```
y<- cumsum(x)
plot(y, type="l", main="Random Walk")
```

Wiener Process(or Brownian Motion):

$W(t)$ is a Wiener process(or Brownian motion) if the increments, $\Delta w(t) = w(t + \Delta t) - w(t)$ satisfy
 $\Delta w(t) = \epsilon \sqrt{\Delta t}$ where $\epsilon \sim N(0,1)$

Properties:

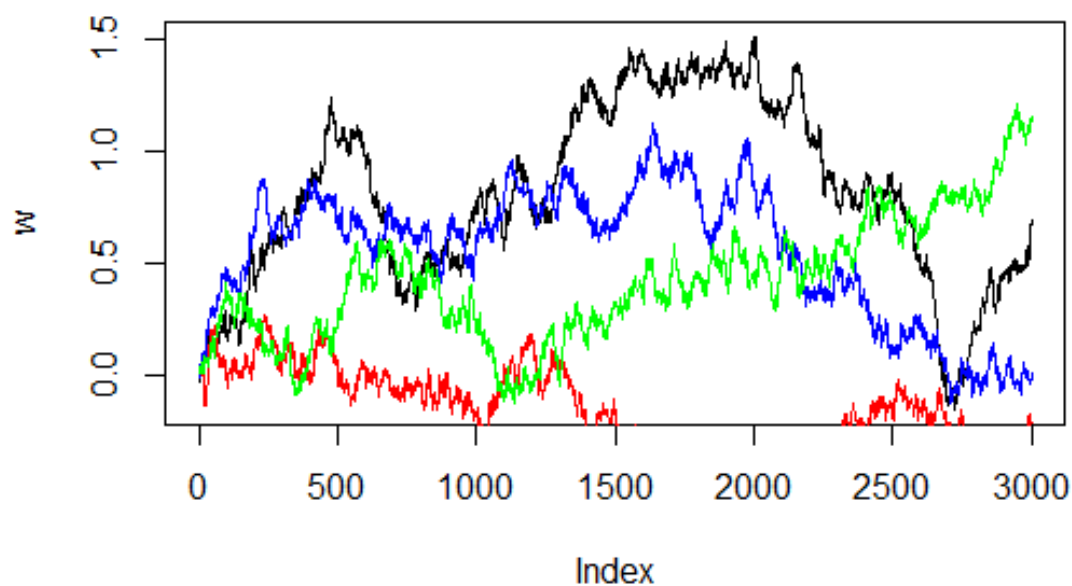
(1) $\Delta w(t) = \epsilon \sqrt{\Delta t}$ where $\epsilon \sim N(0,1)$. Equivalently,

$$\Delta w(t) = N(0, \sqrt{\Delta t}) .$$

(2) Since $w(t) = w(0) + \Delta w(1) + \Delta w(2) + \dots \Delta w(t) = w(0) + \sum \Delta w(i)$, $w(t)$ is a Random Walk.

(2a) $E[w(t)] = w(0)$

(2b) $\text{Var}[w(t)] = t(\Delta t)$

Various Wiener Processes

Wiener process with suppose $t=1$ (unit); $n=3000$

```
epsilon<- rnorm(n) # epsilon
w <- cumsum(epsilon*sqrt(1/n))
plot(w, type="l", main="Various Wiener Processes")
w2<-cumsum(rnorm(n)*sqrt(1/n))
w3<-cumsum(rnorm(n)*sqrt(1/n))
w4<-cumsum(rnorm(n)*sqrt(1/n))
lines(w2, col="red")
lines(w3, col="blue")
lines(w4, col="green")
```

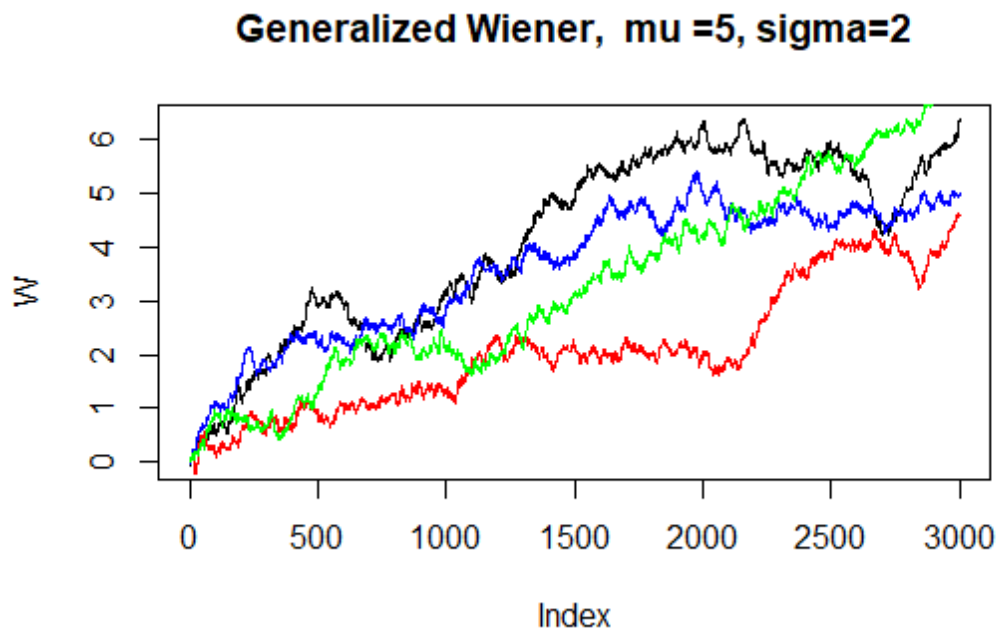
Generalized Wiener Process

$$dX(t) = \mu dt + \sigma dW(t),$$

Where constants

μ : Drift ; σ : Volatility

$W(t)$ is a wiener process



REMARK: Graph would not return to zero.

▪ **Geometric Wiener Process (or Geometric Brownian Motion)**

$$dX(t) = \mu X dt + \sigma X \epsilon \sqrt{dt}$$

**3.4 Properties of Price $P(t)$, Log Price $p(t)$;
Return $R(t)$, Log-return $r(t)$**

(1) Price $P(t)$

Price $P(t)$:

$$\frac{P(t)}{P(t-1)} = 1 + R(t) \quad (*)$$

By Recursiveness:

$$P(t) = P(0) \prod_{i=1}^t (1 + R(i))$$

Note: $P(t)$ Is a product of $(1 + R(i))$

(2) Log-price $p(t)$

Take log of (*)

$$\ln(P(t)) - \ln(P(t-1)) = \ln\left(\frac{P(t)}{P(t-1)}\right) = \ln(1 + R(t)) = r(t)$$

Log-price $p(t)$:

$$p(t) - p(t-1) = r(t)$$

By recursiveness:

$$p(t) - p(0) = \sum_{i=1}^t r(i)$$

NOTE: (1) If $r(i)$'s are distributed Normal then the log price $p(t)$ is a sum of Noise, hence a Random Walk

$$(2) P(t) = P(0)e^{\sum_{i=1}^t r(i)}$$

(3) We can check the assumptions of the Random walk hypothesis using the Box-Ljung test.

```
start<- as.Date("2019-12-31")
end<- as.Date("2022-10-22")

AAPL <-getSymbols("AAPL",from=start, to=end, auto.assign=F)

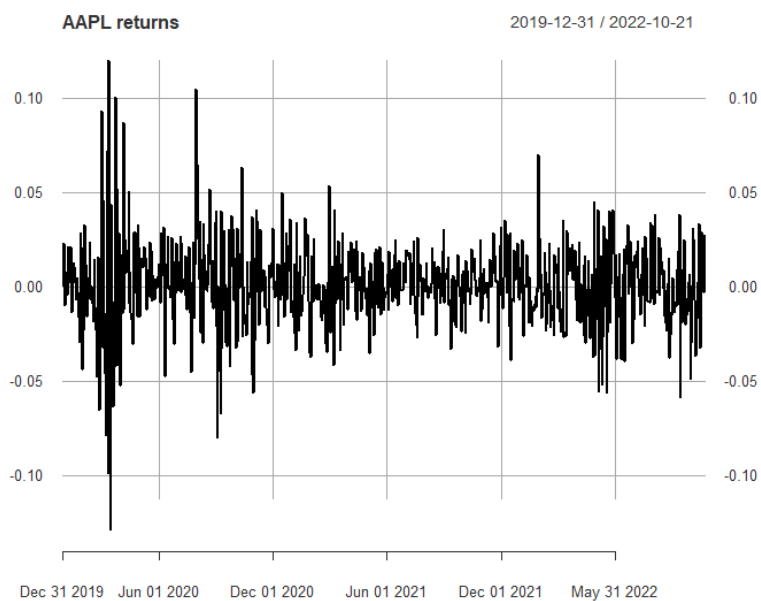
> head(AAPL)
      AAPL.Open AAPL.High AAPL.Low AAPL.Close AAPL.Volume
AAPL.Adjusted
2019-12-31  72.4825   73.420 72.3800   73.4125  100805600
72.03988
2020-01-02  74.0600   75.150 73.7975   75.0875  135480400
73.68357
2020-01-03  74.2875   75.145 74.1250   74.3575  146322800
72.96722
2020-01-06  73.4475   74.990 73.1875   74.9500  118387200
73.54863
2020-01-07  74.9600   75.225 74.3700   74.5975  108872000
73.20273
2020-01-08  74.2900   76.110 74.2900   75.7975  132079200
74.38029

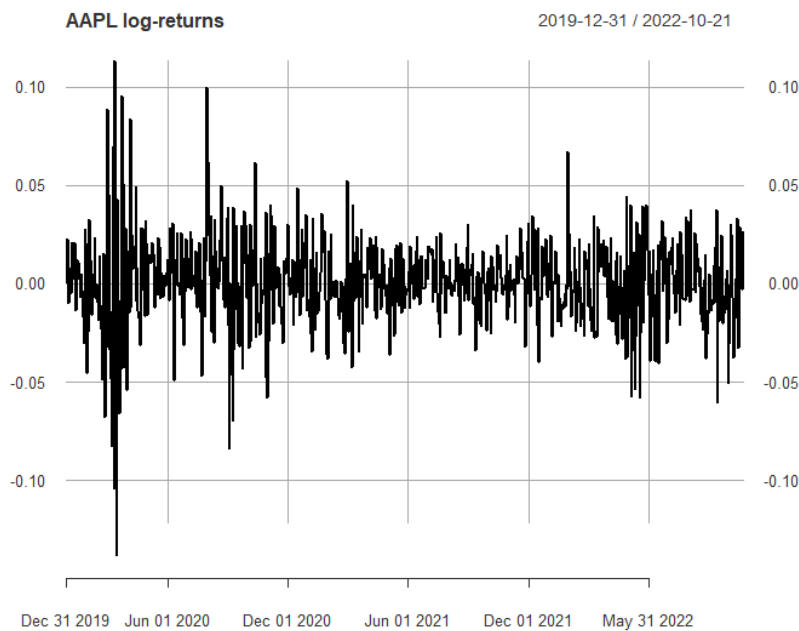
> return.AAPL <- dailyReturn(AAPL$AAPL.Close)
> head(return.AAPL)
      daily.returns
2019-12-31  0.000000000
2020-01-02  0.022816333
2020-01-03 -0.009722044
2020-01-06  0.007968248
2020-01-07 -0.004703042
2020-01-08  0.016086289

plot(AAPL.Close, type="l", main="AAPL Close")
```



```
> plot(return.AAPL, type="l", main="AAPL returns")  
> plot(log(1+return.AAPL), type="l", main="AAPL log-returns")  
>
```





```
> Box.test(logreturn.AAPL, lag=365)
```

Box-Pierce test

data: logreturn.AAPL

X-squared = 334.24, df = 365, p-value = 0.8743

CHAPTER 4: STOCK PRICE SIMULATION

```
#####
#### (1) A function to calculate mu, sigma
#####
```

```
mu.sigma<- function(sample, lag=1){

  N<-length(sample)
  if (N < 1+lag){

    stop("sample must be greater than 2 +lag")
  }
}
```

```

ct <- sample[(1+lag):N]
pt<- sample[1: (N-lag)]
t=1
dt=t/N
returns <- (ct-pt)/pt

logreturns <- log(1+returns)
logreturns.bar <- mean(logreturns)

s <- sd(logreturns)

drift <- logreturns.bar*N + s^2*N/2

volatility <- sqrt(s^2*N)

#cat("mu =", round(drift, 4) ,"sigma=",round(volatility,4) , "\n")

c(drift, volatility)

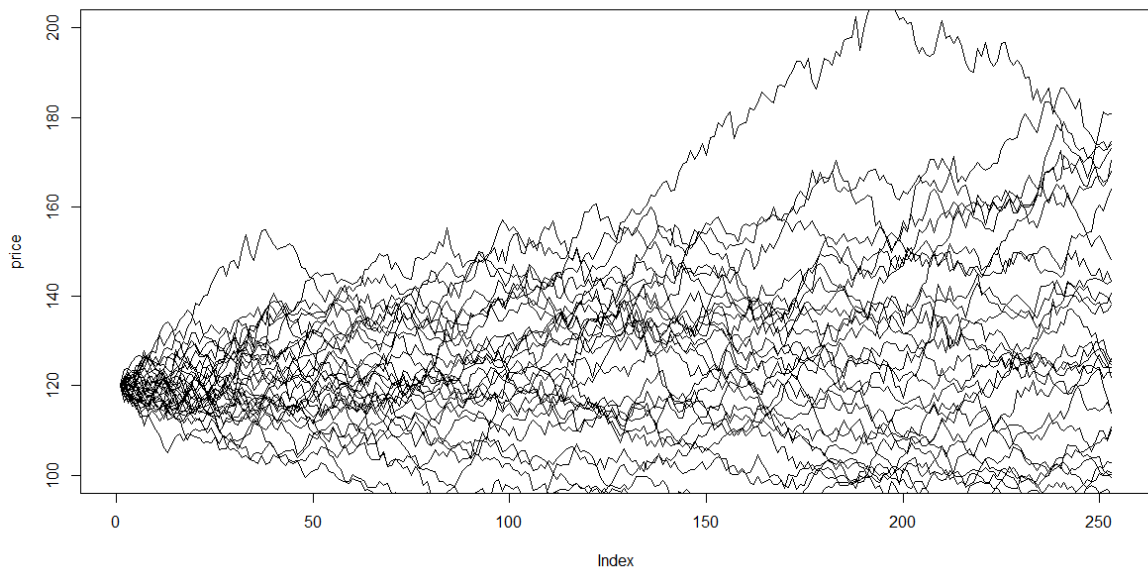
}

#####
#####(2) Simulating a geometric random walk , in a span #####
of 1 year
#####

n = 252

logr = rnorm(n,0.05/253,0.2/sqrt(252))
price = c(120,120*exp(cumsum(logr)))
plot(price, type="l", ylim=c(100, 200))
for (i in (1:30))
{
  logr = rnorm(n,0.05/253,0.2/sqrt(253))
  price = c(120,120*exp(cumsum(logr)))
  lines(price)
}

```



```
#####
```

```
##(3) A function to simulate prices
```

```
#####
```

```
asset.price.sim <- function(mu, sigma, initprice, N, iter){
```

```
  logr = rnorm(N,mu/N,sigma/sqrt(N))
  price = c(initprice,initprice*exp(cumsum(logr)))
  plot(price, type="l", ylim=c(0, initprice+200))
```

```
  price.mat<- rep(0, N)
  for (i in (1:iter))
  {
    logr = rnorm(N,mu/N,sigma/sqrt(N))
    price = c(initprice,initprice*exp(cumsum(logr)))
```

```

lines(price)

price.mat <- cbind(price.mat, price)

}

means<- rowMeans(price.mat)

c(means)

}

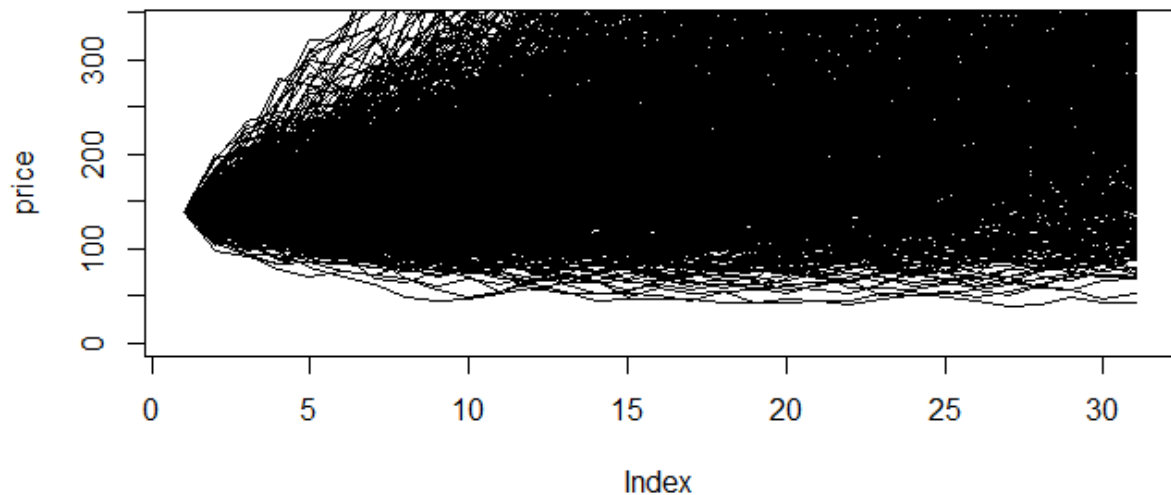
#####
### (4) EXAMPLE: AAPL Close Price; Simulate 30 prices
#####

# Historical data from="2019-12-31", to="2022-10-01 from AAPL Close Price

> AAPL.Prices <- getSymbols("AAPL", from="2019-12-31", to="2022-10-01",
auto.assign=FALSE)
> AAPL.Close <- Cl(AAPL.Prices)
> data<- as.vector(AAPL.Close$AAPL.Close)
> mu.sigma(data, lag=1)
[1] 0.8184459 0.6081535

result<- c(0.8184459, 0.6081535)
price.sim<-asset.price.sim(mu=result[1] , sigma=result[2],
initprice=73.4125, N=30, iter=1000)

```

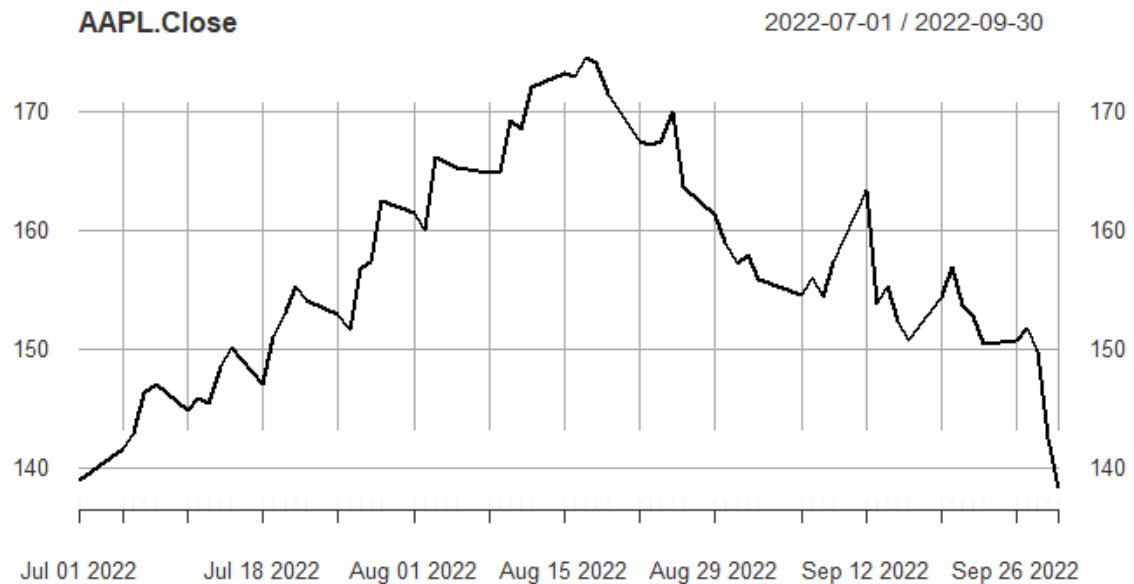


```
#####
#### (5) AAPL Close prices( from from="2022-07-01",
#### to="2022-10-01")
#####
```

Train data set

```
AAPL.Prices <- getSymbols("AAPL", from="2022-07-01", to="2022-10-01",
auto.assign=FALSE)
> AAPL.Close <- Cl(AAPL.Prices)
> head(AAPL.Close)
      AAPL.Close
2022-07-01  138.93
2022-07-05  141.56
2022-07-06  142.92
2022-07-07  146.35
2022-07-08  147.04
2022-07-11  144.87
> tail(AAPL.Close)
      AAPL.Close
2022-09-23  150.43
2022-09-26  150.77
2022-09-27  151.76
```

2022-09-28 149.84
 2022-09-29 142.48
2022-09-30 138.20



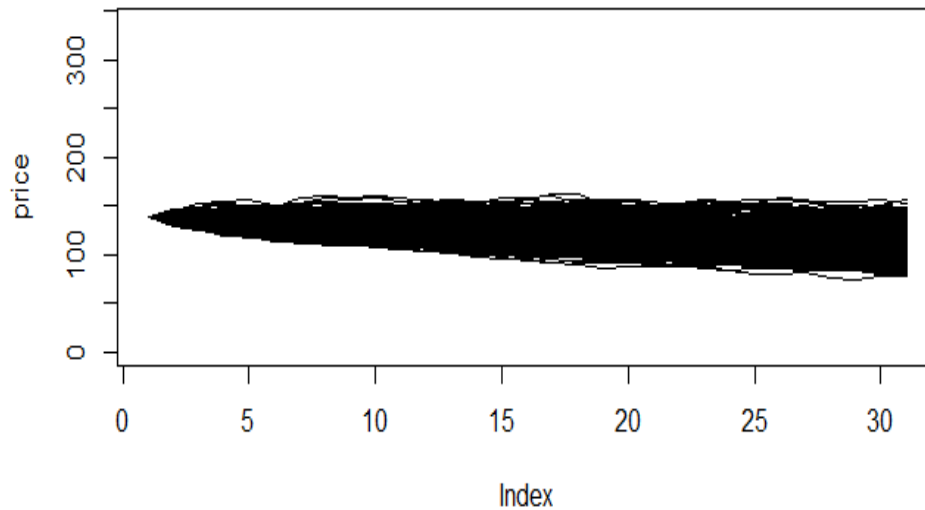
```
train<- as.vector(AAPL.Close$AAPL.Close)
```

Mu-Sigma of AAPL.Close

```
> result<-mu.sigma(train, lag=1)
> result
[1] 0.006668355 0.155049978
>
```

Simulation of prices

```
> price.sim<- asset.price.sim(mu=result[1], sigma=result[2], 138.20, 30,
1000)
$rowMeans.price.mat.
[1] 138.0619 138.1258 138.0171 137.9497 137.9343 137.8880
138.0925 138.3127
[9] 138.3229 138.5447 138.2764 138.4823 138.5577 138.7653
138.9668 139.0225
[17] 139.2698 139.0708 138.8477 138.9165 139.0999 139.2155
139.4848 139.6538
[25] 139.8181 139.9403 140.1219 140.1249 140.2621 140.2316
140.3753
```



```

pred<- data.frame(price.sim[1:21])

rownames(pred)<-index(AAPL.Close.test)

> pred
      price.sim.1.21.
2022-09-30    138.0619
2022-10-03    138.4518
2022-10-04    138.1990
2022-10-05    138.3066
2022-10-06    138.4451
2022-10-07    138.7966
2022-10-10    138.9866
2022-10-11    139.0302
2022-10-12    139.3595
2022-10-13    139.5967
2022-10-14    139.8388
2022-10-17    139.8426
2022-10-18    139.7793
2022-10-19    139.6344
2022-10-20    139.6142
2022-10-21    139.4804
2022-10-24    139.6005
2022-10-25    139.7376
2022-10-26    139.7527

```

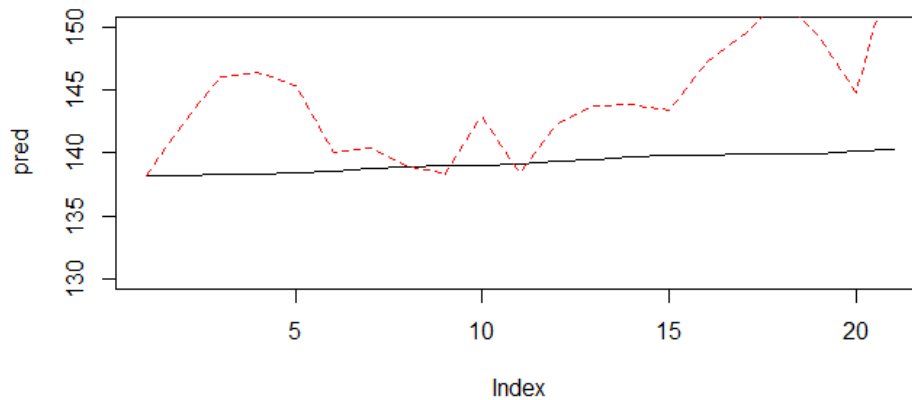

2022-10-27	140.0167
2022-10-28	140.0024

> ## Test data set (21 days)

```

> AAPL.test <- getSymbols("AAPL", from="2022-09-30", to="2022-10-30",
auto.assign=F)
> AAPL.Close.test <- Cl(AAPL.test)
> AAPL.Close.test
      AAPL.Close
2022-09-30  138.20
2022-10-03  142.45
2022-10-04  146.10
2022-10-05  146.40
2022-10-06  145.43
2022-10-07  140.09
2022-10-10  140.42
2022-10-11  138.98
2022-10-12  138.34
2022-10-13  142.99
2022-10-14  138.38
2022-10-17  142.41
2022-10-18  143.75
2022-10-19  143.86
2022-10-20  143.39
2022-10-21  147.27
2022-10-24  149.45
2022-10-25  152.34
2022-10-26  149.35
2022-10-27  144.80
2022-10-28  155.74

```



```
#####
##### (6) Use of Time Series Models (ARIMA) #####
#####
```

```
> library(forecast)
Warning message:
package 'forecast' was built under R version 4.1.3
> model <- auto.arima(train)
> summary(model)
Series: train
ARIMA(0,2,1)

Coefficients:
      ma1
    -0.9154
s.e.  0.0493

sigma^2 = 9.168: log likelihood = -157.06
AIC=318.13  AICc=318.33  BIC=322.38

Training set error measures:
      ME  RMSE  MAE  MPE  MAPE  MASE
Training set -0.5348308 2.955982 2.305122 -0.3587578 1.470804
0.9948801
      ACF1
Training set -0.1427278

> forecast <- forecast(model, h=21)
```

```
> summary(forecast)
```

```
Forecast method: ARIMA(0,2,1)
```

```
Model Information:
```

```
Series: train
```

```
ARIMA(0,2,1)
```

```
Coefficients:
```

```
ma1
```

```
-0.9154
```

```
s.e. 0.0493
```

```
sigma^2 = 9.168: log likelihood = -157.06
```

```
AIC=318.13 AICc=318.33 BIC=322.38
```

```
Error measures:
```

```
ME RMSE MAE MPE MAPE MASE
```

```
Training set -0.5348308 2.955982 2.305122 -0.3587578 1.470804  
0.9948801
```

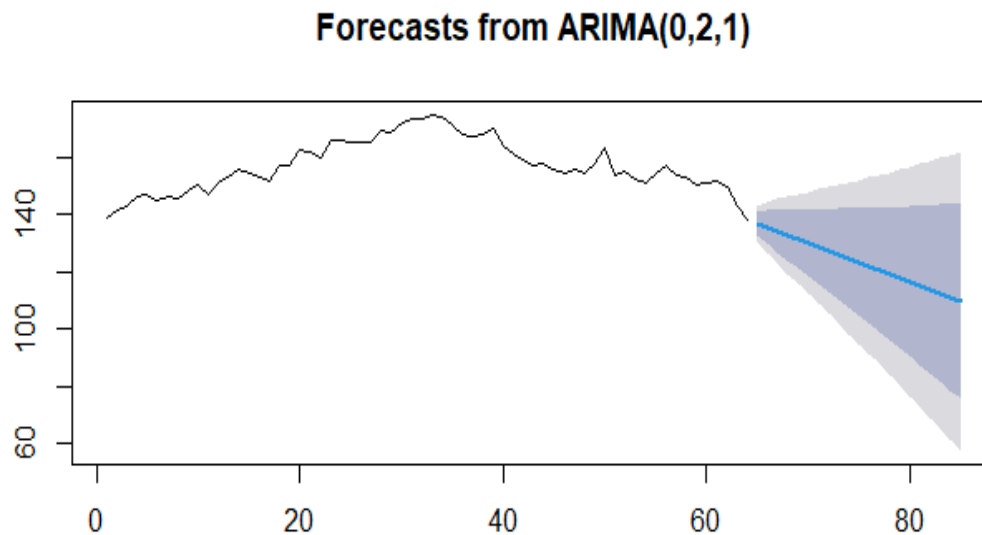
```
ACF1
```

```
Training set -0.1427278
```

```
Forecasts:
```

	Point Forecast	Lo 80	Hi 80	Lo 95	Hi 95
65	136.8470	132.96668	140.7272	130.91258	142.7813
66	135.4939	129.76955	141.2183	126.73924	144.2486
67	134.1409	126.83669	141.4451	122.97007	145.3117
68	132.7879	124.01172	141.5640	119.36590	146.2098
69	131.4348	121.23718	141.6325	115.83888	147.0308
70	130.0818	118.48522	141.6784	112.34636	147.8172
71	128.7288	115.74022	141.7173	108.86449	148.5930
72	127.3757	112.99267	141.7588	105.37873	149.3727
73	126.0227	110.23641	141.8090	101.87966	150.1657
74	124.6697	107.46732	141.8720	98.36096	150.9784
75	123.3166	104.68254	141.9507	94.81825	151.8150
76	121.9636	101.88006	142.0471	91.24847	152.6787
77	120.6106	99.05844	142.1627	87.64943	153.5717
78	119.2575	96.21667	142.2984	84.01958	154.4955
79	117.9045	93.35403	142.4550	80.35780	155.4512
80	116.5515	90.47001	142.6329	76.66332	156.4396
81	115.1984	87.56426	142.8326	72.93561	157.4612
82	113.8454	84.63656	143.0542	69.17434	158.5165
83	112.4924	81.68678	143.2979	65.37928	159.6054
84	111.1393	78.71485	143.5638	61.55037	160.7283
85	109.7863	75.72077	143.8518	57.68757	161.8850

```
> plot(forecast)
>
```



```
#####
#### (6) Compare 2 models: MSE and RMSE
#####
```

```
> library(ModelMetrics)
> forecast<- data.frame(forecast)

> rmse(pred$price.sim.1.21., AAPL.Close.test$AAPL.Close)
[1] 6.707402
> rmse(forecast$Point.Forecast, AAPL.Close.test$AAPL.Close)
[1] 23.97453
```

REMARK: The Random Walk approach show a smaller MSE.

```
#####
##### (7) Probability Distribution and Confidence Interval ##### for
Price
#####
```

For $S(t)$ which are distributed as Log-Normal(μ, σ)

$$(1) E[S(t)] = S(0)e^{(\mu + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)t}$$

$$E[S(t)] = S(0)e^{\mu + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2}, \text{ for } t = 1$$

$$(2) E[S(t)^2] = S(0)^2 e^{(2\mu + 2\sigma^2)t}$$

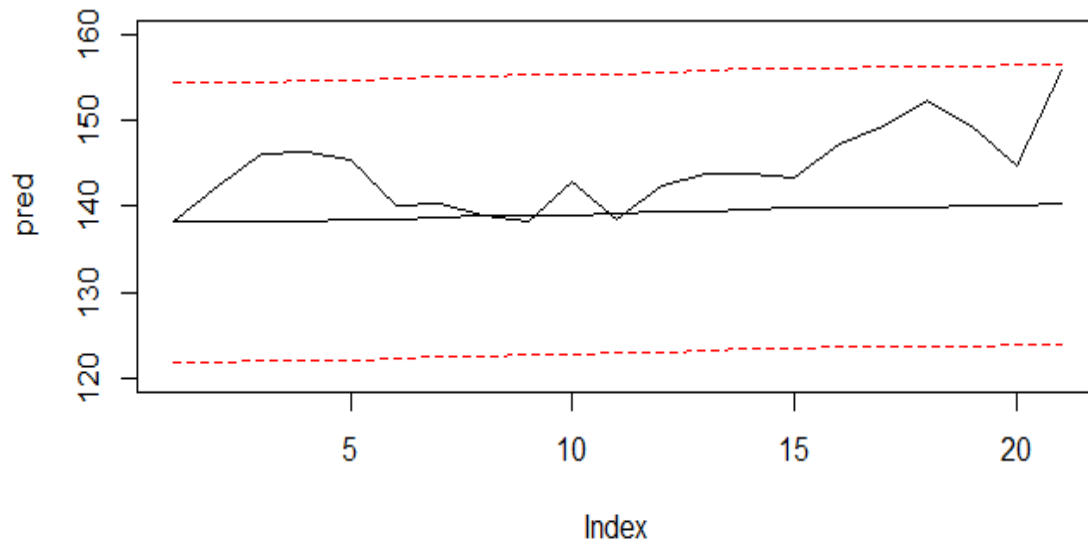
$$E[S(t)^2] = S(0)^2 e^{2\mu + 2\sigma^2}, \text{ for } t = 1$$

$$(3) Var[S(t)] = E[S(t)^2] - (E[S(t)])^2$$

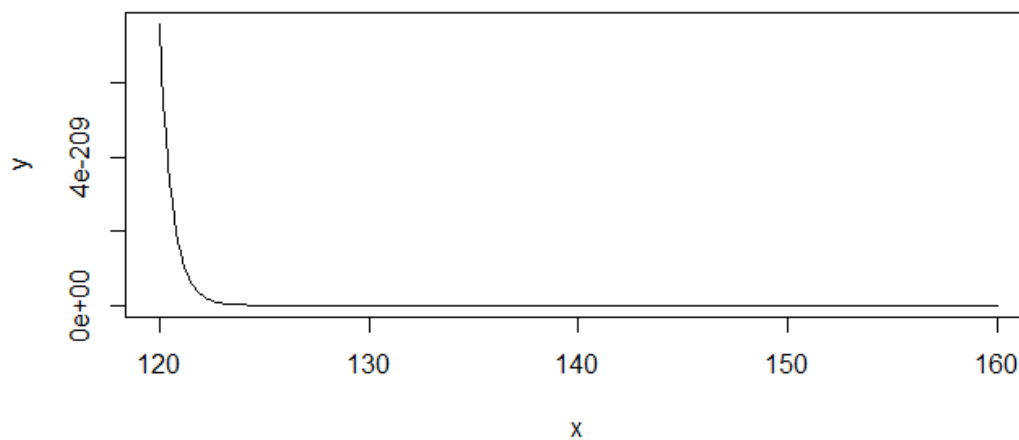
```
> S0 <- 138.2
> mu <- result[1]
> mu
[1] 0.006668355
> sigma <- result[2]
> E.price <- S0 * exp(mu + (1/2) * sigma^2)
> E.price
[1] 140.8071
> E.price.sq <- S0^2 * exp(2 * mu + 2 * sigma^2)
> Var.price <- E.price.sq - E.price^2

> Sd.price <- sqrt(Var.price)
> Sd.price
[1] 21.964
> lower.critical <- qlnorm(.025, mu, sigma)
> upper.critical <- qlnorm(.975, mu, sigma)
> head(pred)
[1] 138.1724 138.1871 138.2580 138.3018 138.3712 138.5334
> LOWER <- pred - lower.critical * Sd.price
> UPPER <- pred + lower.critical * Sd.price

> plot(pred, type="l", main="Prediction and Test data", ylim=c(120,160))
> lines(AAPL.real)
> lines(UPPER, lty="dashed", col="red")
> lines(LOWER, lty="dashed", col="red")
```

Prediction and Test data

```
#####
###  Log-Normal Distribution of Price
#####
> x<- seq(120, 160, by=.1)
> y<- dlnorm(x, mu,sigma)
> plot(x,y, type="l", main="Log-Normal mu-sigma density")
```

Log-Normal mu-sigma density

```
## Probability of Price > 140$ is 0
```

```
> plnorm(140.8 , mu, sigma, lower.tail=FALSE)  
[1] 4.075534e-223
```

```
## Probability of Price < 140$ is 1
```

```
> plnorm(140.8 , mu, sigma, lower.tail=TRUE)  
[1] 1
```

```
> plnorm(130.0 , mu, sigma, lower.tail=TRUE)  
[1] 1
```

Price is decreasing in certainty

CHAPTER 4: FINANCIAL PORTFOLIO ANALYSIS

4.1 Portfolio

A Portfolio : a collection of various assets: bonds, stocks. Bonds are considered to be risk-free asset. Stocks are risky assets.

Value of a Portfolio, $V(t)$, Is the value of whole portfolio, which depends on the value of each asset, at a specific instant t (month, year).

Return of Portfolio: Suppose there are N assets: $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ assets (risk-free and risky), then at a specific instant t ,

$$V_P(t) = V_1(t) + V_2(t) + \dots + V_N(t)$$

Return of the Portfolio:

$$R(t) = \frac{V(t) - V(t-1)}{V(t-1)}$$

NOTE: $R(t)$ Is a random variable

4.2 Expected return / Variance of portfolio return.

Number of shares n_i ,

Stock price per share: $S_i(t)$

Weight of an asset : $w(i)$

- Value of i -th asset: $V_i(t) = n_i * S_i(t)$
- Weight of an asset: $w_i = \frac{V_i(t)}{V_P(t)}$

$$w_i = \frac{V_i(t)}{V_P(t)} = \frac{n_i * S_i(t)}{V_P(t)}$$

Given N assets in a portfolio.

weight of an asset: w_i

$$(1) R(t) = w_1 R_1(t) + w_2 R_2(t) + \dots + w_N R_N(t)$$

$$(2) \text{ Expectation: } \mu_P = R_P(t) = w_1 \mu_{R_1}(t) + \dots + w_N \mu_{R_N}(t)$$

$$(3) \text{ Variance: } \sigma_P^2 = \text{Var}(R_P) = w_1^2 \sigma_1^2 + \dots + w_N^2 \sigma_N^2 + 2 \sum_i \sum_j w_i w_j \text{Cov}(R_i, R_j)$$

$$= w_1^2 \sigma_1^2 + \dots + w_N^2 \sigma_N^2 + 2 \sum_i \sum_j w_i w_j \sigma_i \sigma_j \rho_{ij} \quad (3)$$

Where $\rho_{ij} = \text{cor}(R_i, R_j)$

$$\text{Risk: } \sigma_P = \sqrt{\sigma_P^2}$$

PROOF of (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \blacksquare \quad R_P(t) &= \frac{V(t)}{V(t-1)} - 1 = \frac{\sum V_i(t)}{\sum V_i(t-1)} - 1 = \frac{\sum V_i(t) - \sum V_i(t-1)}{\sum V_i(t-1)} = \\ &= \frac{V_1(t) - V_1(t-1) + V_2(t) - V_2(t-1) + \dots + V_N(t) - V_N(t-1)}{\sum V_i(t-1)} = \\ &= \frac{V_1(t) - V_1(t-1)}{V_1(t-1)} * \frac{V_1(t-1)}{\sum V_i(t-1)} + \dots + \frac{V_N(t) - V_N(t-1)}{V_N(t-1)} * \frac{V_N(t-1)}{\sum V_i(t-1)} \\ &= w_1 R_1(t) + w_2 R_2(t) + \dots + w_N R_N(t) \quad \text{DONE} \end{aligned}$$

PROOF of (2) (3) follows from (1)

Remarks:

(a) Portfolio return at any given time is a weighted average of asset returns;

(b) Portfolio Expected return is **Weighted Average** of the asset expected returns

4.3 Mean-Variance plane . Weights constraint ; Efficient Frontier;

There are 2 variables of interest:

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_R &= E[R] \text{ Expected return} \\ \sigma_R &= \text{Var}[R] \text{ Risk}\end{aligned}$$

The Optimization Problem:

Given the **constraint**

$$w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_N = 1 (*)$$

We need to solve the Optimization problem **objective function (Portfolio Return or Risk)**,

We can,

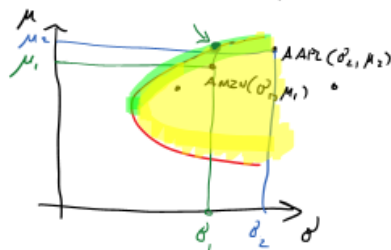
- (1) Maximize Expected return, given a known Risk, OR
- (2) Minimize Risk, given a known Expected return,

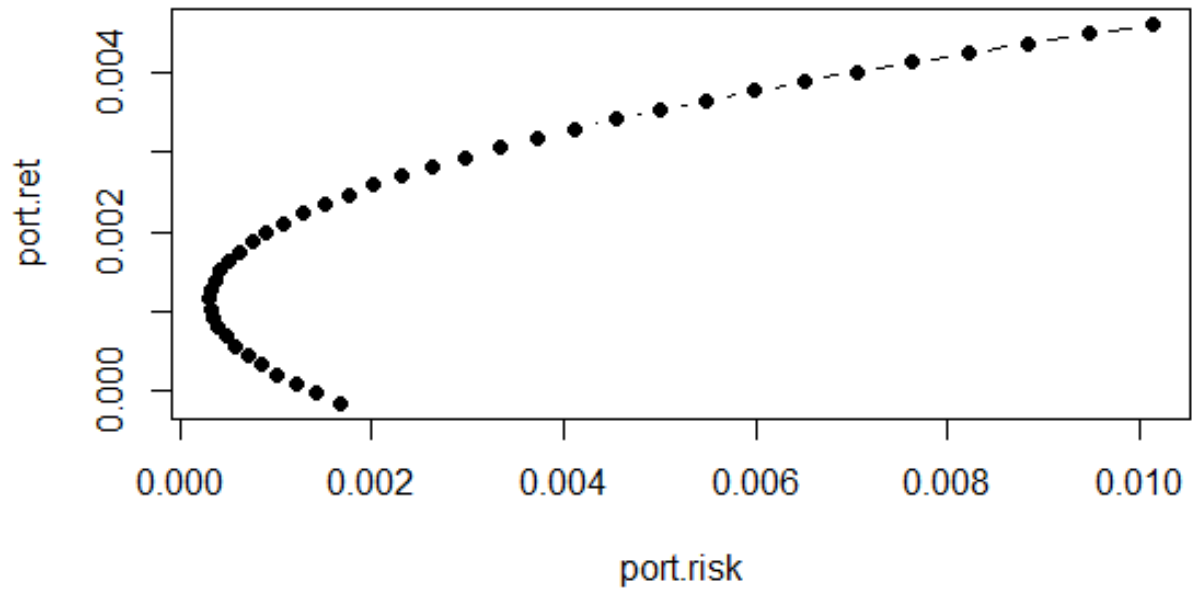
subject to the constraint(*).

$$w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_N = 1 (*)$$

Efficient Frontier(contd)

- The Efficient Frontier is the only the upper branch of the hyperbola: For each given Risk, the maximum Return comes from point on the Efficient Frontier





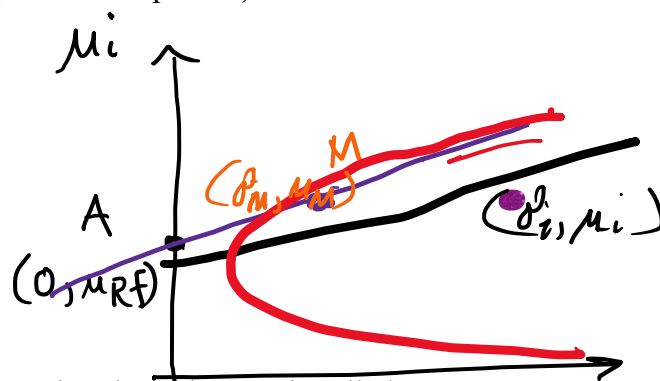
Efficient Frontier of Portfolio with AAPL (Apple) and TSLA (Tesla)

CHAPTER 5: CAPITAL ASSET PRICING MODEL (capm)- MARKET PORTFOLIO

5.1 Capital Market Line (CML), Capital Allocation Line (CAL); Sharpe ratio;

Risk-free asset (Bond) A: is always included in the portfolio, displayed by $A(0, \mu_{Rf})$

- **Market Portfolio M:** (σ_M, μ_M) On the $\sigma - \mu$ plane, Market portfolio M will be displayed by $M, (\sigma_M, \mu_M)$, the point of tangency of AM to the Efficient Frontier (Will not be proved)



- The line passing through A, M is called **Capital Market Line (CML)**
- The line passing through A, P is called a **Capital Allocation Line (CAL)**

(use simple geometry) Slope $= \frac{\mu_i - \mu_{Rf}}{\sigma_i}$

Relation between μ_i, σ_i

$$\text{Equation: } \mu_i - \mu_{Rf} = \left(\frac{\mu_i - \mu_{Rf}}{\sigma_i} \right) \sigma_i$$

- **Sharpe Ratio of an asset : for any asset inside the Feasible region**

$$\text{Sharpe ratio: Sharpe of the asset} = \frac{\mu_i - \mu_{Rf}}{\sigma_i}$$

- (1) **Optimal asset selection:** assets are added to the portfolio using their beta.
- (2) **The optimal weights:** maximize the Sharpe ratio of portfolio to find the optimal weights of assets.

5.2 Beta of an asset

- (1) **Beta** is used to compare different stocks performance;

For any stock i:

$$\beta_i = \frac{\text{Cov}(R_i, R_M)}{\text{Var}(R_M)} ; \text{ where } R_M: \text{ Market portfolio}$$

$$\mu_i = \mu_{rf} + \beta_i(\mu_M - \mu_{rf}) ;$$

$$\text{Or } \mu_i - \mu_{rf} = \beta_i(\mu_M - \mu_{rf})$$

Excess Return of Stock = Beta * Market Excess Return

μ_M : Market average; μ_{rf} : riskfree

- (2) Beta can be estimated as coefficient from a **regression model**, using

$R_i - R_{rf}$ as reponse.

$(R_M - R_{rf})$ as predictor,

- (3) $\mu_i - \mu_{rf} = \beta_i(\mu_M - \mu_{rf})$; or $E(R_i) = \mu_{rf} + \beta_i(\mu_M - \mu_{rf})$;

5.3 R Implementation

```
#####
#### (1) Import stock prices- returns.
#####

start<- as.Date("2019-12-31")
end<- as.Date("2022-10-22")
AAPL <-getSymbols("AAPL",from=start, to=end, auto.assign=F)
TSLA <-getSymbols("TSLA",from=start, to=end, auto.assign=F)
MSFT <-getSymbols("MSFT",from=start, to=end, auto.assign=F)
AAPL.ret <- dailyReturn(AAPL$AAPL.Close)
TSLA.ret <- dailyReturn(TSLA$TSLA.Close)
MSFT.ret <- dailyReturn(MSFT$MSFT.Close)


#### combine into an xts-object of all returns
> returns <-cbind(AAPL.ret, TSLA.ret,MSFT.ret)
> colnames(returns)<- c("AAPL.ret", "TSLA.ret", "MSFT.ret")
> head(returns)
      AAPL.ret  TSLA.ret  MSFT.ret
2019-12-31 0.000000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
2020-01-02 0.022816333 0.02851818 0.018516158
2020-01-03 -0.009722044 0.02963325 -0.012451750
2020-01-06 0.007968248 0.01925466 0.002584819
2020-01-07 -0.004703042 0.03880052 -0.009117758
2020-01-08 0.016086289 0.04920484 0.015928379


#####
##### Risk-free rate and Market Portfolio return
#####

####Risk-free rate

rf<-getSymbols("DGS1",src="FRED",auto.assign = F)
dim(rf)
```

```

[1] 15866    1

rf1 <- rf[ date >= "2019-12-31" & date<="2022-10-25", ]

##suppose risk-free rate as the average for the period
rf1 <- na.omit(rf1)
riskfree <-mean(rf1)/100
riskfree
[1] 0.008568458

## Market portfolio
benchmark<-getSymbols.yahoo("^GSPC", from=start, to=end, periodicity =
"daily",auto.assign=F)[ ,4]

bench.return <- dailyReturn(benchmark)

#####
## beta's
#####
beta.AAPL
      daily.returns
daily.returns    1.171948

## beta for TSLA

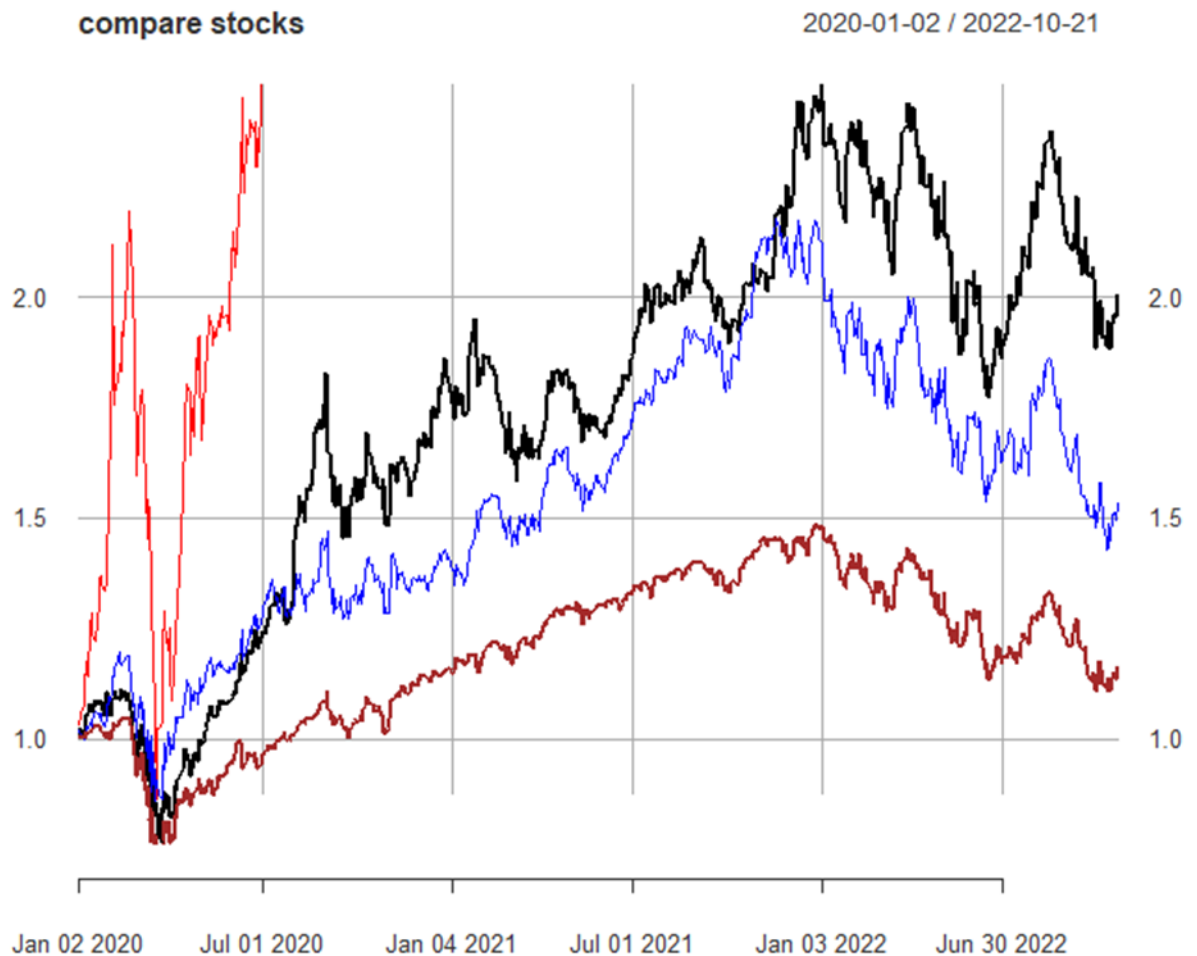
## beta for TSLA
beta.TSLA<- cov(bench.returns, returns.TSLA)/var(bench.returns)
beta.TSLA
      daily.returns
daily.returns    1.457297

## beta for MSFT
beta.MSFT<- cov(bench.returns, returns.MSFT)/var(bench.returns)
beta.MSFT
      daily.returns
daily.returns    1.153356

```

REMARK: TSLA has largest Beta. Beta>1.0 shows the stock perform better than the Market, at least 1.5 the Market.

```
#####
##Plot the Cumulative Product of (1+ R(t))
#####
cumprod<- cumprod(1+ returns[-1, ])
lines(cumprod$TSLA.ret, type="l", col="red")
lines(cumprod$MSFT.ret, type="l", col="blue")
legend("bottom.right", c("TSLA: red- AAPL: black - MSFT: blue"))
```



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