

main

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0.1 Project 8: Python Basics

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0.2.1 Exercise 1

1A

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[1]: #1A
prices=[142.19,142.27,142.29,142.62,142.70,142.64,142.61,142.62,142.63,
        142.67,142.62,142.50,142.45,142.57,142.54,142.32,142.17,142.03,
        141.85,141.30,141.36,141.01,140.78,140.96,141.16,141.38]
frequency=78*5/len(prices)#unit=minute
print('The frequency of above price data is '+ str(frequency)+' minute.')
```

The frequency of above price data is 15.0 minute.

1B

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[2]: #1B
import math
lr=[]
for i in range(1,len(prices)):
    lr.append(math.log(prices[i])-math.log(prices[i-1]))
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1C

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[3]: #1C
import statistics as sta
m_lr=sta.mean(lr)
sd_lr=sta.stdev(lr)
print('log-return mean: '+str(m_lr))
print('log-return stdev: '+str(sd_lr))
```

log-return mean: -0.00022851562661898583

log-return stdev: 0.0013378543298329293

1D

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[4]: #1D
rv=0
for i in lr:
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    rv += i**2
rv=100*math.sqrt(rv*252)
print('annual_RV: '+str(rv)+' %')

```

annual_RV: 10.561259591653997 %

1E

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[5]: print(0.1+0.2==0.3)
      print(sum([0.1,0.2])==0.3)

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False

False

- (1) Not all floating point numbers are exactly representable on a finite machine. Neither 0.1 nor 0.2 are exactly representable in binary floating point. And nor is 0.3.

A number is exactly representable if it is of the form a/b where a and b are integers and b is a power of 2.

- (2) Most of programming languages have the same issue.
- (3) This issue would not affect the computation of realized variance much since the computation error is very small.

1F

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[6]: import math
      sum_rv=100*math.sqrt(sum(i**2 for i in lr)*252)
      fsum_rv=100*math.sqrt(math.fsum(i**2 for i in lr)*252)
      print('annual_RV: '+str(sum_rv)+' %')
      print('annual_RV: '+str(fsum_rv)+' %')
      print(sum_rv==fsum_rv)

```

annual_RV: 10.561259591653997 %

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True

In this case, the realized variance calculated by `sum()` and `math.fsum()` is the same.

However, `math.fsum` may be more precise in other cases since it tracks multiple intermediate partial sums to avoid any kind of precision loss. It has a much higher level of precision than `sum()`.

1G

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[7]: #1E
      import math
      bv=0
      for i in range(1,len(lr)):
          bv += abs(lr[i-1]*lr[i])*math.pi/2
      bv=100*math.sqrt(bv*252)
      print('annual_BV: '+str(bv)+' %')

```

annual_BV: 9.997816709510156 %

0.2.2 Exercise 2

2A

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[8]: #2A

#create a function to split dates, times and prices from original data
def data_reshape(data_position):
    f=open(data_position,"r")
    contents=f.read()
    f.close
    lines=contents.split('\n')
    dates, times, prices=[],[],[]
    for line in lines[:-1]:# delete the last line, since it is ''
        date,time,price =line.split(',')#here use line,split, instead of lines.
        ↪split
        dates.append(int(date))
        times.append(int(time))
        prices.append(float(price))
    return dates, times,prices

#get dates, times and prices from data_reshape function
dates_PG, times_PG,prices_PG=data_reshape("D:/ZM-Documents/MATLAB/data/PG.csv")
dates_DIS, times_DIS,prices_DIS=data_reshape("D:/ZM-Documents/MATLAB/data/DIS.
↪csv")
```

2B

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[9]: #2B

#create a function to identify the size of data
def data_size(dates):
    from collections import Counter
    mylist=Counter(dates)
    N=mylist[dates[0]]
    T=len(mylist)
    return T,N

#get the number of observation day and observation inveval
T_PG,N_PG = data_size(dates_PG)
T_DIS,N_DIS = data_size(dates_DIS)
print('For the data used:\nT_PG = '+str(T_PG)+'    N_PG = '+ str(N_PG))
print('T_DIS = '+str(T_DIS)+'    N_DIS = '+ str(N_DIS))
```

For the data used:

T_PG = 2769 N_PG = 78

T_DIS = 2769 N_DIS = 78

2C

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[10]: #2C
#Transform the list of all prices into a list of lists, where each sublist
      ↳ contains all prices

def tf_price(prices,T,N):
    prices2=[]
    for t in range(0,T):
        prices1=[]
        for n in range(t*N,(t+1)*N):
            prices1.append(prices[n])
        prices2.append(prices1)
    return prices2

p_PG=tf_price(prices_PG,T_PG,N_PG)
p_DIS=tf_price(prices_DIS,T_DIS,N_DIS)
```

2D

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[11]: #2D
#Obtain a list of lists for returns, where each sublist contains the returns
      ↳ for a day

def log_return(prices,T,N):
    import math
    lr2=[]
    for t in range(0,T):
        lr1=[]
        for i in range(1,N):
            lr1.append(math.log(prices[t][i])-math.log(prices[t][i-1]))
        lr2.append(lr1)
    return lr2

lr_PG=log_return(p_PG,T_PG,N_PG)
lr_DIS=log_return(p_DIS,T_DIS,N_DIS)
```

2E

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[12]: #2E
#Compute the realized variance for each day in the sample

def rv(lr,T,N):
    rv2=[]
    for t in range(0,T):
        rv1=0
        for i in lr[t]:
            rv1 += i**2
        rv2.append(rv1)
    return rv2

rv_PG=rv(lr_PG,T_PG,N_PG)
```

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rv_DIS=rv(lr_DIS,T_PG,N_DIS)
```

2F

```
[13]: #2F
mean_rv_PG=100*math.sqrt(sta.mean(rv_PG)*252)
median_rv_PG=100*math.sqrt(sta.median(rv_PG)*252)
mean_rv_DIS=100*math.sqrt(sta.mean(rv_DIS)*252)
median_rv_DIS=100*math.sqrt(sta.median(rv_DIS)*252)
print('For the data used:\n \nmean(annul_rv_PG) = '+str(mean_rv_PG)+'\n
↳%'+'\nmedian(annul_rv_PG) = '+str(median_rv_PG)+' %')
print('\nmean(annul_rv_DIS) = '+str(mean_rv_DIS)+' %'+'\nmedian(annul_rv_DIS) =\n
↳'+str(median_rv_DIS)+' %')
```

For the data used:

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mean(annul_rv_PG) = 15.624203800306113 %
median(annul_rv_PG) = 11.364598799912011 %
```

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mean(annul_rv_DIS) = 21.778821985923436 %
median(annul_rv_DIS) = 15.019035530425818 %
```

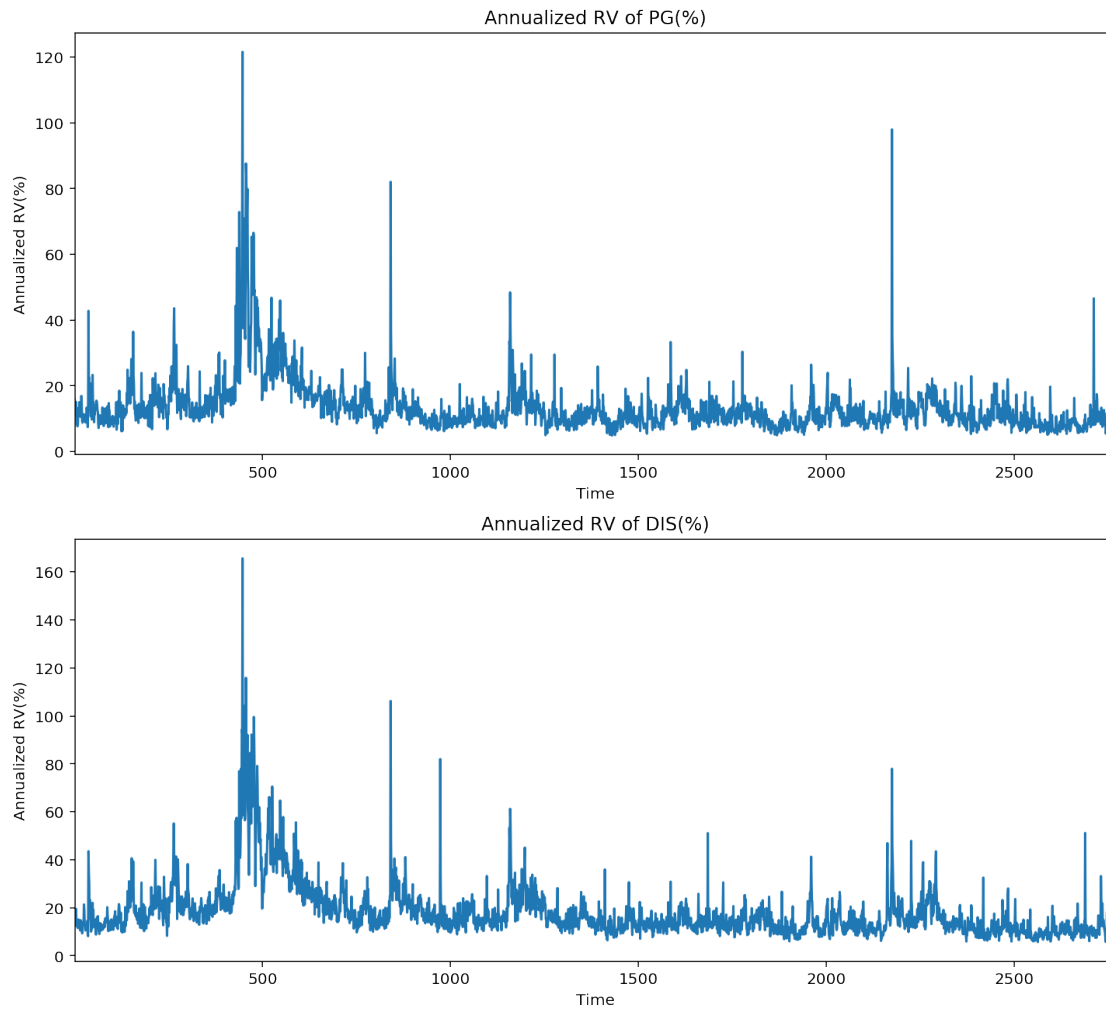
0.2.3 Exercise 3

3A

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[14]: #3A
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
%config InlineBackend.figure_format='retina'
plt.figure(figsize=(12,11))

plt.subplot(2,1,1)
plt.plot(range(0,len(rv_PG)),[100*math.sqrt(252*rv) for rv in rv_PG])
plt.title('Annualized RV of PG(%)')
plt.xlabel('Time')
plt.ylabel('Annualized RV(%)')
plt.xlim(1,len(rv_PG))

plt.subplot(2,1,2)
plt.plot(range(0,len(rv_DIS)),[100*math.sqrt(252*rv) for rv in rv_DIS])
plt.title('Annualized RV of DIS(%)')
plt.xlabel('Time')
plt.ylabel('Annualized RV(%)')
plt.xlim(1,len(rv_DIS))
print('')
```



3B

```
[15]: #3B
with plt.style.context("ggplot"):

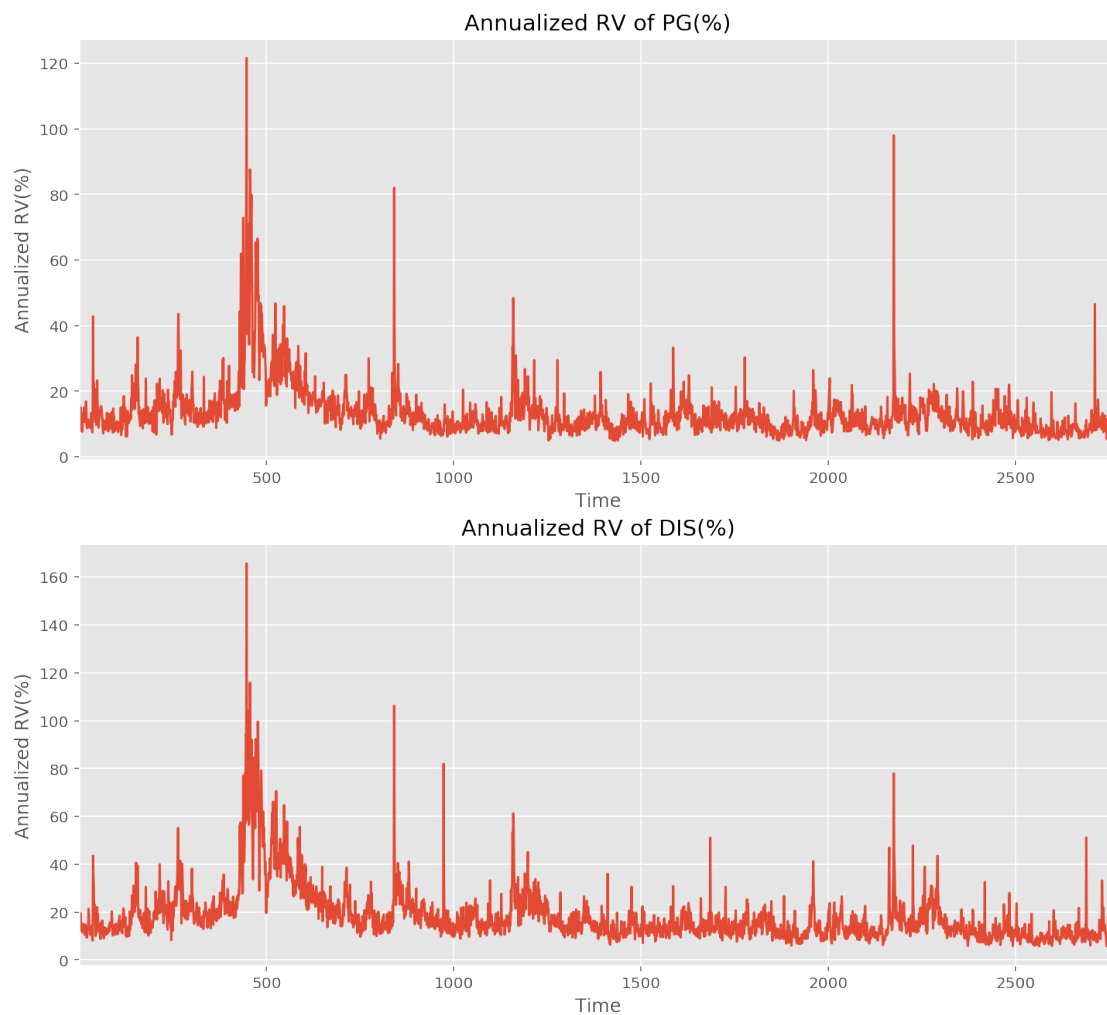
    %matplotlib inline
    %config InlineBackend.figure_format='retina'
    plt.figure(figsize=(12,11))

    plt.subplot(2,1,1)
    plt.plot(range(0,len(rv_PG)),[100*math.sqrt(252*rv) for rv in rv_PG])
    plt.title('Annualized RV of PG(%)')
    plt.xlabel('Time')
    plt.ylabel('Annualized RV(%)')
    plt.xlim(1,len(rv_PG))
```

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plt.subplot(2,1,2)
plt.plot(range(0,len(rv_DIS)),[100*math.sqrt(252*rv) for rv in rv_DIS])
plt.title('Annualized RV of DIS(%)')
plt.xlabel('Time')
plt.ylabel('Annualized RV(%)')
plt.xlim(1,len(rv_DIS))
print('')

```



3C

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[16]: #3C
from datetime import datetime
print(datetime(2017,11,20,9,27,44))

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print(datetime.strptime('20171120 0927','%Y%m%d %H%M'))
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2017-11-20 09:27:44

2017-11-20 09:27:00

(1) For the directive in function `datetime.strptime`:

`%Y`: “Year with century as a decimal number”, such as 0001, 2014...

`%m`: “Month as a zero-padded decimal number”, such as 01, 02...

`%d`: “Day of the month as a zero-padded decimal number”, such as 01,31...

`%H`: “Hour (24-hour clock) as a zero-padded decimal number”, such as 00, 01...

`%M`: “Minute as a zero-padded decimal number”, such as 01,59...

`%S`: “Second as a zero-padded decimal number”, such as 01,59...

(2) The reason to type “0927” instead of “927” is to keep the data input format consistent with the data format requirement.

3D

```
[17]: #3D
      #Obtain date strings from minute frequency data
      def mdate_str(dates,times):
          dstr=[]
          for date,time in zip(dates,times):
              dstr.append(str(date)+' '+str(time).zfill(4))
          return dstr

      datestr_PG=mdate_str(dates_PG,times_PG)
      datestr_DIS=mdate_str(dates_DIS,times_DIS)
```

3E

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[18]: #3E
      #Obtain datetimes strings from minute frequency data
      def mdate_time(dates,times):
          datestimes=[]
          for date,time in zip(dates,times):
              datestimes.append(datetime.strptime(str(date)+' '+str(time).
→zfill(4), '%Y%m%d %H%M'))
          return datestimes

      date_time_PG=mdate_time(dates_PG,times_PG)
      date_time_DIS=mdate_time(dates_DIS,times_DIS)
```

3F/G


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[19]: #3F
      #Get x-axis label
      days_PG=[]
      for day in list(dict.fromkeys(dates_PG)):
          days_PG.append(datetime.strptime(str(day), '%Y%m%d'))

      days_DIS=[]
      for day in list(dict.fromkeys(dates_DIS)):
          days_DIS.append(datetime.strptime(str(day), '%Y%m%d'))
```

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[20]: with plt.style.context("ggplot"):

      %matplotlib inline
      %config InlineBackend.figure_format='retina'
      plt.figure(figsize=(12,11))

      plt.subplot(2,1,1)
      plt.plot(days_PG, [100*math.sqrt(252*rv) for rv in rv_PG])
      plt.title('Annualized RV of PG(%)')
      plt.xlabel('Time')
      plt.ylabel('Annualized RV(%)')
      plt.xlim(days_PG[0], days_PG[-1])

      plt.subplot(2,1,2)
      plt.plot(days_PG, [100*math.sqrt(252*rv) for rv in rv_DIS])
      plt.title('Annualized RV of DIS(%)')
      plt.xlabel('Time')
      plt.ylabel('Annualized RV(%)')
      plt.xlim(days_DIS[0], days_DIS[-1])
      print('')
```

