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## Module 6:

### Non Linear Time Series

#### Introduction:

- It comprises of set of methods that extract dynamic info about the succession values in a dataset
- In linear time series, each datapoint  $x_t$  can be viewed as a linear combination of past or future values or differences
- In non-linear time series there is no straight line or direct relationship b/w independent and dependent.
- There are two types of volatility models for non-linear TS ARCH and GARCH
- The application of non-linear TS - in finance industry as many asset prices are conditional heteroskedastic
- These models are related to economic forecasting and measuring volatility  
uncertain

previous data depending on value  $\uparrow$  or  $\downarrow$  se or  $\downarrow$  se  
Autoregressive Conditional Heteroskedastic (ARCH):  
variance constant in homoskedastic but it will never be constant

- AR - The current value can be expressed as a func of prev previous value
- Conditional - variance is based on past error or any external factor
- Heteroskedasticity - this implies that the series displays unusual variance (varying variance)

#### Need of ARCH model?

- AR model are used for univariate TS data ie stationary (AR), has a trend (ARIMA) has a seasonal component (SARIMA) but these model donot model the data with a change in variance over time.
- Error term in stochastic processes generating TS were homoskedastic ie constant variance  
(stationary model)

↑ because if value of yesterday will be low.



- There are some TS where variance changes consistently over time, which is called as  $\uparrow$ se or  $\downarrow$ se Volatility
- If change in variance can be co-related overtime then it can be modelled using ARCH model.

\* When to apply ARCH model? <sup>we don't work with actual value but variance</sup>

- Fit possible model to the data - used to model the expected variance on the residual after another AR model has been used.
- Consider residual  $\epsilon_t$ , by squaring the residual and by examining the correlogram ensure that mean of residual is zero.

ARCH model of Order unity:

A TS  $\epsilon_t$  is given at each time interval by,

$$\epsilon_t = w_t * \sigma_t \text{ (unit time)}$$

where, <sup>no info to update with data</sup>

$w_t \rightarrow$  white noise with zero mean and unit variance

$$\text{var}(\epsilon_t) = \sigma_t^2 = \underbrace{\alpha_0}_{\text{mean(const)}} + \underbrace{\alpha_1}_{\text{const}} \epsilon_{t-1}^2 \text{ volatility (logged square error)}$$

$\epsilon_t$  is on ARCH model of order unity denoted by ARCH(1)

As, we are modelling error today as a function of error yesterday,

$$\epsilon_t = w_t \sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \epsilon_{t-1}^2}$$

$\nwarrow$  error from yesterday

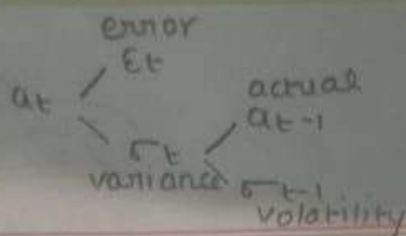
Similarly, ARCH(2) can be written as,

$$\epsilon_t = w_t \sqrt{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \epsilon_{t-1}^2 + \alpha_2 \epsilon_{t-2}^2}$$

Generalised equation of ARCH(p)

$$\epsilon_t = w_t \sqrt{\alpha_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p \alpha_i \epsilon_{t-i}^2}$$

$\uparrow$  because if value of yest is low today will be low.



## Generalised Autoregressive Conditional Heteroskedastic (GARCH)

- The problem with ARCH model is that if the data contains spike (bursty - sudden  $\uparrow$ se or  $\downarrow$ se) then ARCH model is unable to resolve the problem to which a GARCH model can be applied.

GARCH (1,1)

$$a_t = \epsilon_t \sqrt{\alpha + \alpha_1 a_{t-1}^2 + \beta_1 \sigma_{t-1}^2}$$

actual value  $\uparrow$  mean  $\uparrow$  const  $\uparrow$  past value  $\uparrow$  const  $\uparrow$  past volatility  
 actual error of current time period

GARCH (2,2)

$$a_t = \epsilon_t \sqrt{\alpha + \alpha_1 a_{t-1}^2 + \alpha_2 a_{t-2}^2 + \beta_1 \sigma_{t-1}^2 + \beta_2 \sigma_{t-2}^2}$$

past value  $\uparrow$  past volatility  $\uparrow$

- GARCH process provides a more real world context than other model when predicting the prices of rates for finance data.
- GARCH aims to ~~min~~ minimize errors in forecasting by accounting for errors in prior forecasting and enhancing accuracy of ongoing prediction.