

Returns

Case Study: IBM

```
date.from <- "2010-12-31"; date.to <- "2013-12-31"
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```
raw.IBM <- getSymbols("IBM", from = date.from, to = date.to, auto.assign = F)
```

'getSymbols' currently uses auto.assign=TRUE by default, but will use auto.assign=FALSE in 0.5-0. You will still be able to use 'loadSymbols' to automatically load data. getOption("getSymbols.env") and getOption("getSymbols.auto.assign") will still be checked for alternate defaults.

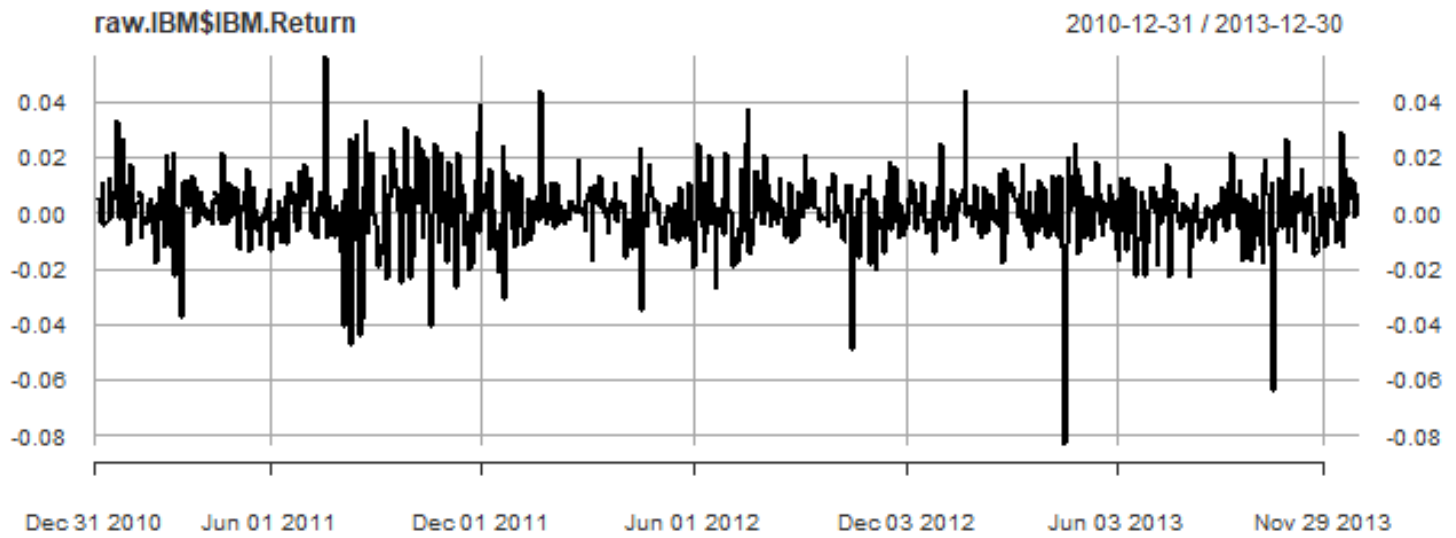
This message is shown once per session and may be disabled by setting options("getSymbols.warning4.0"=FALSE). See ?getSymbols for details.

```
raw.IBM$IBM.Return <- Delt(raw.IBM$IBM.Close)
raw.IBM$IBM.TotalReturn <- Delt(raw.IBM$IBM.Adjusted)
raw.IBM$LogReturn <- diff(log(raw.IBM$IBM.Adjusted))
```

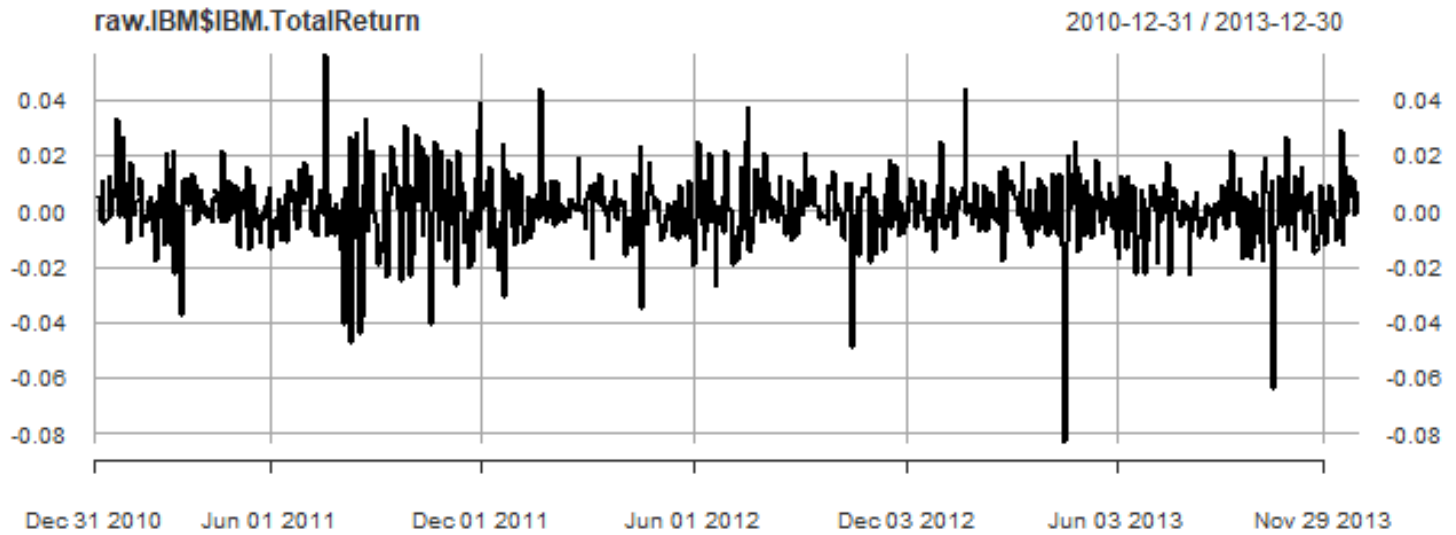
```
plot(raw.IBM$IBM.Adjusted)
```



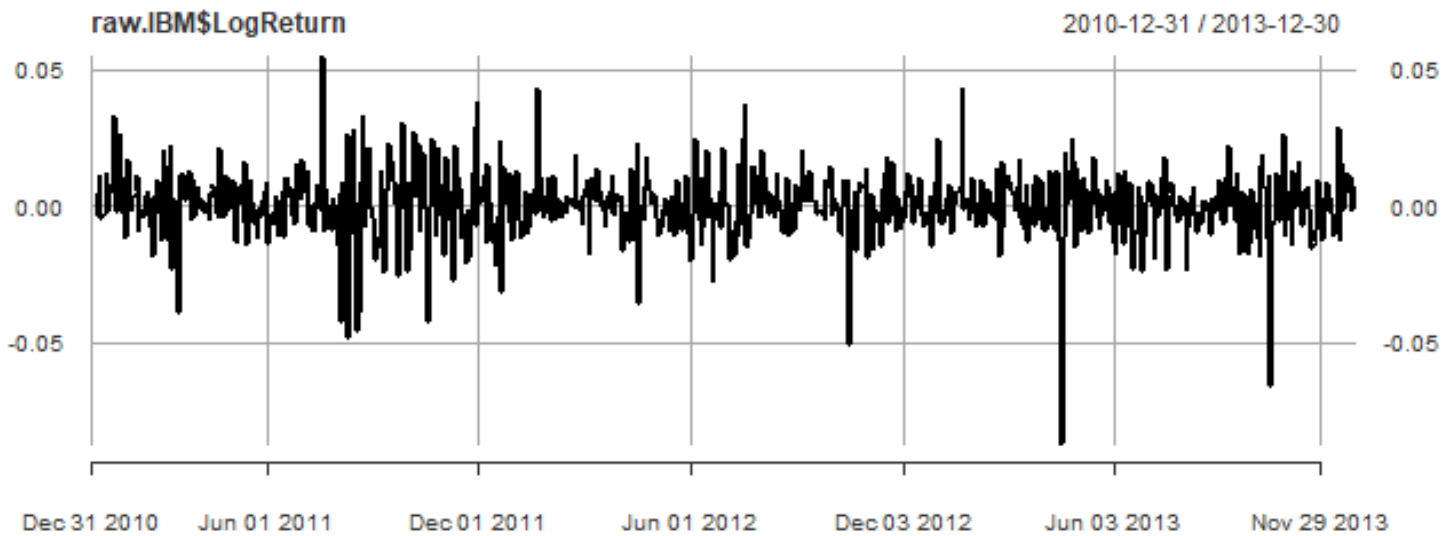
```
plot(raw.IBM$IBM.Return)
```



```
plot(raw.IBM$IBM.TotalReturn)
```



```
plot(raw.IBM$LogReturn)
```



```
raw.IBM$GrossReturn <- 1 + raw.IBM$IBM.TotalReturn
raw.IBM[1, ]$GrossReturn <- 1
raw.IBM$GrossCumulative <- cumprod(raw.IBM$GrossReturn)
raw.IBM$NetCumulative <- raw.IBM$GrossCumulative - 1
```

```
raw.IBM[nrow(raw.IBM), ]$NetCumulative
```

```
NetCumulative
2013-12-30    0.3388801
```

```
plot(raw.IBM$NetCumulative)
```



```
raw.IBM$CumLog <- raw.IBM$LogReturn
raw.IBM[1, ]$CumLog <- 0
```

```
ibm.log.ret <- sum(raw.IBM$CumLog)
exp(ibm.log.ret) - 1
```

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[1] 0.3388801
```

```
raw.IBM$PrcReturn <- raw.IBM$IBM.Return
raw.IBM$TotReturn <- raw.IBM$IBM.TotalReturn
```

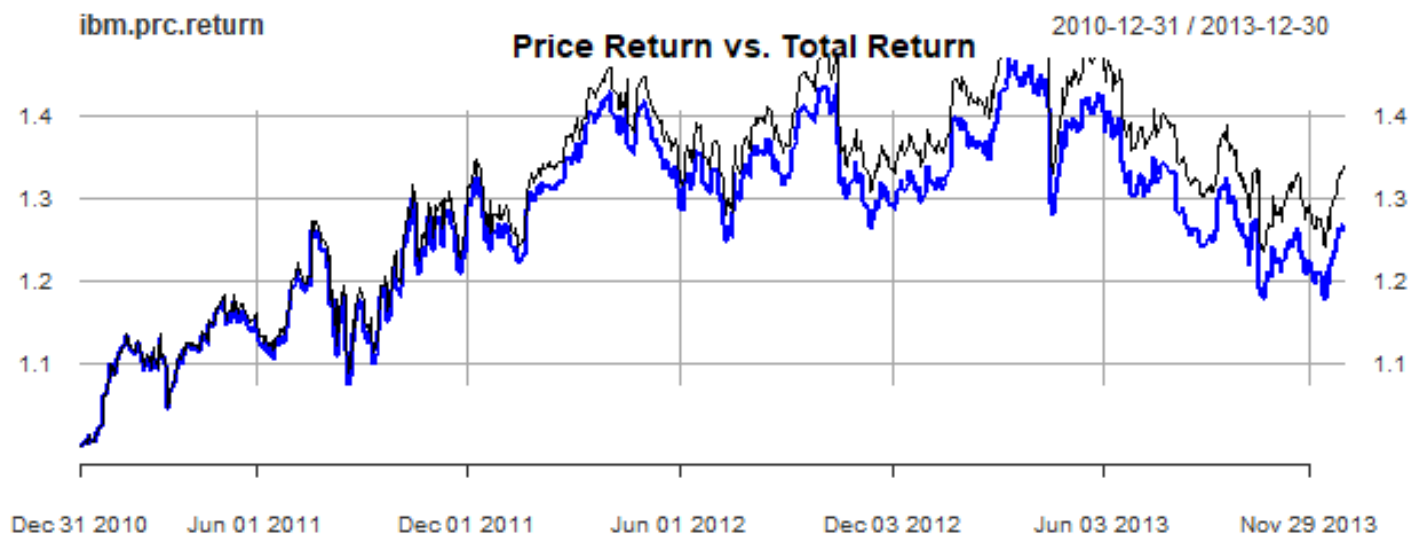
```
raw.IBM[1, ]$PrcReturn <- 0
raw.IBM[1, ]$TotReturn <- 0
```

```
ibm.prc.return <- cumprod(1 + raw.IBM$PrcReturn)
ibm.tot.return <- cumprod(1 + raw.IBM$TotReturn)
```

```
plot(ibm.prc.return, col = "blue")
```



```
lines(ibm.tot.return, col = "black")
title(main = "Price Return vs. Total Return")
```



```
data.AMZN <- getSymbols("AMZN", from = date.from, to = date.to, auto.assign = F)
```

```
amzn.returns <- data.table(index(data.AMZN), Delt(data.AMZN$AMZN.Adjusted))
colnames(amzn.returns) <- c("Date", "Return")
```

```
amzn.returns[1, ]$Return <- 0
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```
amzn.returns$CumReturn <- cumprod(1 + amzn.returns$Return)
```

```
wk <- data.AMZN; amzn.weekly <- to.weekly(wk)
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```
AMZN.weekly <- Delt(wk$AMZN.Adjusted); AMZN.weekly <- amzn.weekly[-1]
```

```
data.AMZN <- getSymbols("AMZN", from = date.from, to = date.to, auto.assign = F)
data.IBM <- getSymbols("IBM", from = date.from, to = date.to, auto.assign = F)
data.MSFT <- getSymbols("MSFT", from = date.from, to = date.to, auto.assign = F)
data.NFLX <- getSymbols("NFLX", from = date.from, to = date.to, auto.assign = F)
```

```
multi <- data.table(Date = index(data.AMZN), data.AMZN$AMZN.Adjusted, data.IBM$IBM.Adjusted, data.MSFT$MSFT.Adjusted, data.NFLX$NFLX.Adjusted)
```

```
names(multi) <- c("Date", "AMZN", "IBM", "MSFT", "NFLX")
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```
multi.growth <- data.table(Date = multi$Date, apply(multi[, !"Date"], 2, function(x) x / x[1]))
```

```
multi.growth.long <- reshape2::melt(multi.growth, id.vars = "Date")
```

```
ggplot(multi.growth.long, aes(Date, value, group = variable)) +
  geom_line(aes(col = variable)) +
  labs("Growth of $1 over Period")
```

