

# ARCH & GARCH MODELS

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# History

- Until 1980's: Econometrics focused almost solely on modeling the mean of the series (actual values of the target variable)
- Mid-1980's to now: Increased focus on volatility, what influences volatility and volatility's effect on the mean values.
- “One of the funny things about the stock market is that every time one person buys, another sells, and both think they are astute.”

- William Feather

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- Conditional variance is the measure of our uncertainty about a variable given a set of information (or data).
  - Heteroscedasticity – variance depends on external factors

$$\sigma_{cond}^2 = E(x - E(x|I))^2$$

# Heteroscedasticity

- Variance depends on external factors.
- Cross-sectional data:

$$Var(\varepsilon_i | \mathbf{x}_i) = \sigma_i^2$$

- Heteroscedasticity is a nuisance we try to avoid or correct.
- Time series data:

$$Var(\varepsilon_t | \mathbf{I}_t) = \sigma_t^2$$

- Heteroscedasticity is of interest, especially in finance, and we desire to model it!

# WHY DO WE MODEL VOLATILITY?

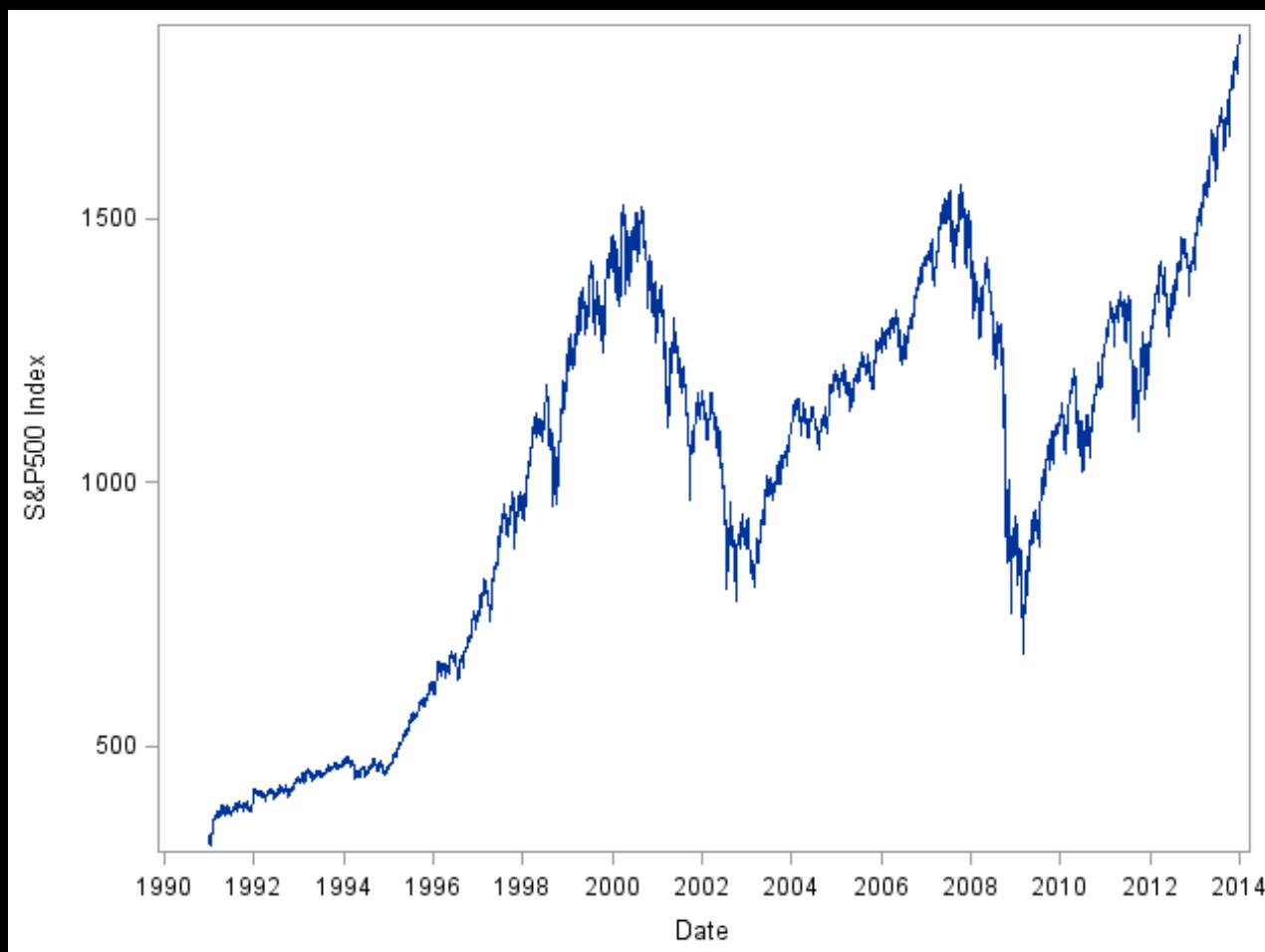
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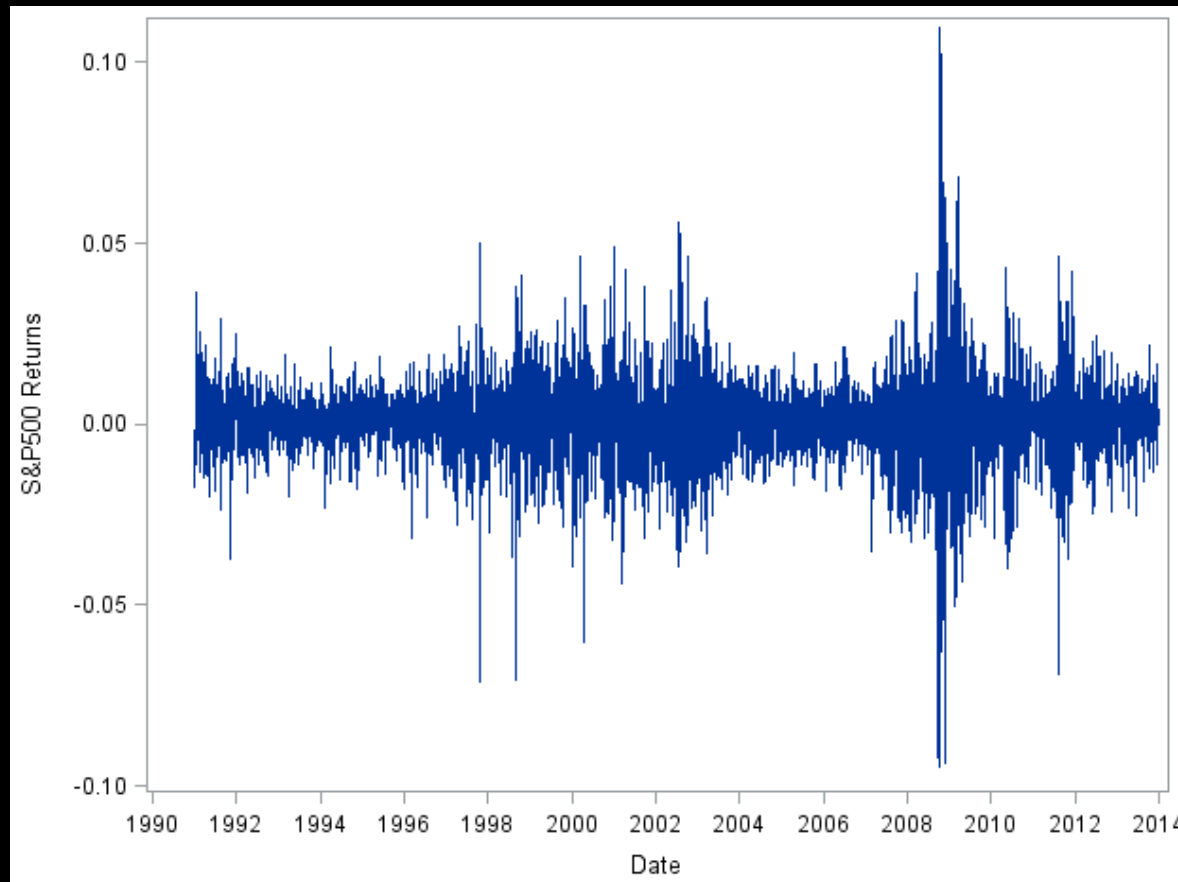
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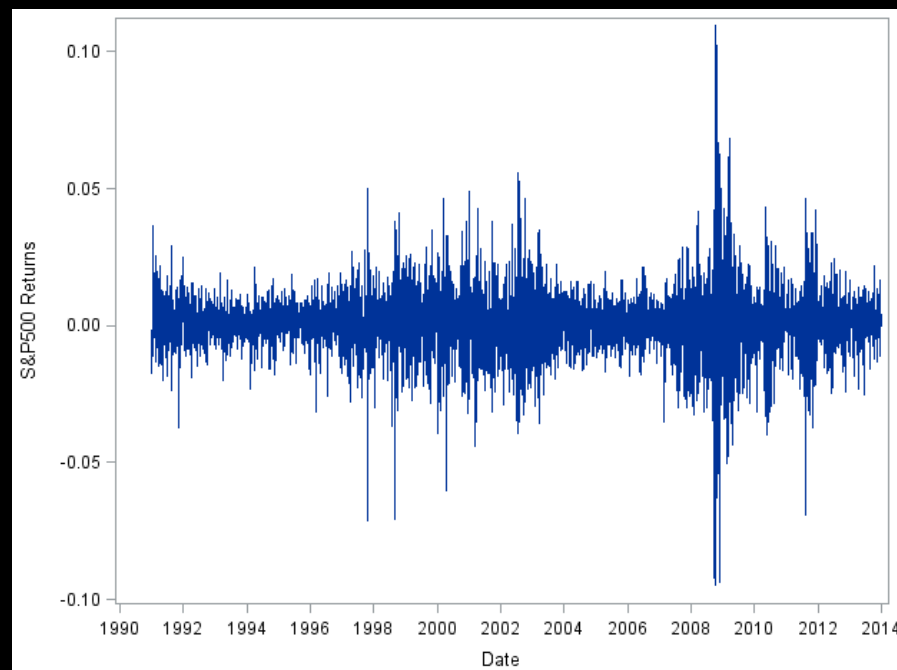
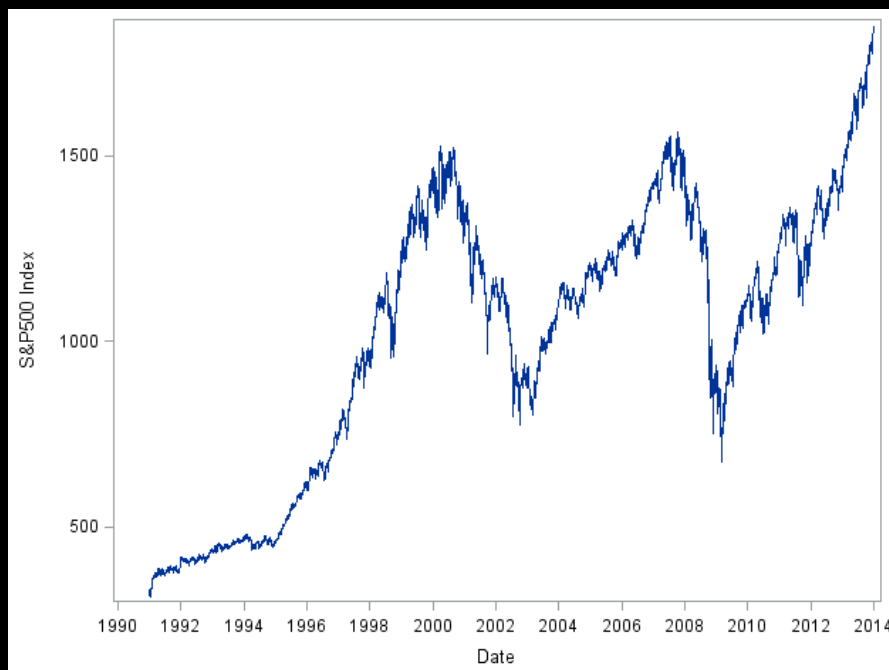


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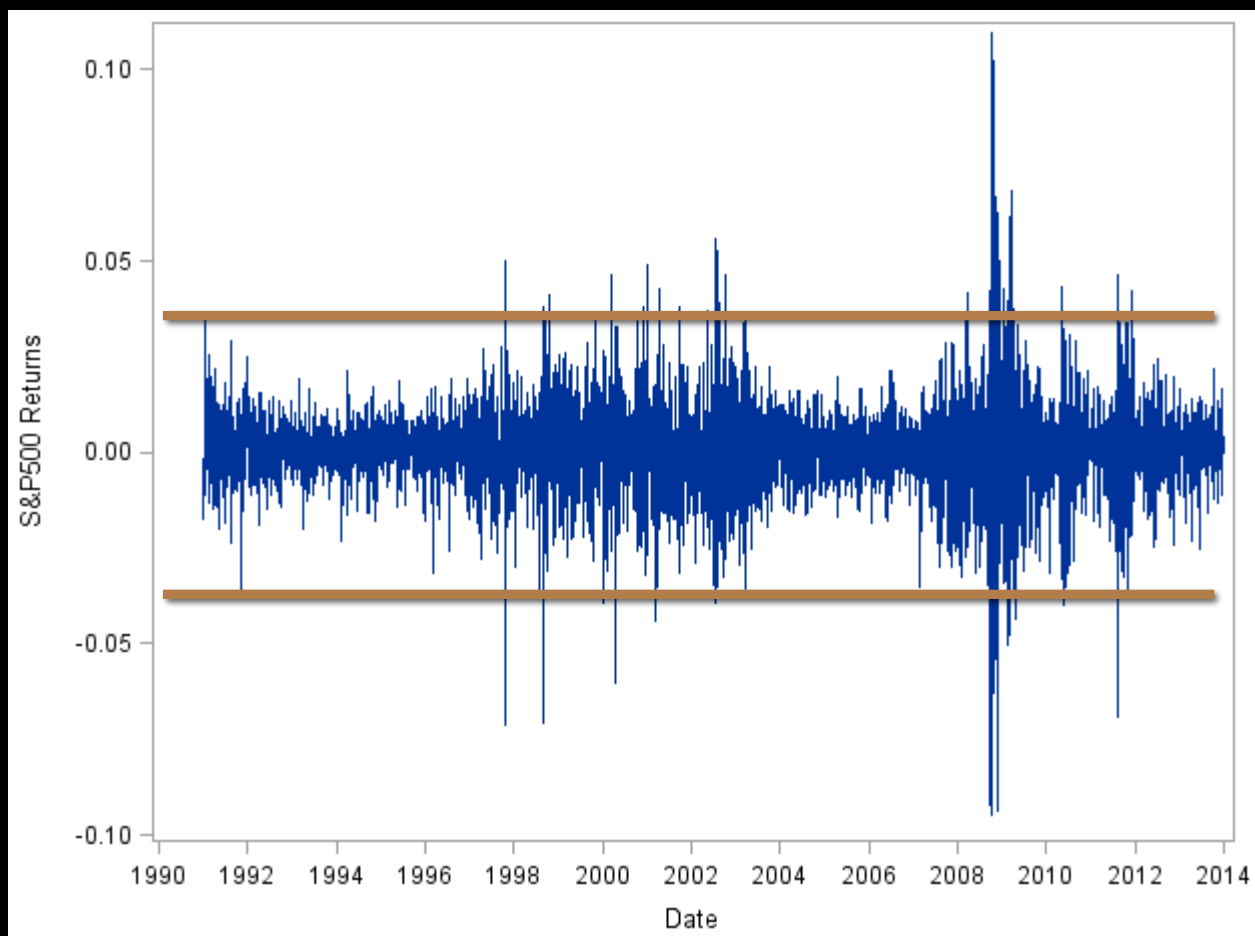
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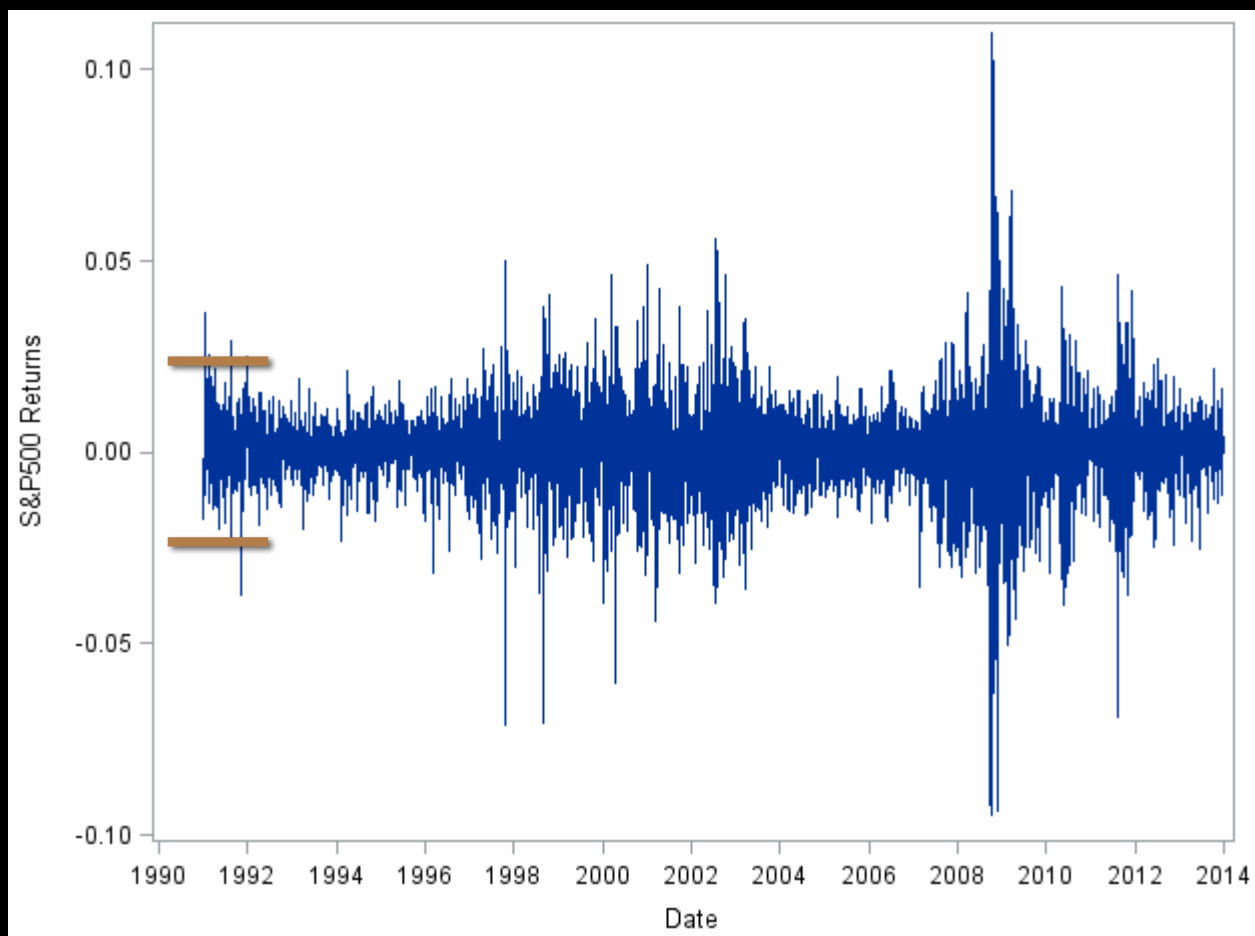
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- **Thick tails** – more outliers than what the Normal distribution would suggest.
- **Volatility clustering** – large changes tend to be followed by large changes.
- **Leverage effects** – tendency for changes in stock prices to be negatively correlated with changes in volatility.
- **Non-trading period effects** – information accumulates at a different rate when market is closed as compared to when it is open.
- **Co-movements in volatility** – volatility is positively correlated across assets in a market and even across markets.

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# Applications

- Estimating the Value at Risk
- Optimizing Allocations of Assets
- Hedging Risk
- Pricing Multiple Assets in an Option





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Simple Approaches

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# Or...

- What IF we COULD model price?
- How would this change our model?
- All you need to do is model the RESIDUALS!

$$Y_t = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{1,t} + \cdots + \beta_k x_{k,t} + \varepsilon_t$$

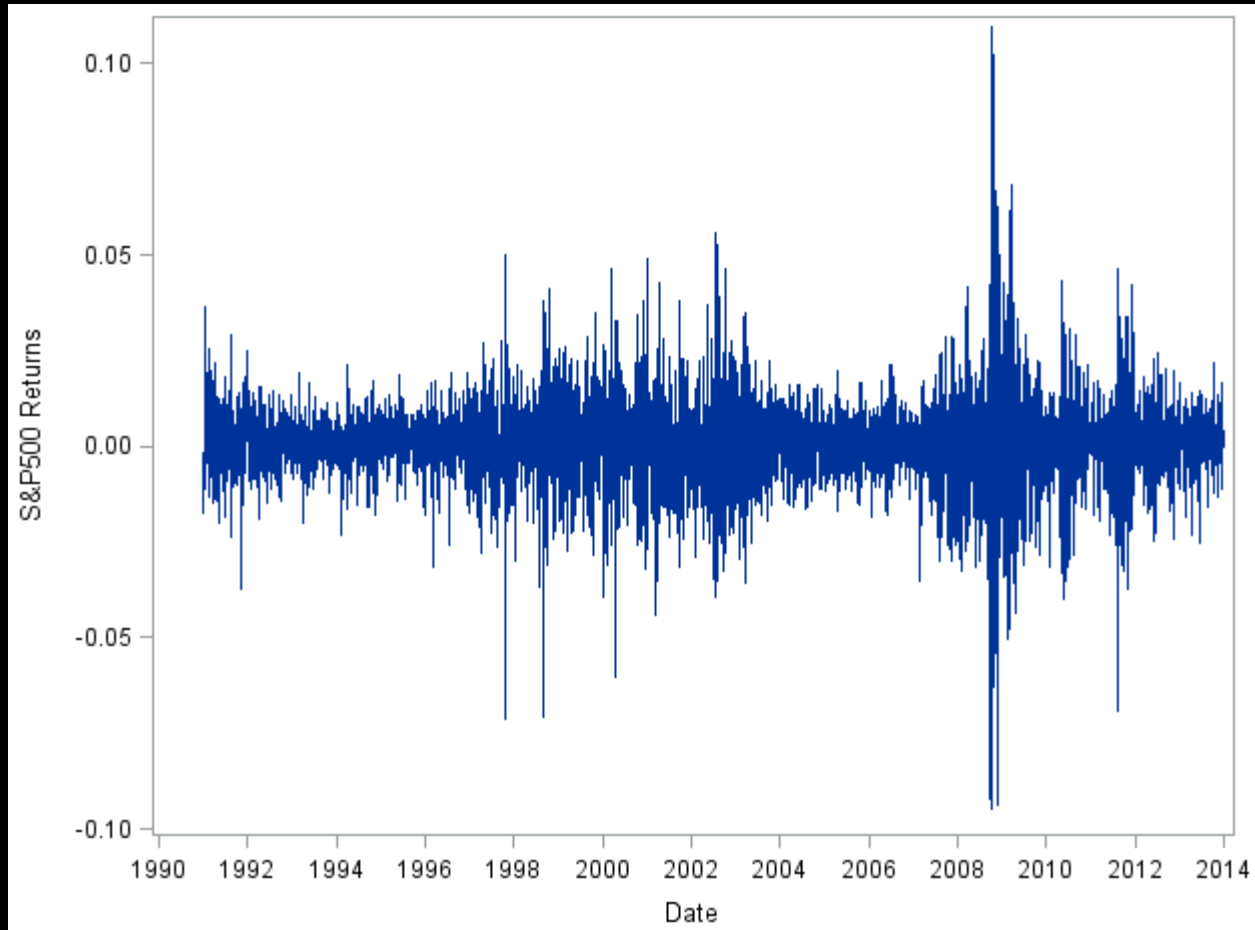
$$Y_t - (\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_{1,t} + \cdots + \hat{\beta}_k x_{k,t}) = \varepsilon_t$$

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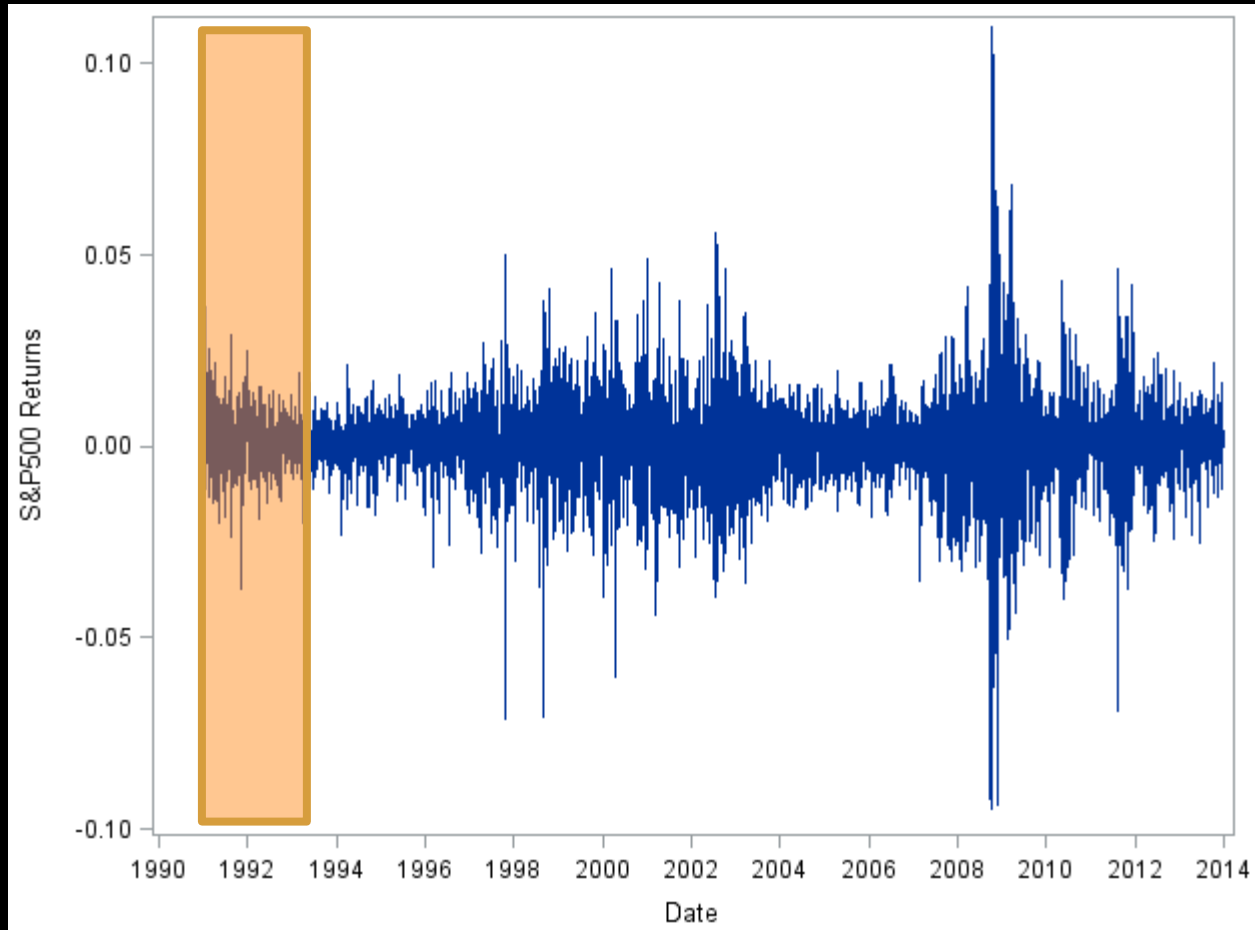
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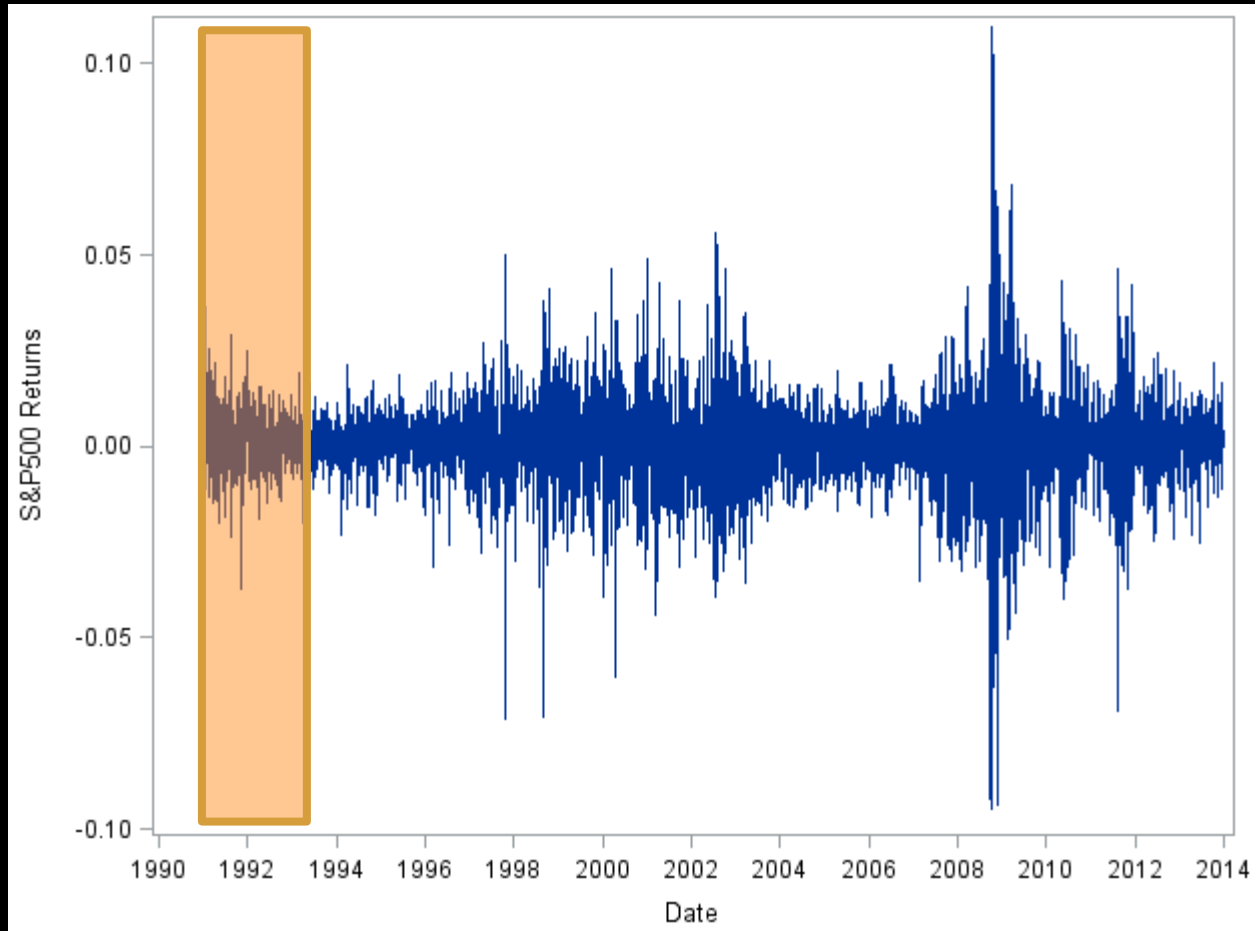
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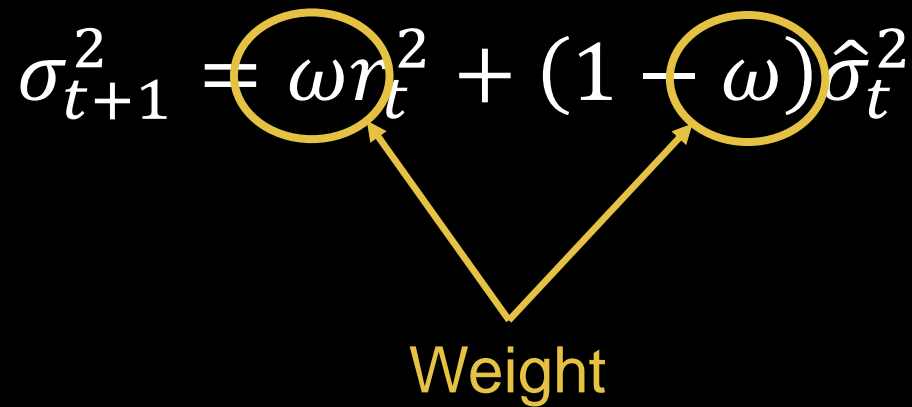
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Volatility Tomorrow      "Actual" Today      Estimated Today

The diagram illustrates the equation for volatility smoothing. The equation is  $\sigma_{t+1}^2 = \omega r_t^2 + (1 - \omega) \hat{\sigma}_t^2$ . Each term in the equation is circled in yellow. Three yellow arrows point from labels below to the circled terms: an arrow from 'Volatility Tomorrow' points to  $\sigma_{t+1}^2$ , an arrow from '"Actual" Today' points to  $r_t^2$ , and an arrow from 'Estimated Today' points to  $\hat{\sigma}_t^2$ .

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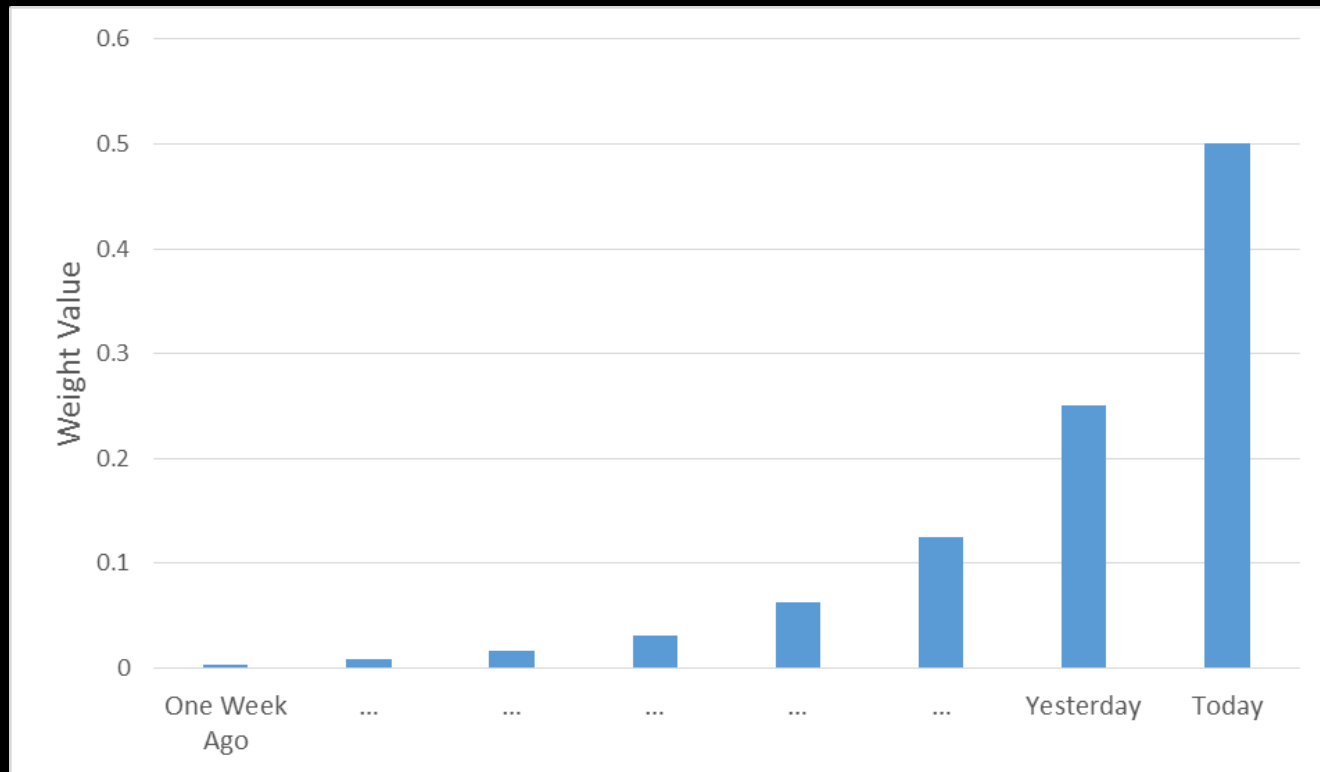
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Weight



# Weighting Time Periods – $\omega = 0.5$





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Not as Simple Approaches

# Time Series Framework

- Weighted average of the volatility
  - Higher weights on the recent past
  - Small but non-zero weights on the distant past
- Choose weights with “ARIMA-like” approaches.

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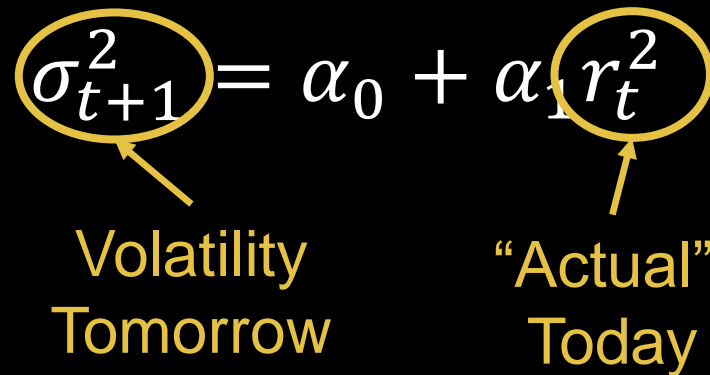
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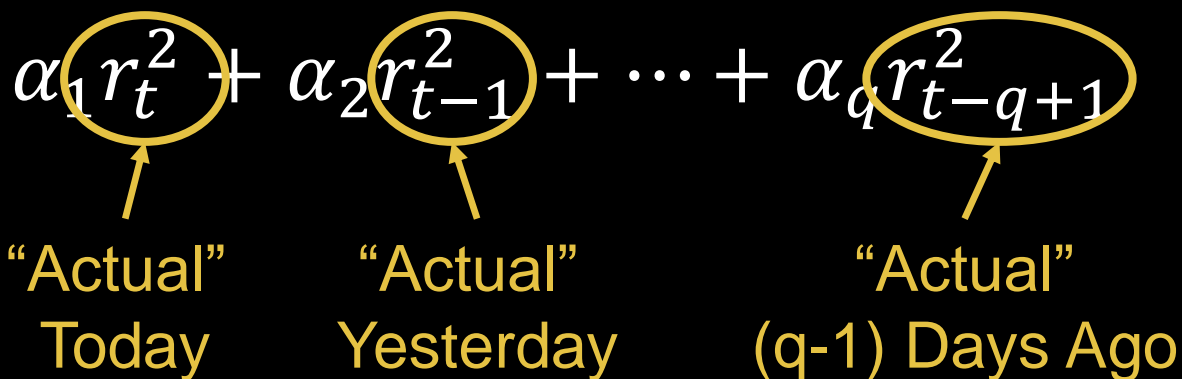
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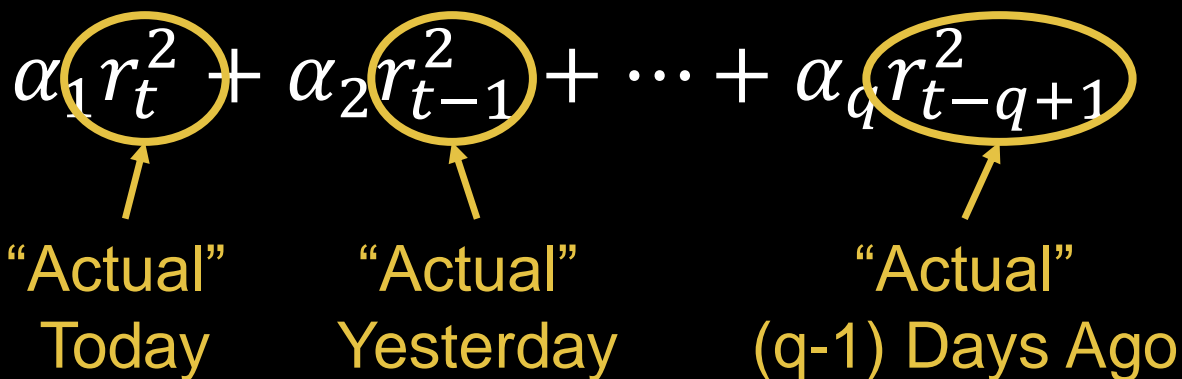
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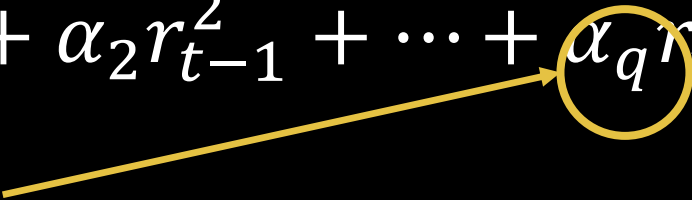
  
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- Model is a stationary one:  $\sum_{i=1}^q \alpha_i < 1$



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Real World Data  
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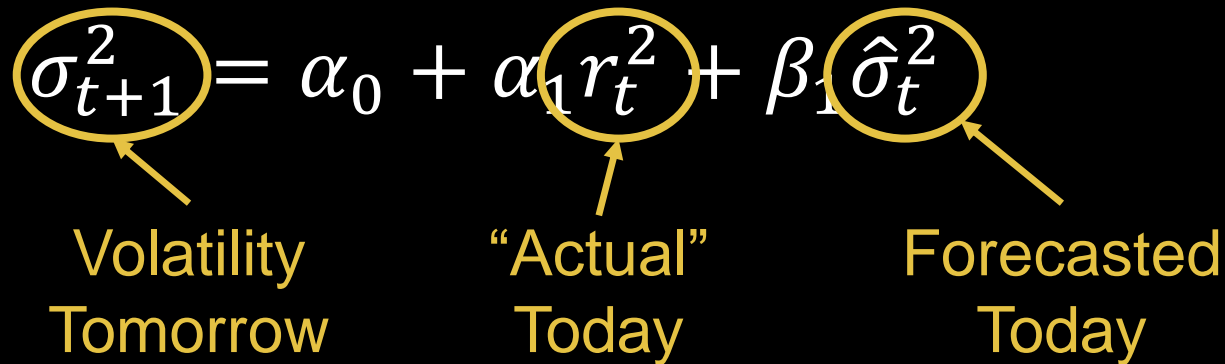
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# GARCH(1,1) Model: Restrictions

- Given that  $\sigma_t^2$  is a variance, it needs to be positive:
  - $\alpha_0 > 0$
  - $\alpha_1 > 0, \beta_1 > 0$
- Stationary model:
  - $0 < \alpha_1 + \beta_1 < 1$

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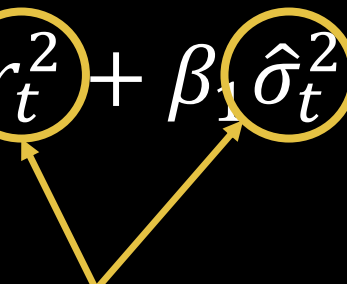
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Real World Data “Typically” Only  
Needs One of Each

# Interpretations

- If we need to “force” the constraints about  $\alpha_0$ ,  $\alpha_1$ , and  $\beta_1$  its possible that our model is not appropriate and some other GARCH-type model should be used.
- The parameter  $\alpha_i$  measures the reaction of conditional volatility to market shocks.
  - Large values (above 0.1) imply volatility is very sensitive to market events.
- The parameter  $\beta_i$  measures the persistence in conditional volatility.
  - Large values (above 0.9) imply volatility takes a long time to die out following a crisis in the market.

# Interpretations

- The  $(\alpha_i + \beta_i)$  determines the rate of convergence of the conditional volatility to the long term average level.
  - Large values (above 0.99) imply the terms structure of the volatility forecasts from the GARCH model is relatively flat.
- The constant  $\alpha_0$  together with  $(\alpha_i + \beta_i)$  determines the level of the long term average volatility (the unconditional variance in the GARCH model).
  - The larger the value, the higher the long term volatility in the market.



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- Null hypothesis for both tests is the same:

$$H_0: \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \cdots = \alpha_q = 0$$



# Test for ARCH Effects – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks all plots(unpack);  
    model msft_r = / archtest;  
run;
```

# Test for ARCH Effects – SAS

Tests for ARCH Disturbances Based on OLS Residuals

Order	Q	Pr > Q	LM	Pr > LM
1	74.7445	<.0001	73.9627	<.0001
2	130.8748	<.0001	112.1915	<.0001
3	162.6548	<.0001	125.6564	<.0001
4	210.0613	<.0001	149.3698	<.0001
5	284.1277	<.0001	187.2482	<.0001
6	329.7092	<.0001	199.1051	<.0001
7	392.3084	<.0001	219.8552	<.0001
8	418.4616	<.0001	221.6982	<.0001
9	452.1992	<.0001	226.4152	<.0001
10	550.9404	<.0001	267.5159	<.0001
11	636.4519	<.0001	290.2650	<.0001
12	665.1030	<.0001	290.3338	<.0001

# Test for ARCH Effects – R

```
arch.test(arima(stocks$msft_r[-1], order = c(0,0,0)), output = TRUE)
```

```
ARCH heteroscedasticity test for residuals
alternative: heteroscedastic
```

```
Portmanteau-Q test:
```

	order	PQ	p.value
[1,]	4	208	0
[2,]	8	413	0
[3,]	12	657	0
[4,]	16	716	0
[5,]	20	829	0
[6,]	24	911	0

```
Lagrange-Multiplier test:
```

	order	LM	p.value
[1,]	4	5001	0
[2,]	8	1942	0
[3,]	12	1097	0
[4,]	16	810	0
[5,]	20	616	0
[6,]	24	508	0

```
> |
```

# GARCH Model – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks OUTEST=param_estimates;  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1)  
                    method=ml;  
  output out=garch_n ht=predicted_var;  
run;
```

# GARCH Model – SAS

## The AUTOREG Procedure

Ordinary Least Squares Estimates			
SSE	0.89945877	DFE	3018
MSE	0.0002980	Root MSE	0.01726
SBC	-15936.352	AIC	-15936.352
MAE	0.01161738	AICC	-15936.352
MAPE	101.145797	HQC	-15936.352
Durbin-Watson	2.1353	Total R-Square	0.0000
NOTE: No intercept term is used. R-squares are redefined.			

Algorithm converged.

# GARCH Model – SAS

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GARCH Estimates			
SSE	0.89945877	Observations	3018
MSE	0.0002980	Uncond Var	0.0002958
Log Likelihood	8295.74749	Total R-Square	0.0000
SBC	-16567.458	AIC	-16585.495
MAE	0.01161983	AICC	-16585.487
MAPE	100	HQC	-16579.009
		Normality Test	5832.2647
		Pr > ChiSq	<.0001

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Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Approx Pr >  t
ARCH0	1	4.523E-6	5.11E-7	8.85	<.0001
ARCH1	1	0.0495	0.003517	14.08	<.0001
GARCH1	1	0.9352	0.004417	211.75	<.0001

# GARCH Model – R

```
# Estimate Different GARCH Models #  
GARCH.N <- garchFit(formula= ~ garch(1,1), data=stocks$msft_r[-1],  
                    cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE)  
summary(GARCH.N)
```

# GARCH Model – R

```
# Estimate Different GARCH Models #  
GARCH.N <- garchFit(formula= ~ garch(1,1), data=stocks$msft_r[-1],  
  cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE)  
summary(GARCH.N)
```



# GARCH Model – R

```
Call:
garchFit(formula = ~garch(1, 1), data = stocks$msft_r[-1], con
orm",
include.mean = FALSE)
```

```
Mean and Variance Equation:
data ~ garch(1, 1)
<environment: 0x000001abd5ebbee0>
[data = stocks$msft_r[-1]]
```

```
Conditional Distribution:
norm
```

```
Coefficient(s):
      omega      alpha1      beta1
4.5081e-06  4.9738e-02  9.3519e-01
```

```
Std. Errors:
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```

```
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```

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# GARCH Model – R

## Standardised Residuals Tests:

			Statistic	p-Value
Jarque-Bera Test	R	$\chi^2$	5867.137	0
Shapiro-Wilk Test	R	W	0.9430056	0
Ljung-Box Test	R	Q(10)	21.29929	0.0191006
Ljung-Box Test	R	Q(15)	26.13155	0.03666253
Ljung-Box Test	R	Q(20)	37.35677	0.01060077
Ljung-Box Test	$R^2$	Q(10)	2.133788	0.9952081
Ljung-Box Test	$R^2$	Q(15)	4.94395	0.9925904
Ljung-Box Test	$R^2$	Q(20)	7.459505	0.9948826
LM Arch Test	R	$TR^2$	2.373413	0.9985811

## Information Criterion Statistics:

AIC	BIC	SIC	HQIC
-5.495524	-5.489548	-5.495526	-5.493375



# EXTENSIONS TO ARCH/GARCH MODELING

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# Extensions to GARCH Framework

- What if the distribution is not Normal?
- What if the underlying distribution is not symmetric?
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# Extensions to GARCH Framework

- What if the distribution is not Normal?
  - Test Normality with Jarque-Berra (J-B) test.
  - Null hypothesis is that the standardized residuals follow the Normal distribution.
  - Test follows  $\chi^2_2$ .
- What if the underlying distribution is not symmetric?
- What if the variance actually affected the value of the return directly?

# J-B Test of Normality – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks all plots(unpack);  
    model msft_r = / normal;  
run;
```



# J-B Test of Normality – SAS

Miscellaneous Statistics			
Statistic	Value	Prob	Label
Normal Test	10717.2460	<.0001	Pr > ChiSq

# J-B Test of Normality – R

```
jb.test(stocks$msft_r[-1])
```

```
series 1  
test stat 10717.25  
p-value 0.00  
> |
```

# Extensions to GARCH Framework

- What if the distribution is not Normal?
  - Bollerslev (1986) developed the t-GARCH model that has an underlying t-distribution instead of a Normal distribution.
- What if the underlying distribution is not symmetric?
- What if the variance actually affected the value of the return directly?

# t-GARCH – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks OUTEST=param_estimates;  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1)  
                                dist=t method=ml;  
  output out=garch_t ht=predicted_var;  
run;
```

# t-GARCH – SAS

Parameter Estimates						
Variable	DF	Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Approx Pr >  t	Variable Label
ARCH0	1	3.7094E-6	1.1E-6	3.37	0.0007	
ARCH1	1	0.0625	0.009735	6.42	<.0001	
GARCH1	1	0.9279	0.0103	90.43	<.0001	
TDFI	1	0.2391	0.0177	13.48	<.0001	Inverse of t DF

# t-GARCH – R

```
GARCH.t <- garchFit(formula= ~ garch(1,1), data=stocks$msft_r[-1],  
                    cond.dist="std", include.mean = FALSE)  
summary(GARCH.t)
```

# t-GARCH – R

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                     cond.dist="std", include.mean = FALSE)
summary(GARCH.t)
```

Error Analysis:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )	
omega	3.688e-06	1.342e-06	2.748	0.00599	**
alpha1	6.287e-02	1.219e-02	5.156	2.52e-07	***
beta1	9.280e-01	1.381e-02	67.181	< 2e-16	***
shape	4.164e+00	3.240e-01	12.851	< 2e-16	***

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Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Log Likelihood:

8527.507      normalized: 2.825549

# Normal GARCH or t-GARCH

- Formal test for Normality.
- Compare using Information criteria.
- Formal test for d.f. of t-distribution.
  - Likelihood Ratio (LR) test to see if inverse of d.f.  $\approx 0$



# Extensions to GARCH Framework

- What if the distribution is not Normal?
- What if the underlying distribution is not symmetric?
  - Nelson (1991) developed the EGARCH model to account for the **leverage effect** in certain data sets.
  - The leverage effect is when variance increases more when a return is negative compared to when a return is positive.
- What if the variance actually affected the value of the return directly?

# EGARCH – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks OUTEST=param_estimates;  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1,  
                                type=exp) method=ml;  
  output out=egarch ht=predicted_var;  
run;
```

# EGARCH – SAS

Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Approx Pr >  t
EARCH0	1	-0.1260	0.0144	-8.75	<.0001
EARCH1	1	0.1003	0.006410	15.65	<.0001
EGARCH1	1	0.9837	0.001767	556.78	<.0001
THETA	1	-0.3457	0.0630	-5.49	<.0001



# EGARCH – R

```

*-----*
*              GARCH Model Fit              *
*-----*

Conditional Variance Dynamics
-----
GARCH Model      : eGARCH(1,1)
Mean Model       : ARFIMA(1,0,1)
Distribution      : norm

Optimal Parameters
-----

```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
mu	0.000425	0.000214	1.9824	0.047434
ar1	0.782657	0.043066	18.1735	0.000000
ma1	-0.822819	0.039414	-20.8765	0.000000
omega	-0.138585	0.002286	-60.6263	0.000000
alpha1	-0.025584	0.006879	-3.7191	0.000200
beta1	0.982215	0.000229	4289.9173	0.000000
gamma1	0.108548	0.004829	22.4778	0.000000

```

Robust Standard Errors:

```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
mu	0.000425	0.000229	1.8539	0.063748
ar1	0.782657	0.023923	32.7162	0.000000
ma1	-0.822819	0.019510	-42.1739	0.000000
omega	-0.138585	0.005463	-25.3699	0.000000
alpha1	-0.025584	0.015675	-1.6322	0.102634
beta1	0.982215	0.000544	1806.8671	0.000000
gamma1	0.108548	0.009359	11.5984	0.000000

```

LogLikelihood : 8317.322

```

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*-----*
```

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# QGARCH Model

- An alternative model to capture the asymmetries and leverage effects.
- Introduces  $\lambda$  into model.

$$\sigma_t^2 = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1(\varepsilon_t - \lambda)^2 + \beta_1\sigma_{t-1}^2$$

# QGARCH – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks OUTEST=param_estimates;  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1,  
                                type=QGARCH) method=ml;  
  output out=qgarch ht=predicted_var;  
  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1,  
                                type=QGARCH) dist=t method=ml;  
  output out=qgarch_t ht=predicted_var;  
  
run;
```



# QGARCH – SAS

Parameter Estimates						
Variable	DF	Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Approx Pr >  t	Variable Label
QARCHA0	1	0	0	.	.	
QARCHA1	1	0.0662	0.009916	6.67	<.0001	
QARCHB1	1	0.009745	0.001019	9.57	<.0001	
QGARCH1	1	0.9170	0.0100	91.42	<.0001	
TDFI	1	0.2359	0.0168	14.07	<.0001	Inverse of t DF

# Skewed GARCH – R

```
Skew.GARCH.N <- garchFit(formula= ~ garch(1,1), data=stocks$msft_r[-1],  
                          cond.dist="snorm", include.mean = FALSE)  
summary(Skew.GARCH.N)  
  
Skew.GARCH.t <- garchFit(formula= ~ garch(1,1), data=stocks$msft_r[-1],  
                          cond.dist="sstd", include.mean = FALSE)  
summary(Skew.GARCH.t)
```

# Skewed GARCH – R

## Error Analysis:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )	
omega	3.720e-06	1.352e-06	2.751	0.00594	**
alpha1	6.305e-02	1.225e-02	5.146	2.66e-07	***
beta1	9.278e-01	1.387e-02	66.878	< 2e-16	***
skew	9.906e-01	2.122e-02	46.691	< 2e-16	***
shape	4.159e+00	3.238e-01	12.846	< 2e-16	***

---

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

## Log Likelihood:

8527.605      normalized: 2.825581

# Extensions to GARCH Framework

- What if the distribution is not Normal?
- What if the underlying distribution is not symmetric?
- What if the variance actually affected the value of the return directly?
  - Referred to as GARCH-M models, where M stands for mean.

# GARCH-M – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks OUTEST=param_estimates;  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1,  
                                mean=linear) method=ml;  
  output out=garch_m ht=predicted_var;  
run;
```


# GARCH-M – R

```
GARCH.M <- ugarchfit(data = stocks$msft_r[-1],  
                     spec = ugarchspec(variance.model=list(model="sGARCH",  
                                                           garchOrder=c(1,1)),  
                                       mean.model=list(armaOrder=c(0,0))))  
GARCH.M
```

# Exponentially Weighted Moving Average

- The Exponentially Weighted Moving Average (EWMA) model can be considered a “special” GARCH(1,1) model where:
  - $\alpha_0 = 0$
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# EWMA – SAS

```
proc autoreg data=Stocks OUTEST=param_estimates;  
  model msft_r = / noint garch=(p=1, q=1,  
                                type=integ, noint)  
                                method=ml;  
  output out=ewma ht=predicted_var;  
run;
```

# EWMA – SAS

Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Approx Pr >  t
ARCH1	1	1.0537E-8	0	Infty	<.0001
GARCH1	1	1.0000	0	Infty	<.0001

# EWMA – R

```
EWMA <- ugarchfit(data = stocks$msft_r[-1],  
                  spec = ugarchspec(variance.model=list(model="iGARCH",  
                                                         garchOrder=c(1,1),  
                                                         variance.targeting=0),  
                                     mean.model=list(armaOrder=c(0,0))))
```

EWMA

# EWMA – R

```
*-----*
*           GARCH Model Fit           *
*-----*
```

## Conditional Variance Dynamics

```
-----
GARCH Model      : iGARCH(1,1)
Mean Model       : ARFIMA(0,0,0)
Distribution      : norm
```

## Optimal Parameters

```
-----
      Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
mu      0.000591   0.000269   2.1961 0.028081
alpha1  0.029232   0.002559  11.4226 0.000000
beta1    0.970768         NA         NA         NA
omega    0.000000         NA         NA         NA
```

## Robust Standard Errors:

```
      Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
mu      0.000591   0.000339   1.7428 0.081369
alpha1  0.029232   0.005749   5.0843 0.000000
beta1    0.970768         NA         NA         NA
omega    0.000000         NA         NA         NA
```

```
LogLikelihood : 8263.003
```

# Many, Many, Many GARCH Models

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- AGARCH
- ANN-ARCH
- ANST-GARCH
- APARCH
- ARCH-M
- ARCH-SM
- ATGARCH
- Aug-GARCH
- AVGARCH
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- BEKK-GARCH
- CCC-GARCH
- Censored-GARCH
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- DTARCH
- DVEC-GARCH
- EGARCH
- EVT-GARCH
- F-ARCH
- FDCC-GARCH
- FGARCH
- FIAPARCH
- FIEGARCH
- FIGARCH
- FIREGARCH
- Flex-GARCH
- GAARCH
- GARCH-Delta
- GARCH Diffusion
- GARCH-EAR
- GARCH-Gamma
- GARCH-M
- GARCHS
- GARCHSK
- GARCH-t
- GARCH-X
- GARCHX
- GARJI
- GDCC-GARCH
- GED-GARCH
- GJR-GARCH
- GO-GARCH
- GQARCH
- GQTARCH
- HARCH
- HGARCH
- HYGARCH
- IGARCH
- LARCH
- Latent GARCH
- Level GARCH
- LGARCH
- LMGARCH
- Log-GARCH
- MAR-ARCH
- MARCH
- Matrix EGARCH
- MGARCH
- Mixture GARCH
- MS-GARCH
- MV-GARCH
- NAGARCH
- NGARCH
- NL-GARCH
- NM-GARCH
- OGARCH
- PARCH
- PC-GARCH
- PGARCH
- PNP-GARCH
- QARCH
- QTARCH
- REGARCH
- RGARCH
- Robust GARCH
- Root GARCH
- RS-GARCH
- Robust DCC-GARCH
- SGARCH
- S-GARCH
- Sign-GARCH
- SPARCH
- Spline-GARCH
- SQR-GARCH
- STARCH
- Stdev-ARCH
- STGARCH
- Structural GARCH
- Strong GARCH
- SWARCH
- TGARCH
- t-GARCH
- Tobit-GARCH
- TS-GARCH
- UGARCH
- VCC-GARCH
- VGARCH
- VSGARCH
- Weak GARCH
- ZARCH

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Every day, self-proclaimed stock market “experts” tell us why the market just went up or down, as if they really knew. So where were they yesterday?!?

- Anonymous