## R Code used in Review Lecture

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This file contains the code corresponding to the review lecture. The review lecture can be downloaded here

#### Slides 8 and 10

• Using R as calculator to compute expected returns, variance of returns of hypothetical investments in slides 8 and 10

```
#Expected return of investment in risk-free treasury bills. .
e_r_f <- 1 * 1500/1000000
print(e_r_f)

## [1] 0.0015

#Expected and variance of return of investment in risky startup
e_r <- .5 * (-1) + .5 * 1005000/1000000
print(e_r)

## [1] 0.0025

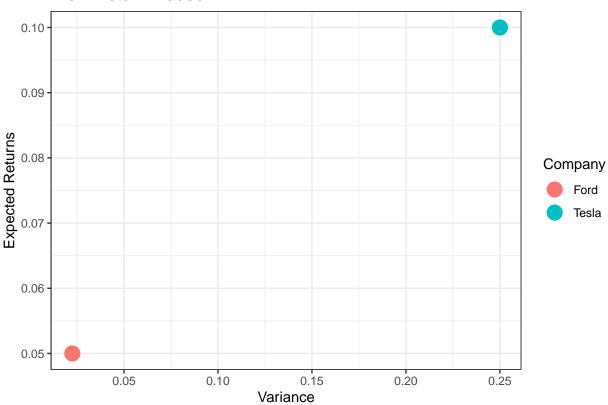
v_r <- .5 *(-1-e_r)^2 + .5 * (1005000/1000000-e_r)^2
print(v_r)

## [1] 1.005006</pre>
```

#### **Slides 13-14**

- Hypothetical example of risk-return tradeoff for investing in Ford vs Tesla.
- creating the figures for slides 13-14
- using ggplot2 to create the figure, you need to install the package first if you have not done so already.

## Risk-Return Tradeoff



#### **Slides 17-18**

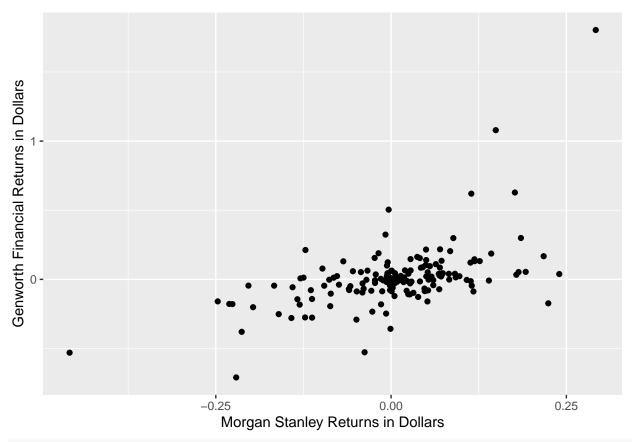
- Example of Morgan Stanley and Genworth Financial returns
- $r_B$  are Morgan Stanley monthly returns
- $r_C$  are returns Genworth Financial monthly returns.
- use readstata13 package to read in data set in STATA format. You need to install package first if you have not done so already.

```
library(readstata13) #need this library for read.dta13 function, data set is in STATA format.data <- read.dta13("https://edward-vytlacil.github.io/Data/financeR.dta")

cov(data$r_B,data$r_C)

## [1] 0.01325161
```

```
ggplot(data,aes(x=data$r_B,y=data$r_C))+
  geom_point()+
  xlab("Morgan Stanley Returns in Dollars")+
  ylab("Genworth Financial Returns in Dollars")
```



cor(data\$r\_B,data\$r\_C)

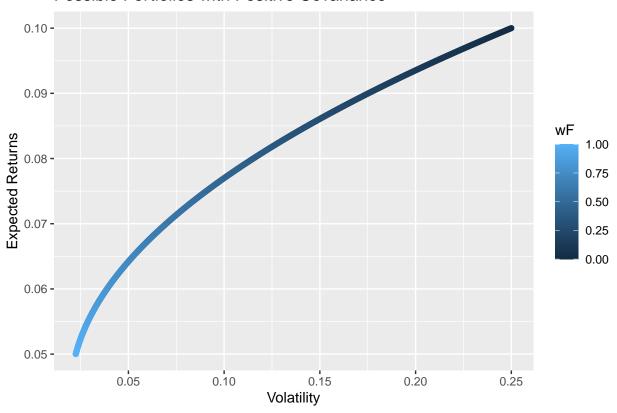
## [1] 0.5437336

#### Slide 27-88

- Risk-Return tradeoff (expected return/variance of return tradeoff) for portfolio with:
- wF fraction of investment in Ford
- wT fraction of investment in Tesla
- Scenario with  ${\bf positive}$   ${\bf covariance}$  in returns

```
ggtitle("Possible Portfolios with Positive Covariance") +
xlab("Volatility") +
ylab("Expected Returns")
```

## Possible Portfolios with Positive Covariance



#### **Slides 32-33**

- Risk-Return tradeoff (expected return/variance of return tradeoff) for portfolio with:
- wF fraction of investment in Ford
- wT fraction of investment in Tesla
- Scenario with **negative covariance** in returns

```
#library(ggplot2)
er_F <- 0.05  # Expected Returns
er_T <- 0.1
var_F <- 0.0225  # Variances/Risk
var_T <- 0.25
cov_FT <- - 0.045  # Covariance

weights <- seq(from = 0, to = 1, length.out = 1000)
tab <- data.frame(wF = weights, wT = 1 - weights)
tab$er_p <- tab$wF * er_F + tab$wT * er_T
tab$var_p <- tab$wF^2*var_F +tab$wT^2*var_T +2* tab$wF *(1 - tab$wF)*cov_FT</pre>
ggplot() + geom_point(data = tab,
```

```
aes(x = var_p, y = er_p, color = wF)) +
theme_bw() +
ggtitle("Possible Portfolios with Negative Covariance") +
xlab("Volatility") +
ylab("Expected Returns")
```

# Possible Portfolios with Negative Covariance

