Financial Econometrics

R Commands Used in Lecture 8

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Command: RiskMetrics

```
> da=read.table("d-ibm-0110.txt",header=T) ### Loading the data
> head(da)
> ibm=log(da$return+1)
> nibm=-ibm
### RiskMetrics #########
> source("RMfit.R")
> RMfit(nibm)
### One can use default parameter beta = 0.96 without estimation
with the following command
```

> RMfit(nibm,estim=F)

Command: Econometric Modeling

```
> require(fGarch)
> m1=garchFit(~garch(1,1),data=nibm,trace=F)
> summary(m1)
> pm1=predict(m1,10)
> pm1
> source("RMeasure.R")
> RMeasure(-.0006,.00782)
> names(pm1)
```

Command: 10-day VaR

- > v1=sqrt(sum(pm1\$standardDeviation^2))
 > RMeasure(-0.006,v1)
 > m2=garchFit(~garch(1,1),data=nibm,trace=F,cond.dist="std")
- > summary(m2)
- > pm2=predict(m2,1)
- > pm2
- > RMeasure(-.000411,.0081,cond.dist="std",df=5.751)

Command: Empirical Quantile and Quantile Regression

```
> quantile(nibm,c(0.95,0.99,0.999))
> da1=read.table("d-ibm-rq.txt",header=T)
> fix(da1)
> require(quantreg)
> m3=rq(nibm~vol+vix,data=da1,tau=0.95)
> summary(m3)
> ts.plot(nibm)
> lines(m3$fitted.values,col="red")
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Command: Extreme Value Theory

- > require(evir)
- > m4=gev(nibn,block=21)
- > m4
- > source("evtVaR.R")
- > evtVaR(0.2517,0.0103,0.0297)

Command: Peaks over Threshold

- > m4a=pot(nibm,thres=0.01)
- > plot(m4a)
- > riskmeasures(m4a,c(0.95,0.99,0.999))

Command: Generalized Pareto Distribution

- > m5=gpd(nibm,0.01)
- > m5
- > plot(m5)
- > riskmeasures(m5,c(0.95,0.99,0.999))

Command: Simulation to Check on Limiting Distribution of Maximum

- > source("EVTsim.R") ## The file has two functions: EVTsim and qgumble
- > m1 <- EVTsim(n=500,iter=5000)
- > quantile(m1\$stmax,prob=c(0.95,0.975,0.99))
- > qgumble(prob=c(0.95,0.975,0.99)) ## Compute quantile of the standard Gumble distribution