

TIME-VARYING RETURNS

KERRY BACK



RETIREMENT PLANNING AGAIN

PREVIOUS EXAMPLE

ACCOUNT BALANCE IN A LOOP

ACCOUNT BALANCE WITH FUTURE VALUE FACTORS

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1 r = np.random.normal(loc=mn, scale=sd, size=T)
2 D = D1 * (1+g)**np.arange(R)
3 W = W1 * (1+h)**np.arange(T-R)
4
5 fvFactors = np.flip(np.cumprod(np.flip(1+r)))
6 fvFactors = np.concatenate((fvFactors, [1]))
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8 B0 = np.concatenate(([B0], np.zeros(T)))
9 D = np.concatenate([0], D, np.zeros(T-R))
10 W = np.concatenate((np.zeros(R), W, [0]))
11 CF = B0 + D - W
12 BT = np.sum(CF*fvFactors)
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