

## Part 4 MC and multivariate distribution

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# MC simulation and multivariate distribution

To simulate  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  with distribution function  $F(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ :

- ① Calculate  $F_1(x_1)$  the distribution function of  $X_1$ ; simulate  $U_1 \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$  and return  $X_1 = F_1^{\leftarrow}(U_1)$ .
- ② Calculate  $F_{2|1}(x_2|x_1)$ , the conditional distribution function of  $X_2$  given  $X_1$ ; simulate  $U_2 \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$  and return  $X_2 = F_{2|1}^{\leftarrow}(U_2)$ .
- ③ Calculate  $F_{3|2,1}(x_3|x_2, x_1)$ , the conditional distribution function of  $X_3$  given  $X_2$  and  $X_1$ ; simulate  $U_3 \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$  and return  $X_3 = F_{3|2,1}^{\leftarrow}(U_3)$ .
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- ④ Calculate  $F_{n|n-1,\dots,1}(x_n|x_{n-1}, \dots, x_1)$ , the conditional distribution function of  $X_n$  given  $X_{n-1}, \dots, X_1$ ; simulate  $U_n \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$  and return  $X_n = F_{n|(n-1),\dots,1}^{\leftarrow}(U_n)$ .

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Example: Given  $(X, Y)$  with multivariate distribution function  $F(x, y) : (0, \infty)^2 \rightarrow [0, 1]$  and

$$F(x, y) = 1 - \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{y+1} + \frac{1}{1+x+y}$$

- 1 Calculate the distribution  $F_X$  of  $X$  and  $F_Y$  of  $Y$ ?
- 2  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent?
- 3 Calculate the conditional distribution  $F_{Y|X}(y|x)$

$$F_{Y|X}(y|x) = \mathbb{P}(Y \leq y | X = x) = \frac{\partial F(x, y) / \partial x}{f_X(x)}$$

- 4 Simulate  $X$  based on  $F_X$  then simulate  $Y$  based on  $F_{Y|X}(y|x)$

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- 1 Distribution  $F_X$  of  $X$  and  $F_Y$  of  $Y$

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① Distribution  $F_X$  of  $X$  and  $F_Y$  of  $Y$

$$\begin{aligned}F_X(x) &= F(x, \infty) = 1 - \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{1+\infty} + \frac{1}{1+x+\infty} \\&= 1 - \frac{1}{x+1}\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$F_Y(y) = 1 - \frac{1}{y+1}$$

Density functions of  $X$  and  $Y$

$$\begin{aligned}f_X(x) &= \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} \\f_Y(y) &= \frac{1}{(y+1)^2}\end{aligned}$$

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- 2  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent if and only if

$$\begin{aligned}F(x, y) &= \mathbb{P}(X \leq x, Y \leq y) \\&= \mathbb{P}(X \leq x)\mathbb{P}(Y \leq y) \\&= F_X(x)F_Y(y) \quad \forall x, y\end{aligned}$$

However

$$\begin{aligned}F(x, y) &= 1 - \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{y+1} + \frac{1}{1+x+y} \\F_X(x)F_Y(y) &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{x+1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{y+1}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$\rightarrow X$  and  $Y$  are NOT independent.

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- 3 Calculate the conditional distribution  $F_{Y|X}(y|x)$

$$F_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{\partial F(x, y) / \partial x}{f_X(x)}$$

We have

$$\frac{\partial F(x, y)}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} - \frac{1}{(1+x+y)^2}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} F_{Y|X}(y|x) &= \left( \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} - \frac{1}{(1+x+y)^2} \right) (1+x)^2 \\ &= 1 - \frac{(1+x)^2}{(1+x+y)^2} \end{aligned}$$



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- ④ Calculate the inverse function of  $F_X(x)$  and  $F_{Y|X}(y|x)$  (a function of  $y$  given  $x$ )

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- 4 Calculate the inverse function of  $F_X(x)$  and  $F_{Y|X}(y|x)$  (a function of  $y$  given  $x$ )

$$F_X^{\leftarrow}(t) = \frac{1}{1-t} - 1$$

$$F_{Y|X}^{\leftarrow}(t|x) = (1+x) \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t}} - 1 \right)$$

To simulate  $(X, Y)$

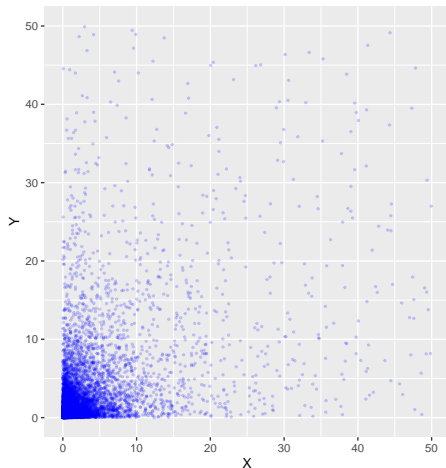
- Simulate  $U_1 \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$ , return  $X = \frac{1}{1-U_1} - 1$
- Simulate  $U_2 \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 1)$ , return  $Y = (1 + X_1) \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-U_2}} - 1 \right)$

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```
N<-10^3
u1<-runif(N,0,1)
u2<-runif(N,0,1)
X<-(1)/(1-u1)-1
Y<-(1+X)*(1/(1-u2)^0.5-1)
# INDEPENDENT X1 and Y1
X1<-(1)/(1-u1)-1
Y1<-(1)/(1-u2)-1
dat<-data.frame("X"=X,"Y"=Y,"X1"=X1,"Y1"=Y1)
p1<-ggplot(dat,aes(X,Y))+geom_point(cex=0.5,alpha=0.5,color="k")
  ggtitle("Correct dependent structure")
p2<-ggplot(dat,aes(X1,Y1))+geom_point(cex=0.5,alpha=0.5,color="k")
  ggtitle("Independent variable")
grid.arrange(p1, p2, ncol=2)
```

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Correct dependent structure



Independent variables



# MC simulation and multivariate distribution

Given  $(X, Y)$  with multivariate distribution function  $F(x, y) : (0, 1)^2 \rightarrow [0, 1]$  and

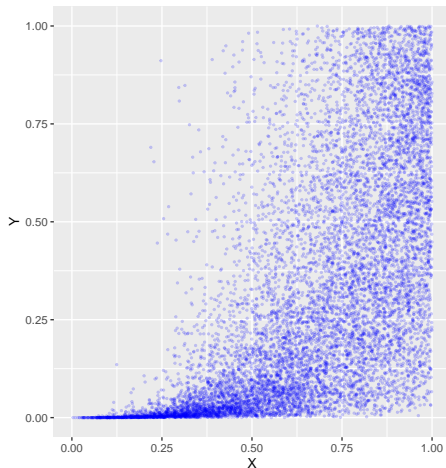
$$F(x, y) = \left( x^{-2\theta} + y^{-\theta/2} - 1 \right)^{-1/\theta}$$

with  $\theta > 0$

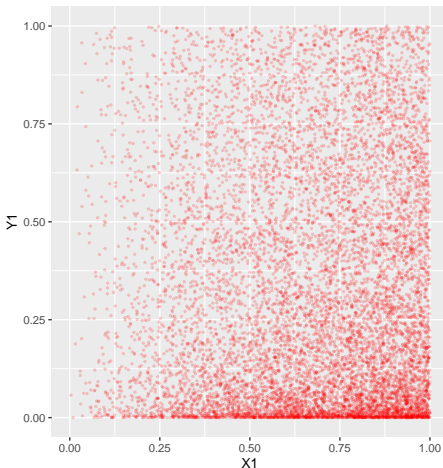
- 1 Calculate  $F_X(x)$ ,  $F_{Y|X}(y|x)$
- 2 Calculate  $F_X^{\leftarrow}(x)$ ,  $F_{Y|X}^{\leftarrow}(y|x)$
- 3 With  $\theta = \dots$ , simulate  $(X, Y)$
- 4 Calculate  $\mathbb{P}(X + Y > 0.8)$  with  $\theta = \dots$

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# MC simulation and multivariate normal distribution

- In some cases, the simulation of dependent random variables does not need the calculation of conditional distribution, multivariate normal random variable is an example.
- Suppose that  $\mathbf{N} = (N_1, N_2, \dots, N_k)'$  is a  $k$ -dimensional normal random vector with mean  $\mu$  and covariance matrix  $\Sigma$

$$\mu = \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \\ \dots \\ \mu_k \end{pmatrix} ; \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{11} & \sigma_{12} & \dots & \sigma_{1k} \\ \sigma_{21} & \sigma_{22} & \dots & \sigma_{2k} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \sigma_{k1} & \sigma_{k2} & \dots & \sigma_{kk} \end{pmatrix}$$

- We can prove that  $\mathbf{N} = \mu + \mathbf{CZ}$  where  $\mathbf{Z} = (Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_k)'$  is the vector of  $k$  i.i.d standard normal r.v and matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  is the Cholesky decomposition of  $\Sigma$ :  $\Sigma = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}'$

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Given  $\mathbf{N} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \Sigma)$  where

$$\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} ; \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Find a lower triangular matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  such that  $\Sigma = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{C}'$
- Using stochastic representation  $\mathbf{N} = \mu + \mathbf{C}\mathbf{Z}$  to simulate  $\mathbf{N}$ .



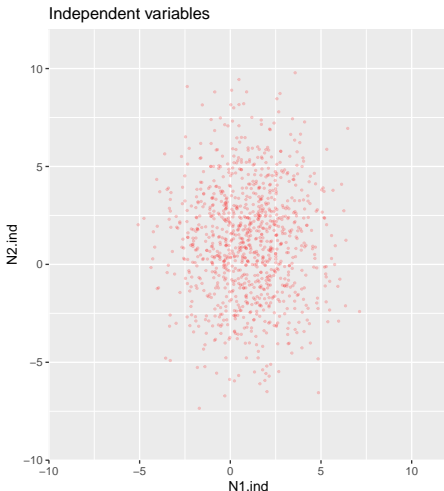
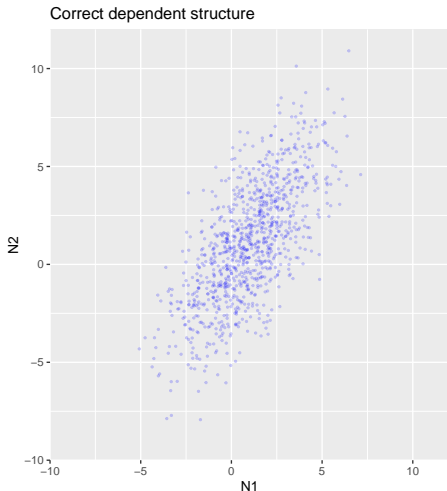
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```
n<-1000
Z<-matrix(rnorm(2*n,0,1),2,n)
C<-matrix(c(2,2,0,5^0.5),2,2)
mu<-matrix(rep(c(1,1),n),2,n)
N<-mu + C %*% Z

# INDEPENDENT X1 and Y1
C1<-matrix(c(2,0,0,3),2,2)
N1<-mu+C1 %*% Z

dat<-data.frame("N1"=N[1,],"N2"=N[2,],"N1.ind"=N1[1,],"N2.ind"=N1[2,])
p1<-ggplot(dat,aes(N1,N2))+geom_point(cex=0.5,alpha=0.2,color="red")
ggtitle("Correct dependent structure")+xlim(c(-9,11))+ylim(c(-9,11))
p2<-ggplot(dat,aes(N1.ind,N2.ind))+geom_point(cex=0.5,alpha=0.2,color="red")
ggtitle("Independent variables")+xlim(c(-9,11))+ylim(c(-9,11))
grid.arrange(p1, p2, ncol=2)
```

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- The function  $\text{chol}(M)$  return the **transpose** of the cholesky decomposition matrix  $M$ .

```
Sigma<-matrix(c(4,4,4,9),2,2)
t(chol(Sigma))
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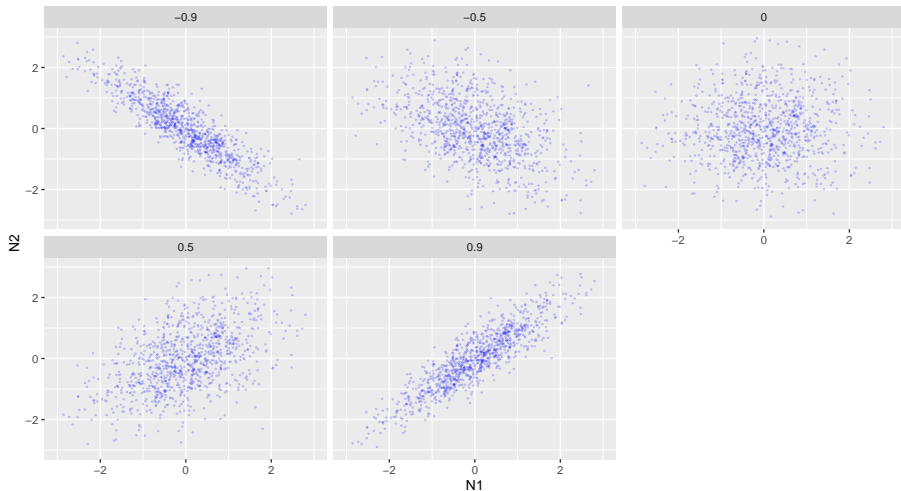
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##          [,1]      [,2]
## [1,]      2 0.000000
## [2,]      2 2.236068
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- Simulate  $N = (N_1, N_2)$  where  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  are standard normal r.v and correlation between  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  is  $\rho$ ;  $\rho = -0.9, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 0.9$  respectively

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```
rho<-c(-0.9,-0.5,0,0.5,0.9)
n<-1000
N<-matrix(0,2,5*n)
Z<-matrix(rnorm(2*n,0,1),2,n)
for (i in 1:5){
  C<-matrix(c(1,rho[i],rho[i],1),2,2)
  N[,((i-1)*n+1):(i*n)]<-t(chol(C)) %*% Z
}
dat<-data.frame("N1"=N[1,],"N2"=N[2,],
                gr=(((1:(5*n))-1) %/% n + 1))
dat<-mutate(dat,cor=as.factor(rho[gr]))
dat%>%ggplot(aes(N1,N2))+
  geom_point(cex=0.2,alpha=0.2,col="blue")+
  xlim(c(-3,3))+
  ylim(c(-3,3))+facet_wrap(~cor)
```

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# Bivariate Brownian motion

A 2-dimensional Brownian motion  $B_t = (B_t^{(1)}, B_t^{(2)})$  is defined as follows:

- 1  $B_0 = (0, 0)$
- 2  $(B_{t_2}^{(i)} - B_{t_1}^{(i)})$  and  $(B_{s_2}^{(j)} - B_{s_1}^{(j)})$  are independent for all  $1 \leq i, j \leq 2$  and  $s_1 \leq s_2 \leq t_1 \leq t_2$
- 3  $(B_{t_2}^{(1)} - B_{t_1}^{(1)}, B_{t_2}^{(2)} - B_{t_1}^{(2)})$  is a 2-dimensional normal random vector with mean  $\mu$  and covariance matrix  $\Sigma$

$$\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} ; \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} (t_2 - t_1) & \rho(t_2 - t_1) \\ \rho(t_2 - t_1) & (t_2 - t_1) \end{pmatrix}$$

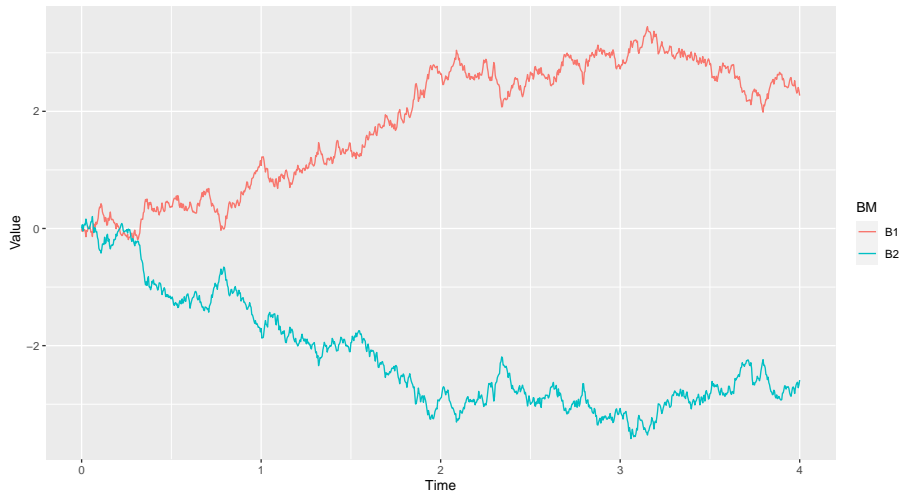
where  $\rho$  is the correlation between these Brownian motions.

# Bivariate Brownian motion

Simulate a 2-dimensional Brownian motion from 0 to  $T$  with  $T = 4$ ,  $n = 1000$  and  $\rho = -0.9, 0, 0.9$ , respectively

```
T<-4
n<-1000
delta<-T/n
d<-2
rho<-0.9
Bt<-matrix(0,d,(n+1))
C<-t(chol(matrix(c(delta,rho*delta,rho*delta,delta),d,d)))
for (i in 2:(n+1)){
  dBt<-C%*%rnorm(d,0,1)
  Bt[,i]<-Bt[,i-1]+dBt
}
dat<-data.frame("B1"=Bt[1,], "B2"=Bt[2,], Time=seq(0,T,T/n))
dat<-gather(dat,BM,Value,B1:paste0("B",d))
dat%>%ggplot(aes(Time,Value,group=BM,col=BM))+geom_line()
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# Bivariate Brownian motion



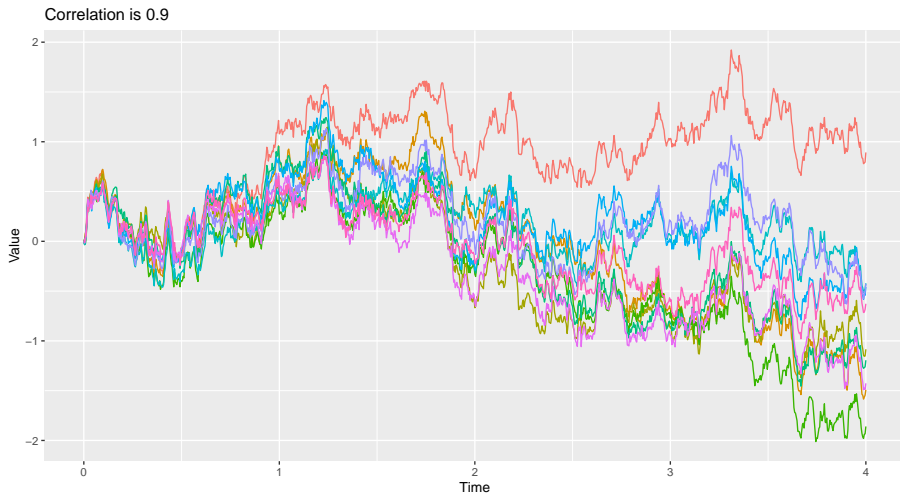


# Multivariate Brownian motion

Simulate a  $d$ -dimensional Brownian motion from 0 to  $T$  with  $d = 10$ ,  $T = 4$ ,  $n = 1000$  and  $\rho_{ij} = 0.9$  for all  $1 \leq i, j \leq d$  and  $i \neq j$

```
d<-10
rho<-0.9
Bt<-matrix(0,d,(n+1))
Sigma<-matrix(rho,d,d)
Sigma<-delta*(Sigma + diag(1-rho,d,d))
C<-t(chol(Sigma))
for (i in 2:(n+1)){
  dBt<-C%*%rnorm(d,0,1)
  Bt[,i]<-Bt[,i-1]+dBt
}
dat<-as.data.frame(t(Bt))
names(dat)<-paste0("B",1:d)
dat<-dat%>%mutate(Time=seq(0,T,T/n))%>%
  gather(dat,BM,Value,B1:paste0("B",d))
```

# Multivariate Brownian motion



# Multivariate Brownian motion

2 groups – correlation between 2 groups is  $-0.9$



# Application of multivariate Brownian motion

In one factor (One Brownian motion) short rate models (Vasicek, CIR) the continuously compounded spot rates  $R(t, T)$  is a function of  $r_t$

$$\begin{aligned}P(t, T) &= A(t, T) \times \exp(-B(t, T)r_t) \\R(t, T) &= \frac{-\log(P(t, T))}{(T - t)} \\&= a(t, T) + r_t b(t, T)\end{aligned}$$

where  $a(t, T)$  and  $b(t, T)$  are deterministic functions. With  $T_1 < T_2$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{cor}(R(t, T_1), R(t, T_2)) &= \text{cor}(a(t, T_1) + r_t b(t, T_1), a(t, T_2) + r_t b(t, T_2)) \\&= 1 \quad \forall T_1 < T_2\end{aligned}$$

→ the price of 1-month ZC bond and the price of 30-years ZC bond are perfectly correlated!!!

# Application of multivariate Brownian motion

- The two-factor version of Vasicek short rate model (G2 model):

$$\begin{aligned}r_t &= x_t + y_t \\x_t &= \kappa_x(\theta_x - x_t)dt + \sigma_x dB_t^{(1)} \\y_t &= \kappa_y(\theta_y - y_t)dt + \sigma_y dB_t^{(2)}\end{aligned}$$

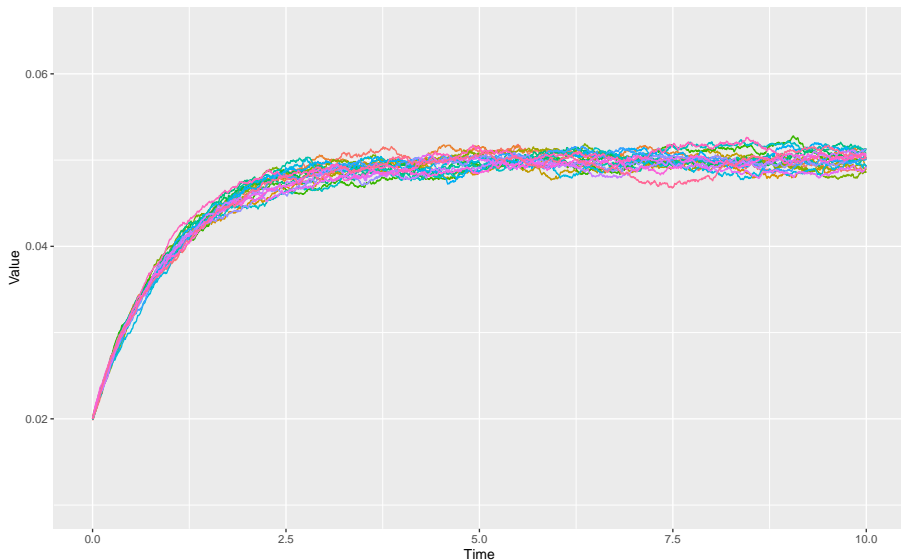
where  $(B_t^{(1)}, B_t^{(2)})$  is a 2-dimensional Brownian motion with correlation  $\rho$

- Simulate  $r_t$  from G2 model with  $\rho = -0.9, 0, 0.9$ ,  $T = 10$ ,  $n = 2500$  and

$$\begin{aligned}x_0 &= 1\%, \kappa_x = 1, \theta_x = 2.5\%, \sigma_x = 0.25\% \\y_0 &= 1\%, \kappa_y = 1, \theta_y = 2.5\%, \sigma_y = 0.25\%\end{aligned}$$

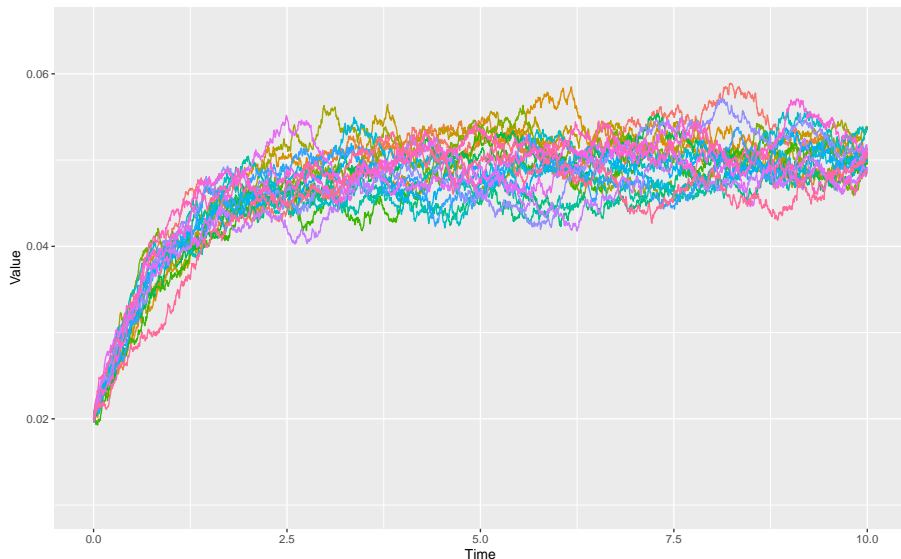
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20 paths of  $r_t$  from G2 model; correlation between 2  $B_t$  is  $-0.9$



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20 paths of  $r_t$  from G2 model; correlation between 2  $B_t$  is 0



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20 paths of  $r_t$  from G2 model; correlation between 2  $B_t$  is 0.9

