

Ch 10 : GARCH model

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Conditional Mean and Variance

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1.1 Conditional Mean and Variance

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- Suppose Y_t is AR(1) series observation
- (unconditional) Mean

$$E(Y_t) = 0$$

- (unconditional) Variance

$$V(Y_t) = \gamma(0) = (1 + \phi_1^2)\sigma^2$$

Conditional Mean

- Conditonal Mean:

$$E\left(Y_t \mid \text{all variables realized by yesterday.}\right)$$

- Conditonal mean of AR(1): $Y_t = \phi Y_{t-1} + e_t$

$$\begin{aligned} E\left(Y_t \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= E\left(\phi Y_{t-1} + e_t \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= \phi Y_{t-1} + E(e_t) = \phi Y_{t-1}. \end{aligned}$$

- Conditional variance

$$\begin{aligned} V\left(Y_t \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= V\left(\phi Y_{t-1} + e_t \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= V(e_t) = \sigma^2 \end{aligned}$$

```
n=200
Y <- arima.sim(n = n, list(ar = c(0.8) ))

v.AR1 = (1+.8^2)*1

plot(Y, type="o", main="AR(1)", xlim=c(0,n*1.1))
abline(h=0)
abline(h=c(1,-1)*1.96*v.AR1, col="red")

lines(n+1, .8*Y[n], type="p", col="blue")
lines(c(n+1,n+1), .8*Y[n]+c(1.96,-1.96), type="p", col="red")
```

- Suppose Y_t is MA(1) series observation
- (unconditional) Mean

$$E(Y_t) = 0$$

- (unconditional) Variance

$$V(Y_t) = \gamma(0) = (1 + \theta_1^2)\sigma^2$$

Conditonal mean of MA(1): $Y_t = e_t + \theta_1 e_{t-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} E\left(Y_t \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= E\left(e_t + \theta_1 e_{t-1} \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= E(e_t) + \theta_1 e_{t-1} = \theta_1 e_{t-1} \end{aligned}$$

Note that e_{t-1} is not observable.

Conditonal variance of MA(1): $Y_t = e_t + \theta_1 e_{t-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}\left(Y_t \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= \text{Var}\left(e_t + \theta_1 e_{t-1} \mid Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2}, \dots, e_{t-1}, e_{t-2}, \dots\right) \\ &= \text{Var}(e_t) = \sigma^2. \end{aligned}$$

AR(1)

Uncond'l	cond'l
$E(Y_t) = 0,$	$E(Y_t \omega_{t-1}) = \phi_1 Y_{t-1},$
$Var(Y_t) = (1 + \phi_1^2)\sigma^2$	$Var(Y_t \omega_{t-1}) = \sigma^2$

MA(1)

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$E(Y_t) = 0,$	$E(Y_t \omega_{t-1}) = \theta_1 e_{t-1},$
$Var(Y_t) = (1 + \theta_1^2)\sigma^2$	$Var(Y_t \omega_{t-1}) = \sigma^2$

For ARMA(p,q) model, conditional mean changes, but conditional variance is constant.

```
x <- arima.sim(n = 50, list(ar = c(0.8) ))  
plot(x, type="o", main="AR(1)"); abline(h=0)
```

```
x <- arima.sim(n = 50, list(ma = c(0.5) ))  
plot(x, type="o", main="MA(1)"); abline(h=0)
```

1.2 Conditional Mean of Financial Return

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X_t = Stock Price (observation)

Y_t = $\ln(X_t) - \ln(X_{t-1})$: log return

```
library(quantmod)
source("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/477/TS_R-90.txt")

getSymbols("AAPL") #- download from Yahoo!
X <- as.ts(AAPL$AAPL.Adjusted[200:600])

plot(X, type="o")
plot(diff(X), type="o")

Randomness.tests(diff(log(X)))
```

Stylized Facts about Financial Return

- Uncorrelated
- Squares are correlated
- Clustering
- Asymmetry
- Heavy Tailed unconditional and conditional distribution

Heteroschedasticity

Dont confuse the conditional heteroscedasticity with (unconditonal) heteroscedasticity:

```
D <- read.csv("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/pages/datasets/Gas.csv")
```

```
D1 <- ts(D[,2], start=c(1956, 1), freq=12)
```

```
plot(D1, type='o')
```

-
- Engle (1985) AutoRegressive Conditionally Heteroscedastic Model

$$Y_t = \sigma_t e_t \quad e_t \sim_{iid} \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2$$

- Mean

$$E(Y_t) = \sigma_t E(e_t) = 0$$

- Variance

$$V(Y_t) = V(\sigma_t) V(e_t) =$$

Conditonal Mean and Variance of ARCH

- Conditional mean

$$E[Y_t | Y_{t-1}, e_{t-1}, \dots] = \sigma_t E[e_t] = 0$$

- Conditional variance

$$V[Y_t | Y_{t-1}, e_{t-1}, \dots] = \sigma_t^2 V[e_t] = \sigma_t^2$$

ARCH is uncorrelated

- Y_t is uncorrelated, so it will pass the Ljung-Box test.
- But Y_t^2 is correlated, so it will NOT pass the McLeod-Li test.

GARCH

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2.1 GARCH

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GARCH(1,1) model

$$Y_t = \sigma_t e_t \quad e_t \sim_{iid} \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-1}^2$$

Conditional Mean and Variance of GARCH

Conditional Mean: 0

Conditional Variance : σ_t^2

Example: Daily SPY

Daily Price of SP500 ETF (SPY) from Jan 02 2000 to Dec 31 2014

```
D <- read.csv("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/pages/datasets/SPY.csv", header=T)
source("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/477/TS_R-90.txt")

head(D)
X <- ts(D[,7], start=1)
plot(X)

X1 <- diff(log(X))
plot(X1)

acf(X1)
acf(X1^2)
```

```

library(fGarch)
source("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/477/TS_R-90.txt") #- load Randomness.tests

Fit1 <- garchFit(~ garch(1,1), data=X1, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)

Fit1@fit$par          #-- estimated parameters
Fit1@residuals        #-- this is not the garch residuals!!!! same as X1
Fit1@sigma.t          #-- estimated sig_t
Fit1@residuals/Fit1@sigma.t    #-- this is the (standardized) GARCH residuals


print(Fit1@fit$ics)   #-- AIC and BIC are here


layout(matrix(1:2, 2, 1, byrow=T))
plot(X1)
plot(Fit1@sigma.t, type="l")   #- estimated Sigma_t


layout(1)
plot(X1)
lines(1.96*Fit1@sigma.t, type="l", col="red")


res1 <- X1/Fit1@sigma.t    #-- this is the residuals
Randomness.tests(res1)

```

Representing σ_t^2 using Y_t^2

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_t^2 &= \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-1}^2 \\ &= \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \left(\omega + \alpha Y_{t-2}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-2}^2 \right) \\ &= \omega + \beta \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \alpha Y_{t-2}^2 + \beta^2 \sigma_{t-2}^2 \\ &= \omega + \beta \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \alpha Y_{t-2}^2 + \beta^2 \left(\omega + \alpha Y_{t-3}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-3}^2 \right) \\ &= \omega + \beta \omega + \beta^2 \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \alpha Y_{t-2}^2 + \beta^2 \alpha Y_{t-3}^2 + \beta^3 \sigma_{t-3}^2\end{aligned}$$

continuing, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \omega(1 + \beta + \beta^2 + \cdots) + \alpha \sum_{i=0}^k \beta^i Y_{t-1-i}^2 + \beta^{k+1} \sigma_{t-1-k}^2 \\
&= \frac{\omega}{1-\beta} + \alpha \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \beta^i Y_{t-1-i}^2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \frac{\omega}{1-\beta} + \alpha \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \beta^i Y_{t-1-i}^2$$

We will use the truncated and estimated version of this,

$$\hat{\sigma}_t^2 = \frac{\hat{\omega}}{1-\hat{\beta}} + \hat{\alpha} \sum_{i=0}^{t-1} \hat{\beta}^i Y_{t-1-i}^2$$

Residuals of GARCH process

$$Y_t = \sigma_t e_t$$

Using observation $\{Y_1, \dots, Y_n\}$, the residuals are

$$\hat{e}_t = Y_t / \hat{\sigma}_t$$

Quasi-Maximum Likelihood Estimator

Importatnce of Conditional Distribution

$$\begin{aligned}Y_t &= \sigma_t e_t \\ \sigma_t^2 &= \omega + \alpha Y_{t-1}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-1}^2\end{aligned}$$

Conditonal distribution = Distribution of e_t

Guessing correct distribution for e_t is very important in GARCH parameter estimation.

Built-in distributions

```
x <- seq(-10,10, .1)

#- Standardized t-distribution
plot(x, dstd(x, mean = 0, sd = 1, nu = 5), type="l" )

#- Generalized Error Distribution
plot(x, dged(x, mean = 0, sd = 1, nu = 2), type="l" )

#- Skewed-Standardized t-distribution
plot( x, dsstd(x, mean = 0, sd = 1, nu = 5, xi = 1.5), type="l" )
lines(x, dstd(x, mean = 0, sd = 1, nu = 5), col="red" )

#- Skewed-Generalized Error Distribution
plot(x, dsGED(x, mean = 0, sd = 1, nu = 5, xi = 1.5) , type="l" )
lines(x, dged(x, mean = 0, sd = 1, nu = 2), type="l" )
```

Example: Simulation Study

True parameter (.024, .1, .8)

1. True cond'l dist: Normal Estimated using: Normal
2. True cond'l dist: std(5) Estimated using: Normal
3. True cond'l dist: sged(skew=.7, shape=1.45) Estimated using: Normal

MSE1/MSE1 #- Relative MSE

[1] 1 1 1

MSE2/MSE1

[1] 1.584734 3.396001 1.831015

MSE3/MSE1

[1] 1.198293 1.613116 1.355613

Stationarity Condition for GARCH(1,1)

GARCH(1,1) is weakly stationary if

$$E(\log(\beta + \alpha e_t^2)) < 0$$

This is satisfied if

$$\alpha + \beta < 1.$$

```

#--- See how closely true sigma is estimated and predicted (Using simulated GARCH)---

library(quantmod)
library(fGarch)
source("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/477/TS_R-90.txt")

theta = c(.5, .7, .2)
spec1 <- garchSpec(model = list(omega=theta[1], alpha=theta[2], beta=theta[3]), cond.dist="norm")

#- Generate GARCH
X      <- garchSim(spec1, n = 1000, extended=T)    #extended=T:  now  Y has 3 columns: garch sigma eps
X      <- as.xts(X)
X      <- xts(X, order.by=as.Date(index(X)))

Y      <- X[,1]    #- simulated GARCH
sig.true <- X[,2]  #- this is true sigma

#- Estimate GARCH
out1 <- garchFit(~ garch(1,1), data=Y, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)
sig.estim <- xts(out1@sigma.t, order.by=index(Y))

```



```

#- compare true sigma vs estimated sigma
cbind(sig.true, sig.estim)

plot(sig.true, main="sig.true vs sig.estim")
lines(sig.estim, col="red")

#- Compute the sigma for tomorrow
w <- out1@fit$par[1]
a <- out1@fit$par[2]
b <- out1@fit$par[3]
sig.pred <- xts( sqrt( w + a*Y[1000]^2 + b*out1@sigma.t[1000]^2 ), order.by=index(Y[1000])+1)

#- This does the same thing
sig.pred2 <- predict(out1)
sig.pred2
sig.pred2[1,3]

```

```

#- Rolling 1-day prediction of sig.t
sig.pred1 <- numeric(0)
date.stp <- numeric(0)
for (i in 1:750){
  T <- Y[(1:250)+(i-1)]

  n <- length(T)
  out1 <- garchFit(~ garch(1,1), data=T, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)
  sig.pred1[i] <- predict(out1)[1,3]  #- sig.t prediction
  date.stp[i] <- index(T[n])+1
}

sig.pred <- xts(sig.pred1, order.by=as.Date(date.stp))

#- Plot and compare estimated vs rolling predicted
plot(sig.true, main="sigma.t: True vs Estim vs Pred")
lines(sig.estim, col="red")
lines(sig.pred, col="blue")

```

```

#--- See how close estimated sigma and rolling predicted sigma (Using real data)---

getSymbols("^GSPC")      #- download S\&P500 index from Yahoo
X <- Ad(GSPC)

plot(X)

layout(matrix(1:2,2,1))
plot(X)
plot(diff(X))

auro.arima(X)

Y <- diff(log(X["2013::2016"]))[-1]    #- we model this with GARCH (this time we don't know the true sigma.t)
length(Y)

#- Estimate GARCH
out1 <- garchFit(~ garch(1,1), data=Y, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)
sig.estim <- xts(out1@sigma.t, order.by=index(Y))

```

```

#- Rolling 1-day prediction of sig.t
sig.pred1 <- numeric(0)
date.stp  <- numeric(0)

for (i in 1:750){
  T <- Y[(1:250)+(i-1)]
  n <- length(T)
  out1 <- garchFit(~ garch(1,1), data=T, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)
  sig.pred1[i] <- predict(out1)[1,3]  #- sig.t prediction
  date.stp[i]  <- index(Y(1:250+i))
}

sig.pred <- xts(sig.pred1, order.by=as.Date(date.stp))

#- Compare estimated sigma vs predicted sigma -
plot(sig.estim)
lines(sig.pred, col="blue")

#- Compare daily CI from two sigmas
plot(Y["2016"], type="h")
lines( 1.65*sig.estim, col="red")
lines(-1.65*sig.estim, col="red")
lines( 1.65*sig.pred, col="blue")
lines(-1.65*sig.pred, col="blue")

```

ARMA-GARCH

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3.1 ARMA - GARCH model

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Y_t is ARMA with error ϵ_t . ϵ_t is GARCH.

$$\Phi(B)Y_t = \Theta(B)\epsilon_t$$

$$\epsilon_t = \sigma_t e_t \quad e_t \sim_{iid} \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \omega + \alpha \epsilon_{t-1}^2 + \beta \sigma_{t-1}^2$$

```
#--- ARMA-GARCH estimation example ---
```

```
D <- read.csv("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/pages/datasets/SPY.csv", header=T)
source("http://gozips.uakron.edu/~nmimoto/477/TS_R-90.txt")
library(xts)
```

```
head(D)
X <- xts(D[,7], order.by=as.Date(D[, "Date"], format="%m/%d/%Y"))    #- X is a xts object
plot(X)
```

```
X1 <- diff(log(X))[-1]
plot(X1)
```

```
acf(X1)
acf(X1^2)
```

```
Randomness.tests(X1)
```

```

library(fGarch)

#- Estima parameters of ARMA and GARCH at the same time
Fit1 <- garchFit(~ arma(1,1) + garch(1,1), data=X1, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)
Fit1

Fit1@fit$par      #-- estimated parameters
Fit1@residuals    #-- this is ARCH residuals. (before GARCH)
print(Fit1@fit$ics) #-- AIC and BIC are here
Randomness.tests(res1)
plot(Fit1)        #-- choose option 13 for residual qq plot

sig.t <- xts(Fit1@sigma.t, order.by=index(X1)) #-- estimated sig_t fo GARCH
res1 <- xts(Fit1@residuals/Fit1@sigma.t, order.by=index(X1)) #-- this is the (standardized) ARMA-GARCH residuals

#- plot log-return and sigma_t -
layout(matrix(1:2, 2, 1, byrow=T))
plot(X1, main="SPY daily log-return")
plot(sig.t, type="l", main="estimated sigma_t") #-- estimated Sigma_t

#- plot log-return overlay with sigma_t -
layout(1)
plot(X1)
lines(1.96*sig.t, type="l", col="red")
lines(-1.96*sig.t, type="l", col="red")

```



```

#--- h-step ahead prediction from ARMA-GARCH ---

h = 15    #- predict 15 days ahead

X.pred  <- xts(predict(Fit1, n.ahead=h)[,1], order.by=index(X1)[length(X1)]+(1:h))
SD.pred <- xts(predict(Fit1, n.ahead=h)[,3], order.by=index(X1)[length(X1)]+(1:h))

#- plot log-return overlay with sigma_t -

plot(rbind(X1["2014"], X.pred))
lines(X.pred, col="red")
lines( 1.96*SD.pred, type="l", col="red")
lines(-1.96*SD.pred, type="l", col="red")

```

```

#--- Rolling 1-step prediction from ARMA-GARCH
Y <- X1

Y.pred1 <- sig.pred1 <- date.stp <- numeric(0)
for (i in 1:1000){
  T <- Y[(1:250)+(i-1)]
  Fit1 <- garchFit(~ arma(1,1) + garch(1,1), data=T, cond.dist="norm", include.mean = FALSE, trace = FALSE)
  Y.pred1[i] <- predict(Fit1, n.ahead=1)[,1]
  sig.pred1[i] <- predict(Fit1, n.ahead=1)[,3]
  date.stp[i] <- index(Y[250+i])
}
Y.pred <- xts(Y.pred1, order.by=as.Date(date.stp))
sig.pred <- xts(sig.pred1, order.by=as.Date(date.stp))

#- Compare predicted vs actual -
plot(Y["2000::2004"]); lines(Y.pred, col="red"); lines( 1.96*sig.pred, col="red"); lines(-1.96*sig.pred, col="red")

#- Actual vs Predicted
head( cbind(Y[index(Y.pred)], Y.pred) )

plot(Y[index(Y.pred)] - Y.pred)

mean( sign(Y[index(Y.pred)])==sign(Y.pred) ) #- Can Y.pred guess up/down ?
mean( sign(Y[index(Y.pred)])==1 )           #- num of days SPY went up

```


3.2 Structural Stability

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- When a long time series is fitted, you must ask if entire series can be fitted with a single model with same parameter.
 - Sometime breaking up a series into couple of parts will allow you to fit better.

3.3 Cheking Conditional Distribution

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Kolmogolov-Smirnov Test

In iid setting, K-S test can be used to test hypothesis $X_i \sim F$, and

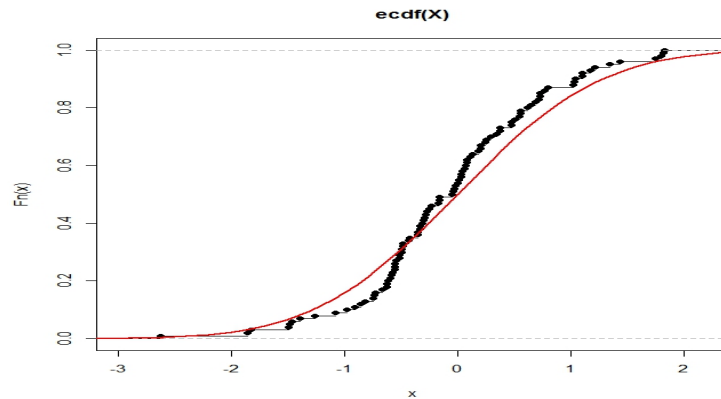
$$H_0 : F = F_0 \quad vs \quad H_A : F \neq F_0 \quad (F_0 \text{ is completely specified})$$

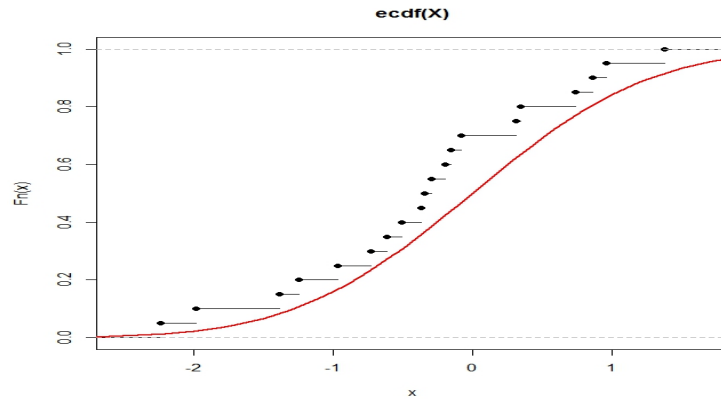
K-S test uses Empirical Distribution (EDF, ECDF),

$$\hat{F}_n(x) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n I(x_i < x)$$

and calculate the test statistic

$$KS = \sup_x |\hat{F}_n(x) - F(x)|$$





Where is $(\frac{i}{n}, X_{(i)})$ and $(\frac{i-1}{n}, X_{(i)})$?

$$\begin{aligned}
D_n &= \sup_x |\hat{F}_n(x) - F_0(x)| \\
&= \max_i \left(\left| \frac{i}{n} - F_0(x_{(i)}) \right|, \left| \frac{i-1}{n} - F_0(x_{(i)}) \right| \right)
\end{aligned}$$

If X_i are indeed from F_0 ,

$$D_n =_d \max_i \left(\left| \frac{i}{n} - U_{(i)} \right|, \left| \frac{i-1}{n} - U_{(i)} \right| \right)$$

with $U_i \sim_{iid} Unif(0, 1)$.

- No matter what F is, distribution of the test statistic KS under the null is known.
- KS test with completely specified F_0 is a distribution-free test.
- When F_0 contains nuisance parameter, Distribution of D_n under the null depends on F . KS test becomes only asymptotically distribution free test. For finite n , null distribution must be computed by Monte Carlo simulation.

K-S test in Time Series Setting

- In time series, we want to use K-S test for checking distribution of innovations. (errors).
- Since we assume e_t are i.i.d. noise, if we can observe e_t , K-S test can be directly applicable.
- However, in Time Series analysis e_t are not observable, and only residuals \hat{e}_t are available.
- Can we still use K-S test on \hat{e}_t ?

