

## Stochastic processes in the real

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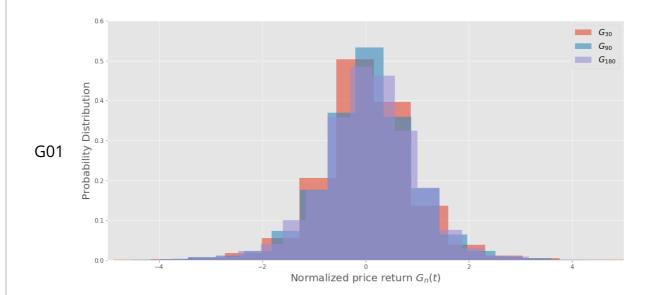
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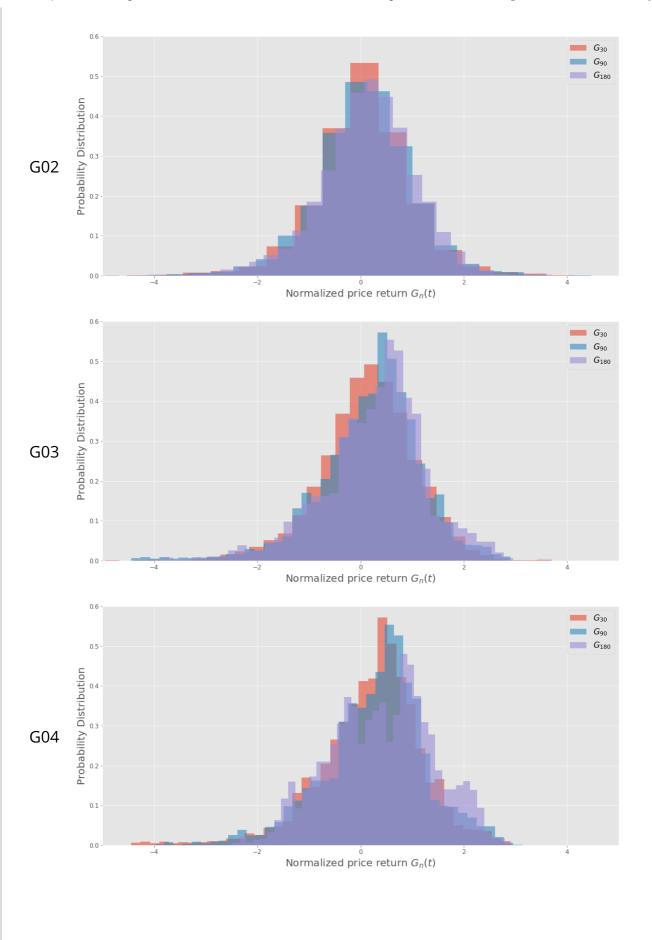
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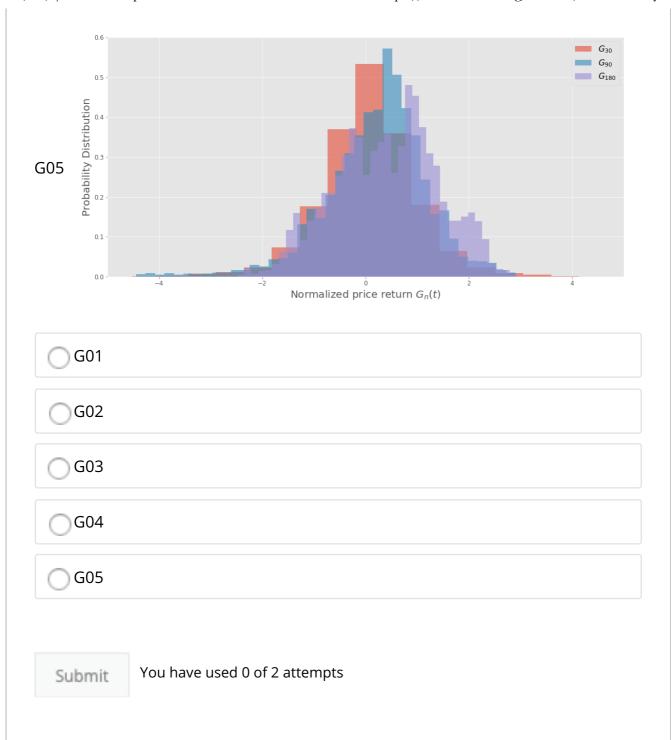
## Problem 1

0.0/1.0 point (graded)

Modify the code example introduced in the video to calculate the normalized logarithmic return  $G_{\tau}(t)$  of Apple's stock for a time duration of  $\tau=30,90,180$  days, using the historical data from January 1st, 1989 to December 31st, 2016. For this, you should call the computeReturn function three times, one for each value of  $\tau$  (be sure to give each a different label within the Data Frame). Plot the (normalized) histogram of the returns on the same plot. Which of the following graphs (G11 - G15) is the closest to what you obtained? (use n=40 bins when plotting the histograms).







## Problem 2

0.0/1.0 point (graded)

Use the code example introduced in the video to calculate the probability distribution function for the absolute normalized price returns  $|G_{30}|$ ,  $|G_{90}|$ , and  $|G_{180}|$  of the previous problem. Plot the functions on a log-log scale together with a Gaussian distribution for comparison. Which of the following graphs is the closest to what you obtained? (When generating the histogram, use n=20 bins for comparison).

