# Historical Volatility & Risk-Return Measures

In this notebook we compute and track historical volatility over time.

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In [1]: import datetime as dt
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

import yfinance as yf
import plotly.offline as pyo
import plotly.graph_objects as go
from plotly.subplots import make_subplots
import plotly.io as pio

pio.templates.default = "ggplot2"

pyo.init_notebook_mode(connected=True)
pd.options.plotting.backend = 'plotly'
import warnings
warnings.simplefilter(action='ignore', category=FutureWarning)
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# Get stock data with yfinance

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In [2]: stocks = ['TSLA', 'SMCI', 'GOOGL', 'NVDA', 'AAPL', 'MSFT', 'AMZN', 'META'
        df = yf.download(stocks, period="5y")
        Close = df.Close
        Close.tail()
       10 of 10 completed
Out[2]: Ticker
                            AMZN
                                                            MSFT
                                                                      NFLX
                   AAPL
                                      GOOGL
                                                 META
         Date
         2024-
              228.020004 201.699997 175.300003 554.400024 415.760010 847.049988 140.
         11-18
        2024-
              228.279999 204.610001 178.119995 561.090027 417.790009 871.320007 147.
         11-19
        2024-
              229.000000 202.880005 175.979996 565.520020 415.489990 883.849976 145.
         11-20
        2024-
              228.520004 198.380005 167.630005 563.090027 412.869995 897.479980 146.
         11-21
        2024-
              229.869995 197.119995 164.759995 559.140015 417.000000 897.789978 141.
         11-22
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# Compute log returns

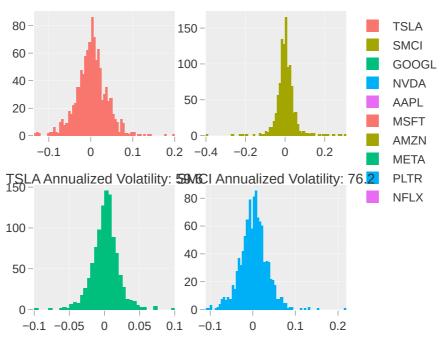
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In [3]: log returns = np.log(df.Close/df.Close.shift(1)).dropna()
        log returns.tail()
Out[3]: Ticker
                   AAPL
                            AMZN
                                     GOOGL
                                                META
                                                          MSFT
                                                                   NFLX
                                                                            NVDA
          Date
         2024-
                0.013333 -0.004502
                                   0.016160
                                             0.000577
                                                       0.001830 0.027638 -0.012973 -0.0
         11-18
         2024-
                0.001140
                         0.014324
                                   0.015959
                                             0.011995
                                                       0.004871
                                                                0.028250
                                                                         0.047787
                                                                                   0.03
         11-19
         2024-
                0.003149 -0.008491 -0.012087
                                             0.007864
                                                     -0.005520 0.014278 -0.007648 -0.0
         11-20
         2024-
                -0.002098 -0.022430 -0.048611 -0.004306 -0.006326 0.015303 0.005332 -0.098
         11-21
         2024-
                0.005890 -0.006372 -0.017269 -0.007040
                                                       0.009953 0.000345 -0.032710
                                                                                   0.04
         11-22
        Calculate daily standard deviation of returns
In [4]:
        daily std = log returns.std()
        daily std
Out[4]:
         Ticker
         AAPL
                  0.017198
         AMZN
                  0.022261
         G00GL
                  0.019275
         META
                  0.028455
         MSFT
                  0.016527
                  0.029660
         NFLX
                  0.032698
         NVDA
         PLTR
                  0.044420
         SMCI
                  0.047998
         TSLA
                  0.037553
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In [5]:
        annualized_std = daily_std * np.sqrt(252)
        annualized std
Out[5]:
         Ticker
         AAPL
                  0.273007
                  0.353390
         AMZN
         G00GL
                  0.305987
         META
                  0.451712
                  0.262352
         MSFT
         NFLX
                  0.470836
         NVDA
                  0.519059
         PLTR
                  0.705153
         SMCI
                  0.761946
                  0.596137
         TSLA
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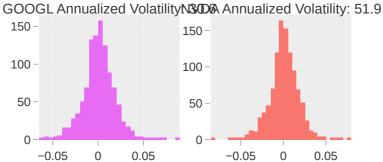
Plot histogram of log returns with annualized volatility

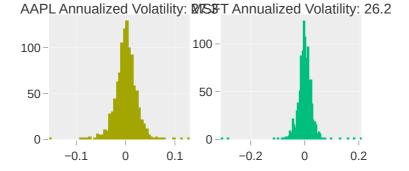
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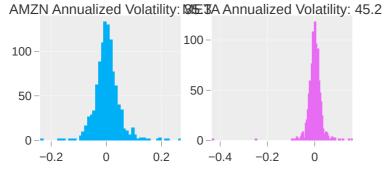
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In [6]: fig = make subplots(rows=5, cols=2) # Create a 5x2 grid for 10 charts
        # Create the histograms for each ticker
        trace0 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['TSLA'], name='TSLA')
        trace1 = go.Histogram(x=log_returns['SMCI'], name='SMCI')
        trace2 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['GOOGL'], name='GOOGL')
        trace3 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['NVDA'], name='NVDA')
        trace4 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['AAPL'], name='AAPL')
        trace5 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['MSFT'], name='MSFT')
        trace6 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['AMZN'], name='AMZN')
        trace7 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['META'], name='META')
        trace8 = go.Histogram(x=log_returns['PLTR'], name='PLTR')
        trace9 = go.Histogram(x=log returns['NFLX'], name='NFLX')
        # Add the traces to the respective subplots
        fig.append_trace(trace0, 1, 1)
        fig.append trace(trace1, 1, 2)
        fig.append_trace(trace2, 2, 1)
        fig.append trace(trace3, 2, 2)
        fig.append trace(trace4, 3, 1)
        fig.append trace(trace5, 3, 2)
        fig.append trace(trace6, 4, 1)
        fig.append_trace(trace7, 4, 2)
        fig.append trace(trace8, 5, 1)
        fig.append trace(trace9, 5, 2)
        # Update layout with axis titles for each chart
        fig.update layout(
            autosize=False,
            width=500,
            height=1000, # Adjusted height to fit 10 charts
            title='Frequency of log returns',
            xaxis=dict(title='TSLA Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annual
            xaxis2=dict(title='SMCI Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annua
            xaxis3=dict(title='G00GL Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annu
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            xaxis5=dict(title='AAPL Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annua
            xaxis6=dict(title='MSFT Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annua
            xaxis7=dict(title='AMZN Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annua
            xaxis8=dict(title='META Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annua
            xaxis9=dict(title='PLTR Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annua
            xaxis10=dict(title='NFLX Annualized Volatility: ' + str(np.round(annu
        fig.show()
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# Frequency of log returns







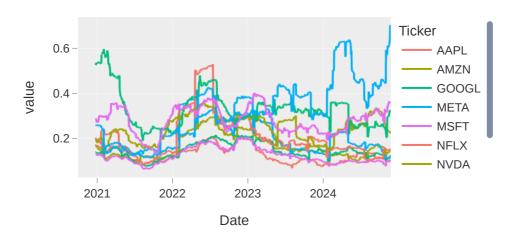


PLTR Annualized Volatility: NOF.5X Annualized Volatility: 47.1

Out[7]:	Ticker	AAPL	AMZN	GOOGL	META	MSFT	NFLX	NVDA	PLT
	Date								
	2024- 11-18	0.099739	0.144411	0.114084	0.119641	0.103386	0.150852	0.227258	0.32410
	2024- 11-19	0.099734	0.144481	0.115049	0.119303	0.103184	0.152863	0.230578	0.32186
	2024- 11-20	0.099714	0.143983	0.115371	0.119369	0.103338	0.153074	0.230474	0.32265
	2024- 11-21	0.099497	0.145273	0.125089	0.119360	0.103229	0.151942	0.229266	0.32238
	2024- 11-22	0.098608	0.145442	0.126154	0.119651	0.103528	0.151777	0.221429	0.32425
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In [8]: volatility.plot().update\_layout(autosize = False, width=500, height=300,

### Volatility



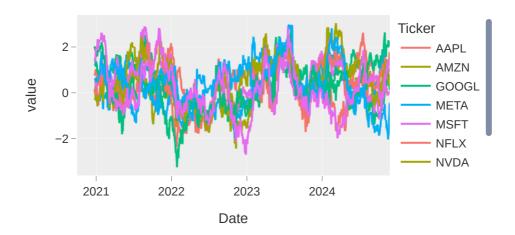
# Sharpe ratio

The Sharpe ratio which was introduced in 1966 by Nobel laureate William F. Sharpe is a measure for calculating risk-adjusted return. The Sharpe ratio is the average return earned in excess of the risk-free rate per unit of volatility.

Sharpe Ratio 
$$=rac{R_p-R_f}{\sigma_p}$$

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In [9]: Rf = 0.01/255
sharpe_ratio = (log_returns.rolling(window=TRADING_DAYS).mean() - Rf)*TRA
In [10]: sharpe_ratio.plot().update_layout(autosize = False, width=500, height=300)
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# Sharpe Ratio



#### Sortino Ratio

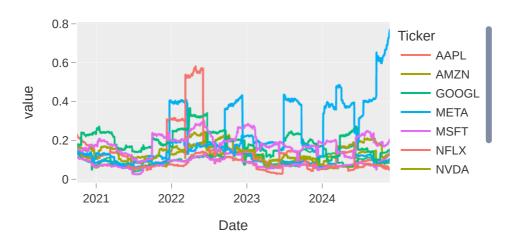
The Sortino ratio is very similar to the Sharpe ratio, the only difference being that where the Sharpe ratio uses all the observations for calculating the standard deviation the Sortino ratio only considers the harmful variance.

Sortino Ratio = 
$$\frac{R_p - R_f}{\sigma_d}$$

In [11]: sortino\_vol = log\_returns[log\_returns<0].rolling(window=TRADING\_DAYS, cen sortino\_ratio = (log\_returns.rolling(window=TRADING\_DAYS).mean() - Rf)\*TR

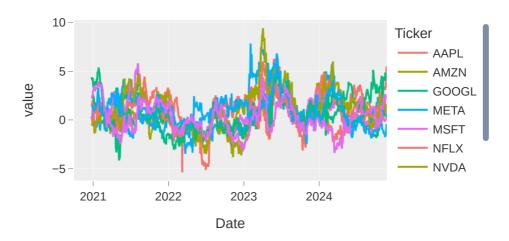
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#### Sortino Vol



In [13]: sortino\_ratio.plot().update\_layout(autosize = False, width=500, height=30

#### Sortino Ratio



# Modigliani ratio (M2 ratio)

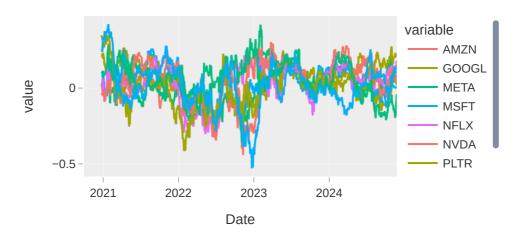
The Modigliani ratio measures the returns of the portfolio, adjusted for the risk of the portfolio relative to that of some benchmark.

$$M_A^2 = r_f + \left(rac{R_A - r_f}{\sigma_A}
ight)\sigma_M$$

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In [14]: m2_ratio = pd.DataFrame()

benchmark_vol = volatility['AAPL']
    for c in log_returns.columns:
        if c != 'AAPL':
            m2_ratio[c] = (sharpe_ratio[c]*benchmark_vol/TRADING_DAYS + Rf)*T
In [15]: m2_ratio.plot().update_layout(autosize = False, width=500, height=300, ti
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# Modigliani Ratio



#### Max Drawdown

Max drawdown quantifies the steepest decline from peak to trough observed for an investment. This is useful for a number of reasons, mainly the fact that it doesn't rely on the underlying returns being normally distributed.

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In [16]:
         def max drawdown(returns):
             cumulative returns = (returns+1).cumprod()
             peak = cumulative_returns.expanding(min_periods=1).max()
             drawdown = (cumulative returns/peak)-1
             return drawdown.min()
         returns = df.Close.pct change()
         max_drawdowns = returns.apply(max_drawdown, axis=0)
         max drawdowns*100
Out[16]: Ticker
         AAPL
                 -31.427266
         AMZN
                 -56.145263
         G00GL -44.320051
                 -76.736092
         META
         MSFT
                 -37.556466
         NFLX
                 -75.947318
                -66.362055
         NVDA
         PLTR
                -84.615385
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## Calmar Ratio

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SMCI

TSLA

Calmar ratio uses max drawdown in the denominator as opposed to standard deviation.

$$Calmar\ Ratio = rac{R-R_f}{Max\ Drawdown}$$

-84.840960 -73.632217

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In [17]: calmars = np.exp(log_returns.mean()*255)/abs(max_drawdowns)
    calmars.plot.bar().update_layout(autosize = False, width=500, height=300,
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#### Calmar Ratio

