

**Applied Financial Econometrics** 

# Class 4: ARDL models and introduction to volatility modelling

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Stationarity arises when Module of the roots from the characteristic polynomial should be greater than 1.

If the process has unit root (with multiplicity *d*) we just need to differentiate the process *d* times to get a stationary process.

An Integrated process is a nonstationary process, which can be transformed to a stationary process by differentiating.

$$y_t \sim I(d) \Rightarrow \Delta^d y_t \sim I(0)$$

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Augmented Dickey-Fuller Test
data: AAPL Dickey-Fuller = -1.4038, Lag order = 1, p-value = 0.8307 alternative hypothesis: stationary
<pre>data: L.AAPL Dickey-Fuller = -2.3349, Lag order = 1, p-value = 0.4365 alternative hypothesis: stationary</pre>
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Dickey-Fuller = -40.737, Lag order = 1, p-value = 0.01 alternative hypothesis: stationary

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ARIMA(p,d,q):

$$x_t \sim I(d), \quad y_t = \Delta^d x_t, \quad \varepsilon_t \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$y_{t} = \sum_{i=1}^{p} \phi_{i} y_{t-i} + \sum_{j=1}^{q} \theta_{j} \varepsilon_{t-i} + \varepsilon_{t}$$

$$\left(1 - \sum_{i=1}^{p} \phi_i L^i\right) y_t = \left(1 + \sum_{j=1}^{q} \theta_i L^i\right) \varepsilon_t$$







par(mar=c(5,4,1,1),mfrow=c(2,1))
x<-arima.sim(list(order=c(1,1,1),ar=.9,ma=.2),n=100)
plot(x,ylab='x',main='ARIMA(1,1,1)')
plot(diff(x),ylab='y',main='ARIMA(1,0,1)')</pre>

<pre>library(lmtest) arima_1_1_1=arima(L.AAPL, order=c(1,1,1)) coeftest(arima_1_1_1)</pre>	>	z test of coefficients: Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(> z ) ar1 -0.36729 0.31992 -1.1481 0.2509 ma1 0.32451 0.32331 1.0037 0.3155
<pre>arima_1_1_0=arima(L.AAPL, order=c(1,1,0)) coeftest(arima_1_1_0)</pre>		Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(> z ) ar1 -0.043228
<pre>arima_0_1_1=arima(L.AAPL, order=c(1,1,0)) coeftest(arima_0_1_1)</pre>		Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(> z ) ma1 -0.042605

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arima\_0\_0\_0=arima(L.AAPL, order=c(0,1,0))
coeftest(arima\_0\_0\_0)

Forecasts from ARIMA(0,1,1) with drift

##### Model selection #####

```
#comparing AIC (lower wins)
arima_1_1_1$aic
arima_1_1_0$aic
arima_0_1_1$aic
arima_0_1_0$aic
```

```
#comparing BIC (lower wins)
BIC(arima_1_1_1)
BIC(arima_1_1_0)
BIC(arima_0_1_1)
BIC(arima_0_1_0)
```

auto\_arima <- auto.arima(L.AAPL)</pre>



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• ARDL, Heteroskedasticity, ARCH, GARCH, EWMA.



If the model includes one or more lagged values of the dependent variable among its explanatory variables, it is called an autorregressive model.

$$Y_t = \alpha + \beta X_t + \gamma Y_{t-1} + u_t$$

In regression analysis with time series data, when the regression model includes not only current values but also lagged (past) values of the explanatory variables (the X's), it is called a distributed lagged model.

$$Y_t = \alpha + \beta_0 X_t + \beta_1 X_{t-1} + \beta_2 X_{t-2} + \cdots + \beta_k X_{t-k} + u_t$$

– The coecient  $\beta_0$  is known as the short-run or impact multiplier because it gives the change in the mean value of Y that follows a unit change in X in the same period.

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– If the change in X remains the same from the beginning, then  $(\beta_0 + \beta_1)$  gives the change in (the mean value of) Y in the next period;  $(\beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2)$  in the one that follows, and so on. These partial sums are denoted as interim, or intermediate, multipliers X. Finally, after k periods we obtain the long-run or total distributed lag multiplier:

$$\sum \beta i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2 + \dots + \beta_k = \beta$$

– The partial sums of the standardized  $\beta_i$  ( $\dot{\beta}_i = \beta_i / \beta$ ) give the proportion of the long-run, or total, impact felt during a certain period.

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getSymbols('^GSPC', src='yahoo', from="2010-01-01", periodicity = 'daily')
getSymbols('^RUT', src='yahoo', from="2010-01-01", periodicity = 'daily')
SP<-GSPC[,6]
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dSP<-diff(SP)
dRUT<-diff(RUT)
adf.test(as.numeric(na.omit(dRUT)),k=1)
reg1<-lm(dRUT~dSP,na.action=na.exclude)
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#install.packages('dynlm')
library(dynlm)
reg1\_b<-dynlm(d(RUT, 1) ~ d(SP))
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### Autoregresive distributed lagged models

 An autoregressive distributed lag model (ARDL) is a model that contains both independent variables and their lagged values as well as the lagged values of the dependent variable

\_ ARDL(p,q):

$$Y_{t} = \delta + \theta_{1}Y_{t-1} + ... + \theta_{p}Y_{t-p} + \delta_{1}X_{t-1} + ... + \delta_{q}X_{t-q} + v_{t}$$

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#### **Selection model criteria: AIC**

Akaike Information Criteria

$$AIC = log \hat{\sigma}_k^2 + \frac{n+2k}{n}$$
  
where  $\hat{\sigma}_k^2 = \frac{SSE_k}{n}$ , and k is the number of model parameters, n the sample size, and  $SSE_k$  is equal to the sum of the squared residuals under the model k ( $SSE_k = \sum_{t=1}^{n} (x_t - \bar{x})^2$ ).

 The value of k that produces the minimum AIC represents the best model. parameters.

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#### **Selection model criteria: BIC**

– Bayesian Information Criteria

$$AICc = log \hat{\sigma_k^2} + rac{klogn}{n}$$

– Simulation studies have verified that BIC is adequate to obtain the correct order in large samples, while AICc tends to be superior in smaller samples where the relative number of parameters is large.

#### **Forecasting performance**

- 1. Mean Error,
- 2. MAE Mean Absolute Error,
- 3. MSE Mean Squared Error,
- 4. MIS Mean Interval Score
- 5. MPE Mean Percentage Error
- 6. MAPE Mean Absolute Percentage Error

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#### **Volatility modelling**

**Gold ETF Prices (Daily)** 



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#### Volatility modelling

#### Gold ETF Prices (Daily Differences of Log(Prices))



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## **Volatility modelling**

# Ljung-Box test

Box.test(gold.dif.log, lag = 20, type = "Ljung-Box")

##
## Box-Ljung test
##
## data: gold.dif.log
## X-squared = 19.676, df = 20, p-value = 0.4783

There is no well defined temporal structure in the transformed data (gold.dif.log).

The Auto Arima points to a random walk.

The Ljung-Box test applied to the transformed data does not reject the null hypothesis (inexistance of autocorrelations), with a p-value of 0.4783.

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Given these assertions we will fit a linear model to the transformed data with only the intercept in order to impose a zero mean series.

#### **ARCH type**

A time series  $\{\epsilon_t\}$  is given at each instance by:

 $\epsilon_t = \sigma_t w_t$ 

Where  $\{w_t\}$  is discrete white noise, with zero mean and unit variance, and  $\sigma_t^2$  is given by:

$$\sigma_t^2 = lpha_0 + lpha_1 \epsilon_{t-1}^2$$

Where  $\alpha_0$  and  $\alpha_1$  are parameters of the model.

We say that  $\{\epsilon_t\}$  is an *autoregressive conditional heteroskedastic model of order unity*, denoted by ARCH(1). Substituting for  $\sigma_t^2$ , we receive:

$$\epsilon_t = w_t \sqrt{lpha_0 + lpha_1 \epsilon_{t-1}^2}$$

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#### **ARCH type**

$$egin{aligned} ext{Var}(\epsilon_t) &= ext{E}[\epsilon_t^2] - ( ext{E}[\epsilon_t])^2 \ &= ext{E}[\epsilon_t^2] \ &= ext{E}[\epsilon_t^2] ext{E}[lpha_0 + lpha_1 \epsilon_{t-1}^2] \ &= ext{E}[lpha_0 + lpha_1 \epsilon_{t-1}^2] \ &= lpha_0 + lpha_1 ext{Var}(\epsilon_{t-1}) \end{aligned}$$

It is straightforward to extend ARCH to higher order lags. An ARCH(p) process is given by:

$$\epsilon_t = w_t \sqrt{lpha_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p lpha_p \epsilon_{t-i}^2}$$

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#### **GARCH type**

A time series  $\{\epsilon_t\}$  is given at each instance by:

 $\epsilon_t = \sigma_t w_t$ 

Where  $\{w_t\}$  is discrete white noise, with zero mean and unit variance, and  $\sigma_t^2$  is given by:

$$\sigma_t^2 = lpha_0 + \sum_{i=1}^q lpha_i \epsilon_{t-i}^2 + \sum_{j=1}^p eta_j \sigma_{t-j}^2$$

Where  $\alpha_i$  and  $\beta_j$  are parameters of the model.

We say that  $\{\epsilon_t\}$  is a generalised autoregressive conditional heteroskedastic model of order p,q, denoted by GARCH(p,q).

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# fit of the linear model with just an intercept
fitlin <- Arima(gold.dif.log, order = c(0,0,0))
summary(fitlin)</pre>

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# analysis of the residuals
arga <- fitlin$residuals
tsdisplay(arga, lag.max = 160)
tsdisplay((arga)**2, lag.max = 160)</pre>
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#### Example

```
gfit <- garchFit(~garch(1,1), arga, trace=F)
summary(gfit)</pre>
```