

**DYNAMIC  
DEPENDENCE STRUCTURES  
FOR MULTIVARIATE HIGH-FREQUENCY  
DATA IN FINANCE**

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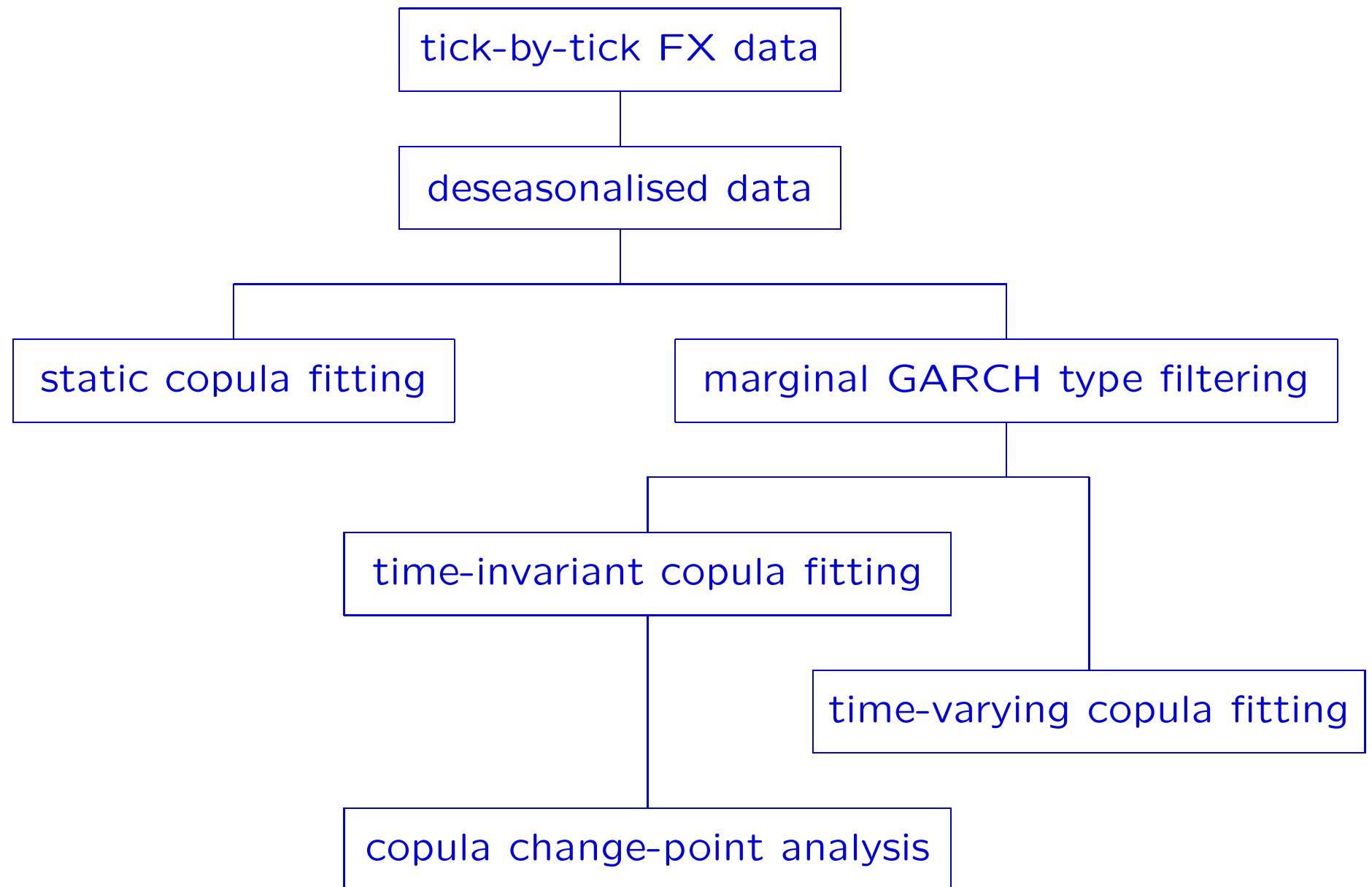
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# OVERVIEW

- Motivation
- The FX data
- Deseasonalisation
- Static copula fitting
- Dynamic dependence structure modelling
  - Time-invariant copula model
  - Tail dependence analysis
  - Time-varying copula model
  - Copula change-point detection
- Conclusion

# OVERVIEW OF THE FX COPULA ANALYSIS



# MOTIVATION

- The Goal:  
Studying the **dynamic dependence structure across time scales**
- Why?
  - The change of the behavior as a function of the time horizon may contain important information
  - Improves extrapolation from small to large time horizons
- Requires:  
Characterising dependence for horizons from minutes to months
- Here:  
Restriction to high-frequency region (**1 hour – 1 day**)
- Peculiarities of high-frequency data are taken into account

# THE DATA

- Tick-by-tick bid and ask quotes
- Period: Febr 1986–Dec 1998
- Collected and filtered by Olsen Data
- Irregularly spaced
- About 10 million data points for a single series
- Regularisation to 5 min. time series by linear interpolation
- Reduction to logarithmic middle prices:

$$\xi_{\alpha,t} = \frac{\log(p_{\alpha,t}^{Bid} \cdot p_{\alpha,t}^{Ask})}{2}$$

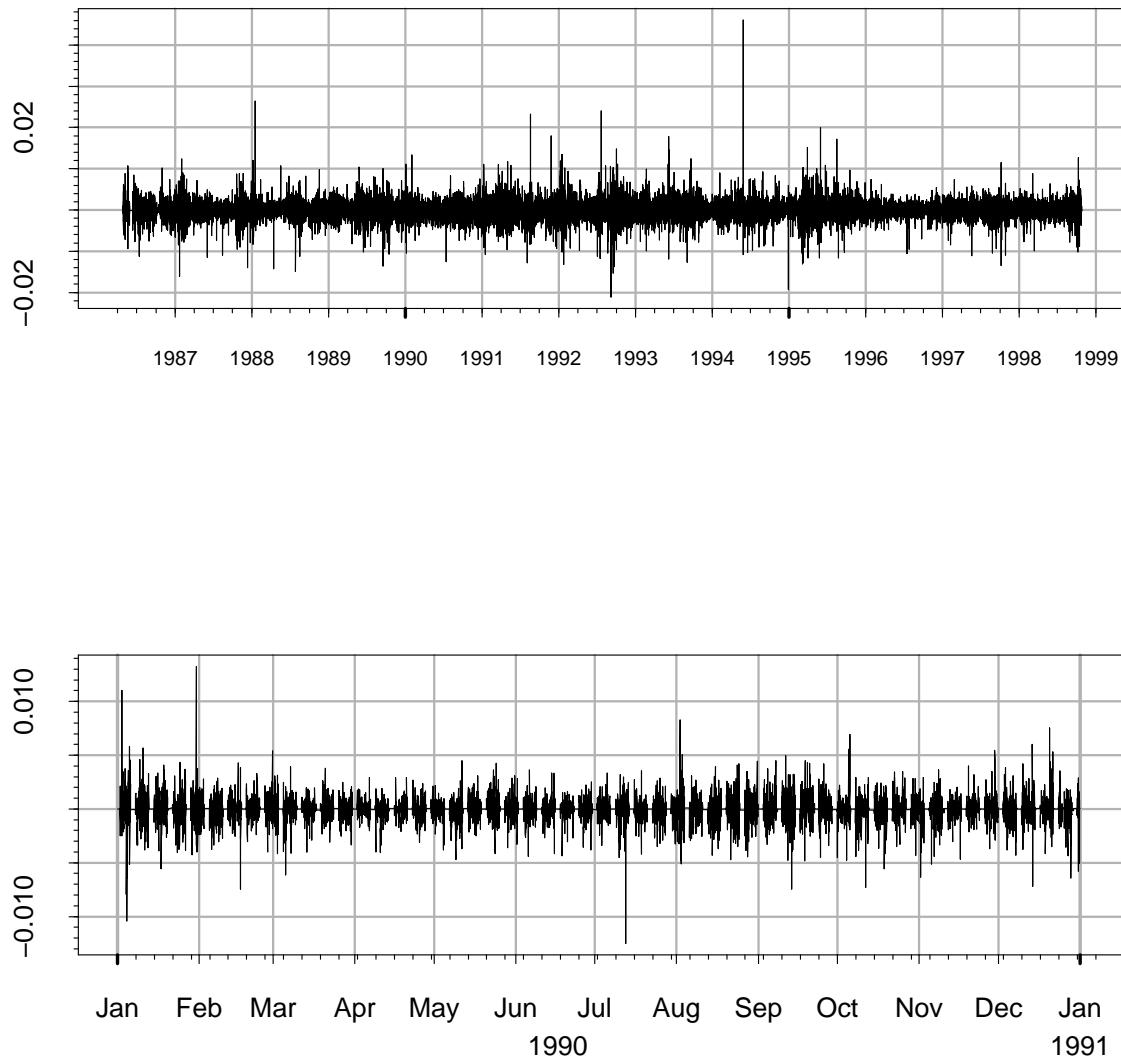
# FX PRICES FOR USD/DEM AND USD/JPY



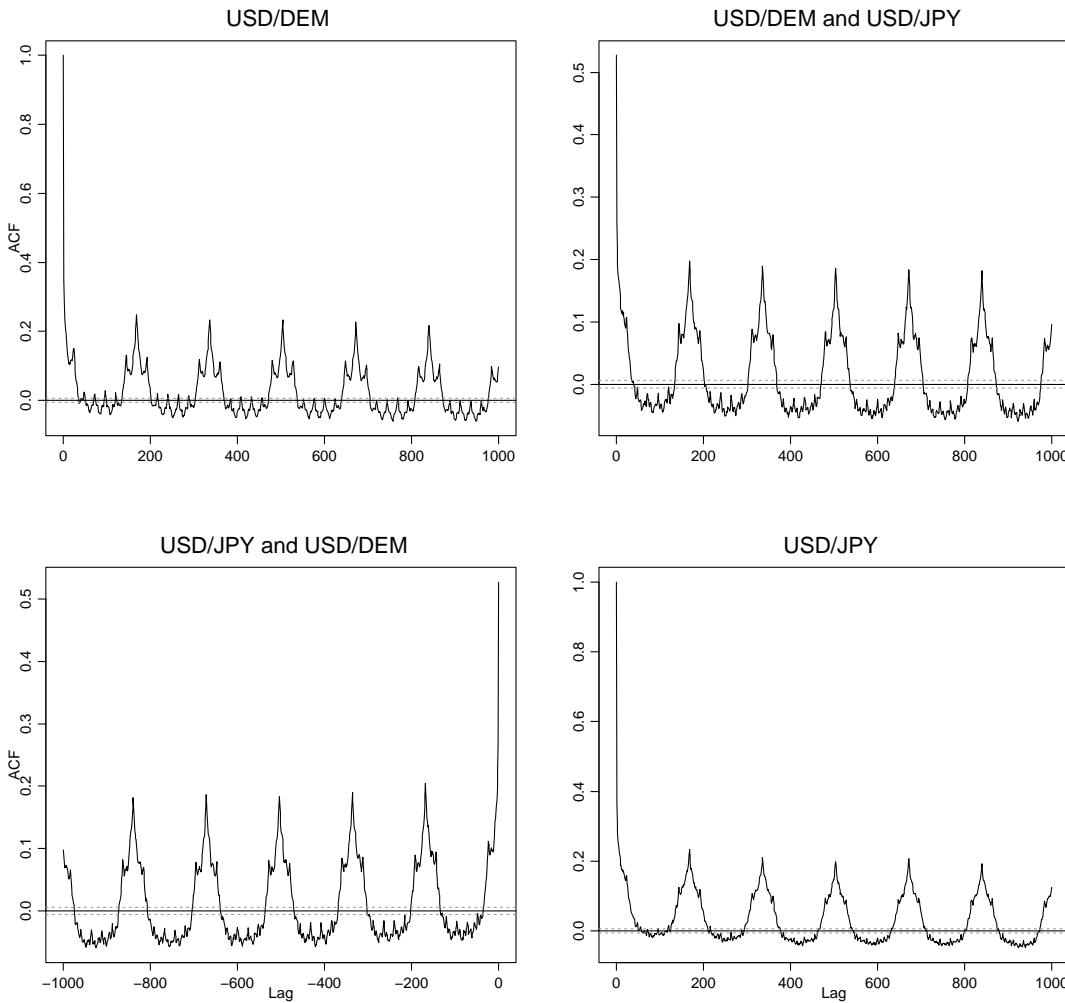
# DESEASONALISATION OF FINANCIAL DATA

- High frequency financial data present strong *seasonalities*
- Main periodicities: *daily* and *weekly*
- Seasonalities cover more subtle statistical properties
- Affected by Daylight Saving Time (DST)
- Theory of stochastic processes favors time transformation to an activity-based time scale, but:
  - Loss of synchronicity in the multivariate case
- Instead:
  - *Volatility weighting* based on weekly activity pattern

# HOURLY RETURNS OF USD/DEM



# AUTOCORRELATION FUNCTIONS OF ABSOLUTE RETURNS



# MODELLING REQUIREMENTS

- The flexibility of modelling arbitrary patterns that display abrupt volatility changes ( $\rightarrow$  Japanese lunch break)
- Taking into account slow temporal changes in the habits of the market participants, institutional changes, etc
- Keeping track of Daylight Saving Time (DST) to take into account the one hour displacement between DST and non-DST periods
- The modelling of the geographical decomposition of market activity to take into account local public holidays and other irregularities

# THE VOLATILITY PATTERN

- Integrated squared volatility:  $V_t^2 = \sum_{t' \leq t} (v_{t'}[\delta])^2$

- Volatility wrt horizon  $\Delta T$ :

$$\Delta V_t^2[\Delta T] \equiv V_t^2 - V_{t-\Delta T}^2 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (v_{t-i\delta}[\delta])^2 = (v_t[\Delta T])^2$$

- Deseasonalised returns:

$$x_t[\Delta T] = \frac{\xi_t - \xi_{t-\Delta T}}{\sqrt{\Delta V_t^2[\Delta T]}}$$

- $\delta = 5$  minutes: elementary time step;  $n = \Delta T/\delta$

- Aggregation property:

$$x_t[\Delta T] = \frac{x_{t-\Delta T_2}[\Delta T_1] \sqrt{\Delta V_{t-\Delta T_2}^2[\Delta T_1]} + x_t[\Delta T_2] \sqrt{\Delta V_t^2[\Delta T_2]}}{\sqrt{\Delta V_t^2[\Delta T]}}$$

# COMPUTING THE VOLATILITY PATTERN

- Decomposition of the volatility:

$$v_t^2[\delta] = a_t \left( v_{\tau}^{(d)}[\delta] \right)^2$$

- with relative market activity factor  $a_t$  and
- volatility averaged over DST period  $d$  conditional to the time in the week,  $\tau = t \bmod (1 \text{ week})$ :

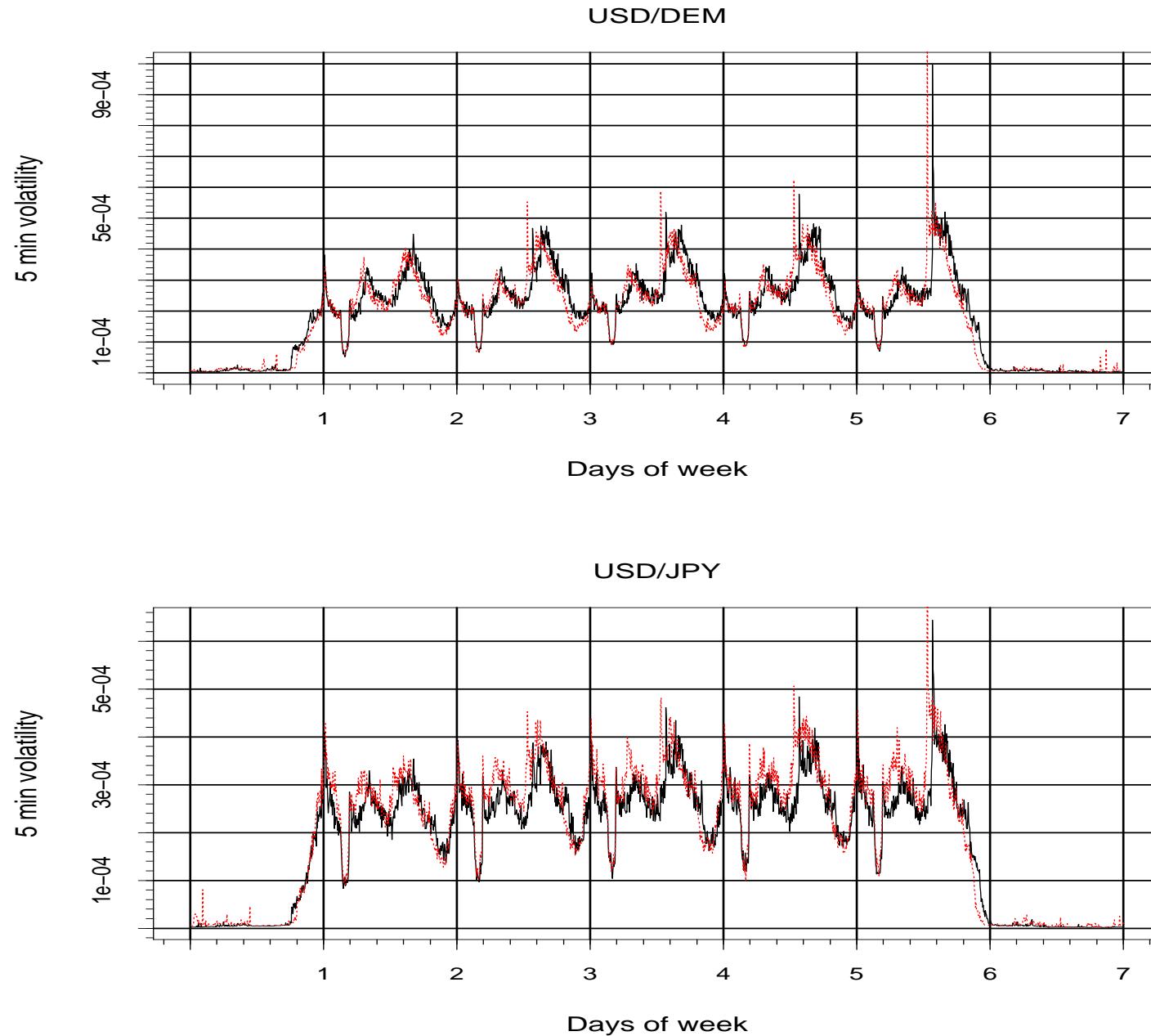
$$\left( v_{\tau}^{(d)}[\delta] \right)^2 = \frac{1}{N_d} \sum_{i=1}^{N_d} (r_{t_i+\tau}[\delta])^2$$

- Weekend volatility:

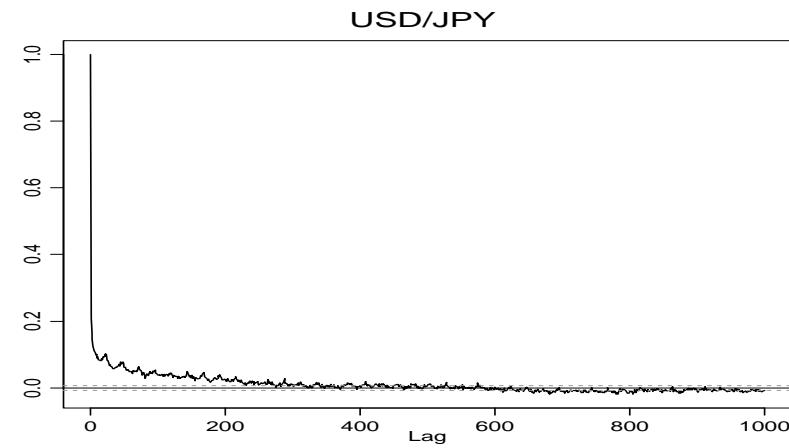
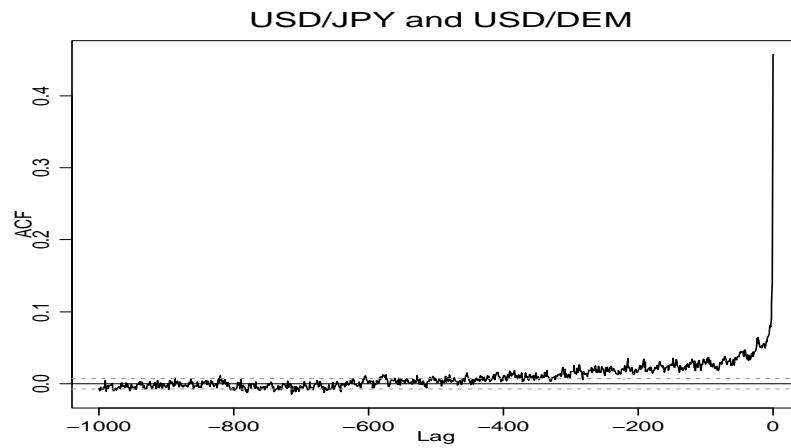
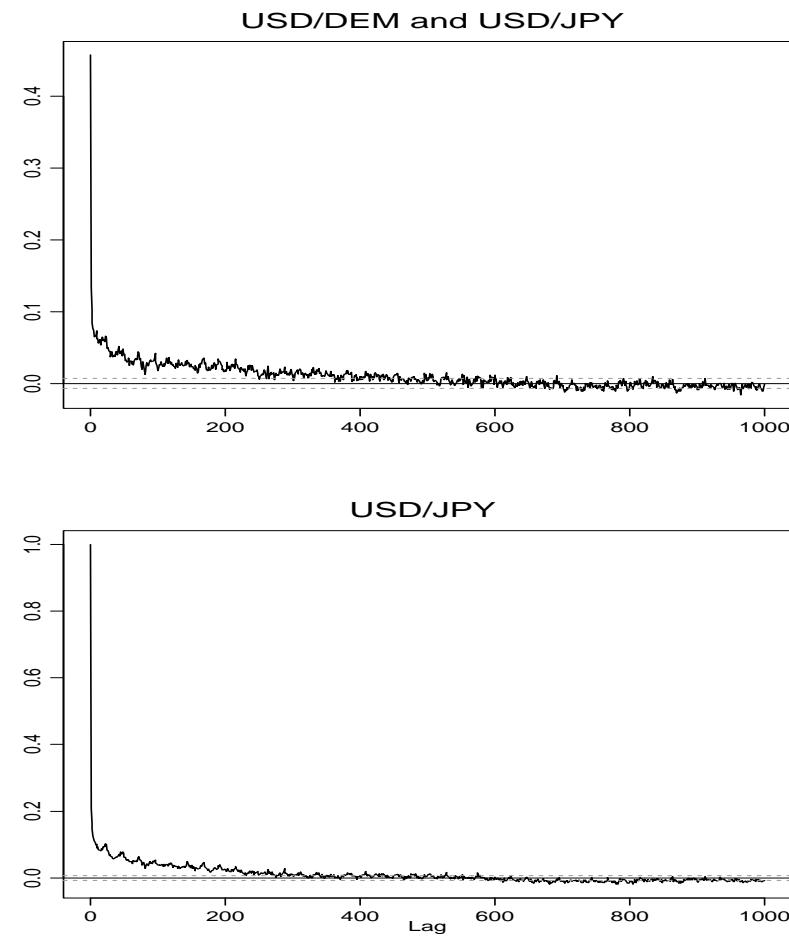
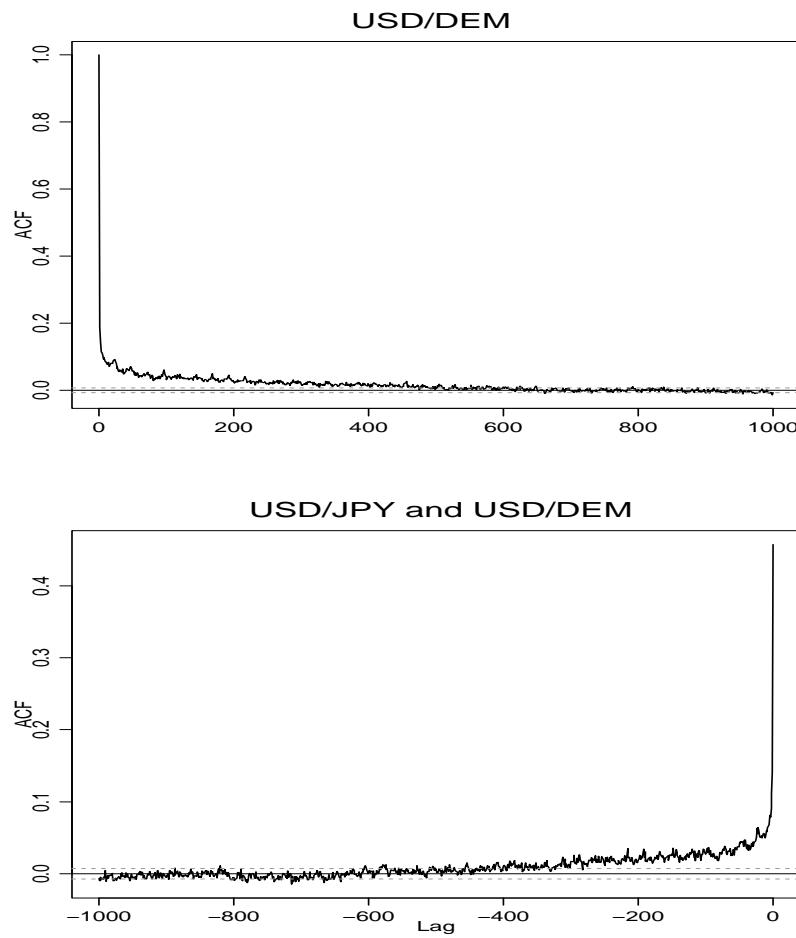
$$v^{(w)}[\delta] = \left| r_{t_w^{(\text{end})}}[\Delta T_w] \right| \sqrt{\frac{\delta}{\Delta T_w}},$$

- with weekend length  $\Delta T_w = t_w^{(\text{end})} - t_w^{(\text{start})}$

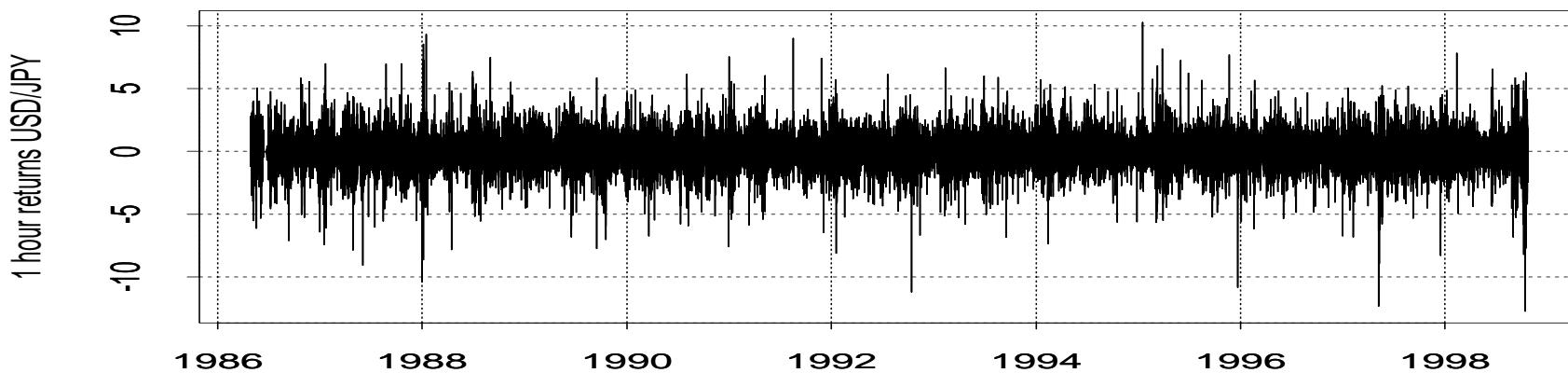
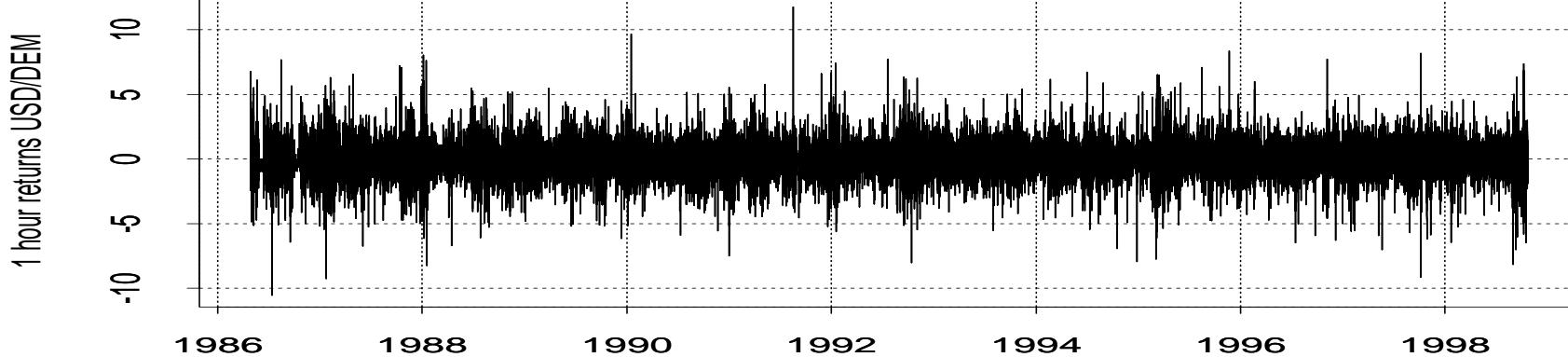
# THE WEEKLY VOLATILITY PATTERN



# ACF OF DESEASONALISED HOURLY ABSOLUTE RETURNS



# DESEASONALISED RETURNS



# DEPENDENCE STRUCTURE MODELLING

- Static copula fitting
- Marginal GARCH type filtering
- Time-invariant copulas across time scales
  - Copula fitting
  - Goodness of fit and ellipticality test
  - Tail coefficient
  - Spectral measure and bivariate excesses
- Multivariate (matrix-diagonal) GARCH
- Time-varying copulas across time scales
- Change-point detection

# DEPENDENCE STRUCTURE

$\mathbf{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_d)$   $d$ -dimensional vector of risk factors

- Marginal distributions (assumed continuous)

$$F_1(x_1) = P(X_1 \leq x_1), \dots, F_d(x_d) = P(X_d \leq x_d)$$

- Joint distribution

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{x}) &= P(X_1 \leq x_1, \dots, X_d \leq x_d) \\ &= P(F_1(X_1) \leq F_1(x_1), \dots, F_d(X_d) \leq F_d(x_d)) \\ &= P(U_1 \leq F_1(x_1), \dots, U_d \leq F_d(x_d)) \end{aligned}$$

$(U_1, \dots, U_d) \stackrel{d}{\sim} C$  on  $[0, 1]^d$ : the copula

- Copula representation (Sklar):

$$F_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{x}) = C(F_1(x_1), \dots, F_d(x_d))$$

$$C(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_d) = F_{\mathbf{X}}(F_1^{-1}(u_1), \dots, F_d^{-1}(u_d))$$

# FAMILIES OF COPULAS

- Gaussian copula for correlation  $\rho$ :

$$C_{\rho}^{Ga}(u, v) = \int_{\infty}^{\Phi^{-1}(u)} \int_{\infty}^{\Phi^{-1}(v)} \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{(1 - \rho^2)}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(s^2 - 2\rho s t + t^2)}{2(1 - \rho^2)} \right\} ds dt$$

- $t$ -copula for  $\nu$  degrees of freedom and correlation  $\rho$ :

$$C_{\nu, \rho}^t(u, v) = \int_{\infty}^{t_{\nu}^{-1}(u)} \int_{\infty}^{t_{\nu}^{-1}(v)} \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{(1 - \rho^2)}} \left\{ 1 + \frac{(s^2 - 2\rho s t + t^2)}{\nu(1 - \rho^2)} \right\}^{-\frac{(\nu+1)}{2}} ds dt$$

- Clayton copula:

$$C_{\beta}^{Cl}(u, v) = \max \left[ - \left\{ (-\log u)^{1/\beta} + (-\log v)^{1/\beta} \right\}^{\beta}, 0 \right]$$

# FAMILIES OF COPULAS

- Gumbel copula:

$$C_{\beta}^{Gu}(u, v) = \exp \left[ - \left\{ (-\log u)^{1/\beta} + (-\log v)^{1/\beta} \right\}^{\beta} \right]$$

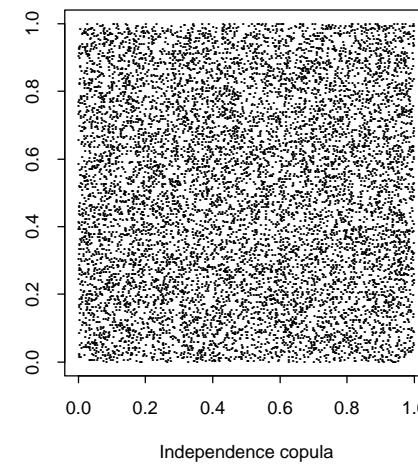
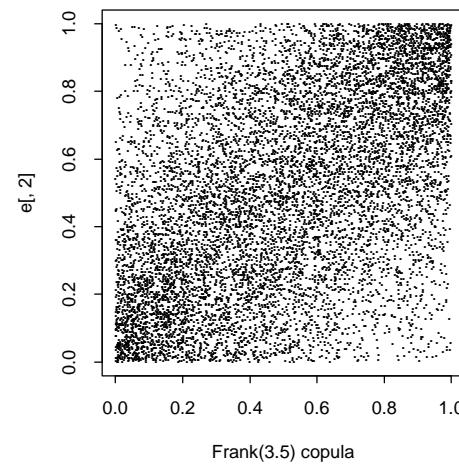
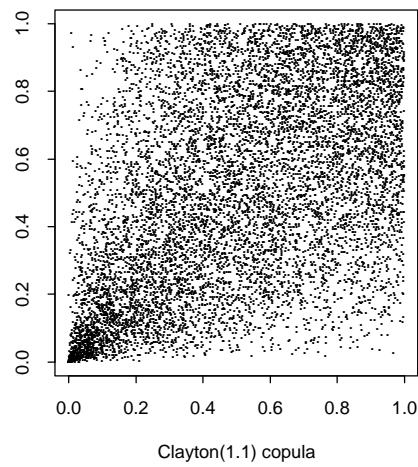
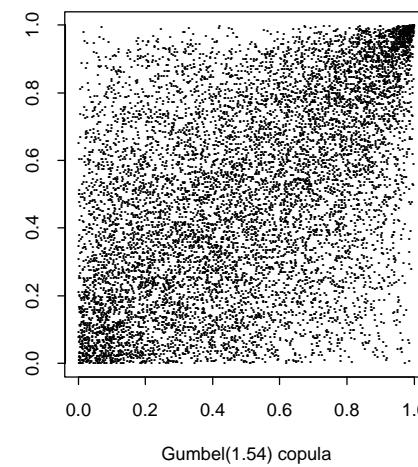
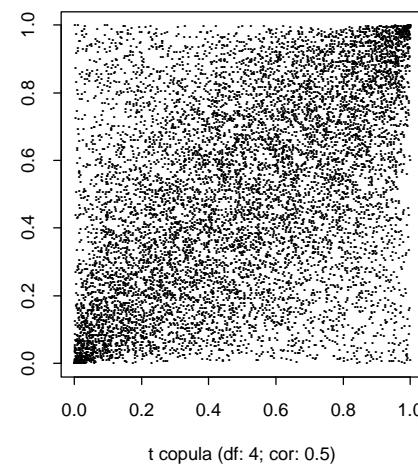
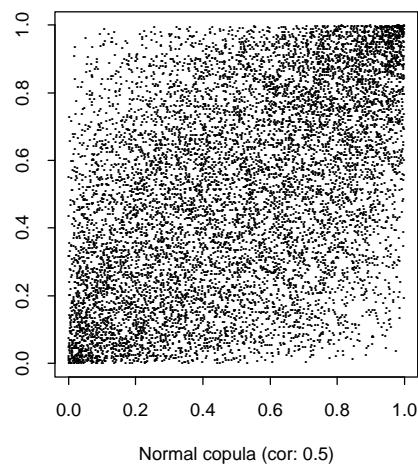
- Mixture of Gumbel and survival Gumbel copulas:

$$\begin{aligned} C(u_1, u_2; \theta) &= \theta_3 C^{Gu}(u_1, u_2; \theta_1) + (1 - \theta_3)(u_1 + u_2 - 1 + C^{Gu}(1 - u_1, 1 - u_2; \theta_2)) \\ &= \theta_3 u_1^{2^{1/\theta_1}} + (1 - \theta_3) \left( 2u_1 - 1 + (1 - u_1)^{2^{1/\theta_2}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

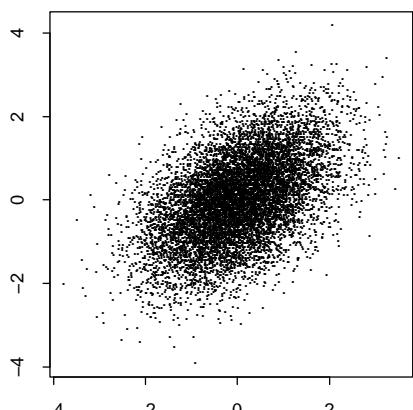
- Frank copula:

$$C_{\beta}^{Fr}(u, v) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \log \left[ 1 + \frac{(e^{-\beta u} - 1)(e^{-\beta v} - 1)}{e^{-\beta} - 1} \right]$$

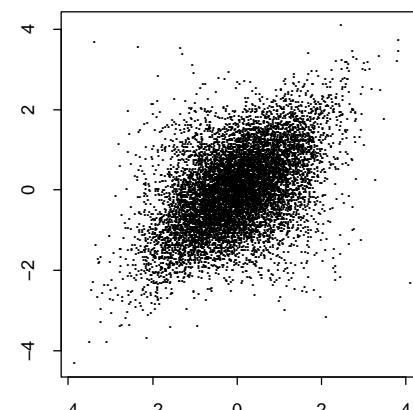
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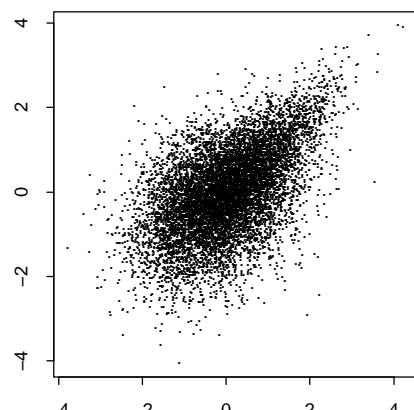
# COPULA DENSITIES WITH NORMAL MARGINS



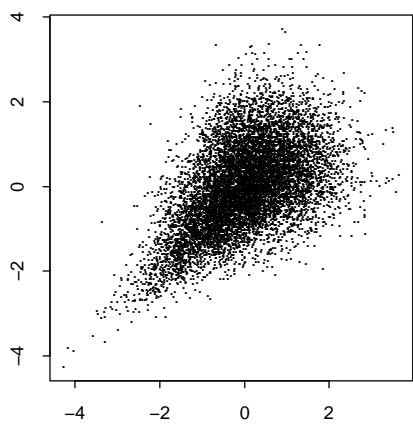
Bivariate Normal (cor: 0.5)



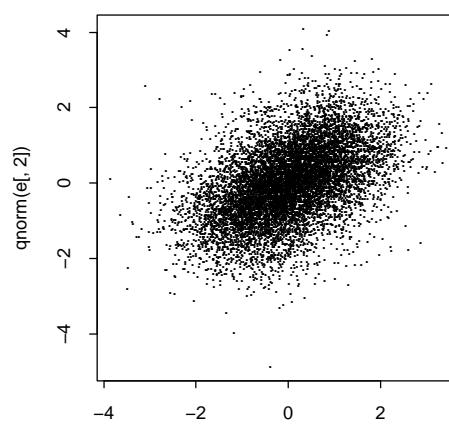
t copula (df: 4; cor: 0.5), N(0,1) mrg.



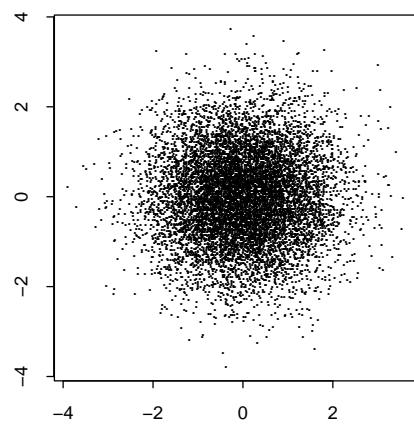
Gumbel(1.54) copula, N(0,1) mrg.



Clayton(1.1) copula, N(0,1) mrg.

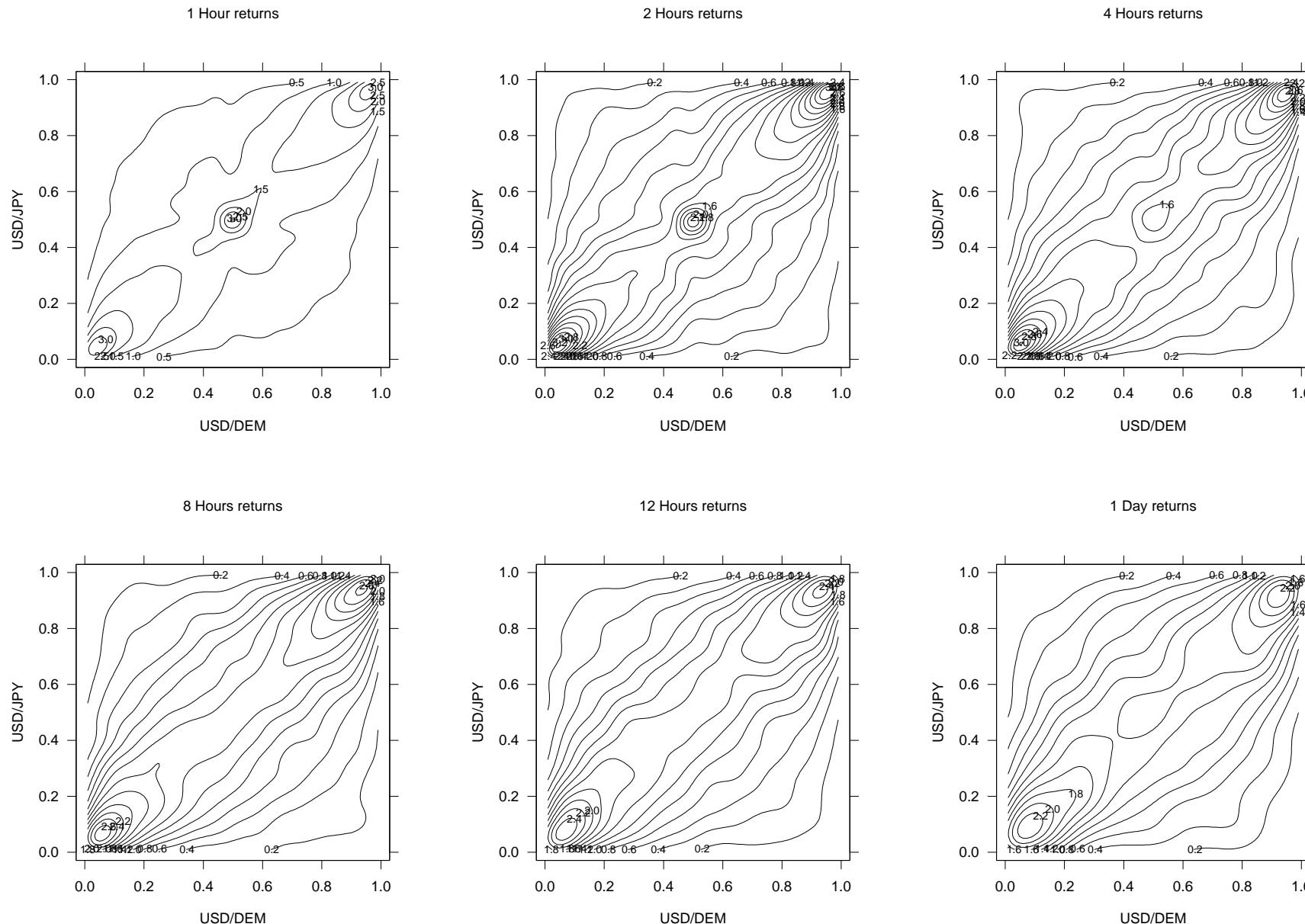


Frank(3.5) copula, N(0,1) mrg.



Independence copula, N(0,1) mrg.

# CONTOUR-PLOTS OF DESEASONALISED USD/DEM AND USD/JPY RETURNS



# FITTING STATIC COPULA MODELS

## SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS

- Use pseudo-likelihood method
- t-copula fits best across all frequencies
- Persistence of tail dependence
- Data are non-elliptical for higher frequencies

Reference: [1]

# MARGINAL GARCH TYPE FILTERING

Univariate ARMA-GARCH model:

$$X_t = \mu_t + \epsilon_t$$

$$\mu_t = \mu + \sum_{i=1}^{p_1} \phi_i (X_{t-i} - \mu) + \sum_{j=1}^{q_1} \theta_j \epsilon_{t-j}$$

$$\epsilon_t = \sigma_t Z_t$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \alpha_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{p_2} \alpha_i \epsilon_{t-i}^2 + \sum_{j=1}^{q_2} \beta_j \sigma_{t-j}^2$$

where  $Z_t \sim t_\nu$

Frequency	USD/DEM				$\hat{\nu}$ (s.e.)
	$p_1$	$q_1$	$p_2$	$q_2$	
1 hour	—	—	1	1	3.693 (0.054)
2 hours	2	2	2	1	3.708 (0.044)
4 hours	—	5	1	1	3.975 (0.105)
8 hours	2	4	1	1	4.679 (0.234)
12 hours	1	—	1	1	5.385 (0.326)
1 day	1	—	1	1	5.797 (0.556)

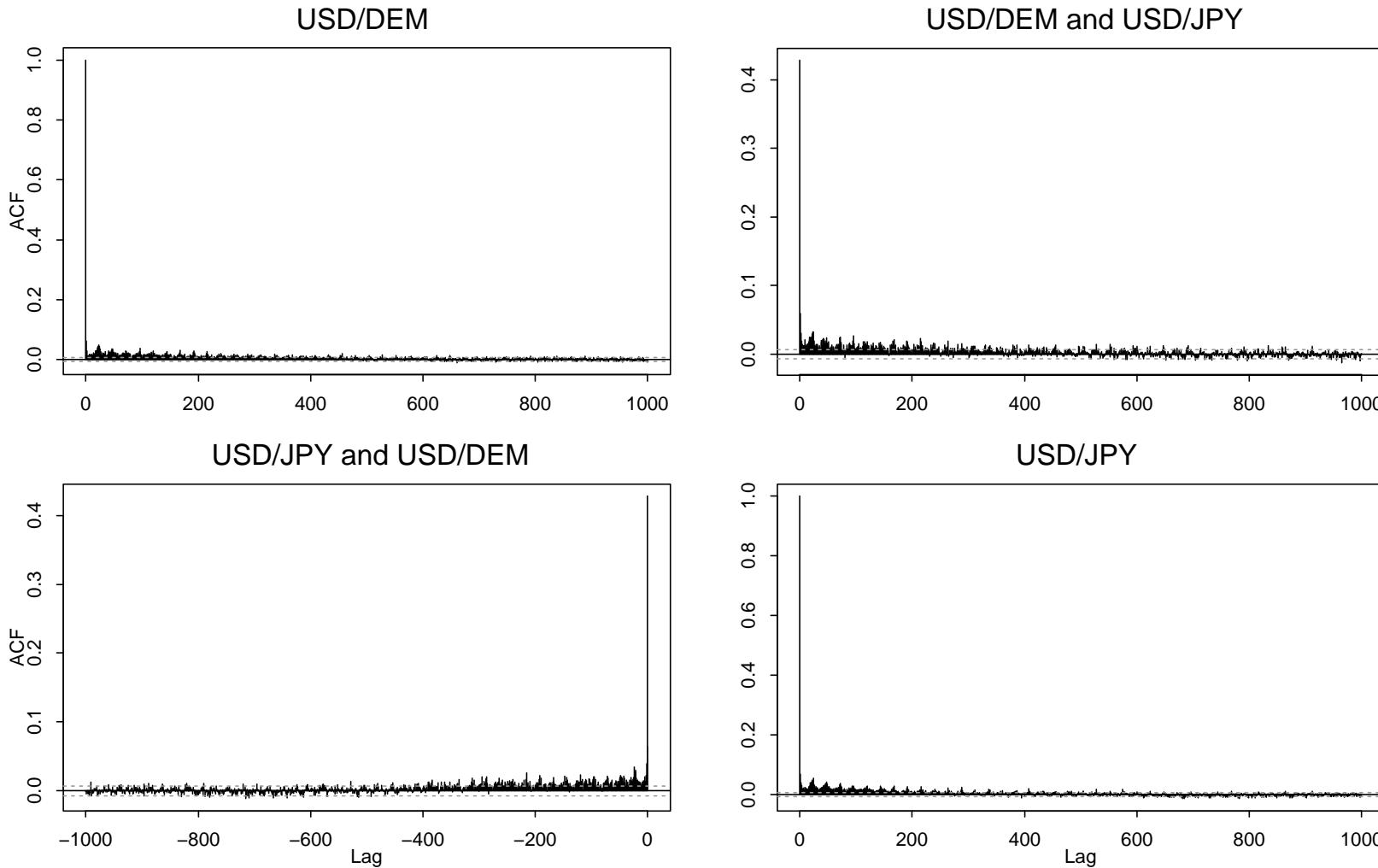
Frequency	USD/JPY				$\hat{\nu}$ (s.e.)
	$p_1$	$q_1$	$p_2$	$q_2$	
1 hour	—	—	1	1	3.654 (0.052)
2 hours	1	—	2	1	3.759 (0.077)
4 hours	4	4	2*	1	3.819 (0.109)
8 hours	2	2	1*	1	4.357 (0.195)
12 hours	1	—	1*	1	4.574 (0.251)
1 day	10	—	1*	1	4.889 (0.412)

Marginal residuals:  $\hat{z}_t = (x_t - \hat{\mu}_t)/\hat{\sigma}_t$

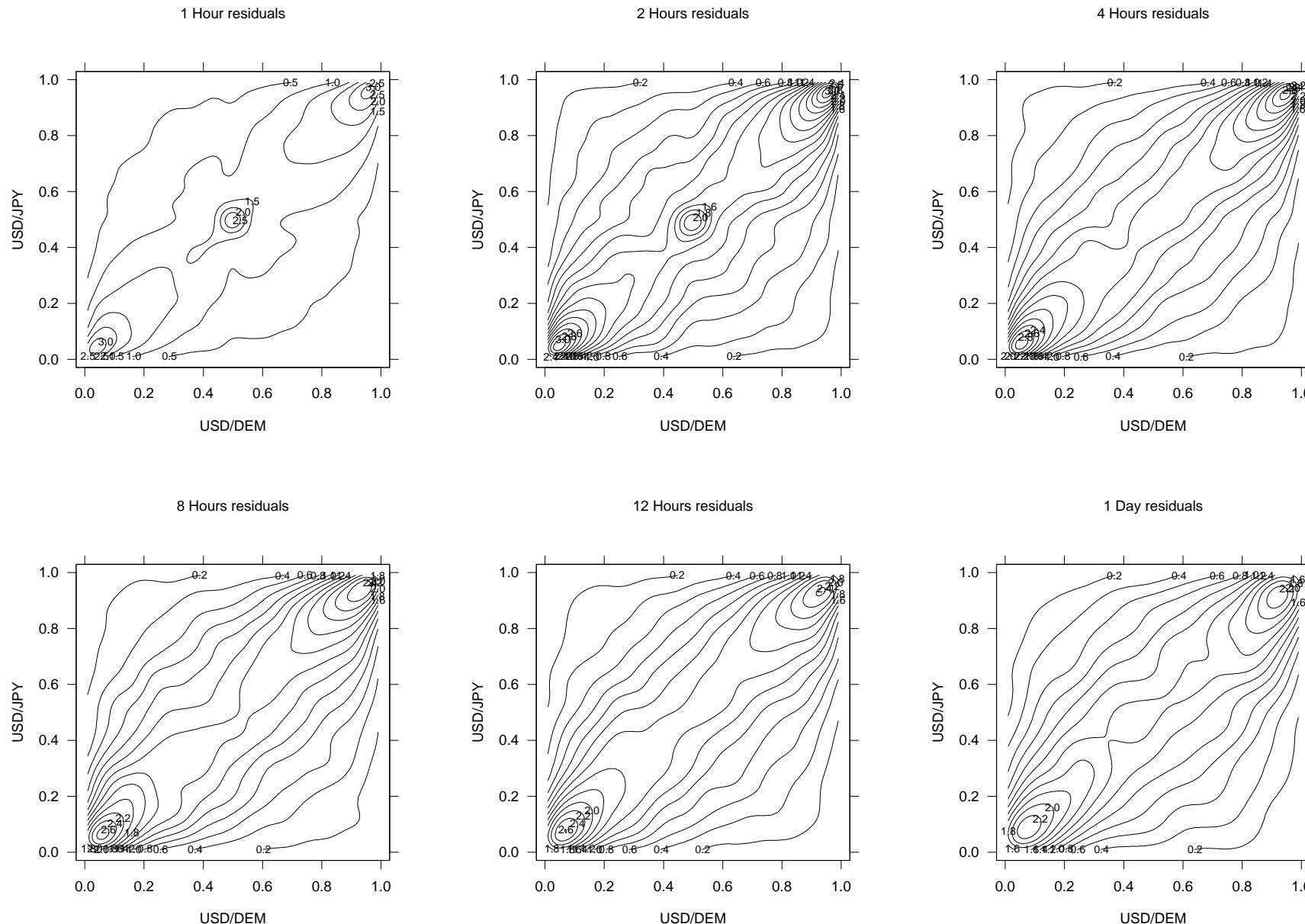
\* leverage effect:  $\sigma_t^2 = \alpha_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{p_2} \alpha_i (|\epsilon_{t-i}| + \gamma_i \epsilon_{t-i})^2 + \sum_{j=1}^{q_2} \beta_j \sigma_{t-j}^2$

# Sample autocorrelograms

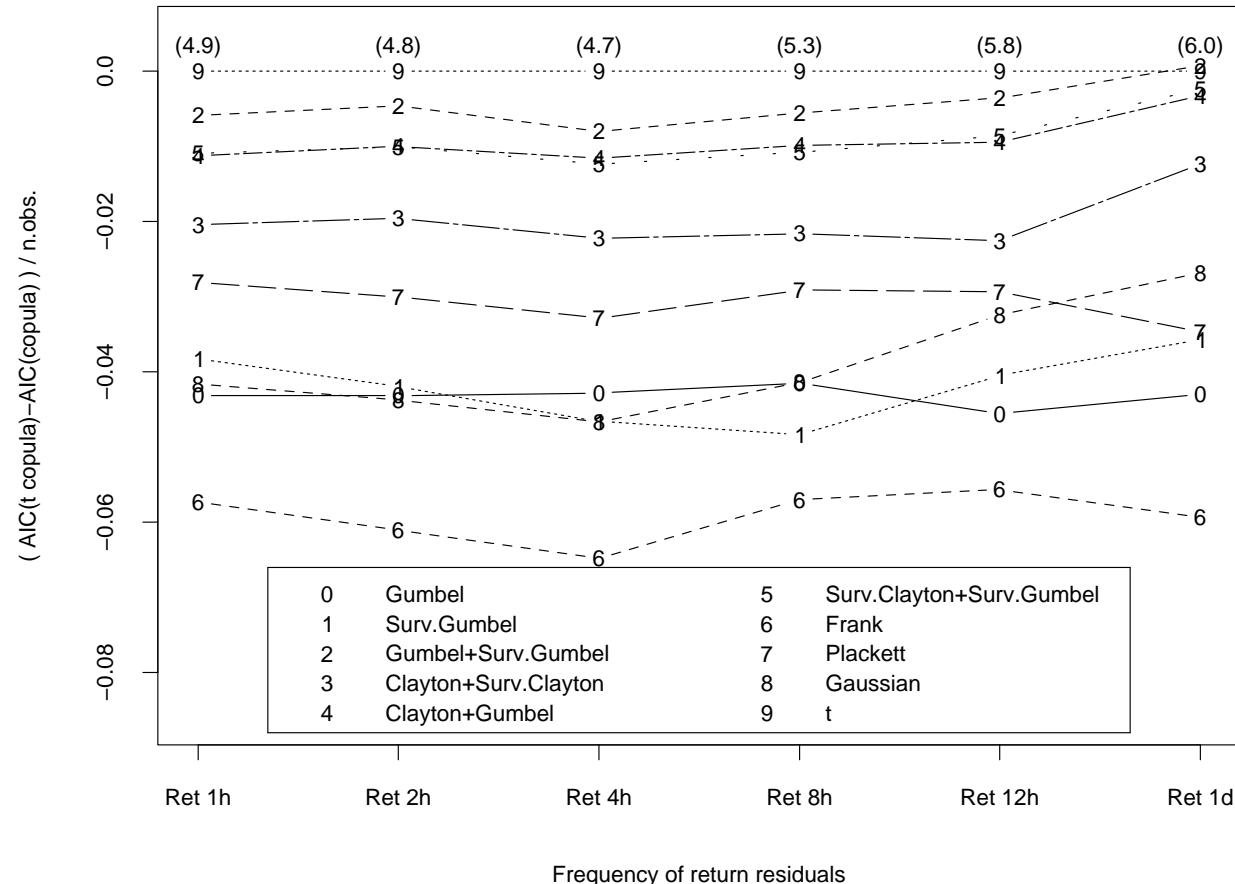
## Absolute values of the one hour USD/DEM and USD/JPY residuals



# CONTOUR-PLOTS OF FILTERD USD/DEM AND USD/JPY RETURNS



# GOODNESS OF FIT FOR DIFFERENT FREQUENCIES RELATIVE TO THE t-COPULA



# GOODNESS OF FIT

## of the t and Gumbel mixture models fitted to the residuals

Frequency	sample size	t-model	Gumbel mixture
1 hour	78,239	0	0
2 hour	39,119	0	0
4 hour	19,559	0.0348	0.0006
8 hour	9,779	0.3808	0.1079
12 hour	6,519	0.2471	0.1949
1 day	3,259	0.7211	0.6775

# ELLIPTICALITY TEST FOR THE BIVARIATE RESIDUALS

Frequency	Original margins	t margins
1 hour	0	0
2 hours	0	0
4 hours	0	0.348
8 hours	0.001	0.069
12 hours	0.145	0.501
1 day	0.389	0.451

# TAIL-DEPENDENCE ANALYSIS

- Tail-dependence coefficient

Let  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  be random variables with distributions  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ , such that

$$\lim_{u \rightarrow 1^-} P(X_2 \geq F_2^{-1}(u) | X_1 \geq F_1^{-1}(u)) = \lambda_U$$

exists. If  $\lambda_U \in (0, 1]$  then  $(X_1, X_2)$  has upper tail-dependence coefficient  $\lambda_U$  and  $(X_1, X_2)$  has no upper tail dependence if  $\lambda_U = 0$

- Spectral analysis

Assumption: Multivariate regular variation of  $(X_1, X_2)$

- Asymptotic clustering

Bivariate Archimedean excesses have a Clayton copula (asymptotically)

[3] Juri and Wüthrich (2002). Copula convergence theorems for tail events.  
Insurance Math. Econom., 30: 405–420

# TAIL-DEPENDENCE COEFFICIENT ESTIMATES FOR THE RESIDUALS

Frequency	$t$ copula	Gumbel mixture	
	$\lambda$	$\lambda_L$	$\lambda_U$
1 hour	0.242	0.209	0.250
2 hour	0.261	0.207	0.269
4 hour	0.273	0.265	0.225
8 hour	0.261	0.216	0.289
12 hour	0.247	0.288	0.224
1 day	0.240	0.286	0.226

# SPECTRAL ANALYSIS

- Suppose that the  $d$ -dimensional random vector  $\mathbf{X}$  has a **regularly varying tail distribution**, i.e., the tail behaviour of  $\mathbf{X}$  is characterised by a tail index  $\alpha$  and the limit

$$\frac{P(\|\mathbf{X}\| > tx, \mathbf{X}/\|\mathbf{X}\| \in \cdot)}{P(\|\mathbf{X}\| > t)} \xrightarrow{v} x^{-\alpha} P(\Theta \in \cdot),$$

where  $x > 0$ ,  $t \rightarrow \infty$ , exists. The distribution function of  $\Theta$  is the **spectral distribution** of  $\mathbf{X}$

- Estimator:**

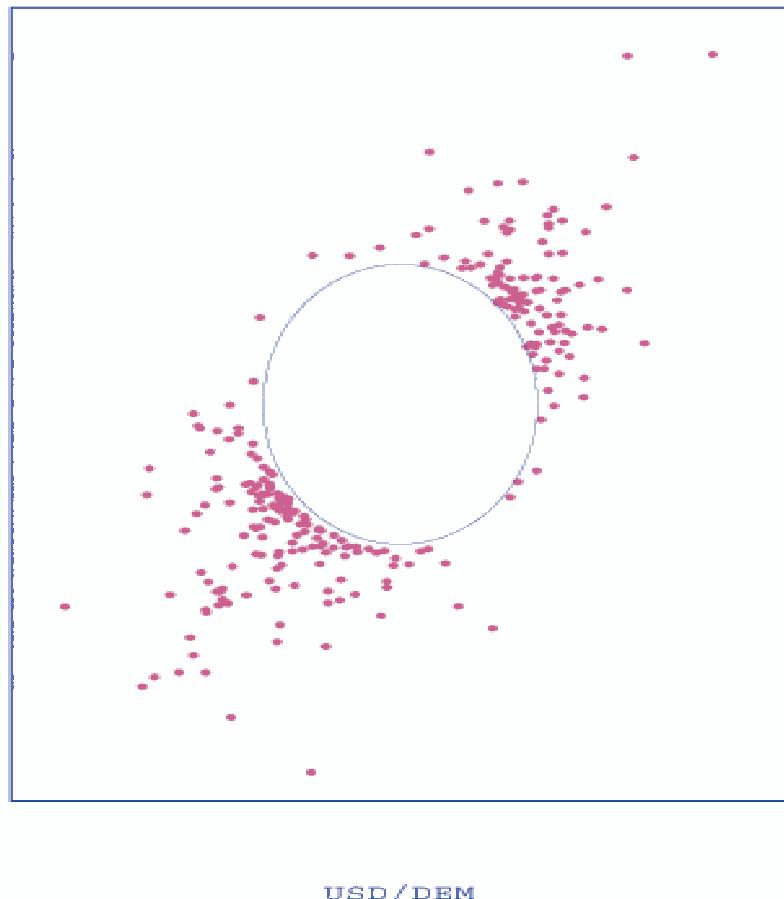
$$\hat{P}(\Theta \in S) = \frac{1}{k_n} \sum_{i=1}^n \epsilon_{\mathbf{x}_i/\|\mathbf{x}\|_{k_n,n}}(V(S))$$

where  $V(S) = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{S}_+^{d-1} : \mathbf{x}/\|\mathbf{x}\| \in S\}$

# SPECTRAL MEASURE ESTIMATION

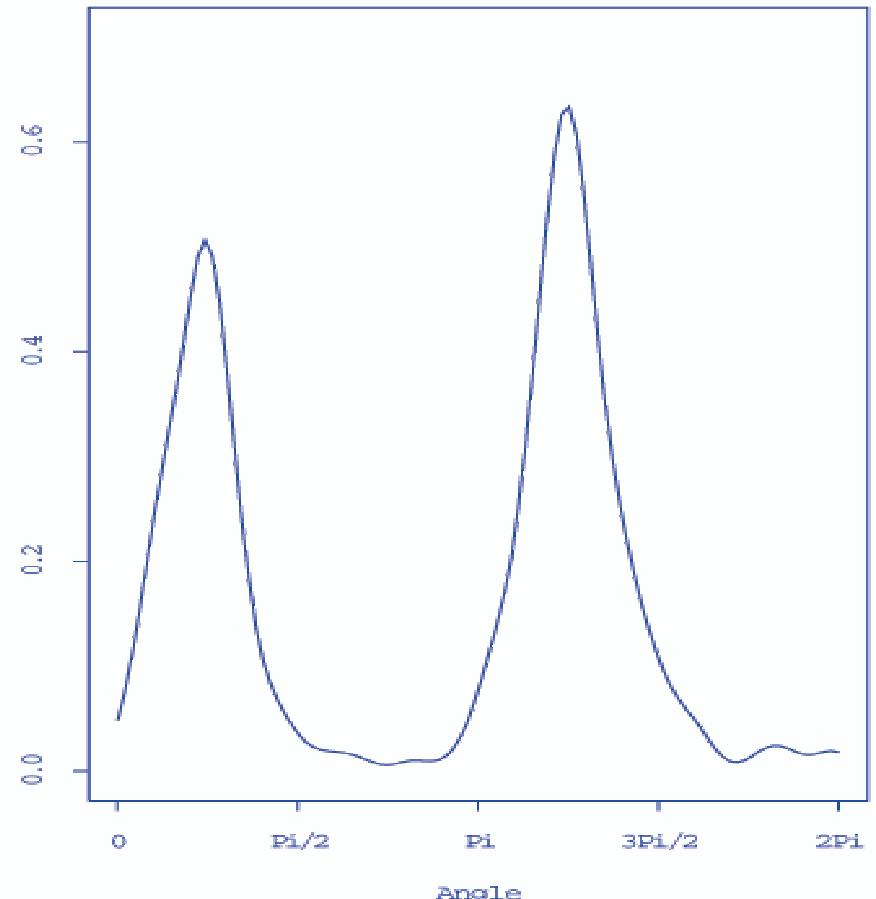
1 Day returns

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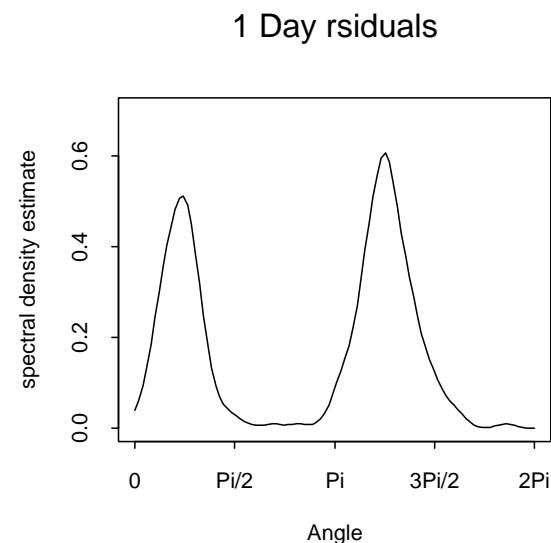
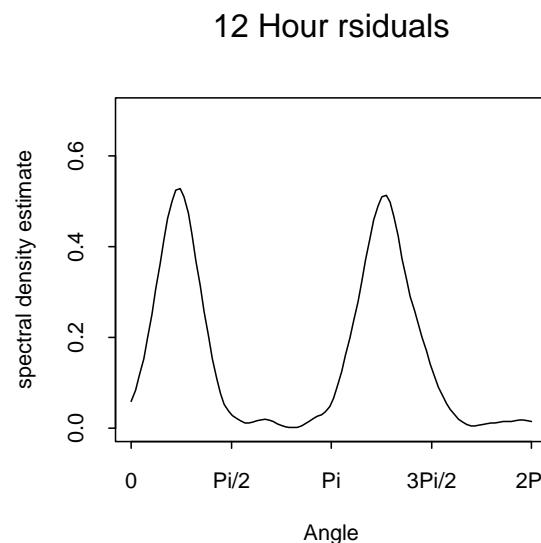
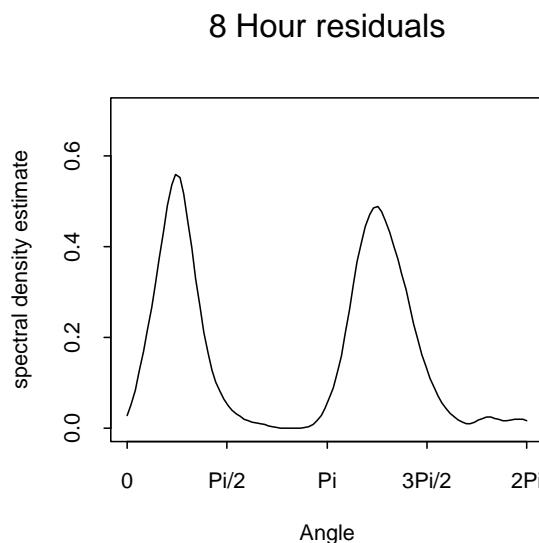
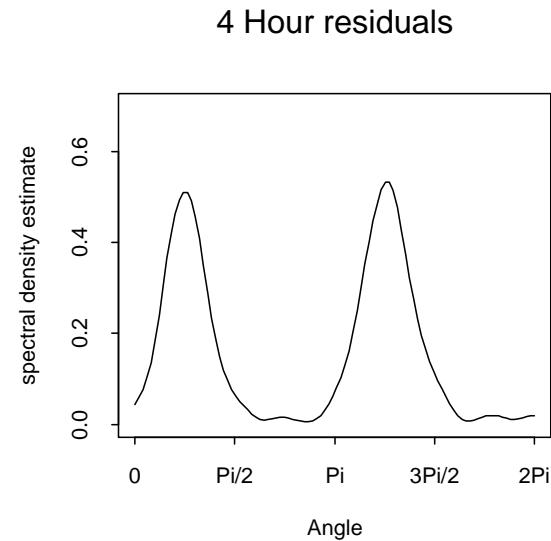
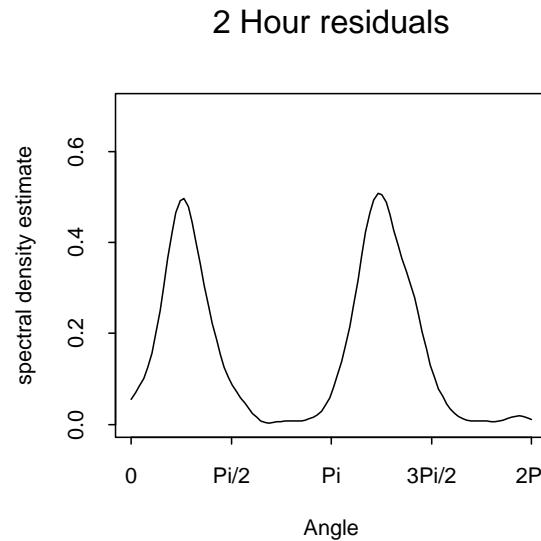
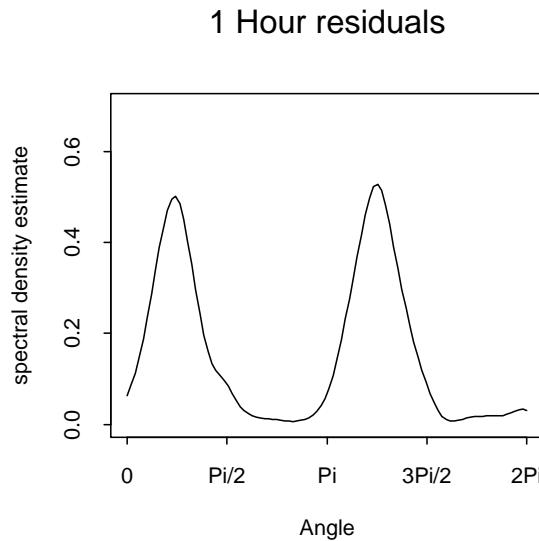


1 Day returns

spectral density estimate



# SPECTRAL ANALYSIS FOR THE BIVARIATE RESIDUALS



# ASYMPTOTIC CLUSTERING OF BIVARIATE EXCESSES

- Extreme tail dependence copula relative to a threshold  $t$ :

$$C_t(u, v) = P(U \leq F_t^{-1}(u), V \leq F_t^{-1}(v) | U \leq t, V \leq t)$$

with conditional distribution function

$$F_t(u) := P(U \leq u | U \leq t, V \leq t), \quad 0 \leq u \leq 1$$

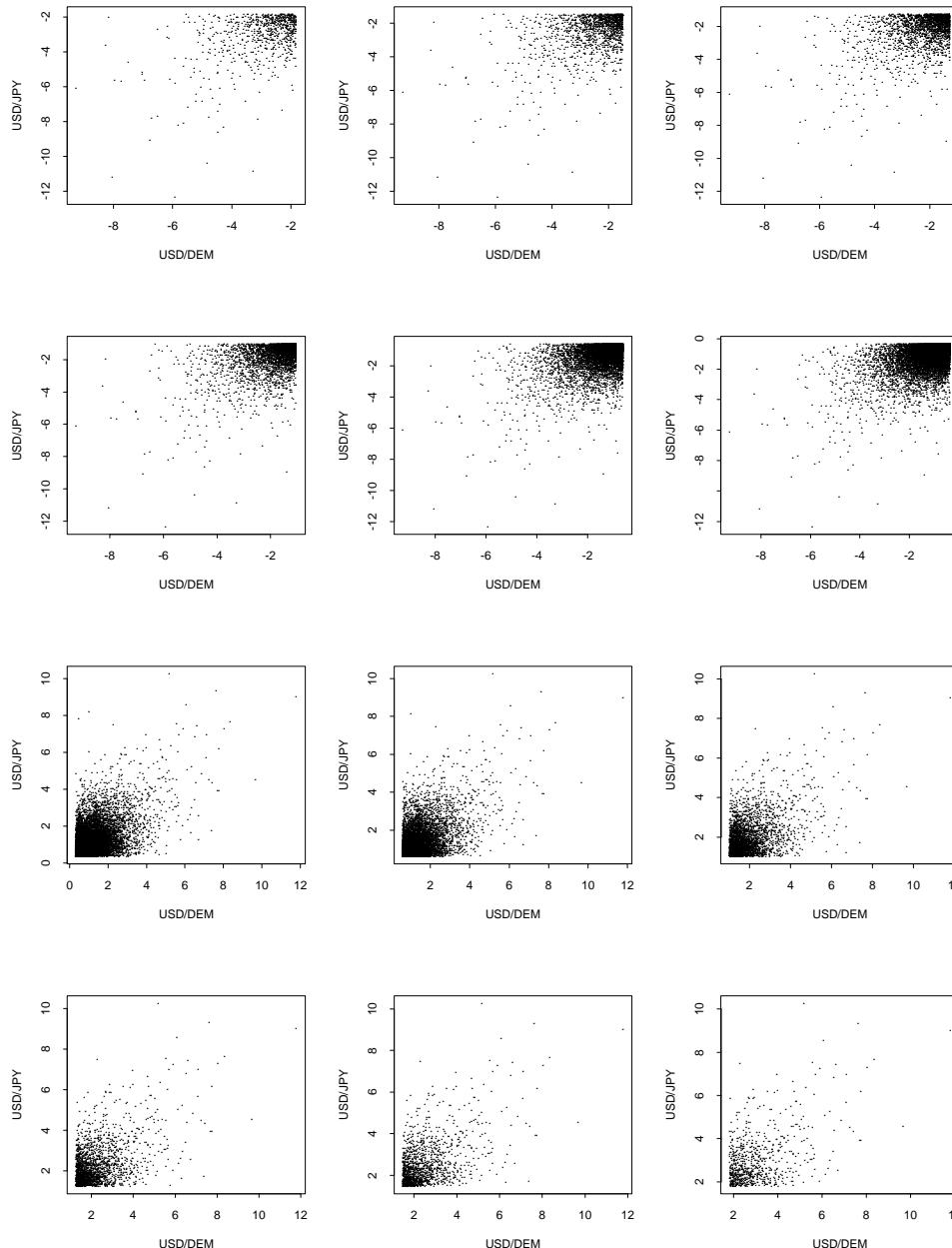
- **Archimedean** copulas:  $\exists$  cont., strictly decreasing function  $\psi : [0, 1] \mapsto [0, \infty]$  with  $\psi(1) = 0$ , s.t.

$$C(u, v) = \psi^{[-1]}(\psi(u) + \psi(v))$$

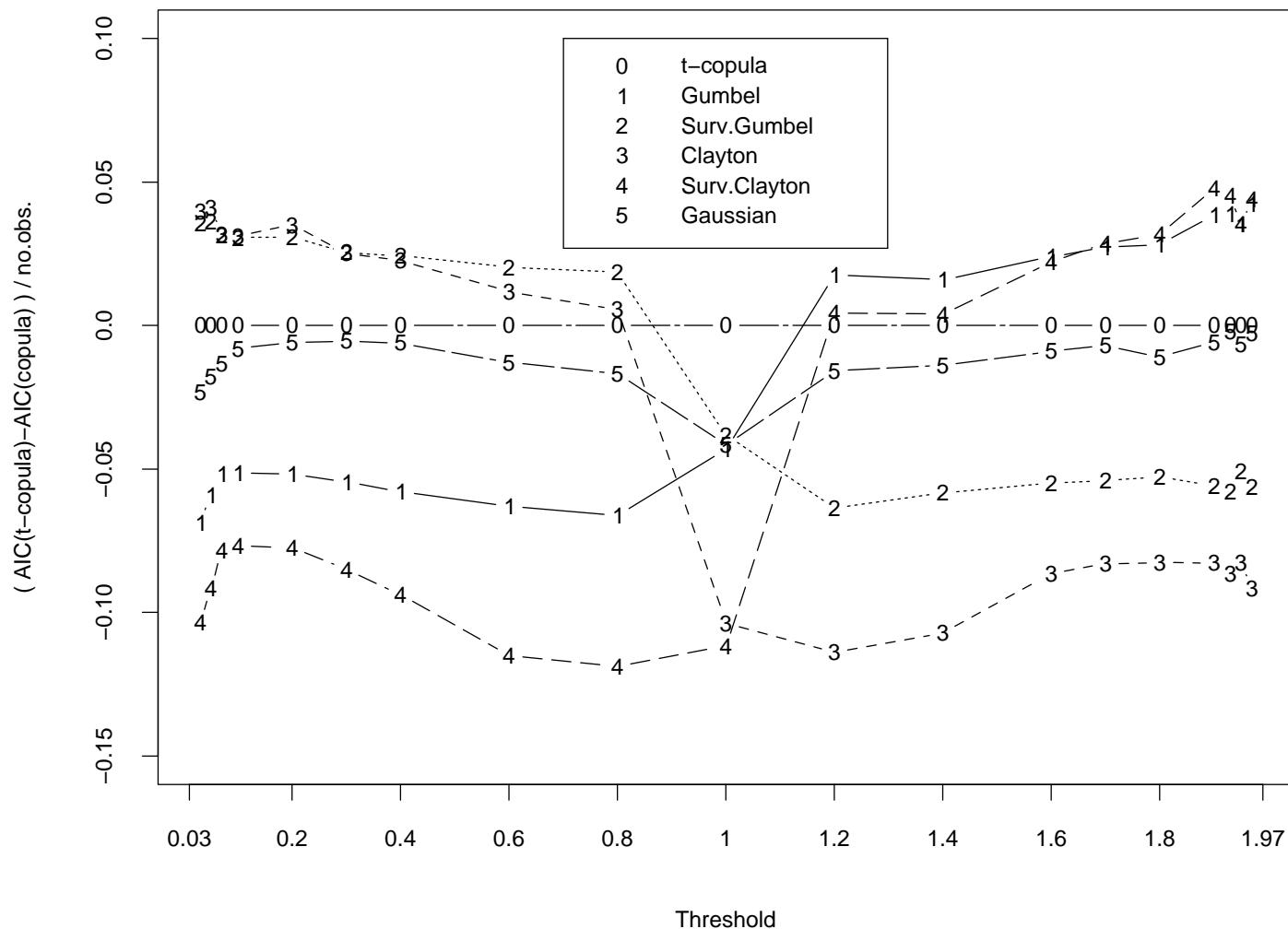
- For “sufficiently regular” **Archimedean** copulas (Juri and Wüthrich (2002)):

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} C_t(u, v) = C_\alpha^{\text{Clayton}}(u, v)$$

# BIVARIATE EXCESSES FOR DIFFERENT THRESHOLDS



# COPULA FITTING OF MULTIVARIATE EXCESSES



# MULTIVARIATE (MATRIX-DIAGONAL) GARCH

$d$ -dimensional matrix-diagonal GARCH process with an AR component:

$$\mathbf{X}_t = \boldsymbol{\mu}_t + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}_t = \boldsymbol{\mu} + \sum_{i=1}^{p_1} M_i (\mathbf{X}_{t-i} - \boldsymbol{\mu})$$

$$\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_t^{1/2} \mathbf{Z}_t$$

$$\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_t = A_0 A_0^t + \sum_{i=1}^{p_2} (A_i A_i^t) \otimes (\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{t-i} \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{t-i}^t) + \sum_{j=1}^q (B_j B_j^t) \otimes \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{t-j}$$

where

$A_i$  and  $B_j$  are lower triangular  $d \times d$  matrices

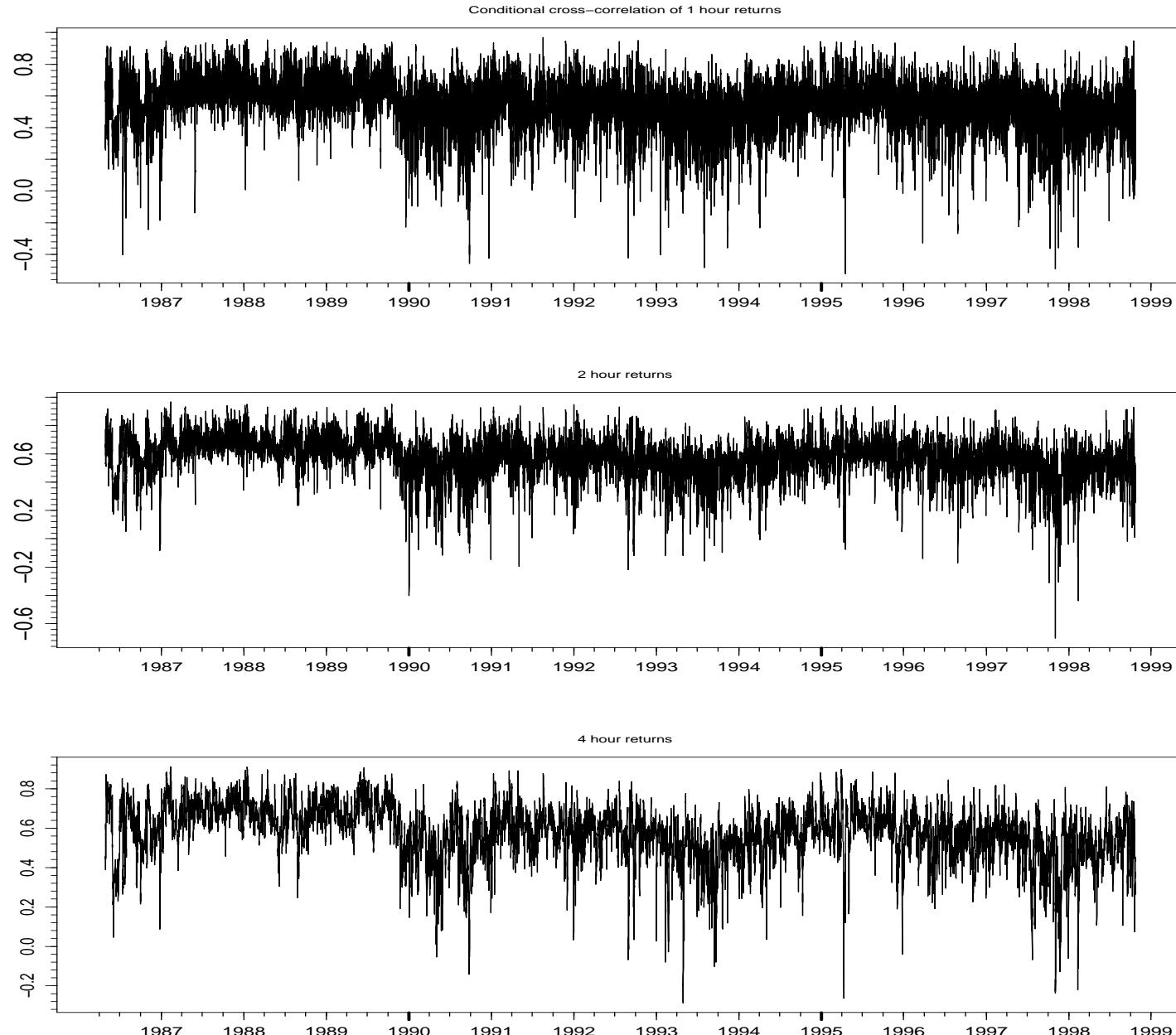
$M_i$  is a full matrix in  $\mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$

$(\mathbf{Z}_t)_{t \in \mathbb{Z}}$  is an iid vector sequence with zero mean vector and unit variances

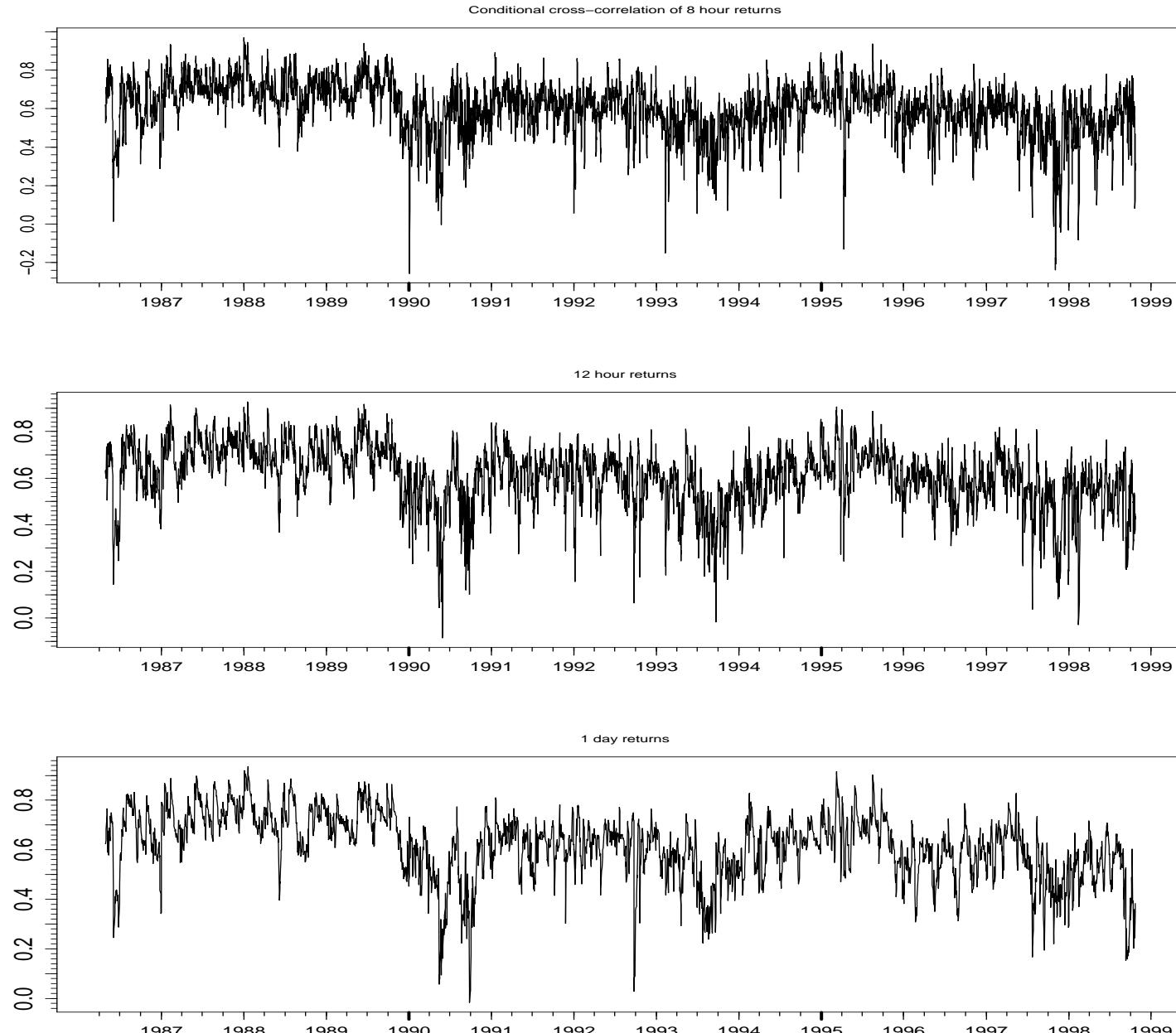
$\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_t$  is the conditional covariance matrix of the vector  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t$

$\otimes$  is the Hadamard product

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# TIME-VARYING COPULAS ACROSS TIME SCALES

- Multivariate GARCH model with time-varying copula:

$$\mathbf{X}_t = \mathbf{c} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t$$

$$\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t = \boldsymbol{\sigma}_t \mathbf{Z}_t$$

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma}_t^2 = A_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p A_i \otimes (\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{t-i} \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{t-i}^t) + \sum_{j=1}^q B_j \otimes \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{t-j}^2$$

where  $A_i$  and  $B_j$  are diagonal  $d \times d$  matrices

- Assume that  $\mathbf{Z}_t$  has a bivariate t-copula with time dependent parameters

$$\nu_t = \nu \quad \text{for all } t,$$

$$\rho_t = h^{-1}(r_0 + r_1 z_{1,t-1} z_{2,t-1} + s_1 h(\rho_{t-1})),$$

where  $h(\cdot)$  is Fisher's transformation for the correlation

$$h(\rho) = \log \left( \frac{1 + \rho}{1 - \rho} \right).$$

# Dynamic copula modelling

- Standardised residual return series obtained from the univariate filtering:

$$\{(\hat{z}_{1,t}, \hat{z}_{2,t}) : t = 0, \dots, n\}$$

- Standardized residual returns mapped into  $[0, 1]^2$ :

$$\left\{ \left( t_{\hat{\nu}_1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{\hat{\nu}_1}{\hat{\nu}_1 - 2}} \hat{z}_{1,t} \right), t_{\hat{\nu}_2} \left( \sqrt{\frac{\hat{\nu}_2}{\hat{\nu}_2 - 2}} \hat{z}_{2,t} \right) \right), t = 1, \dots, n \right\}.$$

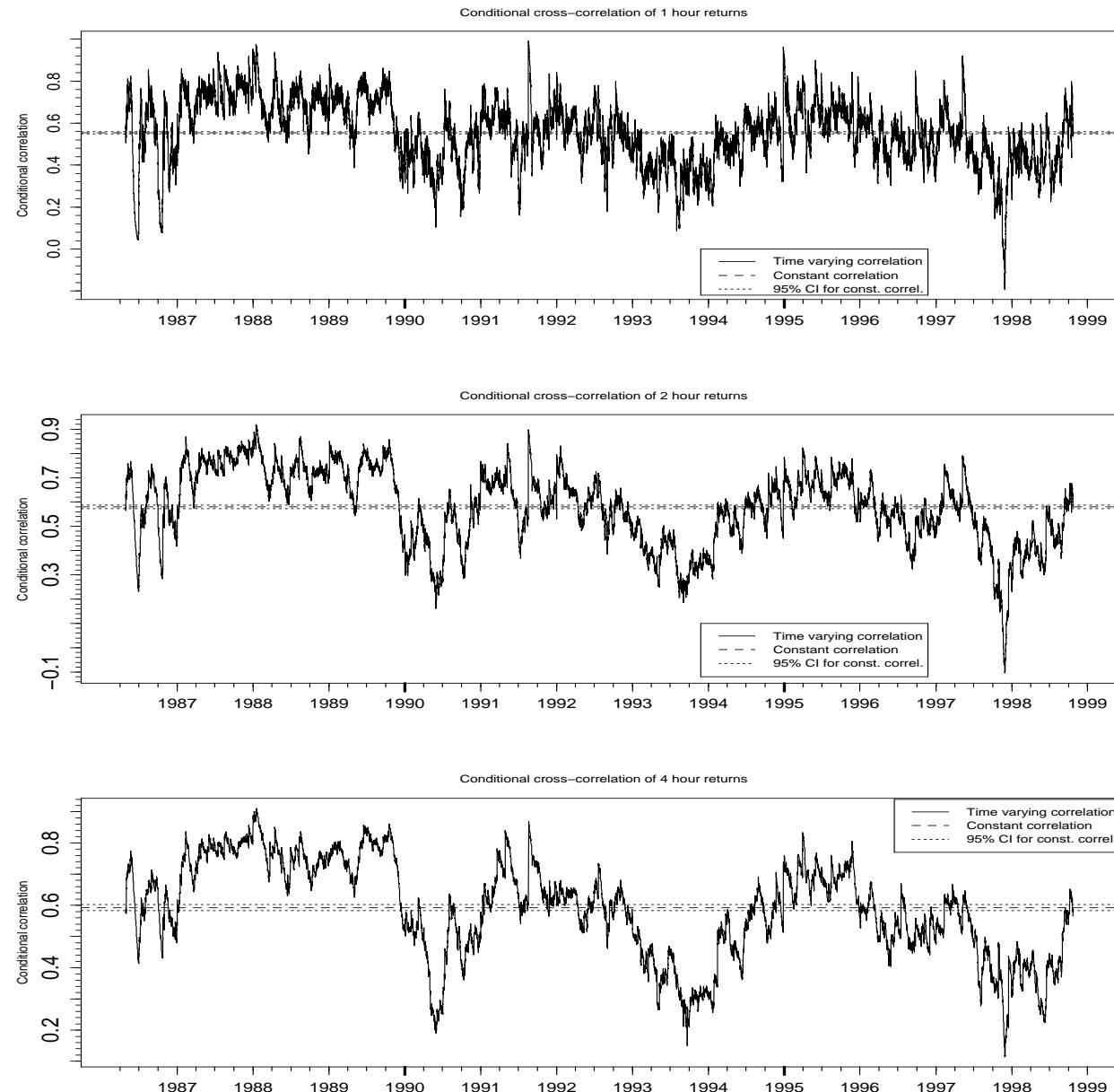
# Dynamic copula results

Time frequency	Parameter Estimates ( $s.e.$ )			
	non-dynamic		dynamic	
1 hour	$\hat{\nu}$	4.935 (0.108)	$\hat{\nu}$	6.330 (0.167)
	$\hat{\rho}$	0.558 (0.002)	$\hat{r}_0$	0.0005 (0.0002)
	AIC	-31517.70	$\hat{r}_1$	0.0193 (0.0010)
			$\hat{s}_1$	0.9921 (0.0005)
2 hours	$\hat{\nu}$	4.822 (0.147)	AIC	-34488.72
	$\hat{\rho}$	0.580 (0.003)	$\hat{\nu}$	6.203 (0.230)
	AIC	-17192.73	$\hat{r}_0$	-0.0004 (0.0002)
			$\hat{r}_1$	0.0128 (0.0009)
4 hours	$\hat{\nu}$	4.669 (0.195)	$\hat{s}_1$	0.9952 (0.0004)
	$\hat{\rho}$	0.592 (0.005)	AIC	-19349.29
	AIC	-9085.848	$\hat{\nu}$	6.072 (0.313)
			$\hat{r}_0$	-0.0008 (0.0002)
			$\hat{r}_1$	0.0147 (0.0011)
			$\hat{s}_1$	0.9947 (0.0004)
			AIC	-10262.23

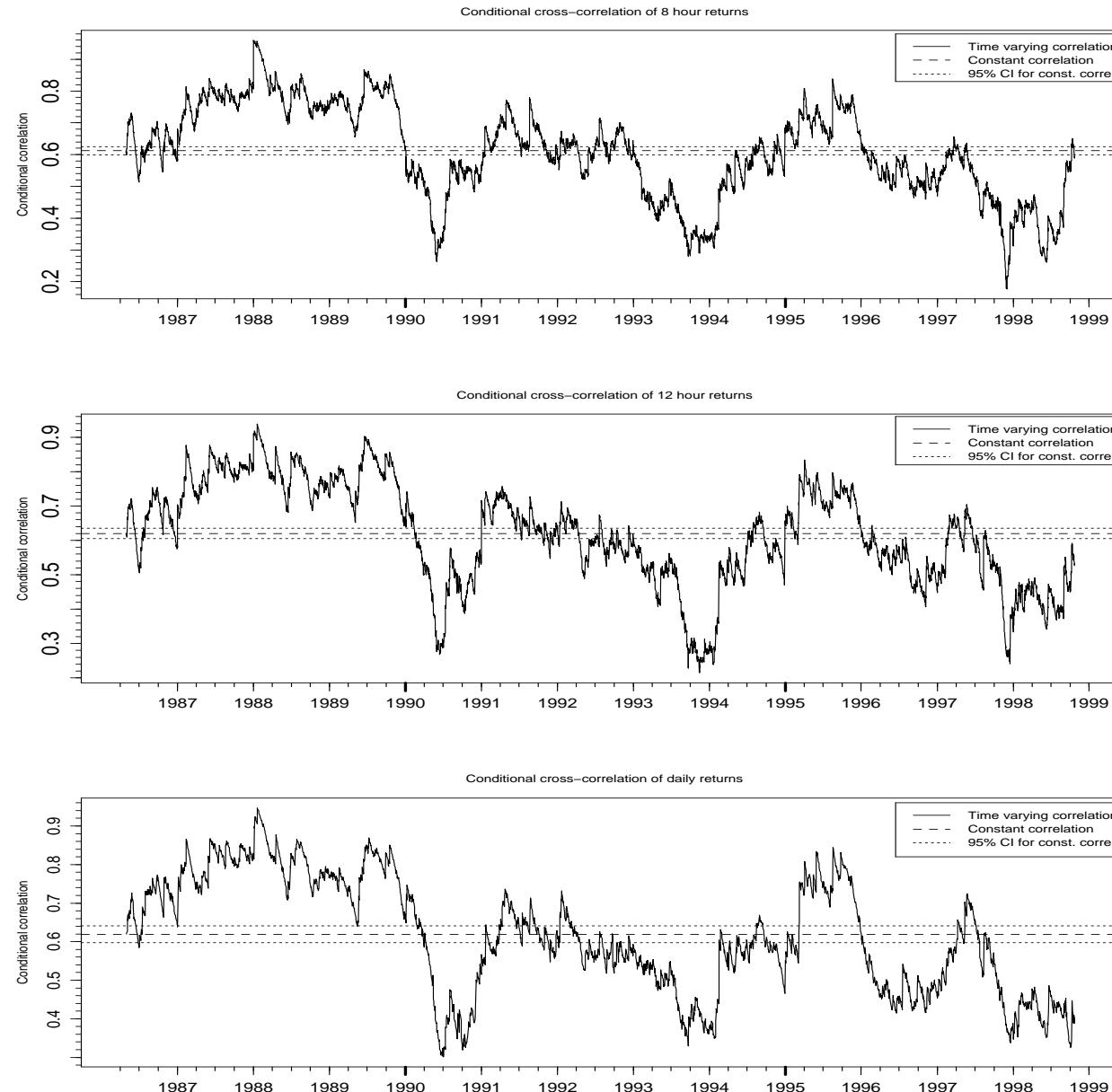
# Dynamic copula results

Time frequency	Parameter Estimates ( $s.e.$ )			
	non-dynamic		dynamic	
8 hours	$\hat{\nu}$	5.296 (0.339)	$\hat{\nu}$	7.206 (0.584)
	$\hat{\rho}$	0.612 (0.006)	$\hat{r}_0$	0.0005 (0.0005)
	AIC	-4813.6	$\hat{r}_1$	0.0173 (0.0014)
			$\hat{s}_1$	0.9927 (0.0006)
12 hours	$\hat{\nu}$	5.830 (0.499)	$\hat{\nu}$	8.053 (0.884)
	$\hat{\rho}$	0.620 (0.008)	$\hat{r}_0$	0.0002 (0.0008)
	AIC	-3299.16	$\hat{r}_1$	-0.0249 (0.0023)
			$\hat{s}_1$	0.9901 (0.0010)
1 day	$\hat{\nu}$	5.945 (0.758)	$\hat{\nu}$	8.573 (1.455)
	$\hat{\rho}$	0.619 (0.011)	$\hat{r}_0$	-0.0023 (0.0017)
	AIC	-1644.549	$\hat{r}_1$	-0.0343 (0.0041)
			$\hat{s}_1$	0.9846 (0.0021)
			AIC	-1881.760

# Time-varying cross-correlations estimated by the time-varying copula-based model



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# THE GENERAL CHANGE-POINT PROBLEM

$\mathbf{X}_1, \mathbf{X}_2, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n$  independent, from

$$C(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}_1, \boldsymbol{\eta}_1), \dots, C(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}_n, \boldsymbol{\eta}_n)$$

$$H_0 : \theta_1 = \theta_2 = \dots = \theta_n \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_1 = \eta_2 = \dots = \eta_n$$

$$H_A : \theta_1 = \dots = \theta_{k^*} \neq \theta_{k^*+1} = \dots = \theta_n \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_1 = \eta_2 = \dots = \eta_n$$

Likelihood ratio test

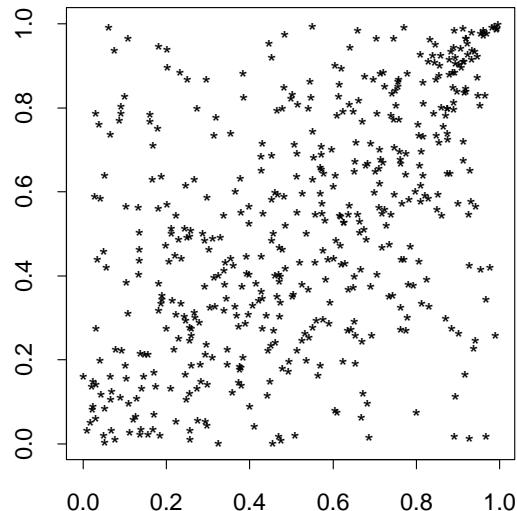
$$Z_n = \max_{1 \leq k < n} (-2 \log(\Lambda_k))$$

with

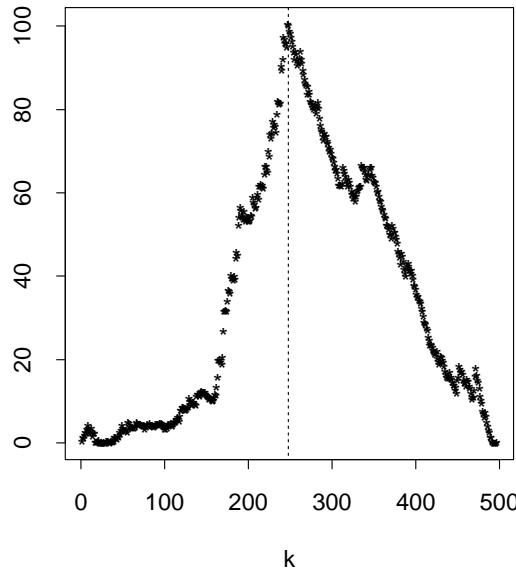
$$\Lambda_k = \frac{\sup_{(\boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\eta}) \in \Theta^{(1)} \times \Theta^{(2)}} \prod_{1 \leq i \leq n} f(\mathbf{X}_i; \boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\eta})}{\sup_{(\boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\theta}', \boldsymbol{\eta}) \in \Theta^{(1)} \times \Theta^{(1)} \times \Theta^{(2)}} \prod_{1 \leq i \leq k} f(\mathbf{X}_i; \boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\eta}) \prod_{k < i \leq n} f(\mathbf{X}_i; \boldsymbol{\theta}', \boldsymbol{\eta})}$$

# CHANGE-POINT DETECTION

## A SIMULATED EXAMPLE



500 points simulated from a Gumbel copula



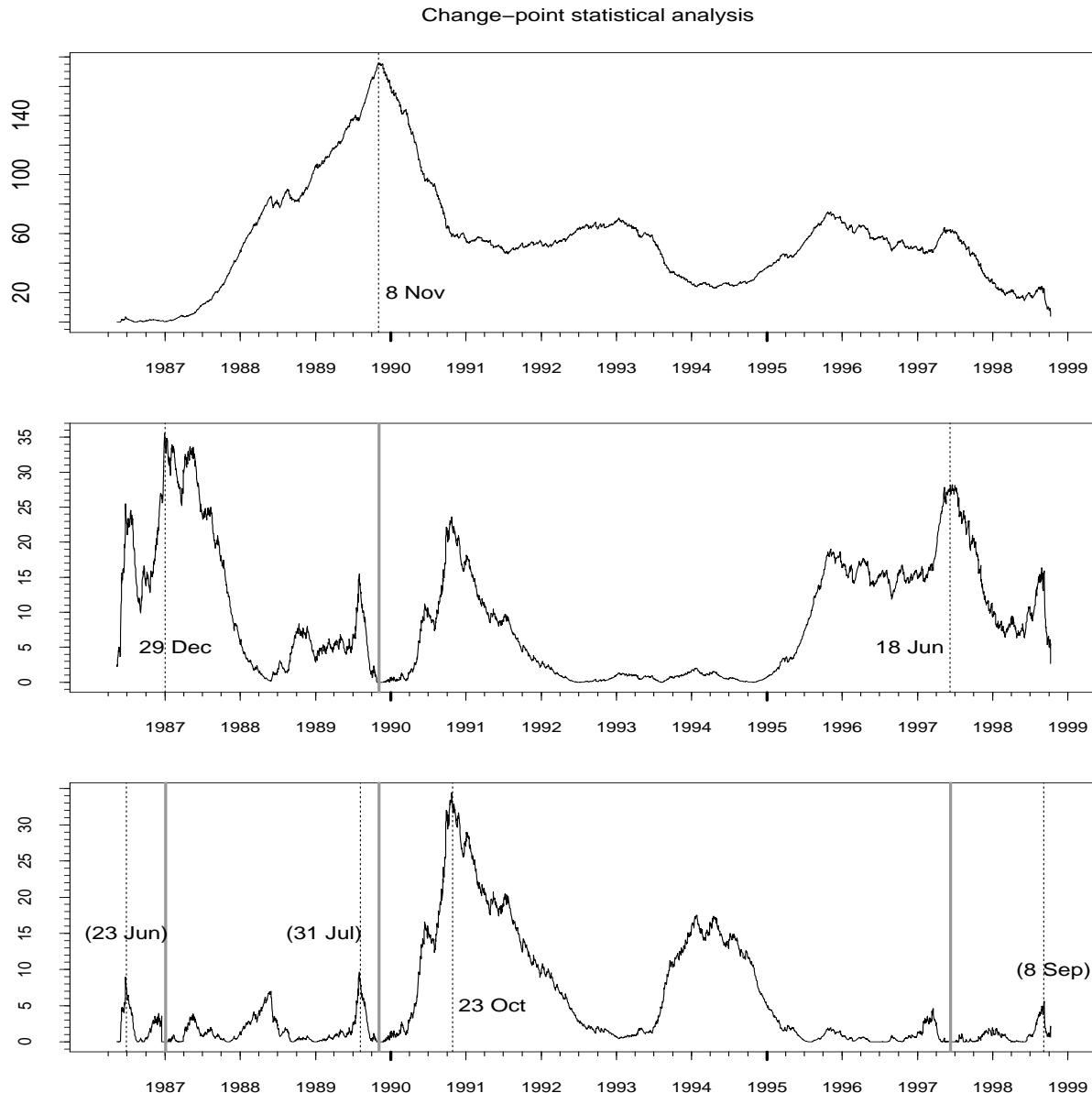
## SEVERAL PROBLEMS

- The power of the test
- Boundary changes
- Size of the change
- Confidence intervals

# Change-point analysis for USD/DEM and USD/JPY spot rate residuals

$z_{n \text{ obs}}^{1/2}$	n	$P\left(Z_n^{1/2} > z_{n \text{ obs}}^{1/2}\right)$	$H_0(0.95)$	Time of change
13.26	3 259	0	reject	8 Nov. 1989
5.96	923	0.0000004	"	29 Dec. 1986
5.31	2 336	0.0000143	"	18 June 1997
2.99	176	0.0689621	not rej.	(23 June 1986)
3.10	747	0.0709747	"	(31 July 1989)
5.86	1 985	0.0000007	reject	23 Oct. 1990
2.36	351	0.3380491	not rej.	(8 Sep. 1998)
2.78	1 736	0.1873493	"	(21 Oct. 1996)
2.86	249	0.1061709	"	(21 March 1990)

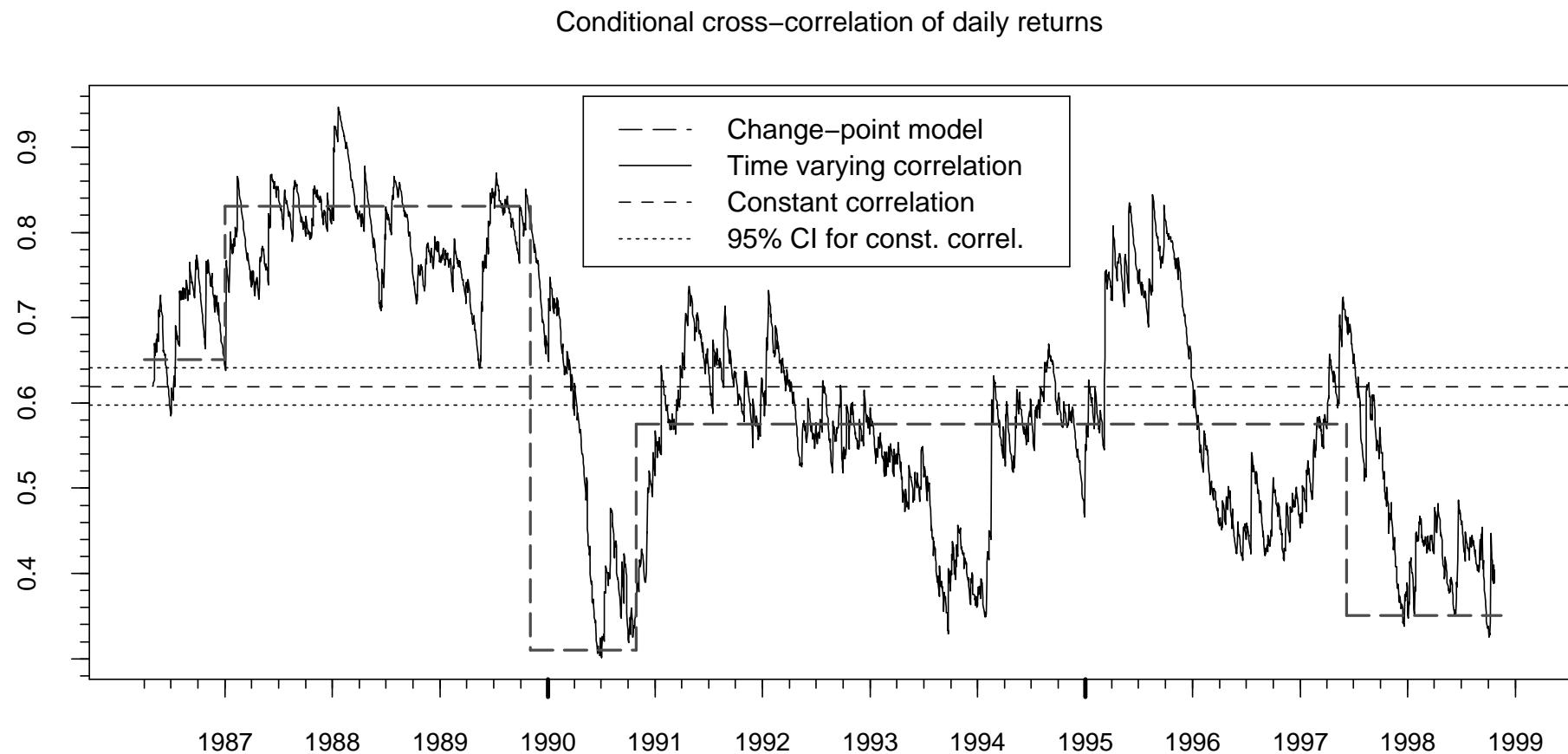
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# Change-points detected on the USD/DEM and USD/JPY spot rate residuals

- December, 29 1986
- November, 8 1989: fall of the Berlin wall
- October, 23 1990: burst in the Japanese asset price bubble
- June, 18 1997: beginning of the Asia crisis

# Estimated t-copula conditional correlation of daily returns on the FX USD/DEM and USD/JPY spot rates



# Summary and further work

## Summary:

- Deseasonalisation for multivariate tick-by-tick data
- Static versus dynamic copula fitting
- t-copula is overall fine
- Persistent tail-dependence
- Tested for ellipticality
- Change-point analysis

## Further work:

- $d > 2$ , other models
- Deseasonalisation, multivariate time change
- Tests for parameter constancy
- Link to multivariate EVT
- General Juri and Wüthrich (2002) result