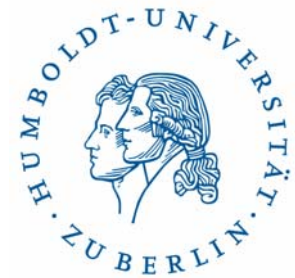


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# Pensions, Lotteries, Financial Markets: Measuring Statistical Risk

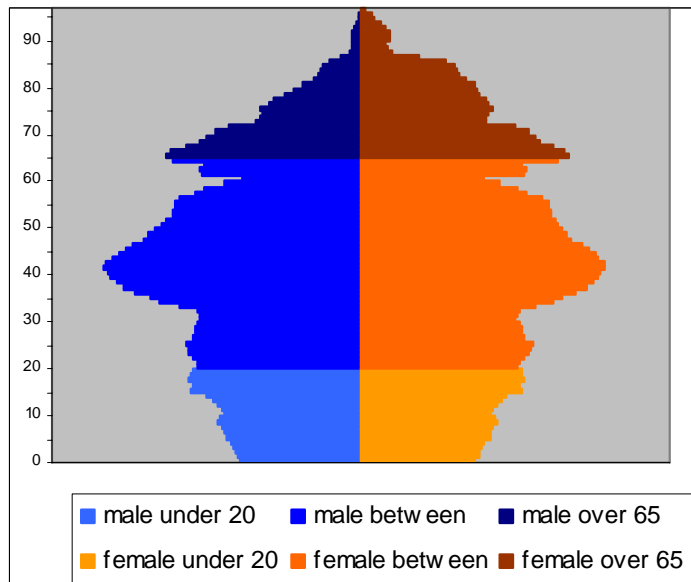
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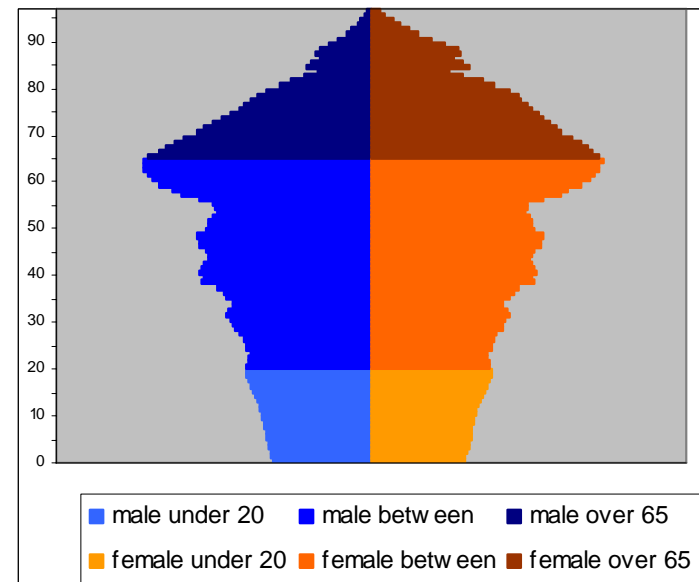
# Pension Systems

## □ How risky are the demographics ?

Germany



2007

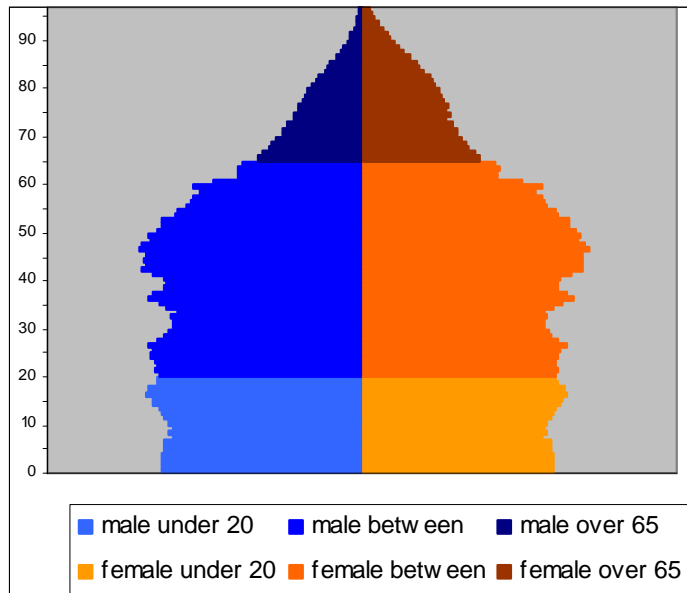


2030

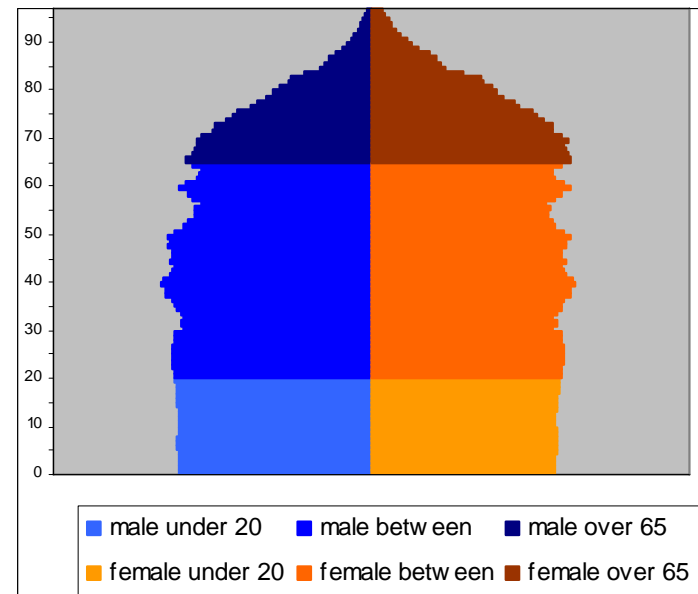
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## □ How risky are the demographics ?

USA



2007



2030

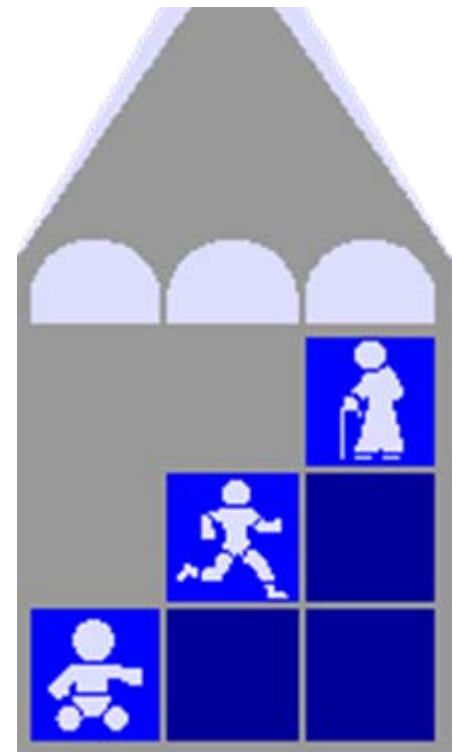
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# Measuring Statistical Risk

- ▣ **Basis for rational decisions**
- ▣ **Dynamic data visualization**
- ▣ **Fast computing of different scenarios**

# Demographic Risk Management

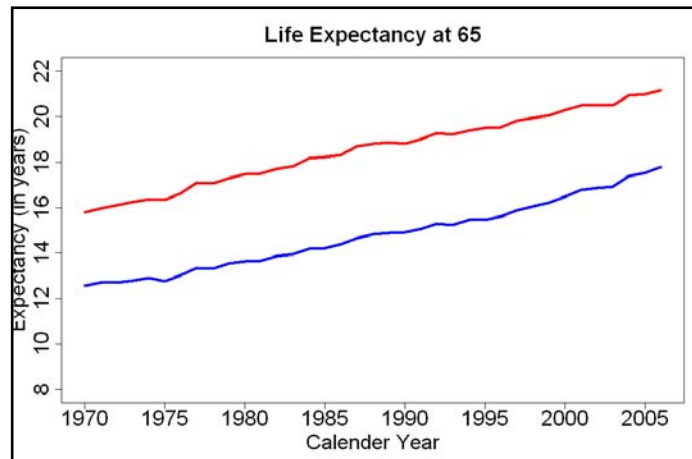
- ▣ **Population Dynamics**
- ▣ **Government Pensions**
  - Until 2030 relative to 2006
    - ▶ premium rate rises up to 30%
    - ▶ costs rise by 50%
- ▣ **Private Life Insurance**



# Private Life Insurance as Solution?

- ▣ Premium depends on future life expectancies
- ▣ Mortality deviated dramatically from forecasts

Estimation of Cohort Life Expectancy at 65				
	Male		Female	
	DAV 1994 R	DAV 2004 R	DAV 1994 R	DAV 2004 R
For 2004	21 years	24 years	25 years	27 years
For 2040	24 years	30 years	28 years	34 years



# Demographic Risk

- ▣ **Path-breaking technological or medical innovation**
- ▣ **Financial disaster for retirees**
- ▣ **Huge costs for the pay-as-you-go social system**
- ▣ **Systematic risk for capital markets**

# Lotteries

- ▣ Are there „winning numbers“ ?
- ▣ How much cash predicts the theory ?
- ▣ What are the odds ?



1	X	3	4	5	XX	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
X	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	32	33	34	X
X	37	38	39	40	41	42
43	44	45	46	47	48	49

1	2	3	4	5	X	7
8	9	10	11	X	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	X	26	27	28
29	30	31	32	33	34	35
36	37	X	39	40	41	42
XX	45	46	47	48	49	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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36	37	X	39	X	41	X
43	44	45	46	47	48	X

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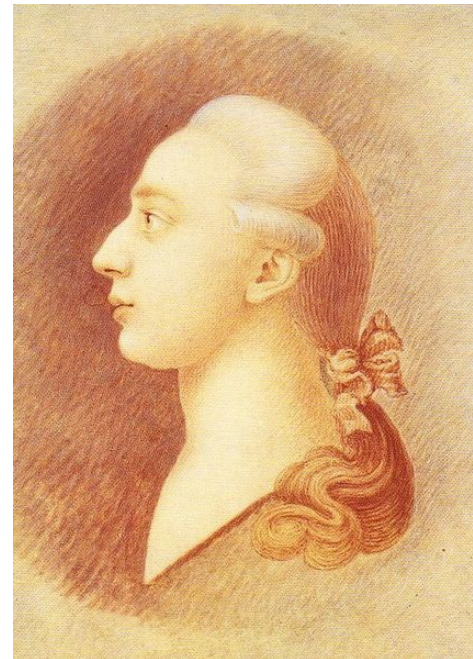
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# Some history

- ▣ **Genova: „5 out of 90“ for the city council**
- ▣ **Casanova: lotto in France**
- ▣ **French court discovers income source**



# Lotteries

▣ What are the odds ?

**s possible numbers**  $\Rightarrow$  „choose *r* from *s*“  
**number of possibilities:**

$$\binom{s}{r} = \frac{s!}{r!(s-r)!}$$

D, CZ  $s=49, r=6$

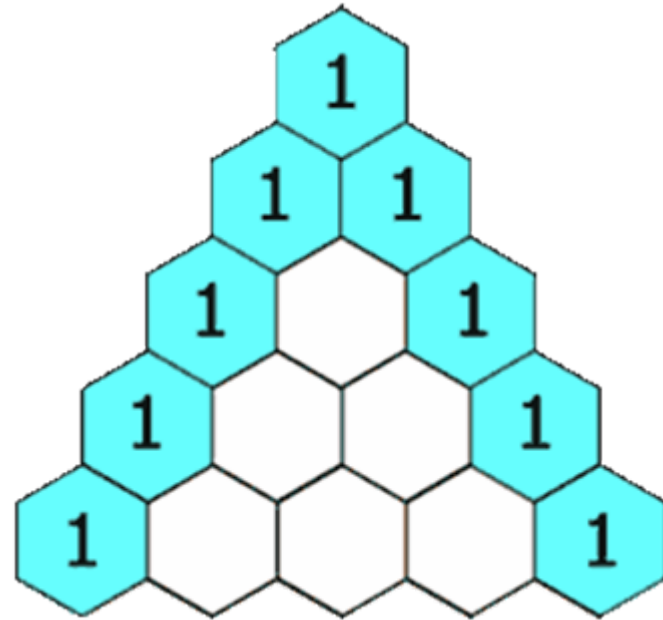
13 983 816

A, CH  $s=45, r=6$

8 145 060

# Lotteries

- ▣ Pascal's Triangle
- ▣ Binomial Coefficients



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# Lotteries

▣ Are there „winning numbers“ ?

(1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 36); (19, 27, 29, 31, 38, 44);

(2, 15, 14, 1, 16, 1, 18, 20, 5) = (B,O,N,A,P,A,R,T,E) ?

<del>1</del>	2	3	4	5	6	7
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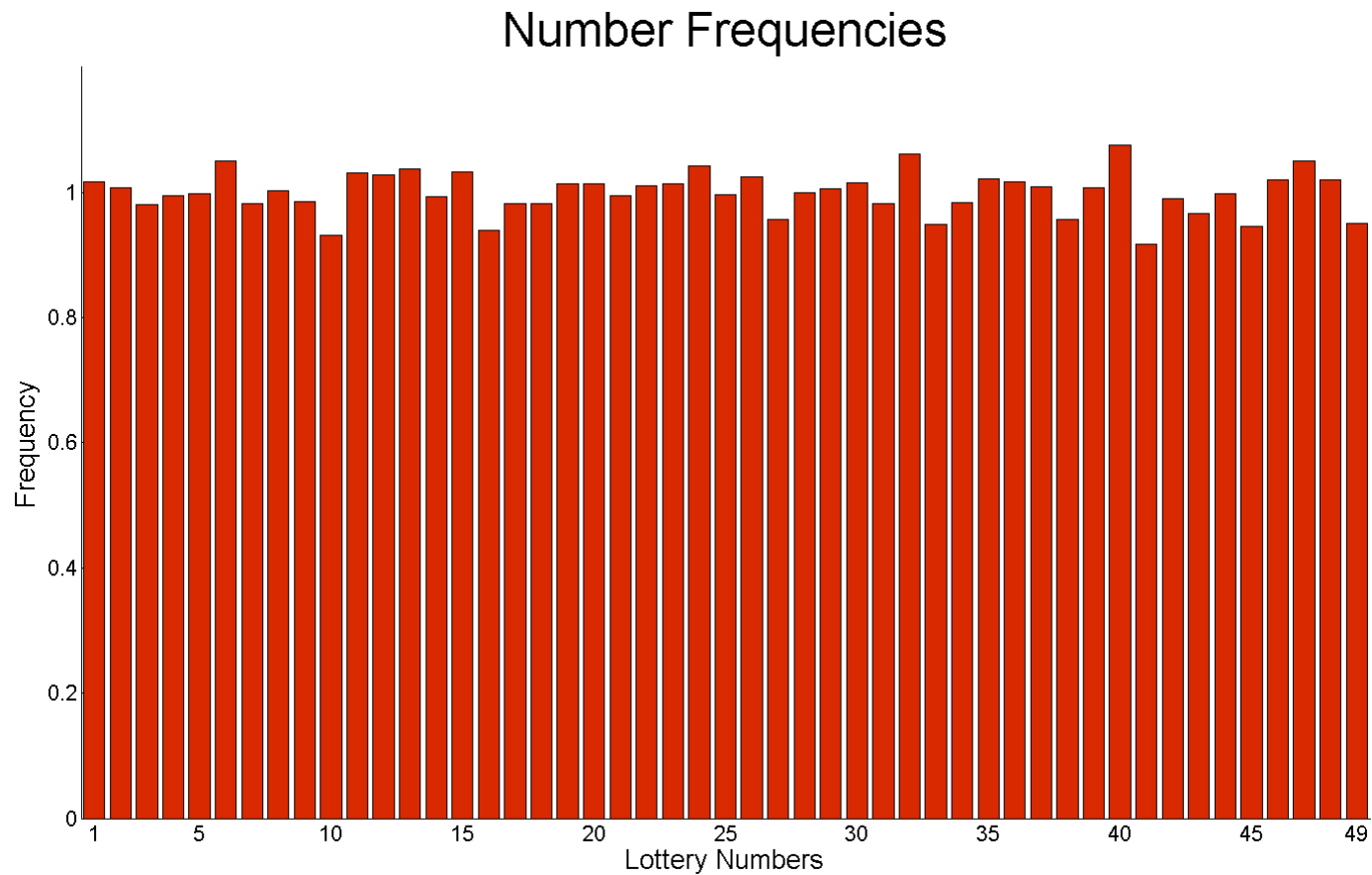
popular „9“

unpopular „43“

frequency=3.1%

frequency=1.4%

# Lotteries

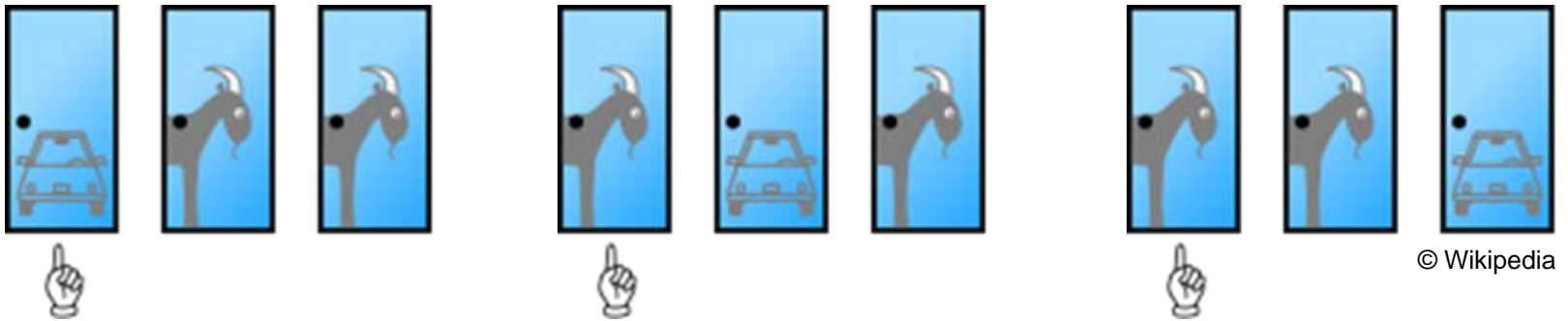


**Czech Lotto 1957-2008**

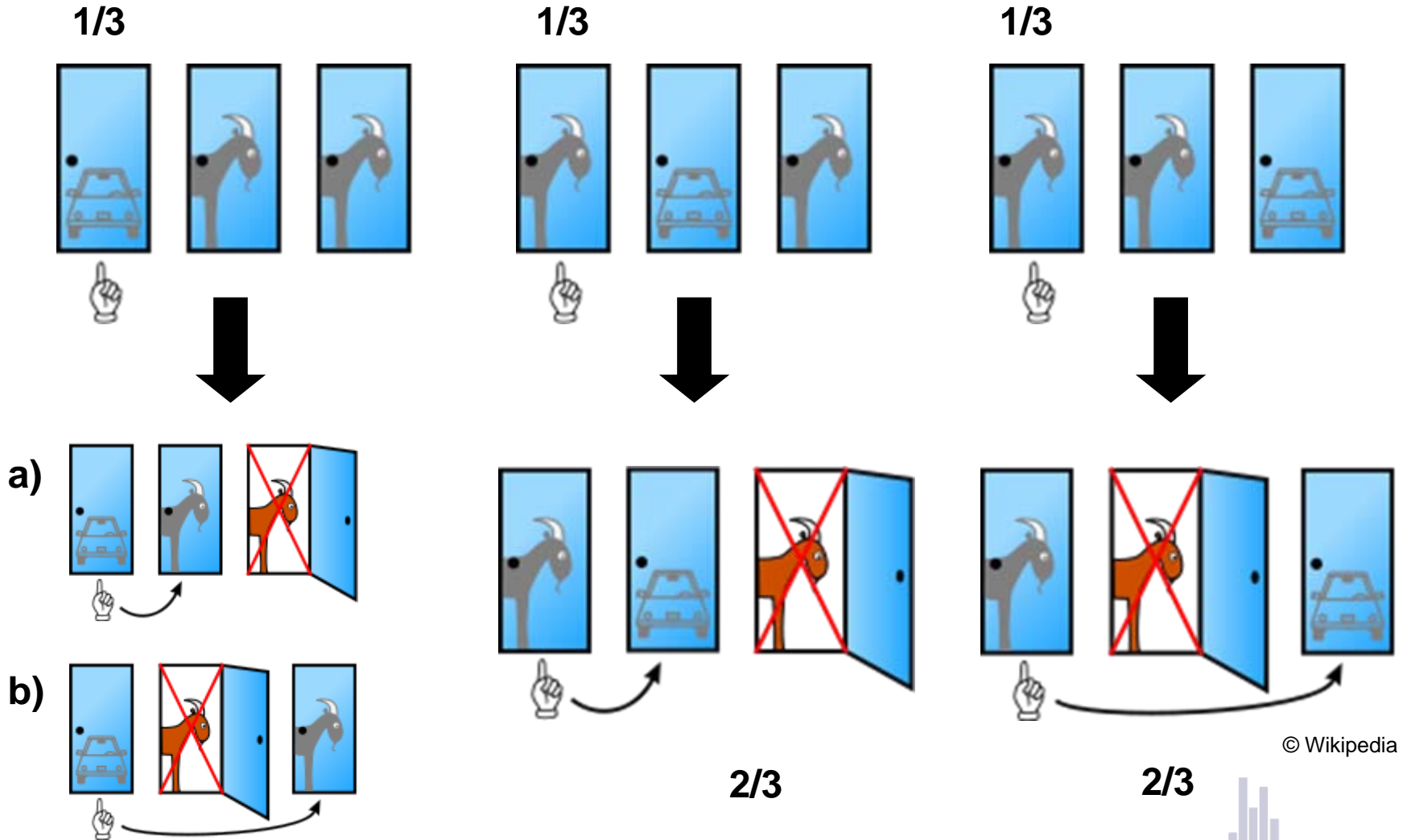
**$\chi^2$ -test for uniform distribution**

# Lotteries

## ▣ Monty Hall problem



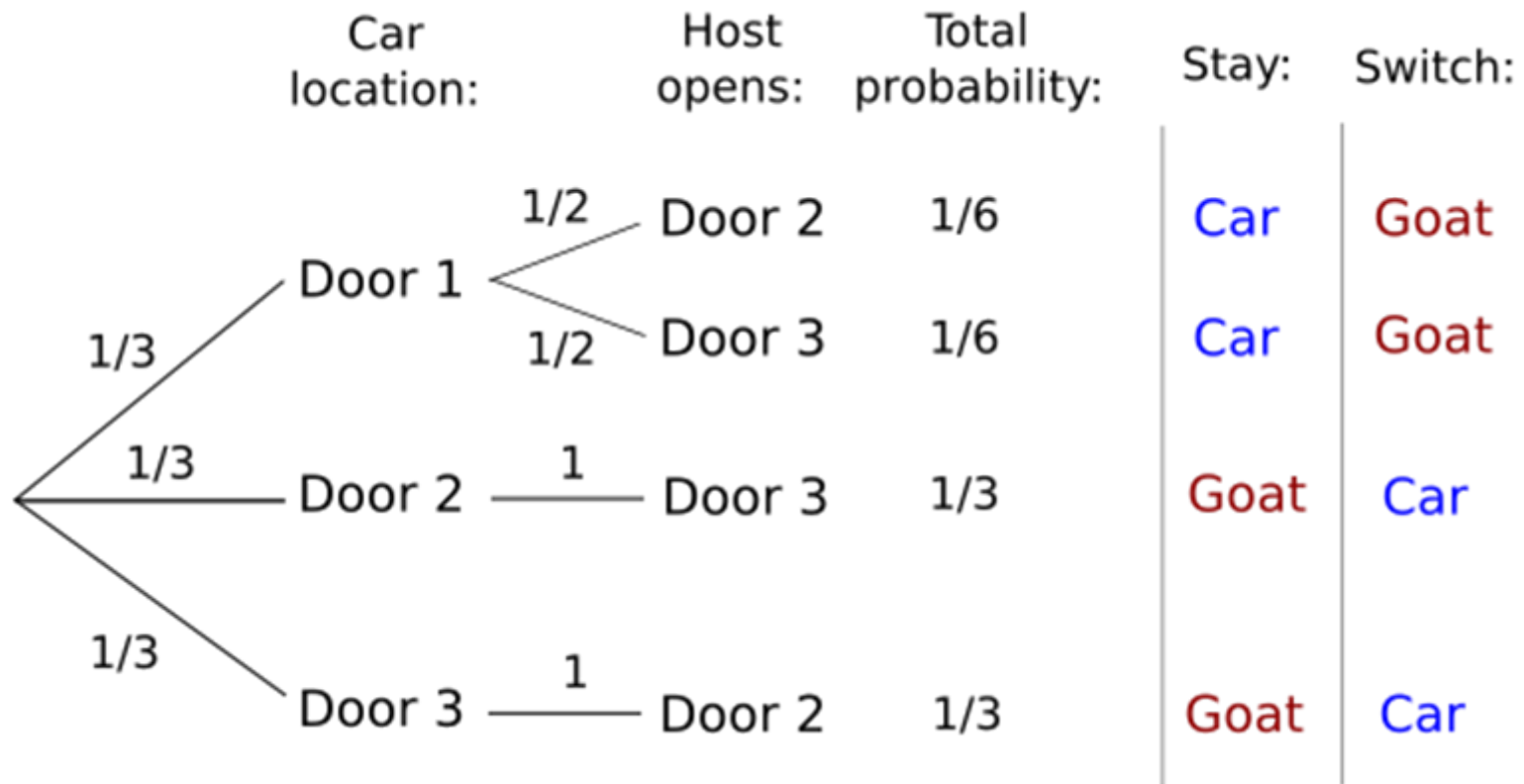
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## ▣ Monty Hall Problem



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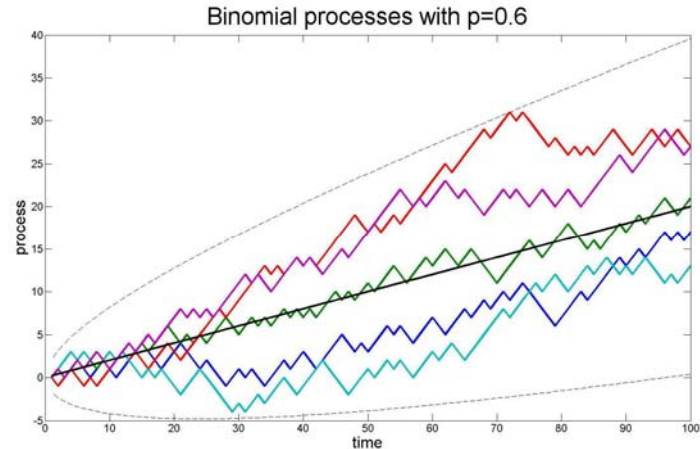


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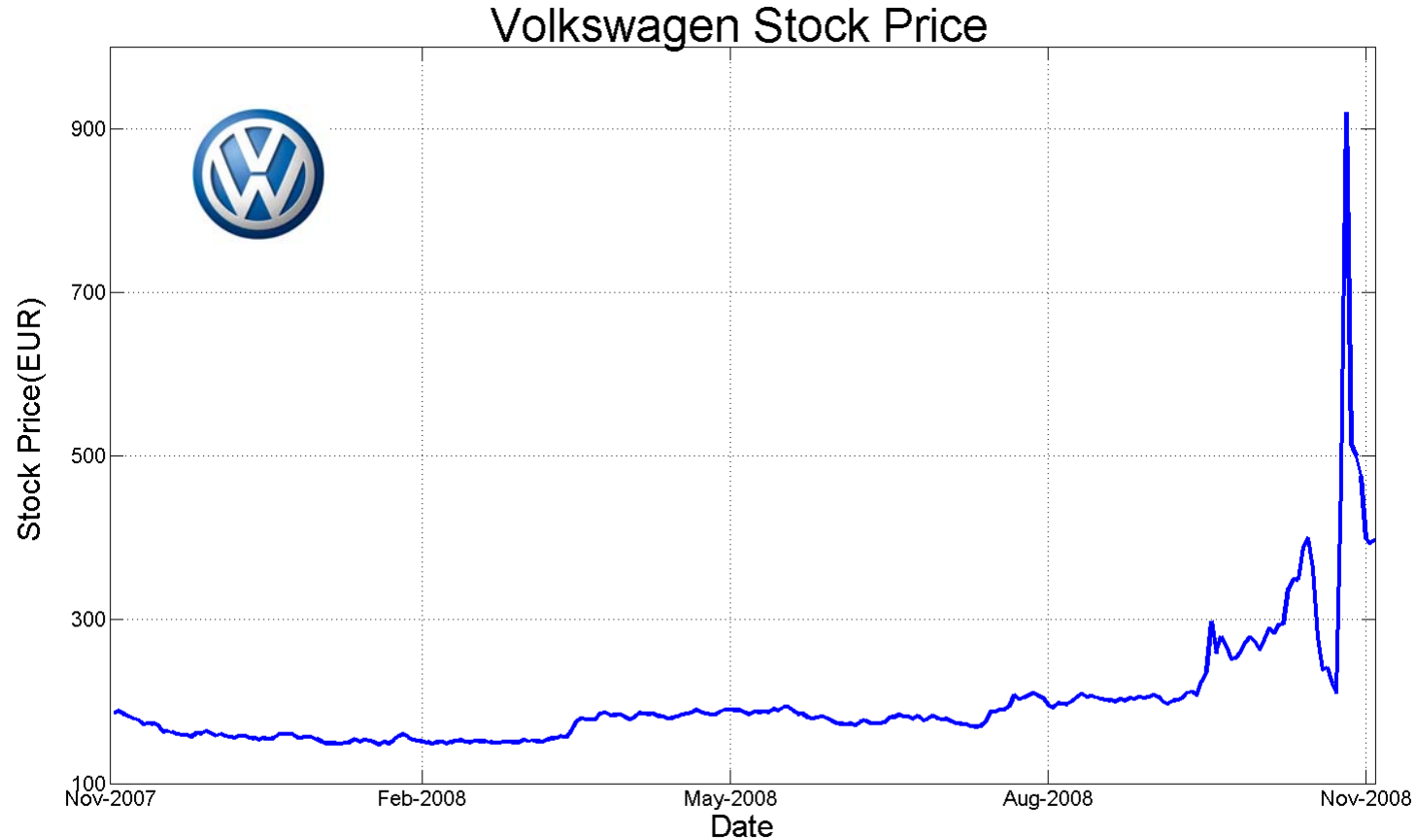
- ▣ **Numbers below 31 have lower payment**
- ▣ **Test on uniform distribution (quality control)**
- ▣ **Behavioral Finance (irrational decisions)**

# Financial Markets

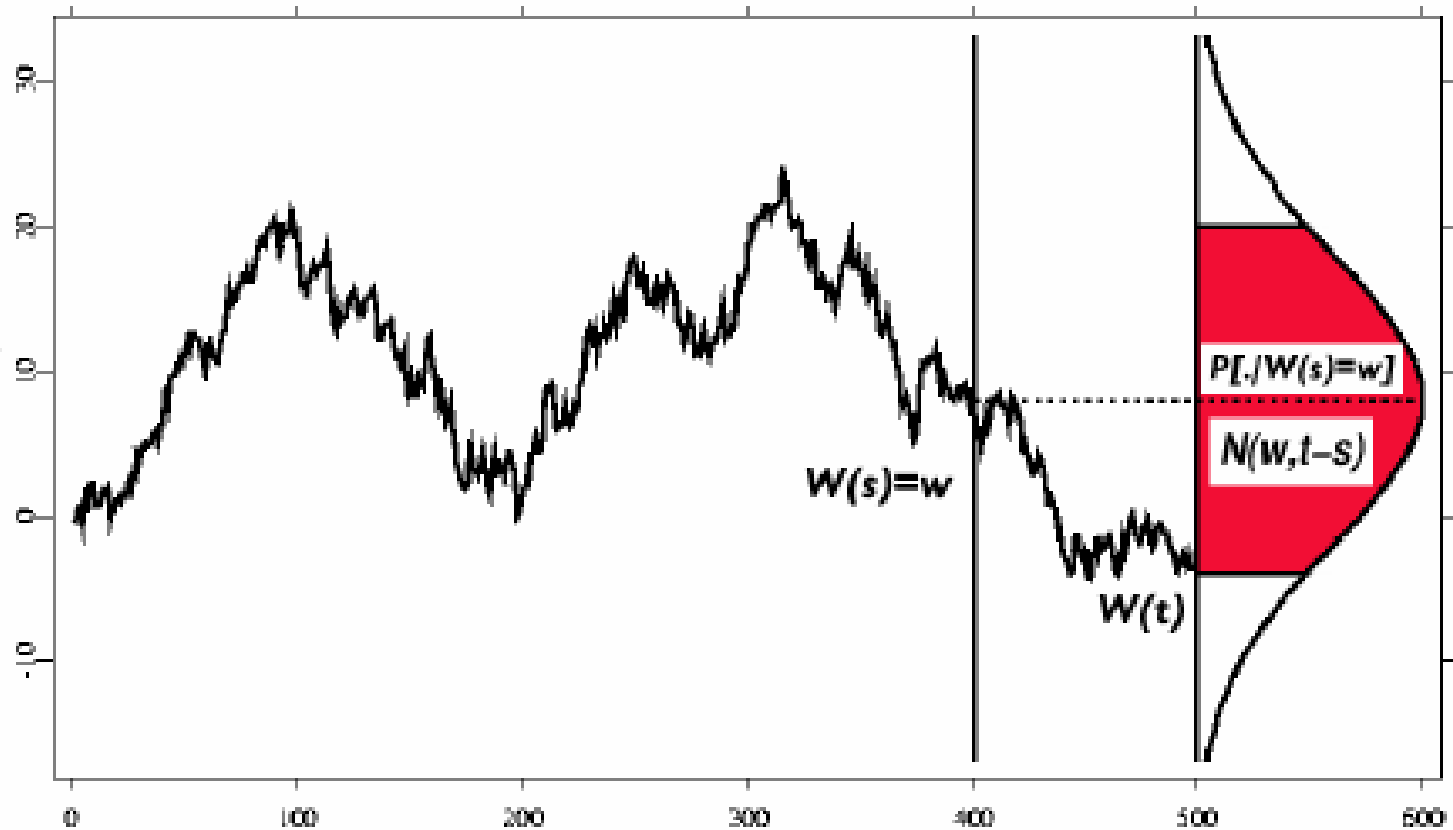
- ▣ How volatile is a portfolio ?
- ▣ Risk Management
- ▣ Option pricing



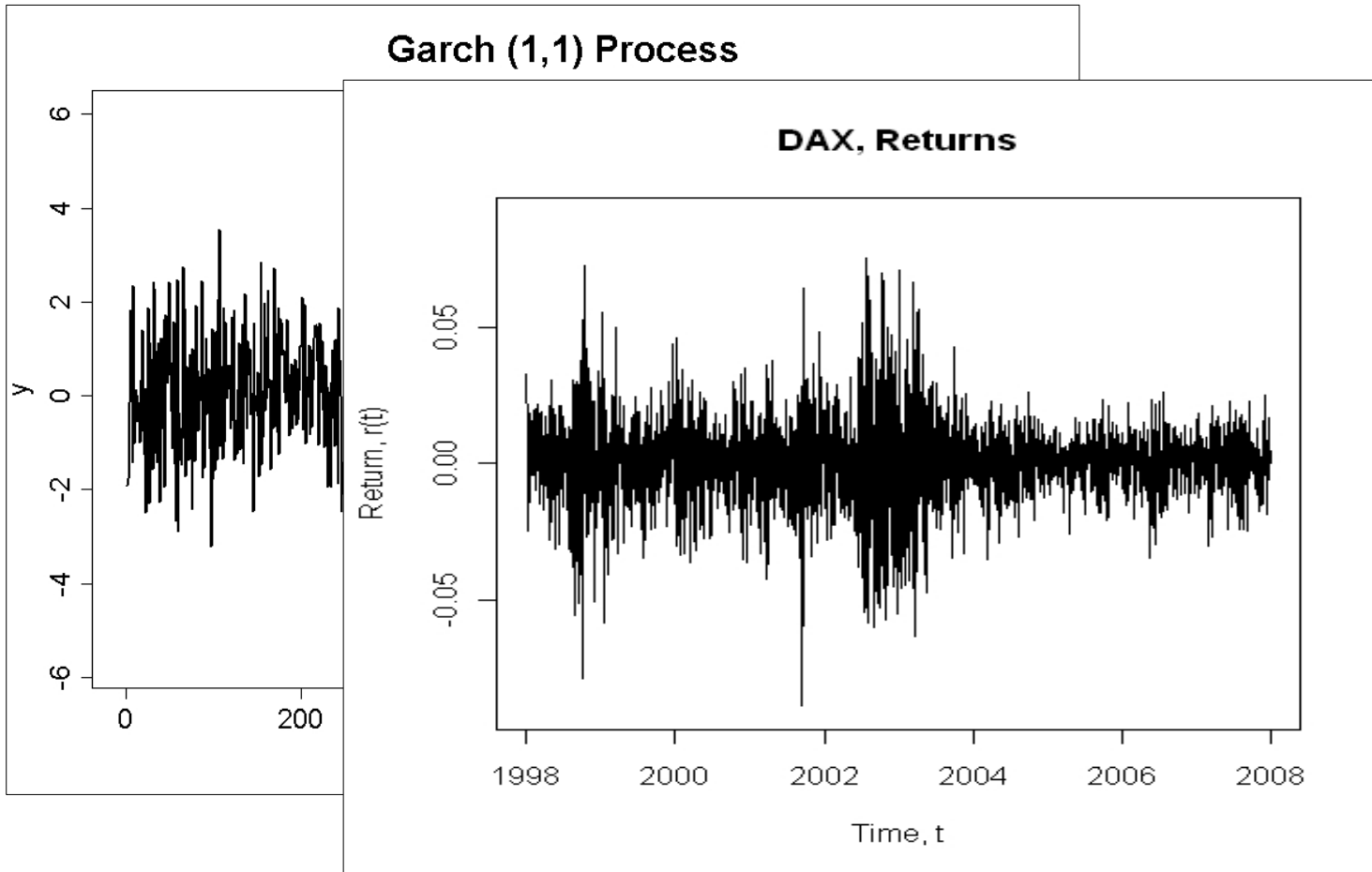
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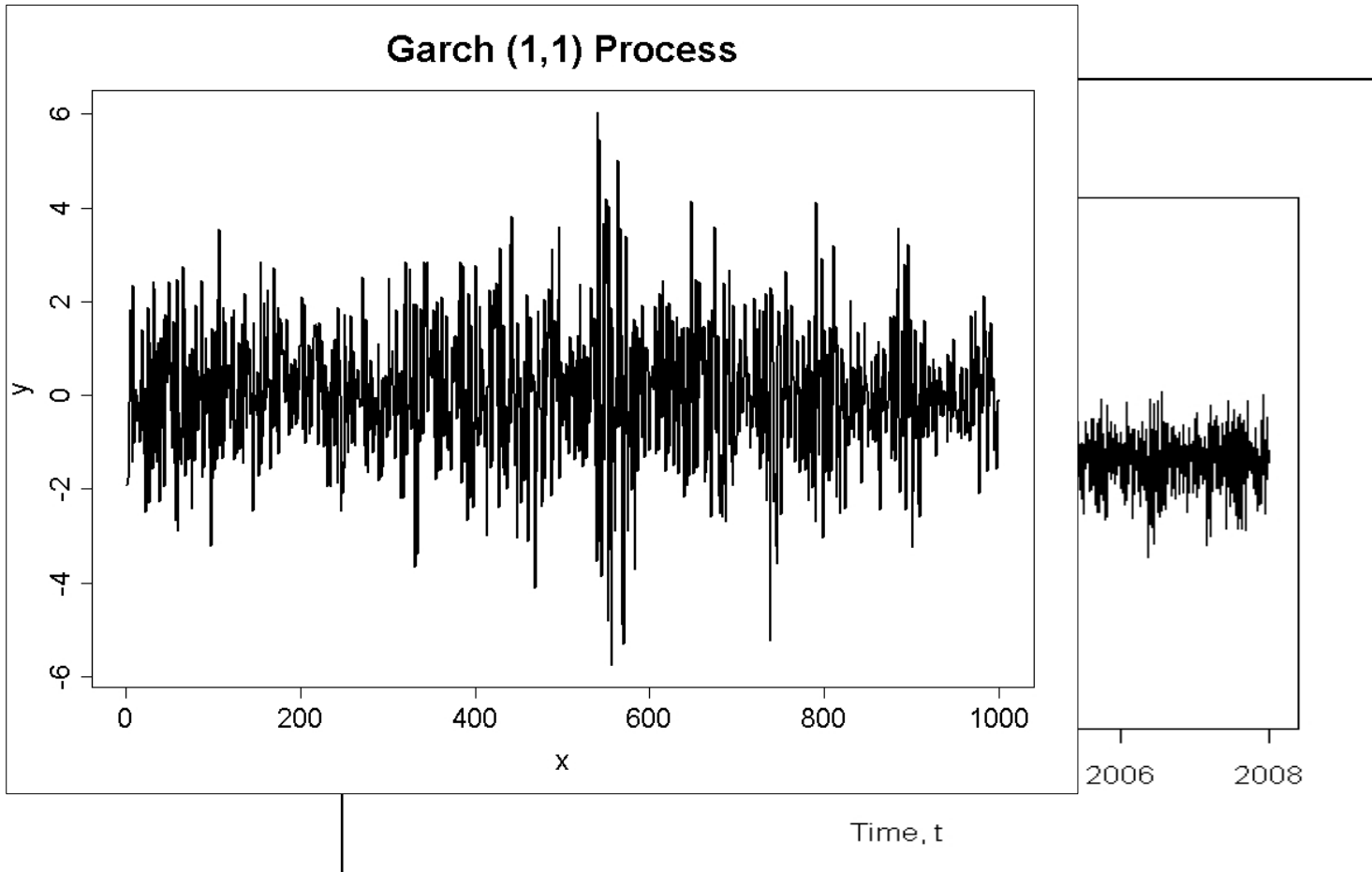
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Defensive Variante  
durch tiefe Basispreise!

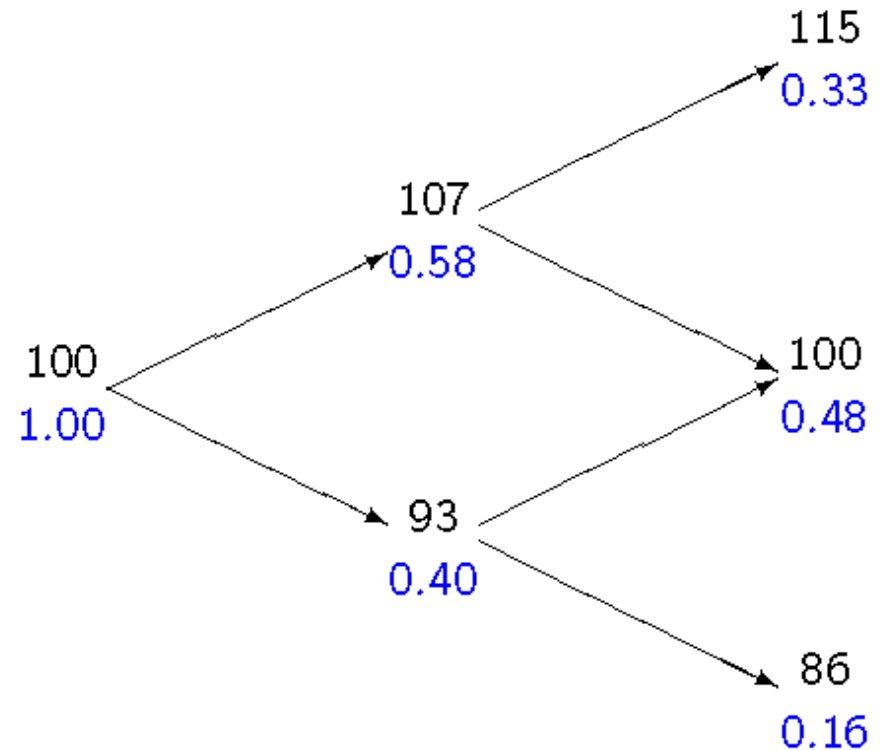
## AKTIENANLEIHEN

Strike Price

Die Aktienanleihe Kupon p.a.	Basispreis in Euro	Abstand zum Basiswertkurs	Anzahl Aktien	WKN	Verkaufskurs
19,00% Deutsche Bank	23,52	30%	42,51701	_SFL 7GW	99,20%
13,75% Deutsche Lufthansa	8,67	29%	115,34025	_SFL 7GY	99,70%
22,75% Commerzbank	7,24	28%	138,12155	_SFL 7GV	100,55%
15,25% Siemens	31,16	34%	32,09243	_SFL 7H8	100,80%

# Financial Markets

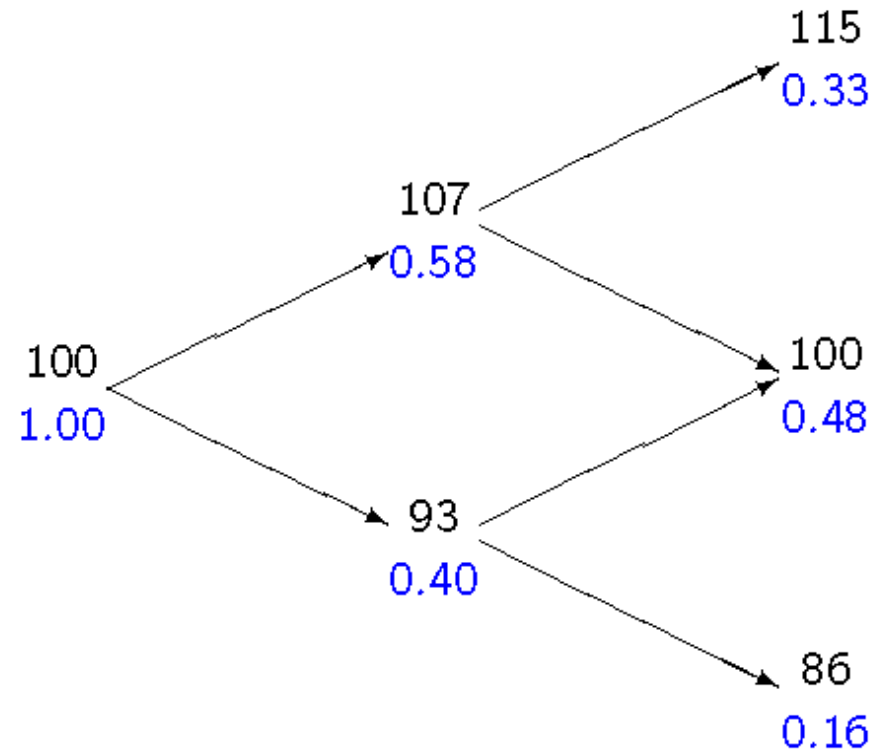
- ▣ Implied Binomial Tree
- ▣ Stock Prices
- ▣ Arrow-Debreu Prices
- ▣  $T=1, n = 2$





# Financial Markets

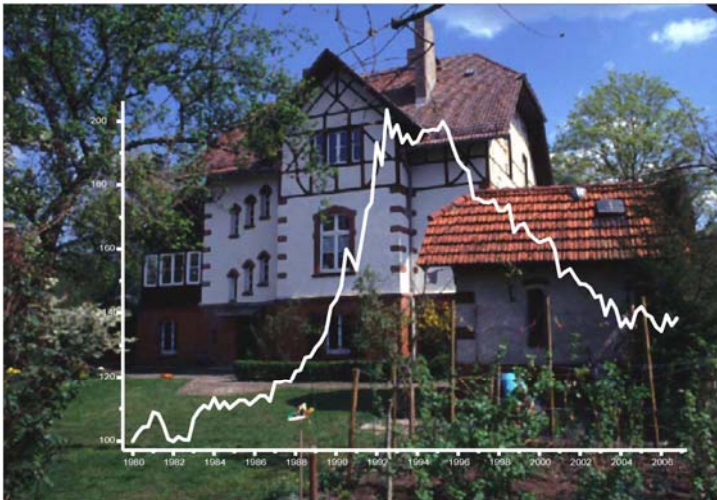
- ▣ **Strike Price: 90 EUR**
- ▣ **Payoff for a Call option:**



$$C(90,1) = 0.48 \cdot (100 - 90) + 0.33 \cdot (115 - 90) = 13.05$$

# Financial Markets

- ▣ Villa in Hirschgarten
- ▣ Apartment in Kreuzberg

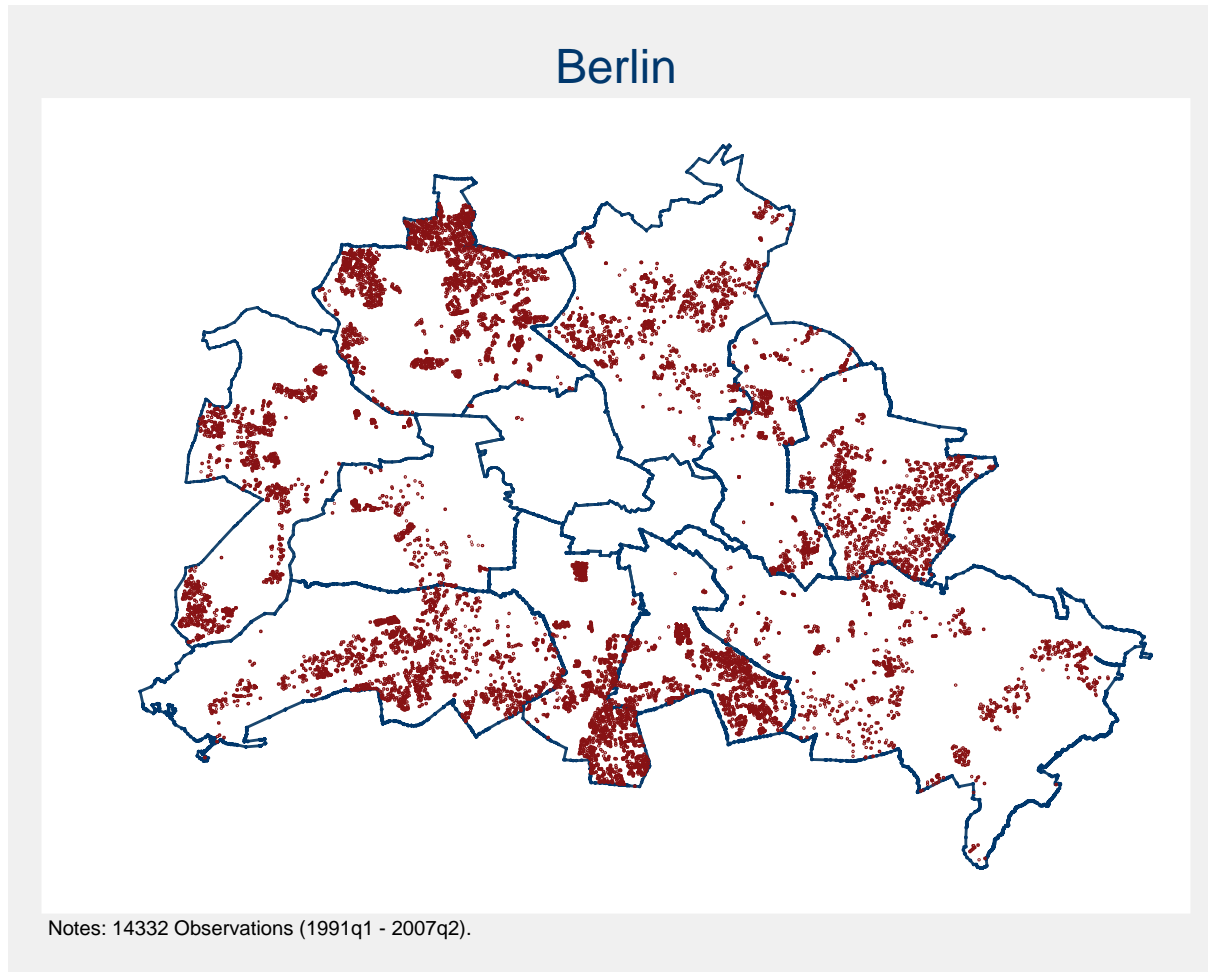


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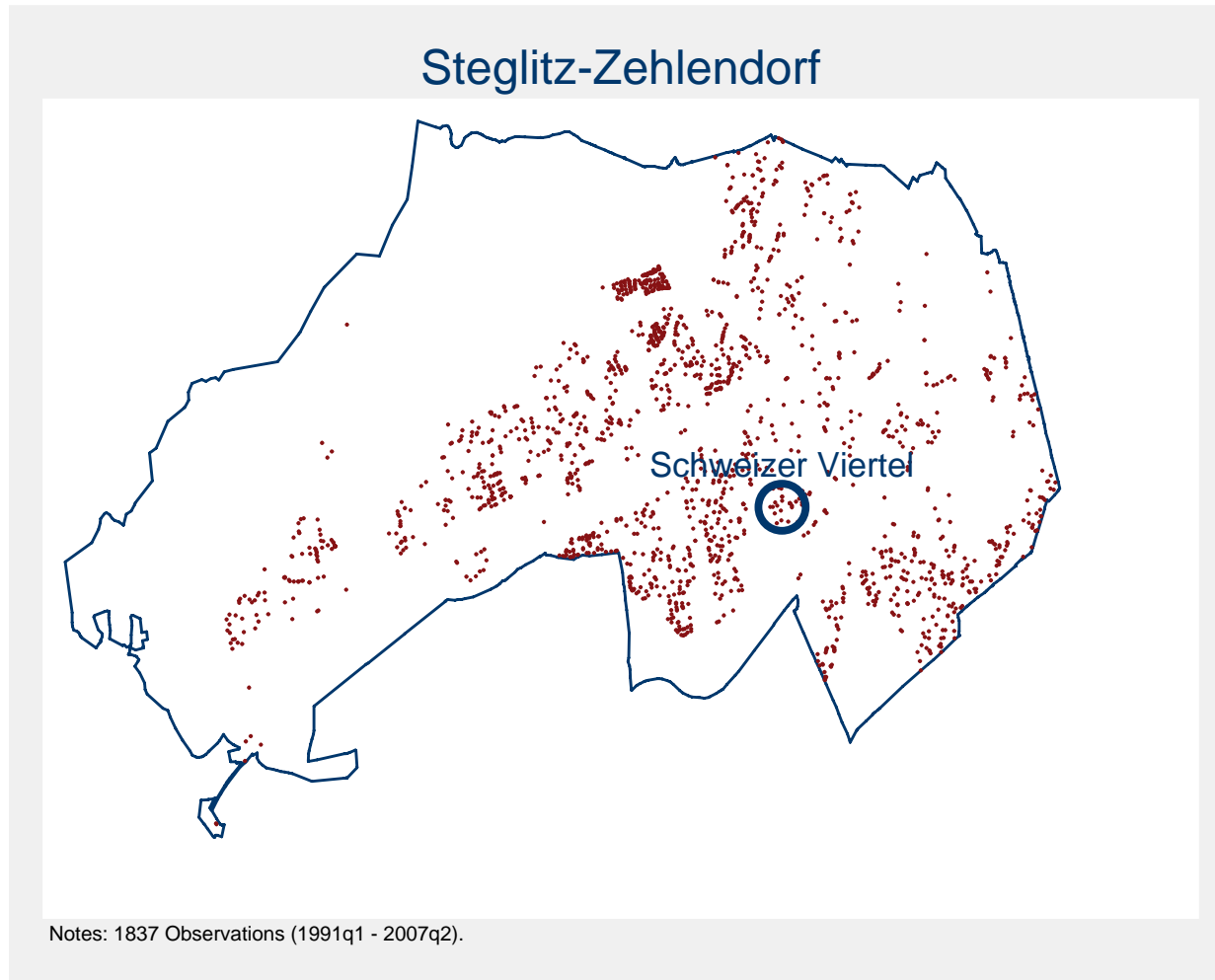
- ▣ **Credit Scoring**
- ▣ **Real estate valuation**



# Real Estate Markets



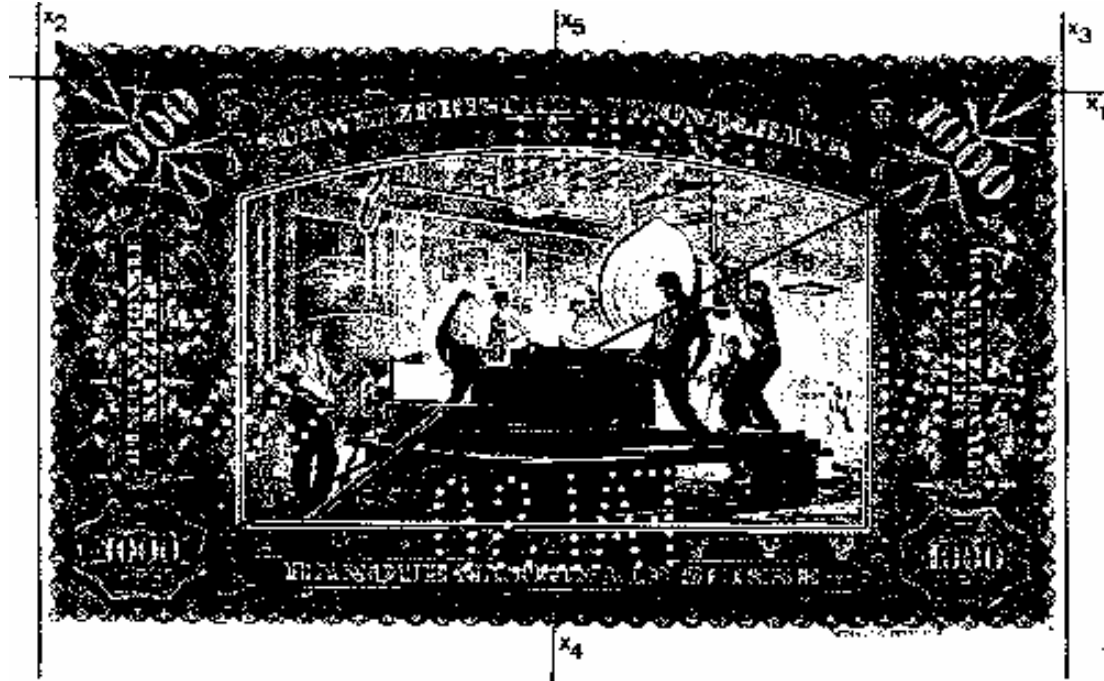
# Real Estate Markets



# Measuring Statistical Risk

- ▣ **Valuation in the presence of uncertainty**
- ▣ **Volatility prognosis**
- ▣ **Transparency for developers and investors**

# Graphical Methods



Forged vs. true old swiss bank notes

# Graphical Methods

X1	X2	X3	X4	X5	X6
214,5	129,5	129,3	7,4	10,7	141,5
214,7	129,6	129,5	8,3	10,0	142,0
215,6	129,9	129,9	9,0	9,5	141,7
215,0	130,4	130,3	9,1	10,2	141,1
214,4	129,7	129,5	8,0	10,3	141,2
215,1	130,0	129,8	9,1	10,2	141,5
214,7	130,0	129,4	7,8	10,0	141,2
214,4	130,1	130,3	9,7	11,7	139,8
214,9	130,5	130,2	11,0	11,5	139,5
214,9	130,3	130,1	8,7	11,7	140,2
215,0	130,4	130,6	9,9	10,9	140,3
214,7	130,2	130,3	11,8	10,9	139,7
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215,3	130,3	130,1	9,3	12,1	140,2

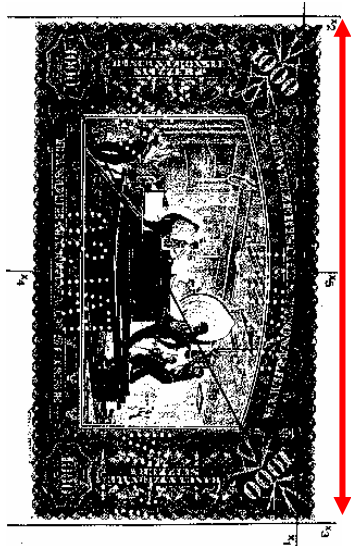
**X1** length  
**X2** height (left)  
**X3** height (right)  
**X4** distance (low)  
**X5** distance (up)  
**X6** diagonal

measured in mm

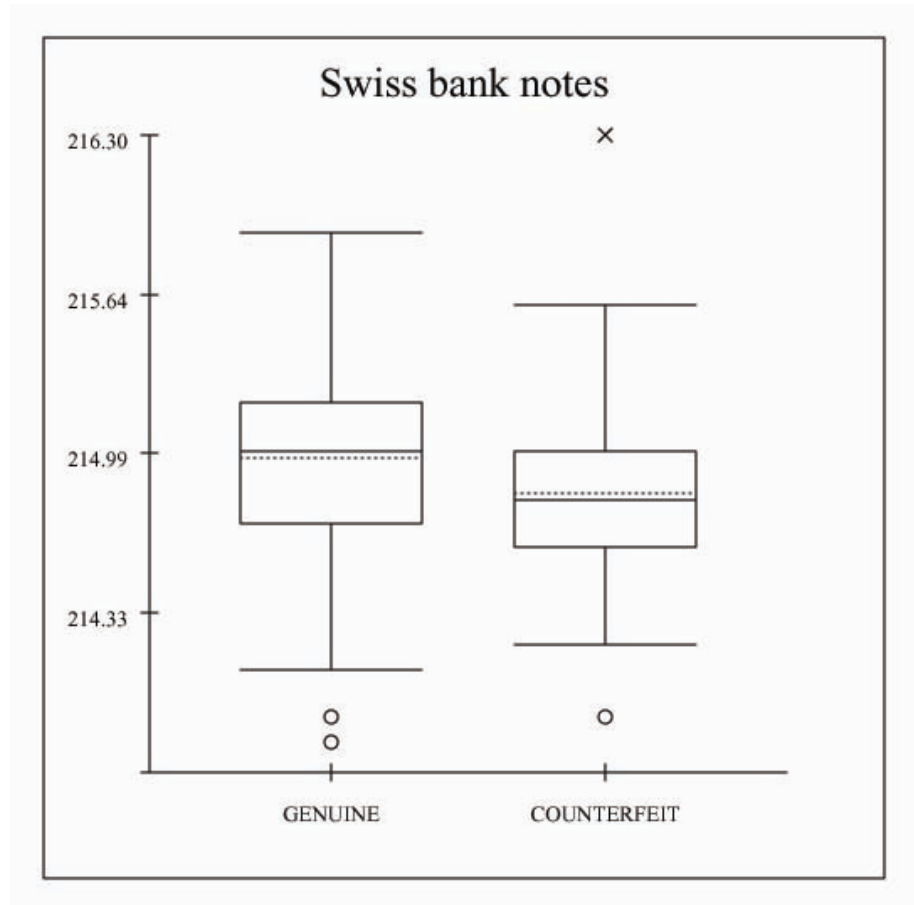


# Graphical Methods

## ▣ Boxplots

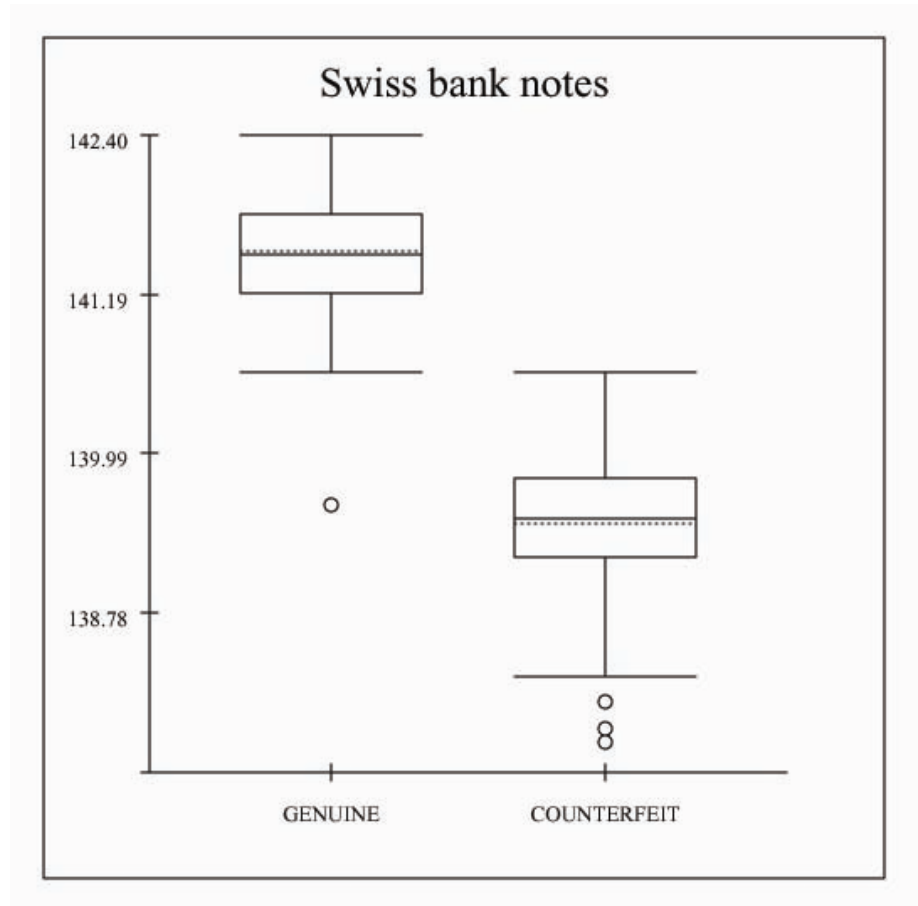
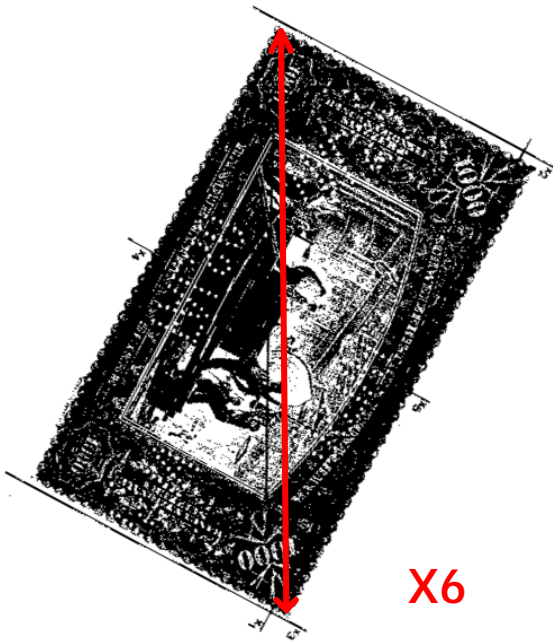


X1



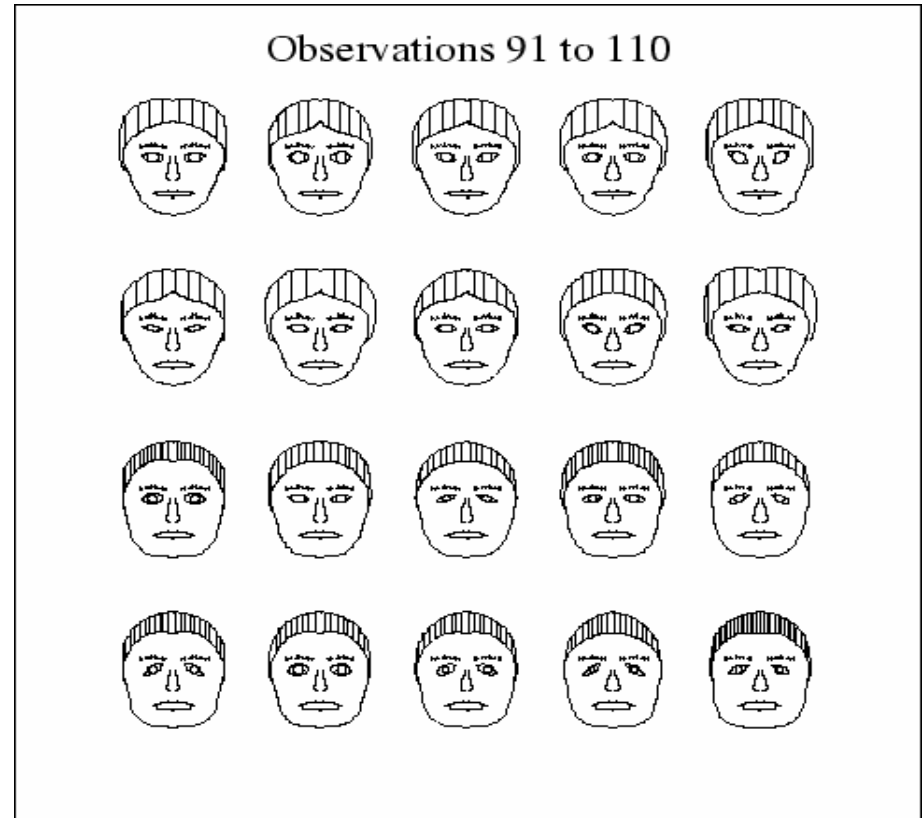
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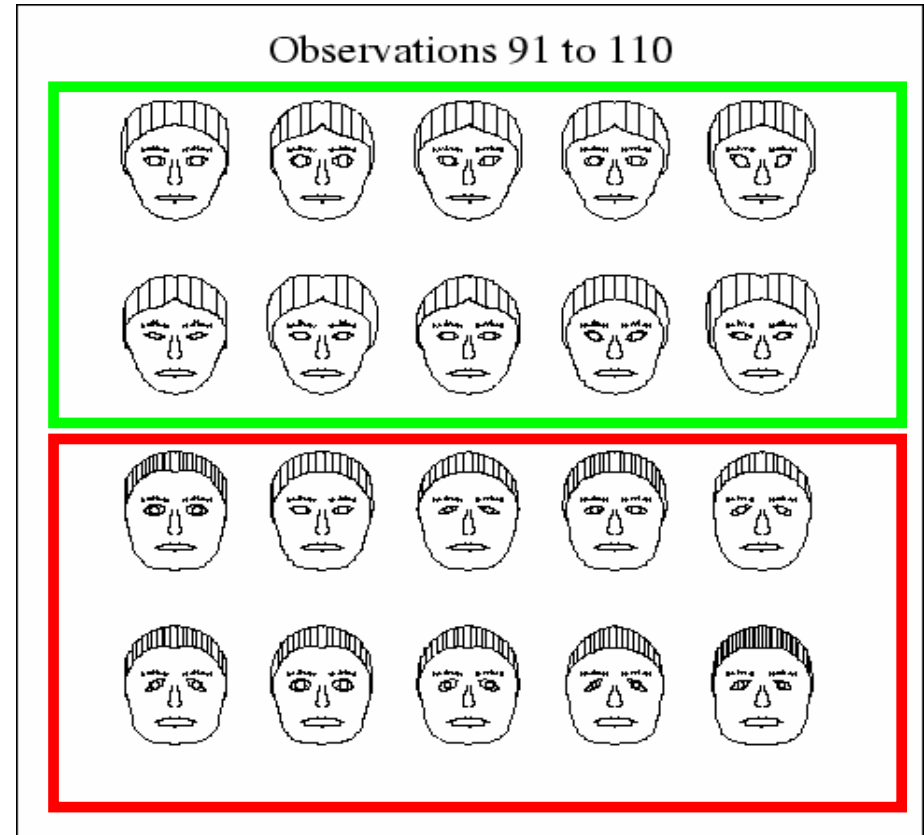
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## ▣ Flury-Faces ( $X_1, \dots, X_6$ )



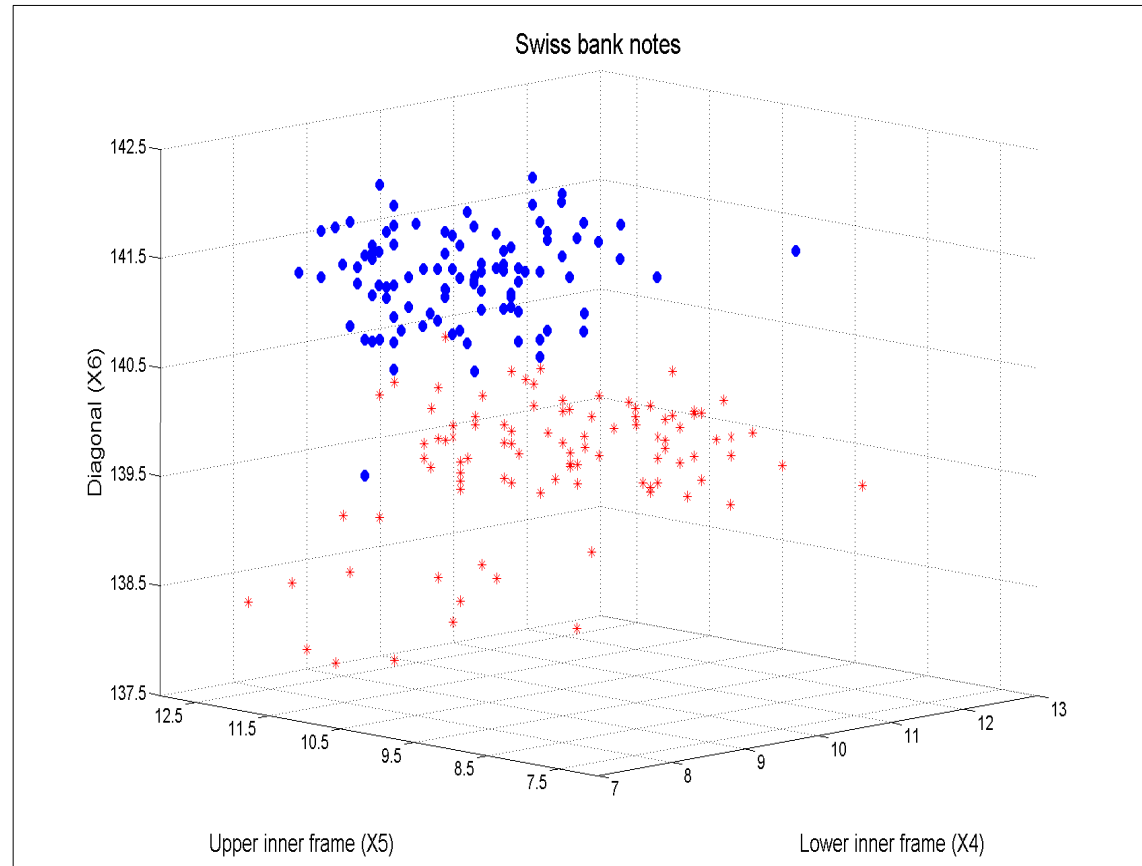
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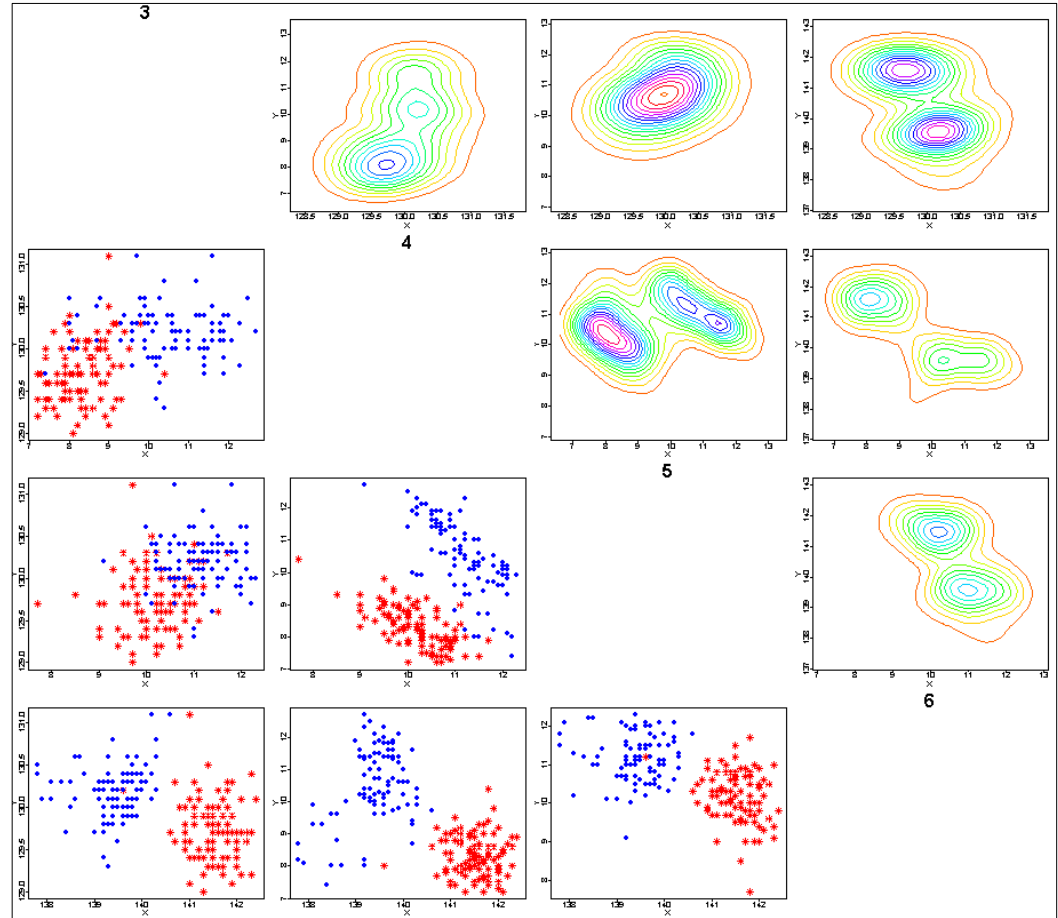
# Graphical Methods

## ▣ 3D Scatterplot (X4, X5, X6)



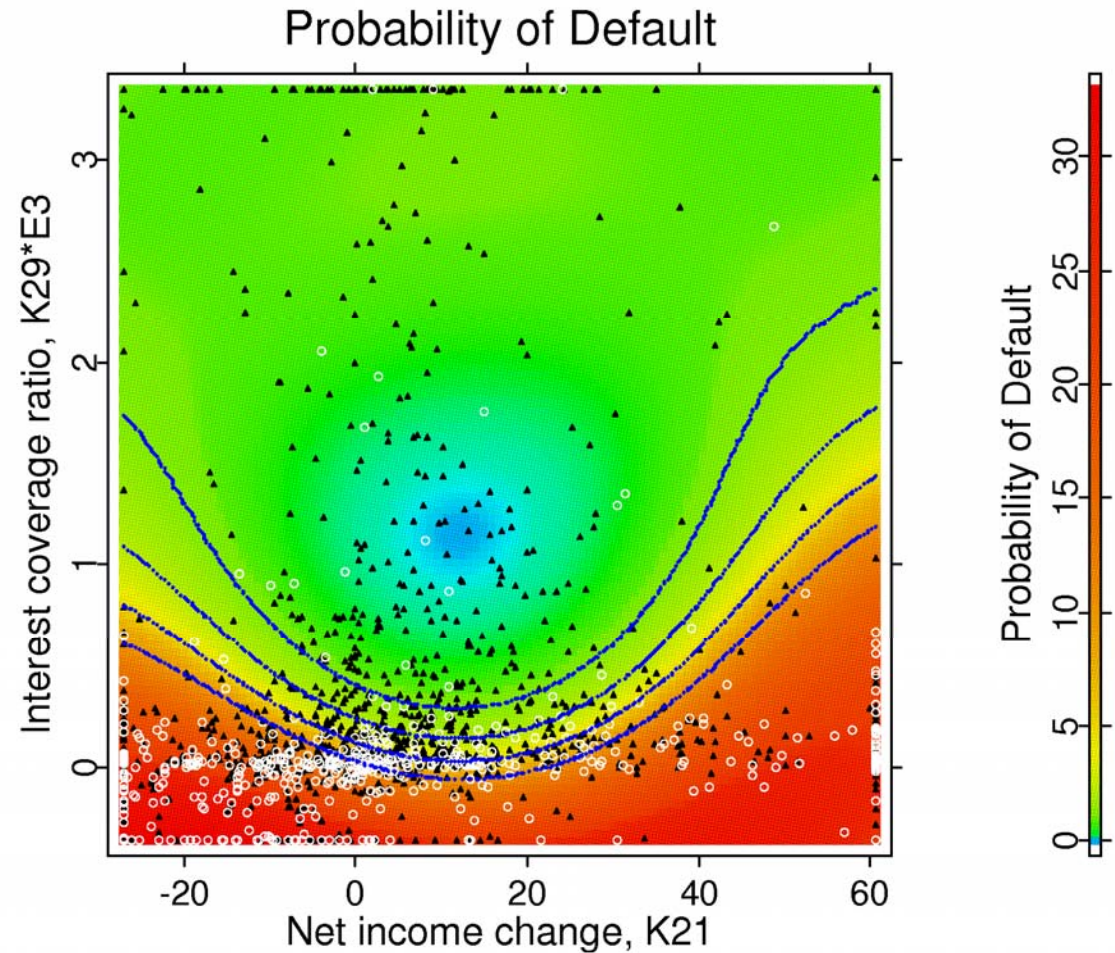
# Graphical Methods

## □ Draftman plot (X3, X4, X5, X6)



# Graphical Methods

## ▣ Support Vector Machines



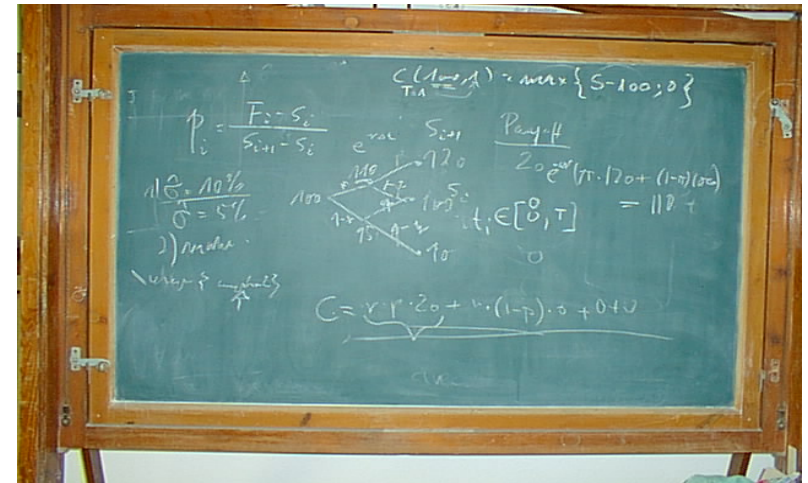
# Measuring Statistical Risk

- ▣ **Simple and computer intensive methods**
- ▣ **Graphical and numerical procedures**
- ▣ **Static and dynamic presentations**



# Conclusion

May we enjoy  
our luxurious pensions  
in well furnished houses  
in best locations  
(financed from jackpot hits)  
and correctly visualize  
and evaluate our portfolio risks ?



**Certainly not without a solid  
statistical risk measurement!**