Data Management in Finance with MATLAB

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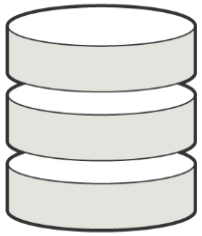
- Typical Challenges with Data Handling and Management
- A Fundamental Valuation Example
- A Text Analytics Example
- What about Cleaning Large Datasets?
- Data Cleaning by Machine Learning
- Q&A

Typical Challenges in Data Cleaning, Management

- We are Drowning in Data
  - Data Volume and Variety
  - Different sources, types, sizes
  - Garbage-in garbage-out

So many Data Sources

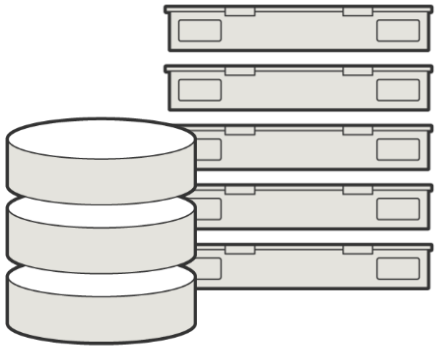
Local disk
Shared folders
Databases



Datafeeds

Webpages

Flat files/Excel



Spark+Hadoop

So many kinds of Data

person	year	income	age	sex
1	2001	1300	27	1
1	2002	1600	28	1
1	2003	2000	29	1
2	2001	2000	38	2
2	2002	2300	39	2
2	2003	2400	40	2

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ans = 508×1 string array
    "Walmart: "you wanna destroy Amazon?" Google: "bet" $WMT $GOOG
    "$WMT wants next level customer service w/highly personalized
    "Ironic prelude to $DIS buying $TWTR soon IMO $AAPL $GOOG $SPY
    "$AMZN the $WMT threat grows each and every day  https://t.co/
    "MU Investments Co. Ltd. Sells 30 Shares of Alphabet Inc. $GOO
    "Ad $ are going to $GOOG and $FB away from wppgy  #Advertising
    "Big bullish unusual option activity detected: $SPX, $GOOG, $C
    "REPORT: Apple to build data center in Iowa: https://t.co/jwH6
    "RT @theflynews: REPORT: Apple to build data center in Iowa: h
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2017-Aug-17 09:30:00	925.87	925.87	925.78	925.78	13585
2017-Aug-17 09:31:00	923.58	925.45	923.26	925.45	5667
2017-Aug-17 09:32:00	925.2	925.48	923.985	924.42	9254
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2017-Aug-17 09:44:00	925.94	925.94	925.03	925.51	1400

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- Poor Data Quality

Poor Data Quality

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SEC ID,2011Q1,2011Q2,2011Q3,2011Q4,2012Q1
1572422,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
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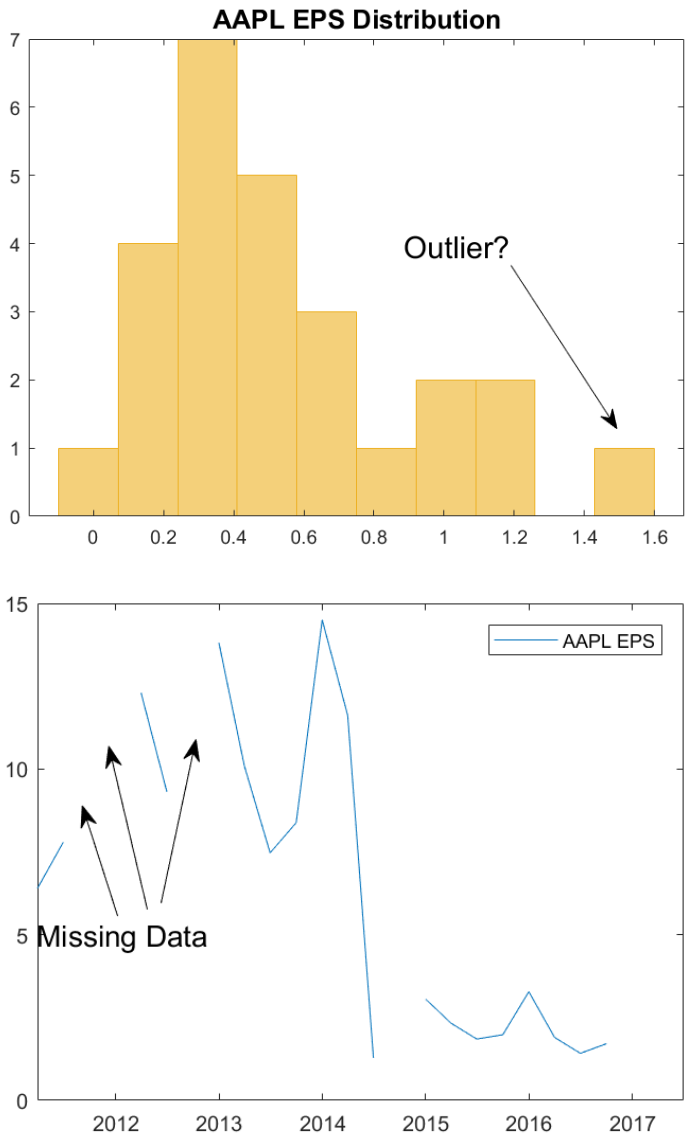

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- Drowning in Data
  - Data Volume and Variety
  - Different sources, types, sizes
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- Poor Data Quality
  - Poorly formatted files
  - Irregularly sampled data
  - Redundant, Missing data, Outliers
- Need for more customized analytics
  - No one size fits all

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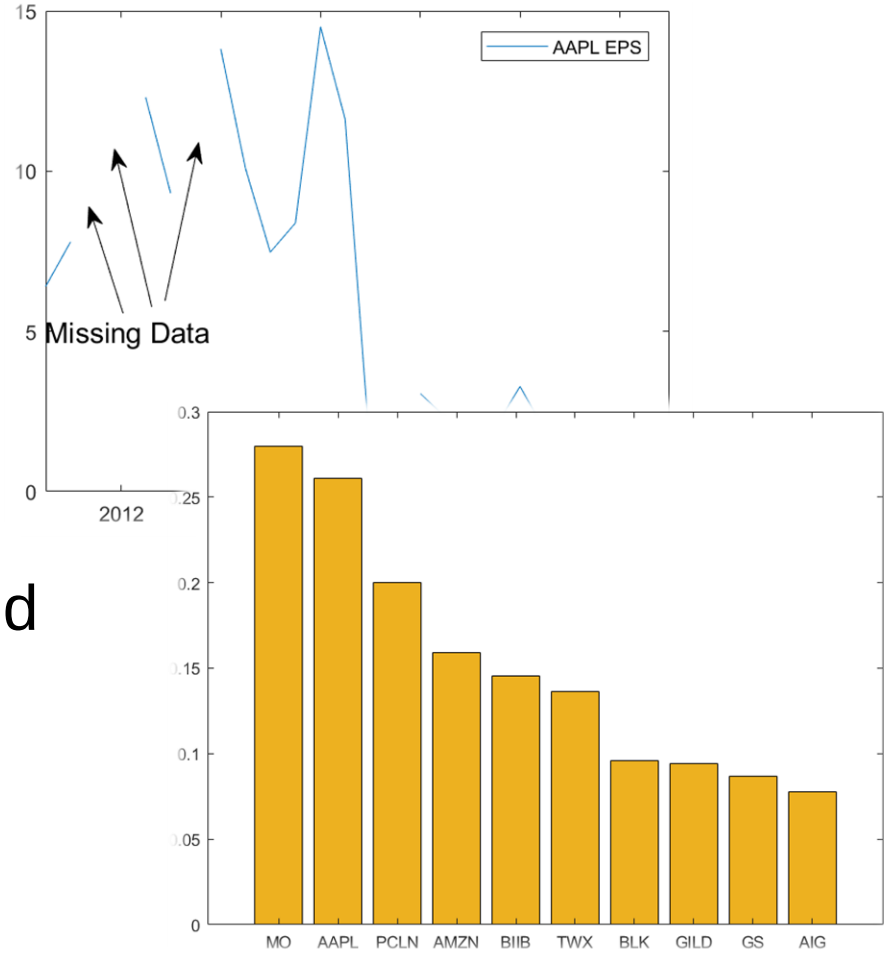
Demo: Fundamental Valuation of S&P100 securities

Goal:

- Fundamental valuation for ranking stocks based on historical EPS trends

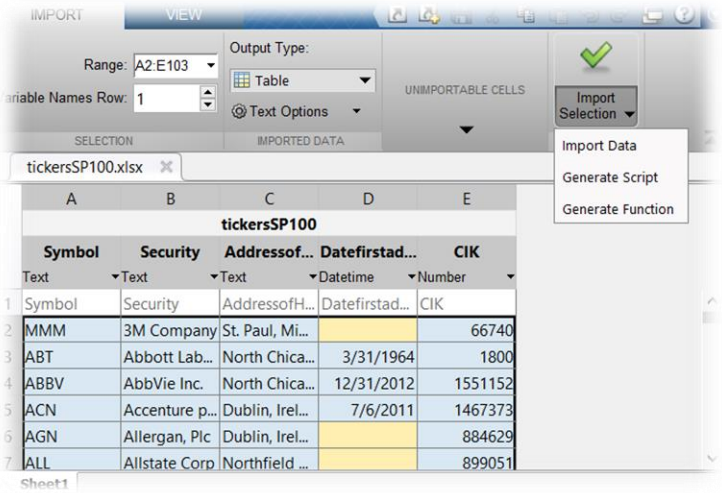
Approach

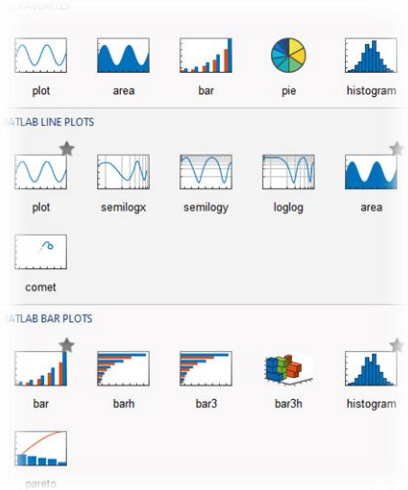
- Access data from CSV files
- Preprocess to clean-up text (missing data and outliers)
- Calculate strength of historical EPS trends



Summary: Fundamental Valuation Example

- Interactive tools to import, visualize data
- Code generation from interactive tools
- Built-in clean up functions
- Align and calculate group stats
- Save time





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Demo: Sentiment Analysis of SEC filings

Goal:

- Analyze the sentiment of SEC filings for S&P 100 companies to use as a stock picking/ranking indicator

Approach

- Access data directly from HTML/PDF
- Preprocess to clean-up text and deal with domain-specific terms
- Predict sentiment

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correspond effect strengthening
dollar
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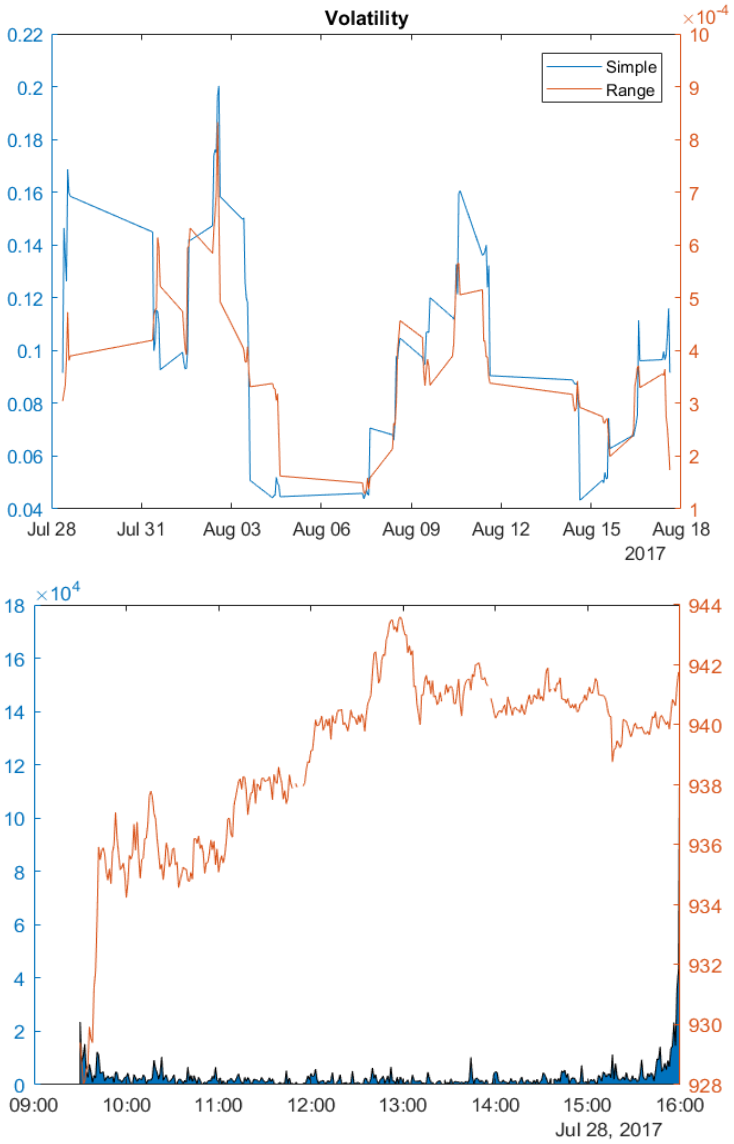
Demo: Technicals calculation to time the market

- **Objective**
  - Calculate technical indicators on Big intraday data
- **Data**
  - Intraday tick data scraped from the web
  - Missing data, outliers etc.
- **Approach**
  - Preprocess data
  - Explore data
  - Calculate technicals



How do you work with tall arrays in MATLAB?

- **`datastore`**
  - Points to the data
- Tall array
  - Variable representation of the data in your workspace
- Functions
  - Operate on tall arrays

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>> fileLoc = '.\datasets\*.csv';
>> ds = datastore(fileLoc);
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>> tt = tall(ds);
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`tall`

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>> tt = fillmissing(t,'nearest');
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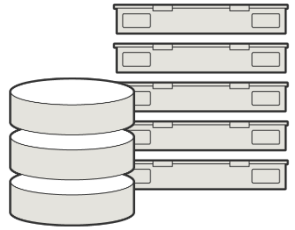

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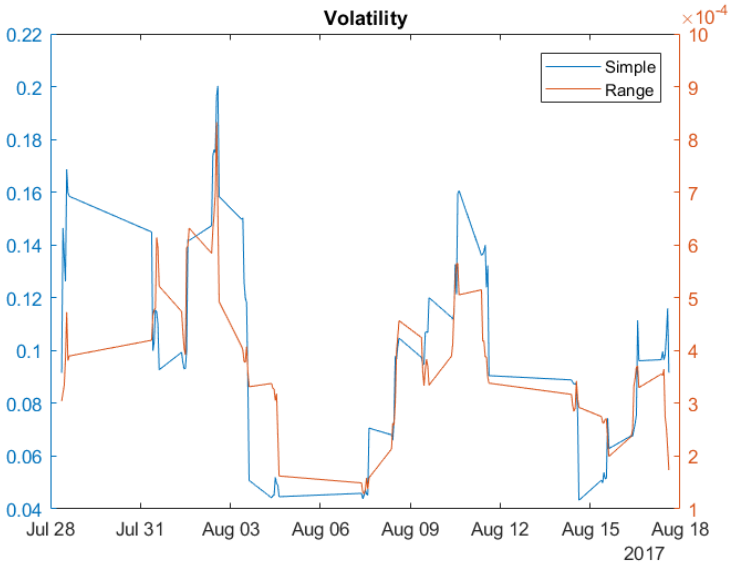
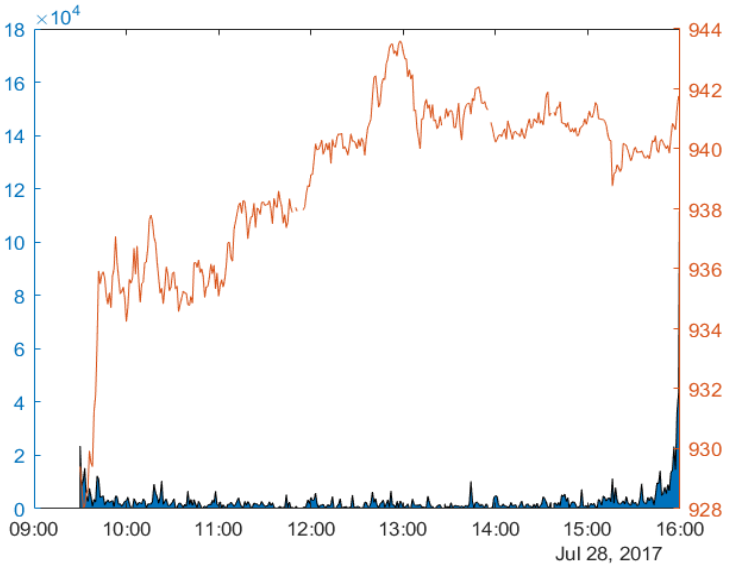
Summary: Technicals Demo

- Big Data handled just like data that fits in memory (Tall)
- No need for use of Mapreduce or other Big Data technologies/frameworks
- Easy Big Data visualization
- Scalability of MATLAB models





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