

FCO Report: Brazil Index (BVSP)

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1 Data source

We performed our analysis on the IBOVESPA index on the Sao Paolo, Brazil exchange. We acquired the data from <http://finance.yahoo.com/> using the ticker ‘BVSP’ and the date range 2008-09-01 through 2009-10-29.

2 Input Parameters

Date of last observation used in analysis	2009-10-29
Date of observed peak of data	2008-05-20
Number LPPL intervals found	69
Number total intervals tested	212

3 Forecast quantiles for t_c

	Low	High
05/95	2009-10-19	2009-12-17
20/80	2009-10-27	2009-11-29

4 Plots of observations, fits and forecasts

Guide to figures:

- Observations appear as filled circles.
- Shaded regions:
 - Lightest, hashed with circles: region of t_2 used in analysis
 - Mid-grey, hashed with horizontal lines: region of 5%/95% forecast quantiles of t_c .
 - Darkest, hashed with diagonal lines: region of 20%/80% forecast quantiles of t_c .
- Lines:
 - Solid lines before final observation are LPPL fits to observations.
 - Lines after final observation are extrapolations. They are dashed lines except for within 20 days on either side of fit parameter t_c .

Successive figures are zoomed-in versions of previous figures.



