

NDK_XKURT

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- C/C++
- .Net

```
int __stdcall NDK_XKURT(double * X,  
                        size_t  N,  
                        WORD    reserved,  
                        double * retVal  
                        )
```

Calculates the sample excess kurtosis.

Return values

NDK_SUCCESS Operation successful

NDK_FAILED Operation unsuccessful. See [Macros](#) for full list.

Parameters

[in] **X** is the input data sample (a one dimensional array).

[in] **N** is the number of observations in X.

[in] **reserved** This parameter is reserved and must be 1.

[out] **retVal** is the calculated sample excess-kurtosis value.

Remarks

1. The data sample may include missing values (e.g. #N/A).

2. Using a given data sample, the sample excess kurtosis is calculated as:

$$\hat{K}(x) = \frac{\sum_{t=1}^T (x_t - \bar{x})^4}{(T-1)\hat{\sigma}^4} - 3,$$

where:

- $\hat{K}(x)$ is the sample excess kurtosis.
- x_i is the i -th non-missing value in the data sample.
- T is the number of non-missing values in the data sample.
- $\hat{\sigma}$ is the sample standard deviation.

Requirements

Header	SFSDK.H
Library	SFSDK.LIB
DLL	SFSDK.DLL

Examples

```
int NDK_XKURT(double[] pData,
              UIntPtr nSize,
              short argMenthod,
              ref double retVal
              )
```

Namespace: NumXLAPI
 Class: SFSDK
 Scope: Public
 Lifetime: Static

Calculates the sample excess kurtosis.

Return Value

a value from [NDK_RETCODE](#) enumeration for the status of the call.

NDK_SUCCESS operation successful
 Error Error Code

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- [in] **pData** is the input data sample (a one dimensional array).
- [in] **nSize** is the number of observations in pData.
- [in] **argMenthod** This parameter is reserved and must be 1.
- [out] **retVal** is the calculated sample excess-kurtosis value.

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Exceptions

Exception Type	Condition
None	N/A

Requirements

Namespace	NumXLAPI
Class	SFSDK
Scope	Public
Lifetime	Static
Package	NumXLAPI.DLL

Examples

References

Hull, John C.; [Options, Futures and Other Derivatives](#) *Financial Times*/ Prentice Hall (2011), ISBN 978-0132777421

See Also

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