

1 Change of Measures & Girsanov Theorem

2. Lévy Characterization of B.M.

3. Theory of Risk Neutral Pricing.

① Replication $\rightarrow X$ replicates V_T

② Switch to Q \leftarrow risk neutral measure.

Under Q , $\{e^{-rt} S_t\}$ is mgale

$\Rightarrow \{e^{-rt} X_t\}$ is also a mgale.

$$V_t = X_t = e^{rt} e^{-rt} X_t = e^{rt} \mathbb{E}^Q(e^{-rT} X_T | \mathcal{F}_t)$$

$$V_t = \mathbb{E}^Q(e^{-r(T-t)} V_T | \mathcal{F}_t)$$

Ex 1

$(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{P})$, W

$$Z_1 = W_1^2 \geq 0, \quad \mathbb{E}(Z_1) = 1$$

Define Q via $\frac{dQ}{dP} \Big|_{\mathcal{F}_1} = Z_1$

$$Q(A) = \mathbb{E}(Z_1 \mathbf{1}_A) \quad A \in \mathcal{F}_1$$

Goal: Identify the dynamics of W under Q .

Girsanov: $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{P})$, W , \mathbb{H}

$$\tilde{Z}_t = e^{-\int_0^t \Theta_s dW_s - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \Theta_s^2 ds} \geq 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{stochastic exponential}$$

$$\mathbb{E}(Z_T) = \mathbb{E}(Z_0) = 1$$

$$\frac{dQ}{dP} \Big|_{\mathcal{F}_T} = Z_T. \text{ Then, under } Q,$$

$$W_t^Q = W_t - \int_0^t \Theta_s ds \text{ is a } Q\text{-B.M.}$$

$$dW_t = dW_t^Q + \boxed{\Theta_t dt}$$

$$T=1, \quad Z_1 = W_1^2$$

$$Z_t = E(Z_1 | F_t) = E(W_1^2 | F_t) = E(W_{t-1}^2 | F_t) + 1$$

$$= \frac{W_t^2 - t + 1}{}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dZ_t &= 2W_t dW_t \\ d\tilde{Z}_t &= -\tilde{Z}_t \textcircled{H}_t dW_t \end{aligned} \quad \left. \right\} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} 2W_t &= -\tilde{Z}_t \textcircled{H}_t \\ \textcircled{H}_t &= -\frac{2W_t}{\tilde{Z}_t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} d \log Z_t &= \frac{1}{Z_t} dZ_t - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{Z_t^2} d[Z, Z]_t \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{2W_t}{W_t^2 - t + 1}}_{dW_t} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{2(W_t^2 - t + 1)^2}}_{\frac{4W_t^2}{4W_t^2 - 4t + 4}} dt \end{aligned}$$

$$d(\log \tilde{Z}_t) = \frac{1}{\tilde{Z}_t} d\tilde{Z}_t - \frac{1}{2\tilde{Z}_t} d[\tilde{Z}, \tilde{Z}]_t$$

$$= -\underline{\mathbb{H}_t} dW_t - \underline{\frac{1}{2}\mathbb{H}_t^2 dt}$$

$$\mathbb{H}_t = -\frac{2W_t}{W_t^2 - t + 1}$$

Under Q ,

$$W_t^Q = W_t - \int_0^t \mathbb{H}_s ds \text{ is a } Q\text{-B.M.}$$

$$dW_t = dW_t^Q + \frac{2W_t}{W_t^2 - t + 1} dt$$

Ex2: $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F}, P)$, (W, B) .

$$[W, B]_t = \int_0^t \rho s ds, \quad \rho \text{ adapted, } -1 < \rho < 1.$$

$$\boxed{X_t = \int_0^t \Delta_s dW_s + \int_0^t \Gamma_s dB_s, \quad W}$$

Find Δ, Γ , s.t. (X, W) is a 2-dim B.M.

Apply Lévy: $[X, X]_t = t$

$$[X, W]_t = 0$$

$$[X, X]_t = \int_0^t \Delta_s^2 ds + \int_0^t \Gamma_s^2 ds + 2 \int_0^t \Delta_s \Gamma_s \rho_s ds = t$$

$$\Delta_t^2 + \Gamma_t^2 + 2\Delta_t \Gamma_t \rho_t = 1 - ①$$

$$[X, W]_t = \int_0^t \Delta_s ds + \int_0^t \Gamma_s \rho_s ds = 0$$

$$\Delta_t + \Gamma_t \rho_t = 0 - ②$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \Delta_t = -\frac{\rho_t}{\sqrt{1-\rho_t^2}} \\ \Gamma_t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho_t^2}} \end{cases} \checkmark$$

$$\left[\int_0^t a_s dW_s, \int_0^t b_s dB_s \right] = \int_0^t a_s b_s d[W, B]_s$$

$$Z_1 = X_1^2 \geq 0, \quad \mathbb{E}(Z_1) = 1. \quad \frac{dQ}{dP} \Big|_{\mathcal{F}_1} = Z_1$$

Show, under Q , W_1, X_1 are independent.

$$Q(W_1 \in A, X_1 \in B) = \underbrace{Q(W_1 \in A)}_{\text{independent}} Q(X_1 \in B) \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &= \mathbb{E}^Q(1_{\{W_1 \in A\}} 1_{\{X_1 \in B\}}) = \mathbb{E}^P(X_1^2 1_{\{W_1 \in A\}} 1_{\{X_1 \in B\}}) \\ &= \mathbb{E}^P(X_1^2 1_{\{X_1 \in B\}}) \mathbb{E}^P(1_{\{W_1 \in A\}}) \\ &= \mathbb{E}^Q(1_{\{X_1 \in B\}}) \mathbb{E}^P(1_{\{W_1 \in A\}}) \end{aligned}$$

$$= Q(X_i \in B) \underbrace{P(W_i \in A)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(W_i \in A) &= \mathbb{E}^P(X_i^2 \mathbf{1}_{\{W_i \in A\}}) = \underbrace{\mathbb{E}^P(X_i^2)}_{= P(W_i \in A)} \underbrace{\mathbb{E}^P(\mathbf{1}_{\{W_i \in A\}})}_{= P(W_i \in A)} \\ &= P(W_i \in A) \end{aligned}$$

3° Risk-Neutral pricing

$$V_t = \mathbb{E}^Q(e^{-r(T-t)} V_T | \mathcal{F}_t)$$

Ex1: (call on call)

$$\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \mu dt + \sigma dW_t, \quad \frac{dB_t}{B_t} = rdt$$

Q r.n.m. Under Q: $\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = rdt + \sigma dW_t^Q$

$C(t, x, K, T)$ = price of European call option
at time t , given $S_t = x$

$$= \mathbb{E}^Q(e^{-r(T-t)} (S_T - K)^+ | \mathcal{F}_t, S_t = x)$$

$F_{t,x} \nearrow T_0 \leq T$ strike.

$$\hat{C}(T_0, S_{T_0}) = \left(\frac{\downarrow}{C(T_0, S_{T_0}, K, T) - K'} \right)^+$$

$\hat{C}(t, x)$ = price of call on call at t , given $S_t = x$.

Q:

$$\hat{C}(t, x) \stackrel{?}{=} C(t, x, K, T)$$

$$\hat{C}(t, S_t) = \mathbb{E}^Q \left(e^{-r(T_0-t)} \left(C(T_0, S_{T_0}, K, T) - K' \right)^+ | F_t \right)$$

$$\stackrel{?}{=} \mathbb{E}^Q \left(\underbrace{e^{-rT_0} C(T_0, S_{T_0}, K, T)}_{= e^{-rt} C(t, S_t, K, T)} | F_t \right) e^{rt}$$

$t \approx T_0$, what's the optimal hedging strategy?

$$\Delta_t = \hat{C}_x(t, S_t)$$

Look at $\hat{C}(t, x) \approx \underbrace{(c(t, x, K, T) - K')^+}_{}$

$$\begin{aligned} c(t, 0, K, T) &= 0 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} c(t, x, K, T) &= \infty \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \Rightarrow \hat{x} \text{ s.t.} \\ c(t, \hat{x}, K, T) = K' \end{array} \right.$$

$$\hat{C}(t, x) \approx \begin{cases} c(t, x, K, T) - K' & x > \hat{x} \\ 0 & x \leq \hat{x} \end{cases}$$

$$\hat{C}_x(t, x) = \begin{cases} c_x(t, x, K, T) & x > \boxed{\hat{x}} \\ 0 & x \leq \hat{x} \end{cases}$$

Ex2: (forward start option)

Fix $t_1 \in [0, T]$.

Payoff at $T = (S_T - S_{t_1})^+$

Goal: find a.f.p of this option. at $t=0$.

Let Q r.n.m.

$$V_0 = \underbrace{\mathbb{E}^Q(e^{-rT}(S_T - S_{t_1})^+)}_{\text{in term of } C, \text{ some functions of } t}$$

$C(T, x, K) =$ price of European call on S , with
time to maturity T , strike K ,
given $S_{T-t} = x$.

$$C(\tau, x, K) = \mathbb{E}^Q \left(e^{-r\tau} (S_\tau - K)^+ \mid \mathcal{F}_{T-\tau}, S_{T-\tau} = x \right)$$

(a) Show

$$\underline{C(\tau, \lambda x, \lambda K)} = \lambda C(\tau, x, K)$$

Under Q, $S_t = S_0 e^{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)t + \sigma W_t^Q}$

$$\Rightarrow S_\tau = \underline{S_{T-\tau} e^{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)\tau + \sigma(W_T^Q - W_{T-\tau}^Q)}}$$

$$C(\tau, x, K) = \mathbb{E}^Q \left(e^{-r\tau} \left(x e^{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)\tau + \sigma(W_T^Q - W_{T-\tau}^Q)} - K \right)^+ \mid \mathcal{F}_{T-\tau}, S_{T-\tau} = x \right)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}^Q \left(e^{-r\tau} \left(x e^{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)\tau + \sigma(W_T^Q - W_{T-\tau}^Q)} - K \right)^+ \right)$$

$$\underline{W_T^Q - W_{T-\tau}^Q} \stackrel{d}{\sim} \underline{W_\tau^Q}$$

$$V_0 = \mathbb{E}^Q\left(e^{-rT}(S_T - S_{t_1})^+\right)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}^Q\left(e^{\frac{-rt_1}{S_{t_1}}} e^{-r(T-t_1)} \left(\frac{S_T}{S_{t_1}} - 1\right)^+\right)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}^Q\left(e^{-rt_1} S_{t_1} \underbrace{\mathbb{E}^Q\left(e^{-r(T-t_1)} \left(\frac{S_T}{S_{t_1}} - 1\right)^+ \mid \mathcal{F}_{t_1}\right)}_{(*)}\right)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{S_T}{S_{t_1}}} = e^{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)(T-t_1) + \sigma \underbrace{(W_T^Q - W_{T-t_1}^Q)}_{\parallel \mathcal{F}_{t_1}}}$$

$$\boxed{S_{T-t_1}} = S_0 e^{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)(T-t_1) + \sigma W_{T-t_1}^Q}$$

$$(*) = \mathbb{E}^Q\left(e^{-r(T-t_1)} \left(\frac{S_T}{S_{t_1}} - 1\right)^+\right) = \mathbb{E}^Q\left(e^{-r(T-t_1)} (S_{T-t_1} - S_0)^+\right) \frac{1}{S_0}$$

$$= C(T-t_1, S_0, S_0) \frac{1}{S_0} = C(T-t_1, 1, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_0 &= \mathbb{E}^Q(e^{-rt_1} S_{t_1}) C(T-t_1, 1, 1) \\ &= S_0 C(T-t_1, 1, 1) = \underline{C(T-t_1, S_0, S_0)} \end{aligned}$$

Ex3: In BS Model.

$C(t, x, r, \sigma^2)$ = Price of European call.

$$S \sim GBM(r, \sigma^2)$$

Price the call option on S_T^2 :

$$(S_T^2 - K)^+$$