

Midterm Problem

2. $X = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Head} & 1/2 \\ 0 & \text{Tail} & 1/2 \end{cases} \quad Y \sim N(0, 1) \quad , \quad X \perp Y$

$$\mathbb{E}[e^{\lambda XY} | X] = g(X) \quad \text{where} \quad g(y) = \mathbb{E}[e^{\lambda xy}] \quad (\text{Ind (em)})$$
$$= e^{\frac{\lambda^2 X^2}{2}} = e^{\frac{\lambda^2 \cdot 1}{2}}$$

• Common mistake: $\mathbb{E}[e^{\lambda \cdot 1 \cdot Y}] \cdot P(X=1) + \mathbb{E}[e^{\lambda \cdot 0 \cdot Y}] \cdot P(X=0) = \mathbb{E}[e^{\lambda XY}]$

• Joint pdf: $f_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{f_{X,Y}(x,y)}{f_X(x)} = f_Y(y)$. ✓

3. $X_t = \omega t^2 + \underbrace{\int_0^t \sqrt{1+s^2} d\omega_s + \int_0^t \sqrt{3+\omega_s^2} ds}_{=: Y_t}$, $\langle X, X \rangle_t = ?$

$$dX_t = \underline{d\omega t^2} + \sqrt{1+t^2} d\omega_t + \sqrt{3+\omega_t^2} dt$$

$$= 2\omega t d\omega_t + dt + \dots$$

$$= (2\omega t + \sqrt{1+t^2}) d\omega_t + (1 + \sqrt{3+\omega_t^2}) dt$$

\Rightarrow

$$\langle X, X \rangle_t$$

$$= \int_0^t (2\omega_s + \sqrt{1+s^2})^2 ds$$

• Common Mistake: $\langle X, X \rangle_t = \langle W^2, W^2 \rangle_t + \langle Y, Y \rangle_t$
 $= \int_0^t 1 + (\sqrt{1+s^2})^2 ds$ ✗

• $\langle X, X \rangle_t = \mathbb{E} \int_0^t (2W_s + \sqrt{1+s^2})^2 ds$, $\mathbb{E}[X_t^2] = ?$

S. $X_t = \int_0^t e^{-W_r} dW_r$, $\mathbb{E}_S[X_t^2] = ?$

• Common mistake: $\mathbb{E}_S[X_t^2] = \mathbb{E}_S \left[\left(\int_0^t e^{-W_r} dW_r \right)^2 \right]$
 $\neq \mathbb{E}_S \left[\int_0^t e^{-2W_r} dr \right]$

$\mathbb{E}_S[X_t^2] = \mathbb{E}_S \left[\int_0^t e^{-2W_r} dr \right] + \left(\underbrace{\hspace{10em}} \right)''$

• $\mathbb{E}_S \left[\int_s^t e^{-W_r} dr \right] \neq \mathbb{E} \left[\int_s^t e^{-W_r} dr \right]$

$\mathbb{E}_S \left[\int_s^t e^{-(W_r - W_s)} dr \right] = \int_s^t \mathbb{E}_S \left[e^{-(W_r - W_s)} \right] dr = \int_s^t \mathbb{E} \left[e^{-(W_r - W_s)} \right] dr$

$W_t - W_s \perp \mathcal{F}_s$

BS Model $dS_t = \alpha S_t dt + \sigma S_t dW_t$, $C_t = C_0 e^{rt}$

Def X is a self-financing portfolio if

✓ $dX_t = \Delta_t dS_t + r(X_t - \Delta_t S_t) dt$ for some adapted Δ_t

Note X_0 , Δ_t are given to us.

Is it possible to construct a self-fin port X that corresponds to (X_0, Δ_t) ?

Ans Yes...

Def V_T : A payoff of an option with maturity T .

X is a replicating portfolio if

① X is self-fin

② $X_T = V_T$

Thm 8.3. $V_T = g(S_T)$.

✓ If this option can be replicated by a replicating portfolio ~~portfolio~~ $f(t, S_t)$,

then f satisfies

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \partial_t f + r x \partial_x f + \frac{\sigma^2 x^2}{2} \partial_x^2 f = r f$$

$$\forall x > 0$$

$$\forall 0 < t < T$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f(t, 0) = g(0) e^{-r(T-t)}$$

$$\forall 0 \leq t \leq T$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad f(T, x) = g(x)$$

$$\forall x \geq 0$$

→ BS PDE

prop 8.8 $f(t, x) = e^{-rz} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y}) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy, \quad z = T-t$

Why?

$$\textcircled{2}: f(T, x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(y) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy = g(x) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy = g(x)$$

$$\textcircled{2}: f(t, 0) = e^{-rt} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(0) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy = e^{-rt} \cdot g(0) = e^{-r(T-t)} g(0)$$

$$\textcircled{1}: g(x) = (x - K)_+$$



NOT EASY....

Note prop 8.8 can be proved using "Girsanov Thm" + "RN"

Ex European call option, $g(x) = (x - K)_+$, AFIP = V_t ?

By Thm 8.2, prop 8.8 $V_t = f(t, S_t)$ where

$$f(t, x) = e^{-rz} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x e^{(r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} - K) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy, \quad z = T - t.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \quad x e^{(r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} - K &\geq 0 &\Leftrightarrow e^{(r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} &\geq \frac{K}{x} \\ &&\Leftrightarrow (r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y &\geq \log\left(\frac{K}{x}\right) \\ &&\Leftrightarrow \sigma\sqrt{z}y &\geq \log\left(\frac{K}{x}\right) - (r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z \\ &&\Leftrightarrow y &\geq \frac{\log\left(\frac{K}{x}\right) - (r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z}{\sigma\sqrt{z}} \\ &&\Leftrightarrow y &\geq - \left[\frac{\log\left(\frac{x}{K}\right) + (r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z}{\sigma\sqrt{z}} \right] \\ &&\Leftrightarrow y &\geq -d_- \end{aligned}$$

$$f(t, x) = e^{-rz} \int_{-d_-}^{\infty} (x e^{(r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} - K) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

$$= e^{-rz} \int_{-d-}^{\infty} \lambda \cdot e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} \cdot \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy - ke^{-rz} \int_{-d-}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

$$= e^{-rz} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z} \int_{-d-}^{\infty} e^{\sigma\sqrt{z}y} \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy - ke^{-rz} P(Z \geq -d-)$$

where $Z \sim N(0,1)$.

$$= \quad \quad \quad // \quad \quad \quad -ke^{-rz} P(Z \leq d-)$$

$$= \quad \quad \quad // \quad \quad \quad -ke^{-rz} N(d-)$$

$$= e^{-rz} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z} \int_{-d-}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}y^2 + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} dy - ke^{-rz} N(d-)$$

$$= e^{-rz} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z} \int_{-d-}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(y-\sigma\sqrt{z})^2} \cdot e^{\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 z} dy - ke^{-rz} N(d-)$$

$$= \lambda \cdot \int_{-d-}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(y-\sigma\sqrt{z})^2} dy - ke^{-rz} N(d-)$$

$$= x \cdot \int_{-d_- - \sigma\sqrt{z}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy - ke^{-rz} N(d_-)$$

$$= x \cdot \mathbb{P}(z \geq -d_- - \sigma\sqrt{z}) - ke^{-rz} N(d_-)$$

$$= x \cdot N(d_+ - \sigma\sqrt{z}) - ke^{-rz} N(d_-)$$

$$= x \cdot N(d_+) - ke^{-rz} N(d_-)$$

$$\left(d_+ = \frac{\log\left(\frac{x}{k}\right) + (r + \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z}{\sigma\sqrt{z}} \quad d_- = \frac{\log\left(\frac{x}{k}\right) + (r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z}{\sigma\sqrt{z}} \right)$$

EX Digital (Binary) option.

$$g(x) = \mathbb{1}_{(x \geq K)} = \begin{cases} 1 & x \geq K \\ 0 & x < K \end{cases}$$

$$f(t, x) = e^{-rz} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathbb{1}\left(x e^{(r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} \geq K\right) \frac{e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

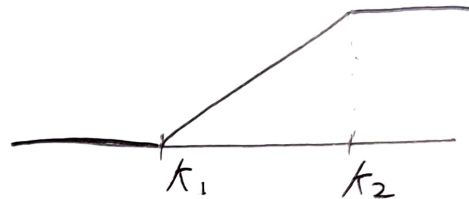
$$\star x e^{(r - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} \geq K \iff y \geq -d_- \quad (\text{from previous EX})$$

$$= e^{-r\tau} \int_{-d-}^{\infty} 1 \cdot \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy + e^{-r\tau} \int_{-\infty}^{-d-} 0 \cdot \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

$$= e^{-r\tau} P(Z \geq -d-) = e^{-r\tau} N(d-)$$

Ex (Bull-spread)

$$g(x) =$$



$$= \begin{cases} 0 & x < k_1 \\ x - k_1 & k_1 \leq x < k_2 \\ k_2 - k_1 & x \geq k_2 \end{cases}$$

$$f(t, x) = e^{-r\tau} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})\tau + \sigma\sqrt{\tau}y}) \cdot \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

$$\bullet \quad x e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})\tau + \sigma\sqrt{\tau}y} \leq k_1 \iff y \leq -d^{(1)}$$

$$\bullet \quad k_1 \leq x e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})\tau + \sigma\sqrt{\tau}y} \leq k_2 \iff -d^{(1)} \leq y \leq -d^{(2)}$$

$$\bullet \quad k_2 \leq x e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})\tau + \sigma\sqrt{\tau}y} \iff y \geq -d^{(2)}$$

$$f(t,x) = e^{-rz} \int_{-\infty}^{-d_-^{(1)}} 0 \cdot \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy + e^{-rz} \int_{-d_-^{(1)}}^{-d_-^{(2)}} \left(e^{(1-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{t}y} - k_1 \right) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

=: I

$$+ e^{-rz} \int_{-d_-^{(2)}}^{\infty} (k_2 - k_1) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

=: II

$$\text{II} = e^{-rz} \cdot (k_2 - k_1) \cdot \int_{-d_-^{(2)}}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy = e^{-rz} (k_2 - k_1) N(d_-^{(2)})$$

$$\text{I} = e^{-rz} \int_{-d_-^{(1)}}^{-d_-^{(2)}} \left(e^{(1-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{t}y} - k_1 \right) \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy - k_1 e^{-rz} \int_{-d_-^{(1)}}^{-d_-^{(2)}} \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

=: III

$$= \quad \quad \quad - k_1 e^{-rz} \mathbb{P}(-d_-^{(1)} \leq z \leq -d_-^{(2)})$$

$$= \quad \quad \quad - k_1 e^{-rz} \mathbb{P}(d_-^{(2)} \leq z \leq d_-^{(1)})$$

$$= \quad \quad \quad - k_1 e^{-rz} (N(d_-^{(1)}) - N(d_-^{(2)}))$$

$$\mathbb{I} = e^{-rz} \int_{-d_-^{(1)}}^{-d_-^{(2)}} \lambda e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z + \sigma\sqrt{z}y} \frac{e^{-y^2/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

$$= e^{-rz} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z} \int_{-d_-^{(1)}}^{-d_-^{(2)}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{\sigma\sqrt{z}y - y^2/2} dy$$

$$= e^{-rz} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{(r-\frac{\sigma^2}{2})z} \cdot e^{\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 z} \int_{-d_-^{(1)} - \sigma\sqrt{z}}^{-d_-^{(2)} - \sigma\sqrt{z}} \frac{e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dy$$

$$= \lambda \cdot \left(N(d_-^{(1)} + \sigma\sqrt{z}) - N(d_-^{(2)} + \sigma\sqrt{z}) \right)$$

$$= \lambda \cdot \left(N(d_+^{(1)}) - N(d_+^{(2)}) \right)$$

$$\circ \circ f(t, x) = \lambda \left(N(d_+^{(1)}) - N(d_+^{(2)}) \right) - k_1 e^{-rz} \left(N(d_-^{(1)}) - N(d_-^{(2)}) \right)$$

$$+ e^{-rz} (k_2 - k_1) N(d_-^{(2)})$$

$$= \left[\lambda N(d_+^{(1)}) - k_1 e^{-rz} N(d_-^{(1)}) \right] - \left[\lambda N(d_+^{(2)}) - k_2 e^{-rz} N(d_-^{(2)}) \right]$$

Thm 8.4 $V_T = g(S_T)$. Assume $f = f(t, S_t)$ satisfies BS PDE.

Then this option is replicable and its replicating port $f(t, S_t)$

$$\text{pf } \begin{cases} X_0 = f(0, S_0) \\ dX_t = \partial_x f(t, S_t) \end{cases} \implies \exists \text{ self-fin } X$$

WTS X is a replicating port & $X_t = f(t, S_t)$

$$\begin{cases} X \text{ is self-fin } \checkmark \\ \underline{\underline{X_T = V_T}} \checkmark \end{cases}$$

~~WTS~~ It's sufficient to prove $X_t = f(t, S_t)$

$$\circ \circ \quad X_T = f(T, S_T) = g(S_T) = V_T$$

In class, $dX_t = d f(t, S_t)$.

$$d e^{-rt} X_t = d e^{-rt} f(t, r_t)$$

$$\bullet d e^{-rt} X_t = -r \cdot e^{-rt} X_t dt + e^{-rt} d X_t + 0$$

$$= -r e^{-rt} X_t dt + e^{-rt} (\Delta t d r_t + r(X_t - \Delta t r_t) dt)$$

$$= (-r \Delta t e^{-rt} r_t) dt + e^{-rt} \Delta t d r_t$$

$$\bullet d e^{-rt} f(t, r_t) = (-r e^{-rt} f + e^{-rt} \cdot 2 r f) dt + e^{-rt} \partial_x f d r_t$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} e^{-rt} \partial_x^2 f \underbrace{d \langle r, r \rangle_t}_{= \sigma^2 r_t^2 dt}$$

$$= e^{-rt} (-r f + 2 r f + \frac{1}{2} \partial_x^2 f \cdot \sigma^2 r_t^2) dt + e^{-rt} \partial_x f d r_t$$

$$2 r f + r \partial_x f + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 r_t^2 \partial_x^2 f = r f \Rightarrow -r f + 2 r f + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 r_t^2 \partial_x^2 f = -r \partial_x f$$

