

# Computational Finance - Mini Task 2

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## 1 Calculate h

$R_{r,t,T}$  is normally distributed with mean  $f(r, t, T)$  and variance  $v^2(t, T)$ ,

$$R_{r,t,T} \sim N(f(r, t, T), v^2(t, T)). \quad (1)$$

$N(h)$  is the Cumulative Normal Distribution, or the probability that  $x < h$  if  $x \sim N(0, 1)$ , i.e

$$P(x < h). \quad (2)$$

Require  $N(h)$  to be equivalent to  $P(R_{r,t,T} < X_r)$  which we transform to the standard Normal Distribution and thus

$$P(z < \frac{X_r - f(r, t, T)}{\sqrt{v(r, T)}}), \quad (3)$$

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

Comparing equation (2) and equation (3) we obtain an expression for h,

$$h = \frac{X_r - f(r, t, T)}{\sqrt{v^2(t, T)}} \quad (4)$$

## 2 Option value for $r_0$

Defining the following parameters,

$$\begin{aligned} r_0 &= 0.0263, \\ T &= 3, \\ X_r &= 0.05, \\ \kappa &= 0.0957, \\ \theta &= 0.051, \\ \sigma &= 0.0221, \end{aligned}$$

we calculate the value of the financial contract at time  $t = 0$  to be

$$V(r_0, t = 0, T) = 0.819304. \quad (5)$$

### 3 Option value for multiple r

Taking approximately 100 different values of  $r$  in the range  $r \in [0, 0.2]$  we make plots of  $P(r, t = 0, T)$  and  $V(r, t = 0, T)$  as shown in Figure 1.

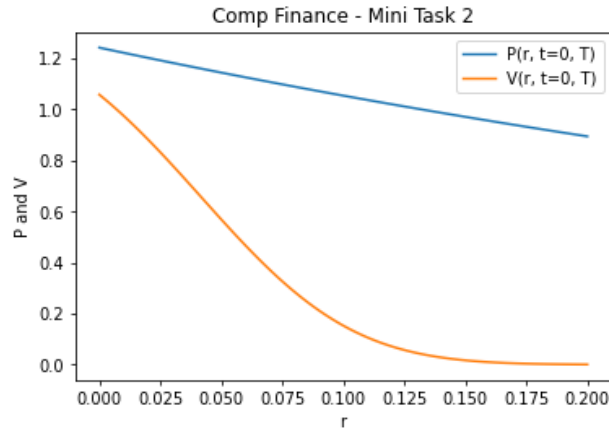


Figure 1: Plots of  $P(r, t = 0, T)$  and  $V(r, t = 0, T)$  with  $r$  for our interest rate derivative contract using a non-standard model.

Listing 1: C++ code for calculating put option value for an interest rate derivative contract using a non-standard model. The data is written to a file called "data.csv" in the working directory.

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1 // Header
2 // Title: Comp finance - Mini task 2
3 // Student ID: 10134621
4 // Date Created: 03/03/21
5 // Last Edited: 03/03/21
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8 #define _USE_MATH_DEFINES_
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10
11 // Includes
12 #include <iostream>
13 #include <iomanip>
14 #include <cmath>
15 #include <math.h>
16 #include <fstream>
17 #include <vector>
18 #include <constants.h> // header file for constants
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21 // Decalre Functions
22
23 // calculate cummulative normal distribution
24 double norm_cum(const double& x);
25
26 // calculate f
27 double f(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
    T);
28
29 // calculate m
30 double m(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
    T);
31
32 // calculate q
33 double q(const double& t, const double& T);
34
35 // calculate v^2
36 double v2(const double& t, const double& T);
37
38 // calculate P
39 double P(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
    T);
40
41 // calculate n
42 double n(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
    T);
43
44 // calculate k
45 double k2(const double& t, const double& T);
46
47 // calculate V for put
48 double V_put(const double& r, const double& t, const
    double& T, const double& h);
49
50
51
52 // Begin main program
53 int main()
54 {
55     // define variables
56     const double t{ 0 };
57     const double T{ 3 };
58     double b = 0.2; // lower r limit
59     double a = 0; // upper r limit
60     double n = 100; // number of calculations
61

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62     // open a file stream for writing
63     std::ofstream output;
64
65     // open the csv file
66     output.open("data.csv");
67
68     // if the file is open
69     if (output.is_open()) {
70
71         // for loop over r values
72         for (double r{ 0 }; r <= b + 0.002; r += (b - a)
73             / n) {
74
75             // calculate h
76             double h_val = (constants::X_r - f(r, t, T))
77                 / pow(v2(t, T), 0.5);
78
79             // calculate P
80             double P_val = P(r, t, T);
81
82             // calculate V(r, t=0, T) for a put option
83             double V_val = V_put(r, t, T, h_val);
84
85             // write data to file
86             output << r << "," << P_val << "," << V_val
87                 << std::endl;
88
89         }
90
91         // close the file
92         std::cout << "File write successful" << std::endl
93             ;
94         output.close();
95
96     }
97
98     // if file could not be opened
99     else {
100         std::cout << "Error: could not open file" << std
101             ::endl;
102         return 1;
103     }
104
105     return 0;
106 } // End main program

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103 // Define functions
104
105 // calculate V for put
106 double V_put(const double& r, const double& t, const
      double& T, const double& h)
107 {
108     return P(r, t, T) * norm_cum(h);
109 }
110
111 // calculate cummulative normal distribution
112 double norm_cum(const double& x)
113 {
114     return 0.5 * erfc(-x / pow(2, 0.5));
115 }
116
117 // calculate f
118 double f(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
      T)
119 {
120     return m(r, t, T) - 0.5 * q(t, T);
121 }
122
123 // calculate m
124 double m(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
      T)
125 {
126     return exp(-constants::kappa*(T-t))*r+(1-exp(-
      constants::kappa*(T-t)))*constants::theta;
127 }
128
129 // calculate q
130 double q(const double& t, const double& T)
131 {
132     return (pow(constants::sigma, 2) / (3 * pow(constants
      ::kappa, 2)))* pow(1 - exp(-constants::kappa * (T
      - t)), 5);
133 }
134
135 // calculate v^2
136 double v2(const double& t, const double& T)
137 {
138     return (pow(constants::sigma, 2) / constants::kappa)
      * (1 - exp(-constants::kappa * (T - t)));
139 }
140
141 // calculate P

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142 double P(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
      T)
143 {
144     return exp((2. / 3.) * k2(t, T) - (1. / 4.) * n(r, t,
      T));
145 }
146
147 // calculate n
148 double n(const double& r, const double& t, const double&
      T)
149 {
150     return r * (T - t) - ((constants::theta - r) / (2 *
      constants::kappa)) * (1 - exp(-4 * constants::
      kappa * (T - t)));
151 }
152
153 // calculate k
154 double k2(const double& t, const double& T)
155 {
156     return ((pow(constants::sigma, 2)) / (2 * pow(
      constants::kappa, 3))) * (5 * exp(-constants::
      kappa * (T - t)) - 3 * exp(-2 * constants::kappa *
      (T - t))
157     + 3 * constants::kappa * (T - t) - 2);
158 }

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Listing 2: Header file for constants.

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```

1 #pragma once
2 // Header file for constants
3
4 namespace constants
5 {
6     // define variables
7     const double r_0{ 0.0263 };
8     const double X_r{ 0.05 };
9     const double kappa{ 0.0957 };
10    const double theta{ 0.051 };
11    const double sigma{ 0.0221 };
12 }

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