

Recall that $\sigma_k^2(k, T) = \frac{\frac{\partial w}{\partial T}}{(1 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{k}{w} \frac{\partial w}{\partial k})^2 - \frac{1}{4} (\frac{1}{k} + \frac{1}{w}) (\frac{\partial w}{\partial k})^2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial k^2}}$

(a) As $T \rightarrow 0$, $\sigma_{BS}(k, T) = \sigma_0(k) + \mathcal{O}(T)$ (which is true for conventional SVM),

write an equation of $\sigma_k(k, T)$ in term of $\sigma_0(k)$ and with order $\mathcal{O}(1)$.

(b) Show the expression can be re-written to $\mathcal{O}(1)$ as $\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left(\frac{k}{\sigma_0(k)} \right) = \frac{1}{\sigma_k(k, 0)}$

Hint: $1 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{k}{w} \frac{\partial w}{\partial k} = \sqrt{w} \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left(\frac{k}{\sqrt{w}} \right) = \sigma_0(k) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left(\frac{k}{\sigma_0(k)} \right)$

(c) Deduce $\frac{1}{\sigma_0(k)} = \frac{1}{k} \int_0^k \frac{dy}{\sigma_L(y, 0)}$

(d) Deduce $\frac{1}{\sigma_0(k)} = \int_0^1 \frac{d\alpha}{\sigma_L(\alpha k, 0)}$ (BBF) derivatives

(e) Deduce $\sigma_0(0) = \sigma_L(0, 0)$

(f) Show $T \rightarrow 0$, ATM imp vol skew = $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{ATM local vol skew}$. $\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \sigma_0(0) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \sigma_L(k, 0) \Big|_{k=0}$

2. $(N-v) dv_t = -\lambda(v_t - \bar{v}) dt + \xi v_t dz_t$

(a) $f(v_t, t, T) = \mathbb{E}[g(x_T) | \mathcal{F}_t]$, Find d s.t. $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + Lf = 0$ ($d = -\lambda(v_t - \bar{v}) \partial_v + \frac{1}{2} \xi^2 v^2 \partial_{vv}$)

(b) $d = d_0 + \frac{1}{2} L_1^2$ where $L_1 = \xi v \partial_v$. Show d_0 . ($d_0 = -\lambda(v_t - \bar{v}) - \frac{1}{2} \xi^2 v^2 \partial_{vv}$)

(c) Solve $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} V(t) = L_1 V(t)$ and $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} V(t) = d_0 V(t)$ with $V(0) = v_0$

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 $V(t) = v_0 e^{\xi^2 t}$

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 $V(t) = \bar{v}' + (v_0 - \bar{v}') e^{-\lambda' t}$ $\lambda' = \lambda + \frac{1}{2} \xi^2$ $\bar{v}' = \frac{\lambda \bar{v}}{\lambda'}$

(d) $\partial_t f + \{d_0 + \frac{1}{2} L_1^2\} f = 0$

$V_{t+\Delta} = \exp \left\{ \frac{d_0 \Delta}{2} \right\} e^{\frac{L_1^2 \Delta}{2}} V_t$ Deduce the expression of $V_{t+\Delta}$ in term of V_t .

Hint: $V_1 = e^{\frac{1}{2} \xi^2 \Delta} V_0$, $V_2 = \bar{v}' + (V_1 - \bar{v}') e^{-\lambda' \Delta/2}$, $V_{t+\Delta} = \bar{v}' + (V_t - \bar{v}') e^{-\lambda' \Delta/2}$

3. $\varphi_T(u) = \mathbb{E}[e^{iuS_T}] = \exp \left\{ iu \omega T - \frac{1}{2} u^2 \sigma^2 T + T \int (e^{iu\eta} - 1) \mu(\eta) d\eta \right\}$

(a) Note $\mathbb{E}[S_T] = S_0$. Let $u = -i$, deduce show that $\omega = -\frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 - \int (e^{\eta} - 1) \mu(\eta) d\eta$

(b) Let $\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \mu dt + \sigma \frac{dZ_t}{\sqrt{dt}}$ compounded Poisson with $g_i \sim \exp(\eta_i)$ and arrival rate λ , $\eta_i < 0$.

show $\mu(\eta) = \lambda v e^{\eta} \mathbb{1}_{\eta < 0}$

(c) Write down for this dynamics the characteristic exponent $\bar{\Gamma}_T(u) = \frac{\ln \varphi_T(u)}{T}$

(d) $\mathbb{E} \left[\left(\frac{S_T}{S_0} \right)^\alpha \right] = \varphi_T(-i\alpha) = \dots$ (power contract)

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Answer for (e): We know $E\left[\left(\frac{S_t}{S_0}\right)^\alpha\right] = \exp\left\{\lambda T \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{(\nu+1)(\nu+\alpha)}\right\}$

Right: Finite Moment when $\alpha > 0$ ^{Power} ~~Lee~~ imp vol will not explode when $\alpha > 0 \rightarrow$ it ~~goes~~ ^{converges} to

Left: Moment explode when $\alpha = -\nu$. Typical jump size $= \frac{1}{\nu}$. ^{Power} ~~Lee~~ slope at left $\uparrow \rightarrow 2$.
jump size \uparrow , $\frac{1}{\nu} \downarrow$, $\nu \downarrow$, Moment explode at smaller moment \rightarrow slope at left $\uparrow \rightarrow 2$.

4. $\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \sqrt{V_t} dZ_t$. $d\mathcal{Q}_t(u) = \frac{1}{T(H+1/2)} \sqrt{V_t} \cdot \frac{dW_t}{(u-t)^{H+1/2}}$ with correlation ρ .

(a) $V_t = \mathcal{Q}_t(t)$

(b) Why $\mathcal{Q}_t(u)$ is a martingale?

(c) How do H, η, ρ affect the shape?

(d) $X_t = \ln(S_t/S_0)$. Recall Barndorff-Nielsen-Guyon: $C^{x^{\mathcal{Q}}} = (X \circ M)_t(T) = \int_t^T ds \int_s^T du E\left[\frac{dX_s d\mathcal{Q}_s(u)}{ds} \middle| \mathcal{F}_t\right]$

Hint: $= \int_t^T ds \int_s^T du E[V_s | \mathcal{F}_t] \cdot \frac{\rho \eta}{T(H+1/2)} \cdot \frac{1}{(u-s)^{H+1/2}}$

(e) BG expansion: $\sigma_{BS}(K, T) = \hat{\sigma}_T + S_T K + O(\eta^2)$ with $S_T = \sqrt{\frac{\eta}{T-t}} - \frac{1}{2\eta^2} C^{x^{\mathcal{Q}}}$

Find the expression of ATM volatility skew S_T

(f) How to get H from ATM skew. (regression on the log-log plot)

5. [Similar] (Mental Mark Carlo) payoff $= 1 + \max\left\{0, \max\text{-cpn} + \sum_{i=1}^N \min\{0, r_i\}\right\}$

(a) Which part of the payoff reflect the principal protection (1)

(b) What's the max redemption amount and how does it happen? $(1 + \max\text{-cpn})$ ($r_i > 0$)

(c) If the principle guaranteed is taken, what's the derivatives this payoff corresponds to? ~~(put)~~ ~~(strip)~~ ~~(ATM)~~

Hint: payoff $= 1 + \max\text{-cpn} - \sum_{i=1}^N \max(0, -r_i)$ (chiquets/strips of forward ATM puts)

(d) What's the payoff if $\max\text{-cpn} = 0$?

(e) (repeated)



assume negative ATM volatility skew, which one is SVM and which is LVM?
(1st put spread makes no difference).

In LVM, skew gets flatter \rightarrow the value of ATM put spread $\downarrow \rightarrow$ Long the spread for hedge value \downarrow .

(f) Why the two lines coincide at $\max\text{-cpn} = 0$?