TP2 Risk Management

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Libraries

Risk Management: European Options Portfolio

.. ..\$: chr [1:3] "K" "tau" "IV"

The objective is to implement (part of) the risk management framework for estimating the risk of a book of European call options by taking into account the risk drivers such as underlying and implied volatility.

Data

Load the database Market. Identify the price of the **SP500**, the **VIX index**, the term structure of interest rates (current and past), and the traded options (calls and puts).

```
# load dataset into environment
load(file = here("data raw", "Market.rda"))
# reassign name and inspect structure of loaded data
mkt <- Market
summary(mkt)
         Length Class Mode
##
## sp500 3410
               xts
                       numeric
## vix
         3410
                       numeric
                xts
## rf
           14
                -none- numeric
## calls 1266
                -none- numeric
## puts 2250
                -none- numeric
str(mkt)
## List of 5
    $ sp500:An 'xts' object on 2000-01-03/2013-09-10 containing:
     Data: num [1:3410, 1] 1455 1399 1402 1403 1441 ...
##
     Indexed by objects of class: [Date] TZ: UTC
##
##
     xts Attributes:
    NULL
##
##
    $ vix : An 'xts' object on 2000-01-03/2013-09-10 containing:
##
    Data: num [1:3410, 1] 0.242 0.27 0.264 0.257 0.217 ...
     Indexed by objects of class: [Date] TZ: UTC
##
##
    xts Attributes:
    NULL
##
##
           : num [1:14, 1] 0.00071 0.00098 0.00128 0.00224 0.00342 ...
##
     ..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:14] "0.00273972602739726" "0.0192307692307692" "0.0833333333333333333333" "0.25" .
    $ calls: num [1:422, 1:3] 1280 1370 1380 1400 1415 ...
##
##
     ..- attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
     .. ..$ : NULL
##
```

```
## $ puts : num [1:750, 1:3] 1000 1025 1050 1075 1100 ...
## ..- attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
## ...$ : NULL
## ...$ : chr [1:3] "K" "tau" "IV"
```

Let's unpack these into the env. individually:

```
# unpack each of the elements in the mkt list
sp500 <- mkt$sp500
vix <- mkt$vix
Rf <- mkt$rf # risk-free rates
calls <- mkt$calls
puts <- mkt$puts

# assign colname for aesthetic
colnames(sp500) <- "sp500"
colnames(vix) <- "vix"</pre>
```

SP500 and VIX

By inspection, we observe that we the SP500 and VIX indices are contained in the sp500 and vix xts objects respectively.

```
# show head of both indexes
head(sp500)
```

```
## sp500
## 2000-01-03 1455.22
## 2000-01-04 1399.42
## 2000-01-05 1402.11
## 2000-01-06 1403.45
## 2000-01-07 1441.47
## 2000-01-10 1457.60
```

head(vix)

```
## vix
## 2000-01-03 0.2421
## 2000-01-04 0.2701
## 2000-01-05 0.2641
## 2000-01-06 0.2573
## 2000-01-07 0.2172
```

Interest Rates

The **interest rates** are given in the **\$rf** attribute. We can see that

Rf

```
##
                  [,1]
    [1,] 0.0007099993
##
   [2,] 0.0009799908
##
##
   [3,] 0.0012799317
##
    [4,] 0.0022393730
##
   [5,] 0.0034170792
   [6,] 0.0045123559
##
   [7,] 0.0043206525
##
##
    [8,] 0.0064284968
```

```
##
    [9,] 0.0090558654
## [10,] 0.0117237591
## [11,] 0.0141196498
## [12,] 0.0176131823
## [13,] 0.0207989304
## [14,] 0.0203526819
## attr(,"names")
   [1] "0.00273972602739726" "0.0192307692307692"
                                                      "0.08333333333333333
##
   [4] "0.25"
                               "0.5"
                                                      "0.75"
##
## [7] "1"
                               "2"
                                                      "3"
                               "5"
                                                      "7"
## [10] "4"
## [13] "10"
                               "30"
```

These represent the interest rates at different maturities. The maturities are given as follows:

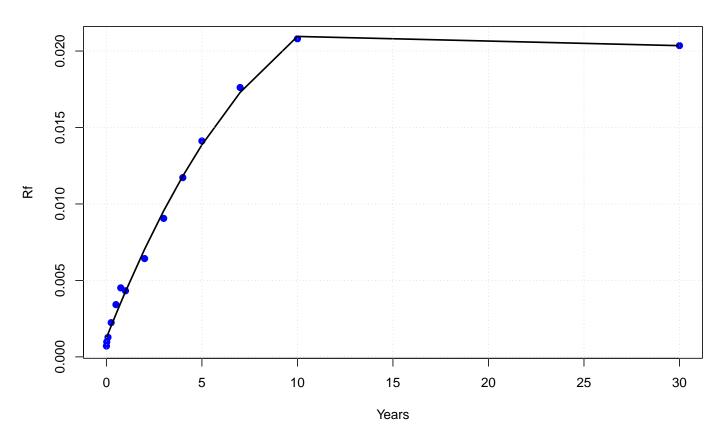
```
r f <- as.vector(Rf)
names(r_f) <- c("1d","1w", "1m", "2m", "3m", "6m", "9m", "1y", "3y", "4y", "5y", "7y", "10y", "30y")
r_f
##
             1d
                           1 w
                                         1m
                                                      2m
                                                                    3m
                                                                                 6m
## 0.0007099993 0.0009799908 0.0012799317 0.0022393730 0.0034170792 0.0045123559
##
                                        Зу
                                                      4y
                                                                   5у
                           1y
## 0.0043206525 0.0064284968 0.0090558654 0.0117237591 0.0141196498 0.0176131823
##
            10y
                          30y
## 0.0207989304 0.0203526819
```

Further, we can pack different sources of information in a matrix:

```
# pack Rf into a matrix with rf, years, and days
rf_mat <- as.matrix(r_f)
rf_mat <- cbind(rf_mat, as.numeric(names(Rf)))
rf_mat <- cbind(rf_mat, rf_mat[, 2]*360)
colnames(rf_mat) <- c("rf", "years", "days")
rf_mat</pre>
```

```
##
                rf
                          years
                                         days
## 1d
                    0.002739726
                                    0.9863014
      0.0007099993
      0.0009799908
                    0.019230769
                                    6.9230769
## 1w
      0.0012799317
                    0.083333333
                                   30.000000
## 1m
      0.0022393730
                                   90.0000000
## 2m
                    0.250000000
## 3m
      0.0034170792 0.500000000
                                  180.0000000
## 6m 0.0045123559
                    0.750000000
                                  270.0000000
## 9m
      0.0043206525 1.000000000
                                  360.0000000
## 1y 0.0064284968 2.000000000
                                  720.0000000
## 3y 0.0090558654 3.000000000
                                 1080.0000000
## 4y 0.0117237591 4.000000000
                                 1440.0000000
## 5y 0.0141196498 5.000000000
                                 1800.0000000
## 7y 0.0176131823 7.000000000
                                 2520.0000000
## 10y 0.0207989304 10.000000000 3600.0000000
## 30y 0.0203526819 30.000000000 10800.0000000
```

Term Structure of Risk-Free Rates



Calls

The calls object displays the different values of K (Strike Price), τ (time to maturity) and $\sigma = IV$ (Implied Volatilty)

dim(calls)

[1] 422 3

head(calls)

```
## K tau IV

## [1,] 1280 0.02557005 0.7370370

## [2,] 1370 0.02557005 0.9691616

## [3,] 1380 0.02557005 0.9451401

## [4,] 1400 0.02557005 0.5274481

## [5,] 1415 0.02557005 0.5083375

## [6,] 1425 0.02557005 0.4820041
```

Add days column for convenience:

```
calls <- cbind(calls, calls[, "tau"]*250)
colnames(calls) <- c("K","tau", "IV", "tau_days")
head(calls)</pre>
```

```
## K tau IV tau_days
## [1,] 1280 0.02557005 0.7370370 6.392513
## [2,] 1370 0.02557005 0.9691616 6.392513
## [3,] 1380 0.02557005 0.9451401 6.392513
```

```
## [4,] 1400 0.02557005 0.5274481 6.392513
## [5,] 1415 0.02557005 0.5083375 6.392513
## [6,] 1425 0.02557005 0.4820041 6.392513
tail(calls)
##
             K
                                IV tau_days
                    tau
## [417,] 1925 2.269406 0.1605208 567.3514
## [418,] 1975 2.269406 0.1602093 567.3514
## [419,] 2000 2.269406 0.1559909 567.3514
## [420,] 2100 2.269406 0.1480259 567.3514
## [421,] 2500 2.269406 0.1441222 567.3514
## [422,] 3000 2.269406 0.1519319 567.3514
Puts
dim(puts)
             3
## [1] 750
head(puts)
##
                                ΙV
           K
                    tau
## [1,] 1000 0.02557005 1.0144250
## [2,] 1025 0.02557005 1.0083110
## [3,] 1050 0.02557005 0.9622093
## [4,] 1075 0.02557005 0.9170457
## [5,] 1100 0.02557005 0.8728757
## [6,] 1120 0.02557005 0.8381910
puts <- cbind(puts, puts[, "tau"]*250)</pre>
colnames(puts) <- c("K","tau", "IV", "tau_days")</pre>
head(puts)
                    tau
##
                                IV tau_days
## [1,] 1000 0.02557005 1.0144250 6.392513
## [2,] 1025 0.02557005 1.0083110 6.392513
## [3,] 1050 0.02557005 0.9622093 6.392513
## [4,] 1075 0.02557005 0.9170457 6.392513
## [5,] 1100 0.02557005 0.8728757 6.392513
## [6,] 1120 0.02557005 0.8381910 6.392513
tail(puts)
             K
                                IV tau_days
                    tau
## [745,] 1750 2.269406 0.1899088 567.3514
## [746,] 1800 2.269406 0.1698365 567.3514
## [747,] 1825 2.269406 0.1986200 567.3514
## [748,] 1850 2.269406 0.1853406 567.3514
## [749,] 2000 2.269406 0.1520378 567.3514
## [750,] 3000 2.269406 0.2759397 567.3514
```

Pricing a Portfolio of Options

Black-Scholes

Notation:

- S_t = Current value of underlying asset price
- K = Options strike price
- T = Option maturity (in years)
- t =time in years
- $\tau = T t =$ Time to maturity
- r =Risk-free rate
- y Dividend yield
- R = r y
- $\sigma =$ Implied volatility
- c =Price Call Option
- p =Price Put Option

Proposition 1 (Black-Scholes Model). Assume the notation before, and let $N(\cdot)$ be the cumulative standard normal distribution function. Under certain assumptions, the Black-Scholes models prices Call and Put options as follows:

$$\begin{cases} C(S_t, t) = Se^{yT}N(d_1) - Ke^{-r \times \tau}N(d_2), \\ \\ P(S_t, t) = Ke^{-r \times \tau}(1 - N(d_2)) - Se^{y \times T}(1 - N(d_1)), \end{cases}$$

where:

$$\begin{cases} d_1 = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{S_t}{K}\right) + \tau\left(r + \frac{\sigma^2}{2}\right)}{\sigma\sqrt{\tau}} \\ d_2 = d_1 - \sigma\sqrt{\tau} \end{cases}$$

, further the Put Option price corresponds to the **Put-Call parity**, given by:

$$C(S_t, t) + Ke^{-r \times \tau} = P(S_t, t) + S_t$$

Note As here we don't have dividends, then y = 0, and so

$$\begin{cases} C(S_t, t) = S_t N(d_1) - K e^{-r \times \tau} N(d_2), \\ \\ P(S_t, t) = K e^{-r \times \tau} (1 - N(d_2)) - S_t (1 - N(d_1)), \end{cases}$$

Implementation

```
get_d1 <- function(S_t, K, tau, r, sigma){
    ### Compute d1 for the Black-Scholes model
    # INPUTS
# S_t: Current value of underlying asset price
# K: Strike Price
# tau: T- t, where T=maturity, and t=current time
# r: risk-free rate
# sigma Implied volatility (i.e. sigma)

num <- (log(S_t/K) - tau*(r + 0.5*sigma**2)) # numerator
denom <- sigma * sqrt(tau) # denominator

return(num/denom)</pre>
```

```
get_d2 <- function(d1, sigma, tau){</pre>
  ### Compute d2 for the Black-Scholes model
  # INPUTS
      d1: d1 factor calculated by the get_d1 function
      tau: T- t, where T=maturity, and t=current time
      sigma Implied volatility (i.e. sigma)
 return(d1 - sigma * sqrt(tau))
}
# Function to implement the Black-Scholes model
black_scholes <- function(S_t, K, r, tau, sigma, put=FALSE){</pre>
  # Calculates a Call (or Option) price using Black-Scholes
  # INPUTS
      S_{-}t:
                [numeric] Current value of underlying asset price
      K:
               [numeric] Strike Price
               [numeric] risk-free rate
  #
      tau:
               [numeric] T- t, where T=maturity, and t=current time
  #
               [numeric] Implied volatility (i.e. sigma)
  #
      put:
               [logical] if TRUE, calculate a Put, if FALSE, calculate a Call.
  #
               FALSE by default (Call).
  #
  # OUTPUTS:
     P or C: [numeric] Option value according to Black-scholes
  # calculate d1 & d2
  d1 <- get_d1(S_t, K, tau, r, sigma)</pre>
  d2 <- get_d2(d1, sigma, tau)
  if (put==TRUE) {
    # calculate a Put option
    P \leftarrow S_t * pnorm(d1) - K*exp(r*tau) * pnorm(d2)
    P <- as.numeric(P)
    return(P)
  # else calculate a Call option (default)
  C \leftarrow K*exp(r*tau)*(1 - pnorm(d2)) - S_t * (1 - pnorm(d1))
  return( as.numeric(C) )
}
# Test: Call Option
S_t = 100
K = 1600
r = 0.03
tau = 10/360
sigma = 1.05
black_scholes(S_t, K, r, tau, sigma)
```

[1] 1501.334

Book of Options

Assume the following book of European Call Options:

```
1. 1x strike K = 1600 with maturity T = 20d
2. 1x strike K = 1605 with maturity T = 40d
```

3. **1x** strike K = 1800 with maturity T = 40d

Find the price of this book given the last underlying price and the last implied volatility (take the VIX for all options). Use Black-Scholes to price the options. Take the current term structure and linearly interpolate to find the corresponding rates. Use 360 days/year for the term structure and 250 days/year for the maturity of the options.

Nearest values

This function will obtain the two nearest values a, b for a number x in a vector v, such that a < x < b.

```
# Obtain the two nearest values of x in vec.
get_nearest<- function(x, vec){</pre>
  # find all the numbers that are bigger and smaller than x in vec
  bigger <- vec >= x
  smaller <- vec <= x</pre>
  # filter only values with TRUE
  bigger <- bigger[bigger == TRUE]</pre>
  smaller <- smaller[smaller == TRUE]</pre>
  # obtain the indexes for the left and upper bound
  a_idx <- length(smaller)</pre>
  b_idx <- length(smaller)+1</pre>
  # retrieve values from original vector
  a <- vec[a idx]
  b <- vec[b_idx]</pre>
  # return the retrieved values
  return(c(a,b))
}
# Test
days <- rf_mat[, "days"]</pre>
get_nearest(40, rf_mat[, "days"]) # nearest day values
## 1m 2m
```

Linear Interpolation

30 90

Given two known values (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) , we can estimate the y-value for some x-value with:

$$y = y_1 + \frac{(x - x_1)(y_2 - y_1)}{(x_2 - x_1)}$$

```
# Function to interpolate y given two points
interpolate <- function(x,x1=1,y1=1,x2=2,y2=2){
  y1 + (x-x1)*(y2-y1)/(x2-x1)
}</pre>
```

Finding the rates through interpolation

The **yield curve** for the given structure of interest rates can be modeled a function $r_f = f(x)$, where x is the number of years. Then, we can interapolate the values as follows:

Interest rates

```
rf_mat
##
                           years
                                           days
                 rf
                                     0.9863014
## 1d 0.0007099993
                    0.002739726
      0.0009799908
                     0.019230769
                                     6.9230769
## 1w
## 1m
      0.0012799317
                     0.083333333
                                    30.000000
## 2m 0.0022393730 0.250000000
                                    90.0000000
## 3m 0.0034170792 0.500000000
                                  180.0000000
## 6m 0.0045123559 0.750000000
                                   270.0000000
## 9m 0.0043206525 1.000000000
                                   360.0000000
## 1y 0.0064284968 2.000000000
                                   720.0000000
## 3y 0.0090558654 3.000000000 1080.0000000
## 4y 0.0117237591 4.000000000 1440.0000000
## 5y 0.0141196498 5.000000000 1800.0000000
## 7y 0.0176131823 7.000000000 2520.0000000
## 10y 0.0207989304 10.000000000 3600.0000000
## 30y 0.0203526819 30.000000000 10800.0000000
head(calls)
                    tau
                               IV tau_days
## [1,] 1280 0.02557005 0.7370370 6.392513
## [2,] 1370 0.02557005 0.9691616 6.392513
## [3,] 1380 0.02557005 0.9451401 6.392513
## [4,] 1400 0.02557005 0.5274481 6.392513
## [5,] 1415 0.02557005 0.5083375 6.392513
## [6,] 1425 0.02557005 0.4820041 6.392513
ex.: 1x strike K = 1600 with maturity T = 20d
price_option <- function(T, K, calls, rf_mat, stock=NA, put=FALSE){</pre>
  # Calculates
  # INPUTS
      T:
                [numeric] maturity of option (in days)
  #
     K:
               [numeric] Strike Price
  #
      calls:
                [matrix] matrix containing information about tau and IV for different strike prices
  #
                    [matrix] matrix containing risk-free term structure
     rf\_mat:
  #
     stock:
                [xts OR zoo like object] object containing stock prices for a single stock
  #
      put:
               [logical] if TRUE, calculate a Put, if FALSE, calculate a Call.
  #
               FALSE by default (Call).
  #
  # OUTPUTS:
  #
     LIST containing:
  #
        - P or C: [numeric] Option value according to Black-scholes and available information
  #
        - r_interp: [numeric] Interpolated risk-free rate given risk-free term structure
  #
        - calls [matrix] relevant set of calls information
        - rates [matrix] relevant set of risk-free rates used for the interpolation
  # Inputs
  tau = T/250 # days --> years
  days_calls <- calls[,"tau_days"] # extract days column</pre>
  days_rf <- rf_mat[, "days"] # extract days from rf_mat</pre>
  # extract the calls values
  ab <- get_nearest(T, days_calls) # search lower and upper nearest days to T
  valid_days <- calls[, "tau_days"] == ab[1] | calls[, "tau_days"] == ab[2] # where match</pre>
  calls_sub <- calls[ valid_days, ] # subset valid rows</pre>
```

```
calls_sub <- calls_sub[calls_sub[,"K"]==K, ] # subset matching K</pre>
# test whether matrix is empty (i.e. no matching K found)
if(all(is.na(calls_sub))){
  warning("No values matching K in Calls data\n")
# extract interpolated risk rates
ab <- get_nearest(T, days_rf) # obtain nearest days to T available in rf_mat
valid days rf <- rf mat[, "days"] == ab[1] | rf mat[, "days"] == ab[2] # where match</pre>
rates <- rf_mat[valid_days_rf, ] # subset for valid days
# interpolate risk free rate for Option given maturity
r <- interpolate(tau,
                 x1=rates[1,2],
                 v1=rates[1,1],
                 x2=rates[2,2],
                 y2=rates[2,1])
# retrieve implied volatility for option
if(is.matrix(calls_sub)){
  # average between lower and upper values
  sigma <- (calls_sub[1, "IV"] + calls_sub[2, "IV"])/2</pre>
} else{
  # retrive from numeric vector (single match)
  sigma <- calls_sub["IV"]</pre>
# retrieve last price for option from VIx
S_t <- as.numeric( stock[length(stock)])</pre>
# Calculate Option price
if(put==TRUE){
 C <- NA
  P <- black_scholes(S_t, K, r, tau, sigma, put=TRUE)
}
else{
 C <- black_scholes(S_t, K, r, tau, sigma, put=FALSE)</pre>
 P <- NA
# pack everything into a List and return
return(list(Call = C,
            Put = P,
            r interp = r,
            calls = calls_sub, # subset of calls used
            rates = rates # subset of rates used
            ))
```

Next, using the function above we price the book of options given:

```
1. 1\mathbf{x} strike K = 1600 with maturity T = 20d
2. 1\mathbf{x} strike K = 1605 with maturity T = 40d
3. 1\mathbf{x} strike K = 1800 with maturity T = 40d
```

```
# First Call Option
price_option(T=20, K=1600, calls, rf_mat, stock = vix)
## $Call
## [1] 1600.017
##
## $Put
## [1] NA
##
## $r_interp
## [1] 0.001264335
##
## $calls
##
           K
                    tau
                                IV tau_days
## [1,] 1600 0.02557005 0.1817481 6.392513
## [2,] 1600 0.10228238 0.1701946 25.570595
##
## $rates
##
                rf
                         years
                                    days
## 1w 0.0009799908 0.01923077 6.923077
## 1m 0.0012799317 0.08333333 30.000000
# Second Call Option
price_option(T=40, K=1605, calls, rf_mat, stock = vix)
## $Call
## [1] 1605.297
##
## $Put
## [1] NA
##
## $r_interp
## [1] 0.001721275
##
## $calls
##
                                        ΙV
              K
                          tau
                                               tau_days
## 1605.0000000
                   0.1022824
                                 0.1676923
                                             25.5705949
##
## $rates
##
               rf
                       years days
## 1m 0.001279932 0.08333333
## 2m 0.002239373 0.25000000
                                90
# Third Call Option
price_option(T=40, K=1800, calls, rf_mat, stock = vix)
## $Call
## [1] 1800.35
##
## $Put
## [1] NA
##
## $r_interp
## [1] 0.001721275
##
## $calls
##
           K
                               IV tau_days
                   tau
## [1,] 1800 0.1022824 0.1057523 25.57059
```