

After developing we find that we need to solve the system: (to go one step backward in time)

$$\underbrace{\Pi_{(\theta-1)} f^{n+1}}_b = \underbrace{\Pi_{\theta} f^n}_{AX}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow AX = b$$

We start with $\Pi_{(\theta-1)} f^T = \Pi_{\theta} f^{T-1}$

↳ vector of payoffs at maturity

and go backward to find f^0 = vector of current premiums.

$$\Pi_{\theta} = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{\theta} \gamma_{\theta} & & & 0 \\ \alpha_{\theta} & \ddots & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \ddots & \gamma_{\theta} \\ & & \alpha_{\theta} & \beta_{\theta} \end{pmatrix} \text{ is a tridiagonal matrix}$$

with

$$\begin{cases} \alpha_{\theta} = -\frac{1}{2} \theta dt \left[\frac{\sigma^2}{dx^2} + \frac{\sigma^2 \cdot r}{2 dx} \right] \\ \beta_{\theta} = 1 + \theta dt \left[\frac{\sigma^2}{dx^2} + r \right] \\ \gamma_{\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \theta dt \left[-\frac{\sigma^2}{dx} + \frac{\sigma^2 \cdot r}{2 dx} \right] \end{cases}$$