

Homework 4

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Exercise 4.10

i

$$dX(t) = \Delta(t) + r(X(t) - \Delta(t)S(t))dt \quad (1)$$

$$X(t) = \Delta(t)S(t) + \Gamma(t)M(t) \quad (2)$$

Using Ito product rule

$$dX(t) = d(\Delta(t)S(t)) + d(\Gamma(t)M(t))$$

$$dX(t) = S(t)d\Delta(t) + \Delta(t)dS(t) + d\Delta(t)dS(t) + \Gamma(t)dM(t) + M(t)d\Gamma(t) + d\Gamma(t)dM(t) \quad (3)$$

$$(2) \rightarrow (1)$$

$$dX(t) = \Delta(t)dS(t) + r\Gamma(t)M(t)dt$$

$$dX(t) = \Delta(t)dS(t) + \Gamma(t)dM(t) \quad (4)$$

$$(3)-(4)$$

$$S(t)d\Delta(t) + d\Delta(t)dS(t) + M(t)d\Gamma(t) + d\Gamma(t)dM(t) = 0$$

ii

Using Ito product rule

$$N(t) = \Gamma(t)M(t)$$

$$dN(t) = d\Gamma(t)M(t) + \Gamma(t)dM(t) + d\Gamma(t)dM(t)$$

$$dN(t) = c_t(t, S(t))dt + c_x(t, S(t))dS(t) + \frac{1}{2}c_{xx}(t, S(t))dS(t)dS(t) \\ - \Delta(t)dS(t) - S(t)d\Delta(t) - d\Delta(t)dS(t)$$

put last two equations together and use continuous-time self financing condition

$$\begin{aligned}
& \Gamma(t)dM(t) + d\Gamma(t)M(t) + d\Gamma(t)dM(t) + S(t)d\Delta(t) + d\Delta(t)dS(t) \\
& = c_t(t, S(t))dt + c_x(t, S(t))dS(t) + \frac{1}{2}c_{xx}(t, S(t))dS(t)dS(t) - \Delta(t)dS(t) \\
\Gamma(t)dM(t) & = c_t(t, S(t))dt + c_x(t, S(t))dS(t) + \frac{1}{2}c_{xx}(t, S(t))dS(t)dS(t) - \Delta(t)dS(t) \\
\frac{N(t)}{M(t)}rM(t)dt & = [c_x(t, S(t)) - \Delta(t)]dS(t) + [c_t(t, S(t)) + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 S^2(t)c_{xx}(t, S(t))]dt
\end{aligned}$$

use the delta-hedging formula $\Delta(t) = c_x(t, S(t))$ to cancel out the $dS(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}
N(t)dt & = [c_t(t, S(t)) + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 S^2(t)c_{xx}(t, S(t))]dt \\
dN(t) & = [c_t(t, S(t)) + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 S^2(t)c_{xx}(t, S(t))]dt
\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
p(t, x) & = c(t, x) - f(t, x) \\
\Delta : p_x(t, x) & = c_x(t, x) - f_x(t, x) = N(d_+(T-t, x)) - 1 \\
\Gamma : p_{xx} & = c_{xx}(t, x) = N'(d_+(T-t, x)) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} d_+(T-t, x) \\
\Theta : p_t(t, x) & = c_t(t, x) - f_t(t, x) \\
& = -rke^{-r(T-t)}N(d_-(T-t, x)) - \frac{\sigma x}{2\sqrt{T-t}}N'(d_+(T-t, x)) + rke^{-r(T-t)} \\
& = rke^{-r(T-t)}(1 - N(d_-(T-t, x))) - \frac{\sigma x}{2\sqrt{T-t}}N'(d_+(T-t, x)) + rke^{-r(T-t)} \\
& = rke^{-r(T-t)}(N(-d_-(T-t, x))) - \frac{\sigma x}{2\sqrt{T-t}}N'(d_+(T-t, x)) + rke^{-r(T-t)}
\end{aligned}$$

ii

For an agent hedging a short position in the put for hold $p_x(t, x)$ shares of stock.

$p_x(t, x) = c_x(t, x) - f_x(t, x) = N(d_+(T-t, x)) - 1$, so $p_x < 0$, so he will short the underlying stock.

He will invest $p(t, St) - p_x(t, S(t))$ in the money account

$$\begin{aligned}
& p(t, St) - S(t)p_x(t, S(t)) \\
&= c(t, S(t)) - f(t, S(t)) - S(t)p_x(t, S(t)) \\
&= S(t)N(d_+(T-t, x)) - Ke^{-r(T-t)}N(d_-(T-t, x)) - S(t) \\
&+ Ke^{-r(T-t)} - S(t)(N(d_+(T-t, x)) - 1) \\
&= Ke^{-r(T-t)}(1 - N(d_-(T-t, x))) \\
&= Ke^{-r(T-t)}N(-d_-(T-t, x)) > 0
\end{aligned}$$

iii

$$\begin{aligned}
f(t, S(t)) &= S(t) - Ke^{-r(T-t)} \\
f_t &= -Kre^{-r(T-t)} \quad f_x = 1 \quad f_{xx} = 0 \\
f_t + rS(t)f_x(t, x) + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2x^2c_{xx}(t, x) \\
&= f_t + rS(t) = -Kre^{-r(T-t)} + rS(t) = rf(t, S(t))
\end{aligned}$$

so $f(t, S(t))$ satisfy Black-Scholes-Merton partial differential equation

Because $c(t, S(t))$ and $f(t, S(t))$ satisfy Black-Scholes-Merton partial differential equation, so $p(t, S(t)) = c(t, S(t)) - f(t, S(t))$ satisfy BSM PDE too

Exercise 4.13

$$\begin{aligned}
dB_1(t)dB_2(t) &= \rho(t)dt \\
dW_1(t) &= dB_1(t) \\
dW_2(t) &= -\frac{\rho(t)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_1(t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_2(t)
\end{aligned}$$

To show $W_1(t)$ and $W_2(t)$ are independent Brownian motions, we have to use "Levy, two dimensions". WTS $W_1(t), W_2(t)$ satisfy all the conditions of "Levy, two dimensions".

i) Martingale property

$$W_1(t) = B_1(t)$$

$$W_2(t) = -\int_0^t \frac{\rho(u)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(u)}}dB_1(u) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(u)}}dB_2(u)$$

Because $B_1(t)$ is a Brownian motion, so $W_1(t) = B_1(t)$ is a Brownian motion too, it has martingale property. Because Ito integral is a martingale, so we have $W_2(t)$ has martingale property.

ii) Starting at zero

$$\begin{aligned} W_1(0) &= B_1(0) = 0 \\ W_2(0) &= - \int_0^0 \frac{\rho(u)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(u)}} dB_1(u) + \int_0^0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(u)}} dB_2(u) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

so we have $W_1(0) = 0, W_2(0) = 0$

iii) Continuity

$W_1(t)$ is a Brownian motion, so it has continuous paths

Ito integral has continuous paths, so $W_2(t)$ has continuous paths

iv) Unit quadratic variation

$$dW_1(t)dW_1(t) = dB_1(t)dB_1(t)$$

Because $B_1(t)$ is a Brownian motion, so $dB_1(t)dB_1(t) = t$, so $dW_1(t)dW_1(t) = t$

$$\begin{aligned} & dW_2(t)dW_2(t) \\ &= \left(-\frac{\rho(t)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_1(t)\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_2(t)\right)^2 - 2\frac{\rho(t)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_1(t)\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_2(t) \\ &= \frac{\rho^2(t)}{1-\rho^2(t)}dt + \frac{1}{1-\rho^2(t)}dt - 2\frac{\rho^2(t)}{1-\rho^2(t)}dt \\ &= \frac{1-\rho^2(t)}{1-\rho^2(t)}dt \\ &= dt \end{aligned}$$

v) Zero cross variation

$$\begin{aligned} dW_1(t)dW_2(t) &= dB_1(t)\left(-\frac{\rho(t)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_1(t) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dB_2(t)\right) \\ &= -\frac{\rho(t)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dt + \frac{\rho(t)}{\sqrt{1-\rho^2(t)}}dt \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Using "Levy, two dimensions", we have $W_1(t), W_2(t)$ are independent Brownian motions.

Exercise 4.14

i

$$Z_j = f''(W(t_j))[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2 - (t_{j+1} - t_j)]$$

Because $f''(W(t_j))$, $(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2$ is $\mathbb{F}(t_{j+1})$ -measurable, so Z_j is $\mathbb{F}(t_{j+1})$ -measurable too.

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[Z_j | \mathbb{F}(t_j)] &= \mathbb{E}[f''(W(t_j))[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2 - (t_{j+1} - t_j)] | \mathbb{F}(t_j)] \\ &= f''(W(t_j))\mathbb{E}[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2 - (t_{j+1} - t_j) | \mathbb{F}(t_j)] \\ &\quad (\text{"Taking out what is known"}) \\ &= f''(W(t_j))\mathbb{E}[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2 - (t_{j+1} - t_j)] \\ &\quad (\text{"Independence"}) \\ &= -(t_{j+1} - t_j)f''(W(t_j)) + (\text{Var}[W(t_j) - W(t_j)] - (\mathbb{E}[W(t_j) - W(t_j)])^2)f''(W(t_j)) \\ &= -(t_{j+1} - t_j)f''(W(t_j)) + (t_{j+1} - t_j + 0)f''(W(t_j)) \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[(Z_j)^2 | \mathbb{F}(t_j)] &= \mathbb{E}[(f''(W(t_j)))^2[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^4 + (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 - 2(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2(t_{j+1} - t_j)] | \mathbb{F}(t_j)] \\ &= (f''(W(t_j)))^2\mathbb{E}[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^4 + (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 - 2(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2(t_{j+1} - t_j) | \mathbb{F}(t_j)] \\ &\quad (\text{"Taking out what is known"}) \\ &= (f''(W(t_j)))^2\mathbb{E}[(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^4 + (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 - 2(W(t_j) - W(t_j))^2(t_{j+1} - t_j)] \\ &\quad (\text{"Independence"}) \\ &= (f''(W(t_j)))^2\mathbb{E}[3(t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 + (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2 - 2((t_{j+1} - t_j)^2)] \\ &= 2(f''(W(t_j)))^2(t_{j+1} - t_j)^2\end{aligned}$$

(The fourth moment of a normal random variable with zero mean is three times its variance squared)

ii

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} Z_j\right] &= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[Z_j] \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}[Z_j | \mathbb{F}(t_j)]] \\ &= n * 0 \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

iii

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Var}\left[\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} Z_j\right] &= \mathbb{E}\left[\left(\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} Z_j\right)^2\right] - \left(\mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} Z_j\right]\right)^2 \\
&= \mathbb{E}\left[\left(\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} Z_j\right)^2\right] \\
&= \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (Z_j)^2 + 2 \sum_{0 \leq i < j \leq n-1} Z_i Z_j\right] \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[(Z_j)^2] + 2 \sum_{0 \leq i < j \leq n-1} \mathbb{E}[Z_i Z_j] \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}[(Z_j)^2 | \mathbb{F}t_j]] + 2 \sum_{0 \leq i < j \leq n-1} \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}[Z_i | \mathbb{F}(t_i)] \mathbb{E}[Z_j | \mathbb{F}(t_j)]] \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[2(f''(W(t_j)))^2 (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2] \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[2(f''(W(t_j)))^2 (t_{j+1} - t_j)^2] \\
&\leq \max_{0 \leq j \leq n-1} |t_{j+1} - t_j| \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[2(f''(W(t_j)))^2 (t_{j+1} - t_j)] \\
&= \lim_{\pi \rightarrow 0} 2\pi \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[(f''(W(t_j)))^2 (t_{j+1} - t_j)] \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

$$(\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbb{E}[(f''(W(t_j)))^2 (t_{j+1} - t_j)] < \infty)$$

Exercise 4.15

i

Use "Levy, one dimension" to prove B_i is a Brownian motion

Because $(W_1(t), \dots, W_d(t))$ is a d-dimensional Brownian motion, so $(W_1(0), \dots, W_d(0)) = 0$, so $\sigma_{1j} = 0$, $j=1, \dots, d$, so $B_i(0) = 0$

$B_i(t)$ is a sum of Ito integrals, so it has the continuity and the martingale property.

$$dB_i(t) = \frac{1}{\sigma_i(t)} \sum_{j=1}^d \sigma_{ij}(t) dW_j(t)$$

$$dB_i(t)dB_i(t) = \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2(t)} \sum_{j=1}^d \sigma_{ij}^2(t) dt = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^d \sigma_{ij}^2(t)}{\sum_{j=1}^d \sigma_{ij}^2(t)} dt = dt$$

SO B_i satisfies all condition of "Levy, one dimension", so it is a Brownian motion

ii

For $W_i(t), W_j(t), i \neq j$, they are independent, so $dW_i(t)dW_j(t) = 0, i \neq j$

$$\begin{aligned} dB_i(t)dB_i(t) &= \left[\sum_{j=1}^d \frac{\sigma_{ij}(t)}{\sigma_i(t)} dW_j(t) \right] \left[\sum_{l=1}^d \frac{\sigma_{il}(t)}{\sigma_i(t)} dW_l(t) \right] \\ &= \left[\sum_{j=1}^d \frac{\sigma_{ij}(t)}{\sigma_i(t)} dW_j(t) \right] \left[\frac{\sigma_{ik}(t)}{\sigma_k(t)} dW_k(t) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma_i(t)\sigma_k(t)} \sum_{j=1}^d \sigma_{ij}\sigma_{kj} dt \\ &= \rho_{ik}(t) dt \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 4.18

i

Let $\zeta(t, x) = \exp\{-\theta x - (r + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2)t\}$. We have

$$\frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial t} = -(r + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2)\zeta(t, x), \quad \frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial x} = -\theta\zeta(t, x), \quad \frac{\partial^2 \zeta}{\partial x^2} = \theta^2\zeta(t, x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} d\zeta(t) &= d\zeta(t, W(t)) \\ &= \frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial t} dt + \frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial x} dW(t) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 \zeta}{\partial x^2} dW^2(t) \\ &= -(r + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2)\zeta(t)dt - \theta\zeta(t)dW(t) + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2\zeta(t)dt \\ &= -r\zeta(t)dt - \theta\zeta(t)dW(t) \end{aligned}$$

ii

$$\begin{aligned}d(\zeta(t)X(t)) &= \zeta(t)dX(t) + X(t)d\zeta(t) + dX(t)d\zeta(t) \\&= rX(t)\zeta(t)dt + \delta(t)(\alpha - r)S(t)\zeta(t)dt + \delta(t)\sigma S(t)\zeta(t)dW(t) \\&\quad - X(t)r\zeta(t)dt - X(t)\theta\zeta(t)dW(t) - \theta\zeta(t)\delta(t)\sigma S(t)dt \\&= \zeta(t)(\delta(t)\sigma S(t) - \theta X(t))dW(t)\end{aligned}$$

So we have

$$\zeta(t)X(t) = \zeta(0)X(0) + \int_0^t \zeta(u)(\delta(u)\sigma S(u) - \theta X(u))dW(u)$$

So $\zeta(t)X(t)$ is Ito integral, it is a martingale

iii

Let $\theta(t)$ be an adapted portfolio process satisfy $X(t)=V(t)$

$$\zeta(0)X(0) = \exp\{-\theta W(0) - (r + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2)0\}X(0) = X(0)$$

Because $\zeta(t)X(t)$ is a martingale, hence it has constant expectation.

$$\begin{aligned}\zeta(0)X(0) &= \mathbb{E}[\zeta(t)X(t)] \\X(0) &= \mathbb{E}[\zeta(t)V(t)]\end{aligned}$$