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Solⁿ (4): 1) $\frac{\partial v}{\partial t} = s \frac{\partial H}{\partial t}(R, t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial v}{\partial s} &= H(R, t) + s \frac{\partial H(R, t)}{\partial s} = H(R, t) + s \frac{\partial H(R, t)}{\partial R} \frac{\partial R}{\partial s} \\ &= H(R, t) + s \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} \left(-\frac{A}{s^2} \right) \\ &= H(R, t) - \frac{R \partial H}{s \cdot \partial R} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial s^2} &= \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} \times \frac{\partial R}{\partial s} - \frac{\partial R}{\partial s} \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} - R \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial s \partial R} \\ &= -\frac{A}{s^2} \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} + \frac{A}{s^2} \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} + \frac{A^2}{s^3} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} \\ &= \frac{A^2}{s^3} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial V}{\partial A} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial R}$$

Substituting all derivatives in the original eqⁿ.

$$S \cdot \frac{\partial H(R,t)}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma^2 S^2 A^2}{S^3} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} + RS \left(H(R,t) - R \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} \right) + S \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} - rV = 0$$

\Rightarrow Taking S common and putting $R = A/S$.

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial t} + \frac{\sigma^2 R^2}{2} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} + rV - rR \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} + \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} - rV = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} + \frac{\sigma^2 R^2}{2} \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} + (1 - rR) \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} = 0$$

Hence eqⁿ is obtained.

Now Obtaining boundary condⁿs:

→ from the payoff we can say that
for $R \rightarrow \infty$

$$H(R, T) = \left(1 - \frac{R_T}{T}\right)^4$$

$$\Rightarrow H(R_T, T) = 0 \text{ for } R_T \rightarrow \infty$$

$\therefore R_T$ is bounded, hence $S \rightarrow 0$ for $R \rightarrow \infty$
for $S \rightarrow 0$, option won't be exercised

$$\Rightarrow H(R, T) = 0 \text{ for } R \rightarrow \infty$$

Now for $R \rightarrow 0$ we can prove that $R^2 \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} \rightarrow 0$ if $H \rightarrow \text{bounded}$.

for proof assume $H \rightarrow \text{bounded}$.

$$\text{and } R^2 \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} = O\left(\frac{1}{R^2}\right) \Rightarrow H = O(\log R) + R_1 R + R_2$$

$R_1, R_2 \rightarrow \text{some constants}$

But if $R \rightarrow 0$ we will have $\log R \rightarrow -\infty$ which means H is not bounded. Hence contradiction.

Hence, if H is ^{then} bounded $\sim R^2 \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} \rightarrow 0$ as $R \rightarrow 0$.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Boundary cond}^n \text{ is } \frac{\partial H}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} = 0 \text{ for } R \rightarrow 0$$

Summarizing all boundary and terminal condⁿs. for

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 R^2 \frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial R^2} + (1 - R R) \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} = 0$$

$H = 0$ for $R \rightarrow \infty$.

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial H}{\partial R} = 0 \quad \text{for } R = 0$$

$$H(R_T, T) = \left(1 - \frac{R_T}{T}\right)^+$$

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Solⁿ (5): Strong order of convergence of a numerical scheme. In SDE:

We say that a discretization \hat{X} has strong order of convergence $\beta > 0$ if

$$E[\|\hat{X}(nh) - X(T)\|] \leq ch^\beta$$

for some constant c and all sufficiently small h .

Weak order of convergence.

We say a discretization \hat{X} has weak order of convergence β if

$$|E[f(\hat{X}(nh))] - E[f(X(T))]| \leq ch^\beta$$

for some constant c and all sufficiently small h .

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Solⁿ (6): given DDE

$$\begin{cases} dx(t) = a(x(t))dt + b(x(t))dw(t) \\ x(0) = x_0 \end{cases}$$

So solve:

we associate some operators:-

$$L^0 = \frac{a}{dx} + \frac{1}{2} b^2 \frac{d^2}{dx^2}, \quad L^1 = b \frac{d}{dx}$$

for any $f(x)$

$$L^0 f(x) = a(x) f'(x) + \frac{1}{2} b^2(x) f''(x)$$

$$L^1 f(x) = b(x) f'(x)$$

Applying Ito's

$$df(x(t)) = L^0 f(x(t)) dt + L^1 f(x(t)) dw(t)$$

$$\text{Hence } \Rightarrow L^0 = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{2} b^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$$

take interval $[t, t+h]$, using the original given eqⁿ.

$$x(t+h) = x(t) + \int_t^{t+h} a(x(u)) du + \int_t^{t+h} b(x(u)) dw(u) \rightarrow (1)$$

using approximation:-

$$a(x(u)) \approx a(x(t)) \text{ for } u \in [t, t+h]$$

apply ito's to $a(x(u))$:

$$a(x(u)) = a(x(t)) + \int_t^u L^0 a(x(s)) ds + \int_t^u L^1 a(x(s)) dw(s)$$

Apply Euler approximation to both integrals as well.

$$h^0(a(x(s))) \approx h^0(a(x(t))) \quad , \quad h^1(a(x(s))) \approx h^1(a(x(t)))$$

$$a(x(u)) \approx a(x(t)) + h^0 a(x(t)) \int_t^u ds + h^1 a(x(t)) \int_t^u d\omega(s)$$

So now from (1): putting $a(x(u))$ in 1st integral:

$$\int_t^{t+h} a(x(s)) ds \approx a(x(t)) h + h^0 a(x(t)) \int_t^{t+h} \int_t^u ds du + h^1 a(x(t)) \int_t^{t+h} \int_t^u d\omega(s) du$$

$$= a(x(t)) h + h^0 a(x(t)) I_{0,0} + h^1 a(x(t)) I_{1,0}$$

where $I_{0,0}, I_{1,0}$ are double integrals. Hence we get approx value for the 1st integral for (1).

Now approximating $b(x(u))$

Similarly like $a(x(t))$ we have

$$b(x(u)) \approx b(x(t)) + \int_t^u h^0 b(x(s)) ds + \int_t^u h^1 b(x(s)) d\omega(s) \\ \approx b(x(t)) + h^0 b(x(t)) \int_t^u ds + h^1 b(x(t)) \int_t^u d\omega(s)$$

Now integral approximation:-

$$\int_t^{t+h} b(x(u)) d\omega(u) \approx b(x(t)) [\omega(t+h) - \omega(t)] \\ \approx b(x(t)) h + h^0 b(x(t)) \int_t^{t+h} \int_t^u ds d\omega(u) + h^1 b(x(t)) \int_t^{t+h} \int_t^u d\omega(s) d\omega(u)$$

$$= b(x(t)) [w(t+h) - w(t)] + L^0 b(x(t)) I_{(0,1)} + w(b(x(t))) I_{(1,1)}$$

where again $I_{(0,1)}, I_{(1,1)}$ are double integrals.

Hence putting both the obtained approximate integral in the original equation:-

$$x(t+h) \approx x(t) + ah + b\Delta w + (aa' + \frac{1}{2}b'a'') I_{(0,0)} + (ab' + \frac{1}{2}b^2b'') I_{(0,1)} + ba' I_{(1,0)} + bb' I_{(1,1)}$$

$$\text{where } \Delta w = w(t+h) - w(t)$$

Hence reqⁿ portion is to compute the double integrals.

$$I_{(0,0)} = \int_t^{t+h} \int_t^{t+h} ds du = \frac{1}{2} h^2$$

$$I_{(1,1)} = \int_t^{t+h} (w(u) - w(t)) dw(u) = \frac{1}{2} [w(t+h) - w(t)]^2 - h$$

Apply Ito's formula to $tw(t)$:-

$$I_{(0,1)} = tw(t+h) - \int_t^{t+h} w(u) du$$

$$\equiv tw(t+h) - tw(t) - \int_t^{t+h} (w(u) - w(t)) du$$

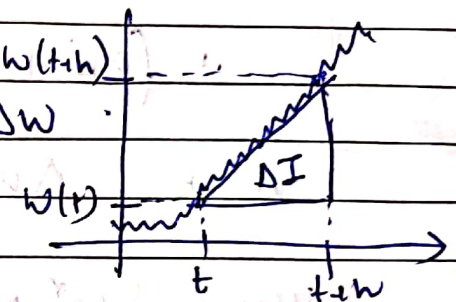
$$= h\Delta w - I_{(1,0)}$$

Now we need to compute $I_{(1,0)}$ in order to compute $I_{(0,1)}$.

where $I_{(1,0)} = \int_t^{t+h} [w(u) - w(t)] du$

we can observe that given $w(t)$ the area $I_{(1,0)}$ and $\Delta w = w(t+h) - w(t)$ are jointly normal with mean = 0 and conditional variance of $\Delta w = h$ and that of $I_{(1,0)} = h^3/3$. we need to find their covariance.

firstly:

$$E[I_{(1,0)} | w(t), \Delta w] = \frac{1}{2} h \Delta w$$


using figure we can have $\Rightarrow E[I_{(1,0)} \Delta w] = \frac{1}{2} h^2$

So we can write the joint fxn as:-

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Delta w \\ \Delta I \end{pmatrix} \sim N(0, M) \text{ where } M = \begin{pmatrix} h & 1/2 h^2 \\ 1/2 h^2 & h^3/3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence we can write the 2nd order scheme as:

~~$\hat{x}(i+1)h$~~

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{x}((i+1)h) = & \hat{x}(ih) + ah + b\Delta w + \left(ab' + \frac{1}{2}b^2b''\right) \frac{(h\Delta w - \Delta I)}{2} \\ & + a'b\Delta I + \frac{1}{2}bb'[\Delta w^2 - h] + \left(ac' + \frac{1}{2}b^2a''\right) \frac{1}{2}h^2. \end{aligned}$$

with the functions a, b and their derivatives all evaluated at $\hookrightarrow \hat{x}(ih)$.

Hence, the 2nd order scheme could be derived.