

# bsm\_geometric\_asian\_option

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## Black and Scholes formula

Recall that BS model assumes the distribution of stock as lognormal. In particular, it writes

$$\ln \frac{S(T)}{S(0)} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\left(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2\right)T, \sigma^2 T\right)$$

with respect to risk neutral measure. In the above, the parameters stand for

- $S(0)$ : The initial stock price
- $S(T)$ : The stock price at  $T$
- $r$ : interest rate
- $\sigma$ : volatility

The call and put price with maturity  $T$  and  $K$  will be known as  $C_0$  and  $P_0$  given as below:

$$C_0 = \mathbb{E}[e^{-rT}(S(T) - K)^+] = S_0 e^{-\delta T} \Phi(d_1) - K e^{-rT} \Phi(d_2),$$

and

$$P_0 = \mathbb{E}[e^{-rT}(S(T) - K)^-] = K e^{-rT} \Phi(-d_2) - S_0 e^{-\delta T} \Phi(-d_1),$$

where  $d_i$  are given as

$$d_1 = \frac{(r + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T - \ln \frac{K}{S_0}}{\sigma\sqrt{T}},$$

and

$$d_2 = \frac{(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T - \ln \frac{K}{S_0}}{\sigma\sqrt{T}},$$

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Find BS call and put price for the given parameters below

In [1]: *#An example is given here*

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s0 = 100.0
K = 110.0
r=0.0475
sigma = 0.20
maturity = 1.
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In [2]: import numpy as np
from contract_v01 import VanillaOption
from sde_1d_v01 import Sde_1d, Gbm_1d
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In [3]: #initiate option and sde instances
option1 = VanillaOption(otype = 1, strike = 110., maturity= 1., market_price=15.)
option2 = VanillaOption(otype = -1, strike = 110., maturity= 1., market_price=15.)
gbm1 = Gbm1d(init_state=100., drift_ratio=.0475, vol_ratio=.2)
maturity = option1.maturity
print('>>>>>>>> Exact call value is ' + str(gbm1.bsm_price(option1)))
print('>>>>>>>> Exact put value is ' + str(gbm1.bsm_price(option2)))

>>>>>>>> Exact call value is 5.943273183452838
>>>>>>>> Exact put value is 10.84042522804176
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### Application to Geometric asian option price

Geometric asian call option with maturity  $T$  and strick  $K$  has its pay off as

$$C(T) = (A(T) - K)^+,$$

where  $A(T)$  is geometric average of the stock price at times  $0 \leq t_1 < t_2, \dots, < t_n = T$ , i.e.

$$A(T) = (S(t_1)S(t_2) \dots S(t_n))^{1/n}.$$

The call price can be thus written by

$$C_0 = \mathbb{E}[e^{-rT}(A(T) - K)^+].$$

We set  $t_0 = 0$ . Under the above BS model, one can show that the distribution of  $A(T)$  is again a lognormal in the form of

$$\ln \frac{A(T)}{S(0)} \sim \mathcal{N}(\hat{\mu}T, \hat{\sigma}^2T),$$

where

$$\mu = r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2$$

$$\hat{\mu}T = \frac{\mu}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n t_i,$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2T = \frac{\sigma^2}{n^2} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} (n-j)^2 (t_{j+1} - t_j).$$

Therefore, we can rewrite the price formula as, with  $Z \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$

$$C_0 = \mathbb{E}[e^{-rT}(S(0)e^{\hat{\mu}T + \hat{\sigma}\sqrt{T}Z} - K)^+] = e^{(\hat{r}-r)T} BSM(S(0), \hat{r}, \hat{\sigma}, K, T, call)$$

with

$$\hat{r} = \hat{\mu} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{\sigma}^2.$$

Put formula is similar.

$$P_0 = \mathbb{E}[e^{-rT}(S(0)e^{\hat{\mu}T + \hat{\sigma}\sqrt{T}Z} - K)^-] = e^{(\hat{r}-r)T} BSM(S(0), \hat{r}, \hat{\sigma}, K, T, put)$$

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If the time stepsize is uniform  $m$  partitions on  $[0, T]$  for the geometric asian option, the average points include actually  $n = m + 1$  points:

$$t_i = \frac{T}{m}(i - 1), \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, m + 1,$$

Note that  $t_1 = 0$ . Then one can determine  $\hat{r}$  and  $\hat{\mu}$  as follows:

$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{\mu}{2}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\sigma^2(2m + 1)}{6(m + 1)}$$

$$\hat{r} = \hat{\mu} + \frac{1}{2}\hat{\sigma}^2.$$

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In [5]: '''=====
Test BSM geometric asian option price
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gbm1 = Gbm_1d(init_state=100., drift_ratio=0.0475, vol_ratio=.2)
gao1 = gbm1.bsm_geometric_asian_price(
    otype = 1,
    strike = 110.,
    maturity = 1,
    num_step = 4
)

print('>>>>> geometric call option value is ' + str(gao1))

>>>>> geometric call option value is 1.607164727431734
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