

Homework 1 – FE621

Full Code attached to the Assignment

Part 1 – Data Gathering

I used Yahoo Finance for this, with the Python package yfinance, I pulled daily closing prices for SPY, TSLA, and ^VIX, as well as Option chains. To fulfill the task, I used February 12 and 13 for both SPY and TSLA.

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Symbol: TSLA
Day 1: 2026-02-12, Close: $417.07
Day 2: 2026-02-13, Close: $417.44
Option expirations: ['2026-02-18', '2026-02-20', '2026-02-23']

Symbol: SPY
Day 1: 2026-02-12, Close: $681.27
Day 2: 2026-02-13, Close: $681.75
Option expirations: ['2026-02-17', '2026-02-18', '2026-02-19']

Symbol: ^VIX
Day 1: 2026-02-13, Close: $20.60
Day 2: 2026-02-16, Close: $21.20

✓ Data download complete!
Risk-free rate: 4.33%
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- TSLA is a common stock of Tesla, an EV car producer traded on the NASDAQ.
- The SPDR S&P500 ETF Trust has the ticker symbol SPY. ETF refers to a security that gets traded but with multiple underlying assets.
- ^VIX refers to the CBOE Volatility Index, which is a measurement of market forward volatility (30 days) in the S&P.
- **Notes:** Multiple different maturities exist, and different horizons collide, which improves the overall liquidity in the market.

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Part 2 - Black-Scholes, Implied Vol., Greeks

Problem 5:

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Sample parameters:  
S=$100.0, K=$105.0, T=0.5 years, r=5.00%, sigma=25.00%  
  
--- Problem 5 ---  
Call: $5.9885  
Put: $8.3960  
  
Put-Call parity check:  
C - P = -2.407541  
S - K e^(-rT) = -2.407541  
Difference = 0.00000000
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class BS:  
    @staticmethod  
    def d1(S, K, T, r, sigma):  
        return (np.log(S / K) + (r + 0.5 * sigma**2) * T) / (sigma * np.sqrt(T))  
  
    @staticmethod  
    def d2(S, K, T, r, sigma):  
        return BS.d1(S, K, T, r, sigma) - sigma * np.sqrt(T)  
  
    @staticmethod  
    def call(S, K, T, r, sigma):  
        d1 = BS.d1(S, K, T, r, sigma)  
        d2 = BS.d2(S, K, T, r, sigma)  
        return float(S * norm.cdf(d1) - K * np.exp(-r * T) * norm.cdf(d2))  
  
    @staticmethod  
    def put(S, K, T, r, sigma):  
        d1 = BS.d1(S, K, T, r, sigma)  
        d2 = BS.d2(S, K, T, r, sigma)  
        return float(K * np.exp(-r * T) * norm.cdf(-d2) - S * norm.cdf(-d1))  
  
    @staticmethod  
    def vega(S, K, T, r, sigma):  
        d1 = BS.d1(S, K, T, r, sigma)  
        return float(S * np.sqrt(T) * norm.pdf(d1))
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Problem 6-7:

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def bisection(self, market_price, S, K, T, r, kind="call"):
    lo, hi = 0.01, 5.0
    it = 0
    for _ in range(self.max_iter):
        it += 1
        mid = 0.5 * (lo + hi)
        price = BS.call(S, K, T, r, mid) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S, K, T, r, mid)
        if abs(price - market_price) < self.tol:
            return mid, it
        if price > market_price:
            hi = mid
        else:
            lo = mid
    return 0.5 * (lo + hi), it

def newton(self, market_price, S, K, T, r, kind="call"):
    sigma = 0.5
    it = 0
    for _ in range(self.max_iter):
        it += 1
        price = BS.call(S, K, T, r, sigma) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S, K, T, r, sigma)
        diff = price - market_price
        if abs(diff) < self.tol:
            return sigma, it

        v = BS.vega(S, K, T, r, sigma)
        if abs(v) < 1e-10:
            # if vega is basically 0 then Newton is unstable
            return sigma, it

        sigma_new = sigma - diff / v
        sigma_new = max(0.001, min(5.0, float(sigma_new)))

        if abs(sigma_new - sigma) < self.tol:
            return sigma_new, it
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Problem 11:

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class Greeks:
    @staticmethod
    def delta(S, K, T, r, sigma, kind="call"):
        d1 = BS.d1(S, K, T, r, sigma)
        return float(norm.cdf(d1) if kind == "call" else norm.cdf(d1) - 1.0)

    @staticmethod
    def gamma(S, K, T, r, sigma):
        d1 = BS.d1(S, K, T, r, sigma)
        return float(norm.pdf(d1) / (S * sigma * np.sqrt(T)))

    @staticmethod
    def vega(S, K, T, r, sigma):
        return BS.vega(S, K, T, r, sigma)

    @staticmethod
    def delta_cd(S, K, T, r, sigma, kind="call", h=0.01):
        up = BS.call(S + h, K, T, r, sigma) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S + h, K, T, r, sigma)
        dn = BS.call(S - h, K, T, r, sigma) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S - h, K, T, r, sigma)
        return float((up - dn) / (2.0 * h))

    @staticmethod
    def gamma_cd(S, K, T, r, sigma, kind="call", h=0.01):
        up = BS.call(S + h, K, T, r, sigma) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S + h, K, T, r, sigma)
        mid = BS.call(S, K, T, r, sigma) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S, K, T, r, sigma)
        dn = BS.call(S - h, K, T, r, sigma) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S - h, K, T, r, sigma)
        return float((up - 2.0 * mid + dn) / (h**2))

    @staticmethod
    def vega_cd(S, K, T, r, sigma, kind="call", h=0.01):
        up = BS.call(S, K, T, r, sigma + h) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S, K, T, r, sigma + h)
        dn = BS.call(S, K, T, r, sigma - h) if kind == "call" else BS.put(S, K, T, r, sigma - h)
        return float((up - dn) / (2.0 * h))
```

Real Data TSLA:

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Stock Price (S): $417.07
Risk-free rate (r): 4.33%
As-of date: 2026-02-12

--- Maturity 1: 2026-02-18 ---
Time to maturity: 0.0164 years (6 days)
Valid options: 60

--- Maturity 2: 2026-02-20 ---
Time to maturity: 0.0219 years (8 days)
Valid options: 101

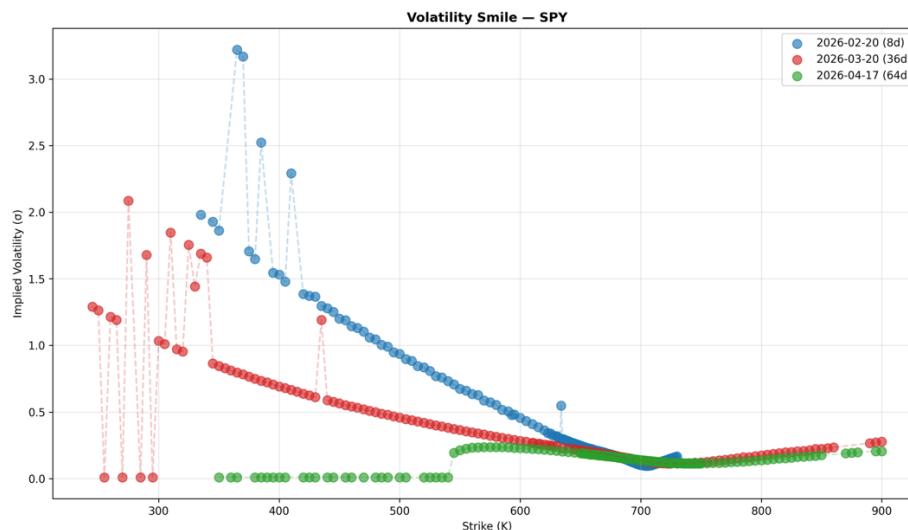
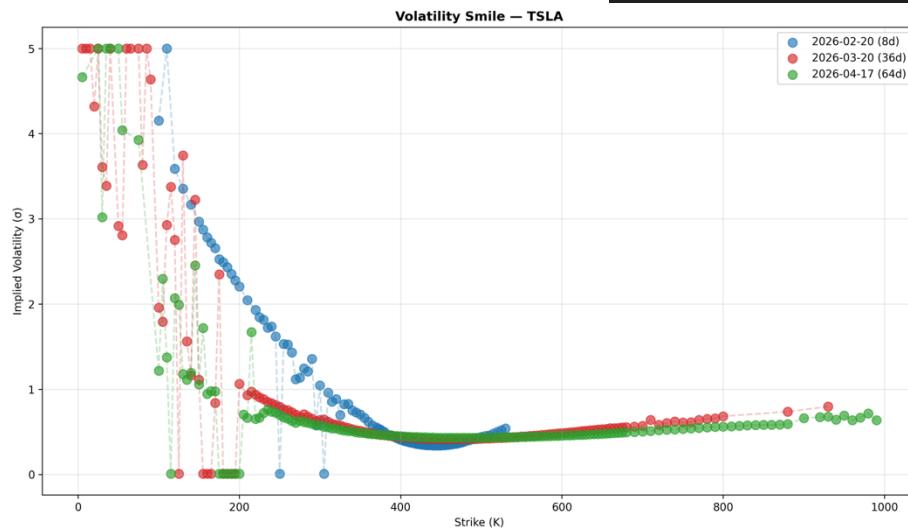
--- Maturity 3: 2026-02-23 ---
Time to maturity: 0.0301 years (11 days)
Valid options: 42
  
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Average IV by maturity:

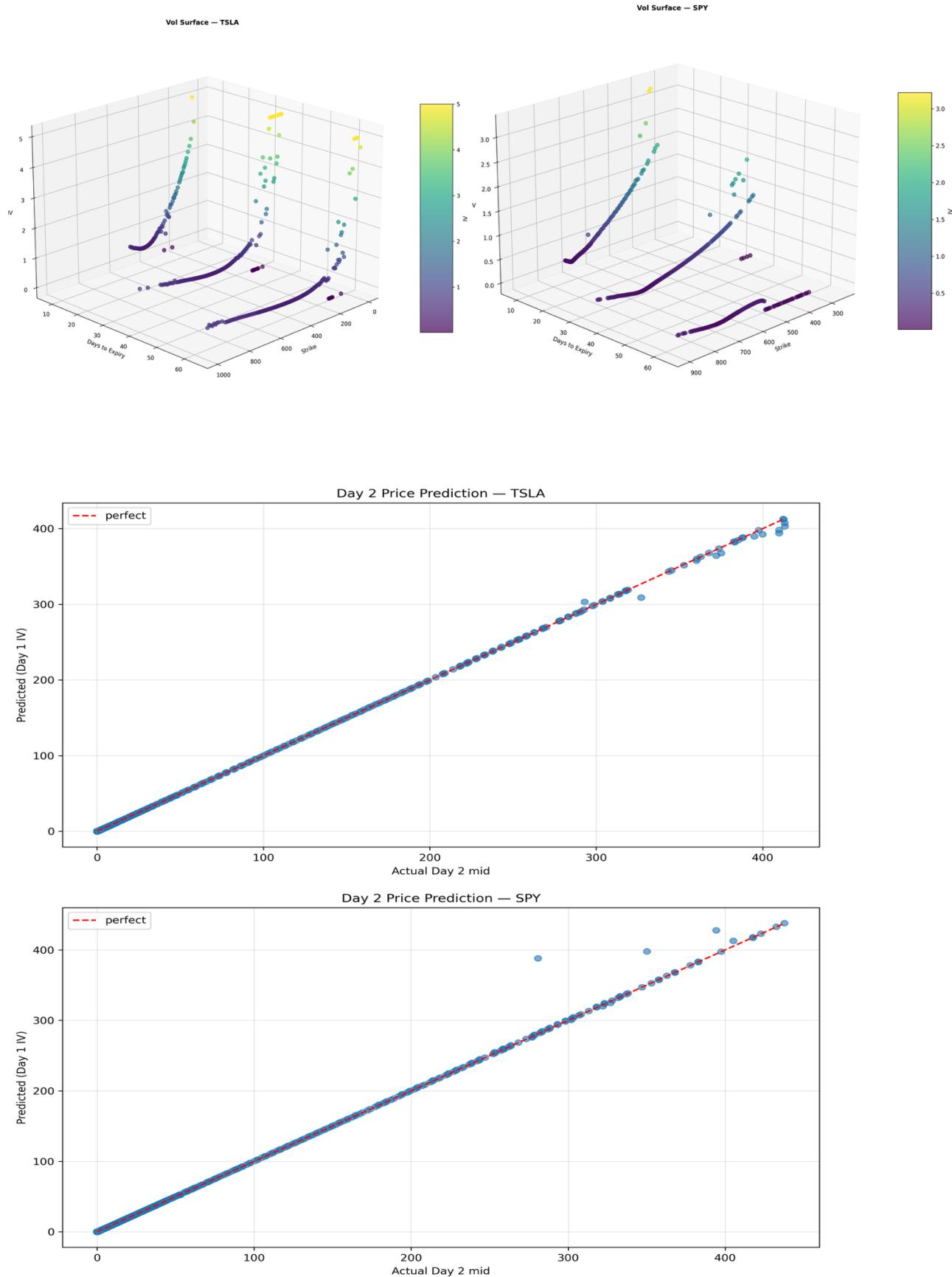
Expiry	Avg_IV	Time_to_Maturity
2026-02-18	0.432423	0.016438
2026-02-20	1.023903	0.021918
2026-02-23	0.361410	0.030137

Method comparison (averages):

Bisection iterations:	24.1
Newton iterations:	4.5
$ IV_{bis} - IV_{new} $:	0.23484168



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Part 3)

3a) Variables: $X_t = \text{BTC reserves}$ $y_t = \text{USDC} - "$ $s_t = \frac{p_t}{x_t}$ $y_t = \text{USDC per BTC}$ $p_t = \text{fee rate}$

$$x_{t+1} \cdot y_{t+1} = x_t \cdot y_t = 15$$

$$\text{Case 1 Boundaries: } s_{t+1} > \frac{p_t}{1-y_t}$$

$$\frac{p_{t+1}}{1-y_t} = s_{t+1} = \frac{y_{t+1}}{x_{t+1}(1-y_t)}$$

$$\Delta x \stackrel{?}{=} \Delta y \stackrel{?}{=} s_t \stackrel{?}{=}$$

$$\text{Case 2 Boundaries: } s_t < p_t(1-y_t)$$

$$\text{Case 1) } x_{t+1} = x_t - \Delta x$$

$$x_{t+1} \cdot y_{t+1} = 1$$

$$y_{t+1} = y_t + \Delta y$$

$$p_{t+1}(1-y_t) = s_{t+1} = \frac{y_{t+1}}{x_{t+1}(1-y_t)}$$

$$x_{t+1} \cdot (s_{t+1} \cdot (x_{t+1} \cdot (1-y_t))) = 15$$

$$\cancel{x_{t+1} \cdot s_{t+1} \cdot (1-y_t)}$$

$$x_{t+1}^2 s_{t+1} (1-y_t) = 15 \quad | : s_{t+1} (1-y_t)$$

$$\Delta x = x_t - x_{t+1}$$

$$= x_t - \sqrt{\frac{15}{s_{t+1}(1-y_t)}}$$

$$x_{t+1} = \frac{15}{s_{t+1}(1-y_t)} \quad | \sqrt{}$$

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$$\Delta y = y_t - y_{t+1} = y_t - s_{t+1} \left(\sqrt{\frac{15}{s_{t+1}(1-y_t)}} \right) (1-y_t)$$

$$\text{Case 2) } x_{t+1} \cdot y_{t+1} = 15$$

$$\rightarrow x_{t+1}^2 \frac{s_{t+1}}{1-y_t} = 15 \quad | : \frac{s_{t+1}}{1-y_t}$$

$$x_{t+1}^2 = \frac{15 \cdot (1-y_t)}{s_{t+1}} \quad | \sqrt{}$$

$$x_{t+1} = \sqrt{\frac{15 \cdot (1-y_t)}{s_{t+1}}}$$

$$\Delta x = x_t - \sqrt{\frac{15 \cdot (1-y_t)}{s_{t+1}}}$$

$$\Delta y = y_t - \sqrt{\frac{15 \cdot (1-y_t)}{s_{t+1}}}$$

$$(1-y_t) \cdot (1-y_t) =$$

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3b) $x_T = y_T = 1000$, $P_T = \frac{y_T}{x_T} = 1$, $S_T = 1$, $\Delta_T = \frac{1}{365}$

$X_i = \frac{P_T}{1-\Delta_T} + i V_i$

$z_i = P_T (1-\Delta_T) + i V_i$

$g_1(s) = g \cdot \Delta g \cdot f_{S_{T+1}}(s)$

$g_2(s) = g \cdot \Delta g \cdot \mathbb{E}[f_{S_{T+1}}(s)]$

$\mathbb{E}[R(S_{T+1})] = \dots$ look task

$= \sum_{i=1}^n V_i \frac{g_1(y_{i-1}) + g_2(x_i)}{2} + \sum_{j=1}^m V_j \frac{g_2(z_{j-1}) + g_1(x_j)}{2}$

3c)

Part 4

$f_1(x, y) = xy$

$\textcircled{1} = \int_0^1 \int_0^3 xy \, dy \, dx$

$= \int_0^1 x \left(\int_0^3 \frac{y^2}{2} \, dy \right) \, dx$

$= \int_0^1 x \left(\frac{3}{2} - 0 \right) \, dx$

$= \frac{9}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{0}{2} \right)$

$= \frac{9}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{9}{4}$

$f_2(x, y) = e^{x+y}$

$= \int_0^1 \int_0^3 e^{x+y} \, dy \, dx$

$= \int_0^1 \int_0^3 e^y e^x \, dy \, dx$

$= \int_0^1 (e^3 - e^0) e^x \, dx$

$= (e^3 - 1) \int_0^1 e^x \, dx$

$= (e^3 - 1) \cdot (e^1 - 1)$

$\approx e^4 - e^3 - e + 1$