

# Assignment-3

1. Change in stock price= $\$55-\$50=\$5$   
Gamma =0.05  
Change in Delta= $5*0.05=0.25$   
New Delta= $0.60+0.25=0.85$   
Total Delta for 100 call option= $0.85*100=85$   
To be delta-neutral, the total Delta of the position should be zero.  
 $\Delta\text{stock}+\Delta\text{total new}=0$   
 $\Delta\text{stock}=-\Delta\text{total new}$   
 $\Delta\text{stock}=-85$   
We need to short 85 shares
2. Change in implied volatility= $25\%-20\%=5\%$   
vega=0.25  
Change in put option price= $0.25*5\%=1.25\%$   
1.25% change will occur in put option price when volatility is increase by 5%  
For example the put option price is \$100 , then new price will be \$101.25
3. Theta=-0.05  
Number of option=50  
Number of days=10  
Daily Theta decay= $-0.05*50=-2.5$   
Total decay after next 10 days= $-2.5*10=-25$   
The value of 50 call options will decrease by \$25 due to time decay over this period.
5. Option Greeks provide various factors which affect the price of options.  
Some of them are:
  - 1 Delta= rate of change of premium for every unit change in the underlying price.
  - 2 Gamma=rate of change of delta for every unit change in the underlying price.
  - 3 Theta=rate of decline in the value of options due to passage of time.
  - 4 Vega=amount that an option price changes in reaction to 1% change in implied volatility of underlying asset.
  - 5 Rho=rate at which the price of derivative changes relative to change in risk free rate of interest.
  - 6 Volatility=it reflects market sentiment and uncertainty. High volatility indicates more significant price swings and higher potential returns (or losses), whereas low volatility suggests more stable prices.

Practical observation:

- > Option greeks and volatility helps in risk management, helps in predicting the option price with the help of various factors. Also helps in predicting profit and loss outcomes.
- > Delta represent probability that option contract expire in-the-money  
It changes rapidly for ATM option and slowly for ITM and OTM option
- > Gamma represent curvature of option(2nd derivative)  
ATM has highest gamma
- > Theta represent time decay aspect
- > Rho increases as time to expiration approaches

Utilising the Greeks alongside volatility measures allows traders to tailor strategies to current market conditions, enhancing the effectiveness and precision of their trades.