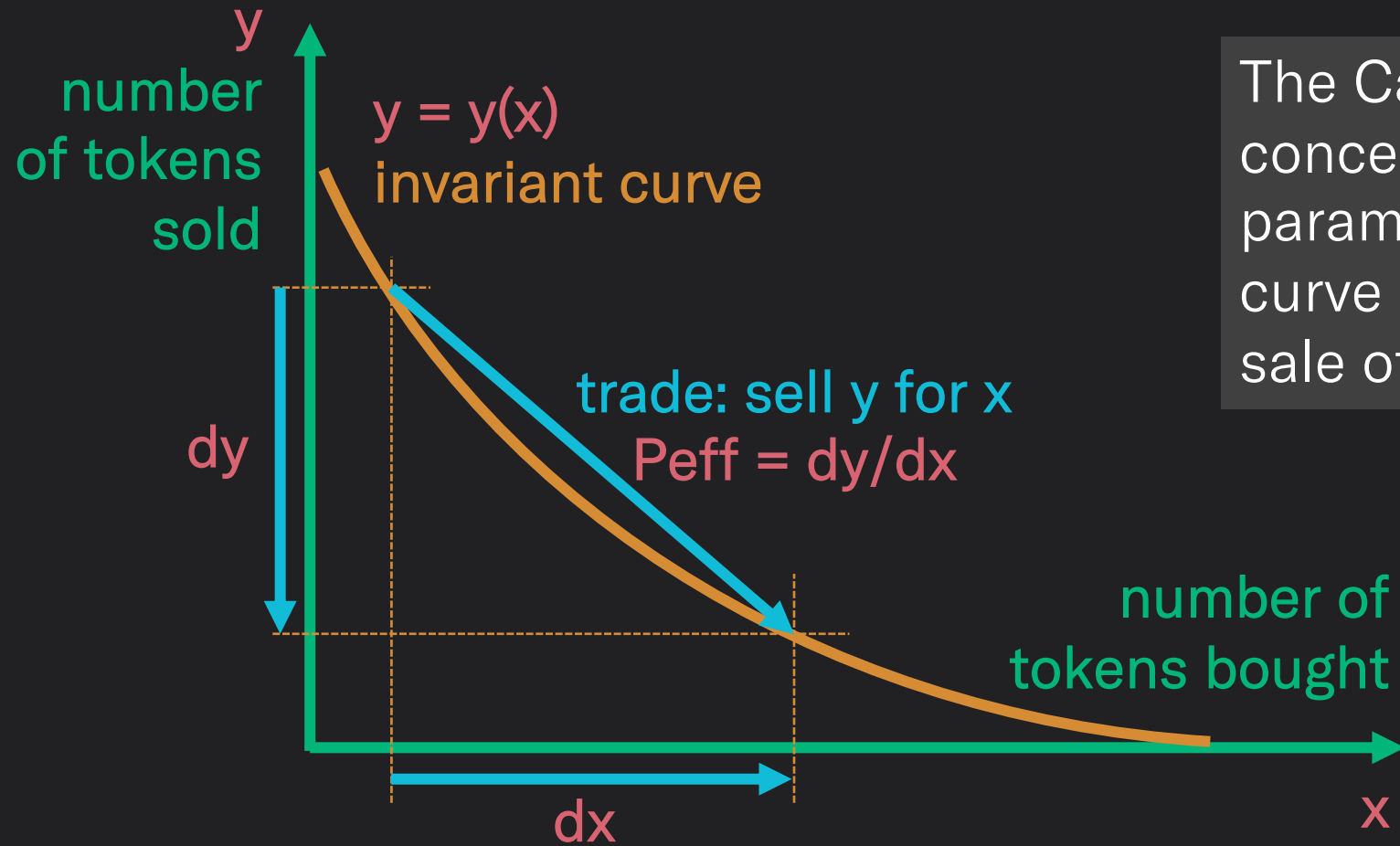


# Simulating Carbon

v1.0 (22 January 2023)

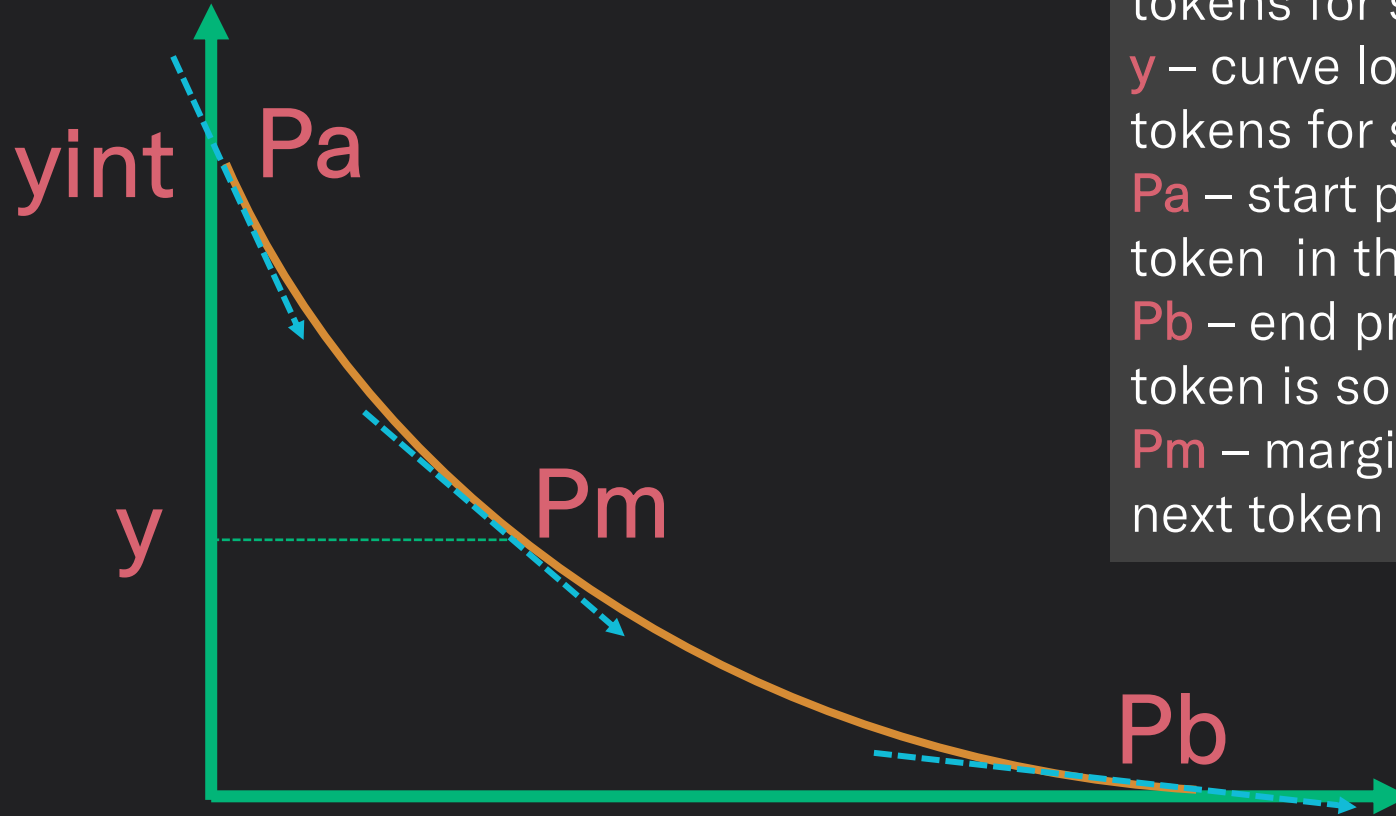
# Carbon basics

# The Carbon invariant curve



The Carbon concentrated and parametric invariant curve determines the sale of the asset  $y$

# Carbon curve parameters



**yint** – curve capacity; maximum number of tokens for sale it can hold

**y** – curve loading; the current number of tokens for sale it holds

**Pa** – start price; the price at which the first token in the range is sold

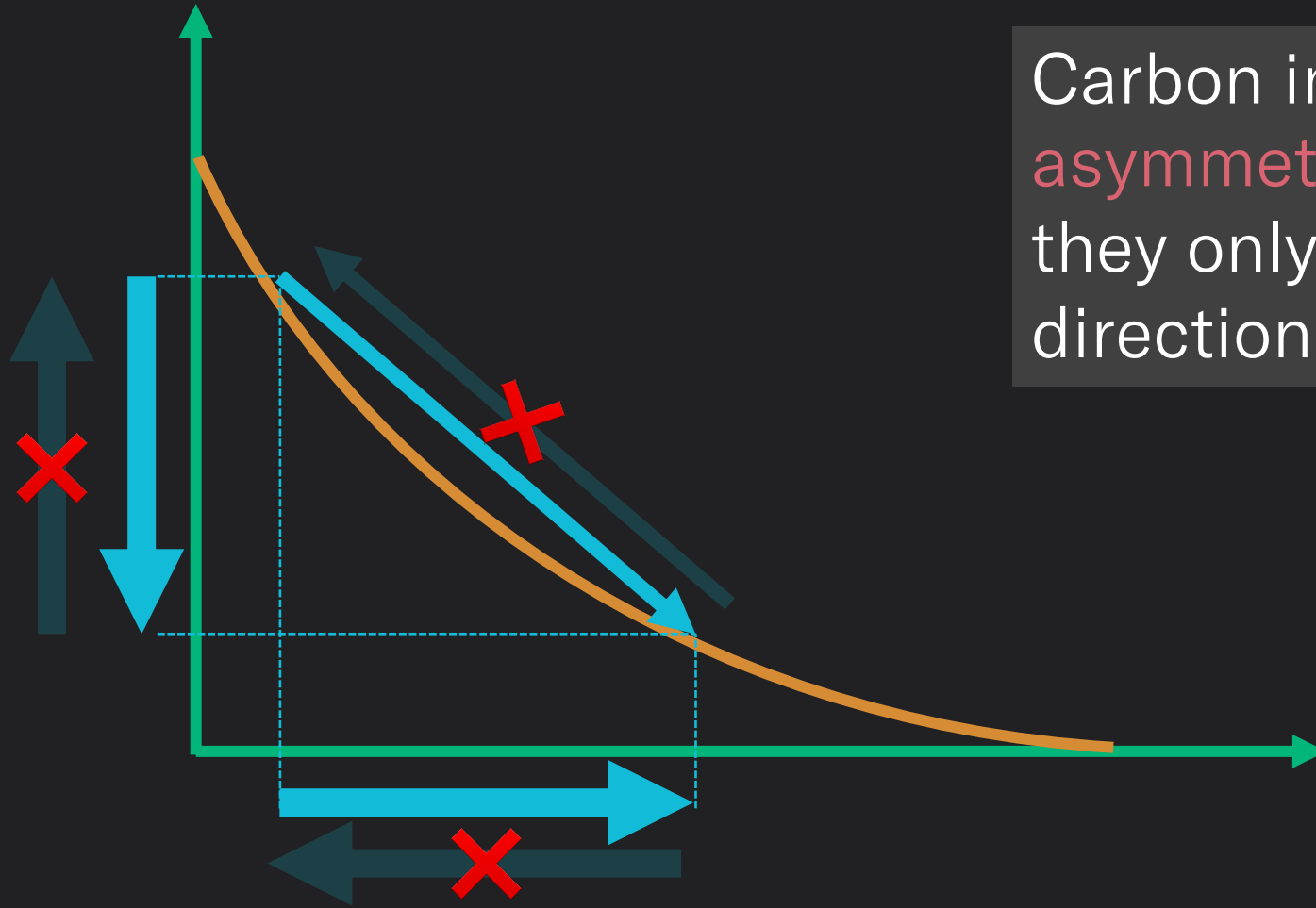
**Pb** – end price; the price at which the last token is sold

**Pm** – marginal price; the price at which the next token in the range is sold

- (1) Only four of five params independent.
- (2) Natural price quote  $dy/dx$ , to be converted to pair convention

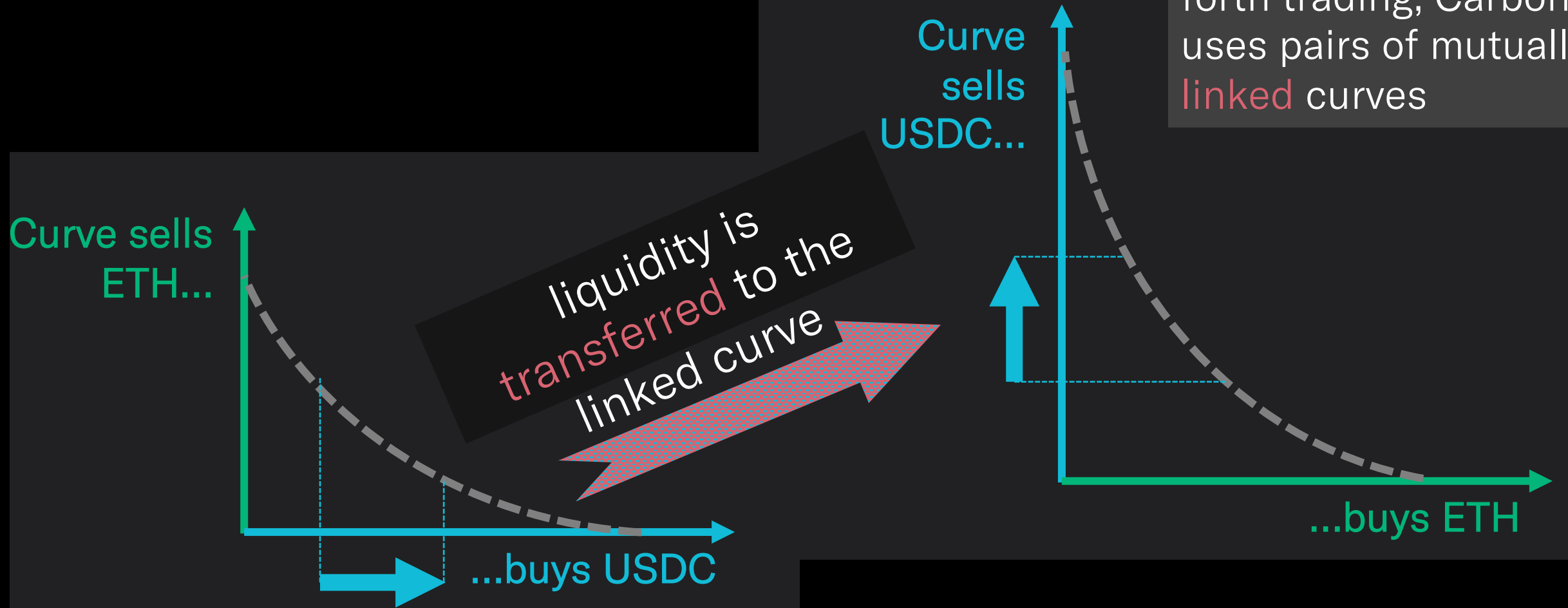
# Carbon asymmetric curve

Carbon invariant curves are **asymmetric**, which means they only trade in one direction



# Carbon linked curves

To allow back and forth trading, Carbon uses pairs of mutually **linked** curves



# Minimum viable simulation

# Minimum viable simulation

## Initialize the simulator

```
Sim = CarbonSimulatorUI(pair="ETH/USDC")
```

*Use ETH/USDC as default pair*

## Add a Carbon strategy

```
Sim.add_strategy("ETH",  
                 1, 1500, 2000,  
                 1000, 1250, 1000)
```

*Sell ETH between 1,500-2,000; seed with 1 ETH*  
*Buy ETH between 1,250-1,000; seed with 1,000 USDC*

## Execute a trade

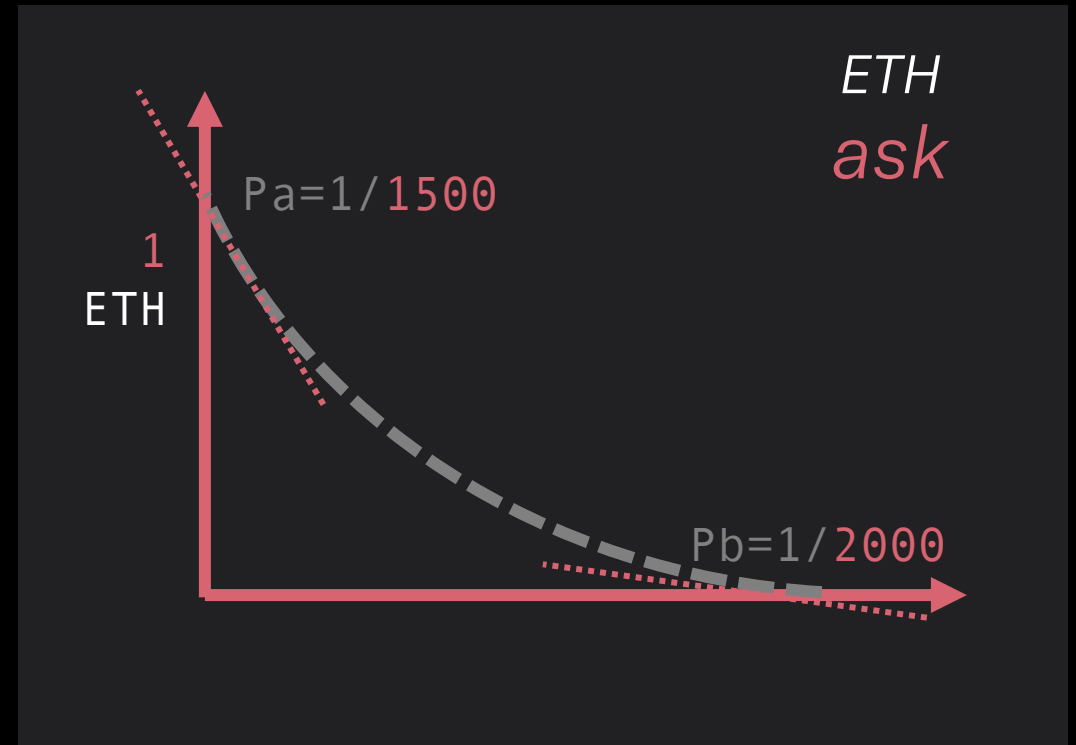
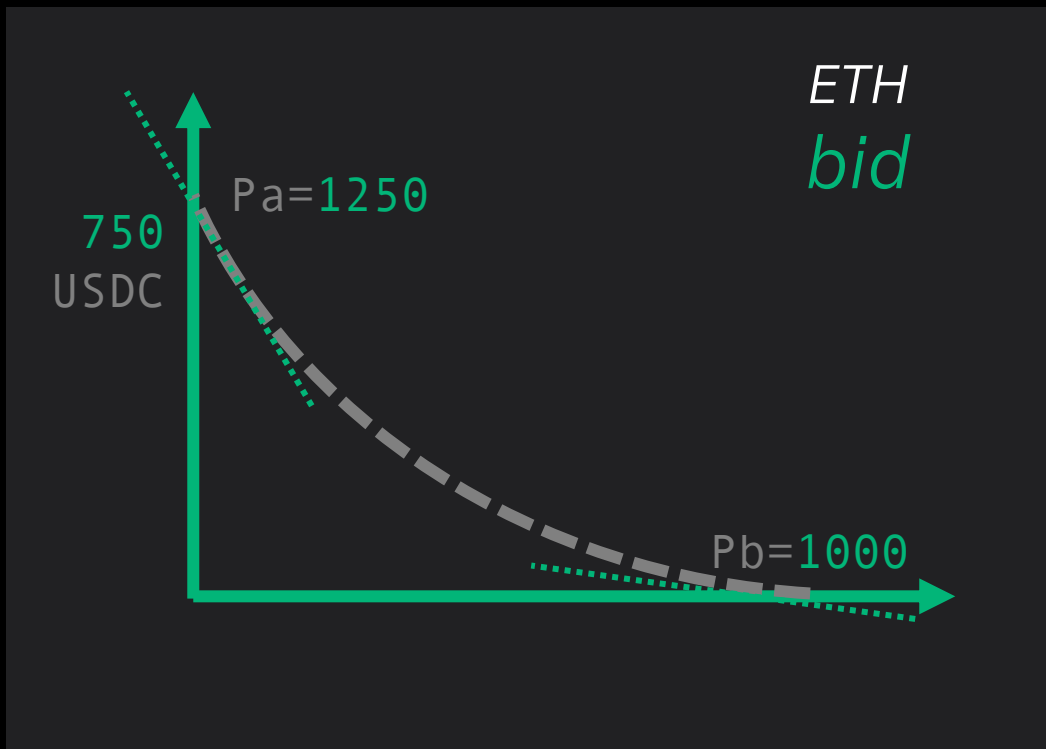
```
Sim.amm_sells("ETH", 0.5)
```

*Sell 0.5 ETH*



# Adding a Carbon strategy

```
add_strategy("ETH", 1, 1500, 2000, 750, 1250, 1000)
```



# Executing a trade

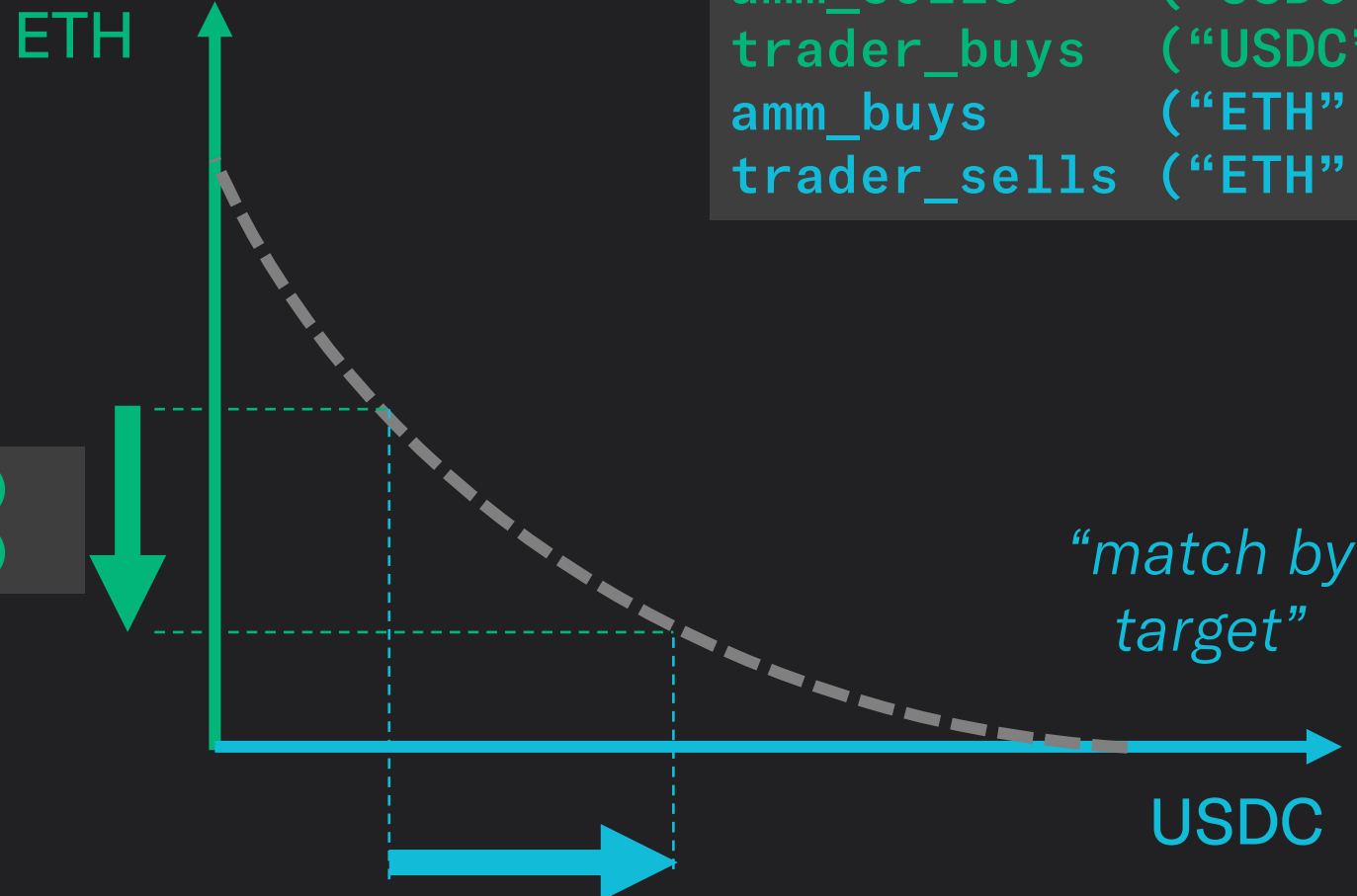
## LINKED CURVE

=====

```
amm_sells      ("USDC", .)
trader_buys    ("USDC", .)
amm_buys       ("ETH", .)
trader_sells   ("ETH", .)
```

*"match by source"*

```
amm_sells      ("ETH", .)
trader_buys    ("ETH", .)
```



```
amm_buys       ("USDC", .)
trader_sells    ("USDC", .)
```

# Simulation example

detailed sim using dyfromp\_f function (Demo 7-1)

# Carbon simulation run

ETH bid 1282-1425 (750 USDC)

spot 1500

ETH ask 1575-1732 ( 1 ETH )

buy ETH 1425.0-1282.5, sell ETH 1575.0-1732.5

-----

...  
ix= 2, spot=1356.7: sell 472.93 USDC

...  
ix= 8, spot=1612.9: sell 0.34 ETH

...  
ix= 11, spot=1651.3: sell 0.33 ETH

...  
ix= 14, spot=1340.0: sell 950.72 USDC

ix= 15, spot=1330.4: sell 109.97 USDC

ix= 16, spot=1261.5: sell 551.29 USDC

...  
ix= 46, spot=1663.8: sell 1.08 ETH

ix= 47, spot=1826.8: sell 0.78 ETH

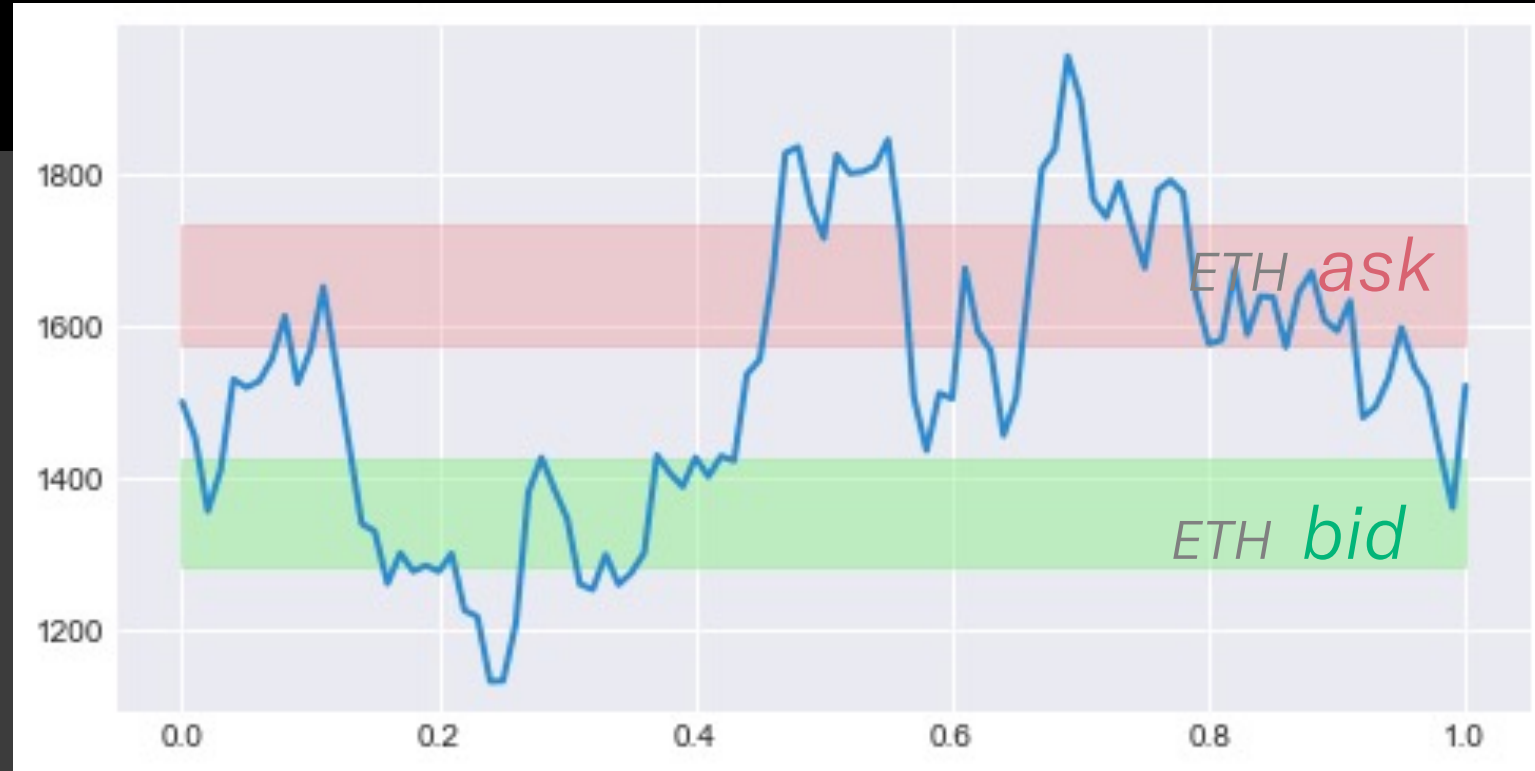
...  
ix= 99, spot=1361.2: sell 1356.49 USDC

...

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ix= 0, spot=1500.0: 1.0 ETH 1000.0 USDC (=2500.0 USDC)

ix= 100, spot=1521.4: 1.0 ETH 1715.7 USDC (=3197.5 USDC)



# Carbon simulation run

## Simulation

```

1 Sim = CarbonSimulatorUI(pair="ETH/USDC", verbose=False)
2 Sim.add_strategy("ETH", amt_eth, p_sell_a, p_sell_b, amt_usdc, p_buy_a, p_buy_b)
3 print()
4 print(f"buy ETH {p_buy_a:.1f}-{p_buy_b:.1f}, sell ETH {p_sell_a:.1f}-{p_sell_b:.1f}")
5 print("-"*20)
6 printdots = True
7 #Sim.state()["orders"]
8
9 for t, spot, ix in zip(time_r, path, range(len(path))):
10     orderuis = Sim.state()["orderuis"]
11     orders_sell_eth = {k:v for k,v in orderuis.items() if v.tkn=="ETH"}
12     dy_f_sell_eth = lambda p: sum(o.dyfromp_f(p) for o in orders_sell_eth.values())
13     sell_eth = dy_f_sell_eth(spot)
14     orders_sell_usdc = {k:v for k,v in orderuis.items() if v.tkn=="USDC"}
15     dy_f_sell_usdc = lambda p: sum(o.dyfromp_f(p) for o in orders_sell_usdc.values())
16     sell_usdc = dy_f_sell_usdc(spot)
17
18     if sell_eth > 0.0001:
19         r = Sim.amm_sells("ETH", sell_eth, support_partial=True)
20         failed = "" if r['success'] else "FAILED"
21         print(f"ix={ix:4.0f}, spot={spot:0.1f}: sell {sell_eth:10.2f} ETH {failed}")
22         printdots = True
23
24     elif sell_usdc > 0.001:
25         r = Sim.amm_sells("USDC", sell_usdc, support_partial=True)
26         failed = "" if r['success'] else "FAILED"
27         print(f"ix={ix:4.0f}, spot={spot:0.1f}: sell {sell_usdc:10.2f} USDC {failed}")
28         printdots = True
29
30     else:
31         if printdots:
32             print("...")
33         printdots = False
34         #print(f"ix={ix:4.0f}, spot={spot:0.1f}: ---")
35

```

Initialize the simulator and load the strategy; then loop over the spot values

In the loop, determine how much ETH (and USDC) to sell to get to a certain price...

...and execute the transaction

# Carbon simulation run

Initialize the simulator and load the strategy; then loop over the spot values

## Simulation

```
1 Sim = CarbonSimulatorUI(pair="ETH/USDC", verbose=False)
2 Sim.add_strategy("ETH", amt_eth, p_sell_a, p_sell_b, amt_usdc, p_buy_a, p_buy_b)
3 print()
```

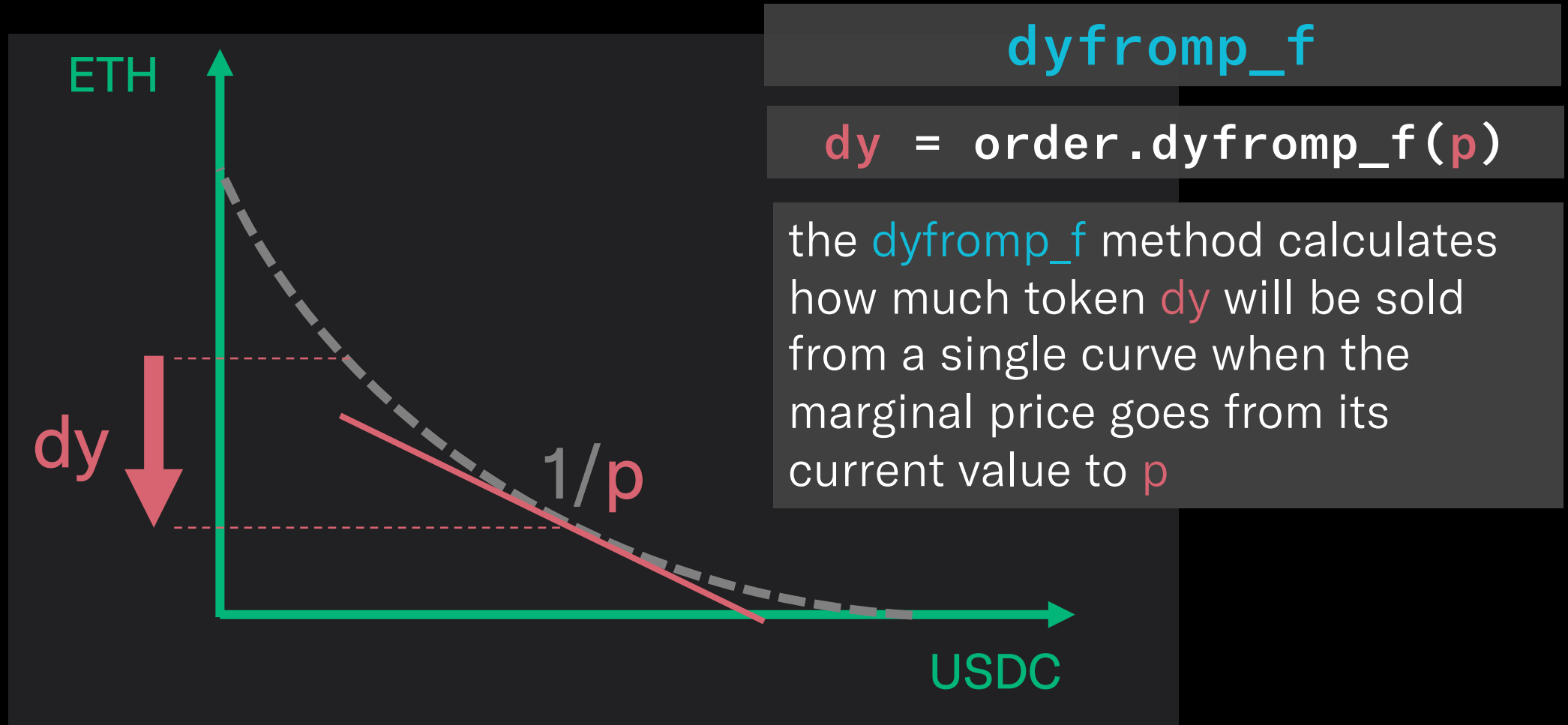
In the loop, determine how much ETH (and USDC) to sell to get to a certain price...

```
9 for t, spot, ix in zip(time_r, path, range(len(path))):
10     orderuis = Sim.state()["orderuis"]
11     orders_sell_eth = {k:v for k,v in orderuis.items() if v.tkn=="ETH"}
12     dy_f_sell_eth = lambda p: sum(o.dyfromp_f(p) for o in orders_sell_eth.values())
13     sell_eth = dy_f_sell_eth(spot)
14     orders_sell_usdc = {k:v for k,v in orderuis.items() if v.tkn=="USDC"}
```

...and execute the transaction

```
18
19     if sell_eth > 0.0001:
20         r = Sim.amm_sells("ETH", sell_eth, support_partial=True)
21         failed = "" if r['success'] else "FAILED"
22         print(f"ix={ix:4.0f}, spot={spot:0.1f}: sell {sell_eth:10.2f}")
23         printdots = True
```

# Liquidity released by price



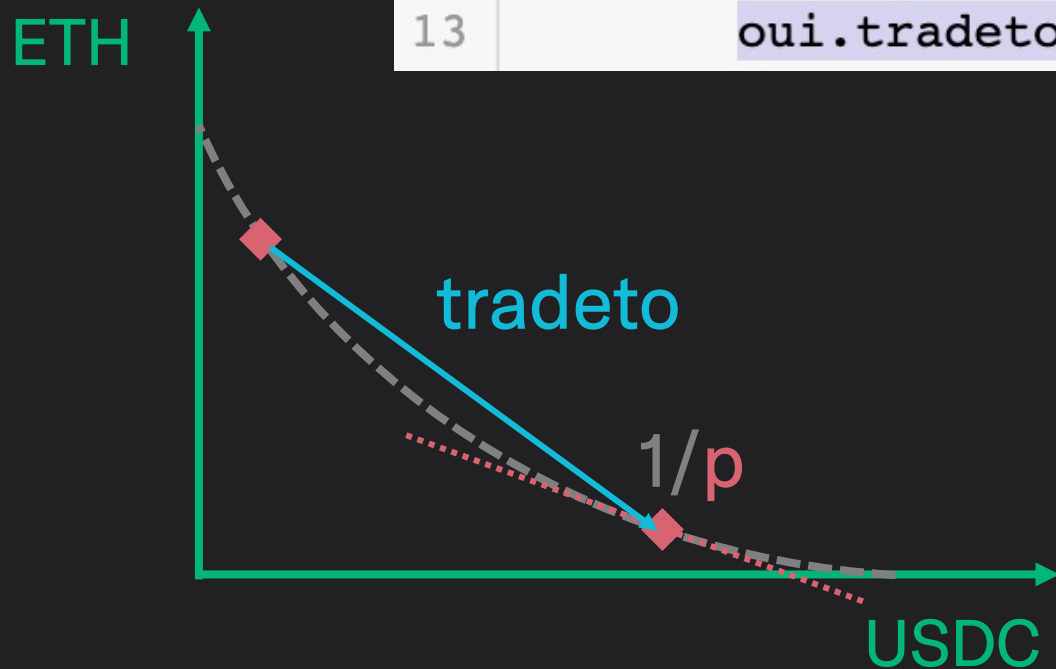
# Simulation example

fast sim using tradeto function (Demo 7-1; NBTest 50 ,51)



# Using the tradeto function

```
11 for spot in path[1:]:  
12     for oui in ouis.values():  
13         oui.tradeto(spot)
```



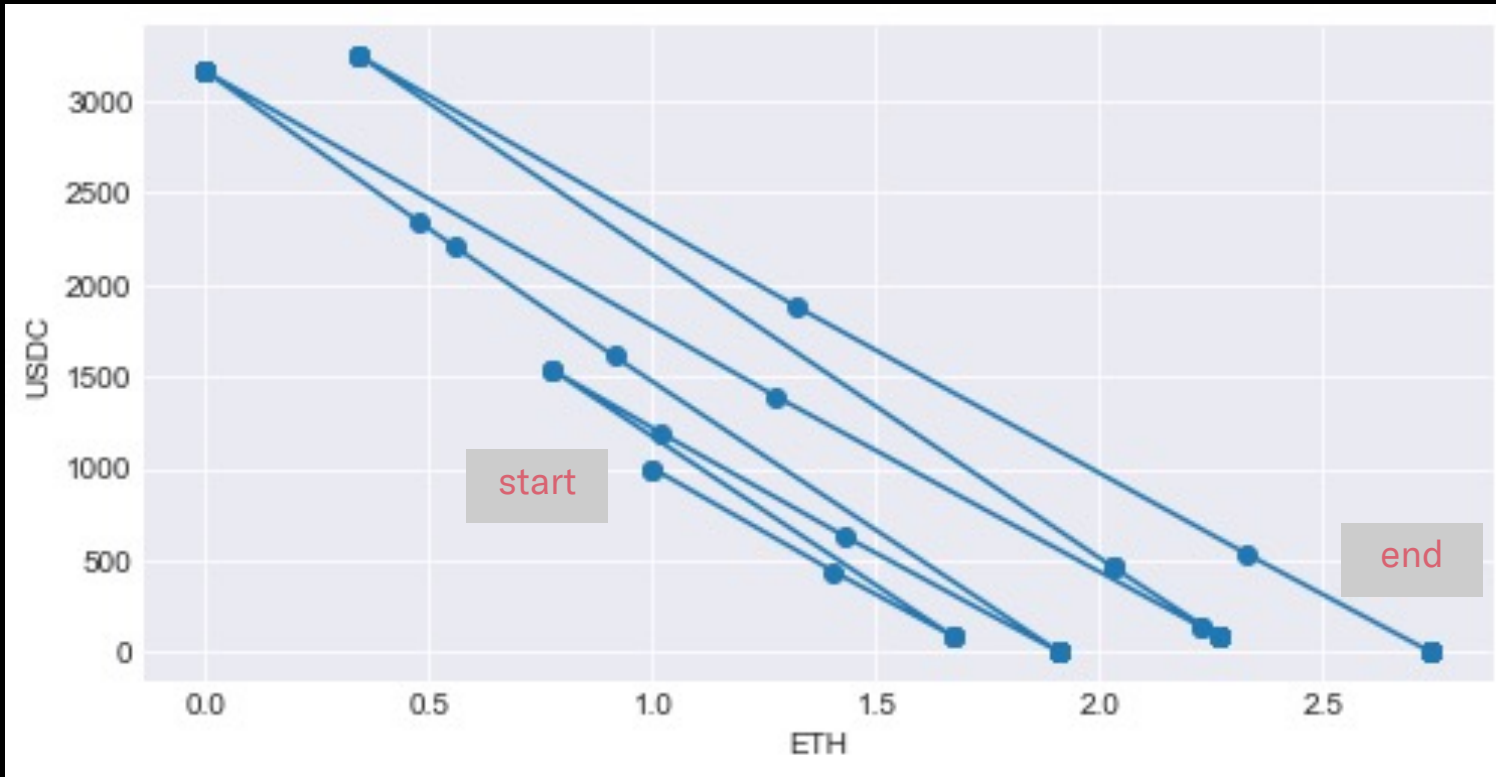
**tradeto(p)**

**order.tradeto(p)**

the **tradeto** method changes the state of an order, trading it to the marginal price **p**. the collateral received is placed with the linked order, if present

# Portfolio path chart

[Demo 7-1](#)

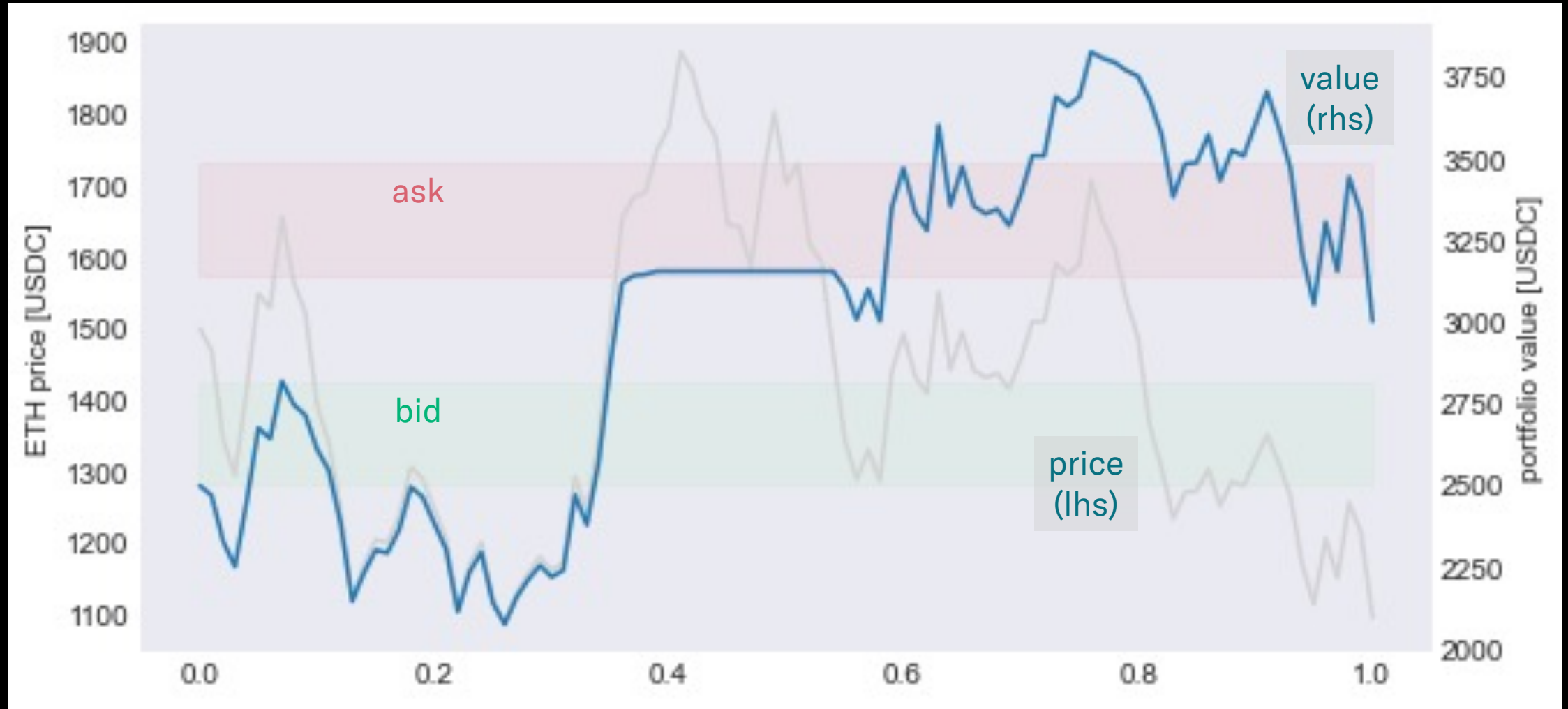


the [tradeto](#) method changes the state of an order, trading it to the marginal price  $p$ . the collateral received is placed with the linked order, if present

# Portfolio value evaluation chart

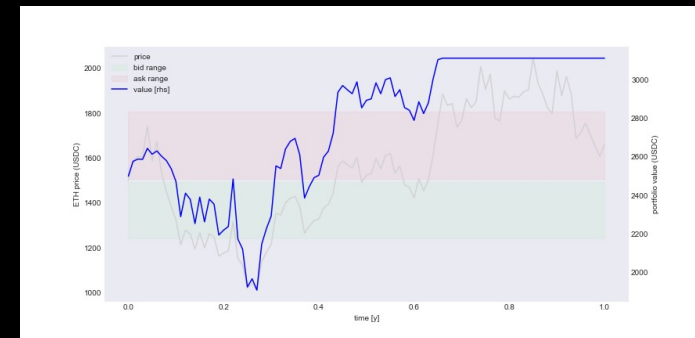
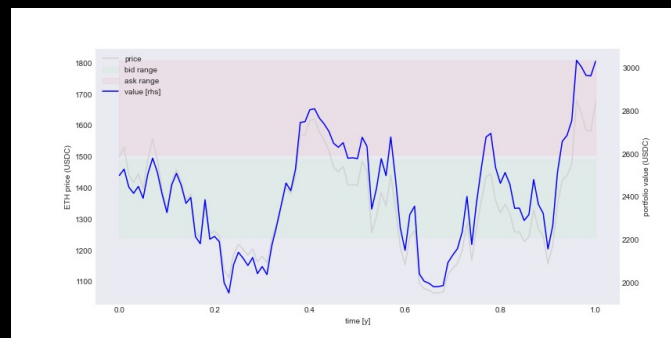
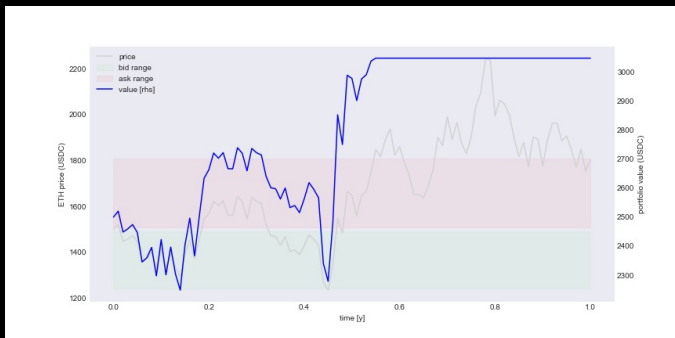
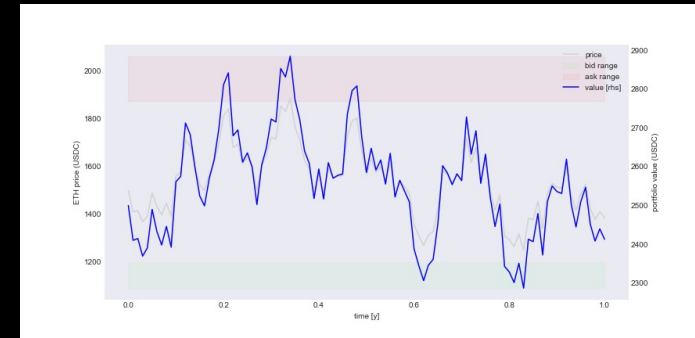
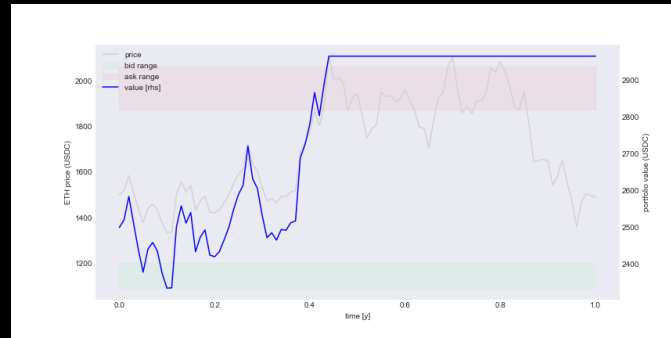
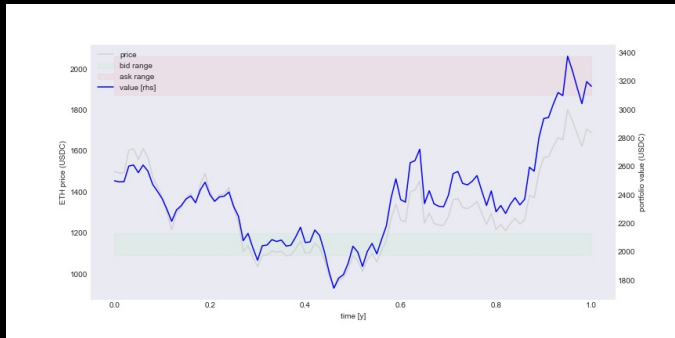
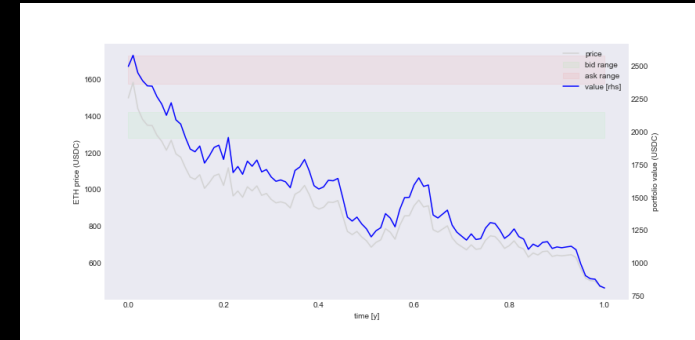
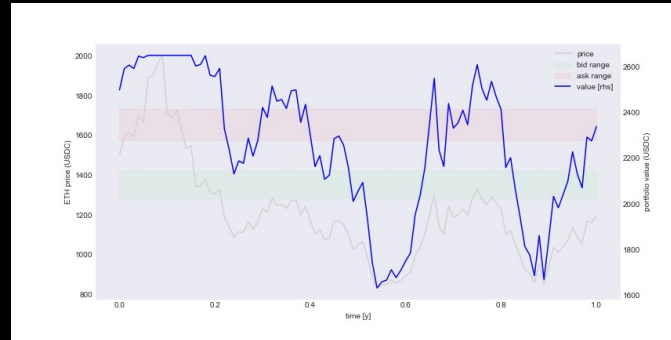
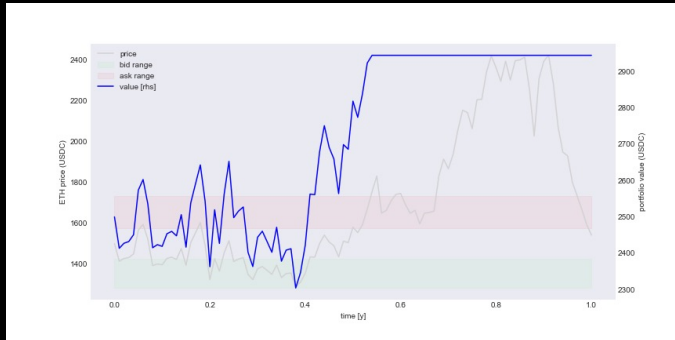
[Demo 7-1](#)

[Demo 7-2](#)



# Various simulation runs

Demo 7-2



# Frozen simulations

sims based on fixed set of paths for reproducibility (Demo 7-3)

# Binder

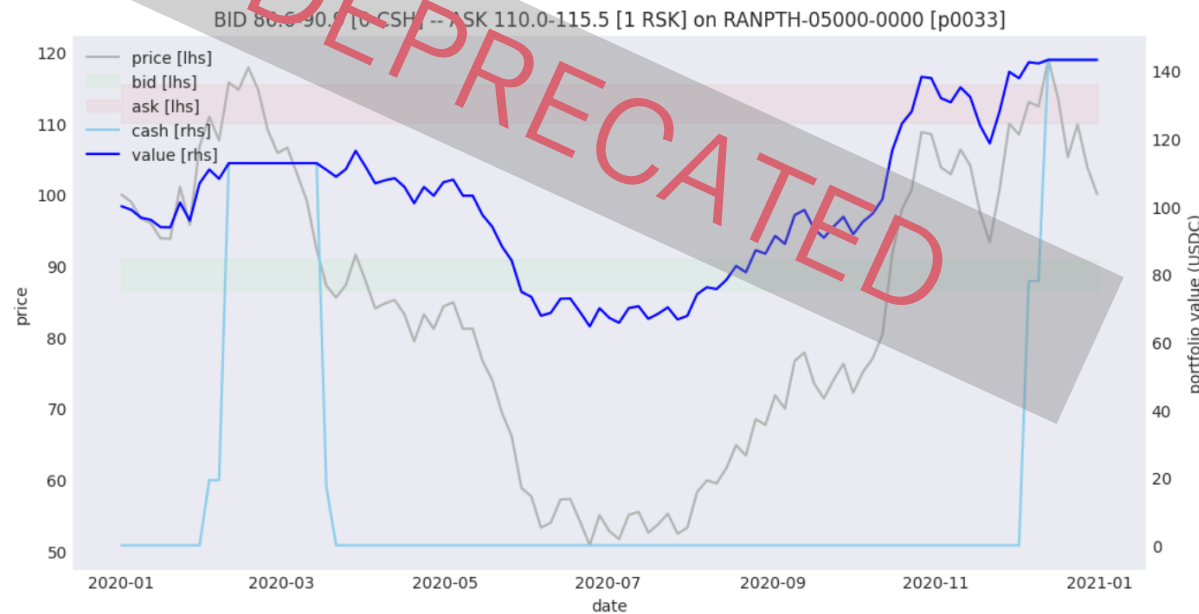
- Binder ([mybinder.org](https://mybinder.org)) is docker-based execution platform for Jupyter notebooks based on publicly available git repos
- Carbon maintains a repo with analysis' specific for binder, [carbon-simulator-binder](#); this repo does not contain a Carbon distribution, but relies on the [latest version released on PyPi](#)
- The Binder repo contains a large number of workbooks, so it can be overwhelming; look at the [TOC file](#) for specific links to workspaces that have been optimized

# Sim on Binder (deprecated)

[Demo 7-3](#)  
(frozen\_20230121)

## Simulation

```
[28]: for colnm in ["p0033"]:  
      for ix, strat in enumerate(strats):  
  
          path = pdread(DATAFN, colnm)  
          simresults = run_sim(strat, path)  
          plot_sim(strat, path, simresults, f"{DATAID} [{colnm}]")  
  
      # save charts  
      if isinstance(OUTPATH, str):  
          plt.savefig(j(OUTPATH, f"{DATAID}-{colnm}-{ix}.png"))  
      plt.show()
```



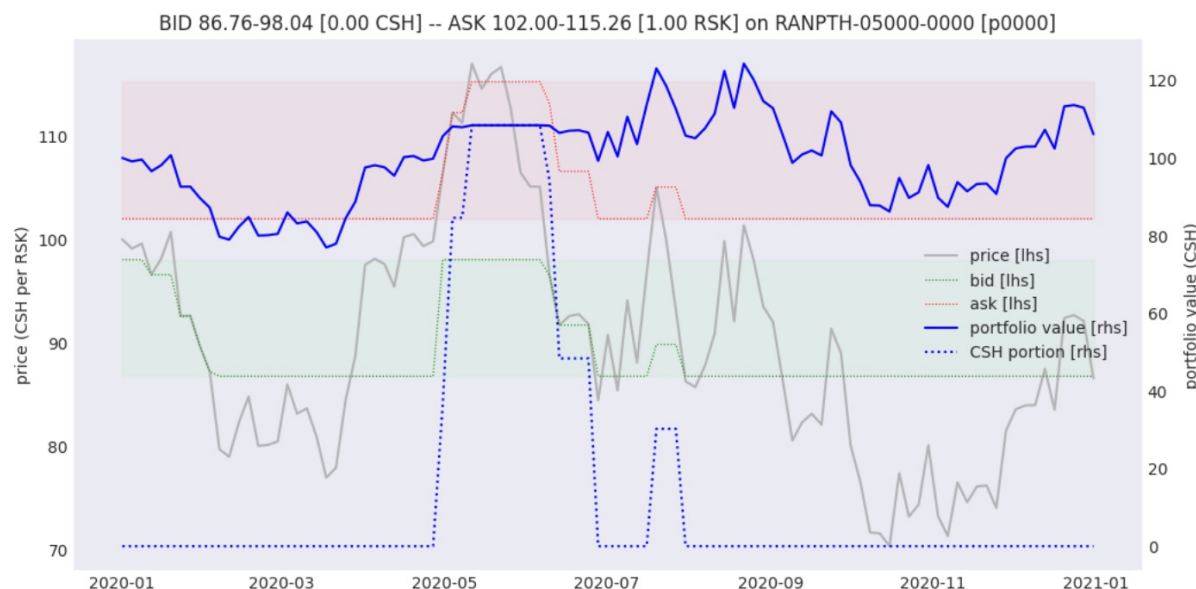
the above link refers to a previous version of the analysis notebook; it is now deprecated, but as it is frozen it is a backup in case there is an issue with the more recent distributions

# Simulation on Binder

[Demo 7-3](#)  
([frozen\\_202302](#))

## Simulation

```
10]: for colnm in ["p0000", "p0001", "p0002"][:1]:  
    for ix, strat in enumerate(strats):  
  
        path = pdread(DATAFN, colnm)  
        simresults = run_sim(strat, path)  
        plot_sim(strat, path, simresults, f"{DATAID} [{colnm}]")  
  
        # save charts  
        if isinstance(OUTPATH, str):  
            plt.savefig(j(OUTPATH, f"{DATAID}-{colnm}-{ix}.png"))  
            plt.show()
```



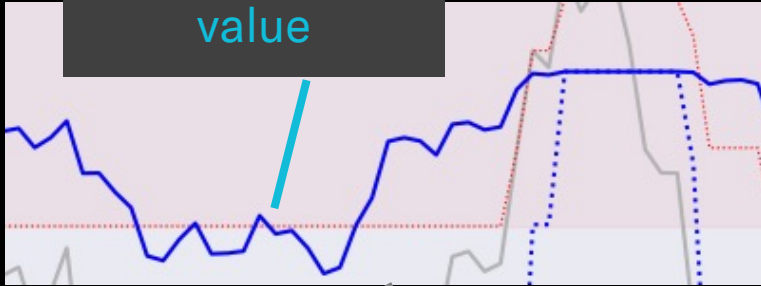
- the above link refers to the latest working version of the simulation workbook on binder
- there are multiple books in this directory, post-fixed with a, b, c etc
- the latest books may be slightly ahead of the pypi releases, so they may not run on Binder until main release has caught up (typically, a few days max)



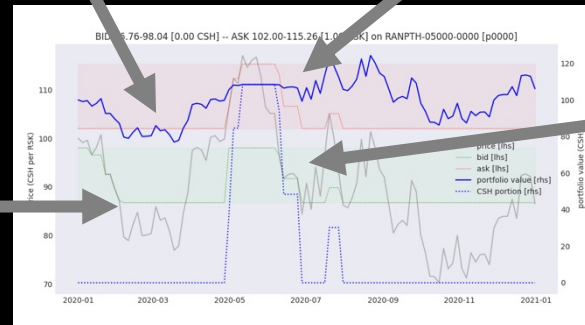
# Simulation 7-3 output

Demo 7-3  
(frozen\_202302)

total portfolio  
value



spot price



marginal  
price (ask)

marginal  
price (bid)

value of  
cash portion  
of portfolio

2020-05

2020-0

January 2023

25

# Simulation 7-3 inputs

Demo 7-3  
(frozen\_202302)

saved charts

chart content

```
101: from carbon.holders.stocks import *
102: from carbon.holders.positions import *
103: from carbon.holders.strategies import *
104: from carbon.holders.simulation import run_sim, plot_sim
105: from simulation import run_sim, plot_sim

106: # Save charts to specific location
107: if OUTPATH is None:
108:     # Save charts in current directory
109:     OUTPATH = "."
110: else:
111:     # Save charts in specific location
112:     OUTPATH = OUTPATH
113: # Save charts
114: if OUTPATH is not None:
115:     # Save charts in specific location
116:     OUTPATH = OUTPATH
117: # Save charts
118: if OUTPATH is not None:
119:     # Save charts in specific location
120:     OUTPATH = OUTPATH

121: # Path data
122: filename determines collection, eg. RANPTH-05000-0000 is sig=0.0% vol and mu=0.0% drift, see available collections in the %s command below
123: DATAID = "RANPTH-05000-0000"
124: DATAPATH = "data"
125: DATAFILE = "RANPTH-05000-0000.pickle"
126: DATAFILE_PATH = os.path.join(DATAPATH, DATAFILE)
127: # Load data
128: data = load_data(DATAFILE_PATH)
129: # Save data
130: save_data(DATAFILE_PATH, data)

131: # Strategies
132: This is the list of strategies to be tested against the paths. Note: It is recommended to always to a minimal amount of tokens into either side of the strategy in order
133: # Strategy 1
134: # Strategy 2
135: # Strategy 3
136: # Strategy 4
137: # Strategy 5
138: # Strategy 6
139: # Strategy 7
140: # Strategy 8
141: # Strategy 9
142: # Strategy 10
143: # Strategy 11
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222: # Strategy 90
223: # Strategy 91
224: # Strategy 92
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226: # Strategy 94
227: # Strategy 95
228: # Strategy 96
229: # Strategy 97
230: # Strategy 98
231: # Strategy 99
232: # Strategy 100
```

```
OUTPATH = "/Users/skl"
OUTPATH = "."
#OUTPATH = None
if OUTPATH and OUTPATH
```

price data

```
DATAID = "RANPTH-05000-0000"
```

Carbon strategies

```
Parameter

1 params = Params(
2     plotRanges = True, # whe
3     plotMargP = True, # whe
4     plotBuy = True, # whe
5     plotSell = True, # whe
6     plotPrice = True, # whe
7     plotValueTotal = True, # whe
8     plotValueCsh = True, # whe
9     plotValueRsk = False, # whe
10 )
```

```
strats = (
    strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.02, w=0.13, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001),
    strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.01, w=0.02, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001),
    [strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.01, w=0.02, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001),
    strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.02, w=0.1, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001)],
    # strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.02, w=0.05, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001)
```

# Simulation data

collection of  
random paths

vol sigma = 50%

drift mu = 0%

all available  
data (we will  
add actual  
market data  
soon)

```
] : DATAID = "RANPTH-05000-0000"
```

```
!ls {DATAPATH}/*.pickle
```

```
../data/RANPTH-00500-0000.pickle  ../data/RANPTH-05000-0000.pickle  
../data/RANPTH-01000-0000.pickle  ../data/RANPTH-07500-0000.pickle  
../data/RANPTH-02000-0000.pickle  ../data/RANPTH-10000-0000.pickle
```

# Parameterizing strategies

```
strats = (  
    strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.02, w=0.13, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001),  
    strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.01, w=0.02, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001),  
    [strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.01, w=0.02, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001),  
     strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.02, w=0.1, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0.001)],  
    # strategy.from_mwh(m=100, g=0.02, w=0.05, amt_rsk=1, amt_csh=0)
```

“gap”

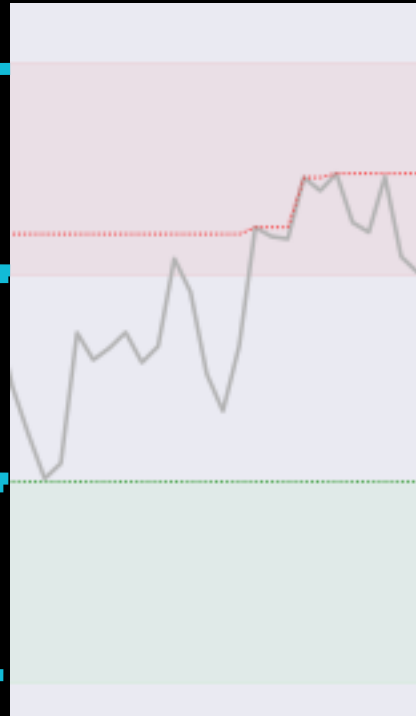
g

w

“width”

m

“mid”



# Preserving charts

- as png file
- single Word docx

```
OUTPATH = "/Users/skl/  
OUTPATH = "."  
#OUTPATH = None  
if OUTPATH and OUTPATH
```

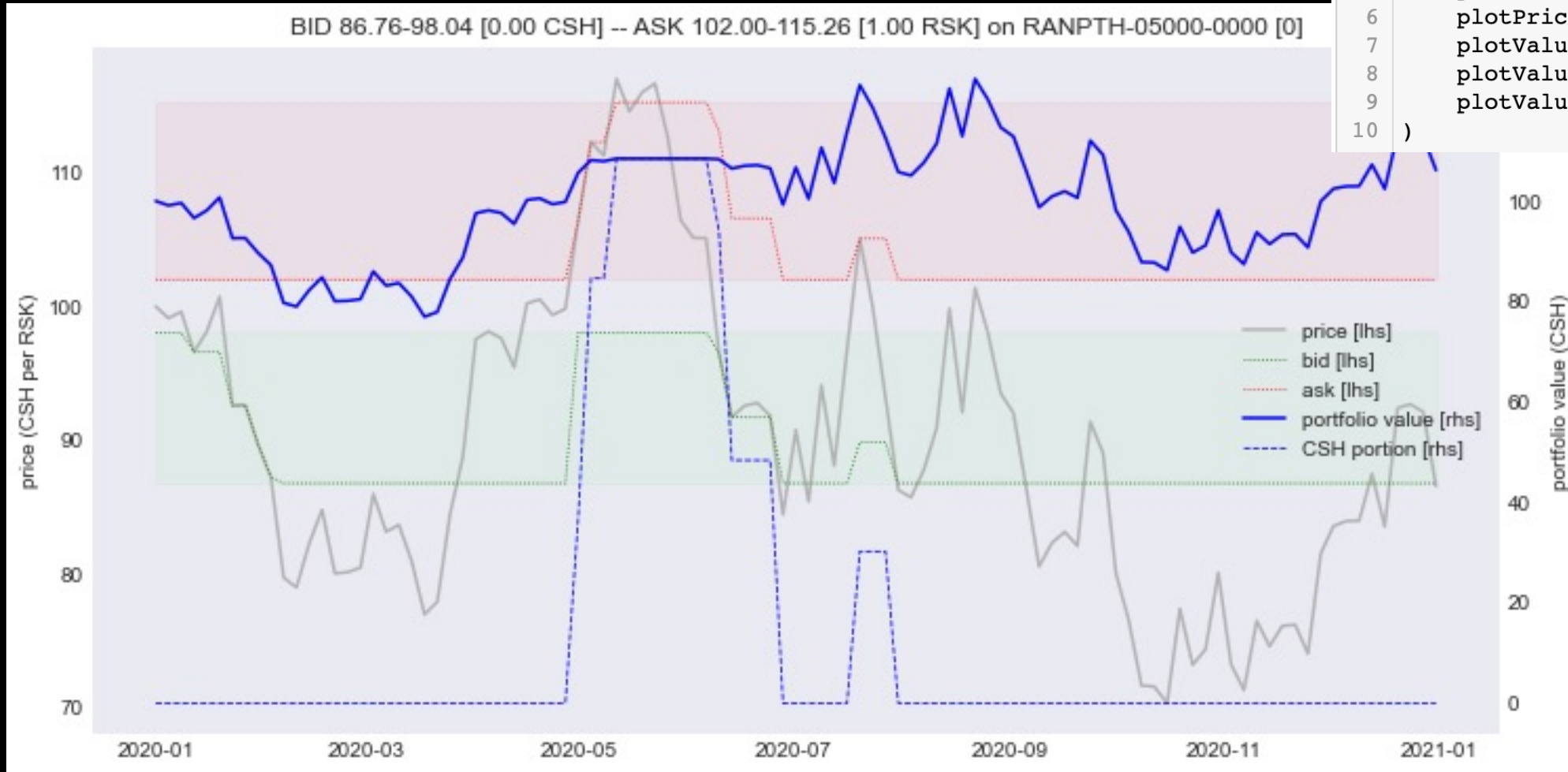
**outpath="."**

every chart generated is written into the output directory; all charts are combined into a single Word document that can be downloaded

**outpath=None**

charts are not saved

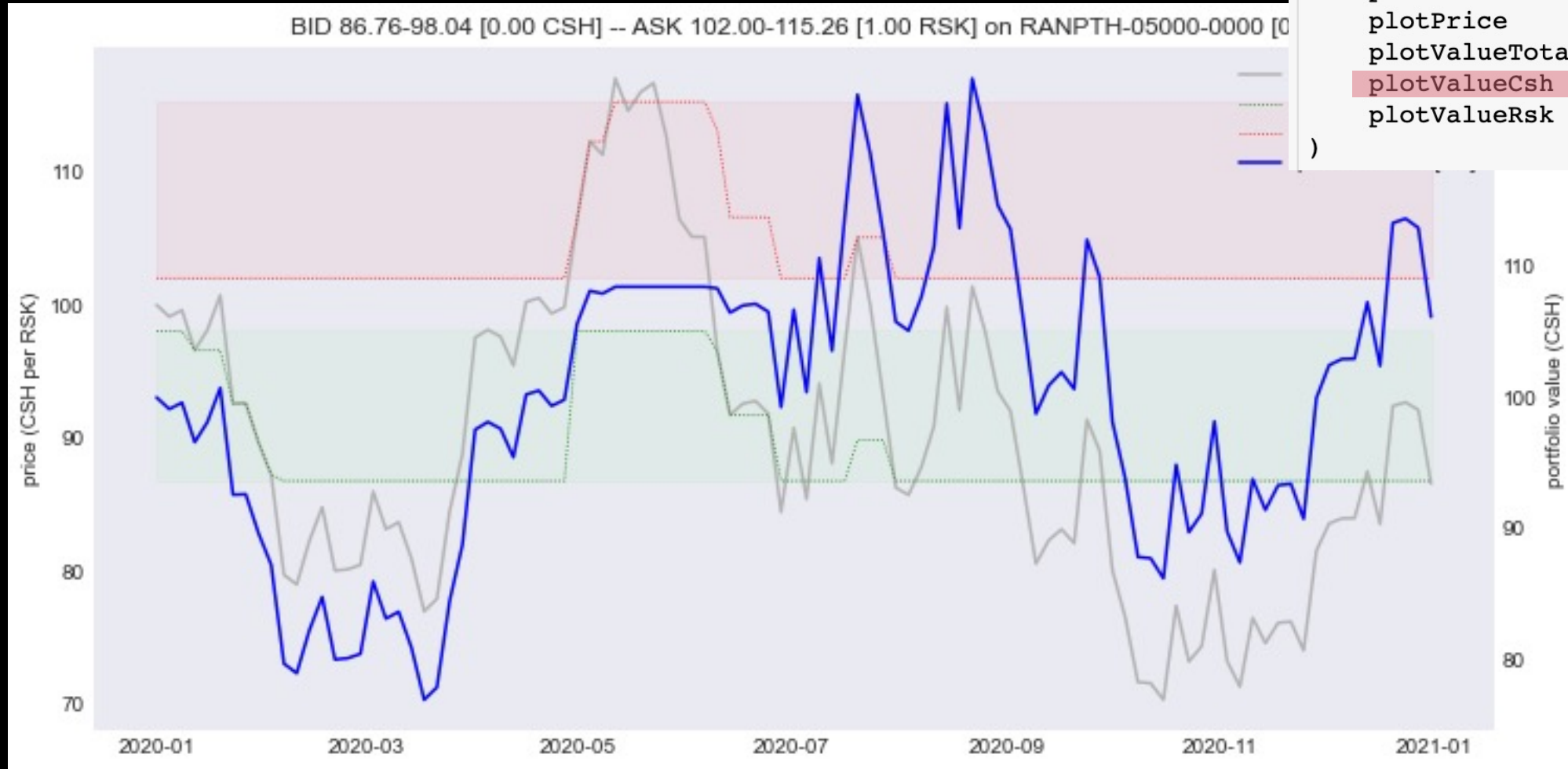
# Some display options



```
1 params = Params(  
2     plotRanges           = True,  
3     plotMargP           = True,  
4     plotBuy              = True,  
5     plotSell             = True,  
6     plotPrice            = True,  
7     plotValueTotal       = True,  
8     plotValueCsh         = True,  
9     plotValueRsk         = False,  
10 )
```



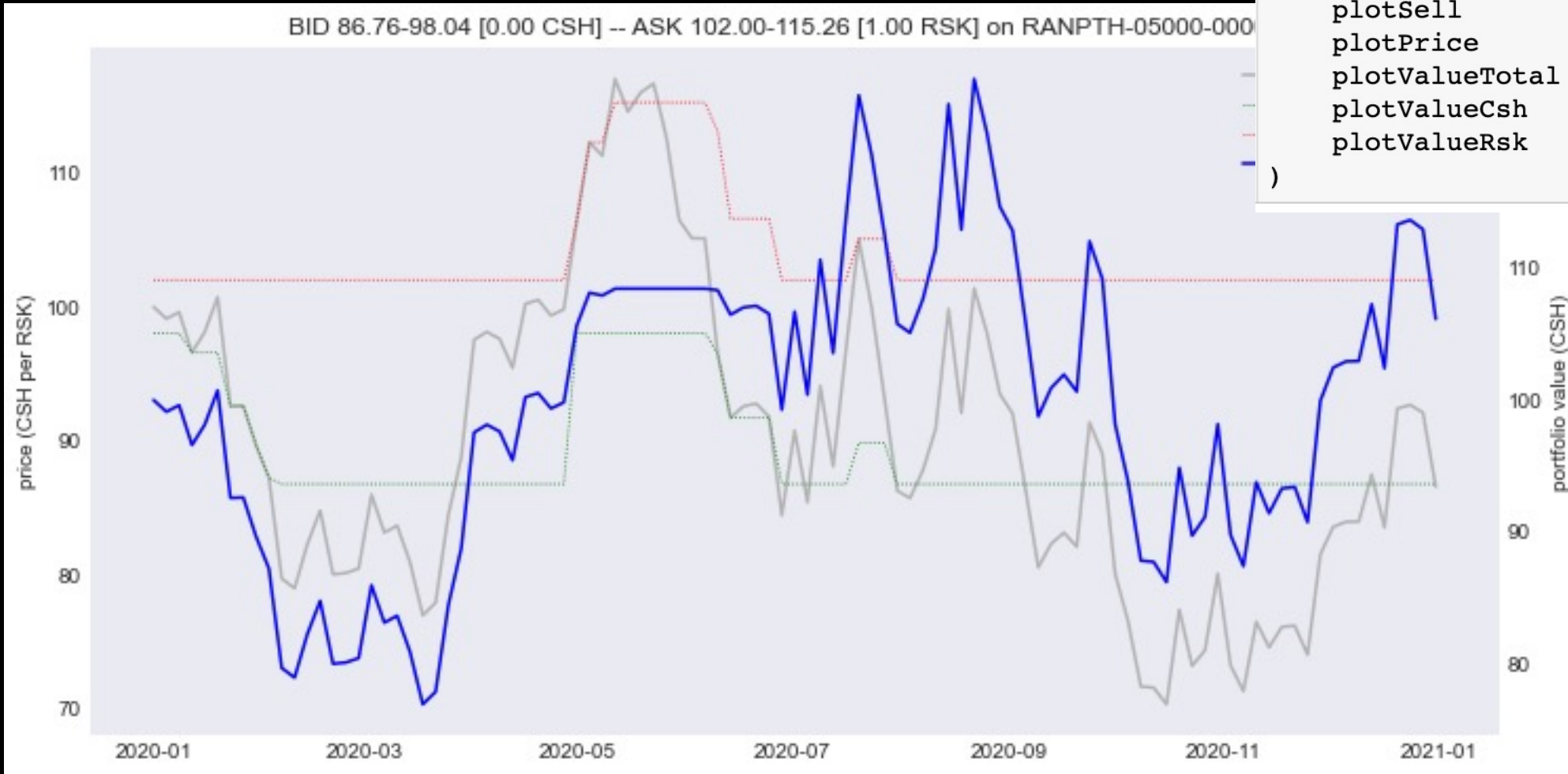
# Some display options



```
params = Params(  
    plotRanges           = True,  
    plotMargP           = True,  
    plotBuy             = True,  
    plotSell            = True,  
    plotPrice           = True,  
    plotValueTotal       = True,  
    plotValueCsh         = False,  
    plotValueRsk         = False,  
)
```

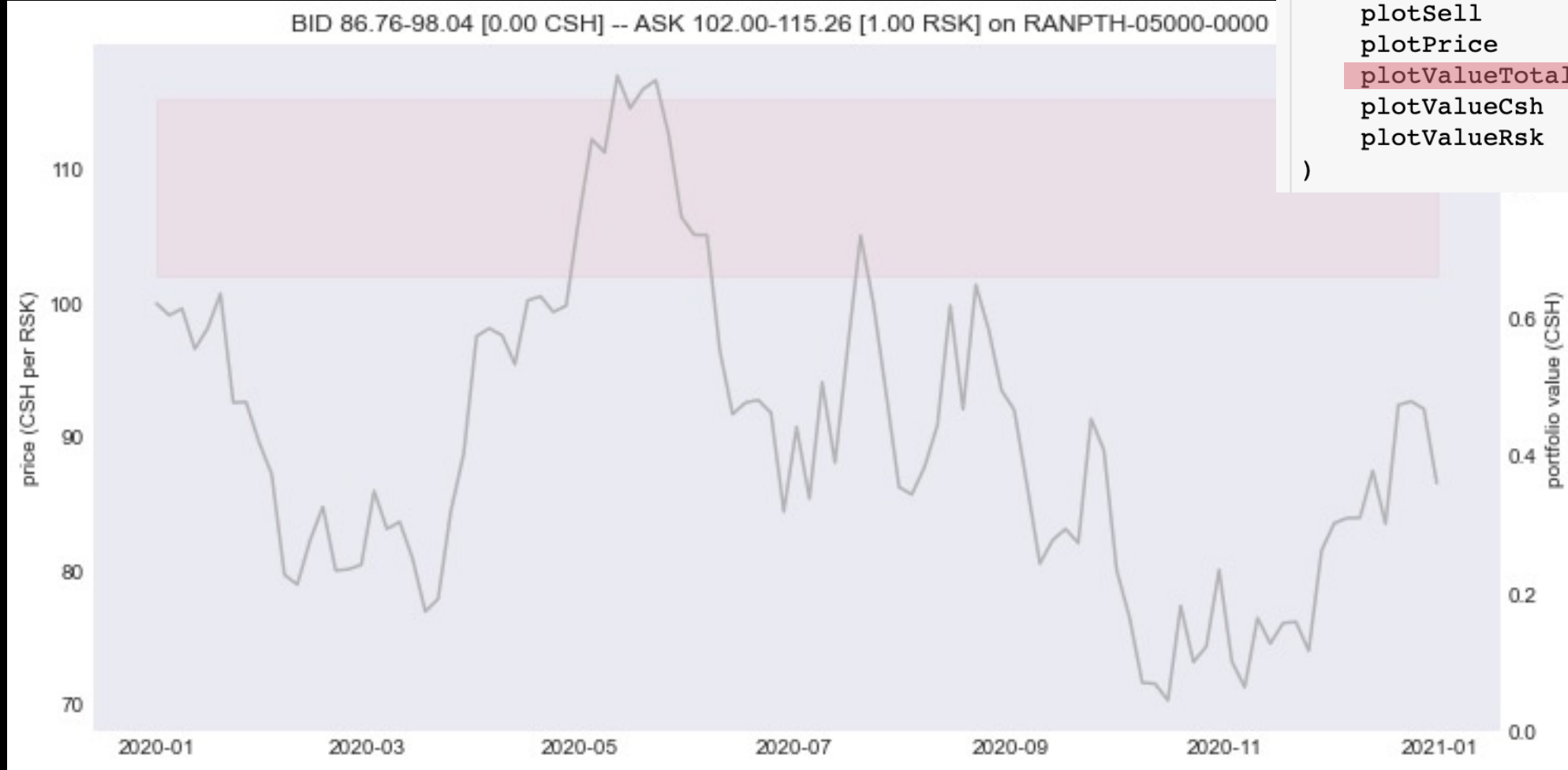
# Some display options

```
params = Params(  
    plotRanges = False,  
    plotMargP = True,  
    plotBuy = True,  
    plotSell = True,  
    plotPrice = True,  
    plotValueTotal = True,  
    plotValueCsh = False,  
    plotValueRsk = False,  
)
```



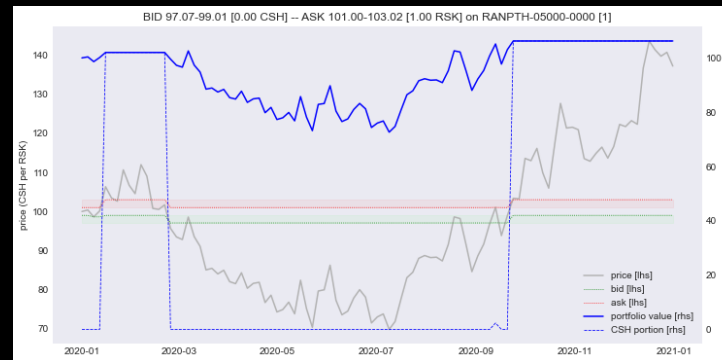
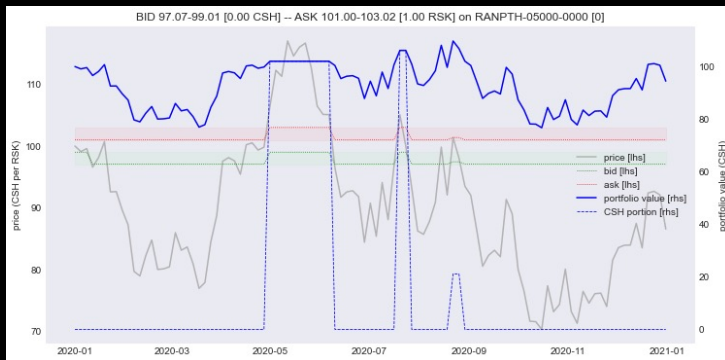
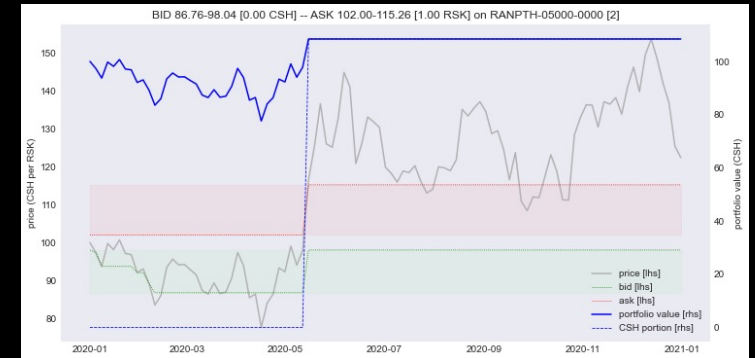
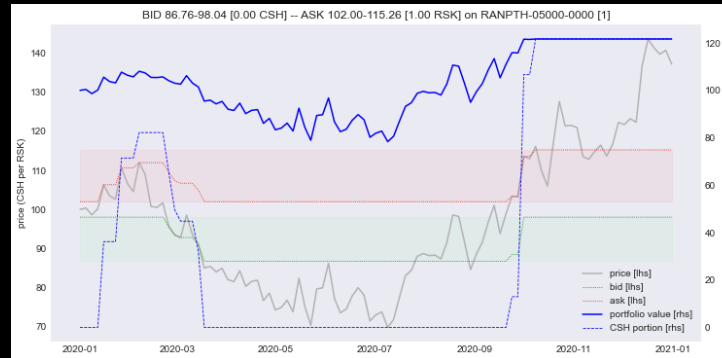
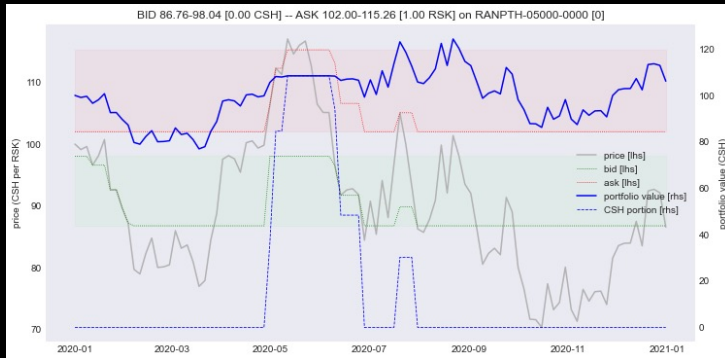


# Some display options



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    plotPrice            = True,  
    plotValueTotal       = False,  
    plotValueCsh         = False,  
    plotValueRsk         = False,  
)
```

# Some example runs



# Appendix

# References

- This presentation on [github](#)
- Carbon Whitepaper on [carbondefi.xyz](#)
- Carbon Simulator on [github](#) and [binder](#)
- Simulator example Demo 7-1 on [github](#) and [binder](#)
- Simulator example Demo 7-2 on [github](#) and [binder](#)

# NBTest versus Demo notebooks

## Demo

- Demo notebooks cover a specific use Carbon use case
- They only contain user-readable demo code, they are not part of the testing pipeline
- Demo books are roughly grouped by thematic area; eg 7-x books are about trading charts
- Demo notebooks are located in [resources/demo](#)

## NBTest

- NBTest notebooks are developed in line with features of the Carbon library
- They may contain some demo code, but most importantly they contain tests
- NBTest books are sequentially numbered, by time of development of the associated feature
- NBTest notebooks are located in [resources/NBTest](#)