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## Introduction

This report is a two part study of:

- I) Pricing a convertible bond contract in which, **at expiry**  $T$  the holder has the option to choose between receiving the principle  $F$  or alternatively receiving  $R$  underlying stocks with price  $S$
- II) An extension to the above contract where the holder is able to exercise the decision to convert the bond in stock at **any time before** the maturity of the contract. This is known as an American embedded option

through the use of advanced numerical methods such as Crank-Nicolson with PSOR.

## 1 European Type Option Convertible Bond

The PDE describing such a convertible bond contract is given by

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 S^{2\beta} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S^2} + \kappa(\theta(t) - S) \frac{\partial V}{\partial S} - rV + Ce^{-\alpha t} = 0 \quad (1)$$

To use advanced numerical methods of (approximately) solving such PDEs we need a numerical scheme. This is a method of rewriting Equation 1 as a matrix equation as in Equation 2.

$$\begin{pmatrix} b_0 & c_0 & 0 & 0 & . & . & . & . & 0 \\ a_1 & b_1 & c_1 & 0 & . & . & . & . & . \\ 0 & a_2 & b_2 & c_2 & 0 & . & . & . & . \\ . & . & . & . & . & . & . & . & . \\ . & . & . & . & a_j & b_j & c_j & . & . \\ . & . & . & . & . & . & . & . & . \\ 0 & . & . & . & . & . & . & a_{jmax} & b_{jmax} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} V_j^0 \\ V_j^1 \\ V_j^2 \\ . \\ V_j^i \\ . \\ V_{jmax}^i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d_j^0 \\ d_j^1 \\ d_j^2 \\ . \\ d_j^i \\ . \\ d_{jmax}^i \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

where  $j$  represents the steps in  $S$  and  $i$  the steps in  $t$ . The Crank-Nicolson method takes approximations of derivatives by Taylor expanding at the half time steps thus yielding

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} \approx \frac{V_j^{i+1} - V_j^i}{\Delta t} \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial S} \approx \frac{1}{4\Delta S} (V_{j+1}^i - V_{j-1}^i + V_{j+1}^{i+1} - V_{j-1}^{i+1}) \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S^2} \approx \frac{1}{2\Delta S^2} (V_{j+1}^i - 2V_j^i + V_{j-1}^i + V_{j+1}^{i+1} - 2V_j^{i+1} + V_{j-1}^{i+1}) \quad (5)$$

$$V \approx \frac{1}{2} (V_j^i + V_j^{i+1}). \quad (6)$$

So substituting Equations 3 - 6 into Equation 1 gives the numerical scheme for the non-boundary regime  $1 \leq j < jmax$ .

$$a_j = \frac{\sigma^2 S^{2\beta}}{4\Delta S^2} - \frac{\kappa(\theta - S)}{4\Delta S} \quad (7)$$

$$b_j = \frac{1}{\Delta t} - \frac{\sigma^2 S^{2\beta}}{2\Delta S^2} - \frac{r}{2} \quad (8)$$

$$c_j = \frac{\sigma^2 S^{2\beta}}{4\Delta S^2} + \frac{\kappa(\theta - S)}{4\Delta S} \quad (9)$$

$$d_j = -\frac{V_j^{i+1}}{\Delta t} - \frac{\sigma^2 S^{2\beta}}{4\Delta S^2}(V_{j+1}^{i+1} - 2V_j^{i+1} + V_{j-1}^{i+1}) - \frac{\kappa(\theta - S)}{4\Delta S}(V_{j+1}^{i+1} - V_{j-1}^{i+1}) + \frac{r}{2}V_j^{i+1} - Ce^{-\alpha t} \quad (10)$$

The boundary conditions are problem dependent so for this particular we have two boundaries at  $S = 0$  and  $\lim_{S \rightarrow +\infty}$ . Consider the first boundary, when  $S = 0$  i.e  $j = 0$ . Using Equations 3 and 6 and a modified Equation 4 which becomes

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial S} \approx \frac{1}{\Delta S}(V_{j+1}^i - V_j^i). \quad (11)$$

The numerical scheme after substituting the approximated derivates is now given by

$$a_0 = 0 \quad (12)$$

$$b_0 = -\frac{1}{\Delta t} - \frac{\kappa\theta}{\Delta S} - \frac{r}{2} \quad (13)$$

$$c_0 = \frac{\kappa\theta}{\Delta S} \quad (14)$$

$$d_0 = (-\frac{1}{\Delta t} + \frac{r}{2})V_j^{i+1} - Ce^{-\alpha t} \quad (15)$$

For the  $\lim_{S \rightarrow +\infty}$  we have the condition that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \kappa(X - S)\frac{\partial V}{\partial S} - rV + Ce^{-\alpha t} = 0 \quad (16)$$

with the ansatz

$$V(S, t) = SA(t) + B(t). \quad (17)$$

It can be shown (See Appendix 1) by partial differentiation and integrating using an integrating factor method that

$$A(t) = Re^{(\kappa+r)(t-T)} \quad (18)$$

and

$$B(t) = -XRe^{(\kappa+r)(t-T)} + \frac{C}{\alpha + r}e^{-\alpha t} - \frac{C}{\alpha + r}e^{-(\alpha+r)T+rt} + XRe^{r(t-T)}. \quad (19)$$

Finally we have the last part of the numerical scheme as

$$a_0 = 0 \quad (20)$$

$$b_0 = 1 \quad (21)$$

$$c_0 = 0 \quad (22)$$

$$d_0 = SA(t) + B(t). \quad (23)$$

Using this complete numerical scheme, the method is to solve backwards in time from  $i = imax$  to  $i = 0$  where at each time step the Equation 2 is solved using a method such as Successive Over Relaxation (SOR) for  $j = 0 \rightarrow jmax$ .

## 1.1 Investigating $\beta$ and $\sigma$

For the rest of this section assume these values were used unless otherwise specified:  $T = 2$ ,  $F = 95$ ,  $R = 2$ ,  $r = 0.0229$ ,  $\kappa = 0.125$ ,  $\mu = 0.0113$ ,  $X = 47.66$ ,  $C = 1.09$ ,  $\alpha = 0.02$ ,  $\beta = 0.486$  and  $\sigma = 3.03$ . The value of the option  $V(S, t)$  was investigated as a function of the initial underlying asset price  $S_0$  for two cases:

- 1) ( $\beta = 1$ ,  $\sigma = 0.416$ ) with all other paramaters as previously defined
- 2) ( $\beta = 0.486$ ,  $\sigma = 3.03$ ) with all other paramaters as previously defined

The Crank-Nicolson method with the numerical scheme as calculated previously, combined with a SOR iterative method of solving the matrix equation, was implemented in code. This produced the plots seen in Figure 1.

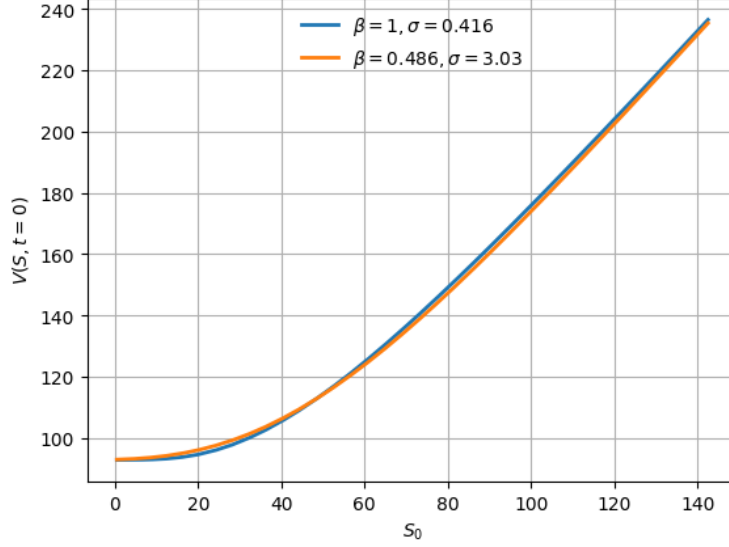


Figure 1: Value of the convertible bond  $V(S, t = 0)$  against initial underlying asset price at time  $S_0$  for two combinations of  $\beta$  and  $\sigma$ .

The two configurations were therefore found to have the same effect and produce plots for the price of the bond which were very close. This prompted further analysis on the linked relationship between  $\beta$ ,  $\sigma$  and  $V(S, t)$ . A 3D graph of the value of the portfolio for a particular  $S_0$ , here chosen to be equal to  $X$ , and the two other parameters was plotted. Figure 2 illustrates such a relationship which is interesting both in shape and in what it can be modelled by. Going back a few steps, the risk-neutral process followed by the underlying stock price is given by

$$dS = \kappa(\theta(t) - S)dt + \sigma S^\beta dW \quad (24)$$

which is an Ornstein-Uhlenbeck (OU) process [1] with a drift term of function  $\theta(t)$ , together with a Constant Elasticity of Variance [2] model where the local variance is a powerlaw of elasticity. Using this model,  $\sigma$  is defined to be the actual Black-Scholes volatility or standard deviation of the underlying asset, while  $\beta$  is the elasticity parameter of the local volatility. Moreover, using this model the values of

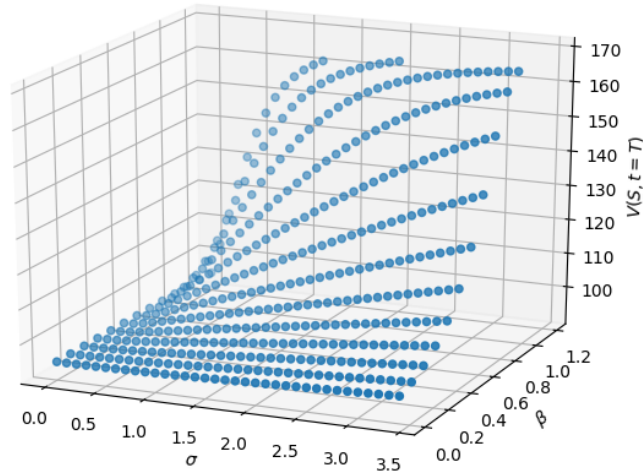


Figure 2: Value of the convertible bond  $V(S = X, t = T)$  against parameters  $\beta$  and  $\sigma$ .

$\beta$  which should be used are for  $\leq 1$ . Above this, there are implications on the inaccessibility of the origin

which for a stock price means it cannot go bankrupt which is not true. Thus, we shall stick for values of  $\beta \leq 1$  here. In this regime, the model captures the so-called 'leverage effect' which practically means that stock price and volatility are inversely proportional [3]. The parameter  $\beta$  in Equation 24 controls the steepness of the implied volatility skew which is something seen in Figure 2. The parameter  $\sigma$  is now part of a scale parameter which fixes the 'at-the-money' ( $S$  close to  $X$  regime) volatility level. So, there are  $\sigma - \beta$  planes on Figure 2 which have close values of the convertible bond for multiple combinations of  $(\sigma, \beta)$ . This happens since having a steep implied variance skew but a lower actual variation, which is an average of a time period, and the other way round counteract each other.

## 1.2 Varying step sizes

As will be described later though, an increase in  $i_{max}$  is preferable rather than  $j_{max}$  for convergence due to computational time requirements. Finally, for this section the parameters  $i_{max}$ ,  $j_{max}$  and  $S_{max}$

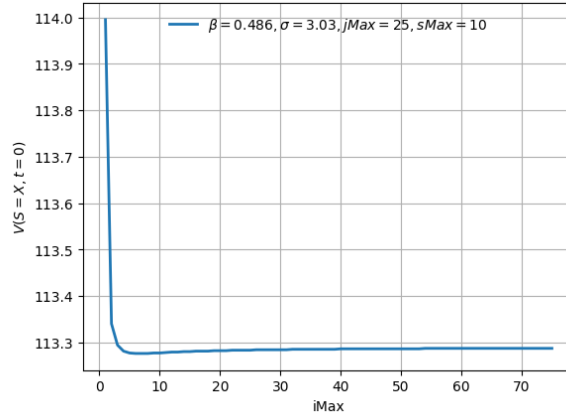
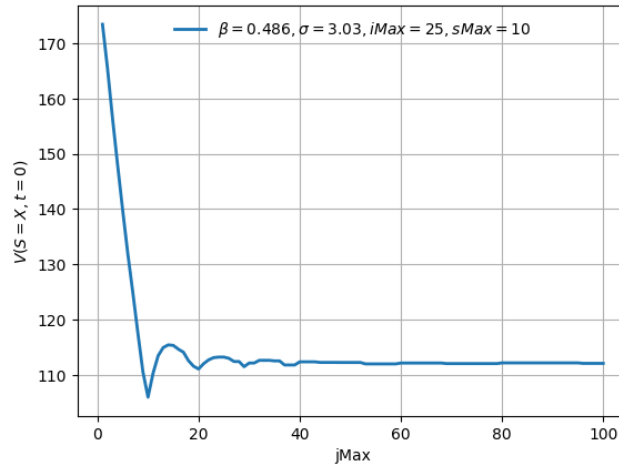


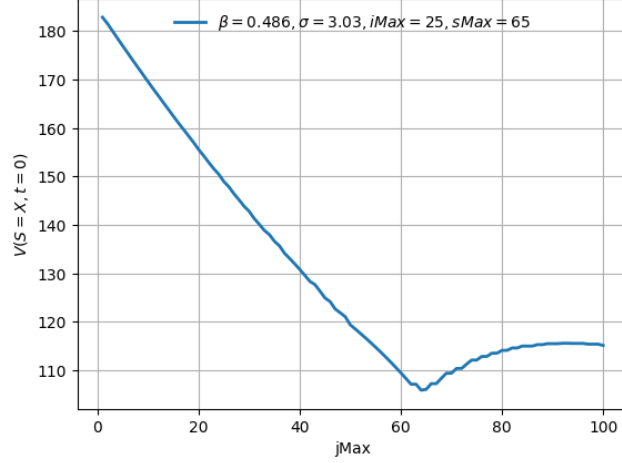
Figure 3: Trend of the convertible bond  $V(S = X, t = T)$  as parameter  $i_{max}$  is varied.

were investigated to study how a variation in their value affected the result. The region selected was the at-the-money  $S = X$  region of stock price to have comparable results across all three parameters. Starting with the variation in the time steps, Figure 3 illustrates such relationship. Here, it is clear that increasing  $i_{max}$  rapidly converges towards a single value of  $V(X, T)$  and after  $i_{max} = 25$  there is really no point in increasing this parameter too much.

When it came to varying  $j_{max}$  which is the number of steps in  $S$  per timestep, it was noticed that since the stepsize in  $S$  is calculated by dividing  $S_{max}$  by the number of steps then these had to go hand



(a) Stability and convergence can be observed after  $j_{max} = 40$



(b) The plot from 4a is stretched and since  $S_{max}$  is  $\times 6.5$  as much, the first minimum is also stretched by that much.

Figure 4: Plots of the price of the convertible bond  $V(X, T)$  against changing  $j_{max}$  for different values of  $S_{max}$ .

in hand when varying one of them. Figure 4 illustrates this very clearly. Keeping the range of  $j_{max}$  the same and increasing  $S_{max}$  shows the same plot but being stretched out in the x-axis. This happens since increasing the maximum cutoff  $S$  from which to start at each timestep but keeping the number of steps constant would mean larger jumps thus a less accurate result everytime. Instead, ensuring that the overall stepsize in  $S$  is constant or small enough is paramount in keeping the result accurate. Recall that the error in the Crank-Nicolson method is  $\mathcal{O}(\Delta S^2, \Delta t^2)$ .

Following this, the natural progression is to vary  $S_{max}$  for a given value of  $i_{max}$ . However, due to the results in Figure 4 we have to make sure we increase  $j_{max}$  as we go along. Figure 6 clearly shows

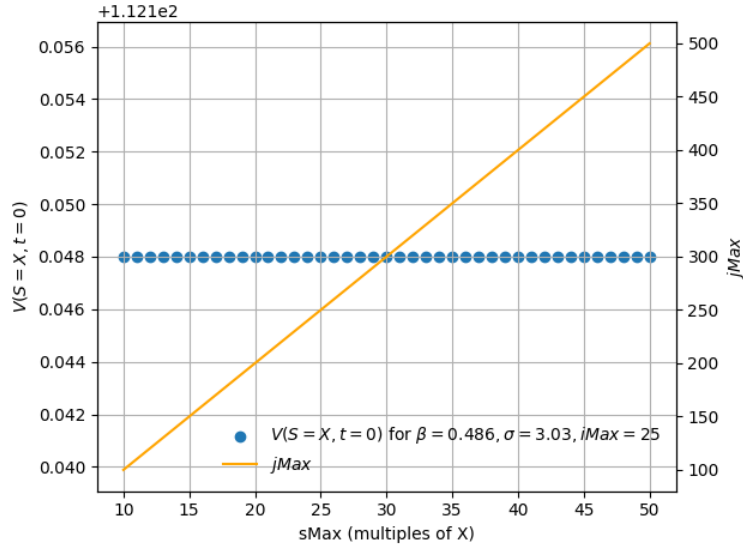


Figure 5: Trend of the convertible bond  $V(S = X, t = 0)$  as parameter  $S_{max}$  is varied and  $j_{max}$  is varied to be kept at a comparable value.

that already at  $S_{max} = 10X$  the value of the convertible bond converges. In fact, for higher  $S_{max}$  the result is identical to 7 significant figures since this is the residual error limit that was set on the SOR method, with a maximum cap of 10,000 iterations which all iterations of  $S_{max}$  shown stay under. The computational requirement of increasing  $S_{max}$  is linked to that of increasing  $j_{max}$  and since the re-

turn is an unreasonable amount of significant figures precision then it is not worth using an  $S_{max} > 10X$ .

The last issue left to investigate is the time requirements and processing complexity of varying these parameters. As can be inferred from Figure 6  $i_{max}$  follows a linear time increase while  $j_{max}$  is exponential. This is because of the fact that a single loop from time  $t = T$  to  $t = 0$  is done but a further loop of  $j_{max}$  length is done per time step. Since the error of Crank-Nicolson is given by  $\mathcal{O}(\Delta S^2, \Delta t^2)$  both quantities are important and are dependent directly on  $i_{max}$  and  $j_{max}$  however  $j_{max}$  has the highest influence on the value converging to the analytic value so a compromise must be made.

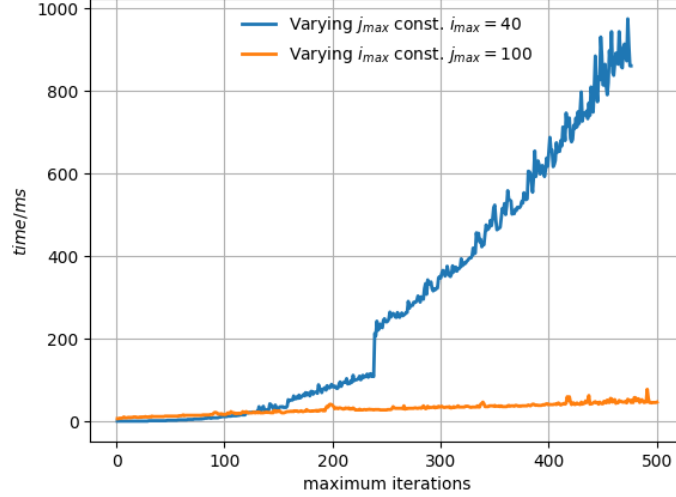


Figure 6: Variation of the time required to calculate the convertible bond price as  $j_{max}$  and  $i_{max}$  are varied.

The final value for  $\sigma = 3.03$  and  $\beta = 0.486$  was calculated to be  $V(S = X, t = 0) = 112.163$  with  $S_{max} = 10X$ ,  $j_{max} = 400$ ,  $i_{max} = 50$ .

## 2 American Type Option Convertible Bond with Embedded Option

For this section the numerical method used was Crank-Nicolson Method with Penalty method and Thomas method for the matrix equation solver. The extension to the european option type convertible bond detailed in Section 1 is to change it to an American type option. By this we mean that the holder has the option to convert the bond in stock at any time before the maturity of the contract. To ensure this, the inequality

$$V \geq RS \quad (25)$$

must hold for all  $t < T$ . This means the  $V_{american} > V_{european}$ . A last addition is to embed a put option in this contract which means the holder has the option to sell the bond back to the issuer over some time period such that

$$V(S, t) \geq P_p \quad \text{for} \quad t \leq t_0 \quad (26)$$

must hold.

Figure 7 shows the results of adding these conditions in the code. The limit for large  $S$  is observed as expected to tend to  $RS$  and compared to Figure 1 the value of the option is higher. This is due to the fact that the effective increase in power given to the holder increases the price. Furthermore, adding the put option increases further the price since again this gives more power to the holder. This put option might be a sort of safety net in case the value of the stock decreases too much and as with most financial contracts, a decrease in risk must increase the price. The bond floor is thus observed to be raised when compared to the no-option case.

Finally, the arrows are pointing to two decision points at which the price of the contract becomes more than  $P_p$  thereafter and becomes more than  $RS_0$  thereafter, respectively. These are important points since the holder would only ever buy the contract for values of  $S_0$  between those two points otherwise they would just buy the contract to sell it again or would buy the underlying equity.

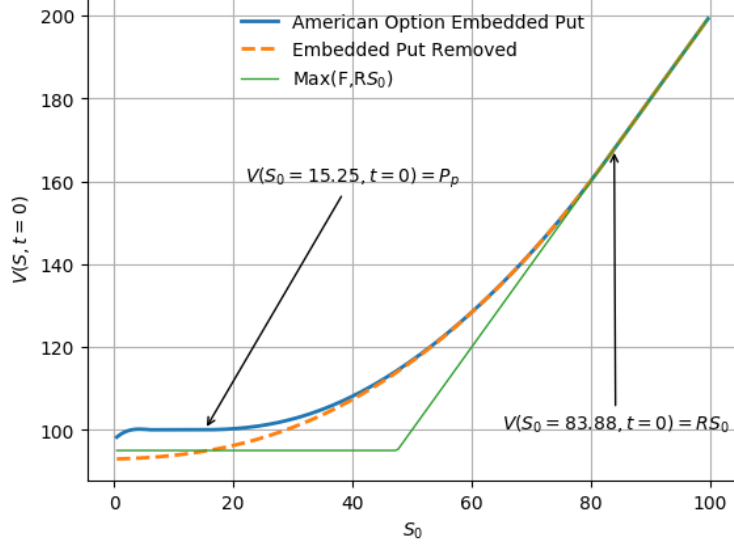


Figure 7: Value of the american type option convertible bond  $V(S, t = 0)$  against initial underlying asset price  $S_0$  with and without the embedded put option.

The sensitivity to the mean reversion rate [4]  $\kappa$  was studied. Referring back to Equation 24, this is the rate at which the stock will revert back to the long term mean price described by  $\theta(t)$ . As can be seen from Figure 8 an increase in  $\kappa$  decreases the value of the bond in the at-the-money region of the underlying stock. This is expected since less fluctuations in the stock price movements make it less attractive to buy this contract due to the probabilities of the stock price changing drastically in the future being lower thus the convertibility of the bond being unused.

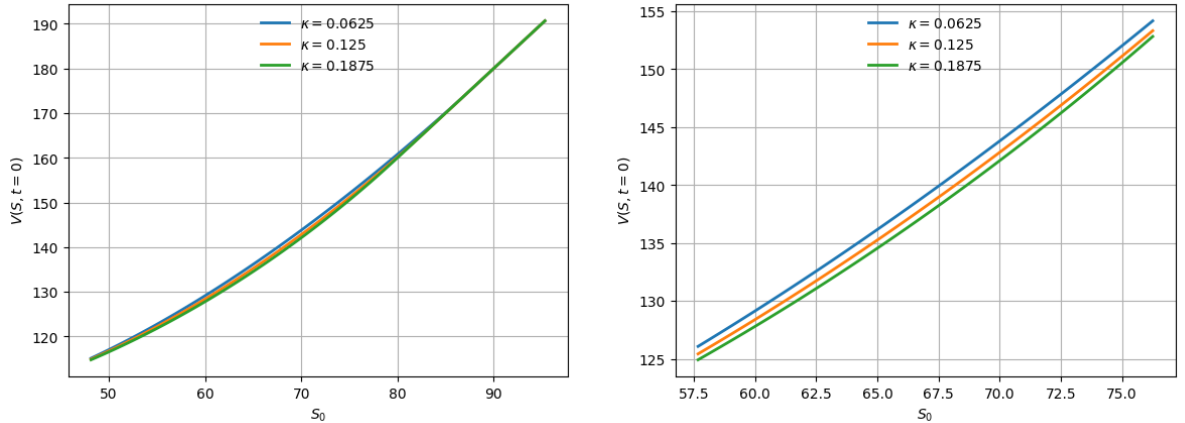


Figure 8: Value of the american type option convertible bond  $V(S, t = 0)$  with embedded put option for different values of parameter  $\kappa$ . Right side plot is a zoomed version of the left side plot.

Lastly, it was requested to obtain the most accurate value possible in one second of processing. Referring to accuracy first, the important thing to eliminate is any source of error. There are errors on the boundary (finite-element) and errors in discontinuities of the domain. Since there is a discontinuity at time  $t_0$  one must change the timestep used before and now split the domain effectively in two. The

timestep was chosen such that

$$\Delta t = \frac{T - t_0}{i_{max} f} \quad \text{for} \quad t_0 < t \leq T \quad (27)$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{t_0}{i_{max}(1 - f)} \quad \text{for} \quad 0 < t \leq t_0 \quad (28)$$

where  $f = \frac{T - t_0}{T}$ . A better timestepping system would have been Rannacher smoothing [5] however this was beyond the scope of the analysis and as such literature was used to check that the expected convergence ratios were in the right ranges. The results, comparing the method PSOR to the penalty method are detailed in Table 1.

$N$	Penalty				PSOR			
	$V(X, 0)$	Iters	Diff.Ratio	Time(ms)	$V(X, 0)$	Iters	Diff.Ratio	Time(ms)
100	114.5230426	126		11	114.5230426	1635		18
200	114.4983047	225		34	114.4983048	2211		38
400	114.4814288	427	1.47	97	114.4814289	3208	1.47	123
800	114.4729397	827	1.99	379	114.4729397	4806	1.99	440
1600	114.4702297	1627	3.13	1455	114.4702297	8005	3.13	1807
3200	114.4688601	3227	1.98	6685	114.4688602	12804	1.98	6098
6400	114.4681719	8838.6	1.99	25486	114.4681722	19249	1.99	23284

Table 1: Table comparing convergence results and efficiencies of PSOR and Penalty methods with a Crank-Nicolson numerical scheme. Here,  $j_{max} = i_{max} = N$  and  $S_{max} = NX/20$

The results show the convergence rate is nowhere near square with timestep as it should be for a crank nicolson scheme but rather linear. This is may be due to the increased complexity the convertibility in the whole life of the bond brings with it. Because of the smoothing method taken combined with other errors such as interpolation errors the rate is less than optimal however it is within expected ranges [6]. Finally, using the information from Table 1 the most accurate value in the given time was found to be:  $V(X, t_0 = 0) = 114.472554$  in 965ms with  $j_{max} = i_{max} = 1300$  and  $s_{max} = 65X$ .



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## Appendix 2

### Portfolio Pricing Program Listing

```
1 #include <iostream>
2 #include <fstream>
3 #include <cmath>
4 #include <vector>
5 #include <algorithm>
6 #include <chrono>
7
8 using namespace std;
9
10 /*
11  * ON INPUT:
12  * a, b and c — are the diagonals of the matrix
13  * rhs — is the right hand side
14  * x — is the initial guess
15  * iterMax — is maximum iterations
16  * tol — is the tolerance level
17  * omega — is the relaxation parameter
18  * sor — not used
19  * ON OUTPUT:
20  * a, b, c, rhs — unchanged
21  * x — solution to Ax=b
22  * iterMax, tol, omega — unchanged
23  * sor — number of iterations to converge
24  */
25 void sorSolve(const std::vector<double> &a, const std::vector<double> &b,
26              const std::vector<double> &c, const std::vector<double> &rhs,
27              std::vector<double> &x, int iterMax, double tol, double omega
28              , int &sorCount)
29 {
30     // assumes vectors a,b,c,d,rhs and x are same size (doesn't check)
31     int n = a.size() - 1;
32     // sor loop
33     for (sorCount = 0; sorCount < iterMax; sorCount++)
34     {
35         double error = 0.;
36         // implement sor in here
37         {
38             double y = (rhs[0] - c[0] * x[1]) / b[0];
39             x[0] = x[0] + omega * (y - x[0]);
40         }
41         for (int j = 1; j < n; j++)
42         {
43             double y = (rhs[j] - a[j] * x[j - 1] - c[j] * x[j + 1]) / b[j];
44             x[j] = x[j] + omega * (y - x[j]);
45         }
46         {
47             double y = (rhs[n] - a[n] * x[n - 1]) / b[n];
48             x[n] = x[n] + omega * (y - x[n]);
49         }
50         // calculate residual norm ||r|| as sum of absolute values
51         error += std::fabs(rhs[0] - b[0] * x[0] - c[0] * x[1]);
52         for (int j = 1; j < n; j++)
53             error += std::fabs(rhs[j] - a[j] * x[j - 1] - b[j] * x[j] - c[j] * x[
54 j + 1]);
55     }
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52     error += std::fabs(rhs[n] - a[n] * x[n - 1] - b[n] * x[n]);
53     // make an exit condition when solution found
54     if (error < tol)
55         break;
56 }
57 }
58 std::vector<double> thomasSolve(const std::vector<double> &a, const std::
    vector<double> &b_, const std::vector<double> &c, std::vector<double> &d
    )
59 {
60     int n = a.size();
61     std::vector<double> b(n), temp(n);
62     // initial first value of b
63     b[0] = b_[0];
64     for (int j = 1; j < n; j++)
65     {
66         b[j] = b_[j] - c[j - 1] * a[j] / b[j - 1];
67         d[j] = d[j] - d[j - 1] * a[j] / b[j - 1];
68     }
69     // calculate solution
70     temp[n - 1] = d[n - 1] / b[n - 1];
71     for (int j = n - 2; j >= 0; j--)
72         temp[j] = (d[j] - c[j] * temp[j + 1]) / b[j];
73     return temp;
74 }
75 /* Template code for the Crank Nicolson Finite Difference
76 */
77 double crank_nicolson(double S0, double X, double F, double T, double r,
    double sigma,
78                     double R, double kappa, double mu, double C, double
    alpha, double beta, int iMax, int jMax, int S_max, double tol, double
    omega, int iterMax, int &sorCount)
79 {
80     // declare and initialise local variables (ds,dt)
81     double dS = S_max / jMax;
82     double dt = T / iMax;
83     // create storage for the stock price and option price (old and new)
84     vector<double> S(jMax + 1), vOld(jMax + 1), vNew(jMax + 1);
85     // setup and initialise the stock price
86     for (int j = 0; j <= jMax; j++)
87     {
88         S[j] = j * dS;
89     }
90     // setup and initialise the final conditions on the option price
91     for (int j = 0; j <= jMax; j++)
92     {
93         vOld[j] = max(F, R * S[j]);
94         vNew[j] = max(F, R * S[j]);
95     }
96     // start looping through time levels
97     for (int i = iMax - 1; i >= 0; i--)
98     {
99         // declare vectors for matrix equations
100         vector<double> a(jMax + 1), b(jMax + 1), c(jMax + 1), d(jMax + 1);
101         // set up matrix equations a[j]=
102         double theta = (1 + mu) * X * exp(mu * i * dt);
103         a[0] = 0;
104         b[0] = (-1 / dt) - (r / 2) - (kappa * theta / dS);

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105     c[0] = (kappa * theta / dS);
106     d[0] = (-C * exp(-alpha * i * dt)) + (vOld[0] * (-(1 / dt) + (r / 2)));
107     for (int j = 1; j <= jMax - 1; j++)
108     {
109         //
110         a[j] = (pow(sigma, 2) * pow(j * dS, 2 * beta) / (4 * pow(dS, 2))) - (
111         kappa * (theta - j * dS) / (4 * dS));
112         b[j] = (-1 / dt) - ((pow(sigma, 2.) * pow(j * dS, 2. * beta)) / (2. *
113         pow(dS, 2))) - (r / 2.);
114         c[j] = ((pow(sigma, 2.) * pow(j * dS, 2. * beta)) / (4. * pow(dS, 2.)
115         )) + ((kappa * (theta - j * dS)) / (4. * dS));
116         d[j] = (-vOld[j] / dt) - ((pow(sigma, 2.) * pow(j * dS, 2. * beta) /
117         (4. * pow(dS, 2.))) * (vOld[j + 1] - 2. * vOld[j] + vOld[j - 1])) - (((
118         kappa * (theta - j * dS)) / (4. * dS)) * (vOld[j + 1] - vOld[j - 1])) +
119         ((r / 2.) * vOld[j]) - (C * exp(-alpha * dt * i));
120     }
121     double A = R * exp((kappa + r) * (i * dt - T));
122     double B = -X * A + C * exp(-alpha * i * dt) / (alpha + r) + X * R *
123     exp(r * (i * dt - T)) - C * exp(-(alpha + r) * T + r * i * dt) / (alpha
124     + r);
125     a[jMax] = 0;
126     b[jMax] = 1;
127     c[jMax] = 0;
128     d[jMax] = jMax * dS * A + B;
129     // solve matrix equations with SOR
130     sorSolve(a, b, c, d, vNew, iterMax, tol, omega, sorCount);
131     //vNew = thomasSolve(a, b, c, d);
132
133     if (sorCount == iterMax)
134     return -1;
135
136     // set old=new
137     vOld = vNew;
138 }
139 // finish looping through time levels
140
141 // output the estimated option price
142 double optionValue;
143
144 int jStar = S0 / dS;
145 double sum = 0.;
146 sum += (S0 - S[jStar]) / (dS)*vNew[jStar + 1];
147 sum += (S[jStar + 1] - S0) / (dS)*vNew[jStar];
148 optionValue = sum;
149
150 return optionValue;
151 }
152
153 int main()
154 {
155     //
156     double T = 2., F = 95., R = 2., r = 0.0229, kappa = 0.125, altSigma =
157     0.416,
158     mu = 0.0213, X = 47.66, C = 1.09, alpha = 0.02, beta = 0.486,
159     sigma = 3.03, tol = 1.e-7, omega = 1., S.max = 10 * X;
160     //
161     /*
162     double T = 3., F = 56., R = 1., r = 0.0038, kappa = 0.083333333, altSigma

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    = 0.369,
153     mu = 0.0073, X = 56.47, C = 0.106, alpha = 0.01, beta = 1., sigma
    = 3.73, S_max = 10 * X, tol = 1.e-7, omega = 1.;
154 */
155 int iterMax = 10000, iMax = 100, jMax = 100;
156 //Create graph of varying S0 and beta and bond
157 int length = 300;
158 double S_range = 3 * X;
159 int sor;
160 /*
161 std::ofstream outFile7("./data/varying-s-beta.csv");
162
163 for (double beta = 0; beta < 1.3; beta += 0.1)
164 {
165     for (int j = 1; j <= length - 1; j++)
166     {
167         outFile7 << beta << " , " << altSigma << " , " << j * S_range /
        length << " , " << crank_nicolson(j * S_range / length, X, F, T, r,
        altSigma, R, kappa, mu, C, alpha, beta, iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega,
        iterMax, sor) << "\n";
168     }
169 }
170 outFile7.close();
171 */
172 /*
173 std::ofstream outFile8("./data/varying-s-sigma.csv");
174 beta = 1;
175 for (double altSigma = 0; altSigma < 3.5; altSigma += 0.1)
176 {
177     for (int j = 1; j <= length - 1; j++)
178     {
179         outFile8 << beta << " , " << altSigma << " , " << j * S_range /
        length << " , " << crank_nicolson(j * S_range / length, X, F, T, r,
        altSigma, R, kappa, mu, C, alpha, beta, iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega,
        iterMax, sor) << "\n";
180     }
181 }
182 outFile8.close();
183 */
184 /*
185 std::ofstream outFile9("./data/varying-s-sigma-beta.csv");
186 for (double altSigma = 0; altSigma < 3.5; altSigma += 0.1)
187 {
188     for (double beta = 0; beta < 1.3; beta += 0.1)
189     {
190         double S0 = X;
191         outFile9 << beta << " , " << altSigma << " , " << S0 << " , " <<
        crank_nicolson(S0, X, F, T, r, altSigma, R, kappa, mu, C, alpha, beta,
        iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor) << "\n";
192     }
193 }
194 outFile9.close();
195 */
196 /*
197
198 std::ofstream outFile1("./data/varying-s-beta_1.csv");
199 std::ofstream outFile2("./data/varying-s-beta_0.4.csv");
200 for (int j = 1; j <= length - 1; j++)

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201 {
202     vector<double> gamma(jMax + 1);
203     outFile1 << j * S_range / length << " , " << crank_nicolson(j * S_range
/ length, X, F, T, r, altSigma, R, kappa, mu, C, alpha, 1, iMax, jMax,
S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor, gamma) << "\n";
204     outFile2 << j * S_range / length << " , " << crank_nicolson(j * S_range
/ length, X, F, T, r, sigma, R, kappa, mu, C, alpha, beta, iMax, jMax,
S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor, gamma) << "\n";
205 }
206 outFile1.close();
207 outFile2.close();
208 */
209 /*
210 std::ofstream outFile3("./data/varying_imax.csv");
211 jMax = 100;
212 for (iMax = 1; iMax <= 500; iMax += 1)
213 {
214     double S = X;
215     auto t1 = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
216     double result = crank_nicolson(S, X, F, T, r, sigma, R, kappa, mu, C,
alpha, beta, iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor);
217     auto t2 = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
218     auto time_taken =
219         std::chrono::duration_cast<std::chrono::milliseconds>(t2 - t1)
220         .count();
221     outFile3 << S_max << "," << iMax << "," << jMax << "," << S << " , " <<
std::fixed << result << "," << time_taken << "\n";
222 }
223 outFile3.close();
224 */
225 /*
226 for (int s_Mult = 10; s_Mult <= 10; s_Mult += 1)
227 {
228     double S = X;
229     S_max = s_Mult * X;
230     string title = "./data/smax_jmax/" + to_string(s_Mult) + "_varying_jmax
.csv";
231     std::ofstream outFile4(title);
232     iMax = 40;
233     for (jMax = 1; jMax <= 500; jMax += 1)
234     {
235         auto t1 = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
236         double result = crank_nicolson(S, X, F, T, r, sigma, R, kappa, mu, C,
alpha, beta, iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor);
237         auto t2 = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
238         auto time_taken =
239             std::chrono::duration_cast<std::chrono::milliseconds>(t2 - t1)
240             .count();
241         outFile4 << S_max << "," << iMax << "," << jMax << "," << S << " , "
<< std::fixed << result << "," << time_taken << "\n";
242     }
243     outFile4.close();
244 }
245 */
246
247 //std::ofstream outFile5("./data/varying_smax.csv");
248 iMax = 25;
249 tol = 1.e-7;

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250 for (int s_Mult = 10; s_Mult <= 50; s_Mult += 1)
251 {
252     jMax = s_Mult * 10;
253     double S = X;
254     S_max = s_Mult * X;
255     int sorCount;
256     auto t1 = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
257     double result = crank_nicolson(S, X, F, T, r, sigma, R, kappa, mu, C,
258     alpha, beta, iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sorCount);
259     auto t2 = std::chrono::high_resolution_clock::now();
260     auto time_taken =
261         std::chrono::duration_cast<std::chrono::milliseconds>(t2 - t1)
262         .count();
263     cout << S_max << ", " << iMax << ", " << jMax << ", " << S << " , " << std
264     ::fixed << result << ", " << time_taken << "\n";
265 }
266 //outFile5.close();
267
268 /*
269 S_max = 10 * X;
270 std::ofstream outFile6("./data/analytic.csv");
271 iMax = 25, jMax = 100;
272
273 for (int j = 1; j <= length - 1; j++)
274 {
275     vector<double> gamma(jMax + 1);
276
277     outFile6 << j * S_range / length << " , " << crank_nicolson(j * S_range
278     / length, X, F, T, r, altSigma, R, 0, mu, C, alpha, 1, iMax, jMax,
279     S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor, gamma) << "\n";
280 }
281 outFile6.close();
282 */
283 S_max = 10 * X;
284 iMax = 50, jMax = 400;
285 double S0 = X;
286 std::cout << std::fixed << crank_nicolson(S0, X, F, T, r, sigma, R, kappa
287     , mu, C, alpha, beta, iMax, jMax, S_max, tol, omega, iterMax, sor);
288 }

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## Graphing Program Listing

```

1 import scipy.stats as si
2 import numpy as np
3 import csv
4 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
5
6 C = 1.09
7 alpha = 0.02
8 r = 0.0229
9 T = 2.
10 F = 95.
11 R = 2.
12 sigma = 0.416
13 K = 47.66
14 ', '
15 T=3
16 C=0.106
17 alpha=0.01

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18 r=0.0038
19 R=1
20 F=56
21 sigma = 0.369
22 K=56.47
23 ', '
24 #Calculate value of coupon
25 #Through integrating Cexp(-(alpha+r)t)dt from 0 to T
26 COUPON = C/(alpha+r) * (1- np.exp(-(alpha+r)*T))
27
28 BOND = F*np.exp(-r*T)
29
30 variationData=[]
31 with open('data/analytic.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
32     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['S', 'V'], quoting=csv.
    QUOTENONNUMERIC)
33     currentData={'x':[], 'y':[]}
34     for row in reader:
35         currentData['x'].append(row['S'])
36         currentData['y'].append(row['V'])
37     variationData.append(currentData)
38
39 def euro_vanilla_call(S, K, T, r, sigma):
40
41     #S: spot price
42     #K: strike price
43     #T: time to maturity
44     #r: interest rate
45     #sigma: volatility of underlying asset
46
47     d1 = (np.log(S / K) + (r + 0.5 * sigma ** 2) * T) / (sigma * np.sqrt(T)
    )
48     d2 = (np.log(S / K) + (r - 0.5 * sigma ** 2) * T) / (sigma * np.sqrt(T)
    )
49
50     call = (S * si.norm.cdf(d1, 0.0, 1.0) - K * np.exp(-r * T) * si.norm.
    cdf(d2, 0.0, 1.0))
51
52     return call
53
54 ANALYTIC_PRICE = []
55 STOCK_PRICE = []
56 BOND_FLOOR = []
57 CONV_BOND = []
58 for s in range(1,140):
59     STOCK_PRICE.append(s)
60     ANALYTIC_PRICE.append(R*euro_vanilla_call(s, K, T, r, sigma) + BOND +
    COUPON)
61
62 #plt.plot(S,V1, label = " beta = 1")
63 #plt.plot(STOCK_PRICE,BOND_FLOOR, label = "Bond")
64 plt.plot(STOCK_PRICE,ANALYTIC_PRICE, label = "Analytic")
65 plt.plot(variationData[0]['x'],variationData[0]['y'], label = "Crank")
66 plt.xlabel('Stock price')
67 plt.ylabel('Eurocall Option')
68 plt.legend()
69 plt.savefig('images/analytic.png',bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)

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```

1 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
2 import numpy as np
3 import csv
4 import scipy.stats as si
5
6 X=47.66
7 R=2
8 F=95
9 T=2.0
10 C = 1.09
11 alpha = 0.02
12 r = 0.0229
13 T = 2.
14 sigma = 0.416
15 '''
16 def euro_vanilla_call(S, K, T, r, sigma):
17
18     #S: spot price
19     #K: strike price
20     #T: time to maturity
21     #r: interest rate
22     #sigma: volatility of underlying asset
23
24     d1 = (np.log(S / K) + (r + 0.5 * sigma ** 2) * T) / (sigma * np.sqrt(T)
25 )
26     d2 = (np.log(S / K) + (r - 0.5 * sigma ** 2) * T) / (sigma * np.sqrt(T)
27 )
28
29     call = (R*S * si.norm.cdf(d1, 0.0, 1.0) - K * np.exp(-r * T) * si.norm.
30 cdf(d2, 0.0, 1.0))
31
32     return call
33
34 variationData=[]
35 with open('data/varying_imax.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
36     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['sMax', 'iMax', 'jMax', 'S', 'V
37'], quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
38     currentData={'x':[], 'y':[], 'jMax':0, 'sMax':0}
39     for row in reader:
40         currentData['x'].append(row['iMax'])
41         currentData['y'].append(row['V'])
42         currentData['jMax']=row['jMax']
43         currentData['sMax']=int(row['sMax']/X)
44     variationData.append(currentData)
45
46 plt.figure()
47 plt.grid()
48 plt.plot(variationData[0]['x'], variationData[0]['y'], label=r'$\beta=0.486,\
49 sigma=3.03, jMax=%i, sMax=%i$'%(variationData[0]['jMax'], variationData
50 [0]['sMax']), linewidth=2)
51 plt.xlabel('iMax')
52 plt.ylabel(r'$V(S=X, t=0)$')
53 plt.legend(loc='upper center', fancybox=False, framealpha=0.0)
54 plt.savefig('images/european_varying_imax.png', bbox_inches='tight',
55 pad_inches=0.2)
56
57 with open('data/varying_smax.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
58     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['sMax', 'iMax', 'jMax', 'S', 'V

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    ], quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
52     currentData={'x':[], 'y':[], 'jMax':[], 'iMax':0}
53     for row in reader:
54         currentData['x'].append(int(row['sMax']/X))
55         currentData['y'].append(row['V'])
56         currentData['jMax'].append(row['jMax'])
57         currentData['iMax']=row['iMax']
58     variationData.append(currentData)
59
60 fig, ax1 = plt.subplots()
61 ax1.set_xlabel(r'sMax (multiples of X)')
62 ax1.set_ylabel(r'$V(S=X, t=0)$')
63 ax1.grid()
64 ax1.scatter(np.asarray(variationData[1]['x'][:20]), variationData[1]['y'][:20], label=r'$V(S=X, t=0)$ for $\beta=0.486, \sigma=3.03, iMax=\%i$'%(
    variationData[1]['iMax']))
65 ax2 = ax1.twinx()
66 ax2.set_ylabel(r'$jMax$')
67 fig.tight_layout()
68 ax2.plot(np.asarray(variationData[1]['x'][:20]), variationData[1]['jMax'][:20], label=r'$jMax$', color="orange")
69 lines, labels = ax1.get_legend_handles_labels()
70 lines2, labels2 = ax2.get_legend_handles_labels()
71 ax2.legend(lines + lines2, labels + labels2, loc='lower right', fancybox=False, framealpha=0.0)
72 plt.savefig('images/european_varying_smax_zoomed.png', bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)
73
74 fig, ax1 = plt.subplots()
75 ax1.set_xlabel(r'sMax (multiples of X)')
76 ax1.set_ylabel(r'$V(S=X, t=0)$')
77 ax1.grid()
78 ax1.scatter(np.asarray(variationData[1]['x']), variationData[1]['y'], label=r'$V(S=X, t=0)$ for $\beta=0.486, \sigma=3.03, iMax=\%i$'%(variationData[1]['iMax']))
79 ax2 = ax1.twinx()
80 ax2.set_ylabel(r'$jMax$')
81 fig.tight_layout()
82 ax2.plot(np.asarray(variationData[1]['x']), variationData[1]['jMax'], label=r'$jMax$', color="orange")
83 lines, labels = ax1.get_legend_handles_labels()
84 lines2, labels2 = ax2.get_legend_handles_labels()
85 ax2.legend(lines + lines2, labels + labels2, loc='lower right', fancybox=False, framealpha=0.0)
86 plt.savefig('images/european_varying_smax.png', bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)
87
88 ', '
89 ', '
90 for smax in range(10,101):
91     currentData={'x':[], 'y':[], 'iMax':0, 'sMax':0}
92     with open('data/smax_jmax/'+str(smax)+'_varying_jmax.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
93         reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['sMax', 'iMax', 'jMax', 'S', 'V'], quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
94         for row in reader:
95             currentData['x'].append(row['jMax'])
96             currentData['y'].append(row['V'])

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97         currentData['iMax']=row['iMax']
98         currentData['sMax']=int(row['sMax']/X)
99
100     plt.figure()
101     plt.plot(currentData['x'],currentData['y'],label=r'$\beta=0.486,\sigma=3.03,iMax=%i,sMax=%i$'%(currentData['iMax'],currentData['sMax']),
102             linewidth=2)
103     plt.xlabel('jMax')
104     plt.ylabel(r'$V(S=X,t=0)$')
105     plt.legend(loc='upper center',fancybox=False, framealpha=0.0)
106     plt.grid()
107     plt.savefig('images/smax_jmax/'+str(smax)+'_european_varying_jmax.png',
108             bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)
109     plt.close()
110
111 allData=[]
112 with open('data/varying_s_beta_1.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
113     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile,fieldnames=['S','V'],quoting=csv.
114     QUOTENONNUMERIC)
115     currentData={'S':[], 'V':[]}
116     for row in reader:
117         currentData['S'].append(row['S'])
118         currentData['V'].append(row['V'])
119     allData.append(currentData)
120
121 with open('data/varying_s_beta_0_4.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
122     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile,fieldnames=['S','V'],quoting=csv.
123     QUOTENONNUMERIC)
124     currentData={'S':[], 'V':[]}
125     for row in reader:
126         currentData['S'].append(row['S'])
127         currentData['V'].append(row['V'])
128     allData.append(currentData)
129
130 plt.figure()
131 plt.grid()
132 plt.plot(allData[0]['S'],allData[0]['V'],label=r'$\beta=1,\sigma=0.416$',
133         linewidth=2)
134 plt.plot(allData[1]['S'],allData[1]['V'],label=r'$\beta=0.486,\sigma=3.03$',
135         linewidth=2)
136 #plt.plot(allData[0]['S'],np.ones(len(allData[0]['S'])) * F,label=r'
137 Principal Only',linewidth=2)
138 #equityOnly_1 = [ R*euro_vanilla_call(s, X, T, r, sigma) for s in allData
139 [0]['S'] ]
140 #equityOnly_2 = [ R*euro_vanilla_call(s, X, T, r, 3.03) for s in allData
141 [0]['S'] ]
142 #plt.plot(allData[0]['S'],equityOnly_1,label=r'Equity Only $\sigma=0.416$',
143         linewidth=2)
144 #plt.plot(allData[0]['S'],equityOnly_2,label=r'Equity Only $\sigma=3.03$',
145         linewidth=2)
146
147 plt.xlabel(r'$S_0$')
148 plt.ylabel(r'$V(S,t=0)$')
149 plt.legend(loc='upper center',fancybox=False, framealpha=0.0)
150 plt.savefig('images/european_varying_s.png',bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches
151 =0.2)

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142 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
143 from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D
144
145 currentData={'S ':[], 'V ':[], 'beta ':[]}
146 with open('data/varying_s_beta.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
147     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['beta ', 'altsigma ', 'S ', 'V '],
148     quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
149     currentData={'S ':[], 'V ':[], 'beta ':[]}
150     for row in reader:
151         currentData['S '].append(row['S '])
152         currentData['V '].append(row['V '])
153         currentData['beta '].append(row['beta '])
154
155 fig = plt.figure()
156 ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
157 ax.scatter(currentData['S '], currentData['V '], currentData['beta '])
158 plt.savefig('images/european_varying_s_varying_beta.png', bbox_inches='tight',
159             pad_inches=0.2)
160
161 currentData={'S ':[], 'V ':[], 'beta ':[], 'sigma ':[]}
162 with open('data/varying_s_sigma_beta.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
163     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['beta ', 'sigma ', 'S ', 'V '],
164     quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
165     for row in reader:
166         if (row['V']==-1):
167             continue
168         currentData['S '].append(row['S '])
169         currentData['V '].append(row['V '])
170         currentData['beta '].append(row['beta '])
171         currentData['sigma '].append(row['sigma '])
172
173 fig = plt.figure()
174 ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
175 ax.scatter(currentData['sigma '], currentData['beta '], currentData['V '])
176 ax.set_xlabel(r'$\sigma$')
177 ax.set_ylabel(r'$\beta$')
178 ax.set_zlabel(r'$V(S, t=T)$')
179 plt.show()
180 plt.savefig('images/european_varying_s_varying_sigma_varying_beta.png',
181             bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)
182
183 fig = plt.figure()
184 ax2 = fig.add_subplot(111)
185 ax2.hist2d(currentData['sigma '], currentData['beta '], bins=100, weights=
186            currentData['V '])
187 ax2.set_xlabel(r'$\sigma$')
188 ax2.set_ylabel(r'$\beta$')
189 #ax2.set_zlabel(r'$V(S, t=T)$')
190 plt.show()
191 plt.savefig('images/hist2d_european_varying_s_varying_sigma_varying_beta.
192             png', bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)
193
194 plt.figure()
195 plt.grid()

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194 plt.xlabel(r'maximum iterations ')
195 plt.ylabel(r'$time/ms$ ')
196
197 currentData={'x ':[], 'y ':[], 'iMax ':0, 'sMax ':0, 'time ':[]}
198 with open('data/smax_jmax/10_varying_jmax.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
199     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['sMax ', 'iMax ', 'jMax ', 'S ', 'V
', 'time '], quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
200     for row in reader:
201         currentData['x '].append(row['jMax '])
202         currentData['y '].append(row['V '])
203         currentData['iMax ']=row['iMax ']
204         currentData['sMax ']=int(row['sMax ']/X)
205         currentData['time '].append(row['time '])
206
207
208 plt.plot(currentData['x '], currentData['time '], label=r'Varying $j_{\max}$
const. $i_{\max}=40$', linewidth=2)
209
210
211
212 variationData=[]
213 currentData={'x ':[], 'y ':[], 'jMax ':0, 'sMax ':0, 'time ':[]}
214
215 with open('data/varying_imax.csv', newline='\n') as csvfile:
216     reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, fieldnames=['sMax ', 'iMax ', 'jMax ', 'S ', 'V
', 'time '], quoting=csv.QUOTE_NONNUMERIC)
217     for row in reader:
218         currentData['x '].append(row['iMax '])
219         currentData['y '].append(row['V '])
220         currentData['jMax ']=row['jMax ']
221         currentData['sMax ']=int(row['sMax ']/X)
222         currentData['time '].append(row['time '])
223
224 plt.plot(currentData['x '], currentData['time '], label=r'Varying $i_{\max}$
const. $j_{\max}=100$', linewidth=2)
225
226 plt.legend(loc='upper center', fancybox=False, framealpha=0.0)
227 plt.savefig('images/european_time.png', bbox_inches='tight', pad_inches=0.2)
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