

PGSS: Math Finance HW 5

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1. (a)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1000}{(1 + \frac{r(0,1)}{12})^{12}} &= \frac{1000}{(1 + \frac{0.03}{12})^{12}} \\ \frac{1000}{(1 + \frac{0.03}{12})^{12}} &= 970.48 \\ \frac{1000}{(1 + \frac{0.03}{12})^{11}} &= 972.91\end{aligned}$$

Increased

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{5000}{(1 + \frac{r(0,5)}{12})^{12.5}} &= \frac{5000}{(1 + \frac{0.04}{12})^{60}} \\ \frac{5000}{(1 + \frac{0.04}{12})^{60}} &= 4095.02 \\ \frac{5000}{(1 + \frac{0.041}{12})^{59}} &= 4088.58\end{aligned}$$

Decreased

2.

$$f(s, T) = 12 \left(\left[\frac{(1 + \frac{r(0, T)})^T}{(1 + \frac{r(0, s)})^s} \right]^{\frac{1}{T-s}} - 1 \right)$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right) = 12 \left(\left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{r(0, 2)}{12}\right)^2}{\left(1 + \frac{r(0, \frac{1}{2})}{12}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right]^{\frac{1}{\frac{3}{2}}} - 1 \right)$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right) = 12 \left(\left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{0.045}{12}\right)^2}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{0.02}{12}}} \right]^{\frac{2}{3}} - 1 \right)$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right) = 12(0.0044454069)$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right) = 0.0533448828$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right) \approx 0.05334 \text{ or } 5.334\%$$