

8. Let $S(t)$ denote the price at time t of a stock that pays no dividends. The Black-Scholes framework holds. Consider a European call option with exercise date T , $T > 0$, and exercise price $S(0)e^{rT}$, where r is the continuously compounded risk-free interest rate.

You are given:

- (i) $S(0) = \$100$
- (ii) $T = 10$
- (iii) $\text{Var}[\ln S(t)] = 0.4t$, $t > 0$.

Determine the price of the call option.

- (A) \$7.96
- (B) \$24.82
- (C) \$68.26
- (D) \$95.44
- (E) There is not enough information to solve the problem.