

Exercise 1

Let $S^1 = (S_t^1)_{t \in [0, T]}$ and $S^2 = (S_t^2)_{t \in [0, T]}$ be two assets following the risk-neutral dynamics

$$dS_t^1 = rS_t^1 dt + \sigma_1 S_t^1 dW_t^1, \quad 0 \leq t \leq T, \quad (1)$$

$$dS_t^2 = rS_t^2 dt + \sigma_2 S_t^2 dW_t^2, \quad 0 \leq t \leq T, \quad (2)$$

for risk-free rate $r > 0$, constant volatilities $\sigma_1, \sigma_2 > 0$ and correlated Brownian motions $\langle W^1, W^2 \rangle_t = \rho t$, $\rho \in [-1, 1]$.

An exchange option for S^1 to S^2 with maturity T is a product that pays $(S_T^1 - S_T^2)^+$ at time T . It can be seen that the value at time 0 of the exchange option is

$$C^{BS}(0, S_0^1, S_0^2, \sigma, T), \quad (3)$$

where $\sigma = \sqrt{\sigma_1^2 - 2\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 + \sigma_2^2}$ and $C^{BS}(r, S, K, \sigma, T)$ is the discounted Black Scholes value of a Call option of risk-free rate r , spot price S , strike K , volatility σ and maturity T .

Give the implementation of a class `ExchangeOption` that implements

```
net.finmath.montecarlo.assetderivativevaluation.products.AbstractAssetMonteCarloProduct.
```

In particular, the method

```
getValue(double evaluationTime, AssetModelMonteCarloSimulationModel model)
```

has to be implemented in such a way that returns the (discounted) payoff of an exchange option.

Hint: in order to give a general implementation, you can suppose the argument `model` of type `AssetModelMonteCarloSimulationModel` to represent an n -dimensional process, for general n , and that the processes in (1) and (2) are the i -th and j -th component of the process represented by `model`, identified by their index. Look at the methods of `AssetModelMonteCarloSimulationModel` that you can use for your scope.

Exercise 2

Write a `JUnit` test class with the following three methods:

- A method which checks if the value of the exchange option with an underlying constructed with a seed at your choice approximates (3) up to a tolerance of 2%. The value in (3) should be computed analytically.
- A method which checks that, out of 500 computations of the value of an exchange option whose underlying is constructed with a random seed, the price approximates (3) up to a tolerance of 2% at least in the 90% of cases.
- A method where you check if the price of the exchange option increases or decreases with respect to the correlation ρ : what do you expect?

Use parameters' values of your choice, as long as you think they make sense.

Hint: the main point of this exercise is how to construct the object that you have to pass to `getValue`. A *possible* choice is to use a constructor of

```
net.finmath.montecarlo.assetderivativevaluation.MonteCarloMultiAssetBlackScholesModel.
```

In this case, you have to focus in particular on how to construct the object representing the Brownian motions driving the model and the correlation matrix.

Exercise 3

Let $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ be a probability space endowed with the filtration $(\mathcal{F}_t)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ satisfying the usual assumptions. Introduce an $(\mathcal{F}_t)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$ -Brownian motion $(W_t)_{0 \leq t \leq T}$. Consider an Itô process satisfying the SDE

$$dX_t = \mu X_t dt + \sigma X_t dW_t, \quad 0 \leq t \leq T,$$

with $X_0 = x \in \mathbb{R}^+$, $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$, $\sigma \in \mathbb{R}^+$, and let \mathcal{T}^Δ be a time-discretization with step size $\Delta > 0$, that is,

$$\mathcal{T}^\Delta = \{t_0 = 0, t_1, \dots, t_n = T\},$$

with $\Delta = t_{i+1} - t_i, i = 1, \dots, n$.

Write down the Euler-Maruyama scheme for $(X_t)_{t \in [0, T]}$ with discretization step-size Δ , i.e., the way you derive $X_{t_{k+1}}^\Delta$ from $X_{t_k}^\Delta$, where $(X_{t_i}^\Delta)_{i=0, \dots, n}$ is the approximated process. Also derive analytic expressions for $\mathbb{E}[X_T]$, $Var[X_T]$, $\mathbb{E}[X_{t_n}^\Delta]$ and $Var[X_{t_n}^\Delta]$.