

Lecture V: Geometric Brownian Motion and Black-Scholes-Merton Model

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- ▶ MoM (MLE is the same here)
- ▶ Moment equations

$$\mathbb{E}[X_{\Delta t}] = \mu \Delta t,$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[X_{\Delta t}^2] &= \mathbb{E}[\mu^2 \Delta t^2 + \sigma^2 \Delta W^2 + 2\mu \Delta t \sigma \Delta W] \\ &= \mu^2 \Delta t^2 + \sigma^2 \Delta t\end{aligned}$$

- ▶ Estimations:

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\mu} &= \frac{\overline{X_{\Delta t}}}{\Delta t}, \\ \hat{\sigma}^2 &= \frac{\overline{X_{\Delta t}^2} - \overline{X_{\Delta t}}^2}{\Delta t}.\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[(n-1)S_n^2] &= \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 - \frac{1}{n} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i\right)^2\right] \\&= \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}[Y_i^2] - \frac{1}{n} \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 + \sum_{i \neq j} Y_i Y_j\right] \\&= n(\mu^2 + \sigma^2) - \frac{n(\mu^2 + \sigma^2) + n(n-1)\mu^2}{n} \\&= (n-1)\sigma^2.\end{aligned}$$

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- ▶ MSE: $\mathbb{E}[(\theta - \hat{\theta})^2]$
- ▶ **Q:** How does Bias affect MSE?
- ▶ Bias-variance tradeoff

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[(\theta - \hat{\theta})^2] &= \mathbb{E}[(\theta - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}] + \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}] - \hat{\theta})^2] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(\theta - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}])^2 + (\hat{\theta} - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}])^2 - 2(\theta - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}])(\hat{\theta} - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}])] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(\theta - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}])^2] + \mathbb{E}[(\hat{\theta} - \mathbb{E}[\hat{\theta}])^2] \\ &= \text{Bias}^2(\hat{\theta}) + \text{Var}(\hat{\theta}).\end{aligned}$$

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Calculation

- ▶ $\mathbb{E} \left[\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Z_i^2 \right)^2 \right] = \mathbb{E} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n Z_i^4 \right] + \mathbb{E} \left[\sum_{i \neq j} Z_i^2 Z_j^2 \right] = n\theta_4 + n(n-1)\sigma^4$
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- ▶ $\mathbb{E} \left[\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Z_i \right)^4 \right] = n\theta_4 + \binom{n}{2} \binom{4}{2} \sigma^4 = n\theta_4 + 3n(n-1)\sigma^4$
- ▶ Combine the results

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left[(n-1)^2 S_n^4 \right] &= n\theta_4 + n(n-1)\sigma^4 - \frac{2}{n}(n\theta_4 + n(n-1)\sigma^4) \\ &\quad + \frac{n\theta_4 + 3n(n-1)\sigma^4}{n^2} \\ &= \frac{(n-1)^2}{n}\theta_4 + \frac{n-1}{n}(n^2 - 2n + 3)\sigma^4 \\ \Rightarrow \mathbb{E}[S_n^4] &= \frac{\theta_4}{n} + \frac{n^2 - 2n + 3}{n(n-1)}\sigma^4 \end{aligned}$$

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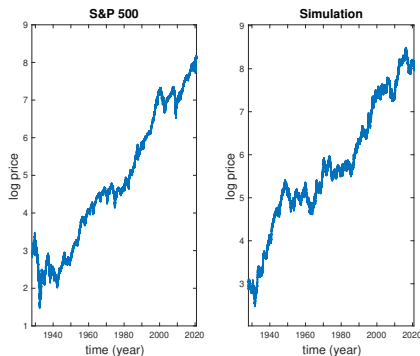
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Inference of Brownian motion

- ▶ Let $X_t = \ln(S_t)$, $X_t = \mu t + \sigma W_t$
- ▶ Return: $X_{\Delta t} = \mu \Delta t + \sigma \Delta W \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu \Delta t, \sigma^2 \Delta t)$
- ▶ Mean: $\mathbb{E}[X_{\Delta t}] = \mu \Delta t$
- ▶ Mean estimator: $\sqrt{\text{Var}(\bar{X}_{\Delta t})} = \frac{\sigma \sqrt{\Delta t}}{\sqrt{n}}$
- ▶ Variance: $\text{Var}(X_{\Delta t}) = \sigma^2 \Delta t$
- ▶ Variance estimator: $\sqrt{\text{Var}(S_n^2)} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \sigma^2 \Delta t}{\sqrt{n-1}}$
- ▶ **Remark:** Under the BM assumption, mean is intrinsically difficult to be estimated accurately! On the other hand, variance could be estimated accurately.

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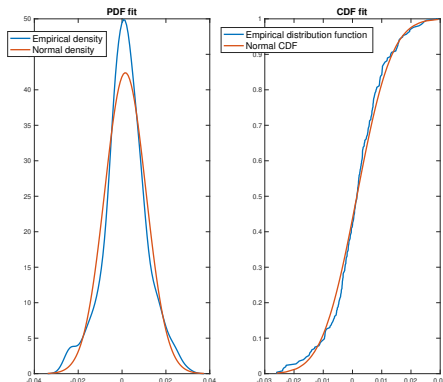
- ▶ **Question:** How good is BM?



- ▶ Looks good
- ▶ **Question:** Is there a better way to quantify the error?

Compare BM with data - continued

- ▶ Period: 1986-10-1 to 1987-10-1
- ▶ Under BM, compare $X_{\Delta t}$ with $\mathcal{N}(r\Delta t, \sigma^2\Delta t)$



- ▶ **Question:** Intuitively seems OK, more rigorous measurement?

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- ▶ If model is right, for infinitely amount of samples, the error goes to zero
- ▶ $\hat{D}_n = 0.06$
- ▶ **Question:** For 1-year, is this statistic reasonable?

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- ▶ Theoretical experiment with true r and σ :
 - ▶ Draw n i.i.d. ΔX_i from $\mathcal{N}(\mu\Delta t, \sigma^2\Delta t)$
 - ▶ Estimate $\hat{\mu}$ and $\hat{\sigma}$ from samples
 - ▶ Collect \hat{D}_n
- ▶ Lilliefors test
 - ▶ Estimate $\hat{\mu}$ and $\hat{\sigma}^2$ from empirical data, assume they are true parameters
 - ▶ Determine level of significance α
 - ▶ Generate $\Delta X_i \sim \mathcal{N}(\hat{\mu}\Delta t, \hat{\sigma}^2\Delta t)$ M times
 - ▶ Estimate $\tilde{\mu}$ and $\tilde{\sigma}^2$ from simulation
 - ▶ Collect $\{\tilde{D}_n\}$
 - ▶ Calculate p-value $\mathbb{P}(\tilde{D}_n > \hat{D}_n | H_0)$ using Monte Carlo above
 - ▶ Carefully reject or “accept”
- ▶ In our experiment $\hat{p} = 1.3\%$

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Connection with continuous case

- ▶ n steps per unit time
- ▶ $u_n = 1 + \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$ and $d_n = 1 - \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$
- ▶ $\tilde{p} = \frac{1}{2}$ and $\tilde{q} = \frac{1}{2}$
- ▶ H_{nt} number of heads and T_{nt} number of tails, $nt = H_{nt} + T_{nt}$
- ▶ Random walk $M_{nt} = H_{nt} - T_{nt}$
- ▶ $H_{nt} = \frac{1}{2}(nt + M_{nt})$ and $T_{nt} = \frac{1}{2}(nt - M_{nt})$
- ▶ $S_n(t) = S_0 \left(1 + \frac{\mu}{n}\right)^{nt} u_n^{H_{nt}} d_n^{T_{nt}} =$
 $S_0 \left(1 + \frac{\mu}{n}\right)^{nt} \left(1 + \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}(nt + M_{nt})} \left(1 - \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}(nt - M_{nt})}$
- ▶ **THM:** As $n \rightarrow \infty$, the distribution of $S_n(t)$ converges to

$$S(t) = S_0 e^{\mu t - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t + \sigma W(t)}.$$

- ▶ Log-normal distribution

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$$\blacktriangleright \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{\mu}{n}\right)^{nt} = e^{\mu t}$$

$$\blacktriangleright \text{Let } y = \left(1 + \frac{\mu}{n}\right)^{nt} \Rightarrow \log(y) = nt \log\left(1 + \frac{\mu}{n}\right)$$

$$\blacktriangleright \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \log(y) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} t \frac{\log\left(1 + \frac{\mu}{n}\right)}{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} t \frac{-\frac{\mu}{n^2}}{1 + \frac{\mu}{n}} = \mu t$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}[e^{\sigma W_t}|W_0] &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{\sigma x} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi t}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2t}} dx \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi t}} e^{-\frac{(x-\sigma t)^2}{2t}} e^{\frac{\sigma^2 t}{2}} dx \\ &= e^{\frac{\sigma^2 t}{2}}\end{aligned}$$

- ▶ $\text{Var}(S_t|S_0) = S_0^2 e^{2\mu t} (e^{\sigma^2 t} - 1)$

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- ▶ **Q:** What if we replace x with W_t ?
- ▶ $\mathbb{E}[X_t] = 0$, $\mathbb{E}[X_t^2] = \text{Var}(X_t) = t$
- ▶ Linear approximation (Ito's Lemma):
 $f(t, W_t) \approx f(0, 0) + f_t(0, 0)t + f_x(0, 0)W_t + \frac{f_{xx}}{2}(0, 0)t$
- ▶ SDE: $dS_t = \mu S_t dt + \sigma S_t dW_t$

Transition probability density function

- ▶ GBM: $S_t = S_0 e^{(\mu - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})t + \sigma W_t}$
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- ▶ Write $g(X) = S_0 e^{(\mu - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})t + \sigma \sqrt{t}X}$, where $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$
- ▶ $\mathbb{P}(g(X) \leq x) = \mathbb{P}\left(X \leq \frac{\ln(x) - \ln(S_0) - (\mu - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})t}{\sigma \sqrt{t}}\right) = \mathbb{P}(X \leq g^{-1}(x))$
- ▶ PDF:

$$\begin{aligned} f_g(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \mathbb{P}(X \leq g^{-1}(x)) = f_{\mathcal{N}}(g^{-1}(x))(g^{-1}(x))' \\ &= \frac{1}{x \sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2 t}} e^{-\frac{(\ln(x) - \ln(S_0) - (\mu - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})t)^2}{2\sigma^2 t}}. \end{aligned}$$

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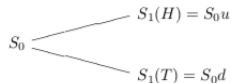
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- ▶ Discrete Binomial model
 - ▶ Binomial model with up (H) and down (T)



- ▶ For simplicity, let $d = \frac{1}{u}$
 - ▶ u known, p unknown
- ▶ Continuous geometric Brownian motion
 - ▶ $S_t = S_0 e^{(\mu - \frac{\sigma^2}{2})t + \sigma W_t}$
 - ▶ $R_t = \left(\mu - \frac{\sigma^2}{2}\right)t + \sigma W_t$
 - ▶ σ known, μ unknown
- ▶ **Q:** price of a call option with payoff $\max(S_T - K, 0)$?

Replicating

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- ▶ Wealth in discrete: $X_{n+1} = \Delta_n S_{n+1} + (1 + r)(X_n - \Delta_n S_n)$
- ▶ Wealth in continuous: $dX_t = \Delta_t dS_t + r(X_t - \Delta_t S_t) dt$
 - ▶ Δ_t : buy and sell at continuous time
 - ▶ Neglect details (need PDE and SDE theory)
- ▶ PDE's approach
- ▶ SDE's approach:
 - ▶ Known that X_t to replicate V_t
 - ▶ Let $X_N = V_N$
 - ▶ Calculate $V_0 = \mathbb{E} [e^{-rT} \max(S_T - K, 0) | S_0]$

PDE's approach for BSM

- ▶ For simplicity, assume $r = 0$
- ▶ Suppose $c(t, S_t)$ is the option price
- ▶ Perturbation of $c(t, S_t)$?

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Call option formula - continued

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- ▶ Let $z = y + \sigma\sqrt{\tau}$, $dz = dy$, $y = d_- \Rightarrow z = d_- + \sigma\sqrt{\tau} = d_+$
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- ▶ BSM put formula:

$$\begin{aligned} P(t, S_t) &= Ke^{-r(T-t)} - S_t + C(t, S_t) \\ &= Ke^{-r(T-t)}(1 - N(d_-)) + S_t(N(d_+) - 1) \\ &= Ke^{-r(T-t)}N(-d_-) - S_tN(-d_+). \end{aligned}$$

Performance of BM in Practice

Geometric Brownian Motion

Black-Scholes-Merton Formula

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- ▶ Common Greeks:
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 - ▶ Theta: $\frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \geq 0$
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 &= N(d_+) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma\sqrt{T}} e^{-\frac{d_-^2}{2} - \frac{\sigma^2 T}{2} - d_- \sigma\sqrt{T}} - \frac{K e^{-rT}}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma\sqrt{T}x} e^{-\frac{d_-^2}{2}} \\
 &= N(d_+) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma\sqrt{T}} e^{-\frac{d_-^2}{2}} \left(e^{-\frac{\sigma^2 T}{2} - d_- \sigma\sqrt{T}} - \frac{K e^{-rT}}{x} \right)
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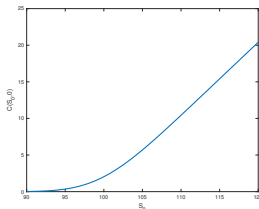
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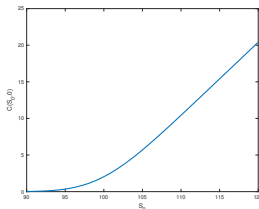
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