

4 Vasicek model of Bond Price / Stock Price

(as discount) (as growth)

OU process is the rate of price & security a.e. a return

• Dynamics: short rate being OU process

$$dr_t = -\lambda r_t dt + \sigma dW_t$$

$$\text{or } = -\lambda r_t dt + \sigma \xi_t dt$$

ignore asymptotic mean 0 here from full process

$$dr_t = (\theta - br_t)dt + \sigma dW_t$$

$$\text{or } dr_t = \lambda(r_{\infty} - r_t)dt + \sigma dW_t$$

where $\xi_t \sim N(0, 1)$ is random generator i.i.d on t

Ansatz becomes $f(r_t, t) = r_t e^{\lambda t}$ where $r_t(t=0) = r_0$ is $f(r_0, 0)$

$$\text{where } \frac{d f(r_t, t)}{dt} = \frac{dr_t}{dt} \cdot e^{\lambda t} + \lambda r_t e^{\lambda t}$$

$$= (-\lambda r_t + \sigma \xi_t) e^{\lambda t} + \lambda r_t e^{\lambda t} = \sigma \xi_t e^{\lambda t} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{then } \int_0^t \frac{d f(r_s, s)}{ds} ds = f(r_t, t) - f(r_0, 0) = r_t e^{\lambda t} - r_0$$

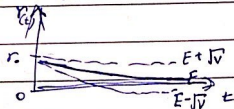
is equal to $\int_0^t \sigma \xi_s e^{\lambda s} ds$ due to (1)

$$\hookrightarrow r_t = r_0 e^{-\lambda t} + \sigma e^{-\lambda t} \int_0^t \xi_s e^{\lambda s} ds \quad (\text{or } r_0 e^{-\lambda t} + r_{\infty}(1 - e^{-\lambda t}) + \sigma e^{-\lambda t} \int_0^t \xi_s e^{\lambda s} ds)$$

\Rightarrow (Optional) key properties of the short rate becomes

$$E[r_t | \mathcal{F}_0] = r_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$V[r_t | \mathcal{F}_0] = (\sigma^2 / \lambda) \cdot (1 - e^{-2\lambda t})$$



• zero Coupon Bond price : $P_T = \exp \left[-\frac{r_0}{\lambda} \rho + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\sigma}{\lambda} \right)^2 \cdot \left\{ T - \frac{1}{2\lambda} (\rho^2 + 2\rho) \right\} \right]$

$$P_T = P_0 \cdot E \left[e^{-\int_0^T r_t dt} \mid \mathcal{F}_0 \right] \quad (\text{for ZCB, En Stock forward flip sign})$$

$$= E \left[e^{-\int_0^T r_t dt} \cdot e^{-\int_0^T e^{-\lambda t} dt \int_0^t \sigma \xi_s e^{\lambda s} ds} \mid \mathcal{F}_0 \right]$$

$$= e^{-\frac{r_0}{\lambda} \rho} \cdot E \left[e^{-\int_0^T \int_0^t \sigma e^{-\lambda t} e^{\lambda s} \xi_s ds dt} \mid \mathcal{F}_0 \right] \quad \text{where } \rho = 1 - e^{-\lambda T}$$

(Applying Fubini's theorem)

$$= e^{-\frac{r_0}{\lambda} \rho} \cdot E \left[e^{-\int_0^T \int_0^t \sigma \xi_s (1 - e^{-\lambda(s-t)}) ds dt} \mid \mathcal{F}_0 \right] \quad \text{then by } \int_0^T f(t) \xi_t dt \sim N(0, \int_0^T f(t)^2 dt)$$

$$= e^{-\frac{r_0}{\lambda} \rho} \cdot E \left[e^{-\frac{\sigma^2}{2\lambda} \left(T - \frac{1}{2\lambda} (\rho^2 + 2\rho) \right)} \mid \mathcal{F}_0 \right] \quad \text{then } E[e^{-\frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{Var}}] = e^{-\frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{Var}}$$