

Advanced Finance - Cheatsheet

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Terminology

Derivatives: Any financial instrument that is derived from another e.g. options, warrants, futures, swaps

Option: gives the holder the right to buy or sell a security at a specified price during a specified time period

Call Option: The right to buy a security at a specified price within a specified time

Option Premium: The price paid for the option, above the price of the underlying security

Intrinsic Value: Difference between the strike price and the stock price

Time Premium: Value of option above the intrinsic value

Exercise Price: (Strike Price) The price at which you buy or sell the security

American Option: Can be exercised at any time prior to and including the expiration date

European Option: Can be exercised only on the expiration date

Exercise price ↑: Call Price ↓, Put Price ↑

Put Option: The right to sell a security at a specified price within a specified time

Butterfly

Straddle

Strategy of buying a call: Bild einfügen

Value of company's assets ↑, Value of default put ↓

Std dev asset value ↑, Value of default put ↑

Amount of outstanding debt ↑, Value of default put ↑

Debt maturity ↑, Value of default put ↑

Default-free interest rate ↑, Value of default put ↓

Dividend payments ↑, Value of default put ↑

Indenture or trust deed: The bond agreement between the borrower and a trust company

Registered bond: A bond in which the company's records show ownership and interest and principal are paid directly to each owner.

Bearer bonds: The bondholder must send in coupons to claim interest and must send a certificate to claim the final payment of principal

Accrued interest: The amount of accumulated interest since the last coupon payment

Coupon: Interest paid on a bond

Debentures: Long-term unsecured issues on debt

Mortgage bond: Long-term secured debt, often containing a claim against a specific building or property

Collateral trust bonds: Bonds secured by common stocks or other securities that are owned by the borrower

Equipment trust certificate: Secured debt generally used to finance railroad equipment. The trustee retains equipment ownership until the debt is repaid.

Asset-backed securities: The sale of cash flows derived directly from a specific set of bundled assets

Mortgage-backed securities: Package of mortgage loans sold; owners of package receive portion of mortgage payments

Formulas

Put-Call-Parity

$$C + PV(EX) = P + S$$

where:

- C = Price of the European call option
- $PV(EX)$ = Present value of the strike price = $\frac{Ex.Price}{(1+r)}$
- P = Price of a European Put
- S = Share Price

Option Δ

$$Option\Delta = \frac{C_u - C_d}{S_u - S_d} = \frac{P_u - P_d}{S_u - S_d}$$

where:

- C_u = Call upside
- C_d = Call downside
- P = Put
- S = Stock

Risk neutral probability of rising value

$$p^* = \frac{(1+r) - d}{u - d}$$

where:

- r = Interest rate
- d = Relative downward change
- u = Relative upward change

Expected Value

$$ExpectedValue = (p^* * PayOff_u) + ((1 - p^*) * PayOff_d)$$

Present Value

$$PresentValue = \frac{ExpectedValue}{(1+r)} = ValueShares - ValueLoan$$

$$ValueLoan = \frac{ValueShares_d}{(1+r)}$$

Up and Down Changes

$$1 + UpsideChange = u = e^{\sigma * \sqrt{h}}$$

$$1 + DownsideChange = d = \frac{1}{u}$$

where:

- σ = Standard Deviation
- h = Fraction of Year

Black-Scholes Formula(weg wenn zu viel)

$$C = (N[d_1] * S) - (N[d_2] * PV[EX])$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\log\left(\frac{S}{PV[EX]}\right)}{\sigma * \sqrt{t}} + \frac{\sigma\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma\sqrt{t}$$

where:

- C = Call Value
- $N[d]$ = Cumulative normal probability
- $PV(EX)$ = Ex. Price at risk-free interest rate
- S = Stock price
- t = number of periods to exercise date
- σ = Standard Deviation
- if d_1 is large, $N(d_1)$ is close to 1.0
- if d_1 is zero, $N(d_1)$ is close to 0.5

Present Value Formula BOND

$$PV = \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{cpn}{(1+r)^t} + \frac{par}{(1+r)^T}$$

$$PromisedYield = \frac{Payoff}{PV} - 1$$

where:

- cpn = Coupon rate
- r = Interest rate
- T = Number of periods
- par = Face value

Predicting Default: Altman's Z-score

$$Z = 1.2x_1 + 1.4x_2 + 3.3x_3 + 0.6x_4 + 1.0x_5$$

where:

- x_1 = working capital/total assets
- x_2 = retained earnings/total assets
- x_3 = earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)/total assets
- x_4 = market value of equity / total liabilities
- x_5 = sales/total assets

Take or Die

Expansion Options: Uncertainty ↑ - Value of exp. option ↑ **Value of a call (takeaways):**

- Never worth more than the stock price itself.
- When the share is worthless, the option is worthless.
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Binomial Method