

2D BASKET OPTIONS AND FINITE ELEMENTS

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EPIGRAPH

Men give me credit for genius, but all the genius
I have lies in this: When I have a subject in mind
I study it profoundly. Day and night it is before
me. The result is what some people call the
fruits of genius, whereas it is in reality the fruits
of study and labour.

Alexander Hamilton

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CHAPTER 1

A BRIEF INTRODUCTION TO OPTIONS

I'll make him an offer he can't refuse.

Michael Corleone

1.1 A financial instrument: The option

There exist many different types of financial instruments traded every day on exchanges around the world. Indeed, not just equity stocks are bought and sold. Products such as bonds, mutual funds, currency, and commodities, such as grain, oil, and other raw goods are among the more traditional investment products most of us are familiar with. For those of us who remember Eddie Murphy's, *Trading Places*, we were introduced to a different type of financial instrument known as a future.

The future is a standized instrument in which a buyer and seller agree to sell a commodity at a specified price, to be delivered to the buyer on a specific date. Going back to our example of *Trading Places*, the futures were for frozen concentrated orange juice (FCOJ), in the hopes that a poor yield of fresh oranges would result in higher FCOJ prices. In such a case, the purchasers were speculating that the market would swing a particular way in their

favour. The downfall of such speculation (and for Duke & Duke!) is that the seller/buyer is obligated to sell/buy the commodity at the specified price, even if it results in a net loss on the transaction. It is at this stage that we are introduced to the option.

Similar to the future, an option is a financial instrument where the holder has the right to purchase or sell the underlying product (stock, bond, commodity, etc.) at the agreed upon strike price on a specified date from the writer of that option. However, unlike the future, the holder does not have the obligation to purchase or sell the underlying product. As such, the buyer pays a premium for this right or, you guessed it, option. This simplified description describes what is known as a *Vanilla* or *European* option.

1.2 Calls and puts

In general, we can classify options into one of two categories: a call, or a put. By definition, a CALL OPTION is the right to buy a particular asset for an agreed amount at a specified time in the future. Conversely, a PUT OPTION is the right to sell a particular asset (Wilmott, 2006) for an agreed amount at a specified time in the future. It is important to note that the holder of the option does not have to purchase/sell the underlying asset if it would not benefit him. He can simply let the option expire and is only out the premium paid at the outset. We describe payoff function at expiry for the call option as,

$$C = \max(S - K, 0) \quad (1.1)$$

and similarly for the put option as,

$$P = \max(K - S, 0) \quad (1.2)$$

where K is the strike price of the option, i.e., the price initially paid for the option, and S is the underlying asset's price. Now it is important to note that (1.1) and (1.2) describe the payoff at the time of expiry, and are the option's intrinsic value for the call and put respectively if the option was exercised today(Wilmott, 2006).

1.3 The Black-Scholes formulation

The preceeding description of an option raises an interesting question: What is the value of the option (i.e., C or P) now, at some time prior to the expiry date? In other words, how does one know what the option is worth? The problem arises from several factors, most notably the random walk nature of the underlying asset, as well as the fact the money today is not worth the same amount at some time in the future. In the early seventies, **Black and Scholes (1973)** (and expanded upon by **Merton (1973)**) derived an expression to accurately take into these factors *et cetera*. The resulting expression is often referred to as the BLACK-SCHOLE EQUATION. Without deriving it, we simply state their result below.

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 S^2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S^2} + rS \frac{\partial V}{\partial S} - rV = 0 \quad (1.3)$$

Where, $V = V(S, t)$, is the value of the option (put or call), r is the paying risk-free interest rate, S is the current value of the underlying asset, and σ is the volatility of S . **Wilmott (2006)** points out that the first two terms can be interpreted as diffusion in a non-homogeneous medium, the third term can be thought of as a convection term, and the fourth term as a reaction term, such as in radioactive decay. We can solve (1.3) by using the knowledge that at expiry the value of the option is given by (1.1) and (1.2) for the call and put. The expression (1.3) has the following analytic solutions for the call and put respectively, and 1.1 shows a plot of a put with a single underlying asset.

$$C(S, t) = SN(d_1) - Ke^{-r(T-t)}N(d_2) \quad (1.4)$$

$$P(S, t) = -SN(-d_1) + Ke^{-r(T-t)}N(-d_2) \quad (1.5)$$

where $N(\cdot)$ is given by,

$$N(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^x e^{-\frac{1}{2}y^2} dy$$

and d_1 and d_2 are given by,

$$d_1 = \frac{\log(S/K) + (r + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)(T-t)}{\sigma\sqrt{T-t}}$$

$$d_2 = \frac{\log(S/K) + (r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)(T-t)}{\sigma\sqrt{T-t}}$$

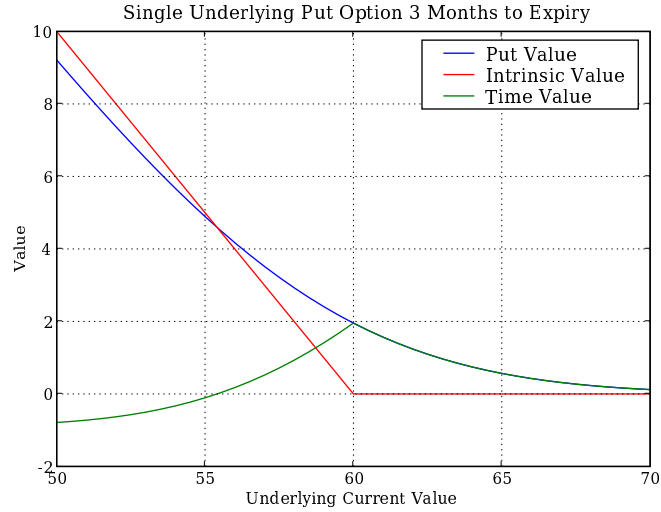


Figure 1.1: Put value for a strike at \$60, 0.25 years to maturity, $r=0.06$ and a volatility (σ) of 0.2.

1.4 Rainbow Options

We are now ready to extend the discussion to more complex scenarios. An option which consists of more than one underlying assets are called RAINBOW OPTIONS, BASKET OPTIONS, or OPTIONS ON BASKETS (Wilmott, 2006). For our analysis we will consider a option consisting of two underlying assets. This amounts to solving

the multi-dimensional version of the Black-Scholes equation and it is given by the following PDE.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2}\sigma_1^2 S_1^2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S_1^2} + \frac{1}{2}\sigma_2^2 S_2^2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S_2^2} + \rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 S_1 S_2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S_1 \partial S_2} \\ + rS_1 \frac{\partial V}{\partial S_1} + rS_2 \frac{\partial V}{\partial S_2} - rV = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (1.6)$$

Where the symbols retain their same meaning as before, but now $V = V(S_1, S_2, t)$ and we have a new variable introduced, ρ , which is the correlation coefficient between the two underlying assets, S_1 and S_2 . Moreover, the final condition must now be modified.

There are several ways to choose an exit strategy, or final condition, and [Achdou and Pironneau \(2005\)](#) provide the following as possibilities for the value of the put option:

$$P(S_1, S_2, T) = \max(K - (S_1 + S_2), 0) \quad (1.7a)$$

$$P(S_1, S_2, T) = \max(K - \max((S_1, S_2), 0)) \quad (1.7b)$$

For the boundaries of this problem, we can choose a values far “out of the money” and set those to zero as for all times, i.e.,

$$P(S_1, 150, t) = 0 \quad ; \forall t \quad (1.8a)$$

$$P(150, S_2, t) = 0 \quad ; \forall t \quad (1.8b)$$

However, the boundaries “in the money” are now functions of time, i.e.,

$$P(S_1, 0, t) = g(S_1, K, t) \quad (1.9a)$$

$$P(0, S_2, t) = g(S_2, K, t) \quad (1.9b)$$

where equations (1.9) are simply the analytic solutions to the Black-Scholes equation with a single underlying asset as given by (1.5).

CHAPTER 2

THE FINITE ELEMENT FORMULATION

A proof is a proof. What kind of a proof? It's a proof. A proof is a proof. And when you have a good proof, it's because it's proven.

Jean Chrétien

2.1 Finite elements and PDEs

This chapter will serve two basic purposes. The first to describe briefly the concepts behind the finite element method for the numerical solution of partial differential equations, more specifically second-order transient problems of one variable, i.e., parabolic problems. The second purpose is to present the necessary mathematical framework upon which the solution to (1.6) under the conditions given by (1.7), (1.8), and (1.9) is founded for numerical analysis. This chapter is not, however, intended to serve as a complete introduction to the method. As such, some of the expressions will be presented under the assumption that they have been demonstrated in the references provided.

Following Thompson (2005), let us consider the simplified 2-D

parabolic problem given by the following expression.

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[a_{11} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[a_{22} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y} \right] = -Q + c_0 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \quad (2.1)$$

Where we note that a_{11} , a_{22} , Q , and c_0 can be functions of x , y , and t . To reformulate the problem in a tractable way in which we can solve the system numerically we will follow the basic procedure given below (modified from Reddy (1993)).

- (i) Discretize the domain.
- (ii) Assume that the unknown variable is of the form:

$$\Phi = \sum_{i=1}^n \Phi_i N_i$$

- (iii) Find the variational formulation of the element equations.
- (iv) Assemble the elements into the global system of equations.
- (v) Apply the boundary conditions.
- (vi) Solve the system of equations.
- (vii) Repeat from assembly until the final time step is reached.

2.2 Discretization and the element equations

Finite elements requires that the domain of the field being examined be discretized into elements. The field is then approximated within each element using interpolation theory within each of the elements, which can then be summed into the global solution. This discretization is known as MESHING.

For our analysis we are considering a two dimension system and will use triangular elements. Each of the elements is described by three nodes at which the solution solved for. As such, the role meshing plays is crucial, as proper mapping is required to

correctly generate the global solution. The mapping is achieved through a connectivity matrix which keeps track of each element and the nodes which describe it. In Figure 2.1, we show the numbering system used. Note that not all of the element values are shown.

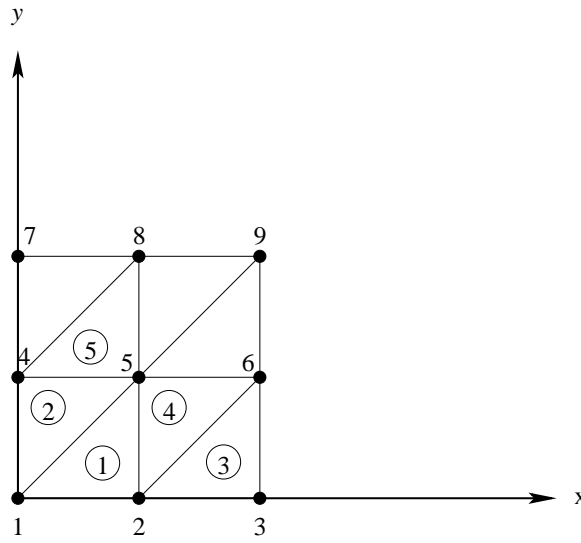


Figure 2.1: The mesh used for triangular elements in this analysis. Circled numbers are the element numbers (not all shown). Others are the node numbers. Modified from Reddy (1993).

We now must consider the variational formulation of the element equations for (2.1). To do so, we will first describe the field variable, Φ , and its time derivative, $\dot{\Phi}$, in terms of an approximation as follows.

$$\Phi(x, y, t) = [N] \{\Phi\} \quad (2.2a)$$

$$\dot{\Phi}(x, y, t) = [N] \{\dot{\Phi}\} \quad (2.2b)$$

Note that we have treated the two variables as separate from each other and that we have now switched to a matrix representation of

the expressions. These approximations to the variables Φ and $\dot{\Phi}$ will be substituted into the WEAK FORM of (2.1).

The weak form of the PDE described by (2.1) is found by first multiplying both sides of (2.1) by a small variation, $\delta\Phi$, and integrating over the volume of the domain, then finding the minimum by requiring that the expression be equal to zero, i.e.,

$$\int_V \delta\Phi \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[a_{11} \frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial x} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[a_{22} \frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial y} \right] \right\} dV - \int_V \delta\Phi \left\{ -Q + c_0 \frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial t} \right\} dV = 0 \quad (2.3)$$

We then use integration by parts for the first term in braces in (2.3) to remove the strong condition of second derivative continuity, and substituting in our approximating functions, (2.2). After which we then use the Galerkin method of applying weight functions equal to the shape functions used to approximate Φ and minimize the integral for an arbitrary variation $\delta\Phi$ and are left with the result below.

$$[K] \{\Phi\} + [C] \{\dot{\Phi}\} = \{Q\} \quad (2.4)$$

While this expression was derived for (2.1), it is in general true for a more complex second-order parabolic PDE such as (1.6). We accomplish by recognizing that the matrix $[K]$ in (2.4) contains only those components of the spatially varying components over the volume of the domain considered. As such, we can write the relevant components for our problem of the matrices in the forms given by Thompson (2005) as follows.

$$[K] = [S_1] + [S_2] + [S_3] \quad (2.5)$$

where,

$$[S_1] = \int_{V_{uv}} \{N'\} [A] [N'] \|J\| dV \quad (2.6)$$

$$[S_2] = \int_{V_{uv}} \{N\} [B] [N'] \|J\| dV \quad (2.7)$$

$$[S_3] = \int_{V_{uv}} \{N\} G [N] \|J\| dV \quad (2.8)$$

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.9)$$

$$[B] = [b_1 b_2] \quad (2.10)$$

$$[C] = \int_{V_{uv}} \{N\} c_0 [N] \|J\| dV \quad (2.11)$$

The coefficients G and c_0 can be functions of x , y , and t , and that for the Black-Scholes equation (1.6) the forcing term, $\{Q\} = 0$ and thus left out. You also note that we have included the determinant of the Jacobian matrix, $\|J\|$, so as to properly map the integration regions which are now in terms of u, v and not, x, y . This is because, we will actually numerically solve the integrals using Gaussian quadrature.

2.3 The shape functions and quadrature

For our problem, we have chosen triangular elements and now we must construct a set of functions for each node. The method of choice is to use non-dimensionalized functions which are zero at two nodes, and unity at its own. In other words, the interpolation varies linearly from zero at the two opposite nodes to unity at its own. Other interpolation functions could be used, such as those which vary in a quadratic fashion, as well as interior nodes in the element, but for our purposes, linear triangular functions and three node elements will suffice. As such, we can set the

shape functions $N_i = L_i$, where L_i is our linear shape function for the triangle.

At some point, we still have to numerically solve the integrals presented in the previous section. This is most accurately carried out by employing Gaussian quadrature. However, Gaussian quadrature requires that the integral be evaluated at specified points which in most cases will not coincide with the global coordinates of the nodes. Therefore we transform the global nodes to their Gaussian counterparts (hence the Jacobian in expressions (2.6) to (2.8)) and carry out the integration over the shape functions and their derivatives (i.e., $\{N\}$ and $[N']$ respectively). Thus we follow Reddy (1993) and approximate the integral as below.

$$\int_{G_e} G(L_1, L_2, L_3) dL_1 dL_2 \approx \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{1}{2} W_i G(S_i) \quad (2.12)$$

Where W_i and $G(S_i)$ are the associated Gaussian weights and integration points for the triangular element G_e which has been transformed to the Gaussian coordinates (u, v) are given by,

$$W_i = 1/3 \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, 3 \quad (2.13a)$$

$$G(S_1) = (1/2, 1/2, 0) \quad (2.13b)$$

$$G(S_2) = (0, 1/2, 1/2) \quad (2.13c)$$

$$G(S_3) = (1/2, 0, 1/2) \quad (2.13d)$$

Once an element has been numerically integrated, it is ready to be assembled into the global matrices given by (2.4). At which point we are in a position to march the system along in time to solve the transient problem.

2.4 Marching in time

In order to solve (2.4), we will employ the Crank-Nicolson finite difference method to march our system in time, as this method is

unconditionally stable (Smith, 2003). The method requires us to rewrite (2.4) as follows.

$$[\hat{K}]_{t+1} \{\Phi\}_{t+1} = [\bar{K}]_t \{\Phi\}_t + \{\hat{F}\}_{t,t+1} \quad (2.14)$$

where t is the current time step and $t + 1$ is the next time step and,

$$[\hat{K}]_{t+1} = [C] + a_1 [K]_t \quad (2.15)$$

$$[\bar{K}]_{t+1} = [C] - a_2 [K]_t \quad (2.16)$$

$$\{\hat{F}\}_{t,t+1} = \Delta t \left[\alpha \{\hat{F}\}_{t+1} + (1 - \alpha) \{\hat{F}\}_t \right] \quad (2.17)$$

and $a_1 = \alpha \Delta t$, $a_2 = (1 - \alpha) \Delta t$, and Δt is the time step for the marching scheme. For a Crank-Nicolson solution, $\alpha = 1/2$.

2.5 Boundary conditions and solving

The last step involved in the process, prior to solving the system of equations, is to apply the boundary conditions to the field variable, Φ . We are fortunate that European Options have relatively simple boundary conditions and surface integrals are not required. To apply the boundary conditions described by (1.8) and (1.9) we will employ the method of “blasting” the diagonal as described by Thompson (2005). Once the boundary conditions have been applied to the system, any preferred method of solving the system can be used. LU decomposition is an obvious choice, other Gaussian Elimination routines. For our analysis, we actually assemble the equations in a non-symmetric sparse matrix, and we will employ an appropriate Gaussian elimination routine (Thompson, 2005).

CHAPTER 3

IMPLEMENTATION

You knew the job was dangerous when
you took it, Fred.

Super Chicken

3.1 The main algorithm

This section will briefly outline the methodology used to implement the FEM for the basket option described in Chapter 1. The codes listed in the Appendices serve as a complement to this chapter and the comments within the code offer more explanations where required.

The first part of the code concerns mostly initializing the required matrices, the initial conditions (actually interpreted as the final conditions here), and setting up the input parameters. Referring to (1.6), we are able to specify the coefficients for the matrices (2.9), (2.10), (2.11) and the coefficient G . We set them as follows.

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}\sigma_1^2 S_1^2 & \frac{1}{2}\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 S_1 S_2 \\ \frac{1}{2}\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 S_1 S_2 & \frac{1}{2}\sigma_2^2 S_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.1)$$

$$[B] = [rS_1 \ rS_2] \quad (3.2)$$

and $G = -r$, $[C] = 1.0$, and the source term is zero. Next, the mesh routine is called to create the connectivity matrix and generate the global coordinate matrix. From here, several things are done. We first identify the boundary nodes using the function `findBC`, we generate the initial solution set to start the problem using `initialVal`. It should be noted that the values used are set by the user at the initial stage of running the program via a GUI interface.

At this stage, the FEM program has all it needs to begin. The time loop is set to stop at the user specified interval, and we enter the loop. Since this is a transient problem, we need to find the boundary conditions for the next time step and this is done at the beginning of the time loop using `newBound`.

We then enter into the loop for each element and begin the quadrature over the element. The shape functions for each global coordinate are found using the `sfntri` routine and the quadrature data is loaded by a call to the `quad` function. The element matrices are calculated via the method described in Chapter 2. However, in the implementation of the time-differencing scheme, we use the method of Reddy (1993) and calculate (2.14) at the elemental level, *prior* to assembly into the global matrix. It should be noted that the global stiffness matrix is stored as a non-symmetric sparse matrix to save memory storage, should the need arise.

Once the time-differencing is complete, and the element values stored in the global stiffness matrix, the loop returns to find the next element's values, and so on. Once each element has been calculated and assembled into the global matrix we then apply the boundary conditions using the blasting technique of Thompson (2005). The solution for the next time step is then found using the equation solver `nsymgauss`. This entire process is repeated until a specified time has been reached.

3.2 Running BlackScholes2dPut.py

Actually running the program requires very little effort, assuming all of the required software has been installed, in particular, Python, SciPy, NumPy, wxPython, PyVTK, and MayaVi (or alternatively, Matplotlib). To run the program, make sure all of the files are in the same directory, simply open up a terminal window, and enter the command:

```
user@somemachine:$ python BlackScholes2dPut.py
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At this stage, Python will load various modules and a GUI will prompt the user for the following inputs.

- (i) Initial condition choice. Enter 1 for (1.7a) or 2 for (1.7b).
- (ii) $S1$ high and $S2$ high. These are values of the two underlying assets which are considered well “out of the money” and will be the upper bounds of the domain.
- (iii) $S1$ and $S2$ volatilities. Self explanatory.
- (iv) The interest rate to be used and the correlation between $S1$ and $S2$.
- (v) The strike price (K) of the option, and the expiry date. The expiry date is the full amount of time to be considered until expiry.
- (vi) Delta T, NX and NY. Delta T is the time step to be used and should divide nicely into the expiry date. NX and NY are the number of divisions along the $S1$ and $S2$ axes. As such, they control how many nodes are used and how fine grained the mesh will be. Once again, one should use numbers which divide nicely into $S1$ high and $S2$ high, respectively.

Once all of the data has been entered, press the “Run” button, and the FEM program will work away. Depending on the size of mesh,

time to expiry, and Δt , used, the program may take several minutes to run. Once completed, the final solution will be displayed by MayaVi for interactive graphical analysis of the data.

3.3 Results

To test the method, I used the inputs given by Achdou and Pironneau (2005) and looked at both exit strategies given by (1.7). The values used were: $S_1 = S_2 = 150$, $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = 0.1414$, $r = 0.1$, $\rho = -0.6$, $K = 100$, time to expiry = 0.7, $\Delta t = 0.01$, and $N_x = N_y = 50$ (i.e., 2601 nodes). The results are shown in Figure 3.1, Figure 3.2, Figure 3.3, Figure 3.4, Figure 3.5, and Figure 3.6.

Put Option Value at Expiry

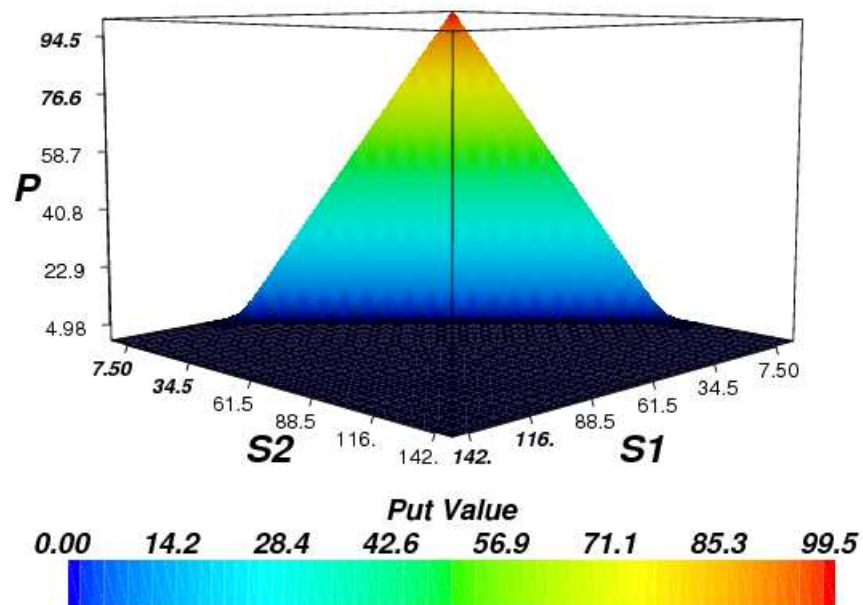


Figure 3.1: Final condition (1.7a).

Put Option Value at Expiry

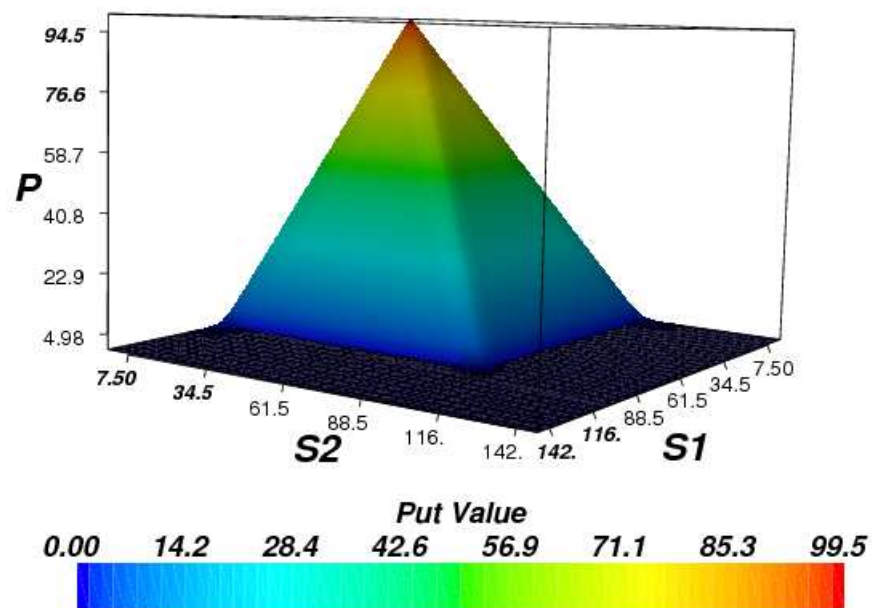


Figure 3.2: Final condition (1.7b).

Put Option Value 0.7 years to Expiry

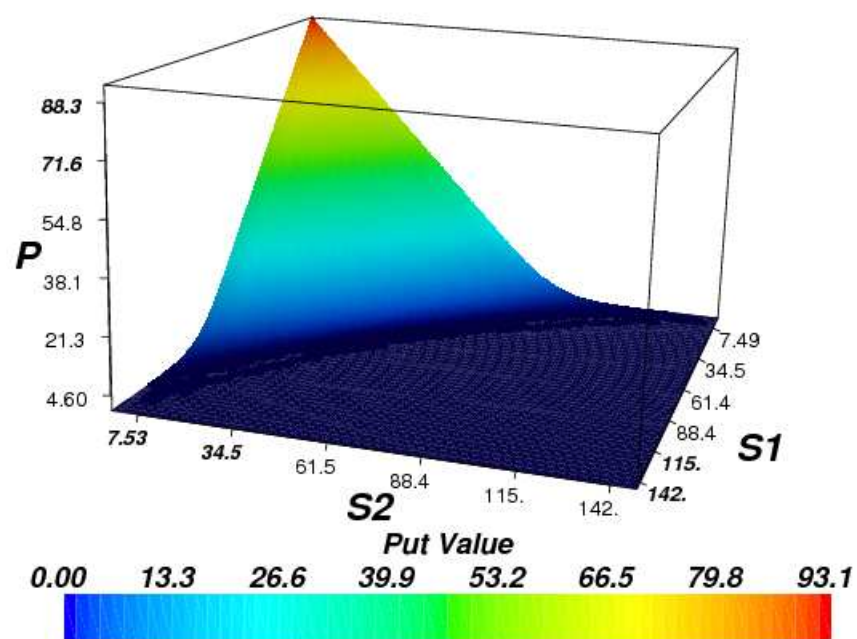


Figure 3.3: Final condition (1.7a) at 0.7 years from maturity.

Put Option Value 0.7 Years to Expiry

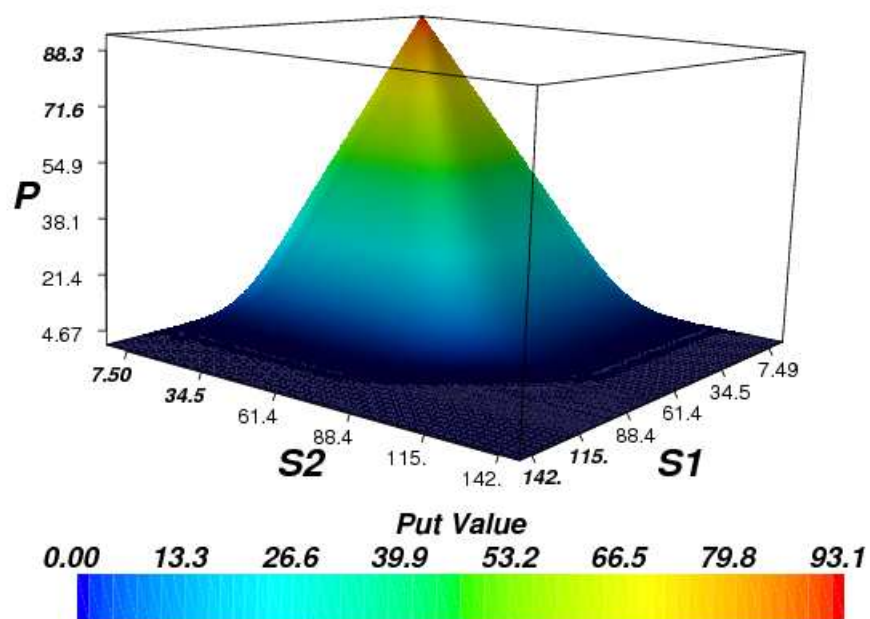


Figure 3.4: Final condition (1.7b) at 0.7 years from maturity.

Time Value 0.7 Years to Expiry

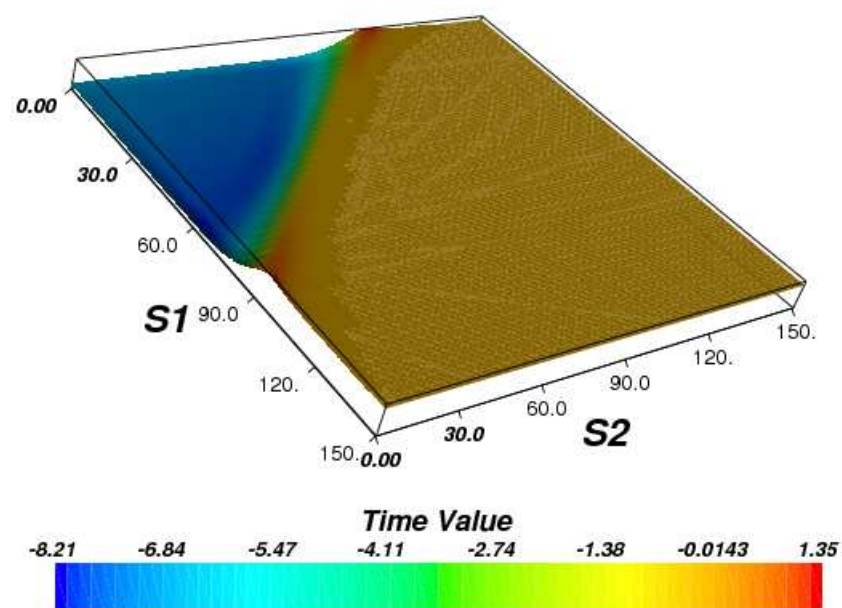


Figure 3.5: Time value of (1.7a) at 0.7 years from maturity.

Time Value 0.7 Years to Expiry

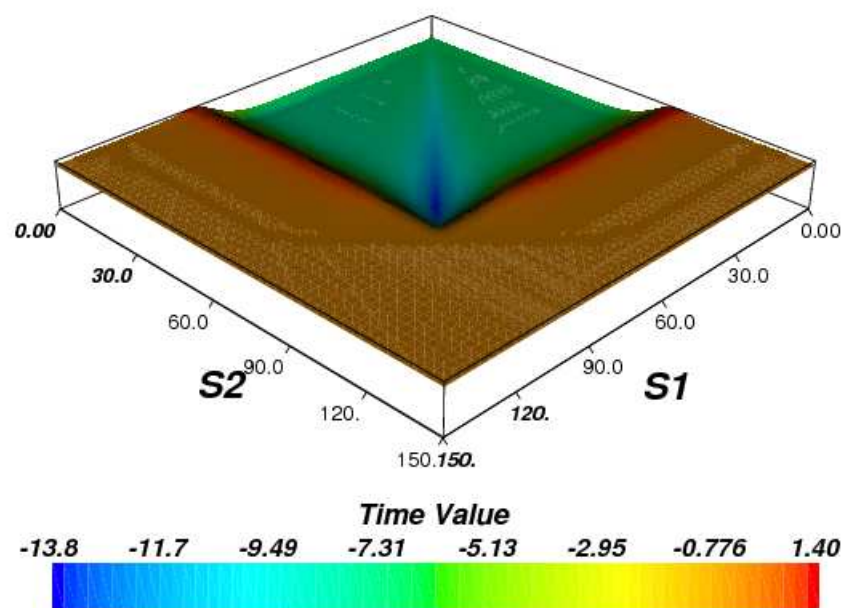


Figure 3.6: Time value of (1.7b) at 0.7 years from maturity.

CHAPTER 4

EPILOGUE

There is much Obi-wan did not tell you.

Darth Vader

This project serves to demonstrate that the FEM is able to solve higher dimension financial derivative problems, and extensions to more complex options are possible. Other examples of using the FEM to solve financial options can be found in the texts of [Achdou and Pironneau \(2005\)](#) and [Topper \(2005\)](#), both of which consider more exotic options than the problem presented here. As mentioned before, the previous chapters served only as a brief introduction to the subject and should not be taken as complete proofs. I relied heavily on the texts of [Wilmott \(2006\)](#), [Reddy \(1993\)](#), and [Thompson \(2005\)](#) in order to complete this project, and one is encouraged to consult those texts for a more complete explanation of options and the finite element method. As such, this serves merely as a guide to help one understand the logic and method used to implement the code as found in the Appendices. Moreover, the approach taken was to present the most transparent FE routine, and more efficient methods as given by [Topper \(2005\)](#) and [Achdou and Pironneau \(2005\)](#), would normally be employed.

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APPENDIX A

PYTHON CODE LISTINGS

A.1 Main FEM Routine

Please note that some of the formatting has changed to allow for the listings to fit within the textblock. Always adhere to proper Python indenting conventions.

```
1  #!/usr/bin/env python
2
3  # Import Modules
4  #
5
6  # Scipy and Numpy
7  from scipy import *
8
9  # Mesh generator
10 import tri
11
12 # Non-symmetric Gaussian Solver
13 import nsymgauss as NSG
14
15 # Quadrature data
16 import quad_data as GQD
17
18 # Shape function module
19 import shpfm as SFN
```

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20
21 # GUI
22 import femGUI
23
24
25 # Define python functions
26 #-----
27 def vanilla(r, K, dt, sigma, S):
28     """
29     This is a simple Vanilla Put Option calculation
30     based on the analytic solution for a single
31     underlying asset. The solution used is from
32     The Mathematics of Financial Derivatives, Wilmott, et al.
33     Uses ndtr and exp from scipy and ndtr from scipy.special modules.
34
35     r: risk free rate (float)
36     K: strike price (float)
37     dt: time to expiry (float)
38     sigma: volatility of S (float)
39     S: range of underlying values (array[ float ])
40
41     Usage:
42
43     put_value = vanilla(r, K, dt, sigma, S)
44
45     """
46
47     d1 = zeros(len(S))
48     d2 = zeros(len(S))
49     n1 = zeros(len(S))
50     n2 = zeros(len(S))
51     pt = zeros(len(S))
52     b = sigma*sqrt(dt)
53     dsct = exp(-1.0*r*dt)
54     for i in range(len(S)):
55         d1[i] = (log(S[i]/K) + (r + (0.5* sigma**2))*dt)/b
56         d2[i] = (log(S[i]/K) + (r - (0.5* sigma**2))*dt)/b
57         n1[i] = special.ndtr(-1.0*d1[i])
58         n2[i] = special.ndtr(-1.0*d2[i])

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59         pt[i] = K*dsct*n2[i] - S[i]*n1[i]
60
61     return pt
62
63
64     # Create the boundary information arrays only once to
65     # save calculations during time-dependent BCs
66     def findbc(gnodes, s1max, s2max, nnm):
67         """
68         This function will return an array of values for
69         which global nodes lie on the boundaries.
70
71         bnode:
72             0 = interior node
73             1 = boundary node
74
75         mindx: the indices of the axes' s1min, s2min nodes
76         maxdx: the indices of the axes' s1max, s2max nodes
77
78         gnodes is an array of size (num of nodes) x 2
79         gnodes[:,0] = global x values
80         gnodes[:,1] = global y values
81
82         bnode, mindx, maxdx, mindy, maxdy, s1y0, s2x0
83         = findbc(gnodes, s1max, s2max, nnm)
84         """
85
86         # The "max" matrices are not actually called in the present
87         # program, but may be needed later.
88         bnode = zeros(nnm, dtype=int)
89         mxndx = zeros(nnm, dtype=int)
90         mnndx = zeros(nnm, dtype=int)
91         mxndy = zeros(nnm, dtype=int)
92         mnndy = zeros(nnm, dtype=int)
93         for i in range(nnm):
94             if allclose(gnodes[i,0], 0.0): # axis -> (x=0, y[:])
95                 bnode[i] = 1 # BC here = vanilla(s2, t)
96                 mnndx[i] = i
97             elif allclose(gnodes[i,0], s1max):

```



```

98         # axis -> (x=s1max, y[:]) BC here = 0.0
99         bnode[i] = 1
100         mxndx[i] = i
101
102     for j in range(nnm):
103         if allclose(gnodes[j,1],0.0): # axis -> (x=[:],y=0)
104             bnode[j] = 1                # BC here = vanilla(s1,t)
105             mnndy[j] = j
106         elif allclose(gnodes[j,1],s2max):
107             # axis -> (x=[:],y=s2max) BC here = 0.0
108             bnode[j] = 1
109             mxndy[j] = j
110
111     # Create array of only the non-zero entries
112     # These are the outer nodes.
113     tmp1x = mnndx[mnndx.nonzero()]
114     tmp2x = mxndx[mxndx.nonzero()]
115     tmp1y = mnndy[mnndy.nonzero()]
116     tmp2y = mxndy[mxndy.nonzero()]
117
118     # must include the origin
119     origin = 0
120     mindx = sort(append(tmp1x,origin))
121     maxdx = sort(append(tmp2x,origin))
122     mindy = sort(append(tmp1y,origin))
123     maxdy = sort(append(tmp2y,origin))
124
125     # Need these global coords for time dependent BCs on
126     # the boundaries. The convention used here is:
127     # -> s1 = 0.0 and all S2 is the y-axis
128     # -> s2 = 0.0 and all S1 is the x-axis
129     s1y0 = zeros(len(mindy),dtype=float)
130     s2x0 = zeros(len(mindx),dtype=float)
131
132     # These are the actual global coordinates of the
133     # outer nodes. These are required for the BC
134     # calculation
135     for i in range(len(mindy)):
136         s1y0[i] = gnodes[mindy[i],0]

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137
138     for i in range(len(mindx)):
139         s2xo[i] = gnodes[mindx[i],1]
140
141     return bnode, mindx, maxdx, mindy, maxdy, s1yo, s2xo
142
143
144
145 # Create initial value (actually the "final" sol'n here)
146 def initialVal(K,gnodes,nnm,etype):
147     uo = zeros(nnm,dtype=float)
148     for i in range(nnm):
149
150         # Toggle the two definitions below for
151         # a different exit strategies
152         # See ACHDOU & PIRONNEAU eqn's [2.64] & [2.65]
153         # You get very different graphs
154         if allclose(etype,1.0):
155             # [2.64]
156             s1s2 = gnodes[i,0] + gnodes[i,1]
157         else:
158             # [2.65]
159             s1s2 = max(gnodes[i,0], gnodes[i,1])
160
161         test = K - s1s2
162         uo[i] = max(test,0.0)
163
164     return uo
165
166
167 # Create the function to update the time-dependent BCs
168 def newBound(nnm,mindx,mindy,r,K,vol1,vol2,dt,s1yo,s2xo):
169     newBC = zeros(nnm,dtype=float)
170
171     # Call the vanilla PUT function and use outer
172     # nodal values
173     s1bc = vanilla(r,K,dt,vol1,s1yo)
174     s2bc = vanilla(r,K,dt,vol2,s2xo)
175

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176     # Set the values equal to the output from vanilla
177     # NOTE: I assume that the min of S1 and S2 are at the
178     # origin and that they are equal because they share the
179     # same strike. The rest are zeros
180     for i in range(len(s1bc)):
181         bnod = mindy[i]
182         newBC[bnod] = s1bc[i]
183
184     for i in range(len(s2bc)):
185         bnod = mindx[i]
186         newBC[bnod] = s2bc[i]
187
188     return newBC
189
190
191 # Get user input
192 #
193 app = femGUI.MyApp(False)
194 app.MainLoop()
195 inputs = femGUI.values
196
197 # Multiply everything by 1.0 or 1 to ensure we have SciPy dtype
198 # floats or integers as the GUI passes UNICODE STRINGS!!!
199 etype = float(inputs[0])*1.0
200 s1high = float(inputs[1])*1.0
201 s2high = float(inputs[2])*1.0
202 vol1 = float(inputs[3])*1.0
203 vol2 = float(inputs[4])*1.0
204 rate = float(inputs[5])*1.0
205 pcorr = float(inputs[6])*1.0
206 K = float(inputs[7])*1.0
207 lastT = float(inputs[8])*1.0
208 dt = float(inputs[9])*1.0
209 nx = int(inputs[10])*1
210 ny = int(inputs[11])*1
211
212 # Specify zero as the minimum value for the grid.
213 s1low = 0.0
214 s2low = 0.0

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215
216 # Below for comparison purposes
217 # Comment out GUI inputs and run with the below values
218 #
219 # These values are the same used by ACHDOU & PIRONNEAU
220 # for the creation of Figures [4.11] and [4.12]
221 # These are the equivalent values for their THETA matrix
222 # using this formulation
223 ## etype = 1.0
224 ## slhigh = 150.0
225 ## s2high = 150.0
226 ## vol1 = 0.1414
227 ## vol2 = 0.1414
228 ## rate = 0.1
229 ## pcorr = -0.6
230 ## K = 100.0
231 ## lastT = 0.70
232 ## dt = 0.01
233 ## nx = 50
234 ## ny = 50
235
236 # Initialize vectors/matrices
237 # Integer values for loops/sizes
238 nex1 = nx + 1
239 ney1 = ny + 1
240 nem = 2*nx*ny
241 nnm = nex1*ney1
242 npe = 3
243 ndf = 1
244 neq = nnm*ndf
245 nn = npe*ndf
246
247 # Number of quadrature points
248 nipf = 3
249
250 # Floats and arrays
251 xo = s1low
252 yo = s2low
253 dx = ones(nex1, float)*float((s1high/nx))

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254 dy = ones(ney1, float)*float((szhigh/ny))
255 dx[-1] = 0.0
256 dy[-1] = 0.0
257
258 # Create the differential eqn's coefficients
259 fo = 0.0
260 co = 1.0
261 a110 = 0.5*(vol1**2.0)
262 a220 = 0.5*(vol2**2.0)
263 a120 = pcorr*vol1*vol2
264 b10 = rate
265 b20 = rate
266 G = -1.0*rate
267
268 # Call Fortran Mesh routine
269 # NOTA BENE: The connectivity matirx NODF has indices
270 # according to the FORTRAN CONVENTION!
271 nodf, glxy = tri.mesh(nx, ny, nex1, ney1, nem, nnm, dx, dy, xo, yo)
272
273 # Switch NODF indices for the Python convention
274 fort2py = ones(shape(nodf), dtype=int)
275 nodp = nodf - fort2py
276
277 # Find IdaigF and IdiaG where they are the Fortran and Python
278 # index of the diagonal for the non-symmetric stiffness matrix
279 # respectively -> RECALL: Python starts indexing at 0!
280 IdiaG = 0
281 for i in range(nem):
282     for j in range(npe):
283         for k in range(npe):
284             nw = (int(abs(nodf[i, j] - nodf[i, k])+1))*ndf
285             if IdiaG < nw:
286                 IdiaG = nw
287
288 # Band width of sparse matrix
289 band = (IdiaG*2) - 1
290 Idia = IdiaG - 1
291
292

```

```

293 #-----#
294 #                                           #
295 #                               Begin FEM Routine                               #
296 #                                           #
297 #-----#
298
299
300 # [1] Set time values
301 # Time dependent variables & Crank–Nicolson parameters
302 alfa    = 0.5
303 ntime   = int(lastT/dt) + 1
304 a1      = alfa*dt
305 a2      = (1.0 - alfa)*dt
306
307 # Create storage matrices for values at each time step
308 optionValue = zeros((nnm, ntime), dtype=float)
309 optionParam = zeros((nnm, ntime), dtype=float)
310
311 # [2] Initialize BCs
312
313 # Create "final" condition and store for option price calculation
314 # once all the values in time have been calculated
315 uo      = initialVal(K, glxy, nnm, etype)
316 glu     = uo
317
318 # Generate boundary information matrices from global matrix
319 bnode, mindx, maxdx, mindy, maxdy, s1y0, s2x0 = \
320                                     findbc(glxy, s1high, s2high, nnm)
321
322 # An array of Python indices
323 nwld = arange(nnm, dtype=int)
324
325 # [3] Enter time loop
326 time = 0.0
327 ncount = 0
328 while ncount < ntime :
329
330     # Find new BCs for future time step
331     time += dt

```

```

332     newBC = \
333         newBound(nnm, mindx, mindy, rate, K, vol1, vol2, time, s1yo, s2xo)
334
335     # Global matrices
336     glk = zeros((neq, band), dtype=float)
337     glf = zeros(neq, dtype=float)
338
339     # Begin loop over each element
340     for n in range(nem):
341         # Element matrices
342         elxy = zeros((npe, 2), dtype=float)
343         elu = zeros(npe, dtype=float)
344         elf = zeros(npe, dtype=float)
345         elm = zeros((npe, npe), dtype=float)
346         elk = zeros((npe, npe), dtype=float)
347
348         for i in range(npe):
349             # Assign global values for each node in the element
350             ni = nodp[n, i]
351             elxy[i, 0] = glxy[ni, 0]
352             elxy[i, 1] = glxy[ni, 1]
353             elu[i] = glu[ni]
354
355         # [4] Now compute elemental matrices
356         # Load quadrature data from Fortran Module
357         l1, l2, l3, lwt = GQD.quad()
358
359         # [5] Begin quadrature loop
360         for nl in range(npe):
361             ac1 = l1[nl]
362             ac2 = l2[nl]
363             ac3 = l3[nl]
364
365             # Call Fortran Shape Function Module
366             det, sf, gdsf = SFN.sfntri(ac1, ac2, ac3, elxy)
367             cnst = 0.5*det*lwt[nl]
368
369             # Global x and y in terms of the unit triangle
370             x = 0.0

```

```

371     y = 0.0
372     for it in range(npe):
373         x += elxy[it,0]*sf[it]
374         y += elxy[it,1]*sf[it]
375
376     # Set coefficients with mapped x and y coordinates
377     a11 = a110*x*x
378     a22 = a220*y*y
379     a12 = a120*x*y
380     b1 = b10*x
381     b2 = b20*y
382     source = fo
383     ct = co
384
385     # Create Elemental K, M, and F matrices/vector
386     # by integrating over the element
387     for ip in range(npe):
388         for jp in range(npe):
389             soo = sf[ip]*sf[jp]*cnst
390             s11 = gdsf[0,ip]*gdsf[0,jp]*cnst
391             s22 = gdsf[1,ip]*gdsf[1,jp]*cnst
392             s12 = gdsf[0,ip]*gdsf[1,jp]*cnst
393             so1 = sf[ip]*gdsf[0,jp]*cnst
394             so2 = sf[ip]*gdsf[1,jp]*cnst
395             # Now assemble ELEMENT MATRIX [K]
396             # using the form from THOMPSON
397             # [K] = [S1] - [S2] - [S3] - [Sh] where
398             # [Sh] = 0.0 for this problem
399             elk[ip,jp] += (a11*s11 + a12*s12 + a22*s22)\
400                          - (b1*so1 + b2*so2) \
401                          - G*soo
402             elm[ip,jp] += ct*soo
403             elf[ip] += cnst*sf[ip]*source
404
405     # [6] Apply CRANK-NICOLSON to find K^ and F^
406     # See J.N. REDDY, eqn (6.42b)
407     for ik in range(nn):
408         summ = 0.0
409         for jk in range(nn):

```



```

410         summ += (elm[ik,jk] - a2*elk[ik,jk])*elu[jk]
411         elk[ik,jk] = elm[ik,jk] + a1*elk[ik,jk]
412         elf[ik] = (a1+a2)*elf[ik] + summ
413
414     # [7] Assemble into global matrices using the
415     # routine from THOMPSON for banded & non-symmetric
416     for j in range(npe):
417         jnp = nodp[n,j]
418         jeq = nwld[jnp]
419         glf[jeq] += elf[j]
420         for k in range(npe):
421             knp = nodp[n,k]
422             keq = nwld[knp]
423             kb = (keq-jeq) + Idia
424             glk[jeq,kb] += elk[j,k]
425
426     # [8] Apply BCs by BLASTING technique (also a THOMPSON thing)
427     BLAST = 1.0e6
428     for i in range(nnm):
429         if allclose(bnode[i],1):
430             nb = nwld[i]
431             glu[nb] = newBC[i]
432             glk[nb,Idia] *= BLAST
433             glf[nb] = glu[i]*glk[nb,Idia]
434
435     # [9] Solve GLOBAL MATRICES using Fortran nsymgauss module
436     glu = NSG.nsymgauss(glk,glf,neq,band)
437
438     # [10] Store data for visualization at the end
439     oValu = glu
440     oPara = glu - uo
441     for i in range(nnm):
442         optionValue[i,ncount] = oValu[i]
443         optionParam[i,ncount] = oPara[i]
444
445     # [11] Update the time loop and BCs for next time step
446     ncount += 1
447
448     # END OF TIME LOOP HERE

```

```

449
450
451 # Visualize with MayaVi
452 #
453
454 # Set the z1 variable (second column is time)
455 ##z1 = u0
456 z1 = optionValue[:, -1]
457 ## z1 = optionParam[:, -1]
458
459 import pyvtk
460 # Scale the data in the Z-direction
461 dzz = dx[0]*2
462 dxx = dx[0]
463 dyy = dy[0]
464
465 # Convert z1 to vtk structured point data
466 # Note: No need to rearrange z1 as it is already in the
467 # proper sequence from the meshing routine
468 point_data = pyvtk.PointData(pyvtk.Scalars(z1))
469
470 # Generate the grid sizing
471 grid=pyvtk.StructuredPoints((nex1,nex1,1),(0,0,0),(dxx,dyy,dzz))
472
473 # Save to temporary file
474 data = pyvtk.VtkData(grid, point_data)
475 data.tofile('/tmp/test.vtk')
476
477 # Now use MayaVi to visualize
478 import mayavi
479 v = mayavi.mayavi() # create a MayaVi window.
480 d = v.open_vtk('/tmp/test.vtk', config=0) # open the data file.
481
482 # Load the filters.
483 f = v.load_filter('WarpScalar', config=0)
484 n = v.load_filter('PolyDataNormals', 0)
485 n.fil.SetFeatureAngle(45)
486
487 # Load the necessary modules.

```

```

488 m = v.load_module('SurfaceMap', o)
489 a = v.load_module('Axes', o)
490 t = v.load_module('Text', o)
491 o = v.load_module('Outline', o)
492
493 # Re-render the scene.
494 v.Render()
495 v.master.wait_window()
496
497
498 # Or visualize with Matplotlib
499 #-----
500
501 # An alternative option (for speed) is matplotlib
502 # Output data to figures using matplotlib below
503 ## import pylab as p
504 ## import matplotlib.axes3d as p3
505 ## x = reshape(glxy[:,0],(nex1,ney1))
506 ## y = reshape(glxy[:,1],(nex1,ney1))
507 ## init_val = u0
508 ## final_val = optionValue[:, -1]
509 ## time_val = optionParam[:, -1]
510 ## z1 = reshape(init_val, (nex1, ney1))
511 ## z2 = reshape(final_val, (nex1, ney1))
512 ## z3 = reshape(time_val, (nex1, ney1))
513
514 ## # Make three figures
515 ## fig1 = p.figure(1)
516 ## ax1 = p3.Axes3D(fig1)
517 ## ax1.plot_wireframe(x, y, z1)
518 ## ax1.set_xlabel('S1')
519 ## ax1.set_ylabel('S2')
520 ## ax1.set_zlabel('Final Condition at Expiry')
521
522 ## fig2 = p.figure(2)
523 ## ax2 = p3.Axes3D(fig2)
524 ## ax2.plot_wireframe(x, y, z2)
525 ## ax2.set_xlabel('S1')
526 ## ax2.set_ylabel('S2')

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```

527 ## ax2.set_xlabel('Option Value')
528
529 ## fig3 = p.figure(3)
530 ## ax3 = p3.Axes3D(fig3)
531 ## ax3.plot_wireframe(x,y,z3)
532 ## ax3.set_xlabel('S1')
533 ## ax3.set_ylabel('S2')
534 ## ax3.set_zlabel('Time Value')
535
536 ## # Show the plots: NOTE that you can rotate them
537 ## # with a mouse
538 ## p.show()

```

A.2 GUI Interface Class

Once again, please note that some of the formatting has changed to allow for the listings to within the textblock.

```

1 import wx
2
3 class FemInput(wx.Frame):
4     def __init__(self):
5         wx.Frame.__init__(self, None, -1, \
6                             "Options_Input_Interface")
7         panel = wx.Panel(self)
8
9         # First create the controls
10
11         # Title
12         topLbl = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, \
13                                 "FEM_2D_Basket_Put_Option
14     ..... \nBy Tyler Hayes", size=(420, -1))
15         topLbl.SetFont(wx.Font(18, wx.SWISS, wx.NORMAL, wx.BOLD))
16
17         # Choose Expiry Type
18         sclabel = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, \
19                                 "Choose_Expiry_Type:\n
20     ..... Enter 1 for (K-(S1+S2)) + or \n

```

```

21 -----2_for_(K-max(S1,S2)+_",
22             size=(220,-1))
23     self.etype = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
24
25
26     # S1 and S2 upper bounds for grid
27     s2label = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, "S1_High,_S2_High:_",\
28             size=(220,-1))
29     self.s1upper = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
30     self.s2upper = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
31
32     # S1 and S2 volatility
33     vlabel = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, "S1_Volatility ,
34 -----S2_Volatility:_", size=(220,-1))
35     self.v1vol = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
36     self.v2vol = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
37
38     # Risk free rate and correlation
39     prlabel = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, "Interest_Rate ,
40 -----Correlation:_", size=(220,-1))
41     self.risk = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
42     self.corr = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
43
44
45     # Strike and Exercise Date
46     kTlabel = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, "Strike_Price ,
47 -----Exercise_Date:_", size=(220,-1))
48     self.strike = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
49     self.finalT = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
50
51     # deltaT and deltaX
52     dTXlabel = wx.StaticText(panel, -1, "delta_T,_NX,_NY:_",\
53             size=(220,-1))
54     self.deltaT = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
55     self.nxval = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
56     self.nyval = wx.TextCtrl(panel, -1, "", size=(100,-1));
57
58
59     # Execute program

```

```

60     runBtn = wx.Button(panel, -1, "Run")
61     self.Bind(wx.EVT_BUTTON, self.OnSubmit, runBtn)
62
63     # Now do the layout.
64
65     # mainSizer is the top-level one that manages everything
66     mainSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.VERTICAL)
67     mainSizer.Add(topLbl, 0, wx.ALL, 5)
68     mainSizer.Add(wx.StaticLine(panel), 0,
69                   wx.EXPAND|wx.TOP|wx.BOTTOM, 5)
70
71     # femSizer is a grid that holds all of the address info
72     femSizer = wx.FlexGridSizer(cols=2, hgap=5, vgap=5)
73     femSizer.AddGrowableCol(1)
74
75     # Expiry Type
76     femSizer.Add(sclabel, 0,
77                 wx.ALIGN_RIGHT|wx.ALIGN_CENTER_VERTICAL)
78     # the lower and upper bounds are in a sub-sizer
79     etSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
80     etSizer.Add(self.etype, 1)
81     femSizer.Add(etSizer, 1, wx.EXPAND)
82
83
84     # S1 and S2 HIGH label
85     femSizer.Add(s2label, 0,
86                 wx.ALIGN_RIGHT|wx.ALIGN_CENTER_VERTICAL)
87     # the lower and upper bounds are in a sub-sizer
88     s2Sizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
89     s2Sizer.Add(self.s1upper, 1)
90     s2Sizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
91     s2Sizer.Add(self.s2upper, 1, wx.LEFT|wx.RIGHT, 5)
92     femSizer.Add(s2Sizer, 1, wx.EXPAND)
93
94
95     # Volatility label
96     femSizer.Add(vlabel, 0,
97                 wx.ALIGN_RIGHT|wx.ALIGN_CENTER_VERTICAL)
98     # the lower and upper bounds are in a sub-sizer

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99         volSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
100         volSizer.Add(self.v1vol, 1)
101         volSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
102         volSizer.Add(self.v2vol, 1, wx.LEFT|wx.RIGHT, 5)
103         femSizer.Add(volSizer, 1, wx.EXPAND)
104
105
106         # Risk free Rate and corelation
107         femSizer.Add(prlabel, 0,
108                     wx.ALIGN_RIGHT|wx.ALIGN_CENTER_VERTICAL)
109         # the lower and upper bounds are in a sub-sizer
110         rcSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
111         rcSizer.Add(self.risk, 1)
112         rcSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
113         rcSizer.Add(self.corr, 1, wx.LEFT|wx.RIGHT, 5)
114         femSizer.Add(rcSizer, 1, wx.EXPAND)
115
116
117         # Strike and Exercise Date
118         femSizer.Add(ktlabel, 0,
119                     wx.ALIGN_RIGHT|wx.ALIGN_CENTER_VERTICAL)
120         # the lower and upper bounds are in a sub-sizer
121         ktSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
122         ktSizer.Add(self.strike, 1)
123         ktSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
124         ktSizer.Add(self.finalT, 1, wx.LEFT|wx.RIGHT, 5)
125         femSizer.Add(ktSizer, 1, wx.EXPAND)
126
127
128         # deltaT and deltaX
129         femSizer.Add(dTXlabel, 0,
130                     wx.ALIGN_RIGHT|wx.ALIGN_CENTER_VERTICAL)
131         # the lower and upper bounds are in a sub-sizer
132         dtxSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
133         dtxSizer.Add(self.deltaT, 1)
134         dtxSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
135         dtxSizer.Add(self.nxval, 1, wx.LEFT|wx.RIGHT, 5)
136         dtxSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
137         dtxSizer.Add(self.nyval, 1, wx.LEFT|wx.RIGHT, 5)

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```

138         femSizer.Add(dtxSizer , 1, wx.EXPAND)
139
140
141         # now add the femSizer to the mainSizer
142         mainSizer.Add(femSizer , 0, wx.EXPAND|wx.ALL, 10)
143
144         # gaps between and on either side of the buttons
145         btnSizer = wx.BoxSizer(wx.HORIZONTAL)
146         btnSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
147         btnSizer.Add(runBtn)
148         btnSizer.Add((10,10)) # some empty space
149         mainSizer.Add(btnSizer , 0, wx.EXPAND|wx.BOTTOM, 10)
150
151         panel.SetSizer(mainSizer)
152
153         # Fit the frame to the needs of the sizer. The frame
154         # will automatically resize the panel as needed.
155         # Also prevent the frame from getting smaller than
156         # this size.
157         mainSizer.Fit(self)
158         mainSizer.SetSizeHints(self)
159
160     def OnSubmit(self , evt):
161         # Allow the inputs to be viewed by the calling program
162         global values
163         values = (self.etype.GetValue(),
164                  self.s1upper.GetValue(),
165                  self.s2upper.GetValue(),
166                  self.v1vol.GetValue(),
167                  self.v2vol.GetValue(),
168                  self.risk.GetValue(),
169                  self.corr.GetValue(),
170                  self.strike.GetValue(),
171                  self.finalT.GetValue(),
172                  self.deltaT.GetValue(),
173                  self.nxval.GetValue(),
174                  self.nyval.GetValue())
175         self.Close(True)
176

```



```
177 class MyApp(wx.App):
178
179     def OnInit(self):
180         frame = FemInput()
181         self.SetTopWindow(frame)
182         frame.Show()
183         return True
184
185
186 # Needed if called as a module
187 if __name__ == '__main__':
188     app = MyApp(False)
189     app.MainLoop()
```

APPENDIX B

FORTRAN CODE LISTINGS

B.1 Fortran Mesh Routine

```
1  ! This is the 2D mesh generator for linear , triangular elements
2  !
3  ! This code is modified from J.N. REDDY, AN INTRODUCTION TO THE
4  ! FINITE ELEMENT METHOD, 2nd EDITION
5  !
6  ! Coded by Tyler Hayes , April 3, 2007
7  !
8  !
9  ! INPUTS:
10 !
11 !     NX = NUMBER OF DIVISIONS IN THE X-DIR
12 !     NY = NUMBER OF DIVISIONS IN THE Y-DIR
13 !     NEX1 = INTEGER = NX+1
14 !     NEY1 = INTEGER = NY+1
15 !     NEM = INTEGER = 2*NX*NY
16 !     NNM = INTEGER = ((IEL*NX)+1) * ((IEL*NY)+1) IEL = 1 for tri
17 !     DX = VECTOR OF SPACINGS IN THE X-DIR <- CAN BE VARIABLE
18 !           THE VECTOR SHOULD BE NX+1 IN SIZE BUT THE DX(NX+1) IS
19 !           SET TO ZERO AND IS A DUMMY VARIABLE
20 !     DY = VECTOR OF SPACINGS IN THE Y-DIR <- CAN BE VARIABLE
21 !           THE VECTOR SHOULD BE NY+1 IN SIZE BUT THE DY(NY+1) IS
22 !           SET TO ZERO AND IS A DUMMY VARIABLE
```

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23      !      X0 = ORIGIN OF THE X AXIS
24      !      Y0 = ORIGIN OF THE Y AXIS
25      !
26      ! OUTPUT:
27      !      NOD = INTEGER MATRIX OF ELEMENT NOD INDICES
28      !      GLXY = GLOBAL COORDINATES OF NOD
29      !
30      ! MISC.:
31      !      NPE = NODES PER ELEMENT
32      !-----
33
34      SUBROUTINE MESH(NOD, GLXY, NX, NY, NEX1, NEY1, NEM, NNM, DX, DY, Xo, Yo)
35      IMPLICIT NONE
36      INTEGER :: NXX, NYY, NX2, NY2, NXX1, NYY1
37      INTEGER :: K, IY, L, M, N, I, NI, NJ, IEL
38      INTEGER, PARAMETER :: NPE=3
39      REAL :: XC, YC
40      ! INPUTS
41      INTEGER, INTENT(IN) :: NX, NY, NEM, NNM, NEX1, NEY1
42      REAL, INTENT(IN) :: Xo, Yo
43      REAL, DIMENSION(NEX1), INTENT(IN) :: DX
44      REAL, DIMENSION(NEY1), INTENT(IN) :: DY
45      ! PARAMETERS
46      ! OUTPUTS
47      INTEGER, DIMENSION(NEM, NPE), INTENT(OUT) :: NOD
48      REAL, DIMENSION(NNM, 2), INTENT(OUT) :: GLXY
49
50      ! CREATE VARIABLES
51      IEL = 1 ! FOR <= 4 NODES PER ELEMENT
52      NXX = IEL*NX
53      NYY = IEL*NY
54      NXX1 = NXX + 1
55      NYY1 = NYY + 1
56      NX2 = 2*NX
57      NY2 = 2*NY
58
59
60      ! CREATE TRIANGULAR ELEMENTS
61      !-----

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62
63  ! INITIALIZE FIRST TWO ELEMENTS
64      NOD(1,1) = 1
65      NOD(1,2) = IEL+1
66      NOD(1,3) = IEL*NXX1 + IEL + 1
67      NOD(2,1) = 1
68      NOD(2,2) = NOD(1,3)
69      NOD(2,3) = IEL*NXX1 + 1
70
71  ! LOOP THROUGH MESH
72      K=3
73      DO IY=1,NY
74          L=IY*NX2
75          M=(IY-1)*NX2
76          IF (NX > 1) THEN
77              DO N=K,L,2
78                  DO I=1,NPE
79                      NOD(N,I) = NOD(N-2,I) + IEL
80                      NOD(N+1,I) = NOD(N-1,I) + IEL
81                  END DO
82              END DO
83          END IF
84          IF (IY < NY) THEN
85              DO I=1,NPE
86                  NOD(L+1,I) = NOD(M+1,I) + IEL*NXX1
87                  NOD(L+2,I) = NOD(M+2,I) + IEL*NXX1
88              END DO
89          END IF
90          K=L+3
91      END DO
92
93
94  ! NOW GENERATE GLOBAL COORDINATES OF THE NODES
95      XC = Xo
96      YC = Yo
97
98      DO NI=1,NEY1
99          XC = Xo
100          I = NXX1*IEL*(NI-1)

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101      DO NJ = 1,NEX1
102          I=I+1
103          GLXY(I,1) = XC
104          GLXY(I,2) = YC
105          IF (NJ < NEX1) THEN
106              IF (IEL == 2) THEN
107                  I=I+1
108                  XC = XC + 0.5*DX(NJ)
109                  GLXY(I,1) = XC
110                  GLXY(I,2) = YC
111              END IF
112          END IF
113          XC = XC + DX(NJ)/IEL
114      END DO
115      XC = X0
116      IF (IEL == 2) THEN
117          YC = YC + 0.5*DY(NI)
118          DO NJ = 1,NEX1
119              I=I+1
120              GLXY(I,1) = XC
121              GLXY(I,2) = YC
122              IF (NJ < NEX1) THEN
123                  I=I+1
124                  XC = XC + 0.5*DX(NJ)
125                  GLXY(I,1) = XC
126                  GLXY(I,2) = YC
127              END IF
128              XC = XC + 0.5*DX(NJ)
129          END DO
130      END IF
131      YC = YC + DY(NI)/IEL
132  END DO
133  END SUBROUTINE MESH

```

B.2 Fortran Shape Function Routine

```

1  SUBROUTINE SFNTRI(DET,SF,GDSF,L1,L2,L3,ELXY)

```

```

2  IMPLICIT NONE
3  ! THIS IS THE SUBROUTINE THAT CALCULATES THE SHAPE FUNCTIONS
4  ! AND THEIR DERIVATIVES AT SPECIFIED GLOBAL POSITIONS
5  INTEGER,PARAMETER :: NPE=3
6  INTEGER :: I,J,K
7  REAL,DIMENSION(3,2),INTENT(IN) :: ELXY
8  REAL,INTENT(IN) :: L1,L2,L3
9  REAL,INTENT(OUT) :: DET
10 REAL,DIMENSION(3),INTENT(OUT) :: SF
11 REAL,DIMENSION(2,3),INTENT(OUT) :: GDSF
12 REAL,DIMENSION(3,3) :: DSF
13 REAL,DIMENSION(2,2) :: GJ,GJINV
14 REAL :: SUM
15
16 ! INITIALIZE ARRAYS
17 DO I=1,NPE
18     DSF(1,I) = 0.0
19     DSF(2,I) = 0.0
20     DSF(3,I) = 0.0
21     SF(I)    = 0.0
22 END DO
23
24 ! SET THE SHAPE FUNCTIONS FOR A TRIANGLE
25 SF(1) = L1
26 SF(2) = L2
27 SF(3) = L3
28 DSF(1,1) = 1.0
29 DSF(2,2) = 1.0
30 DSF(3,3) = 1.0
31
32 ! FIND THE JACOBIAN
33 DO I=1,2
34     DO J=1,2
35         SUM = 0.0
36         DO K=1,NPE
37             SUM = SUM + (DSF(I,K) - DSF(3,K))*ELXY(K,J)
38         END DO
39         GJ(I,J) = SUM
40     END DO

```

```

41      END DO
42
43      ! FIND GJ's INVERSE
44      DET      =  GJ(1,1)*GJ(2,2) - GJ(1,2)*GJ(2,1)
45      GJINV(1,1) =  GJ(2,2)/DET
46      GJINV(2,2) =  GJ(1,1)/DET
47      GJINV(1,2) = -1.0*GJ(1,2)/DET
48      GJINV(2,1) = -1.0*GJ(2,1)/DET
49
50      ! OBTAIN THE DERIVATIVE OF THE SHAPE FUNCTION WITH PROPER
51      ! TRANSFORMATION
52      DO I=1,2
53          DO J=1,NPE
54              SUM = 0.0
55              DO K=1,2
56                  SUM = SUM + GJINV(I,K)*(DSF(K,J) - DSF(3,J))
57              END DO
58              GDSF(I,J) = SUM
59          END DO
60      END DO
61
62      END SUBROUTINE SFNTRI

```

B.3 Fortran Non-symmetric Gaussian Solver

```

1      ! This is a subroutine that finds y from A.y = F for
2      ! banded NON-symmetric matrices. From Thompson text
3      !
4      ! INPUTS:
5      !      A = non-symmetric banded matrix
6      !      F = vector from A.Y = F
7      !      IB = bandwidth of matrix (columns)
8      !      neq= number of rows in the matrix
9      !
10     ! OUTPUTS:
11     !      Y = solution vector from A.Y = F
12     !

```

```

13 SUBROUTINE nsymgauss (Y,A,F,neq,IB)
14   IMPLICIT NONE
15   INTEGER :: Idia g , i , j , k , Jend , Kbg n , Kend , Ikc , Jkc , Iback , Jc , Kc
16   REAL :: FAC
17   INTEGER, INTENT(IN) :: neq, IB
18   REAL, DIMENSION(neq, IB) :: AA
19   REAL, DIMENSION(neq) :: FF
20   REAL, DIMENSION(neq, IB), INTENT(IN) :: A
21   REAL, DIMENSION(neq), INTENT(IN) :: F
22   REAL, DIMENSION(neq), INTENT(OUT) :: Y
23
24   ! Initialize matrices to overwrite
25   DO i = 1, neq
26     DO j = 1, IB
27       AA(i, j) = A(i, j)
28     END DO
29     FF(i) = F(i)
30   END DO
31
32   ! Forward elimination
33   Idia g = ((IB - 1)/2) + 1
34   DO i = 1, neq-1
35     Jend = neq
36     IF (Jend > (i+Idia g-1)) Jend = i+Idia g-1
37     DO j = i+1, Jend
38       Kc = Idia g - (j-i)
39       FAC = -AA(j, Kc)/AA(i, Idia g)
40       Kbg n = i
41       Kend = Jend
42       DO k = Kbg n, Kend
43         Ikc = Idia g + (k-i)
44         Jkc = Idia g + (k-j)
45         AA(j, Jkc) = AA(j, Jkc) + FAC*AA(i, Ikc)
46       END DO
47       FF(j) = FF(j) + FAC*FF(i)
48     END DO
49   END DO
50
51   ! Backward substitution

```



```

52  Y(neq) = FF(neq)/AA(neq,Idiag)
53  DO Iback = 2,neq
54      i = neq - Iback + 1
55      Jend = neq
56      IF (Jend > (i+(Idiag-1))) Jend = i+(Idiag-1)
57      DO j = i+1,Jend
58          Jc = Idiag + (j-i)
59          FF(i) = FF(i) - AA(i,Jc)*Y(j)
60      END DO
61      Y(i) = FF(i)/AA(i,Idiag)
62  END DO
63  END SUBROUTINE nsymgauss

```

B.4 Fortran Quadrature Data Function

```

1  SUBROUTINE QUAD(L1,L2,L3,LWT)
2      IMPLICIT NONE
3      ! THIS CREATES THE TABLE OF VALUES FOR TRIANGULAR ELEMENTS
4      ! USED FOR THREE-POINT QUADRATURE
5      !
6      ! INTEGRATION REGION:
7      !
8      !      0 <= X,  AND  0 <= Y,  AND  X + Y <= 1.
9      !
10     ! GRAPH:
11     !
12     !      ^
13     !      1 | *
14     !      |  |\
15     !      Y |  |\
16     !      |  |\
17     !      0 | *---*
18     !      +----->
19     !      0 X 1
20     !
21     !
22     !

```

```
23 INTEGER :: I
24 REAL, DIMENSION(3), INTENT(OUT) :: L1, L2, L3, LWT
25
26 ! INITIALIZE
27 DO I=1,3
28     L1(I) = 0.0
29     L2(I) = 0.0
30     L3(I) = 0.0
31     LWT(I) = 0.0
32 END DO
33
34
35 ! THREE-POINT QUADRATURE
36 L1(1) = 0.0
37 L1(2) = 0.5
38 L1(3) = 0.5
39 L2(1) = 0.5
40 L2(2) = 0.0
41 L2(3) = 0.5
42 L3(1) = 0.5
43 L3(2) = 0.5
44 L3(3) = 0.0
45 LWT(1) = 1.0/3.0
46 LWT(2) = 1.0/3.0
47 LWT(3) = 1.0/3.0
48 END SUBROUTINE QUAD
```

APPENDIX C

PYTHON F2PY INTERFACE MODULES

The following modules are required by f2py. They are used to properly compile the wrapper functions that allow the Fortran routines in [B](#) to be called within the main FEM routine listed in [A](#).

C.1 Mesh Interface File

```
1  !    -- fgo --
2  ! Note: the context of this file is case sensitive.
3
4  python module tri ! in
5      interface ! in :tri
6          subroutine mesh(nod,glxy,nx,ny,nex1,
7              ney1,nem,nnm,dx,dy,xo,yo) ! in :tri:mesh.fgo
8              integer dimension(nem,3),intent(out),
9              depend(nem) :: nod
10             real dimension(nnm,2),intent(out),depend(nnm) :: glxy
11             integer intent(in) :: nx
12             integer intent(in) :: ny
13             integer intent(in) :: nex1
14             integer intent(in) :: ney1
15             integer intent(in) :: nem
16             integer intent(in) :: nnm
17             real dimension(nex1),intent(in),depend(nex1) :: dx
```

```

18         real dimension(ney1),intent(in),depend(ney1) :: dy
19         real intent(in) :: xo
20         real intent(in) :: yo
21     end subroutine mesh
22 end interface
23 end python module tri
24
25 ! This file was auto-generated with f2py (version:2_3396).
26 ! See http://cens.ioc.ee/projects/f2py2e/

```

C.2 Shape Function Interface File

```

1  !    -*- fgo -*-
2  ! Note: the context of this file is case sensitive.
3
4  python module shpfm ! in
5      interface ! in :shpfm
6          subroutine sfntri(det,sf,gdsf,l1,l2,l3,elxy)
7  ! in :shpfm:sfntri.fgo
8              real intent(out) :: det
9              real dimension(3),intent(out) :: sf
10             real dimension(2,3),intent(out) :: gdsf
11             real intent(in) :: l1
12             real intent(in) :: l2
13             real intent(in) :: l3
14             real dimension(3,2),intent(in) :: elxy
15         end subroutine sfntri
16     end interface
17 end python module shpfm
18
19 ! This file was auto-generated with f2py (version:2_3396).
20 ! See http://cens.ioc.ee/projects/f2py2e/

```

C.3 Gaussian Solver Interface File

```

1  !    -*- f90 -*-
2  ! Note: the context of this file is case sensitive.
3
4  python module nsymgauss ! in
5      interface ! in :nsymgauss
6          subroutine nsymgauss(y,a,f,neq,ib)
7  ! in :nsymgauss:nsymgauss.f90
8              integer intent(in) :: neq
9              integer intent(in) :: ib
10             real dimension(neq),intent(out),depend(neq) :: y
11             real dimension(neq,ib),intent(in),
12             depend(ib,neq) :: a
13             real dimension(neq),intent(in),depend(neq) :: f
14         end subroutine nsymgauss
15     end interface
16 end python module nsymgauss
17
18 ! This file was auto-generated with f2py (version:2_3396).
19 ! See http://cens.ioc.ee/projects/f2py2e/

```

C.4 Quadrature Data Interface File

```

1  !    -*- f90 -*-
2  ! Note: the context of this file is case sensitive.
3
4  python module quad_data ! in
5      interface ! in :quad_data
6          subroutine quad(l1,l2,l3,lwt) ! in :quad_data:quad.f90
7              real dimension(3),intent(out) :: l1
8              real dimension(3),intent(out) :: l2
9              real dimension(3),intent(out) :: l3
10             real dimension(3),intent(out) :: lwt
11         end subroutine quad
12     end interface
13 end python module quad_data

```

```
14  
15 ! This file was auto-generated with f2py (version:2_3396).  
16 ! See http://cens.ioc.ee/projects/f2py2e/
```

SOFTWARE USED

In the course of preparing this project, I made use of freely available software. The computer operating system with which this FEM project was carried out on is Kubuntu 6.06 (Dapper Drake), a Debian derivative. The main portion of my code was written using Python and the GUI widgets from wxPython. I also made use of several science specific extensions to Python. For numerical purposes, I used SciPy and its imported libraries as well as the f2py extension which automatically generates a wrapper around Fortran 77/90 programs to facilitate calling them within Python. The Fortran 90 routines were compiled using GNU Fortran and written on the world's best text editor, GNU Emacs. Links to the software are listed below (in no particular order).

<http://www.gnu.org/software/emacs/>
<http://cens.ioc.ee/projects/f2py2e/>
<http://www.python.org/>
<http://www.wxpython.org/>
<http://gcc.gnu.org/fortran/>
<http://www.kubuntu.org/>
<http://www.scipy.org/>

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