

1. Barrier

$$S_0 = 100, S = 0, \sigma = 0.2, r = 0.03$$

- 1-yr 120-up & out put barrier 130, B-S price = 2
- B-S price 1year 120-up and in put barrier 130
- up and in put + up and out put = put
- up and in put + 2 = put

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{100}{120}\right) + (0.03 + \frac{1}{2}(0.2)^2)(1)}{0.2\sqrt{1}} = -0.6616$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - 0.2\sqrt{1} = -0.8616$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{put B-S} &= -S\bar{\Phi}(d_1) + Ke^{-rt}\bar{\Phi}(-d_2) \\ &= -100\bar{\Phi}(0.6616) + 120e^{-0.03}\bar{\Phi}(0.8616) \\ &\approx -100\bar{\Phi}(0.66) + 120e^{-0.03}\bar{\Phi}(0.86) \\ &\approx -100(0.7454) + 120e^{-0.03}(0.8051) \\ &= 19.21668 \approx 19.22 \end{aligned}$$

$$19.22 - 2 = \boxed{17.22}$$

2. Barrier

$$S_0 = 100, u = 1.2, d = 0.8, T = 1, n = 3, r = 0.03, S = 0, h = \frac{1}{3}$$

1-yr 50-call up and out barrier 110

$$(S_T - 100)^+ \mathbf{1}_{\{S_0 < 110\}} \mathbf{1}_{\{\max_{0 \leq t \leq T} S_t < 110\}}$$

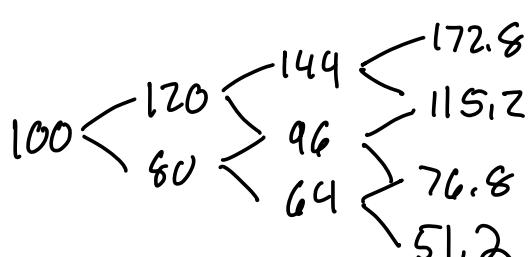
$$uS_0 = 1.2(100) = 120$$

$$dS_0 = 0.8(100) = 80$$

$$u^2S_0 = 1.2^2(100) = 144$$

$$uds_0 = 1.2(0.8)(100) = 96$$

$$d^2S_0 = (0.8)^2(100) = 64$$



$$u^3 S_0 = (1.2)^3 (100) = 172.8$$

$$u^2 d S_0 = (1.2)^2 (0.8) (100) = 115.2$$

$$u d^2 S_0 = (1.2) (0.8)^2 (100) = 76.8$$

$$d^3 S_0 = (0.8)^3 (100) = 51.2$$

$$uuu = 0, 120, 144, 172 > 110$$

$$uud = 0, 120, 144, 115.2 > 110$$

$$udu = 0, 120, 115 > 110$$

$$udd = 0, 120 > 110$$

$$duu = 0, 115.2 > 110$$

$$dud = (76.8 - 50) = 26.8$$

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$$ddd = (51.2 - 50) = 1.2$$

$$p^* = \frac{e^{(r-s)h-d}}{u-d} = \frac{e^{0.03(\frac{1}{3})} - 0.8}{1.2 - 0.8} = 0.52$$

$$q^* = 1 - p^* = 1 - 0.52 = 0.48$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{price} &= e^{-0.03} \left[26.8(q^*)^2 p^* + 26.8(q^*)^2 p^* + 1.2(a^*)^3 \right] \\ &= e^{-0.03} \left[26.8(0.48)^2 (0.52) + 26.8(0.48)^2 (0.52) + 1.2(0.48)^3 \right] \\ &= \boxed{6.36} \end{aligned}$$

3. Asian

$$S_0 = 100, u = 1.1, d = 0.9, T = 1, n = 3, r = 0.03, S = 0, K = 0$$

$$\text{call: } \left[\left[S \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) S \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) S(1) \right]^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100 \right]^T$$

$$h = \frac{T}{n} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$uS_0 = 110$$

$$dS_0 = 90$$

$$u^2S_0 = 121$$

$$udS_0 = 99$$

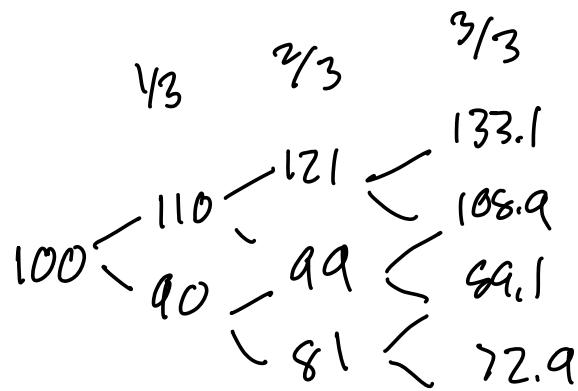
$$d^2S_0 = 81$$

$$u^3S_0 = 133.1$$

$$u^2dS_0 = 108.9$$

$$ud^2S_0 = 89.1$$

$$d^3S_0 = 72.9$$



$$(u_{uuu} = ((110 \cdot 121 \cdot 133.1)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (110.97 - 100) = 20.97 p^{*3})$$

$$(u_{uud} = ((110 \cdot 121 \cdot 108.9)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (113.17 - 100) = 13.17 p^{*2}q)$$

$$(u_{udd} = ((110 \cdot 99 \cdot 108.9)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (105.65 - 100) = 5.65 p^{*}q^{*}p^{*2})$$

$$(u_{ddu} = ((110 \cdot 99 \cdot 89.1)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (99 - 100) = 0 q^{*2}p^{*2})$$

$$(d_{uuu} = ((90 \cdot 99 \cdot 108.9)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (99 - 100) = 0 q^{*2}p^{*})$$

$$(d_{uud} = ((90 \cdot 99 \cdot 89.1)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (92.59 - 100) = 0 q^{*}p^{*}q^{*})$$

$$(d_{udu} = ((90 \cdot 81 \cdot 89.1)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (86.60 - 100) = 0 q^{*2}p^{*2})$$

$$(d_{ddu} = ((90 \cdot 81 \cdot 72.9)^{\frac{1}{3}} - 100) : (61 - 100) = 0 q^{*3})$$

$$p^{*} = e^{\frac{0.03(1)}{1.1 - 0.9}} - 0.9 = 0.56 \quad q^{*} = 1 - p^{*} = 1 - 0.55 = 0.45$$

$$\text{price is } e^{-0.03(1)} [20.97(p^{*3}) + 13.17(p^{*2})(q^{*}) + 5.65(p^{*}q^{*}p^{*2})]$$

$$e^{-0.03(1)} [20.97(0.55)^3 + 13.17(0.55)^2(0.45) + 5.65(0.55)(0.45)(0.55)] \\ = 5.89834 \approx \boxed{5.90}$$

4. Chooser

$$T=2, t_0=1, S_0=10, \sigma=0.2, r=0.05, K=9$$

$$C(0, S, K, T) = S\Phi(d_1) - Ke^{-rT}\Phi(d_2)$$

$$P(0, S, K, T) = -S\Phi(d_1) + Ke^{-rT}\Phi(-d_2)$$

for call:

$$C(0, 10, 9, 2), d_1 = \frac{\ln(\frac{10}{9}) + (0.05 + \frac{1}{2}(0.2)^2)(2)}{0.2\sqrt{2}} = 0.87$$

$$d_2 = 0.87 - 0.2\sqrt{2} = 0.58$$

$$\begin{aligned} C(0, 10, 9, 2) &= 10\Phi(0.87) - 9e^{-0.1}\Phi(0.58) \quad \text{using table} \\ &= 10(0.8078) - 9e^{-0.1}(0.7190) \\ &= 2.22279 \approx 2.22 \end{aligned}$$

for put:

$$P(0, 10, 9e^{-0.05}, 1), d_1 = \frac{\ln(\frac{10}{9e^{-0.05}}) + (0.05 + \frac{1}{2}(0.2)^2)(1)}{0.2\sqrt{1}} = 1.12$$

$$d_2 = 1.12 - 0.2\sqrt{1} = 0.92$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(0, 10, 9e^{-0.05}, 1) &= -10\Phi(1.12) + 9e^{-0.05}e^{-0.05(0.92)}\Phi(-0.92) \\ &= -10(0.1335) + 9e^{-0.05}e^{-0.05}(0.1814) \\ &= 6.1422 \approx 6.14 \end{aligned}$$

Value of Chooser:

$$2.22 + 6.14 = \boxed{8.36}$$

5. $dS_t = rS_t dt + \sigma S_t dB_t$, $S_0 = S$ where r and σ are constants

Let $n \geq 2$ be any positive integer, K be any positive number, we want to find $E[e^{-rT}[(S_T)^n - K]^+]$

Since σ and r are constants, we can apply Ito's

formula and get that the Geometric Brownian motion
 $S_t = S_0 e^{(r-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)t + \sigma B_t} \Rightarrow (S_t)^n = (S_0 e^{(r-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)t + \sigma B_t})^n$

$$\text{so } E[e^{-rT}[(S_0 e^{(r-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)t + \sigma B_t})^n - K]^+]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } e^{-rT} E[(S_T^n - K)^+] &= e^{-rT} E[(S_T^n - K) |_{\{S_T > K\}}] \\ &= e^{-rT} P(S_T^n > K) E[S_T^n] \\ &= e^{-rT} E[S_T^n] \cdot P(S_T^n > K) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(S_T^n > K) &= P(S_0 e^{(r-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T + \sigma B_T} > K) \\ &= P((e^{(r-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T + \sigma B_T})^n > \frac{K}{S_0^n}) \\ &= P((r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T + \sigma B_T > \ln(\frac{K}{S_0^n})) \\ &= P(-\sigma B_T > \ln(\frac{K}{S_0^n}) - [(r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T]) \\ &= P(Z > \frac{\ln(\frac{K}{S_0^n}) - (r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T}{\sigma \sqrt{T}}) \\ &= P(Z < \frac{\ln(\frac{S_0^n}{K}) - (r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T}{\sigma \sqrt{T}}) \\ &= \Phi\left(\frac{\ln(\frac{S_0^n}{K}) - (r - \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)T}{\sigma \sqrt{T}}\right) = \Phi(d_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{price is } e^{-rT} E[(S_T^n)] \cdot P(S_T^n > K)$$

$$= e^{-rT} S_0^n e^{(r-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2)Tn} \Phi(d_2)$$

6. • Δ call: positive

Since $\Delta = V_x(t, x) = \Phi(d_1)$ and we know $\Delta = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}$. For a call $V(t, x) = (x - k)^+$, its partial derivative with respect to x $\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = \Phi(d_1)$. Since $\Phi(d_1)$ is CDF for the normal dist. any cumulative probability must be greater than zero.

• Δ put: negative

When $V(x, t) = -x\bar{\Phi}(-d_1) + ke^{-rt}\bar{\Phi}(-d_2)$ for a put $V(x, t) = (k - x)^+$ $\Delta = V_x(t, x) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = -\bar{\Phi}(-d_1) = -1 \cdot \bar{\Phi}(-d_1)$ so a negative value is always returned because any positive CDF multiplied by -1 is always negative. $V'(t, x) = \Phi(d_1) + 0$

• Γ call: positive

$$\Gamma = \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial \Delta}{\partial x} \text{ since } \Delta = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}, \text{ so } \frac{\partial \Delta}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Phi(d_1).$$

Since $\Phi(d_1)$ must be positive bc normal CDF, the partial differentiation is a positive pdf. Thus,

Γ call is non-negative.

• Γ put: negative

$$\Gamma = \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial \Delta}{\partial x} \text{ since } \Delta = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}, \text{ so we have } \frac{\partial \Delta}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (-1)\bar{\Phi}(-d_1)$$

Since $(-1)\bar{\Phi}(-d_1)$ is always negative ($-1 \cdot 1 = -1$), the partial differentiation is a positive pdf multiplied by -1 , therefore Γ put is negative

7.

$$\Omega := V_x \cdot \frac{x}{V} = \frac{\Delta x}{V}$$

$$\Omega = \frac{\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}}{\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}} = \frac{\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}}{2x} \frac{x}{V}$$

- for a no dividend call, we know that Δ is positive.
from the black scholes equation we have

$$V = X\Phi(d_1) - Ke^{-rt}\Phi(d_2) \leq X\Phi(d_1) = \Delta x \Rightarrow V < X\Phi(d_1) = \Delta x$$
$$\Rightarrow 1 \leq \Delta = \frac{X}{S\Phi(d_1) - Ke^{-rt}\Phi(d_2)} = \frac{\Delta x}{V} \quad \hookrightarrow V \leq \Delta x \Rightarrow 1 \leq \frac{\Delta x}{V}$$
$$\Rightarrow 1 \leq \frac{\Delta x}{V} = \Omega,$$
$$\Rightarrow 1 \leq \Omega$$

thus, since delta is positive and less than Δx , our numerator is greater than denom and is always positive

- for a no dividend put, we know that Δ is negative from proof in problem 6, so
 $\Omega = \frac{\Delta x}{V} < 0$. From black scholes equation,
 $V = -X\Phi(-d_1) + Ke^{-rt}\Phi(-d_1) \geq -X\Phi(-d_1) = \Delta x$ so, we can divide V on both sides to get $1 \geq \frac{\Delta x}{V}$. So we know that Ω must be less than or equal to 1 (meaning numerator $\Delta x \leq V$). Since Δ is negative for a no-dividend put, $\frac{\Delta x}{V}$ must be negative. Thus less than zero. Therefore, $\Omega \leq 0$

$$S. dX_t = [\sqrt{1+x_t^2} + \frac{1}{2}x_t]dt + \sqrt{1+x_t^2}dB_t = 0$$

has the form $dX_t = b(x_t)dt + \sigma dB_t$, $X_0=0$

Let's find an equation to use for Ito's formula

$$dG_t = f_t(t, X_t)dt + f_x(t, X_t)dX_t + \frac{1}{2}f_{xx}(t, X_t)(dX_t)^2$$

$$\text{let } G_t = f(t, X_t) = \sinh^{-1}(X_t) - t \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \sinh^{-1}(X_t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dG_t &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dX_t - \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x_t}{\sqrt{(1+x_t^2)^3}}\right)(X_t^2+1) - dt \\ &= \frac{\left[\left(\sqrt{1+x_t^2} + \frac{1}{2}x_t\right)dt - \sqrt{1+x_t^2}dB_t\right]}{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}} - \frac{x_t}{2\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dt \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}dt}{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}} + \frac{x_t}{2\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dt + \frac{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}{\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dB_t - \frac{x_t}{2\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dt \\ &= dt - \cancel{\frac{x_t}{2\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dt} + dB_t - \cancel{\frac{x_t}{2\sqrt{1+x_t^2}}dt} \\ &= dB_t \end{aligned}$$

$$G_t = G_0 + B_t = \int_0^t dB_s + \int_0^t ds$$

when $G_t = G_0 + B_t = f(t, X_t) = \sinh^{-1}(X_t + t)$ we want
 $X_t = \sinh(X_0 + B_t) - t$. So we are left with
 $f(t, x_t) = \sinh^{-1}(\sinh(x_0) + B_t) + t = X_0 + B_t$. Thus, $X_t = \sinh(\sinh^{-1}(x_0) + t + B_t)$