

Mathematics of New Technologies in Finance

Exercise sheet 5

Exercise 5.1 (Self financing portfolio) Recall the definition of self financing trading strategy ξ and its associated discounted value process $V = (V_t)_{t=0, \dots, T}$ is given by

$$V_0 := \xi_1 \cdot \bar{X}_0 \quad \text{and} \quad V_t := \xi_t \cdot \bar{X}_t \quad \text{for } t = 1, \dots, T.$$

The gains process associated with ξ is defined as

$$G_0 := 0 \quad \text{and} \quad G_t := \sum_{k=1}^t \xi_k \cdot (X_k - X_{k-1}) \quad \text{for } t = 1, \dots, T$$

- (a) Prove $\xi_t \cdot \bar{X}_t = \xi_{t+1} \cdot \bar{X}_t$ for $t = 1, \dots, T - 1$.
- (b) Prove $V_t = V_0 + G_t = \xi_1 \cdot \bar{X}_0 + \sum_{k=1}^t \xi_k \cdot (X_k - X_{k-1})$ for all t .

Exercise 5.2 (Options) Code option pricing and simulation for European options and Digital options, see exercise notebook.

Exercise 5.3 (Heston Model Simulation) Code Heston Model Simulation, see exercise notebook.

References

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