

MILD INCOMPLETENESS:

- CONTINUITY
- 2 FACTORS, 1 TRADED

Case study: paper by Martin Schweizer (1992)

B_t, \mathcal{E}_t : independent Brownian motions

(\mathcal{F}_t) generated by (B_t, \mathcal{E}_t)

$$dS_t = \mu_t S_t dt + \sigma_t S_t dB_t$$

$$dF_t = m_t F_t dt + v_t F_t d\xi_t$$

$$\text{where } d\xi_t = \rho_t dB_t + \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} d\mathcal{E}_t$$

Additional regularity conditions

$$F = \text{traded}, \quad S = \text{untraded}, \quad r = 0$$

Problem:

$$\min_{\theta \in \Theta} E \left[(\pi + L - G_T(\theta))^2 \right]$$

$$\pi = \text{payoff}, \quad L = \text{fixed}, \quad G_t = \int_0^t \theta_u dF_u$$

\mathbb{P} = actual probability measure!

QUADRATIC UTILITY FUNCTION:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\pi + L - G_T(\theta))^2 \\
 &= [(G_T(\theta) - \pi) - L]^2 \\
 &= (G_T(\theta) - \pi)^2 + L^2 - 2(G_T(\theta) - \pi)L \\
 &= -\frac{1}{2L}u(G_T(\theta) - \pi) + L^2
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$u(a) = x - cx^2 \quad c = \frac{1}{2L}$$

Hence

$$\arg \min_{\theta} E(\pi + L - G_T(\theta))^2 = \arg \max_{\theta} Eu(G_T(\theta) - \pi)$$

Overall minimum: minimize over L

Minimalization procedure:

Suppose θ_t^* is optimal delta, set

$$\theta_t = \theta_t^* + \delta\eta_t$$

Z_t = tracking value for π : “price process”

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial}{\partial \delta} E [Z_t + L - G_t(\theta)]^2 \\
 &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \delta} E [Z_t + L - G_t(\theta^*) - \delta G_t(\eta)]^2 \\
 &= 2\delta EG_t(\eta)^2 - 2EG_t(\eta)[Z_t + L - G_t(\theta^*)]
 \end{aligned}$$

At $\delta = 0$: $EG_t(\eta)[Z_t + L - G_t(\theta^*)] = 0$, all t, η

First: more general approach: F traded, S untraded

- Choose a $\tilde{P} \sim P$: F is \tilde{P} – MG
- Take $V_t = \tilde{E}(\pi \mid \mathcal{F}_t)$
- A hedge:

$$dV_t = \theta_t dF_t + dR_t$$

$$\theta_t = \frac{d[V, F]_t}{d[F, F]_t} \quad R_t = \text{remainder}$$

One particular choice of \tilde{P} :

the Minimal Martingale Measure \hat{P} :

- F is \hat{P} – MG
- if K is a P – MG, $[F, K]_t \equiv 0$, then K is a \hat{P} – MG

\hat{P} = The risk neutral measure with the least change from P

Original system under P :

B, \mathcal{E} independent BM's, generating (\mathcal{F}_t)

$$\begin{aligned} dS_t &= \mu_t S_t dt + \sigma_t S_t dt \\ dF_t &= m_t F_t dt + v_t F_t d\xi_t \\ d\xi_t &= \rho_t dB_t + \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} d\mathcal{E}_t \end{aligned}$$

Set also

$$dN_t = \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} dB_t - \rho_t d\mathcal{E}_t$$

So

$$\begin{pmatrix} d\xi_t \\ dN_t \end{pmatrix} = A_t \begin{pmatrix} dB_t \\ d\mathcal{E}_t \end{pmatrix} \quad A_t = \begin{pmatrix} \rho_t & \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} \\ \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} & -\rho_t \end{pmatrix}$$

Inverse system: A_t is orthonormal (each t, w)

$$A_t^{-1} = A_t^* = A_t$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} dB_t \\ d\mathcal{E}_t \end{pmatrix} = A_t^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} d\xi_t \\ dN_t \end{pmatrix} = A_t \begin{pmatrix} d\xi_t \\ dN_t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$dS_t = \mu_t S_t dt + \sigma_t S_t (\rho_t d\xi_t + \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} dN_t)$$

ξ, N are independent Brownian motions:

$$\begin{aligned} d[\xi, \xi]_t &= \rho_t^2 d[B, B]_t + (1 - \rho_t^2) d[\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}]_t = dt \\ d[N, N]_t &= (1 - \rho_t^2) d[B, B]_t + \rho_t^2 d[\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}]_t = dt \\ d[\xi, N]_t &= \rho_t \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} d[B, B]_t - \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} \rho_t d[\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}]_t = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Generating (\mathcal{F}_t)

$$\pi = c + \int_0^T f_u^{(1)} dB_u + \int_0^T f_u^{(2)} d\mathcal{E}_u$$

then

$$= c + \int_0^T \phi_u^{(1)} d\xi_u + \int_0^T \phi_u^{(2)} dN_u$$

where

$$\phi_u^{(1)} \rho_u + \phi_u^{(2)} \sqrt{1 - \rho_u^2} = f_u^{(1)}$$

$$\phi_u^{(1)} (1) \sqrt{1 - \rho_u^2} - \phi_u^{(2)} \rho_u = f_u^{(2)}$$

or

$$A_u \phi_u = f_u$$

so

$$\phi_u = A_u^{-1} f_u = A_u f_u$$

$$dF_t = m_t F_t dt + v_t F_t d\xi_t$$

$$dS_t = \mu_t S_t dt + \sigma_t S_t \left(\rho_t d\xi_t + \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} dN_t \right)$$

For minimal martingale measure:

- need to drift — correct ξ_t :

$$dF_t = v_t F_t \underbrace{\left(\frac{m_t}{v_t} dt + d\xi_t \right)}_{d\xi_t^*}$$

ξ_t^* must be \hat{P} -martingale

- leave alone N as \hat{P} -martingale: $[\xi, N]_t \equiv 0$. If K is \hat{P} -martingale, $[\xi, K]_t \equiv 0$:

$$K_t = c + \int_0^t \phi_u^{(1)} d\xi_u + \int_0^t \phi_u^{(2)} dN_u$$

$$\text{with } 0 = [\xi, K]_t = \int_0^t \phi_u^{(1)} d[\xi, \xi]_u$$

$$\text{so } K_t = c + \int_0^t \phi_u^{(2)} dN_u$$

$$= \hat{P} - \text{martingale}$$

Hope (\mathcal{F}_t) is generated by ξ_t^*, N_t

OK since, by assumption, $\frac{m_t}{v_t}$ nonrandom

Find conclusions for minimal martingale measure \hat{P}

$$dF_t = v_t F_t d\xi_t^*$$

$$\begin{aligned} dS_t &= \mu_t S_t dt + \sigma_t S_t \left(\rho_t d\xi_t^* - \rho_t \frac{m_t}{v_t} dt + \sqrt{1 - \rho^2} dN_t \right) \\ &= S_t \left(\mu_t - \sigma_t \rho_t \frac{m_t}{v_t} \right) dt + S_t \sigma_t \rho_t d\xi_t^* + S_t \sigma_t \sqrt{1 - \rho_t^2} dN_t \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{V}_t = \hat{E}(\pi \mid \mathcal{F}_t)$$

$$= \hat{\pi}_0 + \int_0^t \hat{\theta}_u dF_u + \int_0^t \nu_u dN_u$$

$$\frac{d\hat{P}}{dP} = \exp \left(- \int_0^T \frac{m_u}{v_u} d\xi_u - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T \frac{m_u^2}{v_u^2} du \right)$$

Solution of original problem

Set

$$\Phi(G_t) = \hat{\theta}_t + \frac{m_t}{v_t^2 F_t} (\hat{V}_t + 2 - G_t) \quad (3.1)$$

If

$$dG_t^* = \Phi(G_t^*) dF_t \quad G_0^* = 0 \quad (3.2)$$

then

$$\theta_t^* = \Phi(G_t^*) \quad (*)$$

solves

$$\arg \min_{\theta} E[(\pi + L - G_T(\theta))^2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} (*) \Rightarrow \theta_t^* dF_t &= \Phi(G_t^*) dF_t \\ &= dG_t^* \quad \text{by (3.2)} \end{aligned}$$

Set

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_t &= \widehat{V}_t + L - G_t^* \\
 dD_t &= \widehat{\theta}_t dF_t + \nu_t dN_t - \Phi(G_t^*) dF_t \\
 &= \widehat{\theta}_t dF_t + \nu_t dN_t - \left(\widehat{\theta}_t + \frac{m_t}{v_t^2 F_t} D_t \right) dF_t \\
 &= -\frac{m_t}{v_t^2 F_t} D_t dF_t + \nu_t dN_t \\
 D_t dG_t(\eta) &= D_t \eta_t dF_t \\
 &= D_t \eta_t m_t F_t dt + dMG_t \\
 d[D, G(\eta)]_t &= -\frac{m_t}{v_t^2 F_t} D_t \eta_t d[F, F]_t \\
 &= -\frac{m_t}{v_t^2 F_t} D_t \eta_t v_t^2 F_t^2 dt
 \end{aligned}$$

so

$$D_t dG_t(\eta) + d[D, G(\eta)]_t = dMG_t$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 d(D_t G_t(\eta)) &= G_t(\eta) dD_t + D_t dG_t(\eta) + d[D, G(\eta)]_t \\
 &= G_t(\eta) dD_t + dMG_t \\
 &= -G_t(\eta) \frac{m_t}{v_t^2 F_t} D_t F_t m_t dt + dMG_t \\
 &= -\frac{m_t^2}{v_t^2} G_t(\eta) D_t dt + dMG_t
 \end{aligned}$$

$$D_t = \widehat{V}_t + L - G_t^*$$

$$d[D_t G_t(\eta)] = -\frac{m_t^2}{v_t^2} G_t(\eta) D_t dt + dM G_t$$

so

$$E D_t G_t(\eta) = - \int_0^t \frac{m_t^2}{v_t^2} E G_t(\eta) D_t dt$$

or

$$H'(t) = -\frac{m_t^2}{v_t^2} H(t)$$

where

$$H(t) = E D_t G_t(\eta)$$

Since $H(0) = 0$:

$$E D_T G_T(\eta) = H(T) = 0$$

Hence G_t^* is optimal.

Solution of a Linear Stochastic Differential Equation

We shall in the following ignore all regularity conditions.

- Suppose that G_t satisfies

$$dG_t = (A_t - B_t G_t) dF_t.$$

To solve this, set $H_t = G_t \exp(X_t)$. Use Itô's formula to get

$$\begin{aligned} dH_t &= \exp(X_t)(dG_t + G_t dX_t + \frac{1}{2}G_t d\langle X, X \rangle_t + d\langle G, X \rangle_t) \\ &= \exp(X_t)((A_t - B_t G_t)dF_t + G_t dX_t + \frac{1}{2}G_t d\langle X, X \rangle_t \\ &\quad + (A_t - B_t G_t)d\langle F, X \rangle_t), \end{aligned}$$

where the second line is obtained by replacing all dG_t terms by $(A_t - B_t G_t)dF_t$. It is now clear that X_t must be on the form

$$X_t = \int_0^t (a_s d\langle F, F \rangle_s + b_s dF_s).$$

We plug this expression into (2) to get

$$\begin{aligned} dH_t &= \exp(X_t)\{(A_t - B_t G_t + b_t G_t)dF_t \\ &\quad + [a_t G_t + \frac{1}{2}b_t^2 G_t + (A_t - B_t G_t)b_t]d\langle F, F \rangle_t\}. \end{aligned}$$

If we set

$$b_t = B_t \text{ and } a_t = \frac{1}{2}B_t^2,$$

equation (4) reduces to

$$dH_t = \exp(X_t)(A_t dF_t + A_t B_t d\langle F, F \rangle_t).$$

In other words,

$$G_t = \exp(-X_t)\{G_0 + \int_0^t \exp(X_s)(A_s dF_s + A_s B_s d\langle F, F \rangle_s)\}.$$