

Suggested Errata for Musiela, Rutkowski (2005) “Martingale Methods in Financial Modelling”

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Chapter 3 - Continuous-Time Models

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- Theorem 3.1.1 first defines $c : \mathbb{R}_+ \times (0, T]$ but then defines ϕ as a function of the call price for every $t \in [0, T]$.

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- The last equation should read

$$V_t^*(\phi) = V_0^*(\phi) + \int_0^t \sigma S_u^* N(d_1(S_u, T - u)) dW_u^* = \dots$$

I.e. replace the first “ S_u ” by “ S_u^* ” using Equation (3.10). Similarly, replace “ $\zeta_u = \sigma S_u N(d_1(S_u, T - u))$ ” by “ $\zeta_u = \sigma S_u^* N(d_1(S_u, T - u))$ ”. In the following inequality on page 129, keeping “ S_u ” instead of “ S_u^* ” is valid due to the inequality but might be changed for consistency.

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- In the line before Equation (3.33), replace “ $\xi = -W_T/\sqrt{T}$ ” by “ $\xi = -W_T^*/\sqrt{T}$ ”.

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- In the first line, the definition “ $\mu : [0, T^*] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ” could equivalently be replaced by “ $\mu : [0, T^*] \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ” since S is a strictly positive process.

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- Before Equation (3.44) the put price is defined by $p : \mathbb{R}_+ \times (0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ but then Corollary 3.1.4 defines it as $p : \mathbb{R}_+ \times [0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

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- The order of the price function in the sentence before Equation (3.56) should be switched for consistency. I.e. “We write $c(S_t, \tau, K, r, \sigma)$ and $p(S_t, \tau, K, r, \sigma)$ to denote the price of a call and a put option respectively.”. Although clear from the notation, “ $p(S_t, \tau, K, r, \sigma)$ ” currently refers to “the price of a call”.

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- In the first paragraph, “ $S_T^* = S_t/B_t$ ” should be replaced by “ $S^* = S/B$ ” for consistency with the definition on page 120 in the first paragraph of Section 3.1.4. Note that in any case, the time indices don’t match.
- Replace “Thus, the process W_t^*, \dots ” by “Thus, the process W^*, \dots ”.

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- The last equation should read,

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{N}(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^x N(u)du = uN(u)|_{-\infty}^x - \int_{-\infty}^x un(u)du \\ &= xN(x) + n(u)|_{-\infty}^x = xN(x) + n(x).\end{aligned}$$

I.e. the sign of the second term is flipped.

- In the first equation, the sign of the second term is flipped. Using the put-call parity and Equation (3.77), we get

$$\begin{aligned} P_t &= C_t - (S_t - K) \\ &= \sigma\sqrt{T-t}n(d(S_t, T-t)) + (S_t - K)(N(d(S_t, T-t)) - 1) \\ &= \sigma\sqrt{T-t}n(d(S_t, T-t)) - (S_t - K)N(-d(S_t, T-t)). \end{aligned}$$

- Similarly, the sign of the second term in the third equation ($C_0 = \dots$) should be a plus instead of a minus.

Chapter 4 - Cross-Currency Market Models

- In the paragraph under Equation (4.3), replace “Hence for any $\hat{\eta}$ satisfying...” by “Hence for any ζ satisfying...”.

- in the second paragraph, replace “...does not accounts...” by “...does not account...”.

Chapter 11 - Models of Instantaneous Forward Rates

- In the equation for ϕ^2 , you denote $F_Z(t, T)$ by F_t . This is inconsistent with the notation in the preceding line. I.e. I suggest either writing

$$\phi_t^1 = \mathcal{N}\left(\tilde{d}_1(F_Z(t, T), t, T)\right), \quad \phi_t^2 = -K\mathcal{N}\left(\tilde{d}_2(F_Z(t, T), t, T)\right)$$

or

$$\phi_t^1 = \mathcal{N}\left(\tilde{d}_1(F_r, t, T)\right), \quad \phi_t^2 = -K\mathcal{N}\left(\tilde{d}_2(F_t, t, T)\right).$$

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- In the Musiela parametrization, Equation (11.96), the terms $\sigma(t, x)$ should be replaced by $\sigma(t, t + x)$ or alternatively, you could define $\tilde{\sigma}(t, x) = \sigma(t, t + x)$ and then write

$$dr(t, x) = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} r(t, x) + \tilde{\sigma}(t, x) \cdot \int_0^x \tilde{\sigma}(t, u) du \right) dt + \sigma(t, x) \cdot dW_t^*.$$

Also note that there is a dot-product symbol missing before the integral.

Chapter 12 - Models of LIBOR

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- In the definition of $E(T_j, T_j)$, the term “ $L(T_j)$ ” should be replaced by “ $L(T_j, T_j)$ ”. Although the meaning of this expression is clear from the context, this notation has neither been introduced nor been used before or afterwards.

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- In Equations (12.8), (12.9) as well as the unnumbered equation before, “ $b(s, \cdot)$ ” should be replaced by “ $b(t, \cdot)$ ”.

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- In Equation (12.11), there is a closing bracket missing in the integrand - replace “ $|\gamma(u, T_j, T_{j+1})|^2$ ” by “ $|\gamma(u, T_j, T_{j+1})|^2$ ”.

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- “ $t \in [0, T]$ ” should be replaced (three times in total) by “ $t \in [0, T_0]$ ”.

- It has been shown on the previous page, that the price of the j -th caplet with unit notional value is given by

$$\mathbf{Cpl}_t^j = \tilde{\delta}_j B(t, T_{j-1}) \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{P}^{T_{j-1}}} \left[\left(\tilde{\delta}_j^{-1} - B(T_{j-1}, T_j) \right)^+ \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right]$$

Thus, the j -th caplet is equivalent to a put option in the zero-coupon bond $B(\cdot, T_j)$ with option maturity in T_{j-1} , a strike price of $\tilde{\delta}_j^{-1}$ and an option notional value of $\tilde{\delta}_j$. By Proposition 11.3.1, the arbitrage price of this option is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Cpl}_t^j &= \tilde{\delta}_j \left(\tilde{\delta}_j^{-1} B(t, T_{j-1}) \mathcal{N}(-h_2(t, T)) - B(t, T_j) \mathcal{N}(-h_1(t, T)) \right) \\ &= B(t, T_j) \left(\mathcal{N}(-h_2(t, T)) - \tilde{\delta}_j F_B(t, T_j, T_{j-1}) \mathcal{N}(-h_1(t, T)) \right), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$h_{1,2}(t, T) = \frac{\ln \left(\tilde{\delta}_j B(t, T_j) / B(t, T_{j-1}) \right) \pm \frac{1}{2} v^2(t, T)}{v(t, T)}$$

and

$$v^2(t, T) = \int_t^T \|b(u, T_j) - b(u, T_{j-1})\|^2 du.$$

We thus have

$$\begin{aligned} -h_{1,2}(t, T) &= \frac{\ln(B(t, T_{j-1}) / B(t, T_j)) - \ln \tilde{\delta}_j \mp \frac{1}{2} v^2(t, T)}{v(t, T)} \\ &= \frac{\ln F_B(t, T_{j-1}, T_j) - \ln \tilde{\delta}_j \mp \frac{1}{2} v^2(t, T)}{v(t, T)}. \end{aligned}$$

Obviously, $e_{1,2}(t, T)$ were supposed to be chosen such that $-h_{1,2}(t, T) = e_{2,1}(t, T)$. Although correct, I find this notation confusing since it is exactly the opposite

of the one normally used. Furthermore, the definition of $v^2(t, T)$ in Lemma 12.3.1 should be

$$v^2(t, T) = \int_t^T \|\gamma(u, T + \delta, T)\|^2 du.$$

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- In the last equation “ $-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t^2$ ” should be replaced by “ $-\frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t$ ”.

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- In the equation for the caplet (second from the top), “ $\kappa N(\hat{e}_1(t, T))$ ” should be replaced by “ $\kappa N(\hat{e}_2(t, T))$ ”.

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- Below the first equation, it says “...with a deterministic volatility function $\lambda(t, T + \delta)$...”. Is there any reason to write “ $\lambda(t, T + \delta)$ ” instead of just “ $\lambda(t, T)$ ”?

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- In Equation (12.29), the upper limit of summation should be “ $[\delta^{-1}(T - t)]$ ” instead of “ $[\delta^{-1}T]$ ” as this defined $b(t, T)$ and not $b(0, T)$.

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- In the first equation, the drift coefficient should be “ $L(t, T)\sigma^*(t, T + \delta) \cdot \lambda(t, T)$ ” instead of “ $L(t, T)\sigma^*(t, T) \cdot \lambda(t, T)$ ” since by the following equation, we have

$$dL(t, T) = L(t, T)\lambda(t, T) \cdot dW_t^{T+\delta}.$$

I.e. $L(t, T)$ is a $\mathbb{P}^{T+\delta}$ -martingale. The process $W^{T+\delta}$ is defined by

$$W_t^{T+\delta} = W_t^* - \int_0^t b(u, T + \delta) du.$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} dL(t, T) &= L(t, T)\lambda(t, T) \cdot (W_t^* + \sigma^*(t, T + \delta)dt) \\ &= L(t, T)\sigma^*(t, T + \delta) \cdot \lambda(t, T)dt + L(t, T)\lambda(t, T) \cdot dW_t^*. \end{aligned}$$

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- In the middle of the page, “...and a family W^{T_j} , $j = 0, \dots, n-1$ of processes...” should be replaced by “...and a family W^{T_j} , $j = 1, \dots, n$ of processes...” since $L(t, T_0)$ is a \mathbb{P}^{T_1} -martingale, $L(t, T_1)$ is a \mathbb{P}^{T_2} -martingale and so on.

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- In the equation for $U_{m+1}(t, T_k^*)$, replace “ δ_{n-m} ” by “ δ_{n-m+1} ”. By the definition at the top of page 490, we have

$$U_{n-j+1}(t, T_k) = \frac{B(t, T_k)}{B(t, T_j)} \Rightarrow U_j(t, T_k) = \frac{B(t, T_k)}{B(t, T_{j-1}^*)}.$$

Furthermore,

$$1 + \delta_{n-m}L(t, T_{m+1}^*) = \frac{B(t, T_{m+1}^*)}{B(t, T_m^*)} \Rightarrow 1 + \delta_{n-m+1}L(t, T_m^*) = \frac{B(t, T_m^*)}{B(t, T_{m-1}^*)}.$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} U_{m+1}(t, T_k^*) &= \frac{B(t, T_k^*)}{B(t, T_m^*)} \\ &= \frac{B(t, T_k^*)}{(1 + \delta_{n-m+1}L(t, T_m^*))B(t, T_{m-1}^*)} \\ &= \frac{U_m(t, T_k^*)}{1 + \delta_{n-m+1}L(t, T_m^*)}. \end{aligned}$$

- For the same reason, the equation below should read

$$W_t^{T_m^*} = W_t^{T_{m-1}^*} - \int_0^t \frac{\delta_{n-m+1}L(u, T_m^*)}{1 + \delta_{n-m+1}L(u, T_m^*)} \lambda(u, T_m^*) du.$$

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- The last equation should read

$$\frac{B(t, T_{k+1})}{G_t} = \prod_{j=1}^{m(t)} (1 + \delta_j L(T_{j-1}, T_{j-1}))^{-1} \prod_{j=m(t)+1}^{k+1} (1 + \delta_j L(t, T_{j-1}))^{-1}.$$

I.e. the upper limit of the second product should be “ $k + 1$ ” instead of “ k ”.

This can be seen by computing

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{B(t, T_{k+1})}{B(t, T_{m(t)})} &= \left(\frac{B(t, T_{m(t)})}{B(t, T_{m(t)+1})} \cdot \frac{B(t, T_{m(t)+1})}{B(t, T_{m(t)+2})} \cdot \dots \cdot \frac{B(t, T_k)}{B(t, T_{k+1})} \right)^{-1} \\
&= \left(\prod_{j=m(t)}^k \frac{B(t, T_j)}{B(t, T_{j+1})} \right)^{-1} \\
&= \left(\prod_{j=m(t)}^k (1 + \delta_{j+1} L(t, T_j)) \right)^{-1} \\
&= \prod_{j=m(t)+1}^{k+1} (1 + \delta_j L(t, T_{j-1}))^{-1}
\end{aligned}$$

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- There is a dot missing in the formula before (12.40), i.e. replace “ $\zeta(t, T_j) b(t, T_{j+1})$ ” by “ $\zeta(t, T_j) \cdot b(t, T_{j+1})$ ”.

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- See my comment for page 479. I think “ $t \in [0, T]$ ” should be replaced by “ $t \in [0, T_0]$ ” in Proposition 12.6.1.

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- In the equation for I_2 , there is one opening bracket too much - replace “ $\ln(L(t, T_{j-1}))$ ” by “ $\ln L(t, T_{j-1})$ ”.
- Also, in the same equation, the total variance is denoted by $v_j^2(t)$ although this notation has not been introduced and Proposition 12.6.1 denotes this term by $\tilde{v}_j^2(t)$ instead. So I suppose “ $v_j^2(t)$ ” should be replaced by “ $\tilde{v}_j^2(t)$ ”. The same applies to the equation for I_1 on the next page.

Appendix A - An Overview of Itô Stochastic Calculus

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- In the sentence following the first formula, shouldn't it read "...belongs to the class $\mathcal{L}_{\mathbb{P}}^2(W)$."?

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- In the Theorem A.12.1, the notation suddenly changes when stating the linear growth condition. $a(t, x)$ should be replaced by $\mu(t, x)$ and $b(t, x)$ by $\sigma(t, x)$.
- I've only seen the Lipschitz continuity and linear growth conditions with the norms not being squared as in Theorem A.12.1. See for example Theorem 5.2.1 in Øksendal (2005) "Stochastic Differential Equations".