

Modelos de Estrutura Temporal de Taxas de Juro  
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1. (a) Since a futures contract is a  $\mathbb{Q}$ -martingale, then

$$\begin{aligned} F_t &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [P(T_f, T) | \mathcal{F}_t] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} \left[ \frac{P(T_f, T)}{P(T_f, T_f)} \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [P(T_f, T_f, T) | \mathcal{F}_t]. \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

Using equation (315) of the handouts, then

$$\begin{aligned} P(T_f, T_f, T) &= \frac{P(t, T)}{P(t, T_f)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{\rho^2}{2} \int_t^{T_f} [B^2(T-s) - B^2(T_f-s)] ds \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \rho \int_t^{T_f} [B(T-s) - B(T_f-s)] dW_s^{\mathbb{Q}} \right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Since

$$\rho \int_t^{T_f} [B(T-s) - B(T_f-s)] dW_s^{\mathbb{Q}} \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \stackrel{\mathbb{Q}}{\sim} N^1(0, v^2(t, T_f, T)),$$

combining equations (1) and (2), and using equation (318) of the handouts, we get

$$\begin{aligned} F_t &= \frac{P(t, T)}{P(t, T_f)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{\rho^2}{2} \int_t^{T_f} [B^2(T-s) - B^2(T_f-s)] ds \right\} \\ &\quad \times \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} \left[ e^{-\rho \int_t^{T_f} [B(T-s) - B(T_f-s)] dW_s^{\mathbb{Q}}} \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right] \\ &= \frac{P(t, T)}{P(t, T_f)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{\rho^2}{2} \int_t^{T_f} [B^2(T-s) - B^2(T_f-s)] ds \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (-1) \times 0 + (-1)^2 \times \frac{v^2(t, T_f, T)}{2} \right\} \\ &= \frac{P(t, T)}{P(t, T_f)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{\rho^2}{2} \int_t^{T_f} [B^2(T-s) - B^2(T_f-s)] ds \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\rho^2}{2} \int_t^{T_f} [B(T-s) - B(T_f-s)]^2 ds \right\} \\ &= \frac{P(t, T)}{P(t, T_f)} \exp \left\{ -\rho^2 \int_t^{T_f} B(T-s) B(T_f-s) ds \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) Using the identity  $y_t = S_t^{2-\beta}$ , then

$$\mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} \left[ (S_T)^{2-\beta} \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right] = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [y_T | \mathcal{F}_t], \quad (3)$$

where  $y_T$  follows a square-root process. The previous first moment can be obtained from the Laplace transform of the square-root process given in Proposition 4 of the handouts:

$$\mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [e^{-\lambda y_T} | \mathcal{F}_t] = \frac{\exp \left( -\frac{\lambda L f}{1+2\lambda L} \right)}{(1 + 2\lambda L)^{\frac{2k\theta}{\sigma^2}}}, \quad (4)$$

where

$$L := \frac{\sigma^2 [1 - e^{-k(T-t)}]}{4k}, \quad (5)$$

and

$$f := \frac{4y_t k}{\sigma^2 [e^{k(T-t)} - 1]}. \quad (6)$$

Since

$$\mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [y_T | \mathcal{F}_t] = - \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [e^{-\lambda y_T} | \mathcal{F}_t] \Big|_{\lambda=0},$$

then equation (4) yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [y_T | \mathcal{F}_t] \\ = & \frac{L f (1 + 2\lambda L) - \lambda L f 2L \exp \left( -\frac{\lambda L f}{1+2\lambda L} \right)}{(1 + 2\lambda L)^2} + \frac{2k\theta}{\sigma^2} \frac{\exp \left( -\frac{\lambda L f}{1+2\lambda L} \right)}{(1 + 2\lambda L)^{\frac{2k\theta}{\sigma^2} + 1}} 2L \Big|_{\lambda=0} \\ = & L f + \frac{2k\theta}{\sigma^2} 2L \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

Combining equations (5), (6) and (7), then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}} [y_T | \mathcal{F}_t] &= \frac{\sigma^2 [1 - e^{-k(T-t)}]}{4k} \frac{4y_t k}{\sigma^2 [e^{k(T-t)} - 1]} + \frac{4k\theta \sigma^2 [1 - e^{-k(T-t)}]}{\sigma^2 4k} \\ &= e^{-k(T-t)} y_t + \theta [1 - e^{-k(T-t)}] \\ &= \theta + (y_t - \theta) e^{-k(T-t)}. \end{aligned}$$

(c) Since  $r(t) = \sum_{j=1}^n Y_j(t)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} [e^{\alpha r(T)} | \mathcal{F}_t] &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} \left[ \exp \left( \alpha \sum_{j=1}^n Y_j(T) \right) \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} \left[ \prod_{j=1}^n \exp(\alpha Y_j(T)) \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right] \\ &= \prod_{j=1}^n \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} [\exp(\alpha Y_j(T)) | \mathcal{F}_t], \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

where the last equality arises because the processes  $\{Y_j(T)\}_{j=1,\dots,n}$  are independent.

Using equation (394) of the handouts, then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} [\exp(\alpha Y_j(T)) | \mathcal{F}_t] &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} \left[ \exp \left( -(-\alpha L_j) \frac{Y_j(T)}{L_j} \right) \middle| \mathcal{F}_t \right] \\ &= \frac{\exp \left( -\frac{-\alpha L_j}{1+2\alpha L_j} \zeta_j \right)}{(1-2\alpha L_j)^{\frac{2k_j\theta_j}{\sigma_j^2}}},\end{aligned}\tag{9}$$

where

$$L_j = \frac{\sigma_j^2}{2} \frac{e^{\gamma_j(T-t)} - 1}{\gamma_j [e^{\gamma_j(T-t)} + 1] + k_j [e^{\gamma_j(T-t)} - 1]},$$

and

$$\zeta_j = \frac{8Y_j(t) \gamma_j^2 e^{\gamma_j(T-t)}}{\sigma_j^2 [e^{\gamma_j(T-t)} - 1] \{ \gamma_j [e^{\gamma_j(T-t)} + 1] + k_j [e^{\gamma_j(T-t)} - 1] \}},$$

with  $\gamma_j = \sqrt{k_j^2 + 2\sigma_j^2}$ .

Finally, combining equations (8) and (9), then

$$\mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_T} [e^{\alpha r(T)} | \mathcal{F}_t] = \prod_{j=1}^n \frac{\exp \left( -\frac{-\alpha L_j}{1+2\alpha L_j} \zeta_j \right)}{(1-2\alpha L_j)^{\frac{2k_j\theta_j}{\sigma_j^2}}}.$$

- (a) Using equation (59) of the handouts, the fair value of the European-style put (with  $\beta < 2$ ) is given by:

$$p_t(S, X, T) = -S_t e^{-q(T-t)} F_{\chi^2(2+\frac{2}{2-\beta}, 2x)}(2\kappa X^{2-\beta}) + X e^{-r(T-t)} Q_{\chi^2(\frac{2}{2-\beta}, 2\kappa X^{2-\beta})}(2x),\tag{10}$$

where

$$\kappa := \frac{2(r-q)}{(2-\beta) \delta^2 [e^{(2-\beta)(r-q)(T-t)} - 1]},\tag{11}$$

and

$$x := \kappa S_t^{2-\beta} e^{(2-\beta)(r-q)(T-t)}.\tag{12}$$

Since the (annualized) standard deviation of stock returns is equal to 20% per year, then, and using equation (2) of the handouts,

$$\delta = \frac{20\%}{(10)^{\frac{-4-2}{2}}} = 200.$$

Using equations (11) and (12),

$$\kappa = \frac{2(1\% - 2\%)}{(2+4)(200)^2 [e^{(2+4)(1\%-2\%)\times 0.25} - 1]} \cong 5.59733E - 06,$$

and

$$x = (5.59733E - 06) \times (10)^{2+4} e^{(2+4)(1\%-2\%) \times 0.25} \cong 5.513993055.$$

Hence, equation (10) yields

$$\begin{aligned} p_t &= -10 \times e^{-2\% \times 0.25} \times F_{\chi^2(2+\frac{2}{2+4}, 2 \times 5.513993055)} (2 \times (5.59733E - 06) \times 10^{2+4}) \\ &\quad + 10 \times e^{-1\% \times 0.25} \times Q_{\chi^2(\frac{2}{2+4}, 2 \times (5.59733E - 06) \times 10^{2+4})} (2 \times 5.513993055) \\ &= -10 \times e^{-2\% \times 0.25} \times F_{\chi^2(2.3333, 11.02798611)} (11.19465278) \\ &\quad + 10 \times e^{-1\% \times 0.25} \times Q_{\chi^2(0.3333, 11.19465278)} (11.02798611). \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

From the table provided in the exam, we know that

$$Q_{\chi^2(0.3333, 11.19465278)} (11.02798611) = 1 - 0.53195 = 0.468050884. \quad (14)$$

The probability  $F_{\chi^2(2.3333, 11.02798611)} (11.19465278)$  can be computed using the Sankaran approximation, i.e.

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\chi^2(a,b)}(z) &= \mathbb{Q}(\chi^2(a,b) < z) \\ &= \mathbb{Q}\left\{\left[\frac{\chi^2(a,b)}{a+b}\right]^h < \left(\frac{z}{a+b}\right)^h\right\} \\ &\approx \Phi\left[\frac{\left(\frac{z}{a+b}\right)^h - \mu_h}{\sigma_h}\right], \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

where

$$\mu_h := 1 + h(h-1) \frac{a+2b}{(a+b)^2} - h(h-1)(2-h)(1-3h) \frac{(a+2b)^2}{2(a+b)^4}, \quad (16)$$

$$\sigma_h^2 := h^2 \frac{2(a+2b)}{(a+b)^2} \left[1 - (1-h)(1-3h) \frac{a+2b}{(a+b)^2}\right], \quad (17)$$

and

$$h := 1 - \frac{2}{3}(a+b)(a+3b)(a+2b)^{-2}. \quad (18)$$

Since  $a = 2.3333$  and  $b = 11.02798611$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} h &= 1 - \frac{2}{3}(2.3333 + 11.02798611)(2.3333 + 3 \times 11.02798611) \\ &\quad (2.3333 + 2 \times 11.02798611)^{-2} \\ &\cong 0.469635353, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_h &= 1 + 0.469635353 \times (0.469635353 - 1) \frac{2.3333 + 2 \times 11.02798611}{(2.3333 + 11.02798611)^2} \\ &\quad - 0.469635353 \times (0.469635353 - 1)(2 - 0.469635353) \\ &\quad (1 - 3 \times 0.469635353) \frac{(2.3333 + 2 \times 11.02798611)^2}{2(2.3333 + 11.02798611)^4} \\ &\cong 0.964517487, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_h^2 &= 0.469635353^2 \times \frac{2(2.3333 + 2 \times 11.02798611)}{(2.3333 + 11.02798611)^2} \\ &\quad \left[ 1 - (1 - 0.469635353)(1 - 3 \times 0.469635353) \frac{2.3333 + 2 \times 11.02798611}{(2.3333 + 11.02798611)^2} \right] \\ &\cong 0.06204868.\end{aligned}$$

Using equation (15), then

$$\begin{aligned}&F_{\chi^2(2.3333, 11.02798611)}(11.19465278) \\ &= \Phi \left[ \frac{\left( \frac{11.19465278}{2.3333 + 11.02798611} \right)^{0.469635353} - 0.964517487}{\sqrt{0.06204868}} \right] \\ &\cong 0.42950099.\end{aligned}\tag{19}$$

Finally, combining equations (13), (14) and (19), then

$$\begin{aligned}p_t &= -10 \times e^{-2\% \times 0.25} \times 0.42950099 + 10 \times e^{-1\% \times 0.25} \times 0.468050884 \\ &\cong EUR0.39523.\end{aligned}$$

(b) The terminal payoff of a cash-or-nothing put is equal to

$$CNP_T(S, X, T) = \mathbb{1}_{\{S_T < X\}}.$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}CNP_t(S, X, T) &= e^{-r(T-t)} \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}}(\mathbb{1}_{\{S_T < X\}} | \mathcal{F}_t) \\ &= e^{-r(T-t)} \mathbb{Q}(S_T < X | \mathcal{F}_t).\end{aligned}\tag{20}$$

Since

$$\mathbb{Q}(S_T < X | \mathcal{F}_t) = Q_{\chi^2(\frac{2}{2-\beta}, 2\kappa X^{2-\beta})}(2x),$$

then equations (14) and (20) yield:

$$\begin{aligned}CNP_t(S, X, T) &= e^{-1\% \times 0.25} \times Q_{\chi^2(\frac{2}{2+4}, 2 \times (5.59733E-06) \times 10^{2+4})}(2 \times 5.513993055) \\ &= e^{-1\% \times 0.25} \times 0.468050884 \\ &\cong \$0.466882218.\end{aligned}$$

(a) Using Proposition 22 of the handouts,

$$\begin{aligned}c_0 &= 10 \times e^{-2\% \times 0.5} \times P_1(S_t = 10, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 8) \\ &\quad - e^{-1\% \times 0.5} \times 8 \times [S_t = 10, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 8].\end{aligned}\tag{21}$$

Using equations (173) and (174) of the handouts:

$$\begin{aligned}P_1(S_t = 10, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 8) &\approx \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1.34368854}{\pi} \\ &\cong 0.92771,\end{aligned}\tag{22}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} P_2(S_t = 10, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 8) &\approx \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1.26660753}{\pi} \\ &\cong 0.90317. \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

Combining equations (21), (22) and (23), then

$$\begin{aligned} c_0 &= 10 \times e^{-2\% \times 0.5} \times 0.92771 - e^{-1\% \times 0.5} \times 8 \times 0.90317 \\ &\cong EUR1.99543. \end{aligned}$$

(b) The purpose is to compute the following probability:

$$\mathbb{Q}(S_T < 5 | \mathcal{F}_t) = 1 - P_2(S_t = 5, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 5). \quad (24)$$

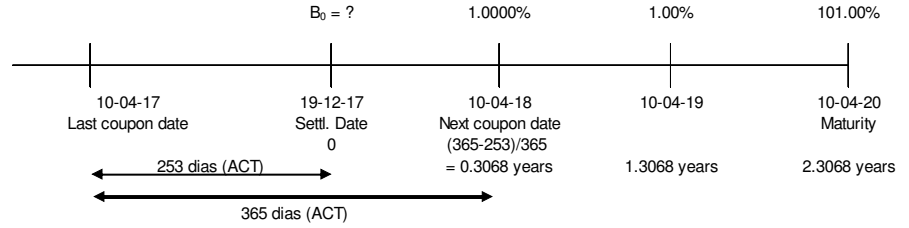
However,  $P_j(S_t, v_t; T, X)$  are homogeneous functions of degree zero in the spot and the strike because

$$\begin{aligned} &P_j(\lambda S_t, v_t; T, \lambda X) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \operatorname{Re} \left[ \frac{\exp(-i\phi \ln(\lambda X)) \varphi_j(\lambda S_t, v_t; T, \phi)}{i\phi} \right] d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \\ &\quad + \frac{\int_0^\infty \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{\exp(-i\phi \ln(\lambda X)) \exp[C_j(\phi; T-t) + D_j(\phi; T-t)v_t + i\phi \ln(\lambda S_t)]}{i\phi} \right\} d\phi}{\pi} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \operatorname{Re} \left[ \frac{\exp(-i\phi \ln(X)) \varphi_j(S_t, v_t; T, \phi)}{i\phi} \right] d\phi \\ &= P_j(S_t, v_t; T, X). \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

Combining equations (24) and (25),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{Q}(S_T < 5 | \mathcal{F}_t) &= 1 - P_2(S_t = 5, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 5) \\ &= 1 - P_2(S_t = 10, v_t = 0.04; T = 0.5, X = 10) \\ &= 1 - \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{-0.12900685}{\pi} \right) \\ &= 1 - 0.45894 \\ &= 0.54106. \end{aligned}$$

(a) The purpose is to price a bond with the following future cash flows:



Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} B_0 &= 1\%P(0, 0.3068) + 1\%P(0, 1.3068) + 101\%P(0, 2.3068) \\ &= 1\%P(0, 0.3068) + 1\% \times 0.9789 + 101\% \times 0.9601. \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

Concerning the discount factor for the maturity of 0.3068 years, equations (269) and (270) of the handouts imply that

$$\begin{aligned} B(0.3068) &= \frac{1 - e^{-2 \times 0.3068}}{2} \\ &\cong 0.2293, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} A(0.3068) &= (0.2293 - 0.3068) \left( 2\% - \frac{0.05^2}{2(2)^2} \right) - \frac{0.05^2}{4 \times 2} \times (0.2293)^2 \\ &\cong -0.0015. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} P(0, 0.3068) &= \exp(-0.0015 - 0.2293 \times 1\%) \\ &\cong 0.9962. \end{aligned}$$

Recalling equation (26), then

$$\begin{aligned} B_0 &= 1\% \times 0.9962 + 1\% \times 0.9789 + 101\% \times 0.9601 \\ &\cong 98.947\%. \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Since the YTM is the (flat) discount rate that turns the present value of all future cash flows equal to the bond's gross price, then

$$GP_0^{bid} = \frac{1\%}{(1 + 1.848\%)^{0.3068}} + \frac{1\%}{(1 + 1.848\%)^{1.3068}} + \frac{101\%}{(1 + 1.848\%)^{2.3068}} \cong 98.793\% < B_0,$$

i.e. we shall not sell, and

$$GP_0^{ask} = \frac{1\%}{(1 + 1.803\%)^{0.3068}} + \frac{1\%}{(1 + 1.803\%)^{1.3068}} + \frac{101\%}{(1 + 1.803\%)^{2.3068}} \cong 98.893\% < B_0,$$

i.e. we shall buy the bond.

- (c) Using Proposition 59 of the handouts,

$$\begin{aligned} &p_0 \left[ P(0, 2.3068); K = \frac{P(0, 2.3068)}{P(0, 0.3068)} = \frac{0.9601}{0.9962} \cong 0.9638; 0.3068 \right] \\ &= -P(0, 2.3068) \times \Phi(-d_1^V) + 0.9638 \times P(0, 0.3068) \times \Phi(-d_0^V) \\ &= -0.9601 \times \Phi(-d_1^V) + 0.9638 \times 0.9962 \times \Phi(-d_0^V), \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} v(0, 0.3068, 2.3068) &= \sqrt{\frac{0.05^2}{2^2} [1 - e^{-2 \times 2}]^2 \frac{1 - e^{-2 \times 2 \times 0.3068}}{2 \times 2}} \\ &\cong 1.032\%, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} d_1^V &= \frac{\ln\left(\frac{0.9601}{0.9638 \times 0.9962}\right) + \frac{(1.032\%)^2}{2}}{1.032\%} \\ &\cong 0.005158755, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} d_0^V &= 0.005158755 - 1.032\% \\ &\cong -0.005158755. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} &p_0 [P(0, 2.3068); K = 0.9638; 0.3068] \\ &= -0.9601 \times \Phi(-0.005158755) + 0.9638 \times 0.9962 \times \Phi(0.005158755) \\ &= -0.9601 \times 0.497941964 + 0.9638 \times 0.9962 \times 0.502058036 \\ &\cong 0.395\%. \end{aligned} \tag{27}$$

- (a) Assuming that we enter the IRS receiving fixed interest (and paying floating interest), since the initial value of the IRS must be zero, and because the present value of a floating rate bond (at the beginning of a coupon-period and when the coupon rate is in line with its rating), then the fixed interest rate  $k$  must be such that

$$0 = \left[ \frac{k}{2} P(0, 0.5) + \frac{k}{2} P(0, 1) + \frac{k}{2} P(0, 1.5) + \left(1 + \frac{k}{2}\right) P(0, 2) \right] - 1,$$

i.e.

$$\begin{aligned} k &= 2 \times \frac{1 - P(0, 2)}{P(0, 0.5) + P(0, 1) + P(0, 1.5) + P(0, 2)} \\ &= 2 \times \frac{1 - 0.96400379}{0.99261799 + 0.98331280 + 0.97365896 + 0.96400379} \\ &\cong 7.468\%. \end{aligned}$$

- (b) The purpose is to price the following option contract:

$$c_0 [P(0, 2); 98.044\%; 1].$$

Using Proposition 68 of the handouts,

$$\begin{aligned} c_0 [P(0, 2); 98.044\%; 1] &= P(0, 2) \times F_{\chi^2_{\left(\frac{4 \times 3 \times 2\%}{0.1^2}, \zeta_2\right)}}\left(\frac{r^*}{L_2}\right) \\ &\quad - 0.98044 \times P(0, 1) \times F_{\chi^2_{(24, \zeta_1)}}\left(\frac{r^*}{L_1}\right), \end{aligned} \tag{28}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma &= \sqrt{3^2 + 2 \times (10\%)^2} \\ &\cong 3.003331484,\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\zeta_1 &= \frac{8r_t\gamma^2 e^{\gamma(T_1-t)}}{\sigma^2 [e^{\gamma(T_1-t)} - 1] \{ \gamma [e^{\gamma(T_1-t)} + 1] + k [e^{\gamma(T_1-t)} - 1] \}} \\ &= \frac{[8 \times 1\% \times (3.003331484)^2 \times e^{3.003331484 \times 1}] \{0.1^2 \times (e^{3.003331484 \times 1} - 1) \\ &\quad [3.003331484 \times (e^{3.003331484 \times 1} + 1) \\ &\quad + 3 \times (e^{3.003331484 \times 1} - 1)] \}^{-1}}{0.627574572}, \\ &\cong 0.627574572,\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}L_1 &= \frac{\sigma^2}{2} \frac{e^{\gamma(T_1-t)} - 1}{\gamma [e^{\gamma(T_1-t)} + 1] + k [e^{\gamma(T_1-t)} - 1]} \\ &= \frac{\frac{0.1^2}{2} \times (e^{3.003331484 \times 1} - 1)}{3.003331484 \times (e^{3.003331484 \times 1} + 1) + 3 \times (e^{3.003331484 \times 1} - 1)} \\ &\cong 0.000791521,\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}r^* &= \frac{\ln(K) - A(T_2 - T_1)}{B(T_2 - T_1)} \\ &= \frac{\ln(0.98044) - A(2 - 1)}{B(1)} \\ &= \frac{\ln(0.98044) - (-0.01366192)}{-0.31660832} \\ &\cong 1.924\%.\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}&c_0 [P(0, 2); 98.044\%; 1] \\ &= 0.96400379 \times F_{\chi^2_{(24, 0.627260186)}} \left( \frac{1.924\%}{0.000791124} \cong 24.32244375 \right) \\ &\quad - 0.98044 \times 0.98331280 \times F_{\chi^2_{(24, 0.627574572)}} \left( \frac{1.924\%}{0.000791521} \cong 24.31025935 \right).\end{aligned}\tag{29}$$

Using the table provided in the exam, we can compute the two probabilities contained in the previous equation:

$$F_{\chi^2_{(24, 0.627260186)}}(24.32244375) = 0.52116187,\tag{30}$$

and

$$F_{\chi^2_{(24, 0.627574572)}}(24.31025935) = 0.52045546.\tag{31}$$

Finally, combining equations (29), (30) and (31), then

$$\begin{aligned}
& c_0 [P(0, 2); 98.044\%; 1] \\
&= 0.96400379 \times 0.52116187 - 0.98044 \times 0.98331280 \times 0.52045546 \\
&\cong 0.00064188.
\end{aligned}$$

- (c) Using Proposition 61 of the handouts, the fair value of a European-style *call* on a CBB can be decomposed into a portfolio of 2 European-style *calls* on PBDs:

$$\begin{aligned}
& c_0 (B_t; X = 101\%; T = 1) \\
&= 1.5\% \times c_0 [P(0, 1.5); X_1; T = 1] + 101.5\% \times c_0 [P(0, 2); X_2; T = 1].
\end{aligned} \tag{32}$$

The *strikes* can be obtained through equation (327) of the handouts:

$$\begin{aligned}
X_1 &= \exp [A(1.5 - 1) + B(0.5) \times 1.924\%] \\
&= \exp (-0.00482035 - 0.25890462 \times 1.924\%) \\
&\cong 99.025\%,
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
X_2 &= \exp [A(2 - 1) - B(2 - 1) \times 1.924\%] \\
&= \exp (-0.01366192 - 0.31660832 \times 1.924\%) \\
&\cong 98.044\%.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}
& c_0 (B_t; X = 101\%; T = 1) \\
&= 1.5\% \times c_0 [P(0, 1.5); X_1 = 99.025\%; T = 1] \\
&\quad + 101.5\% \times c_0 [P(0, 2); X_2 = 98.044\%; T = 1].
\end{aligned} \tag{33}$$

The second *call* was already priced in the previous question—please see equation (27):

$$c_0 [P(0, 2); X_2 = 98.044\%; T = 1] \cong 0.00064188. \tag{34}$$

Concerning the first *call*, the exam provides the following market price:

$$c_0 [P(0, 1.5); X_1 = 99.025\%; T = 1] = 0.053\%. \tag{35}$$

Combining equations (33), (34) and (35),

$$\begin{aligned}
& c_0 (B_t; X = 101\%; T = 1) \\
&= 1.5\% \times 0.053\% + 101.5\% \times 0.00064188\% \\
&\cong 0.066\%.
\end{aligned}$$