

Stochastic Target Problems with Controlled Loss in Jump Diffusion Models¹

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Introduction

We want to study the problem

$$v(t, x, p) := \inf \{ y \geq -\kappa : \mathbb{E} [\Psi (X_{t,x}^\nu(T), Y_{t,x,y}^\nu)] \geq p \text{ for some } \nu \}$$

introduced by Bouchard, Elie, Touzi (2009) for Brownian controlled SDEs, **in the case of jump diffusion processes X^ν and Y^ν** .

$$dX = \mu_X(X, \nu)ds + \sigma_X(X, \nu)dW + \int_E \beta_X(X, \nu, e)J(de, ds)$$
$$dY = \mu_Y(Z, \nu)ds + \sigma_Y(Z, \nu)dW + \int_E \beta_Y(Z, \nu, e)J(de, ds)$$

where Z stands for (X, Y) .

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Examples

Financial Market

X^ν : Stocks (possibly influenced by a large investor strategy ν)

Y^ν : Portfolio process of the large investor

The market is incomplete

We do not treat the dual problem, but directly the primal

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Insurance Market

X^ν : Sources of risks

Y^ν : Portfolio process of the insurance

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Superhedging

$$\Psi(x, y) := \mathbb{1}_{\{y \geq g(x)\}},$$

$$v(t, x, 1) = \inf \left\{ y \geq -\kappa : \exists \nu \in \mathcal{U} \text{ s.t. } \mathbb{P} \left[Y_{t,x,y}^\nu(T) \geq g(X_{t,x}^\nu(T)) \right] = 1 \right\}.$$

Remark

- ▶ For U compact and no jumps, Soner and Touzi (2002)
- ▶ For U compact and bounded jumps, Bouchard (2002)
- ▶ For the American case, Bouchard and Vu (2009)

Example If $g(x) = (x - K)^+$, then

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Hedging a European call option with finite credit line.

Examples

Quantile Hedging

$$\Psi(x, y) := \mathbb{1}_{\{y \geq g(x)\}},$$

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Loss Function

$\Psi(x, y) := -\rho((y - g(x))^-)$, with ρ convex non-decreasing

$v(t, x, p) =$

$$\inf \left\{ y \geq -\kappa : \exists \nu \in \mathcal{U} \text{ s.t. } \mathbb{E} \left[\rho \left((Y_{t,x,y}^\nu(T) - g(X_{t,x}^\nu(T)))^- \right) \right] \leq p \right\}.$$

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Success Ratio

$$\Psi(x, y) := \mathbb{1}_{\{g(x) \leq y\}} + \frac{y}{g(x)} \mathbb{1}_{\{g(x) > y\}}, \text{ for } y \geq 0,$$

$$v(t, x, p) = \inf \left\{ y \geq 0 : \exists \nu \in \mathcal{U} \text{ s.t. } \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{Y_{t,x,y}^\nu(T)}{g(X_{t,x}^\nu(T))} \wedge 1 \right] \geq p \right\}.$$

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Utility indifference Price in incomplete Markets

$\Psi(x, y) := U(y - g(x))$, with U concave non-decreasing,

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$$\left(p := \sup_{\nu \in \mathcal{U}} \mathbb{E} [U(Y_{t,x,y_0}^\nu(T))] \right)$$

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(Soner Touzi (2002) , Bouchard Vu (2009))

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Reduction of the Problem

We then reduce to the problem :

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where \mathbb{H}_λ^2 denotes the set of maps $\chi : \Omega \times [0, T] \times E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

$$\mathbb{E} \left[\int_0^T \int_E (\chi_t(e))^2 \lambda(de) dt \right] < \infty,$$

and $\lambda(de)dt$ is the intensity of $J(de, dt)$.

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The Relaxation of Bouchard Elie Touzi (2009)

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Sketch of the Proof (Supersolution) :

Let φ be a test function, and assume that

$$H^* \varphi(t_0, x_0) =: -2\eta < 0.$$

Define

$$\tilde{\varphi}(t, x) := \varphi(t, x) - \iota |x - x_0|^4 \text{ for } \iota > 0.$$

By the definition of H^* , we may find $\varepsilon > 0$ and $\iota > 0$ small enough such that

$$\min \{ \mu_Y(x, y, u) - \mathcal{L}^u \tilde{\varphi}(t, x), \mathcal{G}^u \tilde{\varphi}(t, x) \} \leq -\eta$$

$$\text{for all } u \in \mathcal{N}_\varepsilon(x, y, D\tilde{\varphi}(t, x))$$

$$\text{and } (t, x, y) \text{ s.t. } (t, x) \in B_\varepsilon(t_0, x_0) \text{ and } |y - \tilde{\varphi}(t, x)| \leq \varepsilon.$$

We then have

$$(v_* - \tilde{\varphi})(t, x) \geq \zeta \wedge \iota \varepsilon^4 =: \xi > 0 \text{ for } (t, x) \in \mathcal{V}_\varepsilon(t_0, x_0),$$

with

$$\mathcal{V}_\varepsilon(t_0, x_0) := \partial_p B_\varepsilon(t_0, x_0) \cup [t_0, t_0 + \varepsilon) \times B_\varepsilon^c(x_0).$$

Let $(t_n, x_n)_{n \geq 1} \rightarrow (t_0, x_0)$ s.t. $v(t_n, x_n) \rightarrow v_*(t_0, x_0)$ and set $y_n := v(t_n, x_n) + n^{-1}$.

For each $n \geq 1$, $y_n > v(t_n, x_n)$ together with (GDP1) : there exists some $\nu^n \in \mathcal{U}$ s.t.

$$Y^n(t \wedge \theta_n) \geq v(t \wedge \theta_n, X^n(t \wedge \theta_n)) \geq \tilde{\varphi}(t \wedge \theta_n, X^n(t \wedge \theta_n)), \quad t \geq t_n,$$

where

$$\theta_n^o := \{s \geq t_n : (s, X^n(s)) \notin B_\varepsilon(t_0, x_0)\}$$

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