

Massive Parallel Solutions of Variable Annuity PDEs

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FITOB overview

- FITOB: developed research software at our Chair
- Modeling framework: by given a set of tradable and non-tradable assets, defined by stochastic differential equations (SDE):

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{S} &= \{S_1, S_2, \dots, S_N\} \\ dS_i &= \mu_i(\mathbf{S}, t) dt + \sigma_i(\mathbf{S}, t) dW_i \\ dW_i dW_j &= \rho_{i,j} dt\end{aligned}$$

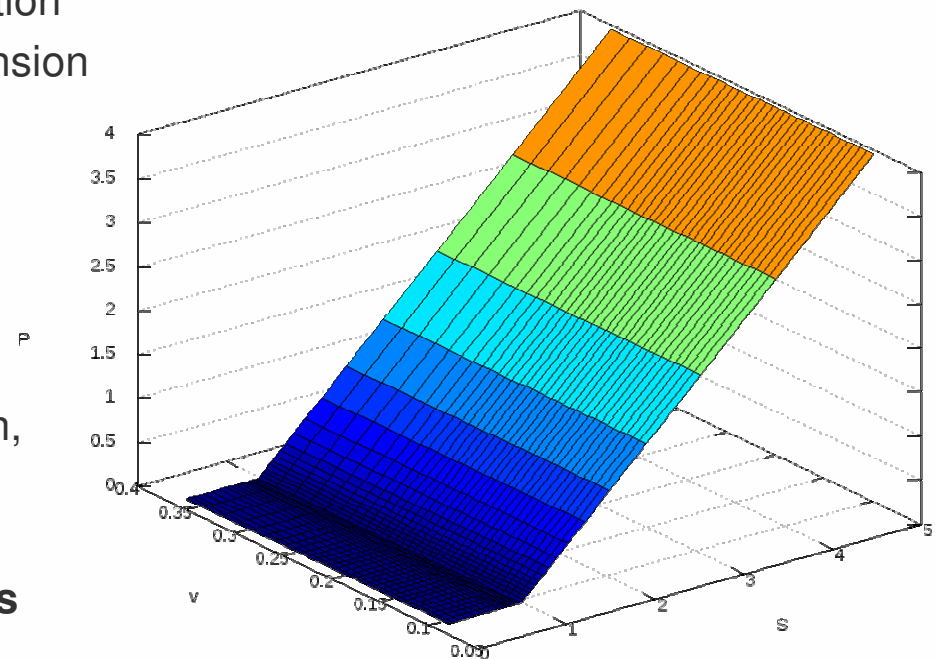
- The resulting Black-Sholes partial differential equation (BS-PDE)

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^N \hat{\mu}_i(\mathbf{S}, t) \frac{\partial V}{\partial S_i} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^N \sigma_i(\mathbf{S}, t) \sigma_j(\mathbf{S}, t) \rho_{i,j} \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S_i \partial S_j} - r(\mathbf{S}, t) V = 0$$

- Models defined by: $\mu_i(\mathbf{S}, t)$, $\hat{\mu}_i(\mathbf{S}, t)$, $\sigma_i(\mathbf{S}, t)$, $r(\mathbf{S}, t)$ and $\rho_{i,j}$

FITOB overview

- Numerical aspects:
 - automatic computational domain estimation
 - Combination Technique for higher dimension
 - distributed memory parallelization
 - efficient Multigrid solvers
 - finite difference
 - adaptive time stepping
 - shared memory parallel
 - constraints enforcements (American, Barrier features)
 - hybrid parallelization
 - **no derivative or SDE specific methods** (e.g., log transformation)



FITOB overview

User interaction:

- Modeling Language ThetaML:
 - general and unique product description
 - Presented previously
- XML configuration file:
 - SDE models
 - start values (and intervals)
 - solver parameters
 - could be coupled to GUI

```

model ASIAN;
  import S;
  export P;

  A=0; N=12; K=0;
  loop (N)
    A=(K*A+S)/(K+1);
    P=MAX( P , A );
    Theta 1/N;
    K=K+1;
  end;
  P=MAX( A , 0.0 );
end;

```

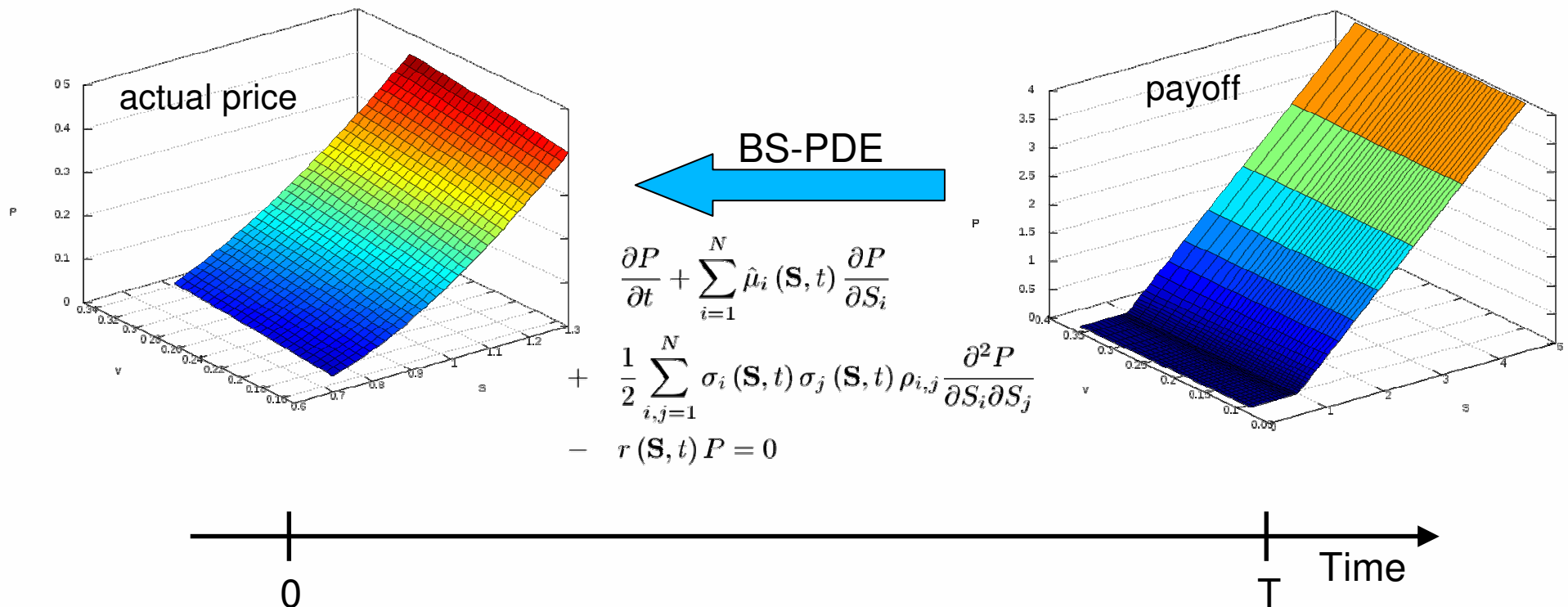
```

<variable name="S" evaluation="100" min="97" max="103" />
...
<variable name="S" type="GB" drift="0.05" convec="0.05" sigma="0.4"/>
...
<RISK_FREE_RATE value="0.05"/>

```

European Options

- BS-PDE based pricing (recapitulation)



European Options

- 5D example (N=5)

$$dS_i = \mu_i S_i dt + \sigma_i S_i dW_i$$

$$\mu_i = r = 0.05, \quad \sigma_i = 0.4, \quad S_i(0) = 1$$

$$\rho_{i,j} = 0.1, \quad i \neq j$$

- Results

```

model EUROPEAN5D;
  import S1;
  import S2;
  import S3;
  import S4;
  import S5;
  export P;

  Theta 1;
  P=MAX(S1+S2+S3+
    S4+S5-5.0 , 0.0 );
end;

```

level	price	rel. error	L_2	L_∞
3	0.530167	-3.801e-2	5.069e-2	2.906e-1
4	0.548944	-3.942e-3	4.119e-2	3.422e-1
5	0.550686	-7.829e-4	9.953e-4	3.203e-3
6	0.551117			



European Options

- 6D example (N=6)

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- Results

```
model EUROPEAN6D;
```

```
import S1;
```

```
import S2;
```

```
import S3;
```

```
import S4;
```

```
import S5;
```

```
import S6;
```

```
export P;
```

```
Theta 1;
```

```
P=MAX(S1+S2+S3+S4+S5+S6-6.0 , 0.0 );
```

```
end;
```

level	price	rel. error	L_2	L_∞
3	0.614752	-3.095e-2	2.290e-2	8.979e-2
4	0.625327	-1.428e-2	5.244e-2	6.435e-1
5	0.634132	-4.047e-4	7.499e-4	1.979e-3
6	0.634389			

European Options

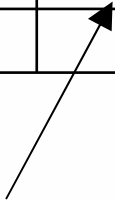
Parallel results for 5D and level = 6

- with regular grid number of points $\sim 1.07e+9$
- with combination technique number of points $\sim 1.0e+7$ (56 X $2.5e+5$)

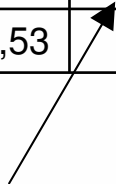
Runtimes

Number of processors	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128
Total runtime (seconds)	8760	4080	3180	1638	966	465	259	240
Efficiency	1	1,07	0,69	0,67	0,57	0,59	0,53	0,29

2.5 hours



4 minutes



European Options

Parallel results for 6D and level = 6

- with regular grid number of points $\sim 6.8e+10$
- with combination technique number of points $\sim 1.2e+8$ (84 X $2e+6$)

Runtimes

Number of processors	8	16	32	64	128
Total runtime (seconds)	24660	18060	7299	4881	3337
Efficiency	1	0,68	0,84	0,63	0,46

7 hours

55 minutes

American Options

- 5D example (N=5)

$$dS_i = \mu_i S_i dt + \sigma_i S_i dW_i$$

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- Results

level	price	rel. error	L_2	L_∞
3	0.303934	-8.597e-2	6.396e-2	2.842e-1
4	0.334562	6.137e-3	5.301e-2	4.113e-1
5	0.331521	-3.008e-3	1.660e-3	4.515e-2
6	0.332522			

```

model AMERICAN5D;
  import S1;
  import S2;
  import S3;
  import S4;
  import S5;
  export P;

  loop (inf)
    P = MAX(5.0-S1-S2-S3-
            S4-S5,P);
  end;

  Theta 1;
  P=MAX(5.0-S1-S2-S3-
        S4-S5, 0.0 );
end;

```

American Options

- 6D example (N=6)

$$dS_i = \mu_i S_i dt + \sigma_i S_i dW_i$$

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- Results

level	price	rel. error	L_2	L_∞
3	0.34839	-6.369e-2	3.064e-2	2.843e-1
4	0.35612	-4.292e-2	6.671e-2	6.843e-1
5	0.37118	-2.436e-2	1.854e-3	2.972e-2
6	0.37209			

```

model AMERICAN6D;
  import S1;
  import S2;
  import S3;
  import S4;
  import S5;
  import S6;
  export P;

  loop (inf)
    P = MAX(6.0-S1-S2-S3-
            S4-S5-S6,P);
  end;

  Theta 1;
  P=MAX(6.0-S1-S2-S3-
        S4-S5-S6, 0.0 );
end;

```

American Options

Parallel results for 5D and level = 6

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Runtimes

Number of processors	8	16	32	64	128
Total runtime (seconds)	4405	2282	1342	601	361
Efficiency	1	0,97	0,82	0,92	0,76

1.25 hours

6 minutes

American Options

Parallel results for 6D and level = 6

- with regular grid number of points $\sim 6.8e+10$
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Runtimes

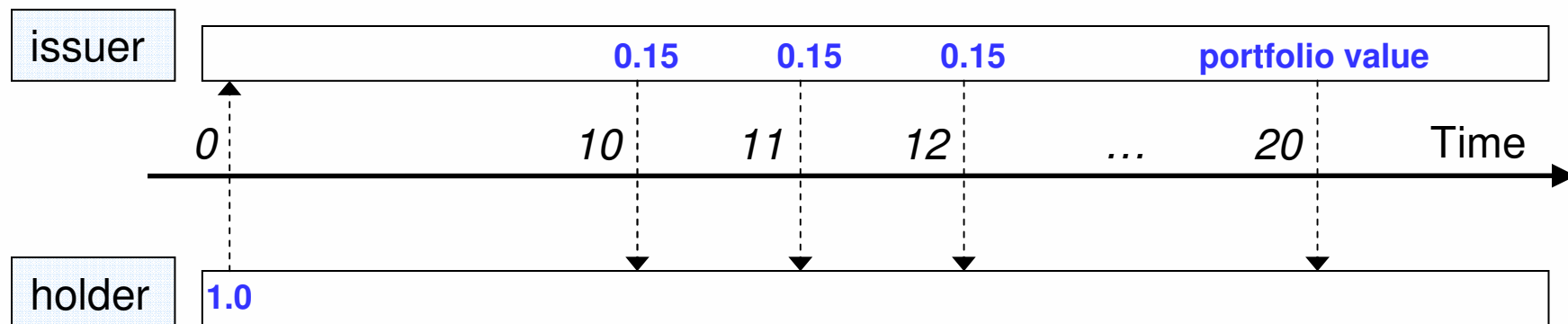
Number of processors	16	32	64	128	192
Total runtime (seconds)	37941	18144	10357	7594	6201
Efficiency	1	1,05	0,92	0,62	0,51

10.5 hours

1 hour 40minutes

Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit (GMWB)

- Initial investment of 1.0 into an asset (forming a portfolio)
- We model the payment period as 10 years long
- In the payment period the portfolio structure stays the same (one asset)
- Withdrawal rights at each payment dates
- In case of no-withdrawal a fee of 2% is paid



Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit (GMWB)

- ThetaML script
- todo

```
model GMWB5D;  
  import S;  
  export P;  
  
  CI = 0.15;  
  Theta 10;  
  A=S;  
  loop (10)  
    ....  
    Theta 1;  
  end;  
  P=MAX(A, 0.0 );  
end;
```

Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit (GMWB)

- todo

```
model GMWB5D;  
  import S;  
  export P;  
  
  CI = 0.15;  
  Theta 10;  
  A=S;  
  Sold = S;  
  loop (10)  
    P=MAX(P+CI,A);  
    if (A<0)  
      A = A - CI;  
    else  
      A = 0.98*(A-CI+  
        (A/SOLD)*(S-SOLD));  
    end;  
    Sold = S;  
    Theta 1;  
  end;  
  P=MAX(A, 0.0 );  
end;
```

Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit (GMWB)

- Heston model of the asset

$$\begin{cases} dS(t) &= \mu S(t) dt + \sqrt{v(t)} dW_1 \\ dv(t) &= \kappa(\tilde{v} - v(t))dt + \sigma dW_2 \end{cases}$$

- CIR model of the interest rate

$$dr(t) = \lambda(\theta - r(t))dt + \sigma_r \sqrt{r(t)} dW_3.$$

- parameter and initial values

$$\begin{aligned} \mu &= r(t) , \quad \kappa = 2.0 , \quad \tilde{v} = 0.06 , \\ \sigma &= 0.3 , \quad \lambda = 3.0 , \quad \theta = 0.05 , \quad \sigma_r = 0.4 \\ \rho_{1,2} &= -0.5 , \quad \rho_{1,3} = \rho_{2,3} = 0.0 \\ V(0) &= 0.05 , \quad S(0) = 1.0 , \quad r(0) = 0.01 \end{aligned}$$

```

model GMWB5D;
  import S;
  export P;

  CI = 0.15;
  Theta 10;
  A=S;
  Sold = S;
  loop (10)
    P=MAX(P+CI,A);
    if (A<0)
      A = A - CI;
    else
      A = 0.98*(A-CI+
        (A/SOLD)*(S-SOLD));
    end;
    Sold = S;
    Theta 1;
  end;
  P=MAX(A, 0.0 );
end;

```



Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit (GMWB)

- Pricing results:**

level	price	rel. error	L_2	L_∞
3	2.0878	6.546e-1	9.006e-1	1.318e-0
4	1.8716	4.832e-1	7.404e-1	1.276e-0
5	1.3245	4.895e-2	7.534e-2	1.275e-1
6	1.2381	-1.880e-2	2.819e-2	4.727e-2
7	1.2514	-8.233e-3	1.086e-2	1.554e-2
8	1.2618			

- Runtimes for level = 8**

Number of processors	4	16	32	64
Total runtime (seconds)	216000	85253	50871	40479
Efficiency	1	0,63	0,536	0,33

11 hours

Thank you!
Questions?

Literature:

- [1]
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- [3]
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