

Solutions, Problem 1

c) $X^{-1}(5) = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3\}$, $X^{-1}(0) = \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}$

Hence

$$\mathcal{F}_X = \{\emptyset, \Omega, \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3\}, \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}\}$$

Similarly,

$$Y^{-1}(1) = \{\omega_1\}, Y^{-1}(2) = \{\omega_2, \omega_3\}, Y^{-1}(3) = \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}$$

Therefore

$$\mathcal{F}_Y = \{\emptyset, \Omega, \{\omega_1\}, \{\omega_2, \omega_3\}, \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}, \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3\}, \{\omega_1, \omega_4, \omega_5\}, \{\omega_2, \omega_3, \omega_4, \omega_5\}\}$$

b) $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{F}_X} = \{A_1, A_2\}$, where $A_1 = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3\}$, $A_2 = \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}$.

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{F}_Y} = \{B_1, B_2, B_3\}$$

where

$$B_1 = \{\omega_1\}, B_2 = \{\omega_2, \omega_3\}, B_3 = \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}$$

c) Y is not measurable w.r.t. \mathcal{F}_X because $Y^{-1}(1) = \{\omega_1\} \notin \mathcal{F}_X$.

d) On $A_1 = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3\}$ we have

$$E[Y | \mathcal{F}_X](\omega) = \frac{E[Y \mathbb{1}_{A_1}]}{P(A_1)} = \frac{1 \cdot \frac{1}{4} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6}}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6}} = \frac{3 + 4 + 4}{3 + 2 + 2} = \frac{11}{7}$$

On $A_2 = \{\omega_4, \omega_5\}$ we have

$$E[Y | \mathcal{F}_X](\omega) = \frac{E[Y \mathbb{1}_{A_2}]}{P(A_2)} = \frac{3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{6 + 12}{2 + 3} = \frac{18}{5} = 3 \quad \checkmark$$

Solution, Problem 2

a) $S^*(1, w_1) = 3, S^*(1, w_2) = 4, S^*(1, w_3) = 6$

b) Put $Q = (q_1, q_2, q_3)$. Then we get the equations

$$\begin{cases} q_1 + q_2 + q_3 = 1 \\ -2q_1 - q_2 + q_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

which reduce to

$$\begin{cases} q_1 - 2q_3 = -1 \\ q_2 + 3q_3 = 2 \end{cases}$$

Hence the general solution is

$$Q = (-1 + 2q_3, 2 - 3q_3, q_3); \quad \frac{1}{2} < q_3 < \frac{2}{3}.$$

c) Since there is at least one risk neutral measure, the market has no arbitrage.

d) Since there is more than one risk neutral measure, the market is not complete.

e) X is attainable iff

$$E_Q \left[\frac{X}{B_1} \right]$$

has the same value for all $Q \in \mathcal{M}$.

With Q as in b) we get

$$\begin{aligned} E_Q \left[\frac{X}{B_1} \right] &= \frac{q}{10} \left[(-1 + 2q_3) X_1 + (2 - 3q_3) X_2 + q_3 X_3 \right] \\ &= \frac{q}{10} \left[q_3 (2X_1 - 3X_2 + X_3) - X_1 + 2X_2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

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This is independent of q_3 iff

$$2x_1 - 3x_2 + x_3 = 0$$

f) We seek H_0, H_1 such that

$$\frac{10}{9} H_0 + H_1 \frac{30}{9} = 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{10}{9} H_0 + H_1 \frac{40}{9} = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{10}{9} H_0 + H_1 \frac{20}{3} = -1 \quad \checkmark$$

This system has the solution

$$H_0 = 4.5, \quad H_1 = -\frac{9}{10} \quad \checkmark$$

g) This follows from the computation in d) \checkmark

h) Put $F(w_1, w_2, w_3) = E[u(w)] - \lambda_1 (2w_1 - 3w_2 + w_3) - \lambda_2 (-w_1 + 2w_2 - \frac{10}{9})$

Then

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial w_1} = \frac{1}{3} e^{-w_1} - 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial w_2} = \frac{1}{3} e^{-w_2} + 3\lambda_1 - 2\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial w_3} = \frac{1}{3} e^{-w_3} - \lambda_1 = 0$$

Together with the equations

$$2w_1 - 3w_2 + w_3 = 0$$

$$-w_1 + 2w_2 = \frac{10}{9} \quad \checkmark$$

this gives 5 equations in the 5 unknowns

$$w_1, w_2, w_3, \lambda_1, \lambda_2$$

End of Solutions

