

# Financial Mathematics

## Girsanov's theorem and the martingale representation theorem

3900-1. Let  $W_\bullet$  be a BM. Let  $X_t := e^{5W_t + 4t^3}$ .

a. Find processes  $\sigma_\bullet$  and  $\gamma_\bullet$

s.t.  $dX_t = \sigma_t(dW_t + \gamma_t dt)$ .

Express  $\sigma_t$  and  $\gamma_t$  in terms of  $W_t$  and  $t$ , and don't be surprised that  $\gamma_\bullet$  is deterministic.

b.  $\forall T > 0$ , compute the Novikov quantity

$$\mathbb{E} \left[ \exp \left( \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T \gamma_t^2 dt \right) \right].$$

c. Let  $\tilde{W}_\bullet$  solve  $d\tilde{W}_t = dW_t + \gamma_t dt$ ,  $\tilde{W}_0 = 0$ .

Explain why there's a change of measure  $Q$  s.t.  $\tilde{W}$  is a  $Q$ -Brownian motion.

d.  $\forall T > 0$ , show that  $\mathbb{E} \left[ \int_0^T \sigma_t^2 dt \right] < \infty$ .

e. Explain why  $X_\bullet$  is a  $Q$ -martingale.

- 3900-2 a. **Compute** the expansion of  $\zeta_T$  below, with two terms (inside exp).
- b. Using  $d\tilde{W}_t = dW_t + \gamma_t dt$ , **compute** the expansion of  $\exp(-i \int_0^T \xi_s d\tilde{W}_s)$ , with two terms (inside exp).
- c. **Compute** the expansion of  $\zeta_T \cdot \exp(-i \int_0^T \xi_s d\tilde{W}_s)$ , with four terms (inside exp).
- d. **Compute** the expansion of  $\rho_T$ , with five terms (inside exp).

**Proof:** Let  $\zeta_\bullet := \text{EM}_\bullet[-\gamma]$ . <sup>two terms</sup>  $i := \sqrt{-1}$

Let  $\nu$  have Radon-Nikodým derivative  $\zeta_T$ .

Let  $\xi_\bullet : [0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be piecewise constant.

**Want:**  $\text{E}[\zeta_T \cdot \exp(-i \int_0^T \xi_s d\tilde{W}_s)] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2} \int_0^T \xi_s^2 ds)$  <sup>two two one</sup>

$\rho_\bullet := \text{EM}_\bullet[-i\xi - \gamma]$  a mart. on  $[0, T]$ , <sup>five</sup> &  $\rho_0 = 1$ ;

**then**  $\text{E}[\rho_T] = 1$ , which expands to this. <sup>five</sup> **QED** 3

<sup>exercise hint ...</sup>