Fast calibration of the Libor Market Model with Jacobi stochastic volatility model 11th European Summer School in Financial Mathematics

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- [ABBD2017] proposes to perform an approximation of the density of $S_T^{(m,n)} \Rightarrow$ computation of approximated prices

$$\pi := \mathbb{E}^{S}[(S_{T}^{(m,n)} - K)_{+}] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} (s - K)_{+} f_{T}(s) \mathrm{d}s$$
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- The coefficients c_n are **linear combination of moments** of the unknown density f: need a way to compute the needed moments

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 $X := \sqrt{V} \times G$

with $G \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$ and $V \sim \chi^2(d)$, G and V being **independent**.

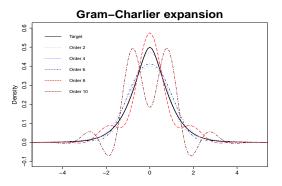


Figure 1: Gram-Charlier expansion of the density of X up to order 10 - $\sigma^2 = 0.25$ & d=4

Gram-Charlier and stochastic volatility ? (2/2)

$$X^{(M)} := \sqrt{\min(V, M)} \times G$$

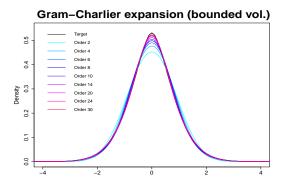


Figure 2: Gram-Charlier expansion of the density of $X^{(M)}$ up to order 30 - M=4

Condition: $\sigma^2 M < 2$

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