

Greening Energy Market and Finance



The transition risk and the regulations: Green bonds and beyond

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BONDS MAIN FEATURES





Bond – definition

Bond –a security that is usually issued by corporations or governments for the purpose of borrowing funds.

Those who purchase bonds expect the issuing party to repay the principal on the future date (**par value**, face value) and the interest in the form of periodic payments (**coupon payments**)





Bond indenture

- ✓ date of issue
- maturity date (redemption date)
- nominal (par value, face value)
- coupon rate (and its frequency)
- ✓ yield rate
- ✓ price





Conventional bond

Conventional bond (plain vanilla, bullet)

- ✓ periodic payments (paid at regular intervals) are based on a fixed income coupon
- \checkmark at maturity the buyer receives a nominal

All other papers are a variation of conventional securities





Types of bonds - Coupon

Coupon

- ✓ fixed (fixed income assets)
- ✓ zero (zero-coupon papers)
- ✓ benchmark (floating rate notes, FRN)
- ✓ index (index-linked bonds)











Types of bonds - Issuer

Issuer

- ✓ government (treasury bonds, sovereign bonds)
- ✓ corporates corporate bonds
- ✓ supranational entities (World Bank, EBI)
- \checkmark regions and municipalities
- ✓ projects and SPVs







GREEN BOND CHARACTERSISTICS



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Sustainable finance

Sustainable finance is defined as the incorporation of environmental, social, and governance (ESG) principles into business decisions, economic development, and investment strategies.

Key Pillars	Key Themes
Environment	Climate change
	Natural resources
	Pollution and waste
	Opportunities and policy
Social	Human capital
	Product responsibility
	Relations
Governance	Corporate governance
	Corporate behavior





Application of ESG factors across Asset Classes

Asset Class	Туре
Equity	Negative (exclusionary) and positive (best-in-class) approach
Debt Fixed Income	Traditional corporate bonds
	Traditional sovereign bonds
	ESG money market funds
	Green bonds
	Social bonds
	Sustainability bonds
	Green mortgage-backed securities (MBS)
Debt Bank Loans	Green loans
	Sustainability-linked loans
Alternative Investment	Green real estate investment trusts (REIT)
	Private equity (PE) and venture capital (VC)





Application of ESG factors across Asset Classes

Debt Fixed Income	Examples
Traditional corporate bonds	Bonds with proceeds used for funding new and existing
	projects with environmental benefits (not labeled).
Traditional sovereign bonds	Bonds issued by governments with proceeds used for funding
	projects with environmental benefits (not labeled).
Green bonds	Specific bonds that are labeled green, with proceeds used for
	funding new and existing projects with environmental benefits.
Social bonds	Bonds that raise funds for new and existing projects that
	create positive social outcomes.
Sustainability bonds	Bonds with proceeds that are used to finance or refinance a
	combination of green and social projects.
Green mortgage-backed	Green MBS securitize numerous mortgages that go toward
securities (MBS)	financing green properties (Fannie Mae)





Green bonds

Green bonds are fixed income securities which finance investments with environmental or climate-related benefits.

Specifically, these bonds have the following features:

- ✓ proceeds are allocated exclusively to green projects,
- proceeds are tracked and managed in a reliable manner, and
- transparency is ensured by reporting after the issuance of the bonds.







Green bonds have been used to finance:

- ✓ climate projects,
- ✓ pollution prevention,
- ✓ sustainable agriculture,
- ✓ sustainable water management and
- \checkmark other environmental initiatives.



Sustainable Development Goals



EnFlat

Waste water treatment projects



Waste management projects



Wind farms and solar PV projects, green buildings



Flood protection projects



Maintenance and upgrade of public transport and infrastructure projects



Low carbon public transport projects



Renaturation projects



Sustainable agriculture and forestry projects



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Types of Green Bonds (ICMA)

Green bond issuing entities can make use of a variety of structures related to the "use of proceeds"

- ✓ Green Use of Proceeds Bond:
- ✓ Green Revenue Bond:
- ✓ Green Project Bond:
- ✓ Green Securitized Bond:





Types of Green Bonds (ICMA)

Туре	Definition
Green Use of Proceeds Bonds	Similar to traditional bonds by offering full recourse to the issue and sharing the same credit rating as the issuer.
Green Use of Proceeds Revenue Bonds	Non-recourse to the issuer and repays investors based on a revenue stream such as tolls, fees, and taxes.
Green Project Bonds	Recourse or non-recourse to the issuer.
Green Securitized Bonds	Bond collateralized by one or more specific Green Project(s).The first source of repayment is generally the cash flows of the assets.







GREEN BOND MARKET





Green bond market

https://www.elibrary.imf.org/doc/IMF082/26206-9781498324021/26206-9781498324021/Other formats/Source PDF/26206-9781513515946.pdf





First green bond

<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i3gIJrABLSc</u> <u>&index=1&list=PLuz9mCSZhLGklkMaOJTBKkiK</u> <u>wzoHFt6Sx</u>





Who decides what is green?

There is no standard for what kinds of activities can be funded by green bonds. Absent common standards or criteria, the vast majority of green bonds are self-labeled by the issuer.

- ✓ World Bank & CICERO
- ✓ ICMA --> Green Bond Principles
- Climat Bond Initiative --> Climat Bond Standards





World Bank & CICERO

- The World Bank decides what projects can be eligible for green bond proceeds based on its own selection criteria.
- These criteria were reviewed by the Center for International Climate and Environmental Research University of Oslo (CICERO). CICERO also certified the International Finance Corporation's criteria for green bonds.





The process of getting a CICERO Second Opinion on a green bond framework



Source: https://cicero.oslo.no/en/posts/single/CICERO-second-opinions





CICERO Shades

SHADES OF GREEN AND BROWN

emissions and risk of stranded assets.

EXAMPLES

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Source: https://www.cicero.green/latestnews/2020/5/13/launching-ciceroshades-of-green-assessment-for-companies-and-equities



Climate Bonds Standards (CBS)

The Climate Bonds Initiative (CBI) is developing standards for a bond to be eligible for an industry-recognized label of "Certified Climate Bond." It has developed a climate bonds taxonomy to establish common definitions for eight broad categories —energy, energy efficiency, transport, water, waste management, land-use and adaptation infrastructure — which are then further defined with criteria, explanations and restrictions.

https://www.climatebonds.net/files/files/CBI-Taxonomy-Sep18.pdf https://www.climatebonds.net/standard/taxonomy





A voluntary process guidelines ICMA that recommend transparency and promote integrity in the development of the Green Bond market by clarifying the approach for issuance of a Green Bond.

The GBP have **four core components**:

- (1) the use of proceeds
- (2) the process for project evaluation and selection
- (3) the management of proceeds
- (4) reporting





The issuers of green bonds

- ✓ corporations that raise funds for Green Projects (including SPCs that only handle Green Projects),
- ✓ financial institutions that raise investment funds and loans for Green Projects, and
- ✓ local governments that raise funds for Green Projects.



The investors of green bonds

- ✓ institutional investors, such as pension funds and insurance companies that commit to ESG (environmental, social, and governance) investments;
- ✓ investment managers entrusted with the management of ESG investments, and
- ✓ individual investors who focus on the use of the proceeds.





Green bonds benefits

Investors	Issuers			
Reputational benefits (e.g. marketing can highlight support for green				
investment);				
Articulation and enhanced credibility of sustainability strategy ("money where				
your mouth is");				
Lack of additional risk, green bonds can	Access to "economies of scale" as			
be incorporated into pension funds'	majority of issuance costs are in			
existing asset allocations;	setting up the processes;			
Improving diversification of bond issuer	Improving diversification of bond			
base;	investor base;			





Physical risks - arise from damage to property, land, and infrastructure from catastrophic weather-related events and broader climate trends;

Transition risks - arise from changes in the price of stranded assets and broader economic disruption because of evolving climate policy, technology, and market sentiment during the adjustment to a lowercarbon economy.





- 1. Integrating climate-related risks into financial stability monitoring and micro-supervision
- 2. Integrating sustainability factors into own-portfolio management
- 3. Bridging the data gaps
- 4. Building awareness and intellectual capacity and encouraging technical assistance and knowledge sharing
- 5. Achieving robust and internationally consistent climate and environment-related disclosure
- 6. Supporting the development of a taxonomy of economic activities



Network for Greening the Financial System



BIS – green bond fund

09.2019 - a green bond fund for central banks was launched to:

- ✓ incorporate environmental sustainability objectives into management of the central banks' foreign exchange reserves.
- ✓ finance environment-friendly projects.
- ✓ affect the development of green investment standards.
- ✓ deepen the green bond market and foster best practice.

The open-ended fixed income fund, denominated in US dollars, invests in green assets with a minimum grade of A–. To be eligible, bonds must conform to either the ICMA's **Green Bond Principles** or the CBI's **Climate Bond Standards**.





Criteria

The researchers examined green bond suitability as currency reserves by looking at the three criteria of:

- ✓ liquidity,
- ✓ safety and
- ✓ return.

Liquidity could well restrict a central bank's allocation because the \$750 billion in green bonds pales next to the \$120 trillion in conventional securities.







BOND'S PRICE and YIELD RELATION



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Coupon rate vs yield rate

<u>Coupon rate</u> (bond rate (US), contract rate) – the rate used as a basis for computing coupon payments (it is stated on the bond)

<u>Yield rate</u> (investor's rate, yield to maturity, YTM) – the actual interest rate that is expected by the purchaser of the bond (is is usually not equal to the coupon rate)




Coupon rate vs yield rate

	Coupon rate	Yield rate
Who establishes	lssuer	Investor / market
Meaning	How much the issuer promises to pay	How much the investor wants to achieve
Where used	Coupon calculation	Price calculation
Changable	no (for fixed income)	yes (market conditions)





Purchase price of bond

<u>**Purchase price</u>** – price of the bond **P** computed at the yield rate.</u>

It is the present value of the periodic payments which are paid from the date of purchase to the maturity.











Purchase price of bond

$$P = FV + FV \cdot (i_{cp} - i) \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-N}}{i}$$

where : P – purchase price of bond

- FV face value, par value
- i_{cp} coupon rate
- i yield rate
- N number of payments (=*n for annually payments*)





(1). If the investor wants bigger rate then the issuer offers:

$$i > i_{cp} \implies (i_{cp} - i) < 0 \quad and \quad P < FV$$

(2). If:
$$i < i_{cp} \implies (i_{cp} - i) > 0 \quad and \quad P > FV$$

(3). If:
$$i = i_{cp} \implies (i_k - i) = 0$$
 and $P = FV$





Price – yield relationship (5y-bond)







Price – yield relationship (5% coupon-bond)







Price – yield relationship (1% coupon-bond)







Example 4.1

Find the purchase price of the 5-years green bond (par = 100) bought 3 years before maturity, if the coupon rate is 8% (paid annually), and the investor would like to achieve the yield at 9%.

$$P = FV + FV \cdot (i_{cp} - i) \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-N}}{i} =$$

= 100 + 100 (0,08 - 0,09) $\frac{1 - (1 + 0,09)^{-3}}{0,09} =$
= 97,4687





Excel calculations

Excel has a function that allows you to price straight bonds, and it is called PRICE.

=PRICE("Today","Maturity",Coupon Rate,YTM,100,2,3)

- Enter "Today" and "Maturity" in quotes, using mm/dd/yyyy format.
- Enter the Coupon Rate and the YTM as a decimal.
- The "100" tells *Excel* to us \$100 as the par value.
- The "2" tells *Excel* to use semi-annual coupons.
- The "3" tells *Excel* to use an actual day count with 365 days per year. (1-ACT/ACT; 2-ACT/360; 3-ACT/365; 4-30/360)

Note: *Excel* returns a price per \$100 face.





Semiannual coupon payments

The interest conversion period for the yield rate is assumed to coincide with the interest payment period for the bond









Find the purchase price of the 5-years green bond bought 3 years before maturity, if the coupon rate is 8% (paid semiannually), and the investor would like to achieve the yield at 9%.

$$i = \frac{i}{m} = \frac{0.09}{2} = 0.045 \qquad i_{cp} = \frac{i_{cp}}{m} = \frac{0.08}{2} = 0.04$$

$$N = n \cdot m = 3 \cdot 2 = 6$$

$$P = FV + FV \cdot (i_{cp} - i) \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-N}}{i} =$$

$$= 100 + 100(0.04 - 0.045) \frac{1 - (1 + 0.045)^{-6}}{0.045} = 97,421$$





To discount by number of full years and multiply by part of the coupon period.







v – time since the last coupon payment





$$v = \frac{\tau}{base}$$

where :

 τ – number of days since the last coupon payment

base – number of days in a year

v – time (in years) since the last coupon payment





Accrued interest

- **clean price flat price** price without the accrued interest
- dirty price, full price, or invoice price price with the accrued interest
- Accrued interest AI

$$AI = C \cdot v$$

$$C = FV \cdot i_{cp}$$





Example 4.3

A bond with maturity at 17.06.2021 was bought on 8.07.2019. The coupon rate is 2%, nominal 100 EUR. Please calculate the price if the yield to maturity is 2.122% (base is ACT/ACT)

$$v = 21/366$$

$$P = \left[FV + FV \cdot (i_{cp} - i) \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-N}}{i} \right] (1 + i)^{V} = \left[100 + 100 \cdot (0,02 - 0,02122) \frac{1 - (1,02122)^{-2}}{0,02122} \right] (1,02122)^{\frac{21}{366}}$$
$$P = 99.8838$$







A bond with maturity at 17.06.2021 was bought on 8.07.2019. The coupon rate is 2%, nominal 100 EUR. Please calculate the clean price and AI (base is ACT)

$$AI = 100 \cdot 0.02 \cdot \frac{21}{366} = 0.114754$$

P(clean) = 99,8838 - 0,1147 = 99,77





$$P_{zero} = \frac{FV}{\left(1+i\right)^n}$$

where : P- price of the bond

FV - nominal

i –yield to maturity

n – time to maturity in years





Example 4.4

Calculate a price of the zero-coupon bond if the YTM=5%, the bond was bought on 12.11.2019, its maturity is 25.07.2021, and the interest is calculated with ACT/365 rule

n = 621/365 $P_{zero} = \frac{FV}{(1+i)^n} = \frac{100}{(1+0.05)^{\frac{621}{365}}}$ P = 92.034







Issuer PepsiCo	
Issuance date	October 2019
Nominal value	\$1 billion
Nominal currency	USD
Rating (issuer, bond)	A+ (S&P), A (Moody's)
Framework	Green bond
Tenure	30 years
Coupon	2.875%
Use of proceeds	Eco-friendly plastics, water use efficiency, packaging, and cleaner transportation
Bookrunners	Morgan Stanley, Goldman Sachs, Mizuho Financial group

https://sec.report/Document/0001047469-19-005653/0001047469-19-005653.txt#ds41801 description of debt securities







Issuer	U.S. State of Massachusetts	
Issuance date	September 2014	
Nominal value	\$350 million	
Nominal currency	USD	
Rating (issuer, bond)	AA+ (Fitch), Aa1 (Moody's), AA+ (S&P)	
Framework	Green bond	
Tenure	3 to 17 years	
Coupon	2.45%	
Subscription level	3 times	
Investor base	Residents and local retail investors	
Use of proceeds	Water projects, offshore wind port facilities, energy-efficient buildings, and restoration and preservation projects	
Bookrunners	Morgan Stanley	

https://www.climatebonds.net/files/files/DC%20Water%20ca se%20study%20-%20final%281%29.pdf



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https://www.wienerborse.at/en/marketdata/bonds/quote/?ISIN=XS2126053953&ID_NOTATION=283722099 Find the YTM of the green bond with maturity on 03/05/2025, the coupon equal to 1.8%, paid annually, bought 8.06.2020 at 101.05 (offer) or sold at 99.1 (bid)

Answer: (offer) 1.58% (bid) 1.99%





Example 4.8

https://www.bondsupermart.com/bsm/bond-factsheet/XS1512652600

Find the YTM of the green bond with maturity on 25.01.2020, the coupon equal to 8.25%, paid semiannually, offered on issue date 25.01.2017 at 98.385

Answer: 8.87%







COUPON CALCULATION of NEW ISSUE



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YTM for a coupon bond



YTM = IRR

where :

- P bond's price
- N nominal
- i desired interest rate
- n time to maturity **in years**



Coupon bond as a sum (portfolio) of zero-coupon bonds



C.n.F.I.s

where :

- P bond's price
- N nominal
- i desired interest rate
- n time to maturity **in years**

$${}^{2} \qquad {}^{3} \qquad {}^{4} \qquad P(C) = \frac{C}{\left(1+i_{1}\right)^{t_{1}}} + \frac{C}{\left(1+i_{2}\right)^{t_{2}}} + \dots + \frac{C+N}{\left(1+i_{n}\right)^{t_{n}}}$$





Discount factors

- It is a present value of a unit of currency to be received at the end (of the term)
- For t-years is written d(t)

$$d(t_j) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\left(1 + i_j\right)^{t_j}} \end{cases}$$







For a particular terms and spot rates find discount factors

	spot rate
0	
1	3,50%
2	3,70%
5	3,55%
10	3,45%





Discount function – features





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Coupon bond as a sum (portfolio) of zero-coupon bonds

$$P(C) = \frac{C}{(1+i_1)^{t_1}} + \frac{C}{(1+i_2)^{t_2}} + \dots + \frac{C+N}{(1+i_n)^{t_n}}$$

$$P(C) = C \cdot d(t_1) + C \cdot d(t_2) + \dots + (C+N) \cdot d(t_n)$$

where:

P(C) - price of a coupon bond $t_1, t_2...t_n - term of j-period (in years), where j=1,2,...n$ $d(t_j) - discount factors for t_j, where j=1,2,...n$ N - nominal

C – coupon (N x coupon rate),



Coupon bond as a sum (portfolio) of zero-coupon bonds



2

3

0

1

where :

- ² bond's price
- N nominal
 - desired interest rate
- n time to maturity **in years**

 $P(C) = C \cdot d(t_1) + C \cdot d(t_2) + \dots + (C+N) \cdot d(t_n)$

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Coupon of a new issue

$$C = \frac{P(C) - \frac{N}{(1+i_n)^{t_n}}}{\frac{1}{(1+i_1)^{t_1}} + \frac{1}{(1+i_2)^{t_2}} + \dots + \frac{1}{(1+i_n)^{t_n}}} = \frac{P(C) - N \cdot d(t_n)}{d(t_1) + d(t_2) + \dots + d(t_n)}$$

gdzie: P(C) - cena obligacji kuponowej t₁, t₂...t_n - czas trwania j-tego okresu (w latach), gdzie j=1,2,...n d(tj) – czynniki dyskontowe dla czasu tj, gdzie j=1,2,...n N – nominał C – wartość kuponu,





Example 5.2

The government wants to set an annual coupon rate for a 5-year bond (nominal is 100). Find the coupon if the following spot rates are available on the market: 1-year equal to 3.5%, 2-year 3.7%, 5-year 3.55%, 10-year 3.45%.

Find the coupon for 10 and 3 year issues.

The equation of the trend function is:

$$d(t) = 0,0007 \cdot t^2 - 0,0355t + 1$$

$$C = \frac{P(C) - N \cdot d(t_n)}{d(t_1) + d(t_2) + \dots + d(t_n)} = \frac{100 - 100 \cdot 0.84}{4.51} = 3.55$$







MEASURES OF BOND'S RISK



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Price – yield relationship



 $\Delta P(i) = P'(i)\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}P''(i)\Delta^2 i + \dots$

Duration is a measure of the approximate percentage change in value for a 100 basic points change in rates




Taylor's formula

$$f(x) = f(x_0) + \frac{\partial f(x_0)}{\partial x}(x - x_0) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 f(x_0)}{\partial x^2}(x - x_0)^2 + \dots$$
$$P(i) - P(i_0) = \frac{\partial P(i_0)}{\partial i}(i - i_0) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 P(i_0)}{\partial i^2}(i - i_0)^2 + \dots$$

$$\Delta P(i) = P'(i)\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}P''(i)\Delta^2 i + \dots$$





First derivative

$$P'(i) = \left(\sum_{t=1}^{n} \frac{C}{(1+i)^{t}} + \frac{N}{(1+i)^{n}}\right)' =$$

$$= C\left((1+i)^{-1} + (1+i)^{-2} + \dots + (1+i)^{-n}\right)' + \left(N(1+i)^{-n}\right)' =$$

$$= C\left(-(1+i)^{-2} - 2(1+i)^{-3} - \dots - n(1+i)^{-n-1}\right) - nN(1+i)^{-n-1} =$$

$$= -\left(\frac{C}{(1+i)^{2}} + \frac{2C}{(1+i)^{3}} + \dots + \frac{nC}{(1+i)^{n+1}}\right) - \frac{nN}{(1+i)^{n+1}} =$$

$$= -\frac{1}{(1+i)}\left(\sum_{t=1}^{n} \frac{tC}{(1+i)^{t}} + \frac{nN}{(1+i)^{n}}\right) \cdot \frac{P(i)}{P(i)} = -\frac{D}{(1+i)}P(i)$$





Duration (D) specifies the approximate percentage change in price caused by the change in market rates





Definition of duration - I



Modified duration (D_M) allows to determine the approximate percentage change in price due to **a** small change in interest rates





Definition of duration - II

$$D = \frac{1}{P} \left(\sum_{t=1}^{n} \frac{tC}{(1+i)^{t}} + \frac{nN}{(1+i)^{n}} \right) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{P} \left(\frac{1}{P} \left(\frac{1}{P} + \frac{2}{P} \right)^{t} + \frac{2}{P} \left(\frac{1}{P} + \frac{1}{P} \right)^{2} \right) + \dots + \frac{n}{P} \frac{(C+N)}{P(1+i)^{n}} =$$

$$= w_{1} \cdot 1 + w_{1} \cdot 2 + \dots + w_{n} \cdot n = \sum_{t=1}^{n} t \cdot w_{t}$$

$$= 1 \quad CE$$







$$D = \sum_{t=1}^{n} t \cdot \frac{CF_t}{P(1+i)^t}$$

Duration is the weighted average maturity of bond flows, where the weights are discounted flows to price.





For zero-coupon bond, a duration is equal to the maturity







For coupon bond, a duration is lower then the maturity





Example

Find a duration, if the bond with yearly coupon 8%, and maturity of four years has YTM=10%, nominal 1.000

$$P = \sum_{t=1}^{n} \frac{C}{(1+i)^{t}} + \frac{N}{(1+i)^{n}}$$

P = 936,6027

$$D = \frac{1}{P} \left(\sum_{t=1}^{n} \frac{tC}{(1+i)^{t}} + \frac{nN}{(1+i)^{n}} \right) \qquad D = 3,56$$





Duration – features

- 1. Increasing maturity increases duration
- Increasing number of cash flows per year reduces duration
- 3. Increasing yield to maturity reduces duration
- 4. It is a good approximation of percentage price change for small changes in yield





Duration – applications

- Trading estimating price changes for given yield changes
- 2. Hedging estimating **relative** price changes for given yield changes
- 3. Risk management matches volatility of assets and liabilities
- 4. Portfolios providing **single measure** of risk for a portfolio
- 5. Investing locking in guaranteed returns





Second derivative

$$\begin{split} \Delta P(i) &= P'(i)\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}P''(i)\Delta^2 i + \dots \\ P'' &= \left(-\frac{C}{(1+i)^2} - \frac{2C}{(1+i)^3} - \dots - \frac{n(C+N)}{(1+i)^{n+1}}\right)' = \\ &= \left(-C(1+i)^{-2} - 2C(1+i)^{-3} - \dots - n(C+N)(1+i)^{-n-1}\right)' = \\ &= 2C(1+i)^{-3} + 2 \cdot 3 \cdot C(1+i)^{-4} + \dots + n(n+1)(C+N)(1+i)^{-n-2} = \\ &= \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{t(t+1)C}{(1+i)^{t+2}} + \frac{n(n+1)N}{(1+i)^{n+2}} \end{split}$$





$$P'' = \sum_{t=1}^{n} t(t+1) \frac{CF_t}{(1+i)^{t+2}} \cdot \frac{P(i)}{P(i)} = CX \cdot P(i)$$

$$CX = \frac{1}{P} \sum_{t=1}^{n} t(t+1) \cdot \frac{CF_t}{(1+i)^{t+2}}$$

Convexity (CX) allows to determine the approximate percentage change in price due to a bigger change in interest rates





Convexity - applications

$$\Delta P(i) = P'(i)\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}P''(i)\Delta^2 i + \dots$$
$$P''(i) = CX \cdot P(i)$$

$$\Delta P(i) = -D_M P(i)\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}CX \cdot P(i)$$

$$\frac{\Delta P(i)}{P(i)} = -D_M \Delta i + \frac{1}{2} C X \cdot \Delta^2 i$$







Convexity – interpretation

 $\frac{\Delta P}{P} \cong -D\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}CX(\Delta i)^2$

If two bonds have the same duration, the one with more convexity is normally preffered

Two portfolios with similar durations may perform quite differently if the yield curve shifts in a nonparallel fashion.





A 30-year bond with 8% coupon is sold with 8% yield (price is 1,000); D_M = 11.26; CX = 212.4.

If the rate increases by 2%, then the price will drop to 811.46. What decrease could be predicted by duration, and what by a compilation of $D_M + CX$

price's decrease
$$=\frac{\Delta P}{P}=18,85\%$$

$$\frac{\Delta P}{P} = -D \cdot \Delta i = -11,26 \cdot 0,02 = -0,2252$$
$$\frac{\Delta P}{P} \cong -D\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}CX(\Delta i)^2 = -0,2252 + \frac{1}{2}212,4(0,02)^2 = -0,1827$$





Example

A 30-year bond with 8% coupon is sold with 8% yield (price is 1,000); $D_M = 11.26$; CX = 212.4.

If the rate increases by only 0.1%, then the price will drop to 988.85. What decrease could be predicted by duration, and what by a compilation of $D_M + CX$

price's decrease
$$=\frac{\Delta P}{P}=1,115\%$$

$$\frac{\Delta P}{P} = -D \cdot \Delta i = -11,26 \cdot 0,001 = -0,01126$$

$$\frac{\Delta P}{P} \cong -D\Delta i + \frac{1}{2}CX(\Delta i)^2 = -0.01126 + \frac{1}{2}212.4(0.001)^2 = -0.01115$$





Convexity – conclusion

- 1. Increasing maturity increases convexity / duration
- 2. Increasing number of cash flows per year reduces convexity / duration
- Increasing yield to maturity reduces convexity / duration





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