

Local volatility models enhanced with jumps

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Mathematical analysis/algorithm

- Two models:
 - LVM with jumps:

$$\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \sigma(t, S_t) dW_t + (J - 1)(dN_t - \lambda_t dt)$$

- Regime-switching model:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dS_t}{S_t} &= \sigma_1(t, S_t) dW_t + (J - 1)(dN_t - \lambda_t dt), \quad \forall t \leq \tau \\ \frac{dS_t}{S_t} &= \sigma_2(t, S_t) dW_t, \quad \forall t > \tau, \quad \sigma_2 := J_S \sigma_1 \end{aligned}$$

- Leads to nonlinear McKean SDEs
- Monte-Carlo algorithm: particle method.
- Numerical results.

Calibration condition

- Consider the following dynamics:

$$\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \sigma(t, S_t) dW_t + (J(S_t) - 1) (dN_t - \lambda_t dt)$$

- Formally: $S_t \sim \mathbb{P}_t^{\text{mkt}}$ iff

$$\sigma^2(t, K) = \sigma_{\text{Dupire}}^2(t, K) - 2 \frac{\Lambda(t, K)}{K^2 \partial_{KK} C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)}.$$

where:

$$\Lambda(t, K) \equiv \mathbb{E} [\lambda_t (K - J(S_t) S_t) (1_{S_t > K} - 1_{J(S_t) S_t > K})]$$

The case of deterministic intensity

In the case of a deterministic intensity $\lambda_t := \lambda(t)$, we have the following closed form for the local volatility:

$$\sigma^2(t, K) = \sigma_{\text{Dupire}}^2(t, K) - 2\lambda(t) \frac{\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}^{\text{mkt}}} \left[(K - J(S_t)S_t) (1_{S_t > K} - 1_{J(S_t)S_t > K}) \right]}{K^2 \partial_{KK} C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)}.$$

$\sigma(t, K)$ is a function of market call prices.

McKean SDE

Theorem 1

Let us consider the following McKean SDE in \mathbb{R}^n

$$dX_t = b(X_{t-}, \mathbb{P}_t)dt + \sigma(X_{t-}, \mathbb{P}_t)dW_t + a(X_{t-}, \mathbb{P}_t)(dN_t - \lambda_t dt) \quad (1)$$

If the functions

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma, a & : \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n, \\ b & : \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \end{aligned}$$

are Lipschitz-continuous:

$$|f(X, \mathbb{P}) - f(Y, \mathbb{Q})| \leq C|X - Y| + d(\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{Q}), \quad \forall f \in \{b, \sigma, a\}$$

where d is the Wasserstein distance, then the non linear SDE admits a unique solution X_t such that $\mathbb{E}[\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |X_t|^2] < \infty$.

McKean SDE

Definition

Let $\mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R}^n)$ denote the set of probability measures on \mathbb{R}^n with finite second order moments. For $\mu, \nu \in \mathcal{P}_2(\mathbb{R}^n)$, the Wasserstein metric is defined by the formula,

$$d(\mu, \nu) = \inf_{(X, Y)} \left\{ \mathbb{E} [(X - Y)^2] \right\}$$

$X \sim \mu$
 $Y \sim \nu$

Example: The function

$$f(\mathbb{P}) = \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}} [g(X)]$$

where g is Lipschitz-continuous for the canonical metric on \mathbb{R}^n , is Lipschitz-continuous for the Wasserstein distance.

McKean SDE: Regularizing the SDE

- Define the regularized volatility $\sigma^\epsilon(t, K)$ by:

$$\sigma^\epsilon(t, K)^2 \equiv \left(\sigma_{\text{Dupire}}^2 - 2 \frac{\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}_t}[\lambda_t f^\epsilon(K, S_t)]}{K^2 \partial_K^2 C_{\text{mkt}}} \right) \mathbf{1}_{\left(\sigma_{\text{Dupire}}^2 - 2 \frac{\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}_t}[\lambda_t f^\epsilon(K, S_t)]}{K^2 \partial_K^2 C_{\text{mkt}}} \right) > \eta} + \eta \mathbf{1}_{\left(\sigma_{\text{Dupire}}^2 - 2 \frac{\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}_t}[\lambda_t f^\epsilon(K, S_t)]}{K^2 \partial_K^2 C_{\text{mkt}}} \right) \leq \eta}$$

where $\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} f^\epsilon(K, S) = (K - J(S)S)(1_{S > K} - 1_{J(S)S > K})$,
 $\eta < (1 - \alpha)/2$.

Proposition 2

Let us define

$$\frac{dS_t^\epsilon}{S_t^\epsilon} = \sigma^\epsilon(t, S_t^\epsilon) dW_t + (J(S_t^\epsilon) - 1)(dN_t - \lambda_t dt)$$

Then this non-linear SDE admits a unique solution S_t^ϵ .

Assumptions

- There exists $\alpha < 1$:

$$\lambda_{\max} \leq \alpha \frac{\partial_t C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)}{\mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}_t^{\text{mkt}}} [(K - J(S_t)S_t) (1_{S_t > K} - 1_{J(S_t)S_t > K})]}, \quad \forall (t, K)$$

- The function J is bounded from below by J_{\min} and there exists $S_{\min} < S_{\max}$ such that:

$$\forall S \in [0, S_{\min}] \cup [S_{\max}, \infty) : \quad J(S) = 1.$$

Main theorem

Theorem 3

For all $(t, K) \in [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}_+$:

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \mathbb{E}[(S_t^\epsilon - K)^+] = C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K).$$

Proof in two steps:

- (i) $u_\epsilon(t, K) = \mathbb{E}[(S_t^\epsilon - K)^+] - C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)$ solves the right PDE family (E_ϵ)
- (ii) (E_ϵ) admits only one solution that tends to 0 as $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$.

Proof: Step 1

Define (E_ϵ) :

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t u_\epsilon(t, K) &= \frac{K^2}{2} \sigma^\epsilon(t, K)^2 \partial_K^2 u_\epsilon + \left(\eta K^2 \partial_K^2 C^{\text{mkt}} - h(u_\epsilon)(t, K) \right)_+ + g_\epsilon(t, K) \\ u_\epsilon(0, K) &= 0, \quad \forall K \in \mathbb{R}_+\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}g_\epsilon(t, K) &\equiv \mathbb{E} \left[\lambda_t \left((K - J(S_t^\epsilon) S_t^\epsilon) \left(1_{S_t^\epsilon > K} - 1_{J(S_t^\epsilon) S_t^\epsilon > K} \right) - f^\epsilon(K, S_t^\epsilon) \right) \right] \\ h(u_\epsilon)(t, K) &\equiv \partial_t C^{\text{mkt}} - \mathbb{E}^{\mathbb{P}^{\text{mkt}}}_t [\lambda_\epsilon(t, S_t) f^\epsilon(K, S_t)] \\ &\quad - \int \lambda_\epsilon(t, s) f^\epsilon(K, s) \partial_s^2 u_\epsilon(t, s) ds, \\ \lambda_\epsilon(t, s) &\equiv \mathbb{E}[\lambda_t | S_t^\epsilon = s]\end{aligned}$$

Proof: Step 2

Lemma 4

There exists a solution $u_\epsilon \in C^{1,2}$ (where u_ϵ and its first derivative $K\partial_K u_\epsilon$ cancel at infinity and 0) to PDE (2) for ϵ small enough and such that:

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} u_\epsilon(t, K) = 0, \quad \forall (t, K) \in [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}_+.$$

This solution satisfies the PDE:

$$\partial_t v_\epsilon = \frac{K^2}{2} \sigma^\epsilon(t, K)^2 \partial_K^2 v_\epsilon + g_\epsilon(t, K), \quad v_\epsilon(0, K) = 0, \forall K.$$

Particle method: MC simulation

- Replace the law \mathbb{P}_t by $\mathbb{P}_t^N = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \delta_{X_t^{i,N}}$, where the particles $(X_t^{i,N})_{1 \leq i \leq N}$ are solutions of the $(\mathbb{R}^n)^N$ -dimensional SDE:

$$\begin{aligned} dX_t^{i,N} &= b(t, X_{t-}^{i,N}, \mathbb{P}_t^N) dt + \sigma(t, X_{t-}^{i,N}, \mathbb{P}_t^N) dW_t^i \\ &+ a(t, X_{t-}^{i,N}, \mathbb{P}_t^N) (dN_t^i - \lambda_t^i dt), \quad X_0^{i,N} \in \mathbb{R}^n. \end{aligned}$$

- Prove that for all functions $\phi \in C_b(\mathbb{R}^n)$:

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \phi(X_t^{i,N}) \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \phi(x) p(t, x) dx, \quad a.s$$

- We prove instead the L^1 convergence using the propagation of chaos.

Numerical computations

Consider N independent particles with coordinates $(S^i, \lambda^i, N^i)_{i=1, \dots, N}$ following

$$\frac{dS_t^i}{S_t^i} = \sigma(t, S_t^i) dW_t^i + (J - 1) (dN_t^i - \lambda_t^i dt)$$

Algorithm Divide the interval $[0, T]$ into intervals of size Δ .

- 1 $t := 0$, set $\sigma(t, S) = \sigma_{\text{Dupire}}(t, S)$ between 0 and Δ and diffuse the N particles up to Δ - say with an Euler discretization scheme.
- 2 Compute $\Lambda(\Delta, K)$ using Monte Carlo:

$$\Lambda(\Delta, K) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_{\Delta}^i (K - JS_{\Delta}^i) (1_{S_{\Delta}^i > K} - 1_{S_{\Delta}^i J(S_{\Delta}^i) > K})$$

Then, compute the local volatility $\sigma(\Delta, S)$ for all S using Equation (1), and set $\sigma(t, S) = \sigma(\Delta, S)$ for all $t \in [\Delta, 2\Delta]$.

- 3 Iterate up to a maturity T .

Numerical implementation: $\rho = 0$

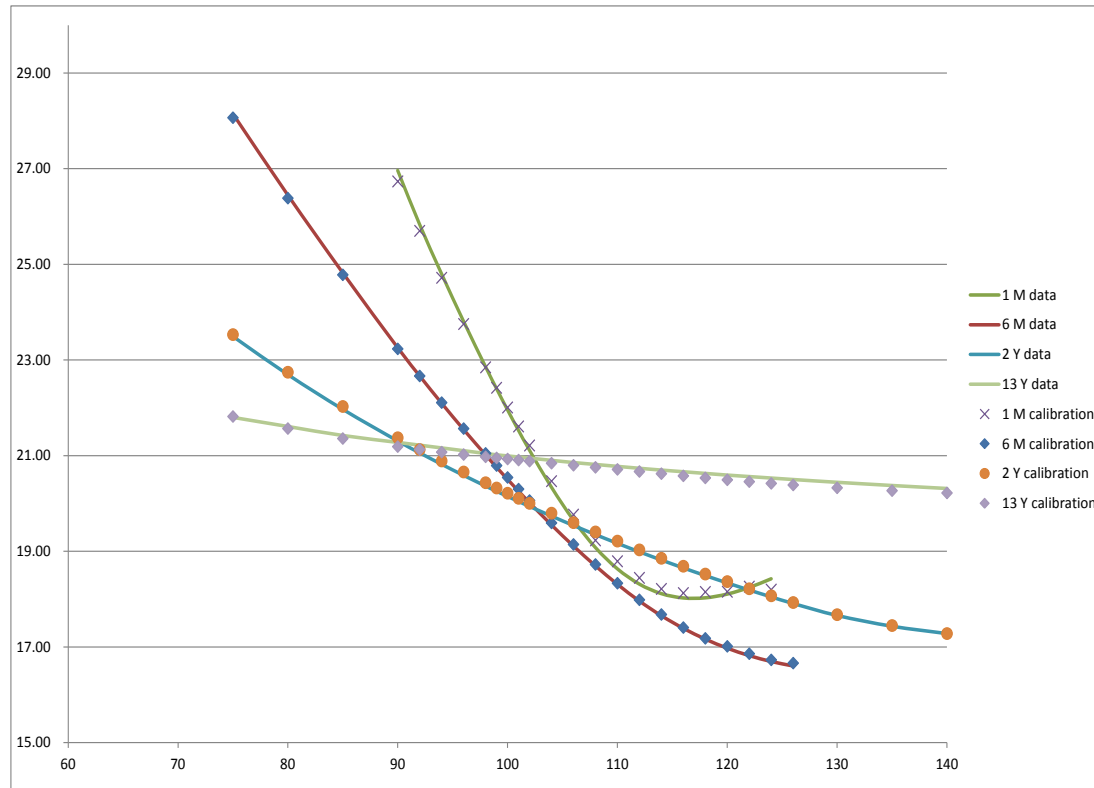


Figure: Calibrated implied volatilities compared to implied volatilities (DAX, 5-May-2015), $J = 0.9$, $\sigma = 100\%$, $\rho = 0$. We used 5000 particles to compute the local volatility, 40000 simulations to reprice vanillas.

Numerical implementation: $\rho = 0.4$

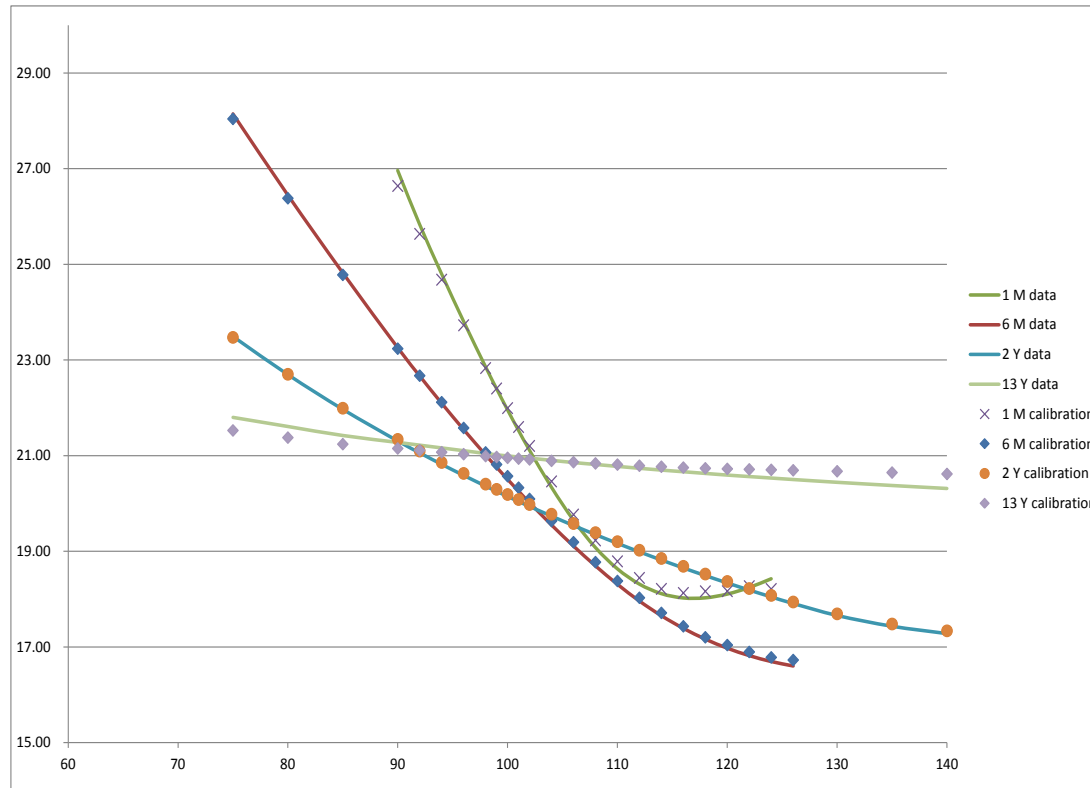


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Numerical implementation: $\rho = -0.4$

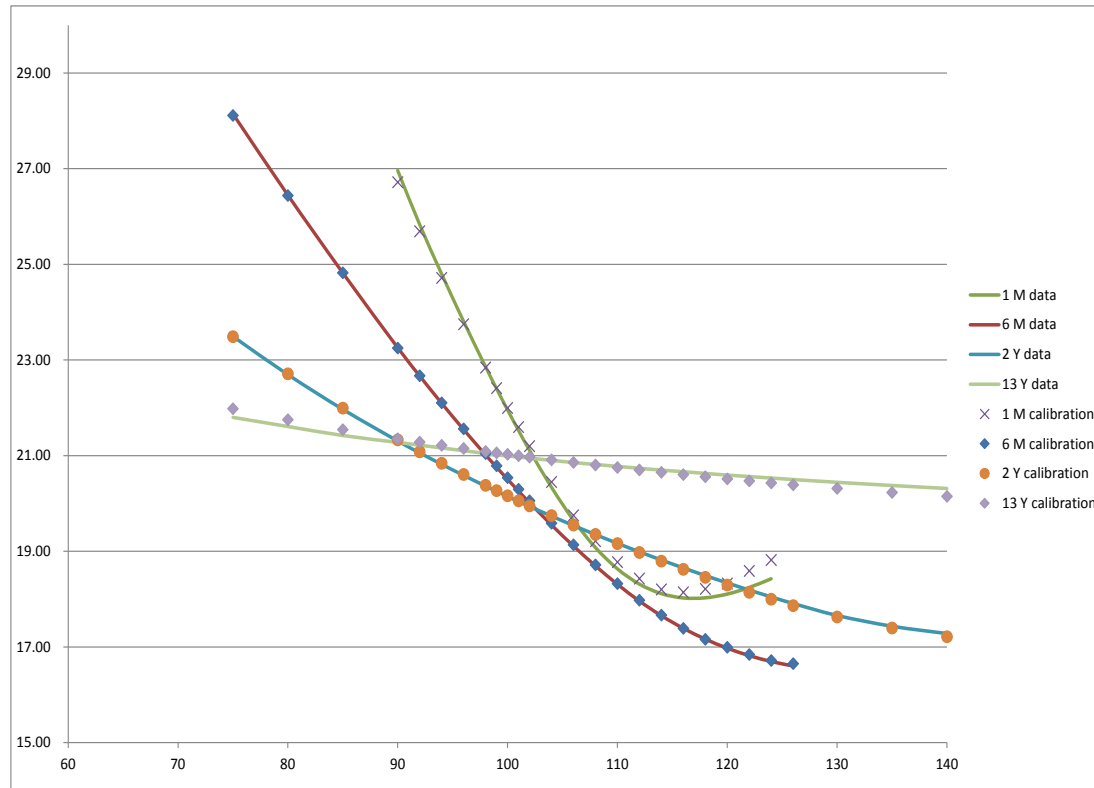


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Regime-switching model

SDE:

$$\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \sigma_1(t, S_t) dW_t + (J - 1)(dN_t - \lambda_t dt), \quad \forall t \leq \tau$$

$$\frac{dS_t}{S_t} = \sigma_2(t, S_t) dW_t, \quad \forall t > \tau$$

where τ is the first time to default of a Poisson process $(N_t)_{t \geq 0}$.

Calibration condition

Setting $\sigma_2(t, K) = J_S(t, K)\sigma_1(t, K)$,

Proposition 5

$S_t \sim \mathbb{P}_t^{\text{mkt}}$ for all $t \leq T$ if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_1(t, K)^2 &= \frac{\sigma_{\text{Dupire}}(t, K)^2}{1 + (J_S(t, K)^2 - 1)P_2(t, K)} \\ &+ 2 \frac{(J - 1)(\Lambda(t, K) - K\partial_K\Lambda(t, K))}{\partial_{KK}C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)(1 + (J_S(t, K)^2 - 1)P_2(t, K))} \\ &- 2 \frac{J\Lambda(t, \frac{K}{J}) - \Lambda(t, K)}{\partial_{KK}C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)(1 + (J_S(t, K)^2 - 1)P_2(t, K))} \end{aligned}$$

where: $P_2(t, K) := \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{1}_{\tau < t} | S_t = K]$ and

$\Lambda(t, K) := \mathbb{E}[\lambda_t \mathbf{1}_{\tau > t} (S_t - K)_+]$.

Some simplifications

- A conditioning argument:

$$\Lambda(t, K) = \mathbb{E}[\lambda_t \mathbf{e}^{-\int_0^t \lambda_s ds} (S_t^1 - K)_+],$$
$$P_2(t, K) = 1 - \frac{\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{e}^{-\int_0^t \lambda_s ds} \delta(S_t^1 - K)]}{\partial_{KK} C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)},$$

where the process S_t^1 satisfies the SDE:

$$\frac{dS_t^1}{S_t^1} = \sigma_1(t, S_t) dW_t - (J - 1)\lambda_t dt, \quad S_0^1 = S_0.$$

- The regularized process $S_t^{1,\epsilon}$ (obtained by regularizing $\delta(S_t^1 - K)$ and $(S_t^1 - K)_+$) exists.

Numerical computations

- **Algorithm** Divide the interval $[0, T]$ into intervals of size Δ .
 - $t := 0$, set $\sigma(t, S) = \sigma_{\text{Dupire}}(t, S)$ between 0 and Δ and diffuse the N particles up to Δ .
 - Compute $\Lambda(\Delta, K)$ using Monte Carlo by:

$$\Lambda(t, K) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_t^i e^{-\int_0^t \lambda_s^i ds} (S_t^{i,1} - K)_+$$

and

$$P_2(t, K) = 1 - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N e^{-\int_0^t \lambda_s^i ds} \delta_{t,N}(S_t^{i,1} - K)}{N \partial_{KK} C^{\text{mkt}}(t, K)}$$

Then, compute the local volatility $\sigma(\Delta, S)$ for all S using Equation (2), and set $\sigma(t, S) = \sigma(\Delta, S)$ for all $t \in [\Delta, 2\Delta]$.

- Iterate up to maturity T .
- Take $\delta_{t,N}(x) = \frac{1}{h_{t,N}} K\left(\frac{x}{h_{t,N}}\right)$, the kernel
$$K(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp(-x^2/2), \quad h_{t,N} = \kappa S_0 \sigma_0 \sqrt{\max(t, t_{\min})} N^{-1/5}$$
($\kappa = 1.5$, $t_{\min} = 1/4$, and $\sigma_0 = 20\%$).

Numerical implementation: $\rho = 0$

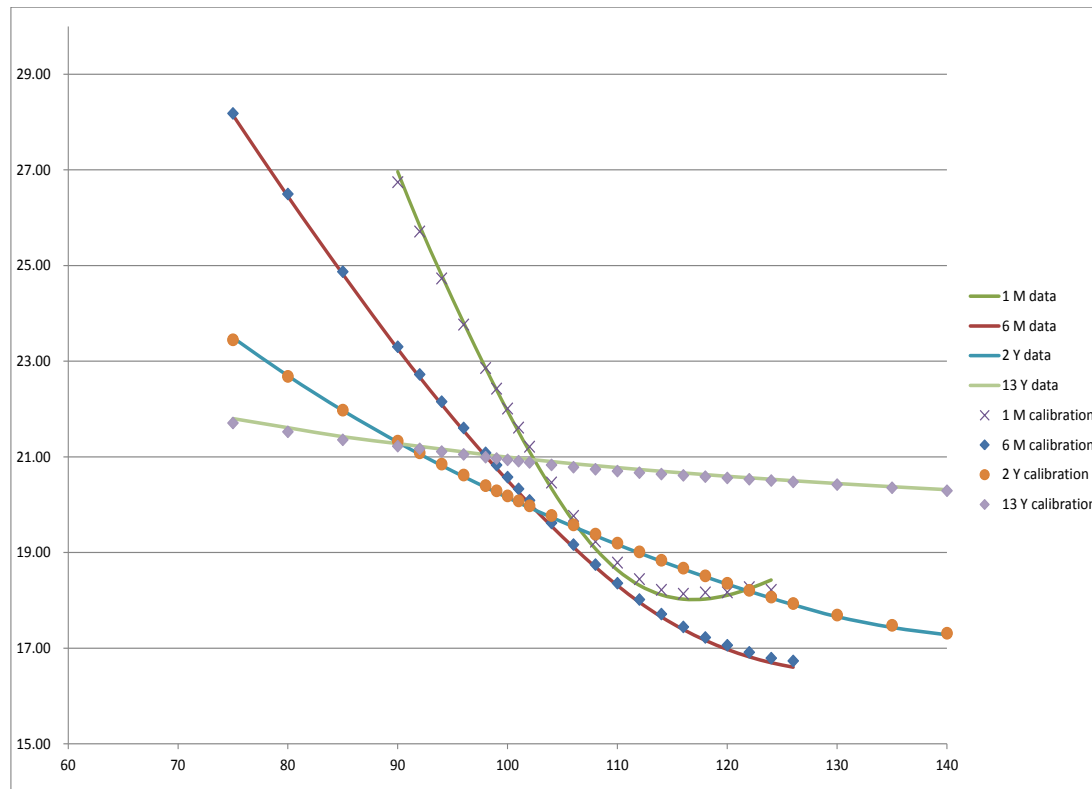


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Numerical implementation: $\rho = 0.4$

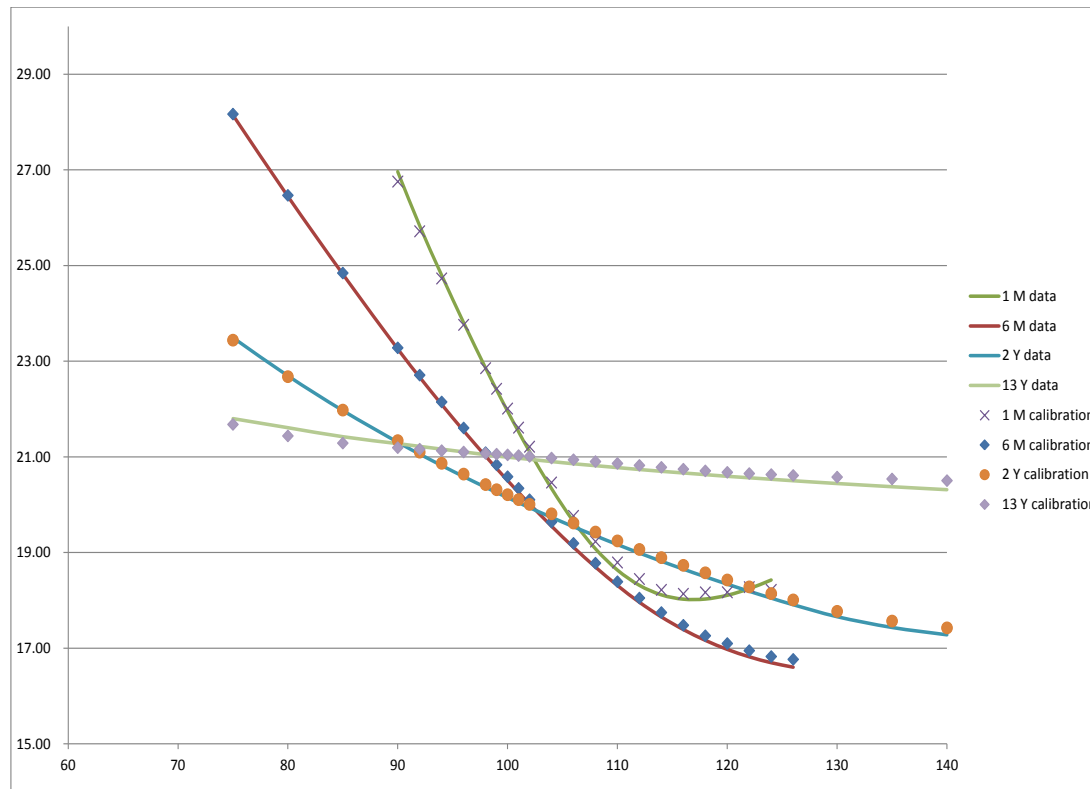


Figure: Calibrated implied volatilities in regime switching model compared to implied volatilities (DAX, 5-May-2015), $J = 0.9$, $J_S = 1.2$, $\sigma = 100\%$, $\rho = 0.4$. We used 10000 particles, 40000 simulations.

Numerical implementation: $\rho = -0.4$

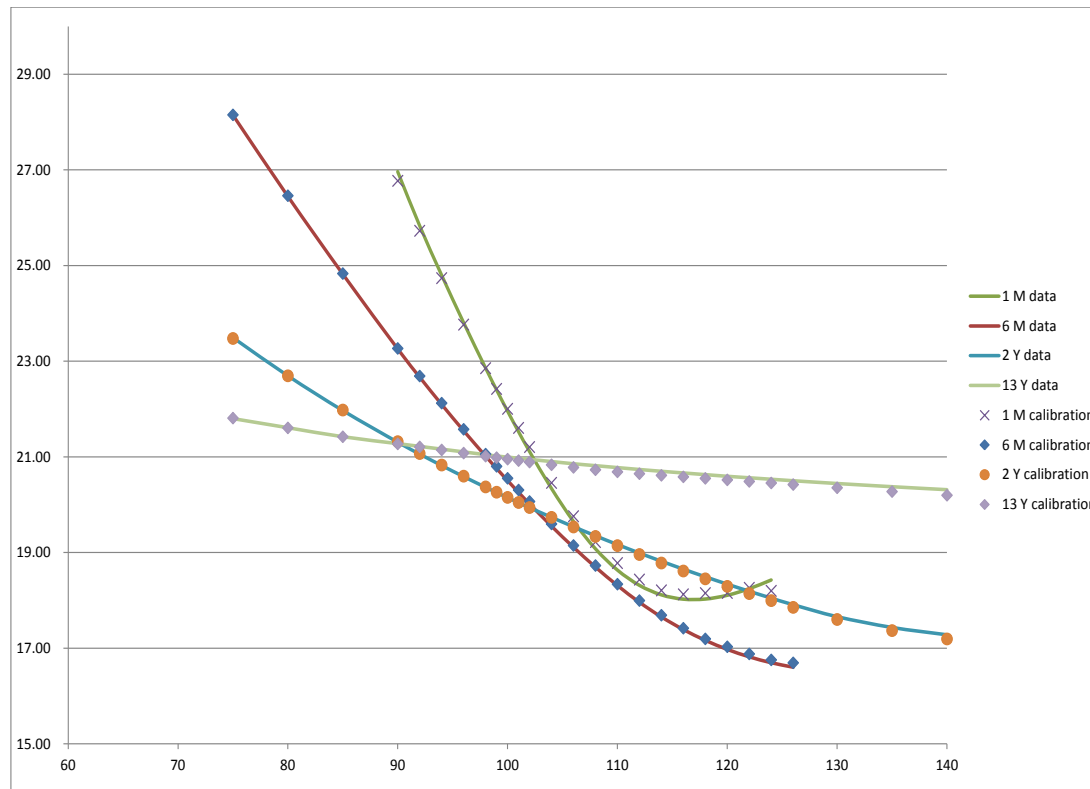


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