Stochastic Calculus and Finance Übungen Teil 2

Problem 3

Suppose the monthly price evolution of Stock *S* is given by $\Delta S_n = S_{n-1}\rho_n$, n = 1, 2, ..., where returns ρ_n are i.i.d. with values 0.2 and -0.1 with probabilities 0.4 and 0.6. Given $S_0 = \$300$, find the predicted mean price of *S* for next 3 months.

Problem 4

Consider a single-period (B, S)-market with $B_0 = 1$, $S_0 = 10$, r = 0,2 and

$$S_1(\omega_1) = 6$$
, $S_1(\omega_2) = 12$, $S_1(\omega_3) = 18$

Find risk-neutral probability P^* .

Problem 5

An investor buys two European put options with strike price \$40 and one European call option with strike price \$50 on the same stock S with the same expiry date N. The total price of these options is \$10. Write down the gain-loss function and discuss the possible outcomes.