

General theory for Market
w/ 2 securities.

$\Omega \equiv$ space of outcomes.

$K_i, i=1,2$; $K_i \in (-1, \infty)$.

$$\because \frac{S_i(\omega) - S_i(0)}{S_i(0)} \geq \frac{0 - S_i(0)}{S_i(0)} \geq -1.$$

Given $\{w : w_1 + w_2 = 1\}$.

$$K_V = w_1 K_1 + w_2 K_2 = \underline{w^T K} = (w_1 \quad w_2) \begin{pmatrix} K_1 \\ K_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

~~Defn~~ Defn $\left. \begin{array}{l} \mu_i = \mathbb{E} K_i \\ C_i = \text{Var}(K_i) \\ C_{12} = \text{cov}(K_1, K_2) \end{array} \right\} i=1,2$

$$\mu = \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} C_1 & C_{12} \\ C_{12} & C_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mu_V = \mathbb{E} K_V = \mu^T \begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{pmatrix}; \quad \sigma_V^2 = w^T \Sigma w$$

$$\mu_V = w_1 \mu_1 + w_2 \mu_2$$

$$\sigma_V^2 = w_1^2 \sigma_1^2 + 2w_1 w_2 c_{12} + w_2^2 \sigma_2^2$$

$$w_1 = s \quad ; \quad w_2 = 1-s$$

$$\mu_V = s\mu_1 + (1-s)\mu_2 = \mu_2 + s(\mu_1 - \mu_2)$$

$$\sigma_V^2 = s^2 \sigma_1^2 + (1-s)^2 \sigma_2^2 + 2s(1-s)c_{12}$$

Let us find the portfolio w/ min variance.

$$0 = \frac{d(\sigma_V^2)}{ds} = 2s\sigma_1^2 - 2(1-s)\sigma_2^2 + 2(1-s)c_{12} - 2sc_{12}$$

$$s(\sigma_2^2 + \sigma_1^2 - 2c_{12}) = \sigma_2^2 - c_{12}$$

w which minimizes σ_V^2 is

$$W_0 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sigma_2^2 - c_{12}}{\sigma_2^2 + \sigma_1^2 - 2c_{12}} \\ \frac{\sigma_1^2 - c_{12}}{\sigma_2^2 + \sigma_1^2 - 2c_{12}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ 1-s \end{pmatrix}$$

But notice if $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2 = c_{12}$

$$\sigma_v^2 = \left\{ s^2 + (1-s)^2 + 2s(1-s) \right\} \sigma_1^2 = \sigma_1^2 = c_{12}.$$

We know graph of (σ_v, μ_v) is of form of hyperbola,
 but how do (μ_i, σ_i) fit in?

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Consider these as antitypal examples.

$\rho_{12} = 1$

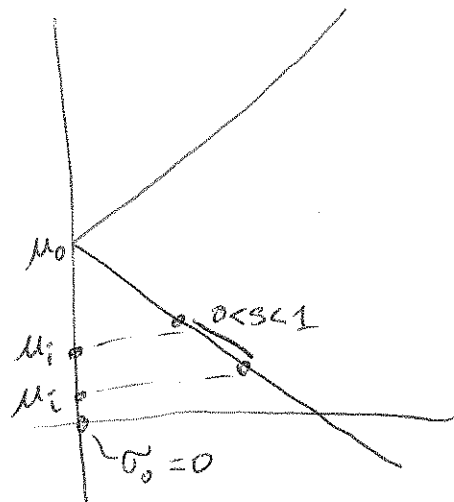
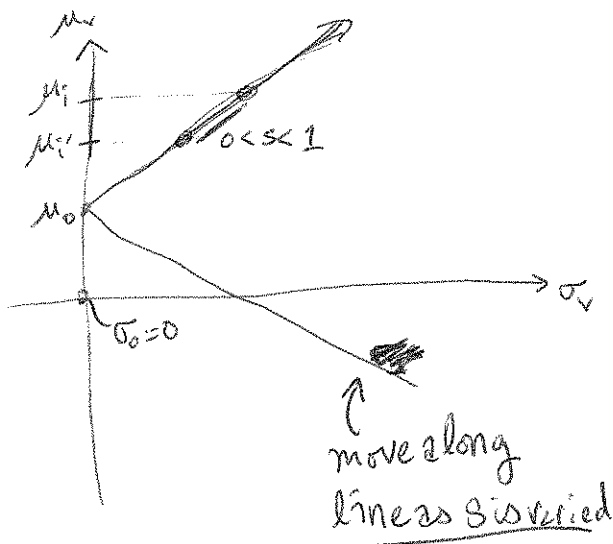
$$S_0 = \frac{\sigma_2^2 - \sigma_1 \sigma_2}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2\sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_2 - \sigma_1}$$

if $\sigma_2 > \sigma_1 : S_0 > 1$
 $\sigma_1 > \sigma_2 : S_0 < 0$

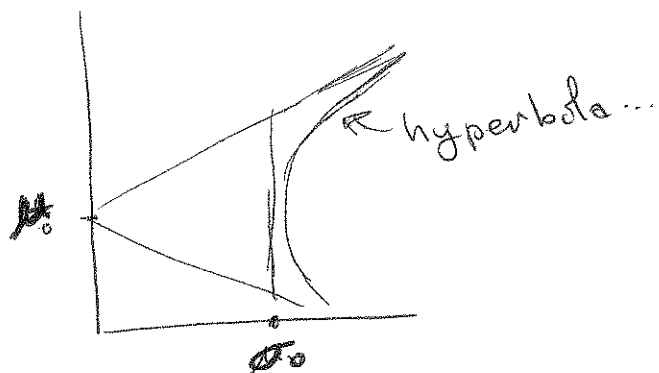
~~$c_{12} = \sigma_1 \sigma_2$~~

$$\therefore \mu_0 = S_0 \mu_1 + (1 - S_0) \mu_2 \Rightarrow \mu_0 < \mu_1 \wedge \mu_2 \text{ or } \mu_0 > \mu_1 \wedge \mu_2$$

$$\sigma_0^2 = \frac{\sigma_1^2 \sigma_2^2 - c_{12}^2}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2\sigma_1 \sigma_2} = 0$$



We know graphs of form



but we haven't said where (μ_1, σ_1) are w/r/t σ_0, μ_0 .

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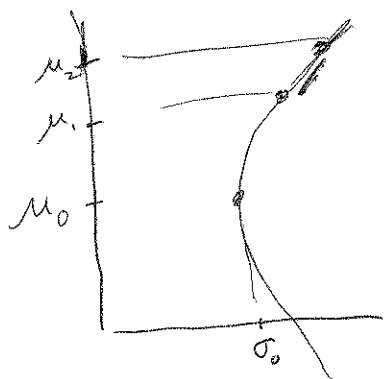
Let us consider this as the archtypal examples.

then

$$\rho_{12} = 1 : \beta_0 = \frac{\sigma_2^2 - \sigma_1 \sigma_2}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2\sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_2 - \sigma_1} \quad \text{if } \begin{cases} \sigma_2 > \sigma_1 \rightarrow \beta_0 > 1 \\ \sigma_2 < \sigma_1 \rightarrow \beta_0 < 0 \end{cases}$$

ie ~~μ_2~~ $\xrightarrow{\rho_{12}=1} \mu_0 = \beta_0 \mu_1 + (1 - \beta_0) \mu_2$

~~$\mu_0 < \mu_1 \wedge \mu_2$~~ or $\mu_0 \rightarrow \mu_1 \vee \mu_2$



Minimum Variance Portfolio: Risk + return.

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_v^2(w_0) &= w_0^T \Sigma w_0 = \\ &= \frac{(\sigma_1^2 - c_{12})^2 \sigma_1^2 + (\sigma_2^2 - c_{12})^2 \sigma_2^2 + 2(\sigma_1^2 - c_{12})(\sigma_2^2 - c_{12})c_{12}}{(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12})^2} \\ &= \frac{\sigma_1^2 \sigma_2^2 - c_{12}^2}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12}} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{line(2,2)} \\ \text{in error} \end{array} \right) \end{aligned}$$

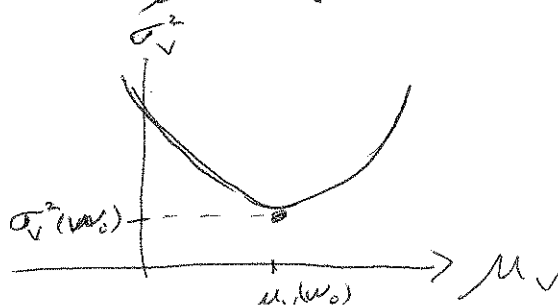
$$\mu_v(w_0) = \frac{\mu_1 \sigma_2^2 + \mu_2 \sigma_1^2 - (\mu_1 + \mu_2) c_{12}}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12}}$$

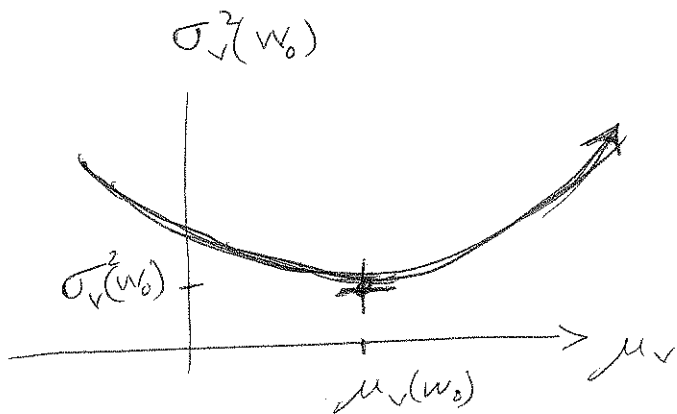
Notice $\sigma_v^2(s)$ is a parabola in terms of s .

but $\mu_v(s) = \mu_2 + s(\mu_1 - \mu_2)$

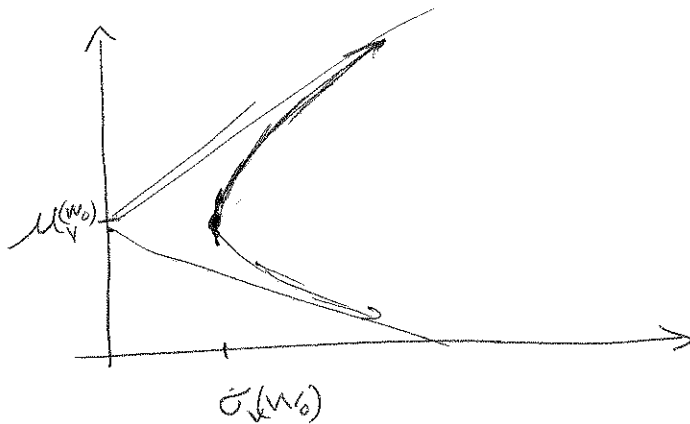
$$\hookrightarrow \sigma_v^2(s) = \sigma_v^2 \left(\frac{\mu_v - \mu_2}{\mu_1 - \mu_2} \right) = \tilde{\sigma}_v^2(\mu_v)$$

$\therefore \tilde{\sigma}_v^2$ is parabola in terms of μ_v





take $\sqrt{\quad}$ invert axes. $\sqrt{\text{parabola}} = \text{hyperbola}$.



$$\sigma_v^2 = \frac{(\mu_v - \mu_2)^2 \sigma_1^2 + (\mu_v - \mu_1)^2 \sigma_2^2 + 2(\mu_v - \mu_1)(\mu_v - \mu_2)c_{12}}{(\mu_1 - \mu_2)^2}$$

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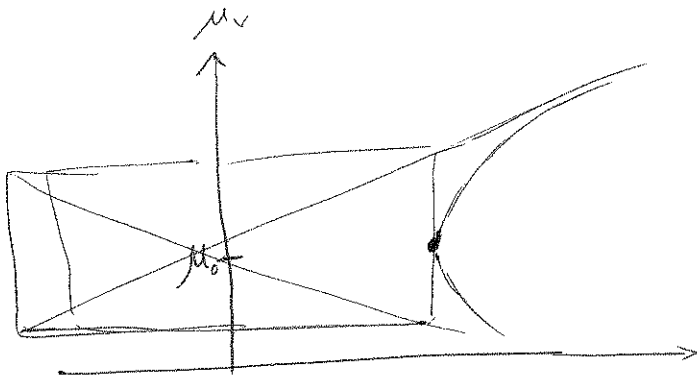
$$\mu_0 = \mu_v(w_0); \quad \sigma_0^2 = \sigma_v^2(w_0)$$

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$$\sigma_v^2 - A^2(\mu_v - \mu_0)^2 = \sigma_0^2$$

$$A^2 = \frac{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12}}{(\mu_1 - \mu_2)^2} > 0.$$

Recall graph of hyperbola $\sigma_v^2 - A^2 (\mu_v - \mu_0)^2 = \sigma_0^2$



large σ_v & μ_v

$$\sigma_v^2 = \sigma_0^2 + A^2 (\mu_v - \mu_0)^2$$

$$1 = \frac{\sigma_0^2}{\sigma_v^2} + \left(A \left(\frac{\mu_v}{\sigma_v} - \frac{\mu_0}{\sigma_v} \right) \right)^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 1 \sim 0 + \left(A \left(\frac{\mu_v}{\sigma_v} - 0 \right) \right)^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{\sigma_v}{\mu_v} \right| \sim A$$

Asymptotes

$$\mu_v = \pm \frac{1}{A} \sigma_v + \mu_0$$

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In the simplest case $|\rho_{12}| = \left| \frac{c_{12}}{\sigma_1 \sigma_2} \right| = 1$

(In this case $\det(\Sigma) = 0 \Rightarrow$ it is not major importance
but it is 'archtypal' example
we can learn from)

If $|\rho_{12}| = 1 \Rightarrow K_1 = t K_2 + P.$

$\sigma_1^2 = t^2 \sigma_2^2$ ~~_____~~

~~_____~~ $c_{12} = t \sigma_2^2$

plug into formula for μ_0, σ_0

$$\sigma_0 = \frac{\sigma_2^2 - t \sigma_2^2}{t^2 \sigma_2^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2t \sigma_2^2} = \frac{1-t}{(1-t)^2} = \frac{1}{1-t}$$

$$\sigma_0^2 = \frac{t^2 \sigma_2^4 - t^2 \sigma_2^4}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12}} = 0$$

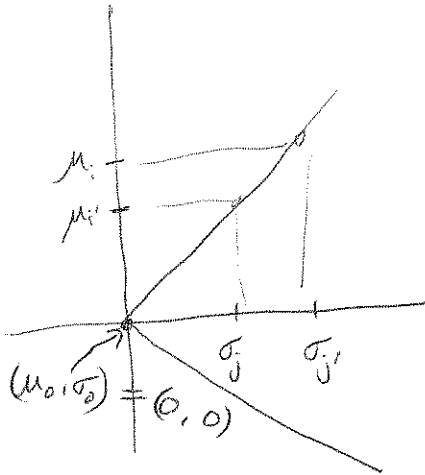
$$\mu_1 = t \mu_2 + P$$

$$\mu_0 = \frac{\mu_1 \sigma_2^2 + t \mu_2 \sigma_2^2 - (\mu_1 + \mu_2) t \sigma_2^2}{t^2 \sigma_2^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2t \sigma_2^2} = \frac{P}{1-t}$$

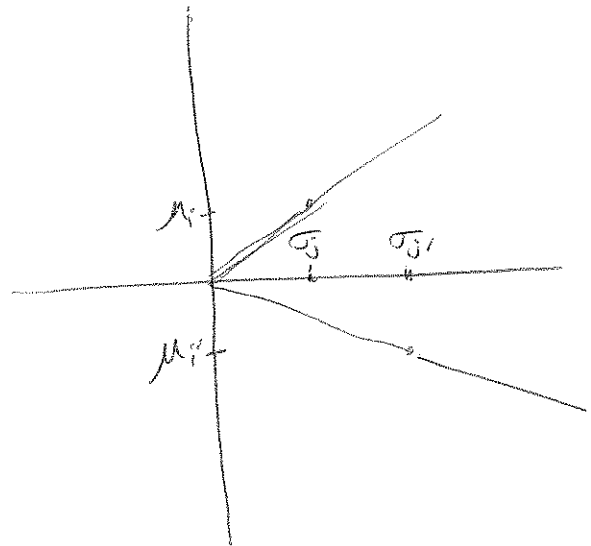
∴ $t > 0 \Rightarrow \rho_{12} = 1 \Rightarrow S_0 = \begin{cases} = \frac{1}{1-t} > 1 & \text{if } 0 < t < 1 \\ = \frac{1}{1-t} < 0 & \text{if } 1 < t \end{cases}$

$t < 0 \Rightarrow \rho_{12} = -1 \Rightarrow S_0 = \frac{1}{1-t} \in (0, 1)$

∴ ① $p=0$



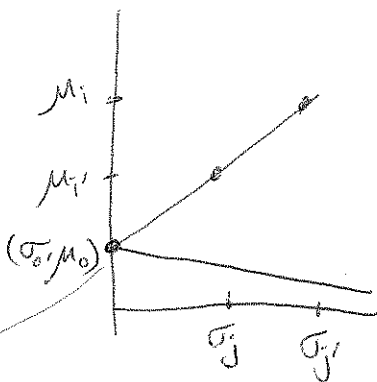
$t > 0$



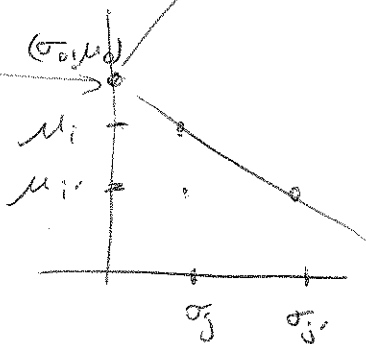
$t < 0$

$\therefore @ p \neq 0$

$t > 0$



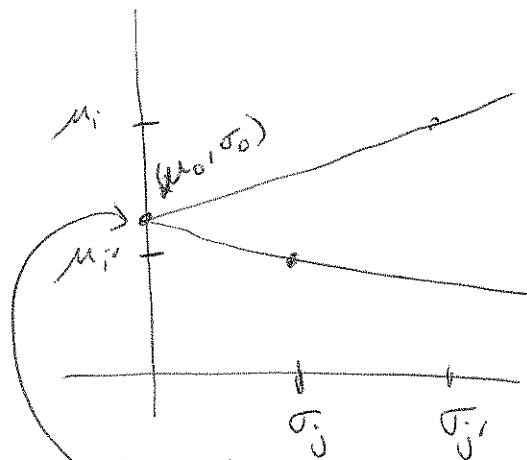
or ~~outside because~~



outside because

$s_0 < 0$ or $s_0 > 1$

$t < 0$



inside because $0 < s_0 < 1$.

But notice if $K_1 = tK_2 + p$

then ~~the portfolio~~ is risk free w/ return p

$$S_3 = S_1 - tS_2$$

So it is not necessary to consider S_1 + S_2 as separate stocks.

Eg illustrates diff between

$\rho_{12} \sim 1$ MVP req short sell

$\rho_{12} \sim \underline{1}$ MVP does not req short sell

where is bdry?

$0 < S_0 < 1$ ← MVP w/o short sell.

$$S_0 = \frac{\sigma_2^2 - c_{12}}{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12}}$$

$$S_0 < 1$$

$$S_0 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_2^2 - c_{12} < \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 - 2c_{12}$$

$$\sigma_2^2 - c_{12} > 0$$

$$c_{12} < \sigma_1^2$$

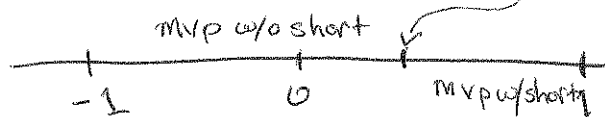
$$c_{12} < \sigma_2^2$$

$$\rho_{12} < \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2}$$

$$\rho_{12} < \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_1}$$

∴ MVP w/ short sell is possible iff

$$\rho_{12} < \underbrace{\frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_1} \wedge \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2}} = \rho^c$$



Suppose

$$\sigma_1^2 = 1/2 \quad \sigma_2^2 = 1/4 \quad c_{12} = 1/8.$$

$$\rho_{12} = \frac{1/8}{\sqrt{1/2} \sqrt{1/4}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

$$\rho^c = \frac{1/4}{1/2} = 1/2$$

$\therefore \rho_{12} < \rho^c \Rightarrow$ does not require short sell

$$S_0 = \frac{1/2 - 1/8}{1/2 + 1/4 - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{8}} = \frac{3/8}{1/2} = 3/4 \in (0, 1).$$

$$\sigma_1^2 = 1/3 \quad \sigma_2^2 = 1/9 \quad c_{12} = 1/6$$

$$\rho_{12} = \frac{1/6}{\sqrt{1/3} \sqrt{1/9}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\rho^c = \frac{1/9}{1/3} = 1/3$$

$\rho_{12} > \rho^c \Rightarrow$ require short sell.

indeed

$$S_0 = \frac{1/9 - 1/6}{1/9 + 1/3 - 2 \cdot 1/6} = \frac{2-3}{2+6-6} = -\frac{1}{2} < 0$$