

## Help

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    te.net>          */
/*
    */
/* Pricing American options using Malliavin calculus and
    non-parametric */
/* variance reduction methods based on conditionning and a
    judicious      */
/* choice of the number of paths used for the approximatio
    n of the      */
/* numerator and the denominator that intervene in the cond
    itional      */
/* expectation (the continuation).
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/* This method does not use any other variance reduction
    method except */
/* the ones described in:
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/* American Options Based on Malliavin Calculus and Nonpara
    metric      */
/* Variance Reduction Methods, Lokman Abbas-Turki and Bern
    ard Lapeyre, */
/* preprint on arXiv.org.
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/* In this version of the program, the author provides only
    the pricing */
/* method for the multidimensional non-correlated Black &
    Scholes model.*/
/* As mentioned in the paper above, we do not use controle
    variate for */
/* the variance reduction.
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#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <math.h>

#include "bsnd_stdnd.h"
#include "black.h"
#include "optype.h"
#include "enums.h"
#include "pnl/pnl_random.h"
#include "pnl/pnl_matrix.h"
#include "pnl/pnl_cdf.h"
#include "pnl/pnl_vector.h"

#if defined(PremiaCurrentVersion) && PremiaCurrentVersion <
    (2012+2) //The "#else" part of the code will be freely available after the (year of creation of this file + 2)
static int CHK_OPT(MC_MalliavinAmer)(void *Opt, void *Mod)
{
    return NONACTIVE;
}
int CALC(MC_MalliavinAmer)(void *Opt, void *Mod, Pricing
    Method *Met)
{
    return AVAILABLE_IN_FULL_PREMIA;
}
#else

static double **X,**W;
static double **Denom1D, *Denom, **Denom1DVar, *DenomVar;
static double *TP, *TPE, *TPS, *TR;
static double **WLoc;
static double *Dpath,*Npath;

////////////////////////////////////
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// Memory allocation of the computation parameters

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void memory_allocation(int Ntraj, int Dim)
{
    int i;

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    ///////////////////////////////////
    // The computation parameters
    ///////////////////////////////////
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    Denom1D=(double **)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double *));
    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        Denom1D[i]=(double *)calloc(Ntraj,sizeof(double));

    Denom1DVar=(double **)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double *));
    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        Denom1DVar[i]=(double *)calloc(Ntraj,sizeof(double));

    Denom=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    DenomVar=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    TP=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    TPE=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    TPS=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    TR=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    WLoc=(double **)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double *));
    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        WLoc[i]=(double *)calloc(Ntraj,sizeof(double));

    Dpath=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

    Npath=(double *)malloc((Ntraj)*sizeof(double));

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X=(double **)calloc(Ntraj,sizeof(double *));
for (i=0;i<Ntraj;i++)
    X[i]=(double *)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double));

W=(double **)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double *));
for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
    W[i]=(double *)calloc(Ntraj,sizeof(double));

}

void free_memory(int Ntraj, int Dim)
{
    int i;

    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        free(Denom1D[i]);
    free(Denom1D);

    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        free(Denom1DVar[i]);
    free(Denom1DVar);

    for (i=0;i<Ntraj;i++)
        free(X[i]);
    free(X);

    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        free(W[i]);
    free(W);

    for (i=0;i<Dim;i++)
        free(WLoc[i]);
    free(WLoc);

    free(Denom);
    free(DenomVar);
    free(TP);
}

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    free(TPE);
    free(TPS);
    free(TR);
    free(Npath);
    free(Dpath);
}

////////////////////////////////////
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// Using uniformly distributed variables and the Brownian
// bridge technique
// this function generates the Brownian motion paths
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////////////////////////////////////
void BrownCMRG(double dt, int stck, int Nindex, int Jindex,
    int Ntraj, int generator)
{
    int i;                      // loop index
    double t = dt*dt;

    for (i = 0; i < Ntraj; i++) {
        if (Nindex-1>=Jindex){
            W[stck][i] = (((double)Jindex/(Jindex+1.0))*W[stck][
            i] +
                        (sqrt((double)Jindex*t/(Jindex+1.0))*pn
            l_rand_normal(generator)));
        }
        else{W[stck][i] = sqrt((double)Nindex*t)*pnl_rand_nor
            mal(generator);
        }
    }
}

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// Actualization of the stock price
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void ActStock(double dt, int Jindex, int stck, double tau,
    int Ntraj,

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        double *ps, double *pd, double *pv, double **
        prho)
{
    int j;
    int i;
    double call;

    for (i = 0; i < Ntraj; i++) {
        // The initial value of the stock
        call = ps[stck];

        // First Pass
        call = call*exp((tau-pd[stck])*dt*dt*((double)Jindex) +

                        pv[stck]*prho[stck][0]*(W[stck][i]-dt*
dt*((double)Jindex)*prho[stck][0]*0.5*pv[stck]));

        if (stck >= 1) {
            for (j = 1; j <= stck ; j++) {
                call = call*exp(prho[stck][j]*pv[stck]*
(W[stck][i]-dt*dt*((double)Jindex)*
prho[stck][j]*0.5*pv[stck]));
            }
        }
        X[i][stck] = call;
    }
}

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////////////////////////////////////
// Compute denominator for Path choice
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void CompD(double dt, int Jindex, int Tindex, int Ntraj,
int Dim, double *pv)
{
    double d2, expd2, expmult;
    int i, stck;
    double jp1dj, jdjp1;
    jp1dj = ((double)Jindex+1.0)/Jindex;
    jdjp1 = (double)Jindex/(Jindex+1.0);

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////////////////////////////////////////////////////  
    ///////////////////////////////////  
// Compute Numerator for Path choice  
//////////////////////////////////////  
    ///////////////////////////////////  
void CompN(int Ntraj)  
{  
    int i;
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    for (i = 0; i < Ntraj; i++) {
        Npath[i] = TR[i]*Dpath[i];
    }
}

////////////////////////////////////
// Compute denominator
////////////////////////////////////
void CompDenom(double dt, int Jindex, int Ntraj, int Dim,
    double *pv)
{
    double call, d2call, expd2;
    int i, stck;
    double dt_sqrt_J;
    double dt2 = dt*dt;

    dt_sqrt_J = dt*sqrt((double)Jindex);

    for (stck = 0; stck < Dim ; stck++) {
        for (i = 0; i < Ntraj; i++) {
            call = (W[stck][i] + pv[stck]*Jindex*dt2)/dt_sqrt_J;

            Denom1D[stck][i] = exp(-0.5*call*call);

            d2call = (W[stck][i] + 2.0*pv[stck]*Jindex*dt2)/dt_sqrt_J;
            expd2 = exp(-0.5*d2call*d2call);
            call = 2*M_PI*(1.0 + (double)Jindex + dt2*Jindex*pv[stck]*pv[stck])*(1.0-cdf_nor(d2call)) +
                sqrt(2*M_PI)*(d2call - 2*dt_sqrt_J*pv[stck])*expd2;
            Denom1DVar[stck][i] = call*exp(pv[stck]*pv[stck]*Jindex*dt2);

            // The value returned in the one-dimensional case
            if (Dim == 1) {
                Denom[i] = Denom1D[0][i];
                DenomVar[i] = Denom1DVar[0][i]-Denom[i]*Denom[i];
            }
        }
    }
}

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    if (Dim > 1) {
        for (i = 0; i < Ntraj; i++) {
            call = Denom1D[0][i];
            d2call = Denom1DVar[0][i];
            for (stck = 1; stck < Dim ; stck++) {
                call = call*Denom1D[stck][i];
                d2call = d2call*Denom1DVar[stck][i];
            }
            Denom[i] = call;
            DenomVar[i] = d2call-Denom[i]*Denom[i];
        }
    }
}

////////////////////////////////////
////////////////////
// Compute Cash-Flow
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void CompCash(double dt, int Jindex, double tau, int Ntraj,
              int Nts)
{
    double output;
    int i;

    for (i = 0; i < Ntraj; i++) {
        if(Jindex==Nts){output = TPE[i];
        }else{
            if(TP[i]*exp(-dt*dt*tau) > TPE[i]){
                if((int)Jindex < (int)Nts-1){output = TR[i]*exp(-dt
*dt*tau);
                }else{output = TPS[i]*exp(-dt*dt*tau);}
            }else{output = TPE[i];}
        }
        TR[i]=output;
    }
}

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////////////////////////////////////
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// Path choice
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void CompLambda(int Tindex, int Ntraj){

    double sumD, sumN, vD, vN, cDN, lambda1, lambda2;
    int l;

    sumN = 0.0;
    vN = 0.0;
    cDN = 0.0;

    for (l = 0; l < Ntraj; l++) {
        sumN += Npath[l];
        vN += Npath[l]*Npath[l];
        cDN += Npath[l]*Dpath[l];
    }

    sumD = Denom[Tindex];
    sumN = sumN/Ntraj;

    vD = DenomVar[Tindex];
    vN = vN/Ntraj - sumN*sumN;
    cDN = cDN/Ntraj - sumD*sumN;

    if(sumN*sumN*vD > sumD*sumD*vN){
        lambda1 = MIN(1,0.5 + (sumD*cDN/(2*sumN*vD)));
        sumD = 0.0;
        sumN = 0.0;
        for (l = 0; l < Ntraj; l++) {
            sumD += Dpath[l];
        }
        for (l = 0; l < Ntraj*lambda1; l++) {
            sumN += Npath[l];
        }

        TP[Tindex]=sumN/(lambda1*sumD);
    }
}

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}else{
    lambda2 = MIN(1,0.5 + (sumN*cDN/(2*sumD*vN)));
    sumD = 0.0;
    sumN = 0.0;
    for (l = 0; l < Ntraj; l++) {
        sumN += Npath[l];
    }
    for (l = 0; l < Ntraj*lambda2; l++) {
        sumD += Dpath[l];
    }

    TP[Tindex]=(lambda2*sumN)/sumD;

}
}

int ImprovedMalliavin(PnlVect *BS_Spot,
                    NumFunc_nd *p,
                    double Maturity,
                    double r,
                    PnlVect *BS_Dividend_Rate,
                    PnlVect *BS_Volatility,
                    double rho,
                    long Ntraj,
                    int generator,
                    int Nb_Exercise_Dates,
                    double *price,double *error)
{
    int Dim = BS_Spot->size;
    // Indices used for trajectories and dimensions
    int kk, ii, jj;
    // Indices needed to compute the sum end the sum square
    double sum, sum2;
    // The square root of the time increment
    double dt = sqrt((double)Maturity/Nb_Exercise_Dates);
    // The correlation matrix
    PnlMat *CorrM;
    // The Cholesky decomposition of the correlation matrix
    double **prho;

    double *pd, *pv, *ps;

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PnlVect VStock;

VStock.size=Dim;
// The model parameters malloc

pd=(double *)malloc((Dim)*sizeof(double));
pv=(double *)malloc((Dim)*sizeof(double));
ps=(double *)malloc((Dim)*sizeof(double));

// From pnlvect to pointer -----
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for (kk = 0; kk < Dim; kk++) {
    pv[kk] = pnl_vect_get (BS_Volatility, kk);
    pd[kk] = pnl_vect_get (BS_Dividend_Rate, kk);
    ps[kk] = pnl_vect_get (BS_Spot, kk);
}

// Create and fill the correlation matrix
CorrM = pnl_mat_create(Dim, Dim);
for(ii = 0; ii < Dim; ii++) {
    for(jj = 0; jj < Dim; jj++) {
        if(ii==jj){pnl_mat_set (CorrM, ii , jj , 1.0);
        }else{pnl_mat_set (CorrM, ii , jj , rho);}
    }
}
pnl_mat_chol (CorrM);

// Malloc and fill the rho matrix with the Cholesky de
composition of M
prho=(double **)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double *));
for (ii=0;ii<Dim;ii++)
    prho[ii]=(double *)calloc(Dim,sizeof(double));
for (ii = 0; ii < Dim; ii++) {
    for (jj = 0; jj <= ii; jj++) {
        prho[ii][jj] = pnl_mat_get (CorrM, ii, jj);
    }
}

// Memory allocation for tables that contains the asset,
denom, num,
// Brownian ... values

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memory_allocation(Ntraj, Dim);
sum = 0.0;
sum2 = 0.0;
for (kk = 0; kk < Dim; kk++){

    BrownCMRG(dt, kk, Nb_Exercise_Dates, Nb_Exercise_Dates,
        Ntraj, generator);
    ActStock(dt, Nb_Exercise_Dates, kk, r, Ntraj, ps, pd,
        pv, prho);
}

for (ii = 0; ii < Ntraj; ii++)
{

    VStock.array=X[ii];
    TPE[ii] = p->Compute(p->Par,&VStock);
    TPS[ii] = TPE[ii];
}

// comparison
CompCash(dt, Nb_Exercise_Dates, r, Ntraj, Nb_Exercise_Da
tes);

// Backward induction
for (jj = Nb_Exercise_Dates-1; jj > 0; jj--){
    // - time step loop

    // Price of the asset
    for (kk = 0; kk < Dim; kk++){
        for (ii = 0; ii < Ntraj; ii++) {
            WLoc[kk][ii] = W[kk][ii];
        }
        BrownCMRG(dt, kk, Nb_Exercise_Dates, jj, Ntraj, generator);
        ActStock(dt, jj, kk, r, Ntraj, ps, pd, pv, prho);
    }

    for (ii = 0; ii < Ntraj; ii++) {
        VStock.array=X[ii];
        TPE[ii]=p->Compute(p->Par,&VStock) ;
    }
}

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    // continuation
    CompDenom(dt,jj,Ntraj,Dim,pv);
    for (ii = 0; ii < Ntraj; ii++) {
        CompD(dt,jj,ii,Ntraj,Dim,pv);
        CompN(Ntraj);
        CompLambda(ii,Ntraj);
    }

    // comparison
    CompCash(dt, jj, r, Ntraj, Nb_Exercice_Dates);

    for (ii = 0; ii < Ntraj; ii++) {
        TPS[ii] = TPE[ii];
    }

}

for (ii = 0; ii < Ntraj; ii++) {
    sum += TR[ii];
    sum2 += TR[ii]*TR[ii];
}

// Compute the price final error
*price = MAX(exp(-r*dt*dt)*(sum/Ntraj),p->Compute(p->Par,
    BS_Spot));
*error = 1.96*sqrt((exp(-2*r*dt*dt)/(Ntraj-1))*(sum2 - (
    sum*sum)/Ntraj))/sqrt(Ntraj);

// Free the memory
free_memory(Ntraj, Dim);
pnl_mat_free(&CorrM);
for (ii=0;ii<Dim;ii++)
    free(prho[ii]);
free(prho);
free(ps);
free(pd);
free(pv);

return OK;

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}
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int CALC(MC_MalliavinAmer)(void *Opt, void *Mod, Pricing
    Method *Met)
{
    TYPEOPT* ptOpt=(TYPEOPT*)Opt;
    TYPEMOD* ptMod=(TYPEMOD*)Mod;
    double r;
    int i, res;
    PnlVect *divid = pnl_vect_create(ptMod->Size.Val.V_PINT);
    PnlVect *spot, *sig;

    spot = pnl_vect_compact_to_pnl_vect (ptMod->S0.Val.V_PNLV
        ECTCOMPACT);
    sig = pnl_vect_compact_to_pnl_vect (ptMod->Sigma.Val.V_PN
        LVECTCOMPACT);
    for(i=0; i<ptMod->Size.Val.V_PINT; i++)
        pnl_vect_set (divid, i,
            log(1.+ pnl_vect_compact_get (ptMod->Div
                id.Val.V_PNLVECTCOMPACT, i)/100.));

    r= log(1.+ptMod->R.Val.V_DOUBLE/100.);
    pnl_rand_init(Met->Par[1].Val.V_ENUM.value, 1, 1);
    res=ImprovedMalliavin(spot,
        ptOpt->PayOff.Val.V_NUMFUNC_ND,
        ptOpt->Maturity.Val.V_DATE-ptMod->
            T.Val.V_DATE,
        r, divid, sig,
        ptMod->Rho.Val.V_DOUBLE,
        Met->Par[0].Val.V_LONG,
        Met->Par[1].Val.V_ENUM.value, Met->
            Par[2].Val.V_INT,
        &(Met->Res[0].Val.V_DOUBLE), &(Met->
            Res[1].Val.V_DOUBLE));

    pnl_vect_free(&divid);
    pnl_vect_free (&spot);
    pnl_vect_free (&sig);
    return res;
}
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static int CHK_OPT(MC_MalliavinAmer)(void *Opt, void *Mod)
{
    Option* ptOpt= (Option*)Opt;
    TYPEOPT* opt= (TYPEOPT*)(ptOpt->TypeOpt);
    if ((opt->EuOrAm).Val.V_BOOL==AMER)
        return OK;
    return WRONG;
}

#endif //PremiaCurrentVersion
static int MET(Init)(PricingMethod *Met,Option *Opt)
{
    if ( Met->init == 0)
    {
        Met->init=1;
        Met->HelpFilenameHint = "mc_longstaffschwatzr_nd";
        Met->Par[0].Val.V_LONG=1000;
        Met->Par[1].Val.V_ENUM.value=0;
        Met->Par[1].Val.V_ENUM.members=&PremiaEnumMCRNGs;
        Met->Par[2].Val.V_INT=10;

    }
    return OK;
}

PricingMethod MET(MC_MalliavinAmer)=
{
    "MC_MalliavinAmer",
    {{ "N iterations",LONG,{100},ALLOW},
      {"RandomGenerator",ENUM,{0},ALLOW},
      {"Number of Exercise Dates",INT,{100},ALLOW},
      {" ",PREMIA_NULLTYPE,{0},FORBID}},
    CALC(MC_MalliavinAmer),
    {{ "Price",DOUBLE,{100},FORBID},
      {"Error",DOUBLE,{100},FORBID},
      {" ",PREMIA_NULLTYPE,{0},FORBID}},
    CHK_OPT(MC_MalliavinAmer),
    CHK_mc,
    MET(Init)
};

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## References