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1 Description

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This family is split in the LookBack family and the Asian family.

1.1 LookBack Options

The payoff is given by:

 $\varphi\left(S_T, M_{T_0,T_1}\right)$, or $\left(S_T, m_{T_0,T_1}\right)$ which is paid at the maturity T where M is the maximum and m the minimum of the underlying over the period $[T_0, T_1]$. Two varieties exist:

- Total LookBack Then M or m are computed over the whole life of the option, ie T_0 and T_1 are irrelevant.
- Partial LookBack

M or m are computed betwen the starting date T_0 and the final date T_1 with $T_1 \leq T$. Note that T_0 may be less than the pricing date or greater than the pricing date (forward-starting case). A partial LookBack may be Continuous or Discrete, in which case the maximum M or the minimum m is taken from a regular sampling of the underlying between T_0 and T_1 , which is specified by the number SamplingDates.

1.2 Asian Options

The payoff is given by: $\varphi(S_T, A_{T_0,T_1})$, which is paid at the maturity T where A is the average of the underlying over the period $[T_0, T_1]$. Two varieties exist:

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- Forward-Starting Asian T_0 is greater or equal to the pricing date.
- Backward-Starting Asian T_0 is less than or equal to the pricing date.

An asian option may be Continuous or Discrete, in which case the average A is taken from a regular sampling of the underlying between T_0 and T_1 , which is specified by the number SamplingDates.

2 Code Implementation

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#ifndef
        _PAD_H
#define _PAD_H
#include "optype.h"
#include "var.h"
#include "chk.h"
#include "numfunc.h"
#define TYPEOPT PAD
/*PathDep Option*/
typedef struct TYPEOPT{
  VAR
                                     Maturity;
  VAR
           PayOff; /* The Payoff is phi(stock,path dep) */
      PathDep; /* The PathDep functional definition:
  VAR
new_path-dep=psi(PathDep->Par,stock,time)
where:
starting date is in PathDep->Par[0],
final_date is in PathDep->Par[1],
frequency is in PathDep->Par[2],
initial_path_dep is in PathDep->Par[3],
current_path_dep is in PathDep->Par[4]
!!!!!WARNING!!!!!
Wether the pathdep is backard/forward
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should be tested in ChkOpt
*/
  VAR
        MinOrElse; /* cf supra*/
  VAR
        EuOrAm;
        PartOrTot; /* Partial or total pathdep:
  VAR
a partial pathdep is specified
by starting_date, final_date*/
        ContOrDisc; /*Continuous or Discrete:
  VAR.
  a discrete pathdep is specified
                                         by frequency (regular sampling) */
  /* /\*Cliquet options*\/
   * VAR Fg;
   * VAR Cg;
   * VAR F1;
   * VAR Cl; */
} TYPEOPT;
/*MinOrElse*/
#define MINIMUM O
#define MAXIMUM 1
#define AVERAGE 2
int OPT(Get)(int user,Planning *pt_plan,Option *opt, Model *mod);
int OPT(FGet)(char **InputFile,int user,Planning *pt_plan,Option *opt, Model *mo
int OPT(Show)(int user,Planning *pt_plan,Option *opt, Model *mod);
int OPT(Check)(int user,Planning *pt_plan,Option *opt);
#endif
```