Let's simulate some Lévy processes :

• Keep in mind that $X_t = log(S_t/S_0)$.

I) Let's start with jump-diffusion:

We simulate here "jump diffusion" processes, which can be written as :

 $X_t = \mu t + \sigma W_t + \sum_{s \in [0,t)} \Delta X_s = \mu t + \sigma W_t + \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} Y_i$, N being a Poisson Process of intensity λ and $(Y_i)_i$ i.i.d random variables.

I-1) Merton Model:

- $Y_i \sim N(\mu_J, \delta_J^2)$
- Defined by $(\sigma, \lambda, \mu_I, \delta_I)$

Process parameters:

```
S0 = 1; % Initial value

mu = 0.05; % Drift (as in GBM)

sigma = 0.4; % Volatility (as in GBM)

lambda = 2; % Poisson intensity/rate

muJ = 0.01; % Jumpsize mean

deltaJ = 0.2; % Jumpsize std
```

Simulation parameters:

```
T = 2; % Maturity
M = 100; % Number of steps in time
dt = T/M; % Time step
```

Conditional simulation of jump times (the easiest way) :

(cf ALGORITHM 6.2 from Simulate_Jump_Diffusion.pdf)

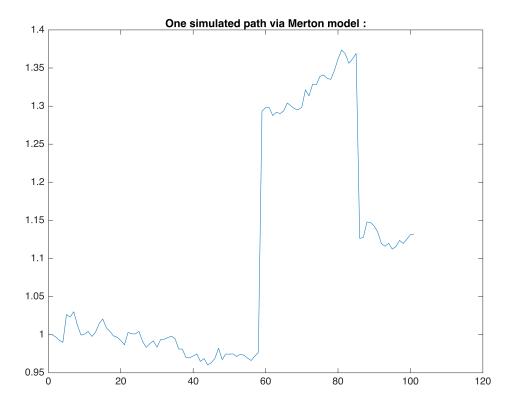
```
X = zeros(M + 1, 1); % X = (X0, X1, ..., XM)
Z = randn(M, 1); % Z = (Z1, Z2, ..., ZM) [BM]

NT = poissrnd(lambda*T); % Nb of jumps in [0,T]

% Conditional to NT, we simulate when jumps occur
% via an Uniform Distribution :
jumpT = sort(rand(1,NT)*T);

% In Merton, jumpSize ~ Normal(muJ, deltaJ^2) :
jumpSize = muJ + deltaJ * randn(NT,1);
for i=1:M
    % Continuous part of the process :
    X(i+1) = X(i) + mu * dt + sigma * dt * Z(i);
    % Jump part :
    for j=1:NT
```

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% Did a jump occur in ](i-1)dt, idt] ?
    if jumpT(j) > (i-1)*dt && jumpT(j) <= i*dt
        X(i+1) = X(i+1) + jumpSize(j);
    end
end
end
figure; % Plot
plot(S0 * exp(X));
title("One simulated path via Merton model :")</pre>
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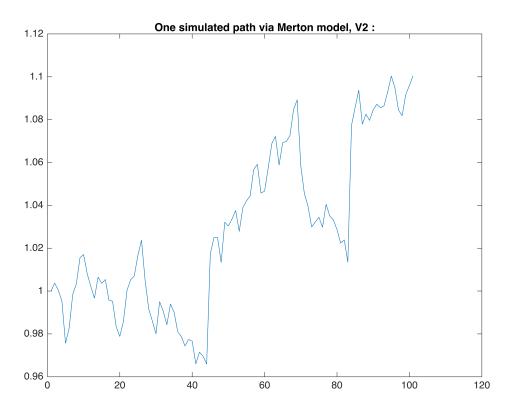
Another simulation of jump times: (cf ALGO 6.1 from Simulate_Jump_Diffusion.pdf) we simulate jumps inside the loop, at each time step.

```
X = zeros(M + 1, 1); % X = (X0, X1, ..., XM)
Z = randn(M, 1); % Z = (Z1, Z2, ..., ZM) [BM]

for i=1:M
    % Continuous part of the process :
    X(i+1) = X(i) + mu * dt + sigma * dt * Z(i);
    % Jump part :
    Ndt = poissrnd(lambda * dt);

if Ndt == 0
    J = 0; % No jump !
    else
    J = sum(muJ + deltaJ * randn(Ndt,1)); % Sum of the jump(s)
    % that happened during this time step.
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end
  X(i+1) = X(i+1) + J; % @ each time step : add the jump(s).
end
figure; % Plot
plot(S0 * exp(X));
title("One simulated path via Merton model, V2 :")
```



I-2) Kou Model:

- Positive jumpsize $\sim exp(\lambda^+)$;
- Negative jumpsize $\sim Exp(\lambda^-)$;