

AsianDiscreteFixedStrike

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1 Monte Carlo Simulation for discretely monitored fixed strike arithmetic average Asian option using multiple variance reduction techniques (antithetic variate/control variate/quasi random number/importance sampling)

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[ ]: # Import dependencies
import time
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from scipy.stats import norm
from scipy.stats import qmc
from scipy.linalg import cholesky
from scipy.integrate import quad
from datetime import datetime
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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1.1 Analytic solution for discretely monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option (<http://dx.doi.org/10.4134/BKMS.b150283> Bara Kim et al)

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[ ]: omega_table = {}

def a(s,w,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,t_n,T,kStar):
    n = len(t_n)

    summation = np.sum(t_n[kStar:])

    term1 = (s*(n-kStar)/n + w)*(np.log(S0) - rho*v0/sigma) # - r*t +
    ↪ rho*kappa*theta/sigma*t
    term2 = (r-rho*kappa*theta/sigma)*(s/n*summation + w*T)
    return (term1+term2)

def omega(s,w,sigma,rho,k,kStar,n):
    if(k==kStar):
        return 0
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elif(k==n+1):
    return (rho*w/sigma)
else:
    return (rho*s/(sigma*n))

def z(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,k,n):
    return ((2*rho*kappa-sigma)*((n-k+1)*s+n*w)/(2*sigma*n) +
    ↪(1-rho**2)*((n-k+1)*s+n*w)**2/(2*n**2))
z(1,1,0.02,0.01,0.1,6,5)

def F(z1,z2,tau,sigma,kappa):
    if(np.absolute(kappa**2-2.0*z1*sigma**2) < 1e-8):
        return (1.0 + 0.5*tau*(kappa-z2*sigma*sigma))
    else:
        temp = np.sqrt(kappa**2-2.0*z1*sigma**2)
        return (np.cosh(0.5*tau*temp) + (kappa-z2*sigma**2)*np.sinh(0.5*tau*temp)/
    ↪temp)

def F_tilde(z1,z2,tau,sigma,kappa):
    temp = np.sqrt(kappa**2-2*z1*sigma**2)
    return (0.5*temp*np.sinh(0.5*tau*temp) + 0.5*(kappa-z2*sigma**2)*np.cosh(0.
    ↪5*tau*temp))

def omega_tilde(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,k,kStar,n,tauK):
    omega_k = omega(s,w,sigma,rho,k,kStar,n)
    if(k==n+1):
        return omega_k
    else:
        dTauK = tauK[k+1] - tauK[k]
        z_kp1 = z(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,k+1,n)
        omega_kp1 = 0

        if (k+1) in omega_table:
            omega_kp1 = omega_table[k+1]
        else:
            omega_kp1 = omega_tilde(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,k+1,kStar,n,tauK)

        ratio = F_tilde(z_kp1,omega_kp1,dTauK,sigma,kappa)/
    ↪F(z_kp1,omega_kp1,dTauK,sigma,kappa)

        omega_table[k] = (omega_k + kappa/sigma**2 - 2*ratio/sigma**2)
        return (omega_k + kappa/sigma**2 - 2*ratio/sigma**2)

def psi_disc(s,w,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,t,T,kStar,t_n,tauK):

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omega_table.clear()

n = len(t_n)
aTerm = a(s,w,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,t_n,T,kStar)
omegaTerm = v0*omega_tilde(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,kStar,kStar,n,tauK)
term3 = kappa**2*theta*(T-t)/(sigma**2)

summation = 0.0
for i in range(kStar+1,n+2):
    dTau = tauK[i] - tauK[i-1]
    z_k = z(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,i,n)
    omega_tilde_k = omega_tilde(s,w,sigma,kappa,rho,i,kStar,n,tauK)

    summation += np.log(F(z_k,omega_tilde_k,dTau,sigma,kappa))

term4 = 2*kappa*theta*summation/sigma**2

return np.exp(aTerm + omegaTerm + term3 - term4)

def GeoIntegrand_disc(x,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,kStar,t_n,tauK,t,T,K):
    term1 = psi_disc(1.0+x*1j,0.0+0.0*1j,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,t,T,kStar,t_n,tauK) - K*psi_disc(0.0+x*1j,0.0+0.0*1j,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,t,T,kStar,t_n,tauK)
    return np.real(term1*np.exp(-x*1j*np.log(K))/(x*1j))

def GeoIntegral_disc(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,kStar,t_n,tauK,t,T,K):
    res, err = quad(GeoIntegrand_disc, 0, 25000, args=(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,kStar,t_n,tauK,t,T,K))
    print(err)
    return res

def DiscGeomAsianCall_disc(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,kStar,t_n,tauK,t,T,K):
    term1 = 0.5*(psi_disc(1.0+0.0*1j,0.0+0.0*1j,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,t,T,kStar,t_n,tauK) - K)
    term2 = 1/np.pi*GeoIntegral_disc(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,kStar,t_n,tauK,t,T,K)
    return np.exp(-r*(T-t))*(term1+term2)

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1.2 Analytic solution for continuously monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option (<https://doi.org/10.1080/14697688.2011.596844> Bara Kim & In-Suk Wee)

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[ ]: def psi(s,w,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T):
    s = s + 0j

    a1 = 2*v0/sigma**2

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a2 = 2*kappa*theta/sigma**2
a3 = np.log(S0)+((r*sigma-kappa*theta*rho)*T)/(2*sigma)-(rho*v0)/sigma
a4 = np.log(S0)-(rho*v0/sigma)+(r-rho*kappa*theta/sigma)*T
a5 = (kappa*v0+kappa**2*theta*T)/(sigma**2)
#print(a5)
if(np.isscalar(s)):
    h_matrix = np.zeros((n+3, 1),dtype='complex128')
else:
    h_matrix = np.zeros((n+3, np.size(s,0)),dtype='complex128') # might need
    ↪np.size(s,1) not sure yet

h_matrix[2] = 1
h_matrix[3] = T*(kappa-w*rho*sigma)/2

nmat = np.linspace(1,n,num=n)
A1 = 1/(4*nmat[1:]*(nmat[1:]-1))
A2 = -s**2*sigma**2*(1-rho**2)*T**2
A3 = (s*sigma*T*(sigma-2*rho*kappa)-2*s*w*sigma**2*T*(1-rho**2))
A4 =
    ↪T*(kappa**2*T-2*s*rho*sigma-w*(2*rho*kappa-sigma)*sigma*T-w**2*(1-rho**2)*sigma**2*T)
    for k in range(4,(n+3)):
        h_matrix[k] =
    ↪A1[k-4]*(A2*h_matrix[k-4]+A3*(T*h_matrix[k-3])+A4*h_matrix[k-2])

H = np.sum(h_matrix[2:], axis=0)
h_tilde = np.transpose(np.transpose(h_matrix[3:])*nmat/T)
H_tilde = np.sum(h_tilde,axis=0)
return np.exp(-a1*(H_tilde/H)-a2*np.log(H)+a3*s+a4*w+a5)

def GeoIntegrand(x,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T,K):
    A = psi(1+x*1j, 0 ,S0, v0, theta, sigma, kappa, rho, r, n, T)
    B = psi(0+x*1j, 0, S0, v0, theta, sigma, kappa, rho, r, n, T)
    C = np.exp(-1j*x*np.log(K))/(1j*x)
    return np.real((A-K*B)*C)

def GeoIntegral(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T,K):
    res, err = quad(GeoIntegrand, 0, 25000,
    ↪args=(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T,K))
    print(err)
    return res

def GeomAsianCall(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T,K):
    return np.exp(-r*T)*((psi(1,0,S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T)-K)*0.5+1/np.
    ↪pi*GeoIntegral(S0,v0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho,r,n,T,K))

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2 Input parameters for Heston Model and Asian Option details

no timesteps before averaging implemented yet; no difference between timestep and monitoring step implemented yet; easy to generalize

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[ ]: # Initialise parameters
S0 = 100.0      # initial stock price
K = 100.0       # strike price
T = 0.25        # time to maturity in years
r = 0.15        # annual risk-free rate
vol = 0.4       # volatility (%)
div = 0.00      # continuous dividend yield (not yet implemented)

# Heston parameters
kappa = 2.0
vt0 = vol**2    # variance
theta = 0.4     # long-run average
sigma = 0.5     # vol of vol
rho_scalar = -0.3 # correlation return and vol process
rho = np.array([[1,rho_scalar**(1)],
                [rho_scalar**(1),1]])

N_tot = 52      # discrete time steps
N_avg = N_tot   # timesteps during averaging
N_pre = 0      # timesteps before averaging (not yet implemented)
P = 17
M = 2**P       # number of simulations (multiple of 2 for quasi random number
↳properties)
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3 Calculated analytic solution for discretely monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option

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[ ]: t_n = np.full(shape=(N_avg), fill_value=0.0)
for i in range(1,N_avg+1):
    t_n[i-1] = 1.0*T*i/N_avg
tauK = np.full(shape=(N_avg+2), fill_value=0.0)
for i in range(1,N_avg+1):
    tauK[i] = t_n[i-1]
tauK[N_avg+1] = T

DiscGeomAsianCall_disc(S0,vt0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho_scalar,r,0,t_n,tauK,0,T,K)
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1.9654967915727628e-07

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[ ]: (5.650967851654385+0j)
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3.0.1 Calculated analytic solution for continuously monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option

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[ ]: GeomAsianCall(S0,vt0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho_scalar,r,40,T,K)
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8.705086707028187e-09
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[ ]: array([5.55966794+0.j])
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4 Simple Monte Carlo simulation for discretely monitored fixed strike arithmetic average Asian option

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[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,2))
W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
#W = Z @ lower_chol
W = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1,N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt[j] = np.maximum(vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*Z[j-1, :, 0], 0)
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# Simulate log asset prices
nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j-1])*dt
#St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )
St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W[j-1,:] )

AT_sum += St[j]
GT_sum = GT_sum*(St[j]**(1/N_avg))
finval = St[j]

#for j in range(1,N_tot+1):

# # Simulate variance processes
# vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
# ↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1,:,0]

# # Simulate log asset prices
# nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
# St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )

# AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT_sum = AT_sum/N_avg
GT_sum = GT_sum
CT = np.maximum(0, AT_sum - K)
CT_geom = np.maximum(0, GT_sum - K)
CT_call = np.maximum(0, finval - K)

CO_fast = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
CO_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
CO_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_fast = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_fast)**2 ) / (M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - CO_fast_geom)**2 ) /
↪(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_fast_call)**2 ) / (M-1) ) /
↪np.sqrt(M)

time_comp_fast = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(CO_fast,3),np.
↪round(SE_fast,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_fast)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
↪round(CO_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))

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print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
↪round(C0_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))
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Call value is \$5.905 with SE +/- 0.023
 Computation time is: 1.1622
 Geom Call value is \$5.653 with SE +/- 0.022
 Normal Call value is \$10.891 with SE +/- 0.027

4.0.1 Quasi number generators

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[ ]: def sobol(m, d=1):
      sampler = qmc.Sobol(d, scramble=True)
      return sampler.random_base2(m)

def sobol_norm(m, d=1):
      sampler = qmc.Sobol(d, scramble=True)
      x_sobol = sampler.random_base2(m)
      return norm.ppf(x_sobol)
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4.1 Simple Monte Carlo simulation for discretely monitored fixed strike arithmetic average Asian option with quasi random numbers

```
[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z1 = sobol_norm(m=P, d=N_tot+1).T
Z2 = sobol_norm(m=P, d=N_tot+1).T
#W = Z @ lower_chol
W = rho_scalar*Z1 + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z2
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
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finval = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1, N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt[j] = np.maximum(vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↳sqrt(vt[j-1])*Z1[j-1,:], 0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j-1])*dt
    #St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )
    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W[j-1,:] )

    AT_sum += St[j]
    GT_sum = GT_sum*(St[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval = St[j]

#for j in range(1, N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↳sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1,:,0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT_sum = AT_sum/N_avg
GT_sum = GT_sum
CT = np.maximum(0, AT_sum - K)
CT_geom = np.maximum(0, GT_sum - K)
CT_call = np.maximum(0, finval - K)

CO_fast = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
CO_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
CO_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_fast = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_fast)**2) / (M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - CO_fast_geom)**2) /
↳(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)

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SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_fast_call)**2) / (M-1) ) /
↳np.sqrt(M)

time_comp_fast = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(CO_fast,3),np.
↳round(SE_fast,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_fast)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
↳round(CO_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
↳round(CO_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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Call value is \$6.225 with SE +/- 0.024
 Computation time is: 1.6496
 Geom Call value is \$5.959 with SE +/- 0.023
 Normal Call value is \$11.255 with SE +/- 0.028

5 Simple Monte Carlo simulation with antithetic variable for underlying

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[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,2))
#W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
#W = Z @ lower_chol
W1 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W2 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St1 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St2 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)

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AT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval1 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval2 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1, N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt[j] = np.maximum(vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↳sqrt(vt[j-1])*Z[j-1, :, 0], 0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j-1])*dt
    St1[j] = St1[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W1[j-1, :] )
    St2[j] = St2[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W2[j-1, :] )

    AT1_sum += St1[j]
    AT2_sum += St2[j]
    GT1_sum = GT1_sum*(St1[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT2_sum = GT2_sum*(St2[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval1 = St1[j]
    finval2 = St2[j]

#for j in range(1, N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↳sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1, :, 0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1, :, 1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT1_sum = AT1_sum/N_avg
AT2_sum = AT2_sum/N_avg
GT1_sum = GT1_sum
GT2_sum = GT2_sum
CT = 0.5*(np.maximum(0, AT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT2_sum - K))
CT_geom = 0.5*(np.maximum(0, GT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K))

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CT_call = 0.5*(np.maximum(0, finval1 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval2 - K))

CO_av = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
CO_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
CO_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_av = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_av)**2) / (M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - CO_fast_geom)**2) /
    ↪(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_fast_call)**2) / (M-1) ) /
    ↪np.sqrt(M)

time_comp_av = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(CO_av,3),np.
    ↪round(SE_av,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_av)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(CO_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(CO_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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Call value is \$5.897 with SE +/- 0.012
 Computation time is: 1.548
 Geom Call value is \$5.645 with SE +/- 0.012
 Normal Call value is \$10.868 with SE +/- 0.018

6 Simple Monte Carlo simulation with antithetic variate for underlying and variance

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[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,2))
W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
#W = Z @ lower_chol

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W11 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W21 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W12 = -rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W22 = -rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St11 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St21 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St12 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St22 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt1 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)
vt2 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT3_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT4_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT3_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT4_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval1 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval2 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval3 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval4 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1,N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt1[j] = np.maximum(vt1[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt1[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt1[j-1])*Z[j-1, :, 0], 0)
    vt2[j] = np.maximum(vt2[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt2[j-1]) - sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt2[j-1])*Z[j-1, :, 0], 0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt1 = (r - div - 0.5*vt1[j-1])*dt
    nudt2 = (r - div - 0.5*vt2[j-1])*dt
    St11[j] = St11[j-1]*np.exp( nudt1 + np.sqrt(vt1[j-1]*dt)*W11[j-1, :] )
    St21[j] = St21[j-1]*np.exp( nudt1 + np.sqrt(vt1[j-1]*dt)*W21[j-1, :] )

    St12[j] = St12[j-1]*np.exp( nudt2 + np.sqrt(vt2[j-1]*dt)*W12[j-1, :] )
    St22[j] = St22[j-1]*np.exp( nudt2 + np.sqrt(vt2[j-1]*dt)*W22[j-1, :] )

    AT1_sum += St11[j]
    AT2_sum += St21[j]

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    AT3_sum += St12[j]
    AT4_sum += St22[j]
    GT1_sum = GT1_sum*(St11[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT2_sum = GT2_sum*(St21[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT3_sum = GT3_sum*(St12[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT4_sum = GT4_sum*(St22[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval1 = St11[j]
    finval2 = St21[j]
    finval3 = St21[j]
    finval4 = St22[j]

#for j in range(1,N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
#        ↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1,:,0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT1_sum = AT1_sum/N_avg
AT2_sum = AT2_sum/N_avg
AT3_sum = AT3_sum/N_avg
AT4_sum = AT4_sum/N_avg
GT1_sum = GT1_sum
GT2_sum = GT2_sum
GT3_sum = GT3_sum
GT4_sum = GT4_sum
CT = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, AT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT2_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, AT3_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT4_sum - K))
CT_geom = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, GT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, GT3_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT4_sum - K))
CT_call = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, finval1 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval2 - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, finval3 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval4 - K))

CO_av_dbl = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
CO_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
CO_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_av_dbl = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_av_dbl)**2) / (M-1) ) /np.
    ↪sqrt(M)

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SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - C0_fast_geom)**2) /
    ↪(M-1) ) / np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_fast_call)**2) / (M-1) ) /
    ↪np.sqrt(M)

time_comp_av_dbl = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(C0_av_dbl,3),np.
    ↪round(SE_av_dbl,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_av_dbl)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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Call value is \$5.902 with SE +/- 0.011
 Computation time is: 2.6731
 Geom Call value is \$5.651 with SE +/- 0.01
 Normal Call value is \$10.857 with SE +/- 0.017

7 Simple Monte Carlo simulation with static hedge using the discretely monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option as a control variate

```

[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

Z = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,2))
W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
#W = Z @ lower_chol
W = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]

# arrays for storing prices and variances
St = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

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# array for storing maximum's
AT_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1,N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt[j] = np.maximum(vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↳sqrt(vt[j-1])*Z[j-1,:,0],0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j-1])*dt
    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W[j-1,:] )

    AT_sum += St[j]
    GT_sum = GT_sum*(St[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval = St[j]

#for j in range(1,N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↳sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1,:,0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT_sum = AT_sum/N_avg
GT_sum = GT_sum
CT = np.maximum(0, AT_sum - K) - 1.0*np.maximum(0, GT_sum - K)
CT_geom = np.maximum(0, GT_sum - K)
CT_call = np.maximum(0, finval - K)

CO_cv = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
CO_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
CO_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_cv = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - CO_cv)**2 ) / (M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)

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SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - C0_fast_geom)**2) /
    ↪(M-1) ) / np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_fast_call)**2) / (M-1) ) /
    ↪np.sqrt(M)

C0_cv = C0_cv + 1.
    ↪0*DiscGeomAsianCall_disc(S0,vt0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho_scalar,r,0,t_n,tauK,0,T,K).
    ↪real

time_comp_cv = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(C0_cv,3),np.
    ↪round(SE_cv,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_cv)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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1.9654967915727628e-07
Call value is $5.904 with SE +/- 0.001
Computation time is: 3.9774
Geom Call value is $5.639 with SE +/- 0.022
Normal Call value is $10.886 with SE +/- 0.029

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8 Simple Monte Carlo simulation with static hedge using the discretely monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option as a control variate and with antithetic for underlying

```

[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,2))
#W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
#W = Z @ lower_chol

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W1 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W2 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St1 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St2 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1,N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt[j] = np.maximum(vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*Z[j-1, :, 0], 0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j-1])*dt
    St1[j] = St1[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W1[j-1, :] )
    St2[j] = St2[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j-1]*dt)*W2[j-1, :] )

    AT1_sum += St1[j]
    AT2_sum += St2[j]
    GT1_sum = GT1_sum*(St1[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT2_sum = GT2_sum*(St2[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval = St1[j]

#for j in range(1,N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1, :, 0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1, :, 1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE

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#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT1_sum = AT1_sum/N_avg
AT2_sum = AT2_sum/N_avg
GT1_sum = GT1_sum
GT2_sum = GT2_sum
CT = 0.5*(np.maximum(0, AT1_sum - K) - np.maximum(0, GT1_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, AT2_sum - K) - np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K))
CT_geom = 0.5*(np.maximum(0, GT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K))
CT_call = np.maximum(0, finval - K)

C0_av_cv = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
C0_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
C0_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_av_cv = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_av_cv)**2) / (M-1) ) /np.
    ↪sqrt(M)
SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - C0_fast_geom)**2) /
    ↪(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_call - C0_fast_call)**2) /
    ↪(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)

C0_av_cv = C0_av_cv + 1.
    ↪0*DiscGeomAsianCall_disc(S0,vt0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho_scalar,r,0,t_n,tauK,0,T,K).
    ↪real

time_comp_av_cv = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(C0_av_cv,3),np.
    ↪round(SE_av_cv,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_av_cv)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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1.9654967915727628e-07
Call value is $5.901 with SE +/- 0.001
Computation time is: 3.5062
Geom Call value is $5.63 with SE +/- 0.012
Normal Call value is $10.86 with SE +/- 0.044

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9 Simple Monte Carlo simulation with static hedge using the discretely monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option as a control variate and with antithetic for underlying and volatility

```
[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,2))
W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
#W = Z @ lower_chol
W11 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W21 = rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W12 = -rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
W22 = -rho_scalar*Z[:, :, 0] - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z[:, :, 1]
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St11 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St21 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St12 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St22 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt1 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)
vt2 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT3_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT4_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT3_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT4_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval1 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval2 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval3 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
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finval4 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1, N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt1[j] = np.maximum(vt1[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt1[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt1[j-1])*Z[j-1,:,0],0)
    vt2[j] = np.maximum(vt2[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt2[j-1]) - sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt2[j-1])*Z[j-1,:,0],0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt1 = (r - div - 0.5*vt1[j-1])*dt
    nudt2 = (r - div - 0.5*vt2[j-1])*dt
    St11[j] = St11[j-1]*np.exp( nudt1 + np.sqrt(vt1[j-1]*dt)*W11[j-1,:] )
    St21[j] = St21[j-1]*np.exp( nudt1 + np.sqrt(vt1[j-1]*dt)*W21[j-1,:] )

    St12[j] = St12[j-1]*np.exp( nudt2 + np.sqrt(vt2[j-1]*dt)*W12[j-1,:] )
    St22[j] = St22[j-1]*np.exp( nudt2 + np.sqrt(vt2[j-1]*dt)*W22[j-1,:] )

    AT1_sum += St11[j]
    AT2_sum += St21[j]
    AT3_sum += St12[j]
    AT4_sum += St22[j]
    GT1_sum = GT1_sum*(St11[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT2_sum = GT2_sum*(St21[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT3_sum = GT3_sum*(St12[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT4_sum = GT4_sum*(St22[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval1 = St11[j]
    finval2 = St21[j]
    finval3 = St21[j]
    finval4 = St22[j]

#for j in range(1, N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1,:,0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

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# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT1_sum = AT1_sum/N_avg
AT2_sum = AT2_sum/N_avg
AT3_sum = AT3_sum/N_avg
AT4_sum = AT4_sum/N_avg
GT1_sum = GT1_sum
GT2_sum = GT2_sum
GT3_sum = GT3_sum
GT4_sum = GT4_sum
CT = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, AT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT2_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, AT3_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT4_sum - K) - np.maximum(0, GT1_sum -
    ↪K) - np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K) - np.maximum(0, GT3_sum - K) - np.
    ↪maximum(0, GT4_sum - K))
CT_geom = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, GT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, GT3_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT4_sum - K))
CT_call = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, finval1 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval2 - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, finval3 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval4 - K))

C0_av_dbl_cv = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
C0_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
C0_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

SE_av_dbl_cv = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_av_dbl_cv)**2) / (M-1) ) /
    ↪np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - C0_fast_geom)**2) /
    ↪(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_fast_call)**2) / (M-1) ) /
    ↪np.sqrt(M)

C0_av_dbl_cv = C0_av_dbl_cv + 1.
    ↪0*DiscGeomAsianCall_disc(S0,vt0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho_scalar,r,0,t_n,tauK,0,T,K).
    ↪real

time_comp_av_dbl_cv = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(C0_av_dbl_cv,3),np.
    ↪round(SE_av_dbl_cv,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_av_dbl_cv)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
    ↪round(C0_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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Call value is \$5.903 with SE +/- 0.001

Computation time is: 4.3071

Geom Call value is \$5.642 with SE +/- 0.01

Normal Call value is \$10.854 with SE +/- 0.029

10 Comparison between error reduction and computation time

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[ ]: CO_variates = [CO_fast, CO_av, CO_av_dbl, CO_cv, CO_av_cv, CO_av_dbl_cv]
se_variates = [SE_fast, SE_av, SE_av_dbl, SE_cv, SE_av_cv, SE_av_dbl_cv]
se_red = [round(SE_fast/se,2) for se in se_variates]
comp_time = [time_comp_fast, time_comp_av, time_comp_av_dbl, time_comp_cv,
time_comp_av_cv, time_comp_av_dbl_cv]
rel_time = [round(mc_time/time_comp_fast,2) for mc_time in comp_time]
data = {'Arithmetic Asian Fixed Strike Call Option Value': np.
round(CO_variates,3),
'Standard Error SE': np.round(se_variates,3),
'SE Reduction Multiple': se_red,
'Relative Computation Time': rel_time}

# Creates pandas DataFrame.
df = pd.DataFrame(data, index=['Fast Estimate', 'with antithetic_
variate', 'with double antithetic variate',
'with control variates', 'with antithetic and control variates', 'with double_
antithetic and control variates'])
df
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[ ]: Arithmetic Asian Fixed Strike Call
Option Value \
Fast Estimate
6.225
with antithetic variate
5.897
with double antithetic variate
5.902
with control variates
5.904
with antithetic and control variates
5.901
with double antithetic and control variates
5.903

Standard Error SE \
Fast Estimate
0.024
with antithetic variate
0.012
with double antithetic variate
0.011
with control variates
0.001
with antithetic and control variates
0.001
with double antithetic and control variates
0.001
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	SE Reduction Multiple \
Fast Estimate	1.00
with antithetic variate	2.00
with double antithetic variate	2.21
with control variates	20.70
with antithetic and control variates	35.25
with double antithetic and control variates	37.23

	Relative Computation Time
Fast Estimate	1.00
with antithetic variate	0.94
with double antithetic variate	1.62
with control variates	2.41
with antithetic and control variates	2.13
with double antithetic and control variates	2.61

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[ ]: # @title SE Reduction Multiple vs Relative Computation Time

from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

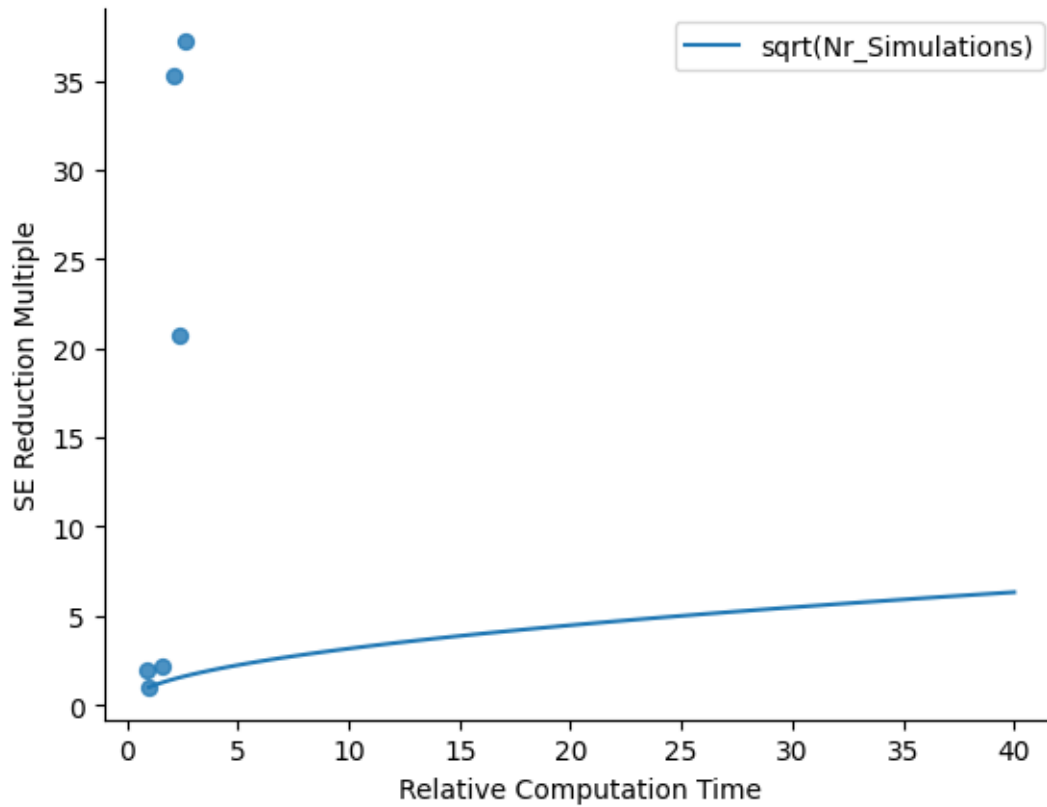
x = np.linspace(1, 40, 100)
y = np.sqrt(x)

fig = plt.figure(figsize = (10, 5))

df.plot(kind='scatter', x='Relative Computation Time', y='SE Reduction Multiple', s=32, alpha=.8)
plt.gca().spines[['top', 'right']].set_visible(False)
plt.plot(x, y, label="sqrt(Nr_Simulations)")
plt.legend(loc="upper right")
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Simple Monte Carlo simulation with static hedge using the discretely monitored fixed strike geometric average Asian option as a control variate and with antithetic for underlying and volatility with quasi random numbers

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[ ]: # Start Timer
start_time = time.time()

# Precompute constants
dt = T/N_tot

# Heston model adjustments for time steps
kappadt = kappa*dt
sigmasdt = sigma*np.sqrt(dt)

# Perform (lower) cholesky decomposition
lower_chol = cholesky(rho, lower=True)

# Generate Wiener variables
Z1 = sobol_norm(m=P, d=N_tot+1).T
Z2 = sobol_norm(m=P, d=N_tot+1).T
W_ind = np.random.normal(size=(N_tot+1,M,1))
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#W = Z @ lower_chol
W11 = rho_scalar*Z1 + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z2
W21 = rho_scalar*Z1 - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z2
W12 = -rho_scalar*Z1 + np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z2
W22 = -rho_scalar*Z1 - np.sqrt(1-rho_scalar**2)*Z2
# arrays for storing prices and variances
St11 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St21 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St12 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
St22 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=S0)
vt1 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)
vt2 = np.full(shape=(N_tot+1,M), fill_value=vt0)

# array for storing maximum's
AT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT3_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
AT4_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=0.0)
GT1_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT2_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT3_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
GT4_sum = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval1 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval2 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval3 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)
finval4 = np.full(shape=(M), fill_value=1.0)

for j in range(N_pre+1,N_tot+1):

    # Simulate variance processes
    vt1[j] = np.maximum(vt1[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt1[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt1[j-1])*Z1[j-1,:],0)
    vt2[j] = np.maximum(vt2[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt2[j-1]) - sigmasdt*np.
↪sqrt(vt2[j-1])*Z1[j-1,:],0)

    # Simulate log asset prices
    nudt1 = (r - div - 0.5*vt1[j-1])*dt
    nudt2 = (r - div - 0.5*vt2[j-1])*dt
    St11[j] = St11[j-1]*np.exp( nudt1 + np.sqrt(vt1[j-1]*dt)*W11[j-1,:] )
    St21[j] = St21[j-1]*np.exp( nudt1 + np.sqrt(vt1[j-1]*dt)*W21[j-1,:] )

    St12[j] = St12[j-1]*np.exp( nudt2 + np.sqrt(vt2[j-1]*dt)*W12[j-1,:] )
    St22[j] = St22[j-1]*np.exp( nudt2 + np.sqrt(vt2[j-1]*dt)*W22[j-1,:] )

    AT1_sum += St11[j]

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    AT2_sum += St21[j]
    AT3_sum += St12[j]
    AT4_sum += St22[j]
    GT1_sum = GT1_sum*(St11[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT2_sum = GT2_sum*(St21[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT3_sum = GT3_sum*(St12[j]**(1/N_avg))
    GT4_sum = GT4_sum*(St22[j]**(1/N_avg))
    finval1 = St11[j]
    finval2 = St21[j]
    finval3 = St12[j]
    finval4 = St22[j]

#for j in range(1,N_tot+1):

#    # Simulate variance processes
#    vt[j] = vt[j-1] + kappadt*(theta - vt[j-1]) + sigmasdt*np.
#    ↪sqrt(vt[j-1])*W[j-1,:,0]

#    # Simulate log asset prices
#    nudt = (r - div - 0.5*vt[j])*dt
#    St[j] = St[j-1]*np.exp( nudt + np.sqrt(vt[j]*dt)*W[j-1,:,1] )

#    AT_sum += St[j]

# Compute Expectation and SE
#AT_sum = AT_sum/N_tot
AT1_sum = AT1_sum/N_avg
AT2_sum = AT2_sum/N_avg
AT3_sum = AT3_sum/N_avg
AT4_sum = AT4_sum/N_avg
GT1_sum = GT1_sum
GT2_sum = GT2_sum
GT3_sum = GT3_sum
GT4_sum = GT4_sum
CT = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, AT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT2_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, AT3_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, AT4_sum - K) - np.maximum(0, GT1_sum -
    ↪K) - np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K) - np.maximum(0, GT3_sum - K) - np.
    ↪maximum(0, GT4_sum - K))
CT_geom = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, GT1_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT2_sum - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, GT3_sum - K) + np.maximum(0, GT4_sum - K))
CT_call = 0.25*(np.maximum(0, finval1 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval2 - K) + np.
    ↪maximum(0, finval3 - K) + np.maximum(0, finval4 - K))

C0_av_dbl_cv = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT)/M
C0_fast_geom = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_geom)/M
C0_fast_call = np.exp(-r*T)*np.sum(CT_call)/M

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SE_av_dbl_cv = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_av_dbl_cv)**2) / (M-1) ) /
↳np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_geom = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT_geom - C0_fast_geom)**2) /
↳(M-1) ) /np.sqrt(M)
SE_fast_call = np.sqrt( np.sum( (np.exp(-r*T)*CT - C0_fast_call)**2) / (M-1) ) /
↳np.sqrt(M)

C0_av_dbl_cv = C0_av_dbl_cv + 1.
↳0*DiscGeomAsianCall_disc(S0,vt0,theta,sigma,kappa,rho_scalar,r,0,t_n,tauK,0,T,K).
↳real

time_comp_av_dbl_cv = round(time.time() - start_time,4)
print("Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.round(C0_av_dbl_cv,3),np.
↳round(SE_av_dbl_cv,3)))
print("Computation time is: ", time_comp_av_dbl_cv)
print("Geom Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
↳round(C0_fast_geom,3),np.round(SE_fast_geom,3)))
print("Normal Call value is ${0} with SE +/- {1}".format(np.
↳round(C0_fast_call,3),np.round(SE_fast_call,3)))

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1.9654967915727628e-07

Call value is \$5.903 with SE +/- 0.001

Computation time is: 6.123

Geom Call value is \$5.638 with SE +/- 0.01

Normal Call value is \$10.875 with SE +/- 0.029