

# Computational finance, take-home exam 1: practical part

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## Exercise 4

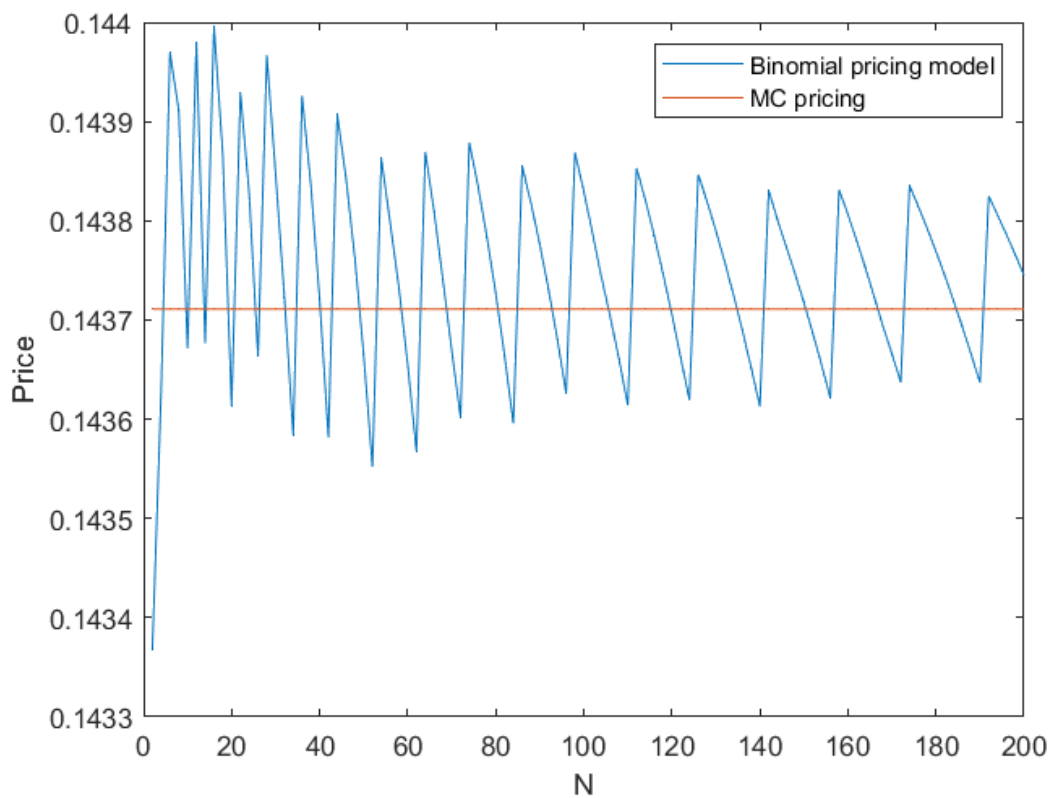


Figure 1

## BinomialpriceBarrierUODM

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1 function option_price_bin=BinomialpriceBarrierUODM(r,d,u,N,T,s,K,b)
2 r=r*T/N;
3 q_u=(1+r-d)/(u-d);
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4 q_d=1-q_u;
5 prices=zeros(N+1,1);
6
7
8 for i = 0:N
9     S_T = s*u^i*d^(N-i);
10    if S_T < b
11        prices(i+1) = max(S_T-K,0);
12    else
13        prices(i+1) = 0;
14    end
15 end
16
17 for k = (N-1):-1:N/2
18     price_k = zeros(k+1,1);
19     for i = 1:k+1
20         price_k(i) =(q_u*prices(i+1) + q_d*prices(i))/(1+r);
21     end
22     prices = price_k;
23 end
24 prices;
25 for i = 0:N/2
26     price_T_2 =d^(N-i)*u^i*s;
27
28     if price_T_2 > b
29         prices(i+1) = 0;
30     end
31 end
32
33 for k = (N/2-1):-1:0
34     price_k = zeros(k+1,1);
35     for i = 1:k+1
36         price_k(i) = (q_u*prices(i+1) + q_d*prices(i))/(1+r);
37     end
38     prices = price_k;
39 end
40 option_price_bin=prices;
41 end

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### MCpriceBarrierUODM

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1 function option_price_BS = MCpriceBarrierUOD(r,sigma,N_time,N_sim,T,s
    ,K,b)
2 dt = T/N_time;
3
4 S = s*ones(N_sim,1);
5
6 for i = 1:N_time/2
7     Z = randn(N_sim,1);
8     S = S.*(1 + r*dt + Z*sigma*sqrt(dt));

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9 end
10
11 T_2 = S < b;
12
13 for i = (N_time/2+1):N_time
14     Z = randn(N_sim,1);
15     S = S.*(1 + r*dt + Z*sigma*sqrt(dt));
16 end
17
18
19 T_1 = S < b;
20 payoff=0;
21 for i=1:N_sim
22
23     if T_2(i) && T_1(i)
24         payoff =payoff+ max(S(i)-K,0);
25     end
26 end
27
28 option_price_BS = exp(-r*T)*payoff/N_sim;
29 end

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## Plotting

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1 close all
2 r=.1;
3 S=1;
4 T=.5;
5 K=.9;
6 sigma=.1;
7 b=1.3;
8 N_time=100;
9 N_sim=10^6;
10 MC_price=MCpriceBarrierUOD(r,sigma,N_time,N_sim,T,S,K,b);
11 Bin_price=zeros(100,1);
12
13 for i=1:100
14     u=1+r*T/(i*2)+sigma*sqrt(T/(i*2));
15     d=u-2*sigma*sqrt(T/(i*2));
16     Bin_price(i)=BinomialpriceBarrierUOD(r,d,u,i*2,T,S,K,b);
17 end
18 x=2*(1:100);
19
20 plot(x,[Bin_price,MC_price*ones(100,1)])
21 ylabel('Price')
22 xlabel('N')
23 legend('Binomial pricing model','MC pricing')
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    ,K,b)
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71 S = s*ones(N_sim,1);
72
73 for i = 1:N_time/2
74     Z = randn(N_sim,1);

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75     S = S.*(1 + r*dt + Z*sigma*sqrt(dt));
76 end
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78 T_2 = S < b;
79
80 for i = (N_time/2+1):N_time
81     Z = randn(N_sim,1);
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83 end
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88 for i=1:N_sim
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90     if T_2(i) && T_1(i)
91         payoff =payoff+ max(S(i)-K,0);
92     end
93 end
94
95 option_price_BS = exp(-r*T)*payoff/N_sim;
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