# Valuation of Contingent Convertibles with Derivatives



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#### Abstract

Financial crises have led to higher regulatory standards on the capital adequacy of banks. They are required to hold more capital with loss absorbance capacities on their balance sheet. In conjunction with this development, contingent convertible bonds (CoCos) have become an attractive instrument for banks to seek new capital. The defining characteristic of CoCos is the automatic conversion into common equity when a predetermined trigger is met. Loss absorbing capital is created, which instantly improves the capital structure of the distressed bank. However, the pricing of these hybrid instruments remains opaque. In this context, the thesis scrutinizes the valuation of CoCos. Three dominant approaches are examined: the structural approach in accordance to Pennacchi (2010), the credit derivatives approach and the equity derivatives approach both pursuant to De Spiegeleer and Schoutens (2011b). The application covers sensitivity analysis to further understand the dynamics of the different methodologies. Based on a case study the viability of those approaches is evaluated. Software is provided for further replication.

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## Introduction and Motivation

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# Structure of CoCos

#### 2.1 Description of CoCos

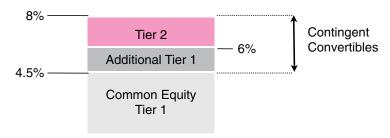


Figure 2.1: CoCos under Basel III (De Spiegeleer and Schoutens, 2011a)

#### 2.2 Payoff and Risk Profile

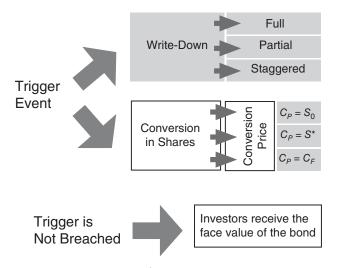


Figure 2.2: Anatomy of CoCos (De Spiegeleer and Schoutens, 2011a)

#### 2.3 Conversion Trigger

- 2.3.1 Market Trigger
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- 2.3.3 Regulatory Trigger
- 2.3.4 Multivariate Trigger

#### 2.4 Conversion Details

#### 2.4.1 Conversion Fraction

- conversion fraction  $\alpha$
- $\bullet$  face value N
- conversion amount  $N \times \alpha$
- amount remaining in case of partial equity conversion  $N \times (1 \alpha)$

#### 2.4.2 Conversion Price and Ratio

- conversion rate  $C_r$
- $\bullet$  conversion price  $C_p$
- recovery rate  $R_{CoCo}$
- $\bullet$  stock price at trigger event  $S_T^*$
- loss attributable to CoCo holders  $L_{CoCo}$

$$C_p = \frac{\alpha N}{C_r} \tag{2.1}$$

$$C_r = \frac{\alpha \dot{N}}{C_p} \tag{2.2}$$

$$R_{CoCo} = \frac{S_T^*}{C_n} \tag{2.3}$$

$$L_{CoCo} = N - (1 - R_{CoCo}) = N \left( 1 - \frac{S_T^*}{C_p} \right)$$
 (2.4)

$$P_T = \begin{cases} (1 - \alpha)N + C_r S_T^* & \text{if converted} \\ N & \text{if not converted} \end{cases}$$
 (2.5)

## Theory of Pricing

#### 3.1 Credit Derivative Approach

#### 3.1.1 Intensity-based Approach

Let  $\tau$  denote the random time of default of some company. It is assumed that the distribution of  $\tau$  has a continuous density function f, so that the distribution function F and the curve of survival probabilities q are related as follows:

$$P(\tau \le t) = F(t) = 1 - q(t) = \int_0^t f(s)ds$$
, with  $t \ge 0$ . (3.1)

The hazard rate respectively the default intensity  $\lambda$  is defined as

$$\lambda(t) = \lim_{\Delta \downarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta} P(\tau \le t + \Delta | \tau > t) = \frac{F'(t)}{q(t)} = \frac{F'(t)}{1 - F(t)} = -\frac{d}{dt} \log q(t). \tag{3.2}$$

Intuitively, the hazard rate is the default rate per year as of today. Using 3.2 we get

$$q(t) = \exp\left(-\int_0^t \lambda(s)ds\right). \tag{3.3}$$

In reality the hazard rate is not constant over time but itself a stochastic process (Examples of term-structure models). This is in line with the fact that credit spreads are not static and stochastically varying over time. For simplification it can also be assumed that the default intensity  $\lambda(t)$  is a deterministic function of time, where  $\lambda(t)$  can be constant or piecewise over time. Following De Spiegeleer and Schoutens (2011b) we assume that the hazard rate is constant. For a constant default intensity  $\lambda(t) = \lambda$  an exponential distribution for the default time is implied:

$$F(t) = 1 - q(t) = 1 - \exp(-\lambda t)$$
(3.4)

Under the idealized assumption of a flat zero interest rate curve, a flat spread curve and continuous spread payments the default intensity can be calculated directly from the spread by the rule of thumb formula, which is also known as credit triangle:

$$\lambda = \frac{s}{1 - R}.\tag{3.5}$$

#### 3.1.2 Application to CoCos

$$p^* = 1 - \exp\left(-\lambda_{Trigger} \times T\right) \tag{3.6}$$

$$s_{CoCo} = (1 - R_{CoCo}) \times \lambda_{Trigger} = Loss_{CoCo} \times \lambda_{Trigger}$$
(3.7)

$$Loss_{CoCo} = N - C_r \times S^* = N \left( 1 - \frac{S^*}{C_P} \right)$$
(3.8)

$$R_{CoCo} = \frac{S^*}{C_p} \tag{3.9}$$

$$p^* = \Phi\left(\frac{\log\left(\frac{S^*}{S}\right) - \mu T}{\sigma\sqrt{T}}\right) + \left(\frac{S^*}{S}\right)^{\frac{2\mu}{\sigma^2}} \Phi\left(\frac{\log\left(\frac{S^*}{S}\right) + \mu T}{\sigma\sqrt{T}}\right)$$
(3.10)

$$\lambda_{Trigger} = -\frac{\log(1 - p^*)}{T} \tag{3.11}$$

$$s_{CoCo} = -\frac{\log(1-p^*)}{T} \times \left(1 - \frac{S^*}{C_p}\right)$$
 (3.12)

#### 3.1.3 Data Requirements and Calibration

#### 3.1.4 Pricing Example

#### 3.2 Equity Derivative Approach

Sources: Erismann (2015), De Spiegeleer and Schoutens (2011b)

$$P_{T} = \mathbb{1}_{\{\tau > T\}} N + \left[ (1 - \alpha) N + \frac{\alpha N}{C_{p} S^{*}} \right] \mathbb{1}_{\{\tau \le T\}}$$

$$= N + \left[ \frac{\alpha N}{C_{p}} S^{*} - \alpha N \right] \mathbb{1}_{\{\tau \le T\}}$$

$$= N + \left[ C_{r} S^{*} - \alpha N \right] \mathbb{1}_{\{\tau \le T\}}$$

$$= N + C_{r} \left[ S^{*} - \frac{\alpha N}{C_{r}} \right] \mathbb{1}_{\{\tau \le T\}}$$

$$= N + C_{r} \left[ S^{*} - C_{p} \right] \mathbb{1}_{\{\tau \le T\}}$$

$$V_t^{ed} = V_t^{cb} - V_{t_i}^{dibi} + V_t^{difwd} (3.13)$$

#### 3.2.1 Corporate Bonds

$$V_t^{cb} = \sum_{i=t}^{T} c_i \exp(-rt_i) + N \exp[-r(T-t)]$$
(3.14)

#### 3.2.2 Binary Options

$$V_t^{dibi}(c_i, S^*, t) = \alpha \sum_{i=1}^k c_i \exp(-rt_i) \left[ \Phi\left(-x_{1i} + \sigma\sqrt{t_i}\right) + \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda - 2} \Phi\left(y_{1i} - \sigma\sqrt{t_i}\right) \right]$$

$$(3.15)$$

with

$$x_{1i} = \frac{\log\left(\frac{S_t}{S^*}\right)}{\sigma\sqrt{t_i}} + \lambda\sigma\sqrt{t_i}$$
$$y_{1i} = \frac{\log\left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)}{\sigma\sqrt{t_i}} + \lambda\sigma\sqrt{t_i}$$
$$\lambda = \frac{r - q + \frac{\sigma^2}{2}}{\sigma^2}$$

#### 3.2.3 Down-And-In Forward

$$\max(S_T - K) \text{ if } \min_{0 \le t \le T} (S_T) \le S^*$$
(3.16)

$$\max\left(K - S_T\right) \text{ if } \min_{0 < t < T}\left(S_T\right) \le S^* \tag{3.17}$$

$$V_t^{dic}(S_t, S^*, K) = S_t \exp\left[-q(T-t)\right] \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda} \Phi(y)$$
$$-K \exp\left[-r(T-t)\right] \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda-2} \Phi\left(y - \sigma\sqrt{T-t}\right)$$
(3.18)

with

$$K = C_p$$

$$y = \frac{\log\left(\frac{S^{*2}}{S_t K}\right)}{\sigma \sqrt{T - t}} + \lambda \sigma \sqrt{T - t}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{r - q + \frac{\sigma^2}{2}}{\sigma^2}$$

$$V_t^{dip}\left(S_t, S^*, K\right) = S_t \exp\left[-q\left(T - t\right)\right] \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda} \left[\Phi\left(y\right) - \Phi\left(y_1\right)\right]$$

$$- K \exp\left[-r\left(T - t\right)\right] \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda - 2} \left[\Phi\left(y - \sigma\sqrt{T - t}\right) - \Phi\left(y_1 - \sigma\sqrt{T}\right)\right]$$

$$+ K \exp\left[-r\left(T - t\right)\right] \Phi\left(x_1 + \sigma\sqrt{T - t}\right)$$

$$- S_t \exp\left[-q\left(T - t\right)\right] \Phi\left(-x_1\right) \tag{3.19}$$

with

$$x_1 = \frac{\log\left(\frac{S_t}{S^*}\right)}{\sigma\sqrt{T-t}} + \lambda\sigma\sqrt{T-t}$$
$$y_1 = \frac{\log\left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)}{\sigma\sqrt{T-t}} + \lambda\sigma\sqrt{T-t}$$

$$\min(S_t) \le S^* : P_T = S_T - K = \max(S_T - K) - \max(K - S_T)$$
 (3.20)

$$\min(S_t) > S^* : P_T = 0 \tag{3.21}$$

$$V_t^{difwd} = C_r \left[ S_t \exp\left[-q\left(T - t\right)\right] \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda} \Phi\left(y_1\right) - K \exp\left[-r\left(T - t\right)\right] \left(\frac{S^*}{S_t}\right)^{2\lambda - 2} \Phi\left(y_1 - \sigma\sqrt{T - t}\right) - K \exp\left[-r\left(T - t\right)\right] \Phi\left(-x_1 - \sigma\sqrt{T - t}\right) + S_t \exp\left[-q\left(T - t\right)\right] \Phi\left(-x_1\right) \right]$$

$$(3.22)$$

with

$$C_r = \frac{\alpha N}{C_r} \tag{3.23}$$

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## Appendix B

## Code - Credit Derivative Approach

The following source code is an implementation of the Credit Derivative Approach (De Spiegeleer and Schoutens, 2011b) written in R.

```
# Price of Contingent Convertible Bond
2 price_coco_cd <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, C_p, c_i, r, N, q, sigma){
    spread_coco <- calc_spread_coco(t, T, S_t, S_star, C_p, r, q, sigma)
4
    V_t_{-coco} \leftarrow N * exp(-(r + spread_{-coco}) * (T - t))
     for (t in 1:T)
      V_{t-coco} \leftarrow V_{t-coco} + c_{i} * exp(-(r + spread_coco) * t)
10
    V_t_{-coco}
11 }
12
13 # Calculation of Trigger Probability
14 calc_p_star <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, r, q, sigma){
    p_star \leftarrow pnorm((log(S_star / S_t) - calc_mu(r, q, sigma) * (T - t)))
       (\operatorname{sigma} * \operatorname{sqrt}(T - t)) + (S_{\operatorname{star}} / S_{\operatorname{t}})^{2} * \operatorname{calc_mu}(r, q, \operatorname{sigma}) /
       sigma^2) * pnorm((log(S_star / S_t) + calc_mu(r, q, sigma) * (T - t
      )) / (sigma * sqrt(T - t)))
    p_star
16
17 }
19 # Calculation of Drift of Underlying
calc_mu \leftarrow function(r, q, sigma)
    mu \leftarrow r - q - sigma^2 / 2
22
23 }
25 # Spread of CoCo Bond
26 calc_spread_coco <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, C_p, r, q, sigma){
    spread\_coco <- log(1 - calc\_p\_star(t, T, S\_t, S\_star, r, q, sigma))
      / (T - t) * (1 - S_star / C_p)
    spread_coco
31 # Pricing Example
```

price\_coco\_cd(t <- 0, T <- 5, S\_t <- 40, S\_star <- 20, C\_p <- 25, c\_i <- 7, r <- 0.03, N <- 100, q <- 0, sigma <- 0.3)

# Appendix C

## Code - Equity Derivative Approach

The following source code is an implementation of the Equity Derivative Approach (De Spiegeleer and Schoutens, 2011b) written in R.

```
# Price of Contingent Convertible Bond
2 price_coco_ed <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, C_p, c_i, r, N, q, sigma,
      alpha){
    V_t_{ed} \leftarrow price_cb(t, T, c_i, r, N) - price_dibi(t, T, S_t, S_star, c_i)
      i, r, q, sigma, alpha) + price_difwd(t, T, S_t, S_star, C_p, r, N, q
      , sigma, alpha)
4
    return (V_t_ed)
5
6 }
8 # Price of Corporate Bond
_{9} price_cb <- function(t, T, c_i, r, N){
    V_t_c = V_t - cb < N * exp(-r * (T - t))
11
    for (t in 1:T) {
12
    V_{-}t_{-}cb \leftarrow V_{-}t_{-}cb + c_{-}i * exp(-r * t)
13
15
    return (V_t_cb)
16
17 }
19 # Price of Binary Option
price_dibi <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, c_i, r, q, sigma, alpha){
    V_t_dibi < 0
23
    i <- t
    k <- T
24
25
    for (i in 1:k) {
26
    V_t_dibi \leftarrow V_t_dibi + c_i * exp(-r * i) * (pnorm(-calc_x_1_i(S_t, S_t)) + (pnorm(-calc_x_1_i(S_t, S_t)))
      _star , sigma , r , q , i ) + sigma * sqrt(i)) + (S_star / S_t)^(2 * calc
      _{lambda(r, q, sigma) - 2)} * pnorm ( calc_y_1_i(S_t, S_star, sigma, r)
      , q, i) - sigma * sqrt(i)))
28
```

```
V_t_dibi <- alpha * V_t_dibi
30
31
               return (V_t_dibi)
32
33
34
35 # Price of Down-And-In Forward
price_difwd <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, C_p, r, N, q, sigma, alpha){
               V_{-}t_{-}difwd <- \ calc_{-}conversion_{-}rate\left(C_{-}p\,,\ N,\ alpha\right)\ *\ (S_{-}t\ *\ exp\left(-\ q\ *\ (T_{-}t_{-})\right)
                        - t)) * (S_star / S_t) ^ (2 * calc_lambda(r, q, sigma)) * pnorm(
                     calc_y_1(t, T, S_t, S_{star}, r, q, sigma)) - C_p * exp(-r * (T - t))
                        * (S_star / S_t)^2 = (S_star /
                    1(t, T, S_t, S_{star}, r, q, sigma) - sigma * sqrt(T - t)) - C_p * exp
                    (-r * (T - t)) * pnorm(-calc_x_1(t, T, S_t, S_star, r, q, sigma) +
                        sigma * sqrt(T - t)) + S_t * exp(-q * (T - t)) * pnorm(- calc_x_1(T - t)) * pnorm(-calc_x_1(T 
                    t, T, S<sub>-</sub>t, S<sub>-</sub>star, r, q, sigma)))
38
                return (V_t_difwd)
39
40 }
41
42 # Calculation of Conversion Rate
43 calc_conversion_rate <- function(C_p, N, alpha){
               C_r \leftarrow alpha * N / C_p
                return (C<sub>-</sub>r)
46
47 }
48
49 # Calculation of additional Parameters
50 \operatorname{calc}_{-x_{-}1_{-}i} \leftarrow \operatorname{function}(S_{-}t, S_{-}\operatorname{star}, \operatorname{sigma}, r, q, t_{-}i)
               sigma) * sigma * sqrt(t_i)
                return(x_1_i)
53
54
       calc_y_1_i \leftarrow function(S_t, S_star, sigma, r, q, t_i)
56
               57
                    sigma) * sigma * sqrt(t_i)
59
                return(y_1_i)
60 }
61
62 calc_lambda <- function(r, q, sigma){
               lambda \leftarrow (r - q + sigma^2 / 2) / sigma^2
63
64
                return (lambda)
65
66
67
       calc_x_1 \leftarrow function(t, T, S_t, S_star, r, q, sigma)
68
69
               x_1 \leftarrow log(S_t / S_star) / (sigma * sqrt(T - t)) + calc_lambda(r, q, t)
                    sigma) * sigma * sqrt(T - t)
70
               return(x_1)
71
72 }
73
```

```
74 calc_y_1 <- function(t, T, S_t, S_star, r, q, sigma){
75    y_1 <- log(S_star / S_t) / (sigma * sqrt(T - t)) + calc_lambda(r, q, sigma) * sigma * sqrt(T - t)

76    return(y_1)

78 }

79    # Pricing Example
81 price_coco_ed(t <- 0, T <- 5, S_t <- 40, S_star <- 20, C_p <- 25, c_i <- 7, r <- 0.03, N <- 100, q <- 0, sigma <- 0.3, alpha <- 1)</pre>
```

## Appendix D

## Code - Structural Approach

The following source code is an implementation of the Structural Approach (Pennacchi, 2010) written in R.

```
# Price of Contingent Convertible Bond
 {\tt price\_coco\_sa} \mathrel{<\!\!-} \mathsf{function}(T\ ,\ \mathsf{npath}\ ,\ \mathsf{rho}\ ,\ \mathsf{kappa}\ ,\ \mathsf{r\_bar}\,,\ \mathsf{r0}\,,\ \mathsf{sigma\_r}\,,
       mu_Y, sigma_Y, lambda, g, x_hat, b0, p, e_bar, sigma_x, x0_low, x0_
       \label{eq:high} \ \ high \;, \ \ x0\_nint \;, \; \ B, \ \ c\_low \;, \ \ c\_high \;, \ \ c\_nint \;) \; \{
     n < -T * 250
     dt \leftarrow T / n
5
     result <- sim_corrProcess(T, npath, rho, n, dt)
6
     dW_{-}1 \leftarrow result \$dW_{-}1
8
     dW_2corr <- result $dW_2corr
9
     r <- sim_interestrate(kappa, r_bar, r0, sigma_r, dW_2corr, n, npath,
10
       dt)
11
     V_t_sa \leftarrow get_price(npath, n, dt, dW_1, dW_2corr, r, mu_Y, sigma_Y, dt)
12
       lambda, g, x_hat, b0, p, e_bar, sigma_x, x0_low, x0_high, x0_nint, B
       , c_{low}, c_{high}, c_{nint}) * 100
     return (V_t_sa)
13
14 }
15
16 sim_corrProcess <- function(T, npath, rho, n, dt){
     vect \leftarrow c(1, rho, rho, 1)
17
     RHO <- matrix (vect, nrow = 2)
18
     chol_RHO \leftarrow t(chol(RHO))
19
     # Create two Brownian Motions
21
     dW_{-1} \leftarrow matrix(1, n, npath)
22
     dW_2 \leftarrow matrix(1, n, npath)
23
24
     for (j in 1:npath)
25
26
       dW_{-}1[ , j] \leftarrow rnorm(n) * sqrt(dt)
27
       dW_2[, j] \leftarrow rnorm(n) * sqrt(dt)
29
```

```
# Create Correlated Process based on Brownian Motions using Cholesky-
31
      Decomposition
    dW_2 corr \leftarrow matrix(1, n, npath)
32
    for (j in 1:npath)
33
34
       for (i in 1:n)
35
36
         dW_{-}2 corr[i, j] \leftarrow dW_{-}1[i, j] * chol_RHO[2, 1] + dW_{-}2[i, j] * chol_RHO[2, 1]
37
     RHO[2, 2]
       }
38
    }
39
40
     return(list("dW_1" = dW_1, "dW_2corr" = dW_2corr))
41
42
44 # Create Interest Rate Process
45 sim_interestrate <- function(kappa, r_bar, r0, sigma_r, dW_2corr, n,
      npath, dt){
    r \leftarrow matrix(r0, n + 1, npath)
46
47
     for (j in 1:npath)
48
49
       for (i in 1:n)
51
         r[i+1, j] \leftarrow r[i, j] + kappa * (r_bar - r[i, j]) * dt + sigma_r
52
      * sqrt(r[i, j]) * dW_2corr[i, j]
53
    }
54
55
     return(r)
56
57
58
59 get_price <- function(npath, n, dt, dW_1, dW_2corr, r, mu_Y, sigma_Y,
      lambda, g, x_hat, b0, p, e_bar, sigma_x, x0_low, x0_high, x0_nint, B
      , c_{low}, c_{high}, c_{nint}
60
    c_fit_matrix <- matrix(0, x0_nint, length(lambda))</pre>
61
62
     for (w in 1:length (lambda))
63
64
      # Create parametres for jump process
65
       phi <- matrix(rbinom( n%*%npath, 1, dt * lambda[w]), n, npath)
66
       ln_Y <- matrix(rnorm(n\%*\%npath, mu_Y, sigma_Y), n, npath)
67
68
       b \leftarrow matrix(b0, n + 1, npath)
69
       x_bar0 < -1 + e_bar + p * b0
70
       x_bar < matrix(x_bar0, n + 1, npath)
71
72
       h \leftarrow matrix(1, n, npath)
73
74
75
       k \leftarrow \exp(mu_Y + 0.5 * sigma_Y^2) - 1
76
       c \leftarrow seq(c_low, c_high, length = c_nint)
       x0 \leftarrow seq(x0\_low, x0\_high, length = x0\_nint)
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79
                   for (1 \text{ in } 1:x0\_nint) \# Wieso?
 80
 81
                         for (m in 1:c_nint) # Wieso?
 82
 83
                             x \leftarrow matrix(x0[1], n+1, npath)
 84
                             \ln x_0 \leftarrow \operatorname{matrix}(\log(x_0[1]), n+1, npath)
                              ln_x \leftarrow ln_x0
 86
                              binom_c < -matrix(1,n+1,npath)
 87
 88
                              for (j in 1:npath)
 89
 90
                                   for (i in 1:n)
 91
 92
                                         d_1 < (ln_x[i, j] + mu_Y) / sigma_Y
                                         d_2 \leftarrow d_1 + sigma_Y
 94
 95
                                         h\,[\,i\;,\;\;j\,\,]\;\; < -\;\; lambda\,[\,w\,]\;\;*\;\; (\,pnorm\,(\;\;-\;\;d_{\,-}1\,)\;\; -\;\; exp\,(\,l\,n_{\,\,-}x\,[\,i\;,\;\;j\,\,]\,)\;\;*
 96
                 \exp(\text{mu}_Y + 0.5 * \text{sigma}_Y^2) * \text{pnorm}(-d_2))
 97
                                        b[i + 1, j] \leftarrow b[i, j] * exp(-g[w] * (exp(ln_x[i, j]) - x_-
 98
                 hat) * dt
                                         ln_x[i + 1, j] \leftarrow ln_x[i, j] + ((r[i, j] - lambda[w] * k) - lambda[w] + lambd
100
                    (r[i, j] + h[i, j] + c[m] * b[i, j]) / exp(ln_x[i, j]) - g[w] * (
                \exp(\ln_x[i, j]) - x_hat) - 0.5 * sigma_x^2) * dt + sigma_x * sqrt(dt)
                 ) * dW_{-}1[i, j] + ln_{-}Y[i, j] * phi[i, j]
101
                                         x[i + 1, j] \leftarrow \exp(\ln_{-}x[i + 1, j])
102
                                         x_bar[i + 1, j] \leftarrow 1 + e_bar + p * b[i + 1, j]
104
                                         if(x[i + 1, j] >= x_bar[i + 1, j] \&\& binom_c[i, j] > 0.5)
106
107
                                               binom_c[i + 1, j] \leftarrow 1
108
                                         } else
109
110
                                               binom_c[i + 1, j] \leftarrow 0
112
                                   }
113
                              }
114
115
                             payments \leftarrow matrix (c(rep(c[m] * dt, n-1), B), n, npath) *
116
                 binom_c[1:n,]
                              for(j in 1:npath){
                                    for (i in 2:n) {
119
                                          if(payments[i, j] = 0 \&\& p * b[sum(binom_c[, j]) + 1, j]
120
                <= x[sum(binom_c[ , j]) + 1, j] - 1)
121
                                              payments[i, j] \leftarrow p * B
                                               break
122
                                         }
123
                                         else if (payments [i, j] = 0 \&\& 0 < x [sum(binom_c[, j]) + 1,
124
                   [j] - 1 & x[sum(binom_c[ , j]) + 1, j] - 1
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]) + 1, j]) \{
                      payments[i, j] <- (x[sum(binom_c[, j]) + 1, j] - 1) * B /
125
         b \left[ sum \left( binom_c \left[ \ , \ j \right] \right) + 1, \ j \right]
                      break
126
                   }
127
                   else {
                      payments[i, j] <- payments[i, j]
130
                }
131
              }
132
              vec_disc_v \leftarrow rep(0, npath)
133
              for (j in 1:npath)
134
135
                 \operatorname{disc}_{-v} <\!\!- 0
                 int_r < 0
138
                for(i in 1:n)
139
140
                {
141
                   int_r < -int_r + r[i, j] * dt
                   \operatorname{disc}_{v} \leftarrow \operatorname{disc}_{v} + \exp(-\operatorname{int}_{r}) * \operatorname{payments}[i, j]
142
143
                 vec_disc_v[j] \leftarrow disc_v
144
146
             V_t_sa \leftarrow mean(vec_disc_v)
147
148
              return(V_t_sa)
149
           }
150
151
152
153
154
155 # Pricing Example
price_coco_sa(T = 5, npath = 2, rho = -0.2, kappa = 0.114, r_bar =
        0.069, r0 = 0.035, sigma_r = 0.07, mu_Y = -0.01, sigma_Y = 0.02,
       lambda = c(1), g = c(0.5), x_hat = 1.1, b0 = 0.04, p = 1, e_bar = 0.04
        0.02, sigma_x = 0.02, x0_low = 1.15, x0_ligh = 1.15, x0_ligh = 1.0, B
        = 1, c_{low} = 0.05, c_{high} = 0.05, c_{nint} = 10
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