

report

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In this TP we compared two options evaluation models. The black sholes and the binomial model under steady parameters both converge to the same value. This can be proved mathematically since the asymptotic of binomial distribution on which Binomial model is based on approaches the lognormal distribution used in Black Scholes.

- 1) Below we see the implementations of both Black Scholes. At the end we calculate the value of the call option

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[366]: import numpy as np
import scipy.stats as si

def Black_Scholes_Algo(S, K, T, r, sigma):
    #S: spot price
    #K: strike price
    #T: time to maturity
    #r: interest rate
    #sigma: volatility of underlying asset
    d1 = (np.log(S / K) + (r + 0.5 * sigma ** 2) * T) / (sigma * np.
→sqrt(T))
    d2 = (np.log(S / K) + (r - 0.5 * sigma ** 2) * T) / (sigma * np.
→sqrt(T))

    call = (S * si.norm.cdf(d1, 0.0, 1.0) - K * np.exp(
        -r * T) * si.norm.cdf(d2, 0.0, 1.0))
    return call

# current stock price
S0 = 100; S = S0
# initial time

t0 = 0
# time until option expiration,
call_maturity_T = 1;
t = call_maturity_T
#steady; risk-free-rate
r=0.05
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# K = Options striking pruce
K = 120
volatility_sigma = 0.2; s = volatility_sigma
C = Black_Scholes_Algo(S,K,t,r,s)
print("EX 1.1: the value of this call at t = 0 IS c = ", C)

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Not the that the value takes into account the following parameters:

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N = number of binomial iterations
/ tree deth
S0 = initial stock price
u = factor change of upstate
/volatility
r = risk free interest rate per annum
K = strike price"""

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2) Below we we see the implemenations of both algorithms.

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[367]: # binomial tree to determine the call option value.
def binomial_model(N, S0, s, r, K, t_maturity):
    t=t_maturity/N
    u = np.e**(s*np.sqrt(t))
    d = np.e**(-s*np.sqrt(t))
    p = (np.e**(r*t) - d) / (u-d);
    stock = np.zeros([N + 1, N + 1])

    stock[0][0] = S0

    for i in range(1, N + 1):
        for j in range(0, i + 1):
            stock[j, i] = S0 * (u ** j) * (d ** (i-j))

    option = np.zeros([N + 1, N + 1])
    stock_max = stock[:,N]
    for j in range(N+1):
        option[:, j] = np.maximum(
            np.zeros(N+1),
            (stock_max[j] - K)
        )

    for i in range(N-1, -1, -1):
        for j in range(0,i+1):
            option[i,j] = (np.e**(-r * t) ) * (p * option[i+1,j+1] + (1 - p) *
→option[i+1,j])

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    return option[0][0]

# current stock price
S0 = 100
# initial time
t0 = 0
# time until option expiration,
call_maturity_T = 1;
# steady; risk-free-rate
r=0.05
# K = Options striking price
K = 120
s = 0.2
max_tree_depth = 300
# binomial_model(max_tree_depth, S0, s, r, K, call_maturity_T)
tree_depths = [ x for x in range(1, max_tree_depth)]
models = [
    binomial_model(N, S0, s, r, K, call_maturity_T)
    for N in tree_depths
]

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3) How deep should be the tree in order to get a reasonable approximation?

According to theory the binomial model converges on the Black–Scholes formula value as the number of time steps increases. The following convergence can be seen below too in the experiment, we can see that after depth 50 we don't have significant fluctuations.

4) Plot the evolution of the estimated value of the call option as a function of the binomial tree depth.

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[368]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.plot( tree_depths, models)
plt.xlabel("tree depth")
plt.ylabel(" call value")
plt.title(" convergence of binomial model")

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[368]: Text(0.5, 1.0, ' convergence of binomial model')

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