## VBA code to check analytical/semi-analytical analysis of the characteristics of the Expected Worst Loss in T realisations for Normal random variables

[Nematrian website page: ExpectedWorstLossAnalysisVBACode, © Nematrian 2015]

See <u>here</u> for an analytical/semi-analytical analysis. This page provides VBA code (for Microsoft Excel) capable of carrying out a simulation analysis to check the analytical/semi-analytical analysis:

**Option Explicit** 

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Public Sub TestExpectedWorstLostInTRealisationsNormal()
  'tests (in VBA) results derived analytically or semi-analytically for Expected Worst Loss
  'in T realisations, if underlying random variables are unit Normal (i.e. N(0,1))
  Dim i As Integer
  Dim j As Integer
  Dim m As Integer
  Dim n As Integer
  Dim r() As Double
  Dim rmin() As Double
  Dim avrmin() As Double
  Dim xsum As Double
  m = 256
  n = 10000
  ReDim r(0 To m - 1, 0 To n - 1)
  ReDim rmin(0 To m - 1, 0 To n - 1)
  ReDim avrmin(0 To m - 1)
  'populate m series each with n example draws.
  For i = 0 To m - 1
    For j = 0 To n - 1
      r(i, j) = Excel.WorksheetFunction.NormSInv(Rnd())
    Next
  Next
  'calculate minimum of first i of the series, for each of the example draws, and their averages
  xsum = 0
  For j = 0 To n - 1
    rmin(0, j) = r(0, j)
    xsum = xsum + rmin(0, j)
  Next
  avrmin(0) = xsum / n
  For i = 1 To m - 1
    xsum = 0
    For j = 0 To n - 1
      If r(i, j) > rmin(i - 1, j) Then
         rmin(i, j) = rmin(i - 1, j)
      Else
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rmin(i, j) = r(i, j)
      End If
      xsum = xsum + rmin(i, j)
    Next
    avrmin(i) = xsum / n
  Next
  'and output
  With ThisWorkbook.Worksheets("Sheet1")
    .Cells(1, 1) = "T"
    .Cells(1, 2) = "EWL in T realisations (approx)"
    For i = 0 To m - 1
      .Cells(2 + i, 1) = i + 1
      .Cells(2 + i, 2) = avrmin(i)
    Next
  End With
End Sub
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