

## ap\_waley

This algorithm of approximation of the price of the american put option was proposed by Barone-Adesi and Whaley[1]).

**/\*Put Whaley Exponent/\***

Computation of Put Whaley exponent  $q_2$  (cf.[there](#)).

**/\*Call Whaley Exponent/\***

Computation of Call Whaley exponent  $q_1$  (cf.[there](#)).

**/\*Put Critical Price/\***

We compute the critical prices with a iterative method for non linear equation (cf. [there](#)).

**/\*Call Critical Price/\***

We compute the critical prices with a iterative method for non linear equation (cf. [there](#)).

**/\*Whaley Formula/\***

Computation of option price (cf.[there](#)).

**/\*Price/\***

**/\*Delta/\***

To evaluate the delta we use a finite difference method.

## References

- [1] G.BARONE-ADESI R.E.WHALEY. Efficient analytic approximation of American option values. *Journal of Finance*, 42:301–320, 1987. [1](#)