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Assignment - 2.2

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Given that =

Solution \Rightarrow Profit or loss = (Forward price - Spot price) \times 1000

• Forward price = \$ 2050

• Contract size = 1000 ounces

May - 2024 spot price (\$)	Profit or Loss (\$)
1400	$(2050 - 1400) \times 1000 = 650,000$
1500	$(2050 - 1500) \times 1000 = 550,000$
1560	$(2050 - 1560) \times 1000 = 490,000$
1600	$(2050 - 1600) \times 1000 = 450,000$
1800	$(2050 - 1800) \times 1000 = 250,000$
2050	$(2050 - 2050) \times 1000 = 0$
2200	$(2050 - 2200) \times 1000 = -150,000$
2300	$(2050 - 2300) \times 1000 = -250,000$
2400	$(2050 - 2400) \times 1000 = -350,000$

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Solution

(a) solution

(b) solution

(c) solution

(d) solution

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solution \rightarrow Profit or Loss = (Final Price - Initial Price) \times Contract Size
 \times Number of contract

(a)

solution \rightarrow Profit/Loss = $(5.80 - 5.20) \times 5000 = 0.60 \times 5000$
 $= \$3000$ (Profit)

(b)

solution \rightarrow Profit/Loss = $(1.6 - 1.4) \times 37500$
 $= \$7500$ (Profit)

(c)

solution \rightarrow Profit/Loss = $(7500 - 7800) \times 25 \times 40 = (-300) \times 25 \times 40$
 $= -300,000$ AUD (Loss)

(d)

solution \rightarrow Profit/Loss = $(13500 - 13000) \times 5 \times 2 = \text{RM } 5000$ (Profit)

Q. 3)

Spot

- immediate trade where payment & delivery are together

Future

trade is decided today delivery is in future.

- A future contracts works by -

1. Contract specification: each contract specifies quantity, delivery, month and location.
2. Order placement
3. Initial margin & position establishment.
4. Market valuation
5. Closing out / Delivery.

- Role of commodity exchange

1. Price discovery & transparency
2. Settlement & delivery facilitation.

Q. 6) put-call parity -

$$C - P = S - Ke^{-\delta T}$$

$$C = \$20, P = \$15, S = \$130, K = \$120, T = 1$$

$$20 - 15 = 130 - 120e^{-\delta \cdot 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 15 = 130 - 120e^{-\delta \cdot 1}$$

$$120 e^{-\lambda} = 115$$

$$e^{-\lambda} = \frac{115}{120} = \frac{23}{24} = 0.958\bar{3}$$

$$-\lambda = \ln(0.958\bar{3})$$

$$\lambda = -\ln(0.958\bar{3})$$

$$= -(-0.0423)$$

$$\lambda = 0.0423 \text{ yr}^{-1} \quad 4.3 \text{ yr.}$$