CFA一级知识框架图 Alternative Investments

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Alternative Investments		
	➤ Hedge Fund	Funds of fundsFee structures
	> Private Equity	Venture capitalLBO
框架	> Real Estate	REITsPerformance, diversification
	Commodities	Investment vehiclesFutures pricing
	> Other Investmen	ts



Alternative Investments		
	> Illiquidity of underlying investments	
Narrow manage specialization		
かし	Low correlation with traditional investments	
性质★	Low level of regulation and less transparency	
	Limited and potentially problematic historical risk and return data	
	Unique legal and tax considerations	
相比	➤ High Return	
传统投资	> High Risk (HF显示为 low risk) → Sharpe ratio不准	

Hedge Funds Strategies		
概念	 ➤ Hurdle rate ➤ High water mark ➤ 2 and 20 (术语) 	



	Hedge Fund
构成	> Event-driven strategies: merger arbitrage & distressed/restructuring
	> Relative value strategies: convertible arbitrage
	Macro strategies
	> Equity hedge strategies: market neutral & short bias
费用计算	> Based on capital under management
文	Fee: management fee & incentive fee
	Net of (or before) management fee
	➤ Aggressively managed →use of leverages →aimed at higher returns
	➤ Large initial outlay → limited number of investors →less restricted
性质	> Hedge fund indices 不准→ survivorship bias & backfill bias
	➤ Restrictions on redemptions → lockup period & notice period
	➤ Partnership: LP雇佣GP



Private equity		
性质	 Partnerships → LG(investor) & GP (PE firm) Fee structures → Management fees → Based on committed capital Incentive fees 	
# / 1 + 1 2	➤ LBO: Target ★	 Undervalued Willing management Inefficient companies Strong and sustainable cash flow Low leverage Physical assets
构成	➤ VC: stage(各阶段的资金用途)★	 Formative-Stage ✓ Angel Investing ✓ Seed-Stage: VC进入 ✓ Early-Stage Later-Stage: Expansion –Stage Financing Mezzanine Stage: Bridge to IPO



Private Equity		
Exit Strategies	Trade sale: IPO: recapitalization: secondary sale: write off/liquidation	
Real Estate		
投资原因 (概念)	 Long-term total returns Lessen cash flow impact from economic shocks Diversification benefits REIT index and equity returns: high correlation REIT index and bond returns: low correlation Inflation 	
投资分类	 Residential property Commercial real estate REIT investing MBS 	

> Timberland and farmland



Real Estate		
Valuation	> 实体物业估值	Comparable sales approachIncome approachCost approach
method	➤ REITS估值	Income based approachAsset based approach
*Performance Measurements	 Appraisal index Repeat sales (transaction-based) index REIT index 	

Commodities	
★★概念	Contango → FP > SPBackwardation → SP > FP
投资原因	Exposure to an economy: changes in commodity prices > changes in finished goods prices.



	Commodities	
投资方式	 Derivatives ETF Common stock Managed futures funds Individual managed accounts Funds in specific commodity sectors Commodity indices → 用 futures price 	
收入来源 (Commodity futures)	 Collateral yield → T-bill 做Margin Price return → SP变化 Roll yield → the difference between ΔFP and ΔSP ★ ✓ Roll Yield > 0 → backwardation ✓ Roll Yield < 0 → contango 	



Infrastructure

性质

- High barriers to entry
- > Stable cash flows
- Protection against inflation
- ➤ Better match the longer-term liability structure of some investors

Other Alternative Investments: Collectibles

性质

- ➤ No current income
- Long-term capital appreciation
- Diversify a portfolio
- Source of enjoyment
- > Fluctuate dramatically in value
- Highly illiquid



