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Problem 1.

10 types of currencies target.

① Final position  $\geq$  Desired position

② max portfolio value measured in \$.

$\Rightarrow$  Linear programming

$$\max \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij} \right)$$

subject to. ①  $\sum_{i=1}^n r_{ij} \cdot \vec{x}_{ij} = \vec{a}_j$

②.  $\text{sum}(\vec{x}_{ij}) \geq b_i, \forall i=1, 2, \dots, 10$

③  $x_{ij} \geq 0, \forall i=1, 2, \dots, 10, j=1, 2, \dots, 10.$

the outcome is shown in excel.

final position is 60 25 6 2 20 13.35 3. 1807 40 13.

Final portfolio value measured in dollar is \$ 154.64

Problem 2.

In this model we make available \$100 in USD to purchase other currency. and pump through the system. In the end, if our portfolio is higher than \$100, the arbitrage exists.

~~Max:~~

use ①  $\sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} = \text{Cashin}^{(j)} \text{ of } j$

②.  $\sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} \cdot r_{ij} = \text{Cashout}^{(j)} \text{ of } j$

max:  $\sum_{j=1}^n \text{Cashin}^{(j)} \cdot r_{\$j}$

subject to:  $\vec{\text{Cashin}} \geq \vec{\text{Cashout}}$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \text{Cashout}^{(j)} \cdot r_{\$j} \leq 100$$

$\Rightarrow$  the result in excel shows that the final value of portfolio is about \$100.32.  $>$  \$100, profit exists.



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
2													
3			<i>Initial</i>	<i>Desired</i>									
4			<i>Position</i>	<i>Position</i>									
5		EUR	70	60									
6		USD	20	25									
7		AUD	8	6									
8		GBP	3	2									
9		NZD	15	20									
10		CAD	7	8									
11		CHF	2	3									
12		JPY	1,500	1,800									
13		HKD	35	40									
14		SGD	18	13									
15													
16	<b>Cross rates</b>												
17			EUR	USD	AUD	GBP	NZD	CAD	CHF	JPY	HKD	SGD	
18		(buy)EUR	1	1.09875	1.63	0.9	1.741	1.462	1.087	116.795	8.6188	1.5247	
19		USD	0.9082	1	1.48	0.82	1.584	1.331	0.989	106.249	7.8411	1.3872	
20		AUD	0.6133	0.67336	1	0.55	1.067	0.896	0.666	71.548	5.2825	0.9345	
21	Currency Purchased	GBP	1.1067	1.21602	1.81	1	1.927	1.618	1.204	129.229	9.5389	1.6875	
22		NZD	0.5746	0.63086	0.94	0.52	1	0.84	0.624	67.013	4.9494	0.8756	
23		CAD	0.6837	0.75123	1.11	0.62	1.185	1	0.743	79.793	5.891	1.0421	
24		CHF	0.9168	1.01025	1.5	0.83	1.6	1.349	1	107.331	7.9217	1.4016	
25		JPY	0.0085	0.00941	0.01	0.01	0.015	0.013	0.009	1	0.0736	0.013	
26		HKD	0.1158	0.12747	0.19	0.1	0.202	0.17	0.126	13.5531	1	0.1766	
27		SGD	0.6543	0.7216	1.07	0.59	1.138	0.988	0.714	76.6175	5.6532	1	
28													
29	question1												
30	position		EUR	USD	AUD	GBP	NZD	CAD	CHF	JPY	HKD	SGD	
31		(buy)EUR	36.955	17.73304	0	0	0	4.788	0	0	0.5238	0	final
32		USD	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60
33		AUD	0	0.766037	0	0	0	0	3.001	2.23263	0	0	25
34		GBP	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
35		NZD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	2
36		CAD	0	0	7.2	4.88	1.271	0	0	0	0	0	20
37		CHF	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13.351
38		JPY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
39		HKD	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	414.32	1385.7	0	1800
40		SGD	1.1398	0	0	0	11.86	0	0	0	0	0	40
41													13
42		initial position	70.00	20.00	8.00	3.00	15.00	7.00	2.00	1,500.00	35.00	18.00	Objective
43		mesured in dollar	66.065	25	4.04	2.43	12.63	10.03	3.032	16.9413	5.1013	9.3713	154.643
44			77.076	20	5.39	3.65	9.469	5.26	2.022	14.1178	4.4637	12.976	154.421
45													
46	question2												
47		(buy)EUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	cash in
48		USD	0	0	0	0	0	1E-15	0	0.31966	0	0	0
49		AUD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.31966
50		GBP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
51		NZD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52.5835	0	0	0
52		CAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52.5835
53		CHF	1E-14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
54		JPY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3557.7	1.4E-14
55		HKD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3557.74
56		SGD	0	0	0	0	46.22	0	0	0	0	0	0
57		cash out	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.58	0.00	0.00	3,557.74	0.00	46.22	46.2151
58		initial		100									
59		objectiv		100.3197									