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BUSI 521: Asset Pricing Theory

ECON 505: Financial Economics I

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As usual, collaboration on this assignment is not permitted.

1. What is the equilibrium in the Grossman-Stiglitz model when informed investors are risk averse and uninformed investor are risk neutral?
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3. Do Exercise 8.1, parts (b)–(e). The answer to part (a) is as follows. Under the given assumptions, the return on the risky asset from  $t$  to  $t + 1$  is  $R_h := (k + 1)\lambda_h/k$  when  $D_{t+1}/D_t = \lambda_h$  and the return is  $R_\ell := (k + 1)\lambda_\ell/k$  when  $D_{t+1}/D_t = \lambda_\ell$ . The necessary and sufficient condition for the absence of arbitrage opportunities is  $R_h > R_f > R_\ell$ .