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Quiz #12

Review of options and forwards.

In preparation for the next class, please solve the following problems:

Problem 12.1. (5 points) For a continuous-dividend-paying asset whose price is denoted by $\mathbf{S} = \{S(t), t \geq 0\}$ with the dividend yield δ , what is the expression for:

- (i) (2 points) the **prepaid-forward** price for delivery of one unit of the asset at time-T;
- (ii) (3 points) the forward price for delivery of one unit of the asset at time-T

Problem 12.2. (4 points) Consider an asset with the price is denoted by $\mathbf{S} = \{S(t), t \geq 0\}$. (2 points) What is the expression for the **payoff** of a long K-strike European call on that asset with exercise date T?

(2 points) What is the expression for the **payoff** of a long K-strike European put on that asset with exercise date T?

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Problem 12.3. (6 points)

Consider an asset with the price is denoted by $\mathbf{S} = \{S(t), t \geq 0\}$. Portfolio A consists of the following components:

- ullet a long K-strike European call on ${f S}$ with exercise date T, and
- a $\overline{\text{short}}$ K—strike European put on $\mathbf S$ with exercise date T. Draw the payoff curve of the above portfolio.

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