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## **CFA Level 2 – Formula Sheet (2024)**

### **Setting Up the Texas BA II Plus Financial Calculator**

Video: <https://youtu.be/0MS8d8QOFmc>

## **QUANTITATIVE METHODS**

### **Learning Module 1 | Basics of Multiple Regression and Underlying Assumptions**

$$Y_i = b_0 + b_1X_{1i} + b_2X_{2i} + \cdots + b_kX_{ki} + \varepsilon_i \quad i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$$

where:

$Y$  = dependent variable

$X$  = independent variable

$b_0$  = intercept

$b_1, b_2, \dots, b_k$  = slope coefficients

$\varepsilon$  = error term

$n$  = number of observations

$k$  = number of independent variables

$b_0, b_1, b_2, \dots, b_k$  = regression coefficients

$$\text{Variation of } Y = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

### **Learning Module 2 | Evaluating Regression Model Fit and Interpreting Model Results**

Coefficient of determination,  $R^2$

$$R^2 = \frac{\text{Sum of Squares Regression}}{\text{Sum of Squares Total}} = \frac{SSR}{SST} = 1 - \frac{SSE}{SST}$$

$$\text{Sum of Squares Total, } SST = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

$$\text{Sum of Squares Regression, } SSR = \sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{Y}_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

$$\text{Sum of Squares Error, } SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2$$

$$\text{Adjusted } R^2, \bar{R}^2 = 1 - \left[ \frac{SSE/(n-k-1)}{SST/(n-1)} \right] = 1 - \left( \frac{n-1}{n-k-1} \right) (1 - R^2)$$

**Akaike's information criterion (AIC)**

$$AIC = n \ln \left( \frac{\text{Sum of squares error}}{n} \right) + 2(k + 1)$$

where:

$n$  = Sample size

$k$  = Number of independent variables in the model

**Schwarz's Bayesian information criterion (BIC of SBC)**

$$BIC = n \ln \left( \frac{\text{Sum of squares error}}{n} \right) + \ln(n) (k + 1)$$

**F-distributed test statistic for jointly omitted variables**

$$F = \frac{(\text{Sum of squares error restricted model} - \text{Sum of squares unrestricted})/q}{\text{Sum of squares unrestricted model}/(n - k - 1)}$$

where:

$q$  = Number of restrictions (i.e., number of variables omitted in the restricted model compared to the unrestricted model)

$$H_0: b_m = b_{m+1} = \dots = b_{m+q-1} = 0$$

$H_a$ : At least one of the  $q$  slopes  $\neq 0$

**F-test for joint test of slope coefficients**

ANOVA	df	SS	MS	F
Regression	$k$	$SSR$	$SSR/k$	$\frac{SSR/k}{SSE/(n - k - 1)}$
Residual	$n - k - 1$	$SSE$	$SSE/(n - k - 1)$	
Total	$n - 1$	$SST$		

$$F \text{ statistic} = \frac{\text{Mean Square Regression}}{\text{Mean Square Error}} = \frac{SSR/k}{SSE/(n - k - 1)}$$

$$H_0: b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_k = 0$$

$H_a$ : At least one  $b_j \neq 0$

**t-test statistic for slope coefficient**

$$t = \frac{\hat{b}_j - B_j}{s_{\hat{b}_j}}$$

where:

$\hat{b}_j$  = Regression estimate of  $b_j$

$B_j$  = Hypothesized value of coefficient  $j$

$s_{\hat{b}_j}$  = Estimated standard error of  $\hat{b}_j$

Video (Simple Linear Regression): [https://youtu.be/uR\\_9im2JP18](https://youtu.be/uR_9im2JP18)

Learning Module 3 | Model Misspecification**Breusch-Pagan Test**

$$\text{Test Statistic, } \chi^2_{BP,k} = nR^2$$

where:

$R^2$  = R-squared between squared residuals and independent variables

**Variance Inflation Factor (VIF)**

$$VIF_j = \frac{1}{1 - R_j^2}$$

where:

$R_j^2$  = Variation in  $X_j$  explained by the other  $k - 1$  independent variables

Learning Module 4 | Extensions of Multiple Regression**Detecting Influential Points**

Sum of individual leverages for all observations =  $k + 1$

If observation's leverage  $> 3 \left( \frac{k+1}{n} \right) \Rightarrow$  Potentially influential observation

**Studentized Deleted Residual,  $t_{i^*}$** 

$$t_{i^*} = \frac{e_i^*}{s_{e^*}} = \frac{e_i}{\sqrt{MSE_{(i)}(1 - h_{ii})}} \sqrt{\frac{n - k - 1}{SSE(1 - h_{ii}) - e_i^2}}$$

where:

$e_i^*$  = The residual with the  $i$ th observation deleted

$s_{e^*}$  = The standard deviation of the residuals

$k$  = The number of independent variables

$MSE_{(i)}$  = Mean squared error of the regression model that deletes the  $i$ th observation

$h_{ii}$  = The leverage value for the  $i$ th observation

**Cook's Distance**

$$D_i = \frac{e_i^2}{(k+1)MSE} \left[ \frac{h_{ii}}{(1-h_{ii})^2} \right]$$

where:

$e_i$  = Residual for observation  $i$

$k$  = The number of independent variables

$MSE$  = Mean square error of the estimated regression model

$h_{ii}$  = The leverage value for the  $i$ th observation

If  $D_i > \sqrt{k/n}$ , then  $i$ th observation is highly likely to be an influential data point

**Logistic Regression (Logit)**

$$\ln \left( \frac{P}{1-P} \right) = b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_2 + \dots + b_kX_k + \varepsilon$$

$$P = \frac{1}{1 + \exp[-(b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_2 + \dots + b_kX_k + \varepsilon)]}$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{P}{1-P} \right) = \text{Log odds}$$

$$\text{Odds ratio} = e^{b_i}$$

**Likelihood ratio (LR) test**

$$LR = -2(\text{Log likelihood restricted model} - \text{Log likelihood unrestricted model})$$

**Learning Module 5 | Time-Series Analysis****Linear Trend Models**

$$Y_t = b_0 + b_1t + \varepsilon_t \quad t = 1, 2, \dots, T$$

$t$  = time (independent variable)

**Log-Linear Trend Models**

$$Y_t = e^{b_0 + b_1t} \quad t = 1, 2, \dots, T$$

$$\ln Y_t = b_0 + b_1t$$

Growth rate of  $Y = e^{b_1} - 1$

**p-th order autoregressive model,  $AR(p)$** 

$$x_t = b_0 + b_1x_{t-1} + b_2x_{t-2} + \dots + b_px_{t-p} + \varepsilon_t$$

**Test statistic for autocorrelation of residuals**

$$t = \frac{\text{Residual autocorrelation} - 0}{\text{Standard error}} = \frac{\text{Residual autocorrelation}}{1/\sqrt{T}}$$

where:

$$\rho_{\varepsilon,k} = \frac{\text{Cov}(\varepsilon_t, \varepsilon_{t-k})}{\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2} = k^{\text{th}} \text{ order autocorrelation of the residual}$$

**Mean reverting level for AR(1) model**

$$x_t = \frac{b_0}{1 - b_1}$$

**Root Mean Squared Error**

$$RMSE = \sqrt{\frac{\text{Squared error}}{n}}$$

**Dickey and Fuller Unit-Root Test**

$$x_t - x_{t-1} = b_0 + g_1x_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

where:

$$g_1 = b_1 - 1$$

ARCH(1):

$$\hat{\sigma}_{t+1}^2 = a_0 + a_1\hat{\varepsilon}_t^2$$

**Learning Module 6 | Machine Learning****Neural Networks**

$$\text{New network weight} = \text{Old weight} - \text{Learning rate} \times \left( \text{Partial derivative of the total error with respect to the old weight} \right)$$



## Learning Module 7 | Big Data Projects

Normalization of variable X

$$X_{i \text{ (normalized)}} = \frac{X_i - X_{\min}}{X_{\max} - X_{\min}}$$

Standardization of variable X

$$X_{i \text{ (standardized)}} = \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}$$

$$\text{Precision, } P = \frac{\text{True Positive}}{\text{True Positive} + \text{False Positive}}$$

$$\text{Recall, } R = \frac{\text{True Positive}}{\text{True Positive} + \text{False Negative}}$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{\text{True Positive} + \text{True Negative}}{\text{True Positive} + \text{False Positive} + \text{True Negative} + \text{False Negative}}$$

$$\text{F1 Score} = \frac{2 \times \text{Precision} \times \text{Recall}}{\text{Precision} + \text{Recall}}$$

$$\text{False Positive Rate, FPR} = \frac{\text{False Positive}}{\text{True Negative} + \text{False Positive}}$$

$$\text{True Positive Rate, TPR} = \frac{\text{True Positive}}{\text{True Positive} + \text{False Negative}}$$

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$$\text{Inverse Document Frequency, IDF} = \log\left(\frac{1}{DF}\right)$$

$$TF\text{-IDF} = TF \times IDF$$

## ECONOMICS

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### Learning Module 1 | Currency Exchange Rates: Understanding Equilibrium Value

#### **Cross Rates**

When given  $\frac{A}{C}$  and  $\frac{C}{B}$ , then  $\frac{A}{B} = \frac{A}{C} \times \frac{C}{B}$

When given  $\frac{A}{C}$  and  $\frac{B}{C}$ , then  $\frac{A}{B} = \frac{A}{C} \times \frac{1}{\left(\frac{B}{C}\right)}$

Currency pair	Bid	Bid/Ask
A/B	$x$	$y$
B/A	$1/y$	$1/x$

Video: <https://youtu.be/wyDKKPkPhzw>

#### **Arbitrage Opportunities Between Dealers and Interbank**

Video: <https://youtu.be/Lqo9UZ3yyEA>

#### **Covered Interest Rate Parity**

$$F_{f/d} = S_{f/d} \left[ \frac{1 + i_f \left( \frac{\text{Actual}}{360} \right)}{1 + i_d \left( \frac{\text{Actual}}{360} \right)} \right]$$

$$\frac{F_{f/d} - S_{f/d}}{S_{f/d}} = \frac{(i_f - i_d) \left( \frac{\text{Actual}}{360} \right)}{1 + i_d \left( \frac{\text{Actual}}{360} \right)}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/9jOzFA9GuHU>

#### **Mark-to-Market Value of a Forward Contract**

Original position: **Long** base currency  $d$  forward at forward rate  $F_{0,f/d}$  (Offer side)

$$\text{Value of Long Forward} = \frac{(F_{t,f/d} - F_{0,f/d}) \times \text{Contract Size}}{1 + i_f \left( \frac{\text{Remaining days to maturity}}{360} \right)}$$

$F_{t,f/d}$  = Forward rate at valuation date,  $t$  (Bid side)

Video: <https://youtu.be/wLqyZRrutAc>

**Uncovered Interest Rate Parity**

$$E(S_{f/d}) = S_{f/d} \left[ \frac{1 + i_f \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)}{1 + i_d \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)} \right]$$

$$\% \Delta S_{f/d}^e = \frac{(i_f - i_d) \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)}{1 + i_d \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)} \approx (i_f - i_d) \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)$$

Video (Carry Trade): <https://youtu.be/26fG3Zvzyg>

**Absolute PPP**

$$S_{f/d} = \frac{P_f}{P_d}$$

**Relative PPP**

$$\% \Delta S_{f/d}^e = \frac{(\pi_f - \pi_d) \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)}{1 + \pi_d \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)} \approx (\pi_f - \pi_d) \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)$$

**Ex ante PPP**

$$\% \Delta S_{f/d}^e \approx (\pi_f^e - \pi_d^e) \left( \frac{Actual}{360} \right)$$

**International Fisher Effect**

$$i_f - i_d = \pi_f^e - \pi_d^e$$

where:

$\pi^e$  = Expected inflation rate

$\pi$  = Actual inflation rate

**Mundell-Fleming Model**

Bonus Video: <https://youtu.be/xNo3GpWYgKA>

## Learning Module 2 | Economic Growth and the Investment Decision

### **Grinold-Kroner Model**

$$E(R_e) = DY + \Delta(P/E) + i + g - \Delta S$$

where:

$E(R_e)$  = Expected equity return

$DY$  = Dividend yield

$\Delta(P/E)$  = Expected repricing

$i$  = Expected inflation rate

$g$  = Real economic growth rate

$\Delta S$  = Change in shares outstanding

### **Dilution effect**

$$\Delta S = \text{Net buyback} + \text{Relative dynamism}$$

### **Cobb-Douglas Production Function**

$$Y = TK^\alpha L^{1-\alpha} \quad \text{where } \alpha < 1$$

where:

$Y$  = Output

$\alpha$  = Share of output allocated to capital ( $K$ )

$1 - \alpha$  = share of output allocated to labor ( $L$ )

$T$  = total factor productivity ( $TFP$ ), represents technological progress of the economy

$$\text{Output per worker} = \frac{Y}{L} = T \left( \frac{K}{L} \right)^\alpha$$

$$\text{Percentage change in labor productivity} = \text{Percentage change in total factor productivity} + \text{Percentage change in capital deepening}$$

$$\frac{\Delta(Y/L)}{Y/L} = \frac{\Delta T}{T} + \alpha \frac{\Delta(K/L)}{K/L}$$

Marginal product of capital, MPK

$$MPK = \alpha \left( \frac{Y}{K} \right)$$

Amount of output that is allocated to providers of capital,  $a$

$$\alpha = \frac{rK}{Y}$$

Growth Accounting equation:

$$\frac{\Delta Y}{Y} = \frac{\Delta T}{T} + \alpha \frac{\Delta K}{K} + (1 - \alpha) \frac{\Delta L}{L}$$

Growth rate in potential GDP = Long-term growth rate of **labor force** + Long-term growth rate in **labor productivity**

$$\frac{\Delta Y}{Y} = \frac{\Delta L}{L} + \frac{\Delta(Y/L)}{Y/L}$$

$$\text{Labor force participation} = \frac{\text{Labor force}}{\text{Working age population}}$$

**Sustainable growth rate of output per capita**

$$g^* = \frac{\theta}{1 - \alpha}$$

**Sustainable growth rate of output (Steady state growth rate)**

$$G^* = \frac{\theta}{1 - \alpha} + n$$

**Equilibrium output-to-capital ratio (in steady state):**

$$\frac{Y}{K} = \frac{1}{s} \left[ \frac{\theta}{1 - \alpha} + n + \delta \right]$$

where:

$\theta$  = growth rate of TFP

$\alpha$  = elasticity of output with respect to capital

$s$  = fraction of income (Y) that is saved

$\delta$  = rate of depreciation of physical capital stock

$n$  = labor supply growth =  $\% \Delta L$

### Endogenous Growth Model

Production function:

$$y_e = ck_e$$

Growth rate of output per capita:

$$\frac{\Delta y_e}{y_e} = \frac{\Delta k}{k_e} = sc - \delta - n$$

where:

$y_e$  = output per worker

$k_e$  = capital per worker

$c$  = marginal product of capital in the aggregate economy (constant)

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT ANALYSIS

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### Learning Module 1 | Intercorporate Investments

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#### Investments in Associates (Equity Method)

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Ending} \\ \text{investment in} \\ \text{associates} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \text{Beginning} \\ \text{investment in} \\ \text{associates} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \text{Share of} \\ \text{net income} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Share of} \\ \text{dividend} \\ \text{received} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Amortization of excess} \\ \text{purchase price} \end{array}$$

Impact on **Investor's** Income Statement

$$= \begin{array}{c} \text{Share of} \\ \text{net income} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Amortization of excess} \\ \text{purchase price} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Share of Unrealized profit from} \\ \text{downstream or upstream sale} \end{array}$$

#### Business Combinations (Acquisition Method)

Excess purchase price

$$= \text{Acquisition price} - \% \text{Ownership} \times \text{Book value of net identifiable assets}$$

#### Partial Goodwill

$$= \text{Acquisition price} - (\% \text{Ownership} \times \text{Fair value of identifiable net assets})$$

$$= \text{Acquisition price} - (\% \text{Ownership} \times \text{Book value of identifiable net assets}) \\ - (\% \text{Ownership} \times \text{Excess purchase price attributable to identifiable net assets})$$

$$\text{Non controlling interest} = \% \text{NCI} \times \text{Fair value of identifiable net assets}$$

#### Full Goodwill

$$= \text{Fair value of entity} - \text{Fair value of net identifiable assets}$$

$$\text{Non controlling interest} = \% \text{NCI} \times \text{Fair value of entity}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/RgxmPbx4-0o>

#### IFRS

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Impairment} \\ \text{loss} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \text{Carrying value of} \\ \text{cash generating unit} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Recoverable amount of} \\ \text{cash generating unit} \end{array}$$

#### US GAAP

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Implied} \\ \text{goodwill} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \text{Fair value of} \\ \text{reporting unit} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Fair value of reporting unit's} \\ \text{identifiable net assets} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Impairment} \\ \text{loss} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \text{Carrying value} \\ \text{of goodwill} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Implied} \\ \text{goodwill} \end{array}$$

## Learning Module 2 | Employee Compensation - Post-Employment and Share-Based

### **Share-Based Compensation Accounting**

$$\text{Compensation expense} = \frac{\text{Fair value of award on grant date}}{\text{Vesting period}}$$

### **Treasury Stock Method**

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Diluted} \\ \text{shares} \\ \text{outstanding} \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} \text{Basic} \\ \text{shares} \\ \text{outstanding} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Shares issued from} \\ \text{conversion or exercise} \\ \text{of share based awards} \end{array} - \frac{\begin{array}{l} \text{Proceeds from} \\ \text{conversion or exercise} \\ \text{of share based awards} \end{array}}{\begin{array}{l} \text{Average share price for} \\ \text{the reporting period} \end{array}}$$

$$\text{Assumed proceeds} = \begin{array}{l} \text{Cash proceeds} \\ \text{from exercise} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Average unrecognized} \\ \text{share-based} \\ \text{compensation expense} \end{array}$$

### **Forecasting Shares Outstanding With Share-Based Awards**

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Basic shares} \\ \text{outstanding,} \\ \text{end of period} \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} \text{Basic shares} \\ \text{outstanding,} \\ \text{beginning of period} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{RSUs vested} \\ \text{+} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \text{Share options} \\ \text{exercised} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Shares issued from} \\ \text{+ secondaries,} \\ \text{acquisitions, etc.} \end{array} - \begin{array}{l} \text{Share} \\ \text{repurchases} \end{array}$$

### **Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans**

$$\text{Funded status} = \text{Fair value of plan assets} - \text{Pension obligation}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Ending fair value} \\ \text{of plan assets} \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} \text{Beginning fair value} \\ \text{of plan assets} \end{array} + \text{Contributions} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Actual return} \\ \text{on plan assets} \end{array} - \begin{array}{l} \text{Benefits} \\ \text{paid} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Ending pension} \\ \text{obligation} \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} \text{Beginning pension} \\ \text{obligation} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Service} \\ \text{costs} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Interest} \\ \text{cost} \end{array} + \begin{array}{l} \text{Actuarial} \\ \text{loss/(gain)} \end{array} - \begin{array}{l} \text{Benefits} \\ \text{paid} \end{array}$$

$$\text{Interest cost} = \begin{array}{l} \text{Beginning pension} \\ \text{obligation} \end{array} \times \begin{array}{l} \text{Yield on investment grade} \\ \text{corporate bond} \end{array}$$

**IFRS Only**

In income statement,

$$\text{Reported pension expense} = \frac{\text{Current and past service costs}}{\text{service costs}} + \frac{\text{Net interest cost/(income)}}{\text{cost/(income)}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Net interest cost/(income)}}{\text{cost/(income)}} = \left( \frac{\text{Beginning pension obligation} - \text{Beginning fair value of plan assets}}{\text{obligation} - \text{of plan assets}} \right) \times \frac{\text{Yield on investment grade corporate bond}}{\text{grade corporate bond}}$$

**Learning Module 3 | Multinational Operations**

Net assets = Total assets – Total liabilities

Net monetary assets = Monetary assets – Monetary liabilities

**Current Rate Method**

Currency translation adjustment

= Total assets of foreign subsidiary in parent currency terms

- Total liabilities of foreign subsidiary in parent currency terms
- Shareholder capital of foreign subsidiary in parent currency terms
- Other equity items of foreign subsidiary in parent currency terms

**Hyperinflationary Environment****IFRS**

$$\frac{\text{Restatement factor for monetary assets \& liabilities}}{\text{monetary assets \& liabilities}} = \frac{\text{End of period price index}}{\text{End of period price index}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Restatement factor for non-monetary assets \& liabilities}}{\text{non-monetary assets \& liabilities}} = \frac{\text{End of period price index}}{\text{Beginning of period price index}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Restatement factor for income statement items}}{\text{income statement items}} = \frac{\text{End of period price index}}{\text{Average price index for the period}}$$



### Learning Module 4 | Analysis of Financial Institutions

$$\text{Total Tier 1 Capital} = \text{Common Equity} + \text{Additional Tier 1 Capital}$$

$$\text{Total Regulatory Capital} = \text{Total Tier 1 Capital} + \text{Total Tier 2 Capital}$$

$$\text{Common Equity Tier 1 Ratio} = \frac{\text{Common Equity Tier 1 Capital}}{\text{Risk Weighted Assets}} \geq 4.5\%$$

$$\text{Tier 1 Ratio} = \frac{\text{Total Tier 1 Capital}}{\text{Risk Weighted Assets}} \geq 6.0\%$$

$$\text{Total Capital Ratio} = \frac{\text{Total Regulatory Capital}}{\text{Risk Weighted Assets}} \geq 8.0\%$$

$$\text{Liquidity Coverage Ratio, LCR} = \frac{\text{High Quality Liquid Assets}}{\text{Expected cash outflows}}$$

$$\text{Number of days that bank can withstand a stress level volume of cash outflows} = \text{LCR} \times 30$$

Number of days that bank can withstand a stress level volume of cash outflows for (LCR × 30) days.

$$\text{Net Stable Funding Ratio, NSFR} = \frac{\text{Available Stable Funding}}{\text{Required Stable Funding}}$$

### Property and Casualty Companies

$$\text{Loss and loss adjustment expense ratio} = \frac{\text{Loss expense} + \text{Loss adjustment expense}}{\text{Net premiums earned}}$$

$$\text{Underwriting expense ratio} = \frac{\text{Underwriting expense}}{\text{Net premiums written}}$$

$$\text{Combined ratio} = \text{Loss and loss adjustment expense ratio} + \text{Underwriting expense ratio}$$

$$\text{Dividends to policyholders (shareholders) ratio} = \frac{\text{Dividends to policyholders (shareholders)}}{\text{Net premiums earned}}$$

$$\text{Combined ratio after dividends} = \text{Combined ratio} + \text{Dividends to policyholders (shareholders) ratio}$$

## Learning Module 5 | Evaluating Quality of Financial Reports

### Beneish Model

$$M\text{-score} = -4.84 + 0.920 (DSR) + 0.528 (GMI) + 0.404 (AQI) + 0.892 (SGI) \\ + 0.115 (DEPI) - 0.172 (SGAI) + 4.670 (Accruals) - 0.327 (LEVI)$$

where:

$$DSR \text{ (day sales receivable index)} = \frac{Receivables_t / Sales_t}{Receivables_{t-1} / Sales_{t-1}}$$

$$GMI \text{ (gross margin index)} = \frac{GM_{t-1}}{GM_t}$$

$$AQI \text{ (asset quality index)} = \frac{[1 - (PPE_t + CA_t) / TA_t]}{[1 - (PPE_{t-1} + CA_{t-1}) / TA_{t-1}]}$$

$$SGI \text{ (sales growth index)} = \frac{Sales_t}{Sales_{t-1}}$$

$$DEPI \text{ (depreciation index)} = \frac{Depreciation_{t-1}}{Depreciation_t}$$

$$SGAI \text{ (sales, general, and administrative expenses index)} = \frac{SGA_t / Sales_t}{SGA_{t-1} / Sales_{t-1}}$$

$$Accruals = \frac{Income \text{ before extraordinary items} - Cash \text{ from operations}}{Total \text{ assets}}$$

$$LEVI \text{ (leverage index)} = \frac{Leverage_t}{Leverage_{t-1}}$$

### Earnings Persistence

$$Earnings_{t+1} = \alpha + \beta(Earnings_t) + \varepsilon$$

$$Earnings_{t+1} = \alpha + \beta_1(Cash \text{ flow}_t) + \beta_2(Accruals_t) + \varepsilon$$

$$\text{Cash-flow-based accruals} = NI - (CFO + CFI)$$

## Learning Module 6 | Integration of Financial Statement Analysis Techniques

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Net Operating Assets (NOA)} &= \text{Operating Assets} - \text{Operating Liabilities} \\ &= \left( \text{Total Assets} - \text{Cash and Short-term Investments} \right) - \left( \text{Total Liabilities} - \text{Total Debt} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Balance-sheet-based accruals ratio} = \frac{NOA_t - NOA_{t-1}}{(NOA_t + NOA_{t-1})/2}$$

$$\text{Cash-flow-based accruals ratio} = \frac{NI_t - (CFO_t + CFI_t)}{(NOA_t + NOA_{t-1})/2}$$

## Learning Module 7 | Financial Statement Modeling

### Growth Relative to GDP Growth approach

If company's revenue is forecast to grow at  $K$  bps above the nominal GDP growth rate ( $g\%$ ), then company's revenue growth rate =  $g\% + \frac{K}{100}\%$

If company's revenue is forecast to grow  $H\%$  faster than the nominal GDP growth rate ( $g\%$ ), then company's revenue growth rate =  $g\% \times \left(1 + \frac{H}{100}\right)$

### Market Growth and Market Share approach

$$\text{Forecast revenue} = \text{Market share (in \%)} \times \text{Industry revenue}$$

### Return on Invested Capital

$$\text{ROIC} = \frac{\text{NOPLAT}}{\text{Invested Capital}}$$

where:

$\text{NOPLAT}$  = Net operating profit less adjusted taxes

$\text{Invested Capital}$  = Operating assets – Operating liabilities

## **CORPORATE ISSUERS**

### **Learning Module 1 | Analysis of Dividends and Share Repurchases**

#### **Dividend Payout Policies**

##### **Target payout adjustment model (Lintner model)**

$$\text{Expected dividend} = \text{Last dividend} + \left( \frac{\text{Expected Earnings}}{\text{Target payout ratio}} \times \text{Target payout ratio} - \text{Last dividend} \right) \times \text{Adjustment factor}$$

where:

$$\text{Adjustment factor} = \frac{1}{\text{Number of years for adjustment to take place}}$$

##### **Constant dividend payout ratio policy**

$$\text{Dividend} = \frac{\text{Dividend}}{\text{payout ratio}} \times \text{Current earnings}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/hhcvNiTpZX4>

##### **EPS and BVPS After Share Repurchase**

$$\text{EPS after buyback} = \frac{\text{Earnings before buyback} - \text{After tax cost of funds}}{\text{Shares outstanding after buyback}}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/Pd0-QQF-VhQ>

$$\text{BVPS after buyback} = \frac{\text{Book Value before buyback} - \text{Value of share buyback}}{\text{Shares outstanding after buyback}}$$

##### **Analysis of Dividend Safety**

$$\text{Dividend payout ratio} = \frac{\text{Dividends}}{\text{Net Income}}$$

$$\text{Dividend coverage ratio} = \frac{\text{Net Income}}{\text{Dividends}}$$

$$\text{FCFE coverage ratio} = \frac{\text{FCFE}}{\text{Dividends} + \text{Share repurchases}}$$

### Learning Module 3 | Cost of Capital: Advanced Topics

Weighted average cost of capital

$$WACC = w_d r_d (1 - t) + w_p r_p + w_e r_e$$

where:

$w_d$  = Weight of debt in capital structure

$w_p$  = Weight of preferred equity in capital structure

$w_e$  = Weight of common equity in capital structure

$r_d$  = Pre-tax cost of debt

$r_p$  = Cost of preferred equity

$r_e$  = Cost of common equity

Cost of debt,  $r_d = r_f + \text{Credit spread}$

Cost of equity,  $r_e = r_f + ERP + IRP$

where:

$ERP$  = Equity risk premium =  $\frac{\text{Benchmark index return}}{\text{Risk free rate}}$

$IRP$  = Idiosyncratic risk premium

#### **Leases**

$$\frac{\text{Present Value of Lease Payments}}{\text{Lessor}} + \frac{\text{Present Value of Residual Value to Lessor}}{\text{Lessor}} = \frac{\text{Fair Value of Leased Asset}}{\text{Lessor}} + \text{Lessor's Direct Initial Costs}$$

#### **Equity Risk Premium**

##### **Historical Approach (Ex-Post)**

$$ERP = \frac{\text{Average benchmark index return}}{\text{Average risk free rate}}$$

##### **Gordon Growth model**

$$ERP = \frac{D_1}{V_0} + g - r_f$$

**Grinold-Kroner Model**

$$ERP = [DY + \text{Expected repricing} + \text{Earnings growth per share}] - r_f$$

$$ERP = [DY + \Delta(P/E) + i + g - \Delta S] - r_f$$

$$\text{Earnings growth per share} = i + g - \Delta S$$

where:

$DY$  = Dividend yield of market index

$\Delta(P/E)$  = Expected growth rate in P/E

$i$  = Expected inflation =  $\frac{1+YTM_{Treasury\ bond}}{1+YTM_{TIPS}} - 1$

$g$  = Expected growth rate in real earnings per share

$\Delta S$  = Expected change in shares outstanding ( $\Delta S > 0$  for share issuance;  $\Delta S < 0$  for share buyback)

**Cost of Equity****Gordon Growth Model**

$$r_e = \frac{D_1}{P_0} + g$$

**Two-Stage DDM**

$$P_0 = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{D_t}{(1+r_e)^t} + \frac{P_n}{(1+r_e)^n}$$

**Bond Yield Plus Risk Premium Approach (BYPRP)**

$$r_e = r_d + \text{Risk premium}$$

where  $r_d$  = Cost of company's long-term debt

**Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM)**

$$r_e = r_f + \beta \times ERP$$

**Fama-French model**

Three-factor model

$$r_e = r_f + \beta_1 ERP + \beta_2 SMB + \beta_3 HML$$

Five-factor model

$$r_e = r_f + \beta_1 ERP + \beta_2 SMB + \beta_3 HML + \beta_4 RMW + \beta_5 CMA$$

where:

*SMB* = Size premium*HML* = Value premium*RMW* = Profitability premium*CMA* = Investment premium**Expanded CAPM**

$$r_e = r_f + \beta_{peer}(ERP) + SP + IP + SCRP$$

where:

*SP* = Size premium (for smaller, privately held companies)*IP* = Industry risk premium*SCRP* = Company-specific risk premium**Build-Up Approach**

$$r_e = r_f + ERP + SP + SCRP$$

**Country Spread Model**

$$ERP = \frac{ERP \text{ for a developed market}}{\text{developed market}} + \lambda \times \text{Country risk premium}$$

where:

 $\lambda$  = Level of exposure of the company in the local country*Country risk premium* = *Sovereign yield spread*

$$\text{Sovereign yield spread} = \frac{\text{Yield on emerging market bonds (denominated in the currency of the developed market)}}{\text{Yield on developed market government bonds}} - \text{Yield on developed market government bonds}$$

**Aswath Damodaran's CRP**

$$\text{Country risk premium} = \text{Sovereign yield spread} \times \frac{\sigma_{\text{Equity}}}{\sigma_{\text{Bond}}}$$

where:

$\sigma_{\text{Equity}}$  = Volatility of the local country's equity market

$\sigma_{\text{Bond}}$  = Volatility of the local country's bond market

**International CAPM**

$$E(r_e) = r_f + \beta_G[E(r_{gm}) - r_f] + \beta_C[E(r_C) - r_f]$$

where:

$E(r_{gm}) - r_f$  = Risk premium of a global index

$r_C$  = Wealth-weighted foreign currency index return



Learning Module 4 | Corporate Restructuring

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**Evaluating Materiality Based on Size**For **Acquisition/Divestiture**:

$$\frac{\text{Value of transaction}}{\text{Enterprise value of acquiring company}}$$

For **Cost Restructuring**:

$$\frac{\text{Cost savings}}{\text{Sales}}$$

**Premium Paid Analysis**

$$\text{Takeover premium, } PRM = \frac{DP - SP}{SP}$$

where:

 $DP$  = Deal price per share of the target company $SP$  = Unaffected stock price of the target company (i.e., pre-announcement)

## **EQUITY VALUATION**

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### **Learning Module 1 | Equity Valuation Applications and Processes**

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$$V_E - P = (V - P) + (V_E - V)$$

where:

$V_E$  = Estimated intrinsic value

$P$  = Market price

$V$  = Intrinsic value

Conglomerate discount = Sum-of-the-parts value – Market value

### **Learning Module 2 | Discounted Dividend Valuation**

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#### **Discounted Dividend Valuation**

$$V_0 = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{CF_t}{(1+r)^t}$$

$$V_0 = \frac{D_1}{(1+r)^1} + \frac{D_2}{(1+r)^2} + \dots + \frac{D_n}{(1+r)^n} + \frac{P_n}{(1+r)^n}$$

#### **Gordon Growth Model**

$$V_0 = \frac{D_1}{r-g} = \frac{D_0(1+g)}{r-g}$$

#### **Fixed-rate perpetual preferred stock**

$$V_0 = \frac{D}{r}$$

Value of stock = Value of a company with **zero-growth** + Present value of growth opportunities (PVGO)

$$V_0 = \frac{E_1}{r} + PVGO$$

$$\frac{V_0}{E_1} = \frac{P_0}{E_1} = \frac{1}{r} + \frac{PVGO}{E_1}$$

If dividend and earnings growth rate is constant,

$$r = \frac{D_1}{P_0} + g$$

**Two-Stage Dividend Discount Model**

$$V_0 = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{D_0(1+g_s)^t}{(1+r)^t} + \frac{D_0(1+g_s)^n(1+g_L)}{(1+r)^n(r-g_L)}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/7vXWsTKiSPE>

**The H-Model**

$$V_0 = \frac{D_0(1+g_L) + D_0H(g_s - g_L)}{r - g_L}$$

where:

$H$  = half-life in years of the high-growth period

$g_s$  = Short-term growth-rate

$g_L$  = Long-term growth rate

Video: <https://youtu.be/IAMFZXSPKOY>

**PRAT model**

Sustainable growth rate,  $g = b \times ROE$

Video: <https://youtu.be/MnfRRRhGpA>

$$g = \frac{NI - Dividends}{NI} \times \frac{NI}{Sales} \times \frac{Sales}{TA} \times \frac{TA}{TE}$$

**Learning Module 3 | Free Cash Flow Valuation****Free Cash Flow to the Firm (FCFF) Valuation Approach**

$$Firm\ Value = \sum_{t=1}^{\infty} \frac{FCFF_t}{(1+WACC)^t}$$

If non-operating  
assets = 0

Equity Value = Firm Value – Market Value of Debt

**FCFE Valuation Approach**

$$Equity\ Value = \sum_{t=1}^{\infty} \frac{FCFE_t}{(1+r)^t}$$

### **Single-Stage (Constant Growth) FCFF and FCFE Model**

#### **FCFF Valuation Approach**

$$Firm\ Value = \frac{FCFF_1}{WACC - g} = \frac{FCFF_0(1 + g)}{WACC - g}$$

#### **FCFE Valuation Approach**

$$Equity\ Value = \frac{FCFE_1}{r - g} = \frac{FCFE_0(1 + g)}{r - g}$$

#### **Free cash flow to the Firm, FCFF**

$$\begin{aligned} FCFF &= NI + NCC + Int(1 - Tax\ Rate) - FCInv - WCInv \\ &= CFO + Int(1 - Tax\ Rate) - FCInv \\ &= EBIT(1 - Tax\ Rate) + Dep - FCInv - WCInv \\ &= EBITDA(1 - Tax\ Rate) + Dep(Tax\ Rate) - FCInv - WCInv \end{aligned}$$

where:

NI = Net income available to common shareholders

NCC = Net noncash charges (e.g. depreciation)

Int = Interest expense

FCInv = Fixed capital investments = Maintenance Capex + Growth Capex  
 $= \Delta Gross\ PPE = \Delta Net\ PPE + Depreciation$

WCInv = Investment in working capital

#### **Free cash flow to the Equity, FCFE**

$$\begin{aligned} FCFE &= FCFF - Int(1 - Tax\ Rate) + Net\ borrowing \\ &= CFO - FCInv + Net\ borrowing \end{aligned}$$

where:

Net borrowing = Debt issued – Debt repaid

Video: <https://youtu.be/rtlvly6FI0A>

If (FCInv – Dep) and WCInv funded using Debt (based on debt ratio):

$$FCFE = NI + Dep - FCInv - WCInv + Net\ borrowing$$

where:

Net borrowing = DR(FCInv – Dep) + DR(WCInv)

$$DR = Debt\ ratio = \frac{Debt}{Assets}$$

If company issues preferred shares:

$$FCFF = CFO + \text{Int}(1 - \text{Tax Rate}) + \text{Preferred dividends} - \text{FCInv}$$

### **Two-Stage Free Cash Flow Models**

$$\text{Firm value} = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{FCFF_t}{(1 + WACC)^t} + \frac{FCFF_{n+1}}{(WACC - g)} \left[ \frac{1}{(1 + WACC)^n} \right]$$

$$\text{Equity value} = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{FCFE_t}{(1 + r)^t} + \frac{FCFE_{n+1}}{(r - g)} \left[ \frac{1}{(1 + r)^n} \right]$$

Value of Firm = Value of operating assets + Value of nonoperating assets  
(PV of FCFF)

### **Learning Module 4 | Market-Based Valuation Price and Enterprise Value Multiples**

Enterprise value, EV = Market value of **common stock**

+ Market value of **preferred equity**

+ Market value of **debt** + Minority interest

– Cash and Short-term investments

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Justified</b>
Trailing P/E	$\frac{\text{Market price per share}}{\text{EPS over previous 12 months}}$	$\frac{(1 - b)(1 + g)}{r - g}$
Leading P/E	$\frac{\text{Market price per share}}{\text{Forecasted EPS over next 12 months}}$	$\frac{1 - b}{r - g}$
P/B	$\frac{\text{Market price per share}}{\text{Book value per share}}$	$\frac{ROE - g}{r - g}$ <b>Video:</b> <a href="https://youtu.be/c0vmCUtDpZs">https://youtu.be/c0vmCUtDpZs</a>
P/S	$\frac{\text{Market price per share}}{\text{Sales per share}}$	$\frac{V_0}{S_0} = \frac{E_0}{S_0} \times \frac{(1 - b)(1 + g)}{r - g}$ or $\frac{V_1}{S_1} = \frac{E_1}{S_1} \times \frac{1 - b}{r - g}$

	Actual	Justified
Trailing D/P	$\frac{4 \times \text{Most recent quarterly dividend}}{\text{Market price per share}}$	$\frac{r - g}{1 + g}$
Leading D/P	$\frac{\text{Forecast dividends over the next year}}{\text{Market price per share}}$	$r - g$
Earnings yield	$\frac{\text{EPS}}{\text{Price per share}}$	$\frac{r - g}{(1 - b)(1 + g)}$

Underlying Earnings = EPS – non recurring gains + non recurring loss

### **Normalized Earnings**

#### **Method 1: Average EPS Approach**

$$\text{Normalized EPS} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{EPS}_i$$

#### **Method 2: Average ROE Approach**

$$\text{Normalized EPS} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{ROE}_i \times \text{Current Book value per share}$$

### **Price-to-Earnings Growth (PEG) Ratio**

$$\text{PEG ratio} = \frac{\text{P/E ratio}}{g \text{ (in \% )}}$$

### **Momentum Indicators**

**Earnings surprise** = Reported EPS – Expected EPS

$$\text{Scaled earnings surprise} = \frac{\text{Reported EPS} - \text{Expected EPS}}{\sigma(\text{Analyst forecast EPS})}$$

$$\text{Standardized unexpected earnings (SUE)} = \frac{\text{Earnings Surprise}}{\sigma(\text{Earnings Surprise})}$$

### **Portfolio P/E**

$$\text{Weighted harmonic mean} = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{w_i}{X_i}}$$

where:

$w_i$  = Weight of stock  $i$  in portfolio

$X_i$  = P/E of stock  $i$

## Learning Module 5 | Residual Income Valuation

### Economic Value Added (EVA)

$$EVA_t = EBIT_t(1 - T) - (WACC \times Invested\ Capital_{t-1})$$

### Market Value Added (MVA)

$$MVA_t = Market\ value\ of\ Firm_t - Invested\ Capital_t$$

### Residual Income, RI

$$RI_t = E_t - (r \times B_{t-1}) = (ROE - r) \times B_{t-1}$$

### Residual Income Model

$$V_0 = B_0 + \left[ \frac{RI_1}{(1+r)^1} + \frac{RI_2}{(1+r)^2} + \frac{RI_3}{(1+r)^3} + \dots \right]$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/O0KTBkEtP9M>

### Single-stage residual income valuation model

$$V_0 = B_0 + \frac{(ROE - r) \times B_0}{r - g} = B_0 + \frac{RI_1}{r - g}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/82GJu5umrB0>

### Tobin's Q

$$Tobin's\ Q = \frac{Market\ value\ of\ debt + Market\ value\ of\ equity}{Replacement\ cost\ of\ total\ assets}$$

### Continuing Residual Income

$$V_0 = B_0 + \sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \frac{RI_t}{(1+r)^t} + \frac{RI_T}{(1+r-\omega)(1+r)^{T-1}} \quad 0 \leq \omega \leq 1$$

$\omega$  = Persistence factor

If RI **declines to Long-run level** in mature industry, with premium over book value

$$V_0 = B_0 + \sum_{t=1}^T \frac{RI_t}{(1+r)^t} + \frac{P_T - B_T}{(1+r)^T}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/vhRW3q70E0w>

Clean surplus relationship:

$$B_t = B_{t-1} + E_t - Div_t$$

## Learning Module 6 | Private Company Valuation

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### Capitalized Cash Flow Method (CCM)

$$\text{Firm value} = \frac{FCFF_0(1+g)}{WACC - g} \rightarrow \text{Equity value} = \text{Firm value} - \text{Market value of Debt}$$

$$\text{Equity value} = \frac{FCFE_0(1+g)}{r - g}$$

### Excess Earnings Method (EEM)

$$\text{Excess earnings} = \text{Normalized earnings} - \text{Earnings required to provide the required rate of return on working capital and fixed assets}$$

$$\text{Value of the intangible assets} = \frac{(\text{Excess Earnings})_1}{k - g}$$

Value of the firm = Working capital + Fixed assets + Intangible Assets

Video: <https://youtu.be/137ga1xgAbA>

### Control Premium

$$\text{Equity value (with control premium)} = \text{Equity value (without control premium)} \times (1 + \text{Control premium})$$

$$\text{Adjusted control premium} = \text{Control premium} \times \left(1 + \frac{\text{Debt}}{\text{Assets}}\right)$$

### Discount for Lack of Control and Marketability

Discount for Lack of Control (DLOC)

$$DLOC = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + \text{Control premium}}$$

Total discount = 1 - (1 - DLOC)(1 - DLOM)

$$DLOM = \frac{\text{Value of ATM option}}{\text{Share price}}$$



## **FIXED INCOME**

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### Learning Module 1 | The Term Structure and Interest Rate Dynamics

#### **Forward Pricing Model**

$$DF_B = DF_A \times F_{A,B-A}$$

where:

$$DF_B = \frac{1}{(1 + z_B)^B}$$

$$F_{A,B-A} = \frac{1}{(1 + f_{A,B-A})^{B-A}}$$

#### **Forward Rate Model**

$$(1 + z_B)^B = (1 + z_A)^A (1 + f_{A,B-A})^{B-A}$$

where:

$z_B$  = Spot rate for period  $B$

$f_{A,B-A}$  =  $(B - A)$  forward rate that starts in period  $A$

#### **Calculating spot rate from one-period forward rates**

$$z_T = [(1 + z_1)(1 + f_{1,1})(1 + f_{2,1}) \dots (1 + f_{T-1,1})]^{1/T} - 1$$

#### **Boostrapping Spot Rates From Par Rates**

Video: <https://youtu.be/-FnweFO172Q>

#### **Fixed swap rate**

$$s_T = \frac{1 - DF_T}{\sum_{t=1}^T DF_t} = \frac{1 - \text{Discount Factor of Last Payment}}{\text{Sum of Discount Factors}}$$

**Swap spread** = YTM of swap rate – YTM of government bond (same maturity)

**TED spread** = LIBOR – YTM of T-bill (same maturity)

**LIBOR-OIS spread** = LIBOR – OIS Fixed rate

For **Parallel shifts** in yield curve:

$$\% \Delta PV = -ModDur \times \Delta YTM$$

$$\Delta PV = -ModDur \times \Delta YTM \times PV_0$$

$$\% \Delta PV = -EffDur \times \Delta Curve$$

$$\Delta PV = -EffDur \times \Delta Curve \times PV_0$$

**Non-parallel shifts** (i.e. change in slope or curvature):

$$\% \Delta PV = -KeyRateDuration \times \Delta Key Rate$$

### **Bond Risk Premium**

$$Bond\ risk\ premium = \frac{Yield\ of\ default\ free}{long\ term\ bond} - \frac{Yield\ of\ default\ free}{short\ term\ bond}$$

## **Learning Module 2 | The Arbitrage-Free Valuation Framework**

### **Arbitrage-free Value of Bond**

$$V_0 = \frac{C}{(1+z_1)^1} + \frac{C}{(1+z_2)^2} + \dots + \frac{FV+C}{(1+z_n)^n}$$

where:

$z_n$  = Spot rate for period  $n$

### **Backward Induction Valuation Methodology**

$$Bond\ value\ at\ any\ node = \frac{(0.5 \times V_H + 0.5 \times V_L) + C}{1+i}$$

where:

$V_H$  = bond's value if the higher forward rate is realized one year hence

$V_L$  = bond's value if the lower forward rate is realized one year hence

$C$  = coupon payment that is not dependent on interest rates

Video (Backward Induction Valuation): <https://youtu.be/DhAVQ3hIXIQ>

Video (Backward Induction with Financial Calculator): <https://youtu.be/FycX2UwJxCM>

Video (Pathwise Valuation): <https://youtu.be/3oM-220oi7o>

### **Binomial Interest Rate Tree**

$$i_{1,H} = i_{1,L} e^{2\sigma}$$

$$i_{2,HH} = i_{2,LL} e^{4\sigma}$$

$$i_{3,HHH} = i_{3,LLL} e^{6\sigma}$$

$$i_{2,HL} = i_{2,LL} e^{2\sigma}$$

$$i_{3,HHL} = i_{3,LLL} e^{4\sigma}$$

$$i_{3,LLH} = i_{3,LLL} e^{2\sigma}$$

## **Equilibrium Term Structure Models**

### **Cox-Ingersoll-Ross (CIR) Model**

$$dr = k(\theta - r_t)dt + \sigma\sqrt{r_t}dz$$

### **Vasicek Model**

$$dr = k(\theta - r_t)dt + \sigma dz$$

where:

$k$  = Speed of reversion ( $> 0$ )

$\theta$  = Long-run interest rate

$\sigma$  = Interest rate volatility

## **Arbitrage Free Models**

### **Ho-Lee Model**

$$dr_t = \theta_t dt + \sigma dz_t$$

### **Kalotay-Williams-Fabozzi (KWF) Model**

$$d(\ln r_t) = \theta_t dt + \sigma dz_t$$

where:

$\theta_t$  = Time-dependent drift term

## **Learning Module 3 | Valuation and Analysis - Bonds with Embedded Options**

### **Callable and Puttable Bonds**

Value of **callable** bond = Value of straight bond – Value of **issuer call option**

Value of **puttable** bond = Value of straight bond + Value of **investor put option**

Video (Valuing a callable bond): <https://youtu.be/lWLsodiqZaM>

Video (Valuing a puttable bond): <https://youtu.be/qmUnAtpXIAg>

$$\text{Effective duration} = \frac{(PV_-) - (PV_+)}{2 \times (\Delta \text{Curve}) \times PV_0}$$

$$\text{Effective convexity} = \frac{(PV_-) + (PV_+) - 2 \times PV_0}{PV_0 \times (\Delta \text{Curve})^2}$$

### **Capped and Floored Floaters**

Value of capped floater = Value of straight floater – Value of cap

Value of floored floater = Value of straight floater + Value of floor

Video (Valuing a capped floater): <https://youtu.be/d4LNMdXV9vU>

Video (Valuing a floored floater): <https://youtu.be/YJZU0THHBNE>

### **Convertible Bonds**

$$\frac{\text{Conversion value}}{\text{share price}} = \frac{\text{Underlying}}{\text{share price}} \times \frac{\text{Conversion}}{\text{ratio}}$$

$$\text{Minimum value of convertible bond} = \text{Max} \left[ \frac{\text{Conversion value}}{\text{value}}, \frac{\text{Value of underlying}}{\text{Straight bond}} \right]$$

$$\frac{\text{Market conversion price}}{\text{price}} = \frac{\text{Convertible bond price}}{\text{Conversion ratio}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Market conversion premium per share}}{\text{premium per share}} = \frac{\text{Market conversion price}}{\text{price}} - \frac{\text{Underlying share price}}{\text{price}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Market conversion premium ratio}}{\text{premium ratio}} = \frac{\text{Market conversion premium per share}}{\text{Underlying share price}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Premium over Straight value}}{\text{Straight value}} = \frac{\text{Convertible bond price}}{\text{Straight value}} - 1$$

### **Convertible Bond (With No Additional Options)**

$$\text{Value of convertible bond} = \text{Value of straight bond} + \frac{\text{Value of call option on issuer's stock}}{\text{option on issuer's stock}}$$

### **Callable Convertible Bond**

$$\text{Value of convertible bond} = \text{Value of straight bond} + \frac{\text{Value of call option on issuer's stock}}{\text{option on issuer's stock}} - \frac{\text{Value of issuer call option}}{\text{option}}$$

### **Putable Convertible Bond**

$$\text{Value of convertible bond} = \text{Value of straight bond} + \frac{\text{Value of call option on issuer's stock}}{\text{option on issuer's stock}} + \frac{\text{Value of investor put option}}{\text{option}}$$

## Learning Module 4 | Credit Analysis Models

$G\text{-spread} = \text{YTM of Corporate bond} - \text{YTM of Government bond}$

$$\text{Loss given default} = \frac{\text{Expected}}{\text{exposure}} \times \left(1 - \frac{\text{Recovery}}{\text{rate}}\right)$$

$$\frac{\text{Loss}}{\text{severity}} = 1 - \frac{\text{Recovery}}{\text{rate}}$$

Expected Loss = Probability of Default × Loss Given Default

$$\frac{\text{Fair value}}{\text{of credit risky bond}} = \frac{\text{Fair value of bond}}{\text{assuming no default}} - \frac{\text{Credit Valuation}}{\text{Adjustment}}$$

$$\text{Credit valuation adjustment, } CVA = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{EL_t}{(1 + rf_t)^t} = \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{POD_t \times LGD_t}{(1 + rf_t)^t}$$

where:

$EL_t$  = Expected loss of bond at time  $t$

$POD_t$  = Probability of default of bond at time  $t$

$LGD_t$  = Loss given default at time  $t = \text{Expected Exposure}_t - \text{Recovery}_t$

$rf_t$  = Risk-free rate at time  $t$

$n$  = Bond's remaining tenor

$$\text{PV of expected loss for period } t = \frac{EL_t}{(1 + rf_t)^t}$$

$$POD_t = (1 - \text{Hazard rate})^{t-1} \times \text{Hazard rate}$$

Approximation of credit spread  $\approx$  Annual hazard rate  $\times$  (1 – Recovery rate)

Video (Probability of Default): <https://youtu.be/e7K4x48Eg4U>

Video (Valuing a Credit Risky Bond – Zero Interest Rate Volatility):  
<https://youtu.be/2l9bgu-o7al>

Video (YTM of Corporate Bonds – Default and Non-Default):  
<https://youtu.be/K253Y7c2Yto>

Expected percentage price change of a corporate bond

$$\sum \text{Probability of credit migration} \times \% \Delta P$$

where:

$$\% \Delta P = -\text{ModDur} \times \Delta \text{credit spread}$$

**Structural Model**

$$A_t = D(t, T) + S_t$$

In terms of...	Call options	Put options
Equity	$E(T) = \text{Max}[A(T) - K, 0]$	$E(T) = A(T) - K + \text{Max}[K - A(T), 0]$
Debt	$D(T) = A(T) - \text{Max}[A(T) - K, 0]$	$D(T) = K - \text{Max}[K - A(T), 0]$

where:

$S_t$  = Equity value at time  $t$

$A_T$  = Asset value at time  $T$

$K$  = Face value of debt

**Learning Module 5 | Credit Default Swaps**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CDS payout amount} &= \text{Payout ratio} \times \text{Notional} \\ &= (1 - \text{Recovery rate of CTD bond}) \times \text{Notional} \end{aligned}$$

**Upfront payment** = PV of protection leg – PV of premium leg

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Upfront premium} &= \text{PV of Credit Spread} - \text{PV of Fixed Coupon} \\ &\approx \left( \text{Credit Spread} - \text{Fixed Coupon} \right) \times \text{CDS Duration} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Price of CDS per 100 notional} = 100 - \text{Upfront premium}$$

$$\% \text{ Change in CDS price} = \frac{\text{Change in spread in bps}}{\text{spread in bps}} \times \text{Duration}$$

## DERIVATIVES

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### Learning Module 1 | Pricing and Valuation of Forward Commitments

#### **Forward Contracts**

##### **Forward Pricing:**

$$F_0 = S_0(1 + r)^T$$

$$F_0 = (S_0 + CC_0 - CB_0)(1 + r)^T$$

$$F_0 = S_0 e^{r_c T}$$

$$F_0 = S_0 e^{(r_c + CC - CB)T}$$

where:

$S_0$  = Current spot price

$F_0$  = Forward price (set today)

$r$  = Annually compounded risk-free rate

$r_c$  = Continuously compounded risk-free rate

$CC_0$  = PV of Carry cost

$CB_0$  = PV of carry benefits

$CC$  = Continuously compounded cost of carry

$CB$  = Continuously compounded carry benefit

##### **Forward Valuation (Long Position):**

$$V_0 = 0$$

$$V_t = \frac{F_t - F_0}{(1 + r)^{T-t}} = S_t - \frac{F_0}{(1 + r)^{T-t}}$$

$$V_T = S_T - F_0$$

### **Forward Rate Agreement (FRA)**

$$\text{Long FRA payoff at expiration of FRA} = \frac{\text{Notional}[L_m - FRA_0]t_m}{1 + D_m t_m}$$

$$FRA_0 = \left( \frac{1 + L_T t_T}{1 + L_h t_h} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{1}{t_m} \right)$$

Valuation at time  $t = g$  (prior to FRA expiration):

$$\text{Value of Long FRA at } g = \frac{\text{Notional}(FRA_g - FRA_0)t_m}{1 + D_{T-g} t_{T-g}}$$

where:

$D_m$  = Discount rate for  $m$  periods at  $t = h$

$h$  = FRA tenor

$m$  = Tenor of the underlying rate

$T = h + m$  = Maturity of underlying instrument

Video (Pricing an FRA): [https://youtu.be/uBmAt\\_z9f3Y](https://youtu.be/uBmAt_z9f3Y)

Video (Valuing an FRA): <https://youtu.be/AYKRVdaYvxY>

### **Fixed Income Forwards and Futures**

Pricing:

$$\begin{aligned} F_0 &= \frac{\text{Quoted futures price}}{\text{Conversion factor}} \times \text{Conversion factor} \\ &= FV(B_0 + AI_0) - AI_T - FVCI \end{aligned}$$

Valuation for fixed income **forward contracts**:

$$\begin{aligned} V_t &= \text{Present value of difference in forward prices} \\ &= PV[F_t - F_0] \end{aligned}$$

Valuation for fixed income **futures contracts**:

$$V_t = \text{Price change since previous day's settlement}$$

where:

$B_0$  = Quoted bond price

$$AI = \frac{\text{Number of accrued days since last coupon payment}}{\text{Total days during the coupon payment period}} \times \frac{\text{Annual coupon}}{\text{Coupon frequency}}$$



### **Interest Rate Swaps (IRS)**

$$FS = \frac{1 - PV_n}{\sum_{i=1}^n PV_i}$$

$$PV_i = \frac{1}{1 + \text{Spot rate}_i \left( \frac{\text{Days to Maturity}_i}{360} \right)}$$

**Pay-fixed**, receive-floating IRS

$$\text{Value of Swap} = \text{Notional} \times (FS_t - FS_0) \sum_{i=1}^n PV_i$$

**Receive-fixed**, pay-floating IRS

$$\text{Value of Swap} = \text{Notional} \times (FS_0 - FS_t) \sum_{i=1}^n PV_i$$

Video (Pricing an Interest Rate Swap) : <https://youtu.be/0QvtKZutr5E>

Video (Valuing an Interest Rate Swap): [https://youtu.be/\\_A2a909etvg](https://youtu.be/_A2a909etvg)

### **Currency Swap**

Pricing for fixed leg of currency swap in currency  $a$

$$FS_a = \frac{1 - PV_{n,a}}{\sum_{i=1}^n PV_{i,a}}$$

Value of a fixed-for-fixed currency swap

$$V_{CS} = \text{Notional}_a \times V_a - S_t \times \text{Notional}_b \times V_b$$

$$V_a = FS_a \sum_{i=1}^n PV_{i,a} + PV_{n,a} \times \text{Par}_a = \text{Value of currency } a \text{ leg (receive)}$$

$$V_b = FS_b \sum_{i=1}^n PV_{i,b} + PV_{n,b} \times \text{Par}_b = \text{Value of currency } b \text{ leg (pay)}$$

$S_t$  = Spot exchange rate at time  $t$  (quoted as  $a/b$ )

Video (Pricing a currency swap): <https://youtu.be/XZlxcVByc00>

Video (Valuing a currency swap): <https://youtu.be/3h4mElS48aA>

### **Equity Swap**

Value of equity swap (receive fixed-rate, pay equity return)

$$V_{EQ,t} = V_{FIX}(C_0) - \frac{S_t}{S_{t-1}} \times \text{Notional} - PV_t(\text{Par} - \text{Notional})$$

$$\text{Value of Equity Leg} = \frac{S_t}{S_{t-1}} \times \text{Notional}$$

Cash flow for equity leg = *Notional* × *Periodic equity return*

where:

$V_{FIX}(C_0)$  = Value at time  $t$  of a fixed-rate bond initiated with coupon  $C_0$  at Time 0

$S_t$  = Current equity index level

$S_{t-1}$  = Equity index level at last reset date

## **Learning Module 2 | Valuation of Contingent Claims**

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### **Hedge Ratio**

$$h_{call} = \frac{c^+ - c^-}{S^+ - S^-} \geq 0$$

$$h_{put} = \frac{p^+ - p^-}{S^+ - S^-} \leq 0$$

### **No-arbitrage Approach:**

$$c = h_{call}S + PV(-h_{call}S^+ + c^+) = h_{call}S + PV(-h_{call}S^- + c^-)$$

$$p = h_{put}S + PV(-h_{put}S^+ + p^+) = h_{put}S + PV(-h_{put}S^- + p^-)$$

### **Expectations Approach:**

$$\pi = \frac{(1+r) - d}{u - d}$$

where:

$u$  = Up factor

$d$  = Down factor

$r$  = Risk-free rate

**One-period Binomial Model**

$$c = \frac{\pi c^+ + (1 - \pi)c^-}{1 + r}$$

$$p = \frac{\pi p^+ + (1 - \pi)p^-}{1 + r}$$

where:

$\pi$  = Risk-neutral probability of an up-move

**Note:** For **interest rate options**,  $\pi = 0.5$  and discount expected option payoff using the 1-period forward rates.

Video (Valuing interest rate options): [https://youtu.be/X4R8j\\_cf8SA](https://youtu.be/X4R8j_cf8SA)

**Two-period Binomial Model:**

$$c = \frac{\pi^2 c^{++} + 2\pi(1 - \pi)c^{+-} + (1 - \pi)^2 c^{--}}{(1 + r)^2}$$

$$p = \frac{\pi^2 p^{++} + 2\pi(1 - \pi)p^{+-} + (1 - \pi)^2 p^{--}}{(1 + r)^2}$$

For **2-period American-styled call option** with dividend in  $t = 1$ :

$$S^+ = u \times (S - PV \text{ of dividends at risk free rate})$$

$$S^- = d \times (S - PV \text{ of dividends at risk free rate})$$

Video: [https://youtu.be/U\\_XkIZjJIAU](https://youtu.be/U_XkIZjJIAU)

**Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model**

$$c = SN(d_1) - Xe^{-rT}N(d_2)$$

$$p = Xe^{-rT}N(-d_2) - SN(-d_1)$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{S}{X}\right) + \left(r + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2\right)T}{\sigma\sqrt{T}}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma\sqrt{T}$$

Put-call parity:  $p + S = c + Xe^{-rT}$

- Hedge ratio for calls =  $N(d_1)$
- Probability that the call option expires in the money =  $N(d_2) = \text{Prob}(S_T > X)$
- Hedge ratio for puts =  $N(d_1) - 1 = -N(-d_1)$
- Probability that the put option expires in the money =  $1 - N(d_2)$   
 $\text{Prob}(S_T < X) = N(-d_2)$

**BSM model with carry benefits**

$$c = Se^{-\gamma T}N(d_1) - Xe^{-rT}N(d_2)$$

$$p = Xe^{-rT}N(-d_2) - Se^{-\gamma T}N(-d_1)$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{S}{X}\right) + \left(r - \gamma + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2\right)T}{\sigma\sqrt{T}}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma\sqrt{T}$$

Put-call parity:  $p + Se^{-\gamma T} = c + Xe^{-rT}$

## Black Option Valuation Model

### European Options on Futures

$$c = e^{-rT} [F_0(T) N(d_1) - X N(d_2)]$$

$$p = X e^{-rT} N(-d_2) - S e^{-\gamma T} N(-d_1)$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln \left[ \frac{F_0(T)}{X} \right] + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 T}{\sigma \sqrt{T}}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma \sqrt{T}$$

Put-call parity:

$$c = e^{-rT} [F_0(T) - X] + p$$

### Interest Rate Options

$$c = (AP) e^{-r(t_{j-1}+t_m)} [FRA(0, t_{j-1}, t_m) N(d_1) - R_X e^{-rT} N(d_2)]$$

$$p = (AP) e^{-r(t_{j-1}+t_m)} [R_X e^{-rT} N(-d_2) - FRA(0, t_{j-1}, t_m) N(-d_1)]$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln \left[ \frac{FRA(0, t_{j-1}, t_m)}{X} \right] + \left( \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 \right) t_{j-1}}{\sigma \sqrt{t_{j-1}}}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma \sqrt{t_{j-1}}$$

### Payer Swap

$$PAY_{SWN} = AP \times [R_{FIX} N(d_1) - R_X N(d_2)] \times \sum_{j=1}^n PV_j(1)$$

### Receiver Swap

$$REC_{SWN} = AP \times [R_X N(-d_2) - R_{FIX} N(-d_1)] \times \sum_{j=1}^n PV_j(1)$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln \left( \frac{R_{FIX}}{R_X} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 \right) T}{\sigma \sqrt{T}}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma \sqrt{T}$$

Video (Interest Rate Options & Swaptions Equivalences:

<https://youtu.be/uZQO50sEzso>

**Optimal Number of Hedging Units (for Delta Hedging)**

$$N_H = - \frac{\text{Portfolio delta}}{\text{Delta}_H}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/v8RcvkQKFpw>

**Option Greeks**

$$\text{Delta}_{call} = e^{-\delta T} N(d_1)$$

$$\text{Delta}_{put} = -e^{-\delta T} N(-d_1)$$

where:

$\delta$  = Continuously compounded dividend yield

$$\text{Gamma}_{call} = \text{Gamma}_{put} = \frac{e^{-\delta T}}{S\sigma\sqrt{T}} N(d_1)$$

$$c = c_0 + \text{Delta}_{call} \times \Delta S + \frac{1}{2} \text{Gamma}_{call} \times (\Delta S)^2$$

$$p = p_0 + \text{Delta}_{put} \times \Delta S + \frac{1}{2} \text{Gamma}_{put} \times (\Delta S)^2$$

## **ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENTS**

### **Learning Module 1 | Introduction to Commodities and Commodity Derivatives**

$$\text{Futures price} = \text{Spot price of physical commodity} + \frac{\text{Storage costs}}{\text{yield}} - \frac{\text{Convenience}}{\text{yield}}$$

$$\text{Calendar spread} = \frac{\text{Near term futures contract closing price}}{\text{closing price}} - \frac{\text{Longer term futures contract closing price}}{\text{closing price}}$$

$$\text{Price return} = \frac{\text{Current price} - \text{Previous price}}{\text{Previous price}}$$

$$\text{Roll return} = \frac{\left( \frac{\text{Near term futures contract closing price} - \text{Longer term futures contract closing price}}{\text{Near term futures contract closing price}} \right) \times \text{Percentage of the position in the futures contract being rolled}}{\text{Near term futures contract closing price}}$$

$$\text{Total return} = \text{Price return} + \text{Roll return} + \text{Collateral return} + \text{Rebalancing return (for index only)}$$

### **Learning Module 2 | Overview of Types of Real Estate Investment**

#### **Net and Gross Leases**

$$\text{Net rent} = \text{Gross rent} - \text{Operating expenses}$$

#### **Retail Rent**

$$\text{Rent per square foot} = \frac{\text{Minimum rent per square foot}}{\text{per square foot}} + \text{Share}\% \times \left( \frac{\text{Revenue per square foot}}{\text{square foot}} - \frac{\text{Natural breakpoint per square foot}}{\text{per square foot}} \right)$$

#### **Appraisal-based index**

$$\text{Return} = \frac{\text{NOI} - \frac{\text{Capital Expenditures}}{\text{Beginning market value}} + \left( \frac{\text{Ending market value} - \text{Beginning market value}}{\text{Beginning market value}} \right)}{\text{Beginning market value}}$$

### Learning Module 3 | Investments in Real Estate Through Publicly Traded Securities

#### **Net Asset Value Approach**

$$NAV \text{ per share} = \frac{\text{Value of operating estate} + \text{Value of other assets} - \text{Total debt and liabilities}}{\text{Number of shares outstanding}}$$

If valuation of operating real estate is not provided:

$$\text{Value of operating estate} = \frac{NOI_1}{\text{Cap rate}}$$

Video: <https://youtu.be/WncC3BZmfs8>

$$NOI = \text{Gross rental revenue} - \text{Estimated vacancy and collections loss} - \text{Operating expenses}$$

#### **Relative Value Approach**

##### **Funds from Operations:**

$$FFO = \text{Net income} + \text{Depreciation and amortization} - \text{Gains on sale of property} + \text{Loss on sale of property}$$

##### **Adjusted Funds from Operations:**

$$AFFO = FFO - \text{Non cash rent} - \text{Recurring capital expenditure and leasing costs}$$

#### **Two-Stage Dividend Discount Model**

$$\text{Value of a REIT share} = \text{PV of dividends} + \text{PV of terminal value}$$



## Learning Module 4 | Hedge Fund Strategies

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### Equity Market Neutral Pairs Trading

$$\text{Amount of Short Position in Overvalued Stock} = - \frac{\text{Beta of undervalued stock} \times \text{Amount Invested}}{\text{Beta of overvalued stock}}$$

### Merger Arbitrage Strategy

For a stock-for-stock deal:

$$\text{Payoff if merger is successful} = (N_A \times P_A) - (N_T \times P_T)$$

where:

$N_A$  = Number of acquirer's shares to short sell

$P_A$  = Share price of acquirer post announcement

$N_T$  = Number of target's shares to buy

$P_T$  = Share price of target post announcement

### Conditional Factor Risk Model

$$R_{i,t} = \alpha_i + \beta_{i,1}(\text{Factor } 1)_t + \beta_{i,2}(\text{Factor } 2)_t + \dots + \beta_{i,K}(\text{Factor } K)_t + D_t\beta_{i,1}(\text{Factor } 1)_t + D_t\beta_{i,2}(\text{Factor } 2)_t + \dots + D_t\beta_{i,K}(\text{Factor } K)_t + (\text{error})_{i,t}$$

where:

$R_{i,t}$  = Return of hedge fund  $i$  in period  $t$

$\beta_{i,K}(\text{Factor } K)_t$  = Exposure to risk factor  $K$  for hedge fund  $i$  in period  $t$  during normal times

$D_t\beta_{i,K}(\text{Factor } K)_t$  = Incremental exposure to risk factor  $K$  for hedge fund  $i$  in period  $t$  during financial crisis periods

$D_t$  = Dummy variable that equals 1 during financial crisis periods (0 otherwise)

$\alpha_i$  = Intercept for hedge fund  $i$

$(\text{error})_{i,t}$  = Random error with zero mean and standard deviation  $\sigma_i$

## **PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT**

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### **VOL5 Learning Module 1 | Exchange-Traded Funds: Mechanics and Applications**

End-of-day ETF premium or discount (%)

$$\frac{ETF \text{ price} - NAV \text{ per share}}{NAV \text{ per share}}$$

Intraday ETF premium or discount (%)

$$\frac{ETF \text{ price} - \text{Indicated NAV per share}}{\text{Indicated NAV per share}}$$

*Holding period cost (%) = Round trip trade cost (%) + Management fee (%)*

*Round trip trade cost % = One way commission % × 2 + Bid ask spread %*

### **VOL5 Learning Module 2 | Using Multifactor Models**

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#### **Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT)**

$$E(R_p) = R_F + \lambda_1 \beta_{p,1} + \dots + \lambda_K \beta_{p,K}$$

where:

$E(R_p)$  = the expected return to portfolio  $p$

$R_F$  = the risk-free rate

$\beta_{p,j}$  = the **sensitivity** of the **portfolio** to **factor  $j$**

$\lambda_j$  = the **expected reward** for bearing the risk of factor  $j$

$K$  = the **number of factors**

#### **Carhart Four-Factor Model**

$$E(R_p) = R_F + \beta_{p,1}RMRF + \beta_{p,2}SMB + \beta_{p,3}HML + \beta_{p,4}WML$$

where:

$RMRF$  = Return on a value-weighted equity index *minus* **one-month T-bill rate**

$SMB$  = small minus big; **average return** on three **small-cap portfolios** *minus* the **average return** on three **large-cap portfolios**

$HML$  = high minus low; **average return** on two **high book-to-market portfolios** *minus* **average return** on two **low book-to-market portfolios**

$WML$  = winners minus losers, a **momentum factor**; return on a portfolio of past year's winners *minus* return on a portfolio of past year's losers.

**Macroeconomic Factor Model**

$$R_i = a_i + b_{i1}F_1 + b_{i2}F_2 + \dots + b_{iK}F_K + \varepsilon_i$$

where:

$F_k$  = the **surprise in the factor  $k$**

$b_{ik}$  = the **sensitivity** of the return on asset  $i$  to a surprise in factor  $k$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ ,

$a_i$  = Expected return on the portfolio

**Fundamental Factor Model**

$$b_{ik} = \frac{\text{Value of attribute } k \text{ for asset } i - \text{Average value of attribute } k}{\sigma(\text{Values of attribute } k)}$$

**Return Attribution**

$$\text{Active return} = R_P - R_B$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^K \left[ \left( \text{Portfolio sensitivity} \right)_k - \left( \text{Benchmark sensitivity} \right)_k \right] \times \left( \text{Factor return} \right)_k + \text{Security selection}$$

$$\text{Tracking error, } TE = s(R_P - R_B)$$

$$\text{Information ratio, } IR = \frac{\bar{R}_P - \bar{R}_B}{s(R_P - R_B)}$$

Active risk squared = Active factor risk + Active specific risk

## VOL5 Learning Module 3 | Measuring and Managing Market Risk

### **Parametric VaR (Using Normal Distribution)**

$$\text{Value at Risk, } VaR = -[E(R_p) - z \times \sigma_p] \times \frac{\text{Portfolio Value}}$$

where:

$E(R_p)$  = Portfolio expected return

$\sigma_p$  = Portfolio standard deviation

### **Two-asset portfolio:**

$$E(R_p) = w_1 E(R_1) + w_2 E(R_2)$$

$$\sigma_p^2 = w_1^2 \sigma_1^2 + w_2^2 \sigma_2^2 + 2w_1 w_2 \rho_{1,2} \sigma_1 \sigma_2$$

Scaling from **daily** returns to **annual** returns (Assuming 1 year = 250 trading days):

$$R_{\text{daily}} \times 250 \text{ trading days}$$

Scaling from **daily** standard deviation to **annual** standard deviation:

$$\sigma_{\text{daily}} \times \sqrt{250}$$

$$\text{Incremental VaR (IVaR)} = VaR \text{ after change} - VaR \text{ before change}$$

Percentage change in bond price:

$$\frac{\Delta B}{B} \approx -Duration \frac{\Delta y}{1+y} + \frac{1}{2} Convexity \left( \frac{\Delta y}{1+y} \right)^2$$

$$\text{New call price: } c + \Delta c \approx c + \Delta c_c(\Delta S) + \frac{1}{2} \Gamma c_c(\Delta S)^2 + Vega_c(\Delta \sigma)$$

$$\text{New put price: } p + \Delta p \approx p + \Delta p_p(\Delta S) + \frac{1}{2} \Gamma p_p(\Delta S)^2 + Vega_p(\Delta \sigma)$$

## VOL5 Learning Module 4 | Backtesting and Simulation

No formula.

## VOL6 Learning Module 1 | Economics and Investment Markets

One-period real-risk free rate:

$$l_{t,1} = \frac{1}{E_t[\tilde{m}_{t,1}]} - 1$$

where:

$E_t[\tilde{m}_{t,1}]$  = Inter-temporal rate of substitution

$$\text{Price of risky asset} = \frac{E[\tilde{P}_{t+1,s-1}]}{1 + l_{t,1}} + \text{cov}_t[\tilde{P}_{t+1,s-1}, \tilde{m}_{t,1}]$$

where:

$\frac{E[\tilde{P}_{t+1,s-1}]}{1 + l_{t,1}}$  = risk neutral present value

$\text{cov}_t[\tilde{P}_{t+1,s-1}, \tilde{m}_{t,1}]$  = covariance between investor's inter-temporal rate of substitution and the random future price the investment at  $t + 1$ , based on the information available to investor today.

$s$  = time to maturity of investment

### **Default-free nominal coupon-paying bond**

$$P_t^i = \sum_{s=1}^N \frac{CF_{t+s}^i}{(1 + l_{t,s} + \theta_{t,s} + \pi_{t,s}^{\square})^s}$$

where:

$l_{t,s}$  = Real-risk free rate

$\theta_{t,s}$  = Expected inflation rate

$\pi_{t,s}^{\square}$  = Uncertainty in future inflation rate

$\theta_{t,s} + \pi_{t,s}^{\square}$  = Breakeven rate of inflation

### **Short-dated nominal zero-coupon government bonds (e.g., T-bills)**

$$P_t^i = \frac{CF_{t+s}^i}{(1 + l_{t,s} + \theta_{t,s})^s}$$

**Taylor Rule**

$$pr_t = I_t + \pi_t + 0.5(\pi_t - \pi_t^*) + 0.5(Y_t - Y_t^*)$$

where:

$pr_t$  = policy rate at time  $t$

$I_t$  = level of **real** short-term interest rates that balance long-term savings and borrowing in the economy

$\pi_t$  = rate of inflation

$\pi_t^*$  = **target** rate of inflation

$Y_t$  = logarithmic level of **actual GDP**

$Y_t^*$  = logarithmic level of **potential real GDP**

$Y_t - Y_t^*$  = output gap

**Corporate bond**

$$P_t^i = \sum_{s=1}^N \frac{E_t[\widetilde{CF}_{t+s}^i]}{(1 + l_{t,s} + \theta_{t,s} + \pi_{t,s}^{\square} + \gamma_{t,s}^{\square})^s}$$

where:

$\gamma_{t,s}^{\square}$  = Credit premium

**Equity**

$$P_t^i = \sum_{s=1}^{\infty} \frac{E_t[\widetilde{CF}_{t+s}^i]}{(1 + l_{t,s} + \theta_{t,s} + \pi_{t,s}^{\square} + \gamma_{t,s}^{\square} + \kappa_{t,s}^{\square})^s}$$

$$P_t^i = \sum_{s=1}^{\infty} \frac{E_t[\widetilde{CF}_{t+s}^i]}{(1 + l_{t,s} + \theta_{t,s} + \pi_{t,s}^{\square} + \lambda_{t,s}^{\square})^s}$$

where:

$\kappa_{t,s}^{\square}$  = Equity premium relative to risky bonds

$\lambda_{t,s}^{\square} = \gamma_{t,s}^{\square} + \kappa_{t,s}^{\square}$  = Equity risk premium

**Commercial Real Estate**

$$P_t^i = \sum_{s=1}^N \frac{E_t[\widetilde{CF}_{t+s}^i]}{(1 + l_{t,s} + \theta_{t,s} + \pi_{t,s}^{\square} + \gamma_{t,s}^{\square} + \kappa_{t,s}^{\square} + \phi_{t,s}^{\square})^s}$$

where:

$\phi_{t,s}^{\square}$  = liquidity risk premium

## VOL6 Learning Module 2 | Analysis of Active Portfolio Management

Active return,  $R_A = R_P - R_B$

Alpha,  $\alpha_p = R_p - \beta_p R_B$

Value added,  $R_A = \sum_{j=1}^M \Delta w_j R_{B,j} + \sum_{j=1}^M w_{P,j} R_{A,j}$

$SR_P^2 = SR_B^2 + IR^2$

$\sigma^2(R_P) = \sigma^2(R_B) + \sigma^2(R_A)$

For **optimal** Sharpe ratio,

$$\sigma(R_A) = \frac{IR}{SR_B} \sigma(R_B)$$

Transfer Coefficient,  $TC = \text{Corr}\left(\frac{\mu_i}{\sigma_i}, \Delta w_i \sigma_i\right)$

Information Coefficient,  $IC = \text{Corr}\left(\frac{R_{Ai}}{\sigma_i}, \frac{\mu_i}{\sigma_i}\right)$

$IC \approx 2(\text{Probability of right call}) - 1$

Forecasted active return,  $\mu_i = IC \times \sigma_i \times S_i$

where:  $S_i$  is set of standardized forecasts of expected returns across securities

**Mean-variance optimal weights**

$$\Delta w_i^* = \frac{\mu_i \sigma_A}{\sigma_i^2 IC \sqrt{BR}}$$

**Full Fundamental Law**

$$E(R_A) = TC \times IC \sqrt{BR} \sigma_A$$

$$IR = TC \times IC \sqrt{BR}$$

$$\sigma(R_A) = TC \times \frac{IR^*}{SR_B} \sigma(R_B)$$

$$SR_P^2 = SR_B^2 + (TC)^2 (IR^*)^2$$

**Performance Measurement**

$$R_A = E(R_A|IC_R) + Noise$$

$TC^2$  = Proportion of variation in realized performance attributed to realized information coefficient

where:

$IC_R$  = realized information coefficient

**Ex-ante measurement of skill**

$$E(R_A) = \frac{IC}{\sigma_{IC}} \sigma_A$$

**Independence of Investment Decision**

$$BR = \frac{N}{1 + (N - 1)\rho}$$