

ECS2605-J

The South African Financial system

The money market

Money market calculations

Different types of financial instruments

- Discount instruments
- Interest add-on instruments
- Repurchase agreements
- Bond instruments

How do you distinguish among instruments?

- You learn it off by heart!

Discount instrument	Interest add-on instruments	Others
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bankers' acceptances• Treasury bills• Land Bank bills• Commercial paper• Promissory notes• Capital project bills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reserve bank debenture• Negotiable certificate of deposit• Roads board bridging bonds• Transnet coupon stock	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repurchase agreement

Discount instruments

Discount instruments

- Nominal value \longrightarrow N
- Discount rate \longrightarrow i_d (per year)
- Days to maturity \longrightarrow d
- Price \longrightarrow P (in rand %)
- Yield \longrightarrow i_y (per year)
- n \longrightarrow $d/365$

Discount instruments

Assignment 02 questions 1 and 2

Nominal value: R11 000 000

Issue date: 1 January 2011

Expiry date: 31 March 2011

How do we know
it is a discount
instrument?

On 1 January 2011, this **Land Bank bill** was issued at a **discount rate** of 7.500%. On the 25th of February 2011, this instrument trades **at a discount of 8.250%**. The number of days from 1 January 2011 to 31 March is 89 and from **25 February 2011 to 31 March there are 34 days**. How much did the seller get from selling the bill on the **25th of February 2011** in the secondary market?

Discount instruments

Given: $N = R11m$

$8,25\%$ or $0,0825$

4 days thus $n = 34/365$

Consideration

$$C = (N \times i_d \times n)$$

Discount
↓

$$= R11m - (R11m \times 0,0825 \times 34/365)$$

$$= R11m - (R11m \times 0,0825 \times 0,0932)$$

$$= R11m - R84\,534,25$$

$$= R10\,915\,465,75$$

$$\approx R10\,915\,466$$

Thus: [4] is correct option



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The **maturity value** was.....

The correct alternative is [3]

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What is the yield?

Yield

(Actual return **per annum**)

Yield per **annum**

$$= (\text{Return}/\text{buying price}) \times (365/d)$$

For a discount instrument:

$$= (\text{Discount}/\text{consideration}) \times (365/d)$$

Discount instruments

Given: $N = \text{R}11\text{m}$
 $i = 8,25\%$ or $0,0825$ Discount
N

$d_h = 34 = 34$ days

Consideration = R10 915 466

Discount = R84 534 Discount
C

Yield for a discount instrument:

$$= (\text{Discount/consideration}) \times (365/d_h)$$

$$= (\text{R}84\,534 / \text{R}10\,915\,466) \times (365/34)$$

$$= 0,00774 \times 10,735$$

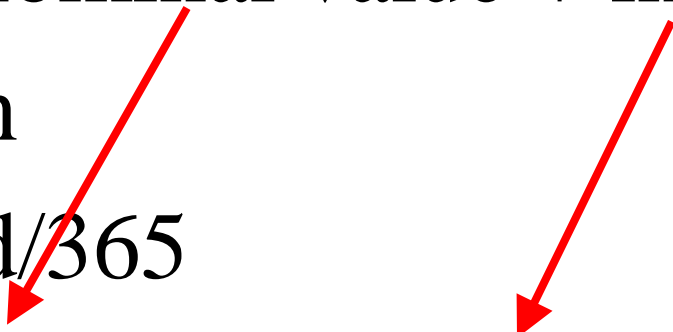
$$= 0,0831 \text{ or } 8,31\%$$

Higher than
discount rate

Interest add-on securities

- Maturity value = nominal value + interest

Interest add-on securities

- Maturity value = nominal value + interest
 - Interest = $N \times i \times n$
= $N \times i \times d/365$
 - Maturity value = $N + (N \times i \times d/365)$
= $N[1 + (i \times d/365)]$
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Interest add-on securities

Assignment 02 questions 3

Bank VW issued NCDs worth R5m at an annual interest rate of 13%. They will expire in 115 days. 90 days later (i.e. 25 days before expiry) the NCDs are traded at a market interest rate of 9%.

On issue Bank VW received

Interest add-on securities issued at nominal value.

Correct answer is [3].

Interest add-on securities

Assignment 02 questions 4

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The consideration in the secondary market is

$$P = MV / (1 + i \times n)$$

Have to calculate first

Interest add-on securities

Assignment 02 questions 4

Bank VW issued NCDs worth R5m at an annual interest rate of 13%. They will expire in 115 days. 90 days later (i.e. 25 days before expiry) the NCDs are traded at a market interest rate of 9%.

$$\begin{aligned} MV &= NV \times (1 + i \times n) \\ &= R5\,000\,000 \times (1 + 0,13 \times 115/365) \\ &= R5\,000\,000 \times (1 + 0,040959) \\ &= R5\,000\,000 \times 1,040959 \\ &= R5\,204\,795 \end{aligned}$$

Interest add-on securities

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Now we have calculated M

Interest add-on securities

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Correct answer is [1].

Interest add-on securities

Assignment 02 questions 5

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The seller in the secondary market realised a capital profit/loss of

How to determine profit / loss

- Total income
- Accrued interest
- Profit (Loss) = Total income – accrued interest

Interest add-on securities

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How to determine profit / loss

- Total income: Amount sold at – amount bought for
- $R\ 5\ 172\ 907 - R\ 5\ 000\ 000 = R\ 172\ 907$

Interest add-on securities

Assignment 02 questions 5

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Interest add-on securities –secondary market

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$$\begin{aligned}\text{Accrued interest} &= \text{Amount paid} \times i \times n \\ &= R5\,000\,000 \times 0,13 \times 90/365 \\ &= R5\,000\,000 \times 0,0321 \\ &= R160\,273,97 \\ &\approx R160\,274\end{aligned}$$

Interest add-on securities

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The seller in the secondary market realised a capital profit/loss of

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Profit (Loss)} &= \text{Total income} - \text{accrued interest} \\ &= \text{R172 907} - \text{R 160 274} \\ &= \text{R12 633}\end{aligned}$$

Thus the correct answer is [3].

Interest add-on securities –secondary market

- When $i \uparrow$ prices of securities \downarrow
- When $i \uparrow$ a capital **loss** is made on interest add-on securities
- When $i \downarrow$ a capital **profit** is made on interest add-on securities

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90 days later (i.e. 25 days before expiry) the NCDs are traded at a market interest rate of **9%**.

The seller in the secondary market realised **a capital profit** of

Interest add-on securities – secondary market

Assignment 02 questions 6

Bank VW issued NCDs worth R5m at an annual interest rate of 13%. They will expire in 115 days. 90 days later (i.e. 25 days before expiry) the NCDs are traded at a market interest rate of 9%.

The seller in the secondary market's **yield rate** is....

$$\text{Annual yield} = \text{Total income/price paid} \times 1/n_h$$

Interest add-on securities – secondary market

Assignment 02 questions 6

Annual yield = Total income/price paid x $1/n_h$

Primary market

N → R5 000 000

i → 0,13

d → 115

Consideration → R5 000 000

Income → R5 000 000

Annual yield = R5 000 000

Secondary market

MV → R5 200 000

i → 0,09

25

07

R5 200 000 x 365/90

= 0,0346 x 4,0556

= 0,1402 or 14,020%

Number of days
it belonged to
seller: 115-25
=90

Yield higher
than i at which it
was bought –
indicate capital
profit

Correct answer

Question 6: [1]

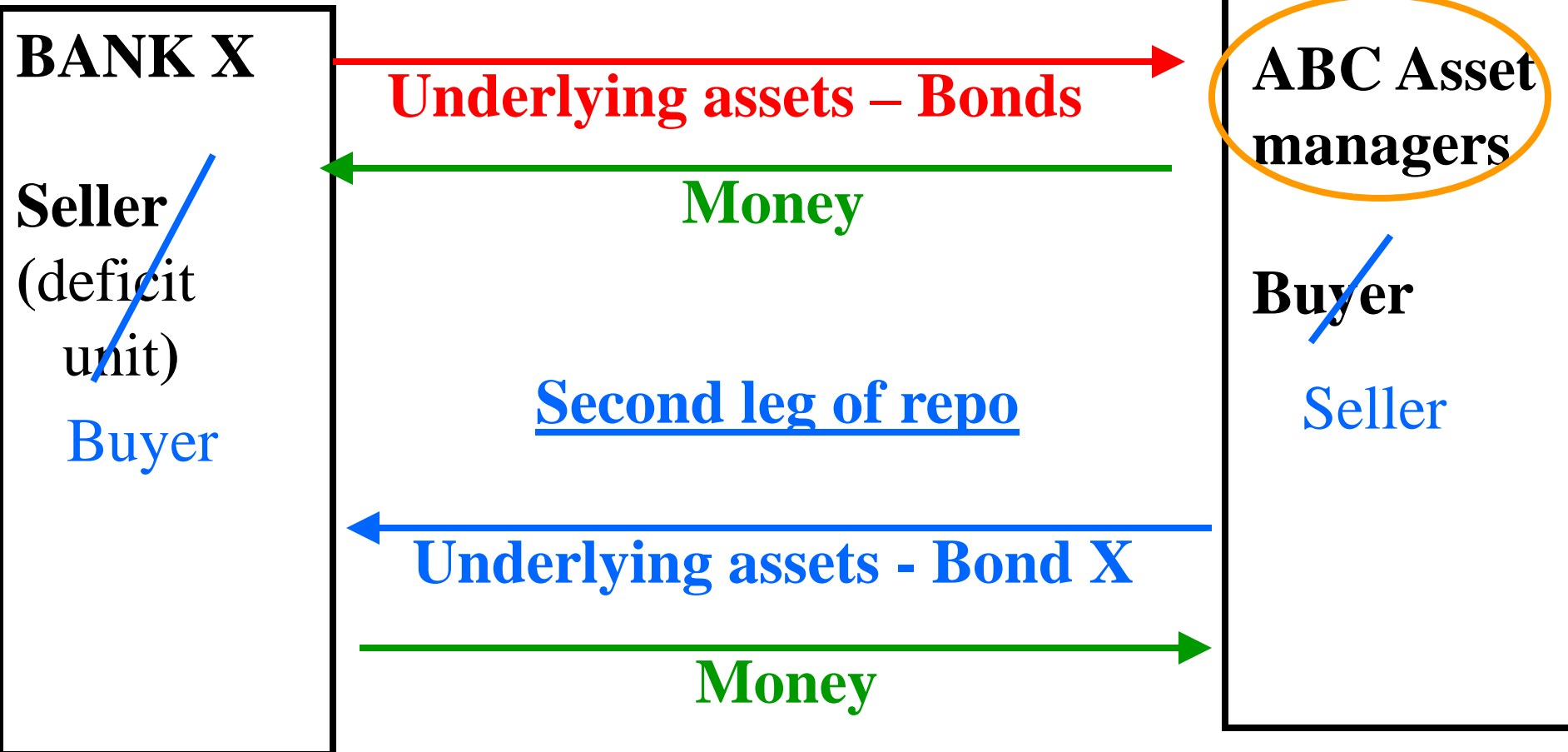


Repurchase agreement (repo)

Questions 7 and 8

Can be another bank or SARB

First leg of repo



Repurchase agreement (repo)

Question 7

Bonds with a nominal value of R4 000 000 were sold by Bank XYZ to Bank AB on the 15th of October 2011 at an all in market price of R99, 500%. Bank **Errata** agreed to repurchase the bonds 7 days later at a repurchase rate of 7, 00%.

The consideration in the first leg of this transaction is

Consideration = nominal value of underlying instruments x AIP

AIP → Market price of bonds on date of **first** leg

Consideration = R4 000 000 x R99,500%

= R4 000 000 x 0,995

= R3 980 000 **Correct answer**

question 7: [2]

Repurchase agreement (repo)

Question 8

Bonds with a nominal value of R4 000 000 were sold by Bank XYZ to Bank AB on the 15th of October 2011 at an all in market price of R99, 500%. Bank XYZ agreed to repurchase the bonds 7 days later at a repurchase rate of 7, 00%.

What amount will be paid in the second leg of the transaction?

Consideration leg two = **Interest payable** +
Consideration leg one (C)

Repurchase transaction

(Questions 8)

Second leg of repo

Consideration leg two = Consideration leg one (N) +
Interest payable

Interest payable = $N \times i \times n$

N → consideration in leg one R3 980 000

i → repo rate 7,00% or 0,07

n → number of days between leg one and two /365 7/365

Interest payable = R3 980 000 x 0,07 x 7/365
= R5 343

Correct answer

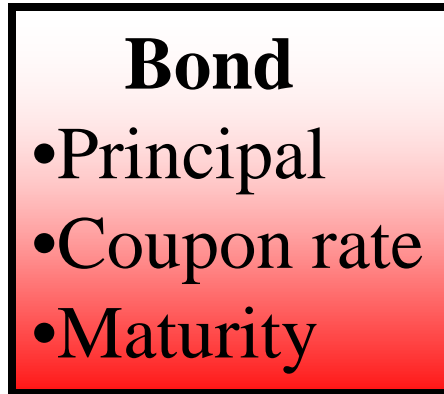
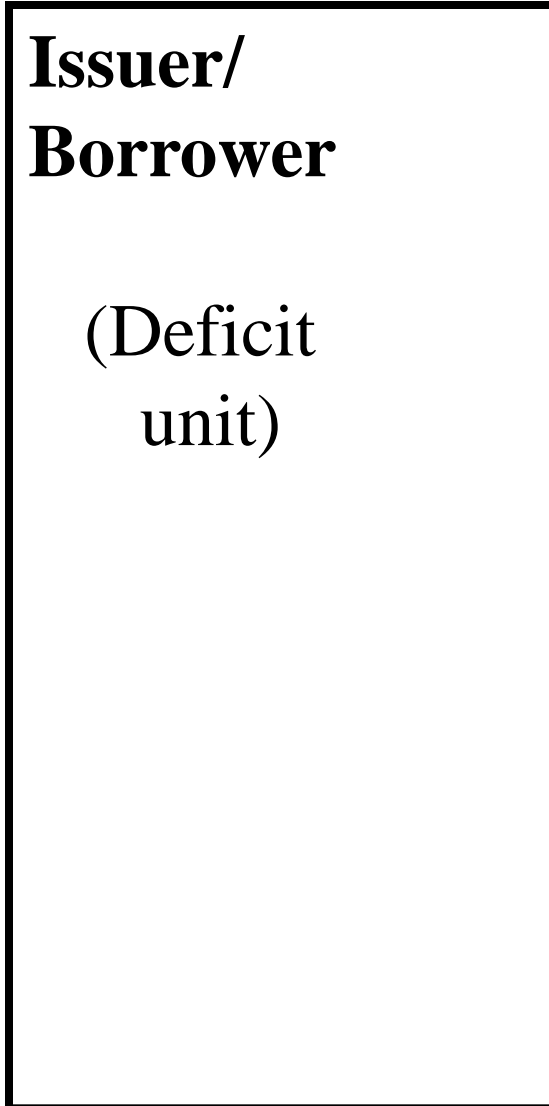
Consideration in leg two = 3 980 000 + R5 343
= R3 985 343

Question 8: [4]

The bond

market

Bonds



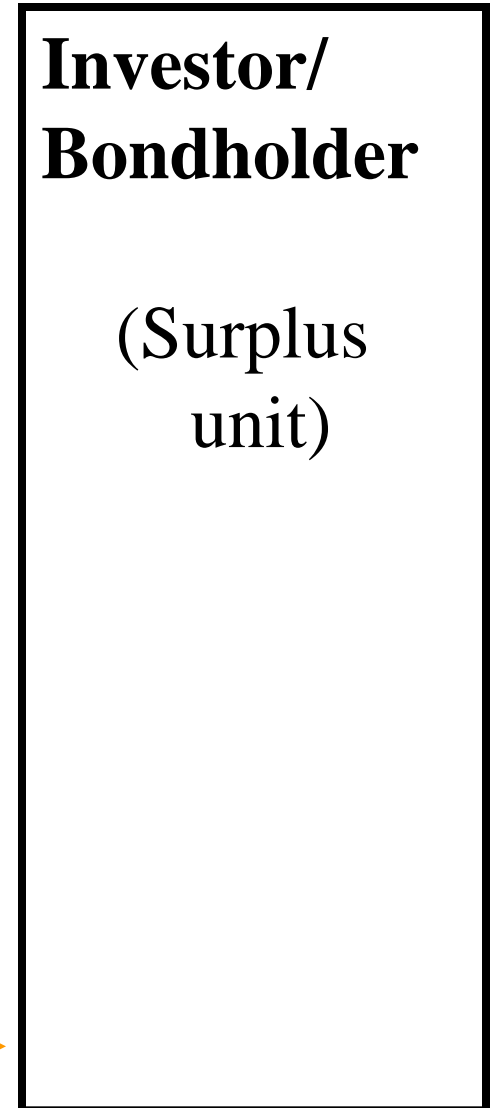
Issue date



Coupon dates



Expiry date



Bonds

Coupon payments

Coupon = coupon rate x principal

Eg Coupon rate = 0,10 x 10% p.a.

Principal = R10m

Coupon = 0,10 x R10m

= R1 000 000 per year

If coupon payments are twice a year:

Coupon = annual coupon / 2

= R500 000 every six months

Bonds

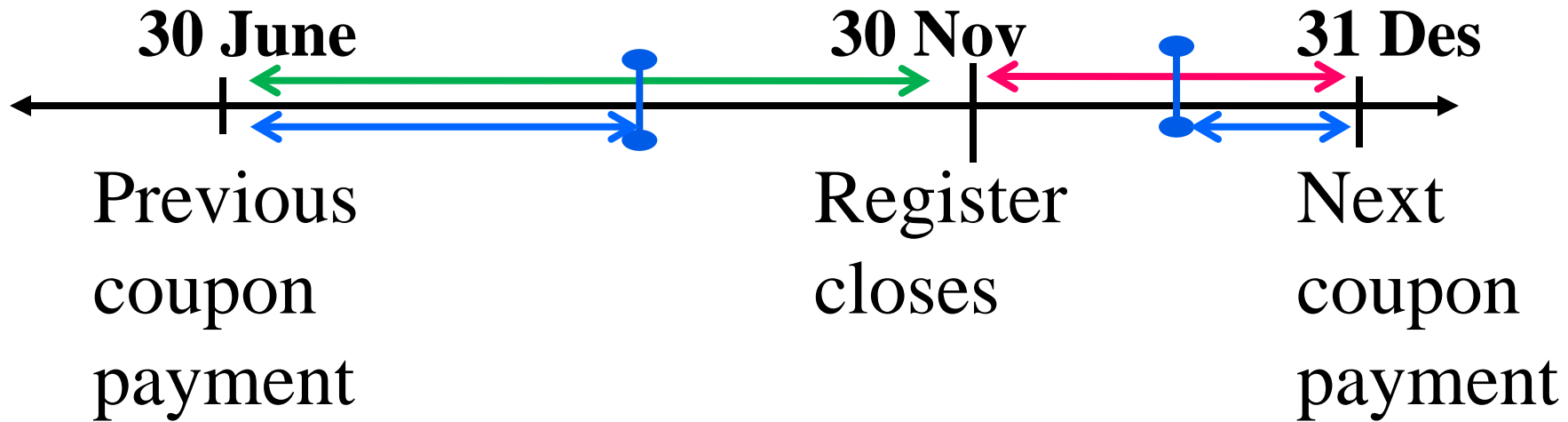
Accrued interest

Bonds can trade **cum interest** or **ex interest**

Cum interest: interest has to be **added**
to the clean price

Ex interest: interest has to be **subtracted**
from the clean price

Bonds – When cum and when ex interest?



From 30/6 to 30/11:

Bond belongs to **buyer** on register closing date.

Buyer will receive all interest

Seller must be refunded
Cum interest

From 30/11 to 31/12:

Bond belongs to **seller** on register closing date.

Seller will receive all interest

Buyer must be refunded
Ex interest

Bonds (Question 9)

Bond A

Principal value:

R25million

Coupon rate:

5%

Issue date:

1 June 2000.

Maturity date:

31 May 2015

Coupon payment dates:

30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Based on the information above and the fact that the bond's current market price is R101,500%, which of the following statements is/are correct?

- (a) If on the 17th of February 2007 this bond was sold in the secondary market, it was trading ex interest.
- (b) If it was sold on the 29th of April 2007 in the secondary market, then it was traded cum interest.

Bonds (Question 9)

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Maturity date:

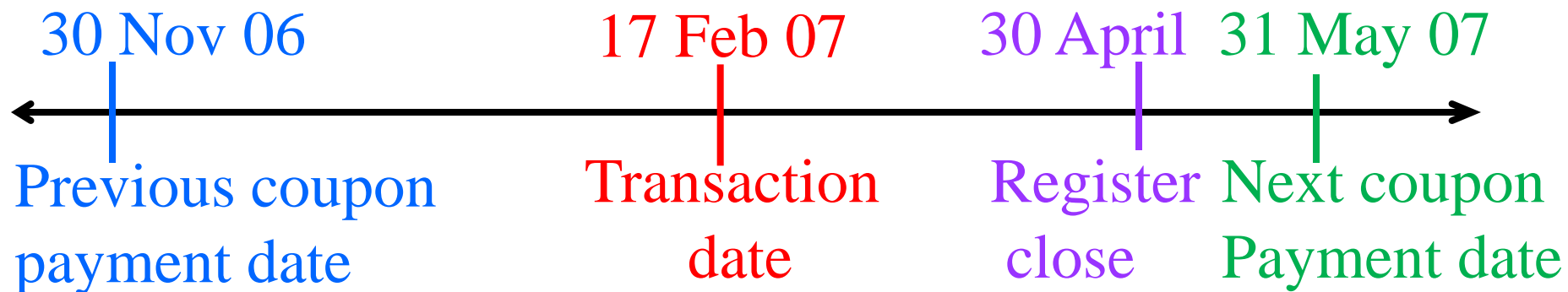
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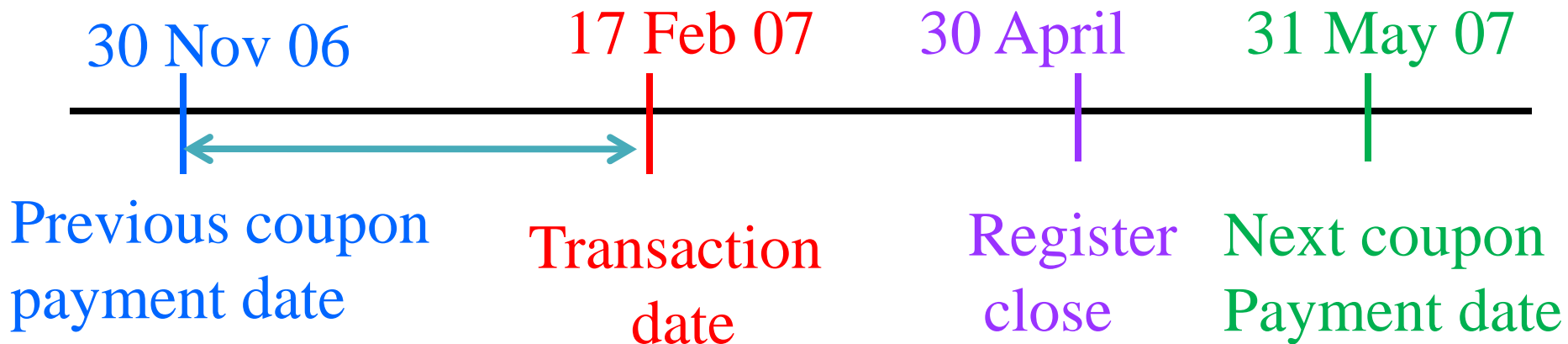
30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Suppose that the bond traded on 17 February 2007



Bonds (Question 9)



The party that holds the bond on the register closing date will receive the full coupon.

Who holds this bond on the register closing date? **The buyer**

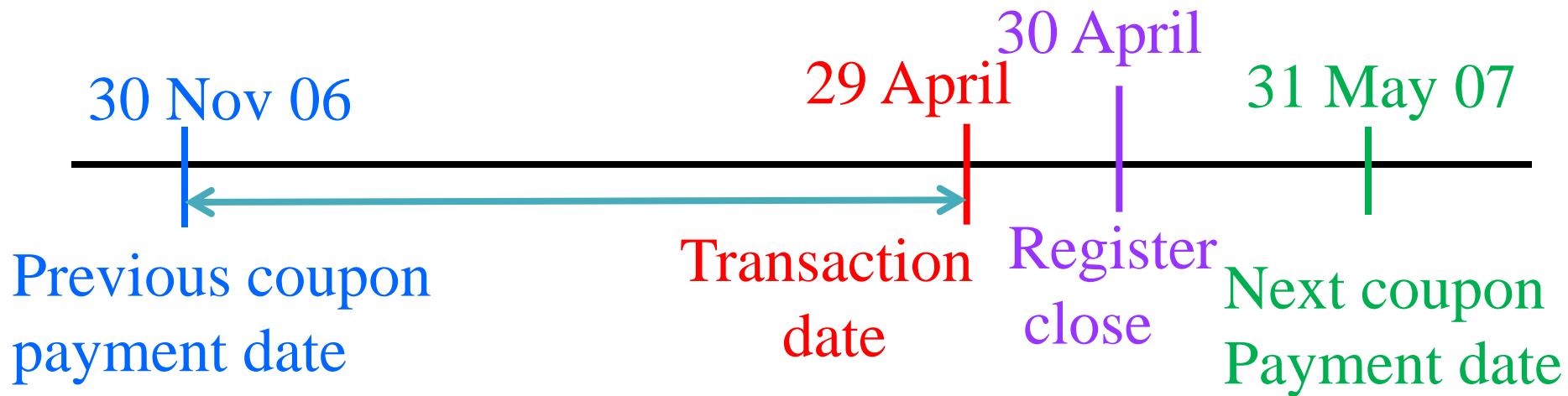
Who will receive the full coupon? **The buyer**

But from 30 Nov 06 to 17 Feb 07 the bond belonged to the **seller**, so the seller has to be compensated for the period from **30 Nov 06 to 17 Feb 07**.

Add accrued interest to clean price , thus **cum interest**

Statement (a) is not correct

Bonds (Question 9)



The party that holds the bond on the register closing date will receive the full coupon.

Who holds this bond on the register closing date? **The buyer**

Who will receive the full coupon? **The buyer**

But from 30 Nov 06 to 29 April 07 the bond belonged to the **seller**, so the seller has to be compensated for the period from **30 Nov to 29 April 07**

Add accrued interest to clean price , thus **cum interest**

Statement (b) is correct

Bonds

- Bonds are issued at a discount, at par or at a premium
 - **Discount:** Price < R100% e.g. R95% or 0,95
 - **Par:** Price = R100% i.e. R100% or 1,00
 - **Premium:** Price > R100% e.g. R105% or 1,05

Bonds (Question 9)

Bond A

Principal value:

R25million

Coupon rate:

5%

Issue date:

1 June 2000.

Maturity date:

31 May 2015

Coupon payment dates:

30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Based on the information above and the fact that the bond's current market price is R101,500%, which of the following statements is/are correct?

(c) The bond is trading at a premium

(d) The bond is trading at par

R101,500% > R100%

Thus a premium

(c) is correct and

(d) is incorrect

Correct option [2]

Bonds (Question 10)

Bond A

Principal value:	R25million
Coupon rate:	5%
Issue date:	1 June 2000.
Maturity date:	31 May 2015
Coupon payment dates:	30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Suppose the bond traded at a market price of R98.500% on 30 March 2008. The number of days from 30 November to 30 March is 120 and the number of days from 30 March to 31 May is 62. The accrued interest amount is.....

**First we have to decide whether the bond trades
cum interest or ex interest!**

Bonds

Accrued interest

Bonds can trade **cum interest** or **ex interest**

Cum interest: interest has to be **added**
to the clean price

Ex interest: interest has to be **subtracted**
from the clean price

Bonds (Question 10)

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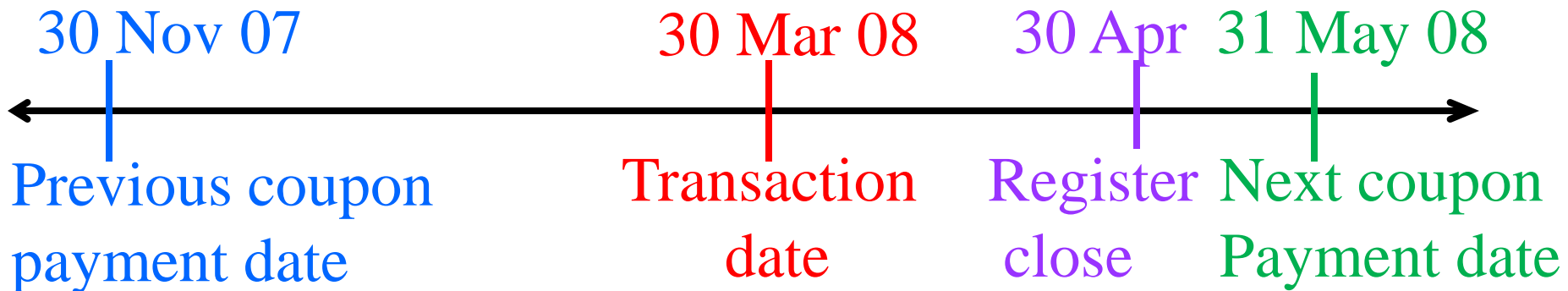
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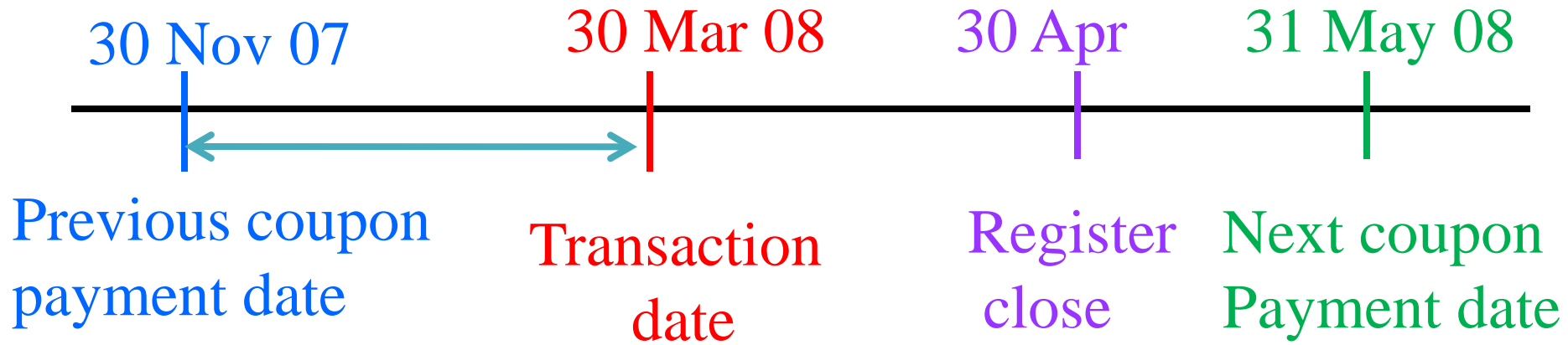
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Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates

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Bonds (Question 10)



The party that holds the bond on the register closing date will receive the full coupon.

Who holds this bond on the register closing date? **The buyer**

Who will receive the full coupon? **The buyer**

But from 30 Nov 07 to 30 March 08 the bond belonged to the **seller**, so the seller has to be compensated for the period from **30 Nov to 30 March 08**.

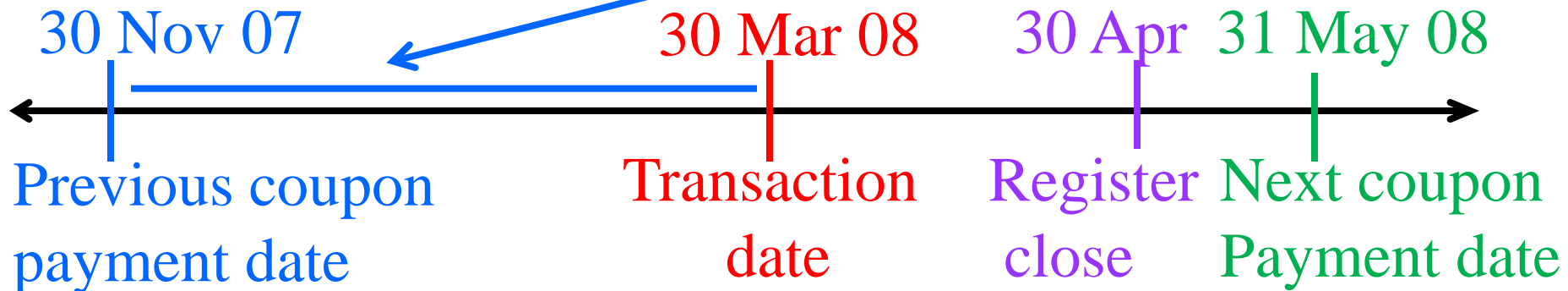
Add accrued interest to clean price , thus **cum interest**

Bonds (Question 10)

Bond A

Principal value:	R25 million
Coupon rate:	5%
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Coupon rate:

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Issue date:

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Maturity date:

31 May 2015

Coupon payment dates:

30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates

Suppose the bond traded at a market price of R98.500% on 30 March 2008. The number of days from 30 November to 30 March is 120 and the number of days from 30 March to 31 May is 62. The accrued interest amount is.....

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Accrued interest amount} &= \text{principal} \times \text{coupon rate per annum} \times d/365 \\ &= R25\,000\,000 \times 0,05 \times 120/365 \\ &= R25\,000\,000 \times 0,0164 \\ &= R410\,959\end{aligned}$$

Correct
answer is [5].

Bonds (Question 11)

Bond A

Principal value:	R25 million
Coupon rate:	5%
Issue date:	1 June 2000.
Maturity date:	31 May 2015
Coupon payment dates:	30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Suppose the bond traded at a market price of **R98,500%** on 30 March 2008. The number of days from 30 November to 30 March is 120 and the number of days from 30 March to 31 May is 60. The all in price was.....

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Clean price amount} &= \text{clean price} \times \text{Principal} \\ &= 0,985 \times \text{R25m} \\ &= \text{R24 625 000}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{All in price} = \text{clean price} + \text{accrued interest}$$

$$= \text{R24 625 000} + \text{R410 959} = \text{R25 035 959}$$

On 30 March bond traded cum interest, thus add accrued interest to clean price!

Bonds (Question 12)

Bond A

Principal value:

R25million

Coupon rate:

5%

Issue date:

1 June 2000.

Maturity date:

31 May 2015

Coupon payment dates:

30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Suppose that the bond now traded at a market price of R99, 00% on 10 May 2009. The number of days from 30 November to 10 May is 161 and the number of days from 31 May to 10 May is 1. On that date, the

4 things to do:

all in price

1. Does it trade ex interest or cum interest
2. Calculate accrued interest
3. Calculate clean price
4. Calculate all-in price

Bonds (Question 12)

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R25million

Coupon rate:

5%

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Coupon payment dates:

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Suppose that the bond now traded at a market price of R99, 00% on 10 May 2009. The number of days from 30 November to 10 May is 161 and the number of days from 10 May to 31 May is 21. On that date, the all in price was.....

1. Does it trade ex interest or cum interest?

30 Nov 08



30 Apr 09 10 May 31 May 09



Bonds (Question 12)



The party that holds the bond on the register closing date will receive the full coupon.

Who holds this bond on the register closing date? **The seller**

Who will receive the full coupon? **The seller**

But from 10 May 09 to 31 May 09 the bond belonged to the **buyer**, so the buyer has to be compensated for the period from **10 May 09 to 31 May 09** .

Subtract accrued interest from clean price , thus **ex interest**

Bonds (Question 12)

Bond A

Principal value:

R25million

Coupon rate:

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$$\begin{aligned}\text{Accrued interest amount} &= \text{principal} \times \text{coupon rate per annum} \times d/365 \\ &= R25\,000\,000 \times 0,05 \times 21/365 \\ &= R25\,000\,000 \times 0,0029 \\ &= R71\,918\end{aligned}$$

Bonds (Question 12)

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Bonds (Question 12)

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$$\begin{aligned}\text{Clean price amount} &= \text{clean price} \times \text{Principal} \\ &= 0,99 \times \text{R25m} \\ &= \text{R24 750 000}\end{aligned}$$

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1. Does it trade ex interest or cum interest ✓
2. Calculate accrued interest ✓
3. Calculate clean price ✓
4. Calculate all-in price

Bonds (Question 12)

Bond A

Principal value:	R25 million
Coupon rate:	5%
Issue date:	1 June 2000.
Maturity date:	31 May 2015
Coupon payment dates:	30 November and 31 May

Bond registers close a month before the coupon payment dates.

Suppose that the bond now traded at a market price of R99, 00% on 10 May 2009. The number of days from 30 November to 10 May is 161 and the number of days from 10 May to 31 May is 21. The bond's price was.....

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Clean price amount} &= \text{clean price} \times \text{Principal} \\ &= 0,99 \times \text{R25m} \\ &= \text{R24 750 000}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{All in price} &= \text{clean price} - \text{accrued interest} \\ &= \text{R24 750 000} - \text{R71 918}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \text{R24 678 082}$$

On 10 May bond traded ex interest, thus subtract accrued interest from clean price!



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Foreign exchange market

Question 13 of Assignment 02

If a foreign exchange dealer quotes a price of GBP/BWP 11,450/ 12, 150 and the client wishes to buy GBP3 million and sell BWP, how much BWP does the client have to pay?

Dealer **buys** GBP: 1 GBP = 11,450 BWP

Dealer **sells** GBP: 1 GBP = 12, 150 BWP

Client **buys** GBP, thus dealer must **sell** GBP

$$1 \text{ GBP} = 12, 150 \text{ BWP}$$

$$\text{Thus } 3\text{m GBP} = 12, 150 \times 3\text{m BWP}$$

$$= 36\,450\,000 \text{ BWP}$$

Thus correct alternative is [1]

Foreign exchange market

Question 14 of Assignment 02

If a foreign exchange dealer quotes a price of USD/NGN 150.75 / 155.90 and the client wishes to buy 200 million Nigerian Naira and sell USD, how much USD does the client have to pay?

Dealer buys USD: 1 USD = 150.75 NGN

Dealer sells USD : 1 USD = 155.90 NGN

Client sells USD , thus dealer buy USD

$$1 \text{ USD} = 150,75 \text{ NGN}$$

$$1/150,75 \text{ USD} = 1 \text{ NGN}$$

$$1/150,75 \times 200 \text{ million USD} = 200 \text{ million NGN}$$

$$1 \text{ 326 700 USD} = 200 \text{ million NGN}$$

Thus correct alternative is [4]

Derivatives

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

It will be profitable to exercise an option when.....

- it is **in** the money
- i.e. when the holder can **gain** from exercising it

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

What is an option?

Put option

Right to **sell** at a strike price

Want to sell at **highest** possible price,

Thus **when strike price > market price**
option is **in** the money

When **strike price < market price**
option is **out** of the money

When **strike price = market price**
option is **at** the money

Example

Strike price is R100

Market price = R95

$R100 > R95$

sell at strike price

Market price = R105

$R100 < R105$

Sell at market price

Market price = R100

$R100 = R100$

Indifferent

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

What is an option?

Call option

Right to **buy** at a strike price

Want to buy at **lowest** possible price,

Thus **when strike price > market price**
option is **out** of the money

When **strike price < market price**
option is **in** the money

When **strike price = market price**
option is **at** the money

Example

Strike price is R100

Market price = R95

$R100 > R95$

Buy at market price

Market price = R105

$R100 < R105$

Buy at strike price

Market price = R100

$R100 = R100$

Indifferent

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

It is **not** profitable to exercise an option when.....

[1] the call option exercise (strike) price is **greater** than the market price of the underlying asset. ✓

Option to **buy** (at **lowest** price possible)

Strike price $>$ market price

Rather buy at market price

Thus option is **out of** the money – not profitable

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

It is **not** profitable to exercise an option when.....

[2] the call option exercise price is **less than** the market price of the underlying asset.

X

Option to **buy** (at **lowest** price possible)

Strike price **<** market price

Rather buy at strike price

Thus option is **in** the money –profitable

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

It is **not** profitable to exercise an option when.....

[3] the put option exercise price is **greater** than the market price of the underlying asset. **X**

Option to **sell** (at **highest** price possible)

Strike price $>$ market price

Rather sell at strike price

Thus option is **in** the money –profitable

Options

Question 15 of Assignment 02

It is **not** profitable to exercise an option when.....

[4] the call option exercise price is **equal to** the market price of the underlying asset.

Option to **sell** (at **highest** price possible)

Strike price = market price

Will break even

The end

- All the best with the exam! Be well prepared!
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