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Quiz one

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Q1. What are the neoclassical economic assumptions about people

1. People have Rational preferences
2. " max. utility and firms max. profits
3. " make independent decisions

Q2. Fill in the blanks

People preferences are Complete . And transitive

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Q1. Discuss the forms of market efficiency, and the type of investors based on their risk appetite

1. Weak form \rightarrow Past info
2. Semi-Strong form \rightarrow Past and Current
3. Strong form \rightarrow Past + Current + Future
"insider info"

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4. Risk Averse: require high Return to compensate the higher level of Risk
5. Risk neutral: people care about Return and Risk does not matter at all.
6. Risk seeker: low weight Return, they prefer Risk at least at times

10 \rightarrow 20
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What are the three supports on which market efficiency rests? Why is it that only one of them is required?

- 1 Investors are rational ✓
- 2 Errors are uncorrelated ✓
- 3 Unlimited Arbitrage. ✓

~~At least one of them is~~

supporter

* every ~~one~~ of these supporters rely on each other which make the market efficient so if one fails the market fails to be efficient which explains why every supporter of them is explained and studied alone.

List the four key anomalies we had discussed in class, then discourse any one of them.

- ① Lagged Reaction to ~~earnings~~.
- ② The size ~~firm~~ effect (small and large firm).
- ③ Value vs. ~~growth returns~~.
- ④ momentum ~~reversal~~.

* the size firm effect :
Small and large firm

الترجمة الصغيرة تحقق ارباح اكثر بكثير من التركة الكبيرة ونحن
عنا ما يحدث هذا الشيء بسبب (size effect)

ال P/E في التركة الصغيرة يكون اقل من ال P/E في التركة
الكبيرة.

* ~~lagged Reaction to earnings~~ : ردود الاعمال المتأخرة عن الارباح

لها التربة تملك من ارباح ~~earnings~~ يكون السوق وانك بدون افكال
وردة فعل

ولها التربة تملك عن توزيع ال Div. المفروض انوا مستثمرين يتحركوا
وسرعة السهم ينزل بسبب سعر السهم يطلع لانو السوق يكون inefficient.

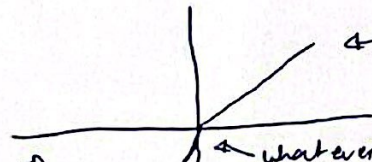
Question One: differentiate between the following

1. Integration and segregation

Occurs when events are lumped together. (Risk seeker/averse).

Occurs when events occur at one time (depends on my previous losses).

when integrate after a loss will hold value function down.



integrate after win will lift value function up.

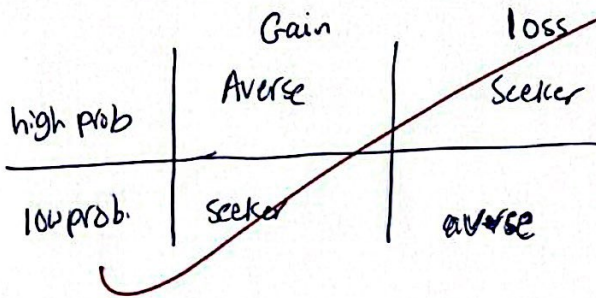
whatever decision we take after 'segregation' we'll go back to reference point.

2. Mental accounting and framing

tendency of investors ability to study their finance, distribute their cash in order to get benefits as much as possible from different investments and reduce risk to it's lowest.

decision making to a problem with possible outcomes. depends on 3) ① personality. ② perception ③ presentation.

Question Two: discuss the fourfold pattern



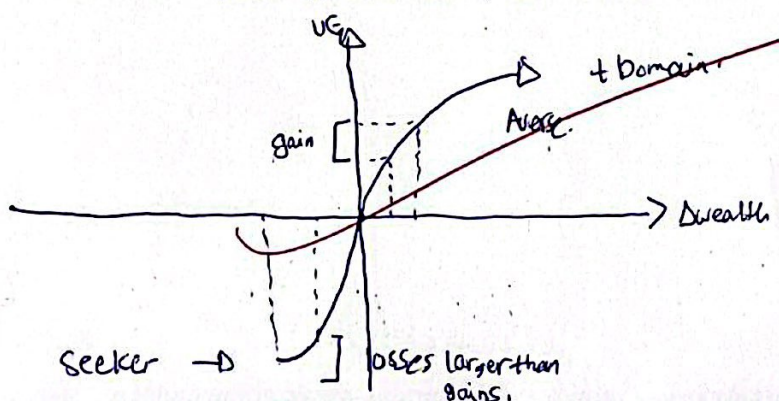
Investors prefer certain gain over probable losses, 4-fold pattern depend on weighing function and on risk preference, how investors want to seek risk if it's high/low, As a risk seeker (seeking for risk to ~~get higher return~~ get higher return, same for averse if seeking losses they would take lowest probability to reduce as much risk as can. (Continue at the back).

Question Three: What is the value function:

One of factors that effect prospect theory that effect my decisions,

- In positive domain, investors are averse leaving value function concave in shape and convex in negative domain as investors are seekers.

losses has a steeper motion rather than any gain to be received, as losses occur it will leave a negative impact on investors (losses loom larger than gains).



Value function:- It come of the replacement of utility theory to the expected utility theory.

- Value function \Rightarrow Δ in wealth.

- utility \Rightarrow losses/gains.

cases.