

# FOREX CLASS 6

## HOME WORK SUPPORT

### COVERAGE

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**Topic 3** CROSS RATE

**Question 7:** CW Q BOOK PAGE 3

Given:

US\$ 1 = ¥ 107.31

£ 1 = US\$ 1.26

A\$ 1 = US\$ 0.70

- i. Calculate the cross rate for Pound in Yen terms
- ii. Calculate the cross rate for Australian Dollar in Yen terms
- iii. Calculate the cross rate for Pounds in Australian Dollar terms

**(Source: ICAI)**

**Answer:** CW ANS BOOK PAGE 3

- i. Calculate the cross rate for Pounds in Yen terms

$$1\text{£} = ?\text{¥}$$

$$\text{US\$}1 = \text{¥} 107.31$$

$$\text{£} 1 = \text{US\$} 1.26$$

$$\frac{\text{¥}}{\text{\$}} \times \frac{\text{\$}}{\text{£}} = \frac{\text{¥}}{\text{£}}$$

$$\frac{\text{¥}}{\text{£}} = 107.31 \times 1.26$$

$$\text{£}1 = \text{¥} 135.21$$

- ii. Calculate the cross rate for Australian Dollar in Yen terms

$$\text{A\$}1 = \text{¥} ?$$

$$\text{US\$}1 = \text{¥} 107.31$$

$$\text{A\$} 1 = \text{US\$} 0.70$$

$$\frac{\text{¥}}{\text{\$}} \times \frac{\text{\$}}{\text{A\$}} = \frac{\text{¥}}{\text{A\$}}$$

$$\frac{\text{¥}}{\text{A\$}} = 107.31 \times 0.70$$

$$\text{A\$} 1 = \text{¥} 75.12$$

- iii. Calculate the cross rate for Pounds in Australian Dollar terms

$$\text{£} 1 = \text{A\$} ?$$

$$\text{A\$}1 = \text{US\$} 0.70$$

$$\text{US \$} 1 = \text{A\$} 1.4286$$

$$\text{£}1 = \text{US\$}1.26$$

$$\frac{\text{A\$}}{\text{\$}} \times \frac{\text{\$}}{\text{£}} = \frac{\text{A\$}}{\text{£}}$$

$$\frac{\text{A\$}}{\text{£}} = 1.4286 \times 1.26$$

$$= 1.80$$

$$\text{£} 1 = \text{A\$} 1.80$$

**Question 16:** CW Q BOOK PAGE 6

USD 10,000 is lying idle in your Bank Account. You are able to get the following quotes from the dealers:

Dealer	Quote	
A	EUR/USD	1.1539
B	EUR/GBP	0.9094
C	GBP/USD	1.2752

Is there an opportunity of gain from these quotes?

*(Source: ICAI)*

**Answer:** CW ANS BOOK PAGE 8

The arbitrageur can proceed as stated below to realize arbitrage gains.

- i. Buy € from US\$ 10,000 from Dealer A ( $10,000 / 1.1539$ ) € 8,666.26
- ii. Convert these € to £ by selling to Dealer B ( $€ 8,666.26 \times 0.9094$ ) £ 7,881.09
- iii. Convert £ to US\$ by selling to Dealer C ( $£ 7,881.09 \times 1.2752$ ) US\$ 10,049.97

There is net gain of US\$ 10,049.97 less US\$ 10,000 i.e. US\$ 49.97 or US\$ 50.00.

**Example 1:**

Bank A ₹/\$ 81.20/82.70

Bank B \$/£ 1.3650/1.3710

Bank C ₹/£ 126.40/128.10

Show the process of arbitrage using \$ 5,00,000

**Answer:**

Humne pehle calci pe check kiya Bank A se start krke.... Bank A ko \$ bechna but loss aya.....so correct way Bank B se start kro \$ bechna

**Step 1: Sell \$ 500000 to Bank B-** $500000/1.3710 = \text{£ } 364697.3$ 

(\$ becha means £ kharidna..... 1.3710 rate)

**Step 2: Sell £ to Bank C getting** $364697.3 \times 126.40 = \text{₹}46097739$ **Step 3: Sell ₹ to Bank A getting** $46097739/82.70 = \$557409$  (approx)

(sell ₹ means buy \$ @ 82.70)

Arbitrage Profit =  $557409 - 500000 = 57409$

**Example 2:**

9m F (\$ / €) = 1.0560

Annualised forward premium on \$ = 15%

Calculate spot rate (\$ / €)

**Answer:**

$$\frac{S-F}{F} \times 100 \times \frac{12}{9} = 15$$

$$\frac{S - 1.0560}{1.0560} \times \frac{100 \times 12}{9} = 15$$

$$S - 1.0560 = 0.1188$$

$$\therefore S = 1.1748$$