Quiz On The Day After Lecture # 9

Arbitrage Pricing Theory

Suppose that there are two independent economic factors F1 and F2. The risk-free rate is 6%, and all stocks have independent firm-specific components with a standard deviation of 45%. The following are well-diversified portfolios:

| Portfolio | | Beta on F ₁ | | Beta on F ₂ | Expected Return |
|-----------|-----|------------------------|----|------------------------|-----------------|
| А | 1.5 | 2.0 | 31 | | |
| В | 2.2 | -0.2 | 27 | | |

Table 1: Scenarios for 2 stocks with 2 Factors

What is the expected return-beta relationship in this economy?