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- FASB Accounting Standards Codification
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- Deposit Products
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- Plan for Success
- Relax to Open
- · Evaluate to Identify Needs
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- · Your Role as a Coach
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- Client Base and Campaign Basics
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- · The Capital Asset Pricing Model
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- · Interest Coverage Ratio
- · Estimating Cost of Debt
- · Market Value of Equity and Debt
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- · Dividend Yield and the Payout Ratio
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- · Net Present Value
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- · Corporate Actions and FINRA
- Mandatory Corporate Actions
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- · Measuring Firm Value
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Mergers and Acquisitions

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- Due Diligence
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- · Calculating Free Cash Flow
- · Calculating Net Internal Cash Flow
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Credit Risk Management

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- · Credit Risk Management
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Developing Credit Solutions

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- · Credit Analysis
- Seven C's of Credit Analysis
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Introduction to Credit Risk

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- · Types of Credit Risk
- · Understanding Credit Analysis
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Introduction to Credit Risk Measurement

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- Sound Credit-Granting Process
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- · Active Credit Portfolio Management
- · The Merton Model
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- · Asset Swaps
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- Repackaged Transactions
- Setting Up A Market/ Market Asset Swap
- Cash Flows From the Asset Transaction
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- Calculating Asset Swap Spreads
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Caps, Floors and Swaptions

- Caps
- Floors
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CDS Index Tranches

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- Credit Losses
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Credit Default Swaps

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Credit Default Swaps on Credit Indices

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- · CDS Spreads
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Currency Swaps

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- · Protective Put Buying
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- · Bear Put Spreads
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Eurodollar Futures Strips

- Eurostrip and Swap Rates
- Forward Calculations and Swap Rates using Actual Dates
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Exotic Options

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- · Correlation (Multivariate) Options
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Interest Rate Swaps

- Components of an Interest Rate Swap
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Introduction to Credit Derivatives: Part One

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- Basket Default Options
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Introduction to Credit Derivatives: Part Two

- · Credit Spread Options
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Introduction to Derivatives

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- Forward Contracts and Options
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- · Bear Put Spreads
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Introduction to Option Pricing Theory

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Introduction to Options

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- · Positions in Options
- · Options Strategies
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Introduction to Swaps

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Numerical Methods for Pricing Derivatives

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Pricing Credit Default Swaps

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Tools for Evaluating Options

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Equity Valuation - FCFF Model

- Estimating Growth Patterns
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Introduction to Economic Profit

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- · Earnings Management
- Benefits
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Introduction to Equity Valuation

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Introduction to Structured Products

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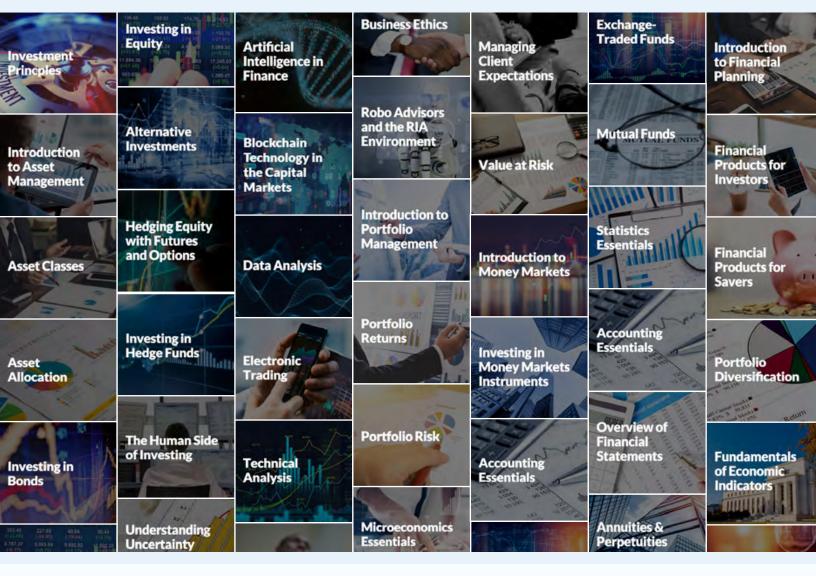
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