

### RISK AND RETURN





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- Compare which investment proposal is viable based on measured risk and return
- Identify types of risk and relationship between risk and return

#### At the end of the lesson, students should be able to:-

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### RISK

A hazard or exposure to loss or injury

A chance of a monetary loss

The uncertainty of cash flows (expected return) generated from an investment

The chance that some unfavourable event will occur

#### **CONCEPT**

#### OF RISK

The higher the uncertainty of return generating from an investment, the higher the risk of the investment





Example
Investment A would generate return
between RM10 to RM100 after one year
Investment B guarantee return of RM50
after one year

Investment A is MORE RISKY than investment B because of the uncertainty factor involved

#### ATTITUDES TOWARDS RISK (RISK PREFERENCES)

Different investors have different acceptable level of risk, depends on their attitudes towards risk 3 groups of risk preferences







RISK TAKER



RISK INDIFFERENT

#### RISK AVERSE

- Dislike risk
- Try to expose to the minimum risk level
- Require a higher expected return to compensate the additional risk
- Rationale attitude







#### **RISK TAKER**

- Prefer to take risk
- Willing to give up some return to take additional risk

#### **RISK INDIFFERENT**

- Would obtain the same satisfaction from a risk-free situation and a risky situation
- Would not change their required return for any increase in risk
- Irrational attitude



#### TYPES OF RISK

#### SYSTEMATIC

- Non-diversifiable
- Affect overall market (market risk)

eg: purchasing power, interest rate risk

#### UNSYSTEMATIC

- Diversifiable risk
- Specific or unique to a firm

eg: business risk, liquidity risk, default risk



### THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN RISK AND RETURN



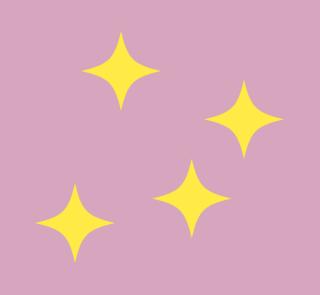
The relationship between risk and return must be understand to select the best investment

The HIGHER the RETURN, the HIGHER the RISK (vice versa)





#### MEASURING RISK



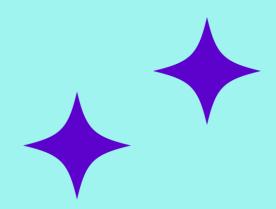
#### RANGE

#### STANDARD DEVIATION

COEFFICIENT OF VARIATION



#### RANGE



THE HIGHER THE RANGE, THE HIGHER THE RISK



RANGE is the differences between the highest rate of return and the lowest rate of return in an investment





### RANGE

Example 3: What is the range of return for AA and BB?

YEAR	RETURN (%) AA	RETURN (%) BB
2007	9	10
2008	10	12
2009	15	14
2010	12	9

Range = the higher return – the lowest return

Range AA = 15 - 9 = 6%

Range BB = 14 - 9 = 5%

#### STANDARD DEVIATION



STANDARD DEVIATION measure of the spread or dispersion of the distribution in the returns

It tells how much a particular return can deviate from the average return or mean return

If the distribution is very spread out, the expected return are said to be very uncertain or more risky

#### STANDARD DEVIATION



$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sum (R - \overline{R})^2(P)} E_X$$

**Expected return** 

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sum P_i (k_i - k)^2}$$

**Probability** 

# COMPUTING THE STANDARD DEVIATION

For example, please refer to my next video





### COEFFICIENT OF VARIATION



A measure of risk per unit of expected return or a measure of relative risk

A more meaningful basis for comparison when the expected return and the standard deviation are not the same



# COEFFICIENT OF VARIATION

$$cv = \frac{\sigma}{\overline{R}}$$
 Expected return

$$cv = \sigma / k$$

## COMPUTING THE COEFFICIENT OF VARIATION

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#### CONCLUSION



Choose the investment which offer the lowest risk

The higher the return, the higher the risk

The higher the standard deviation, the higher the risk

The higher the coefficient of variation, the higher the risk



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