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Derivatives

An authoritative guide to derivatives for
financial intermediaries and investors

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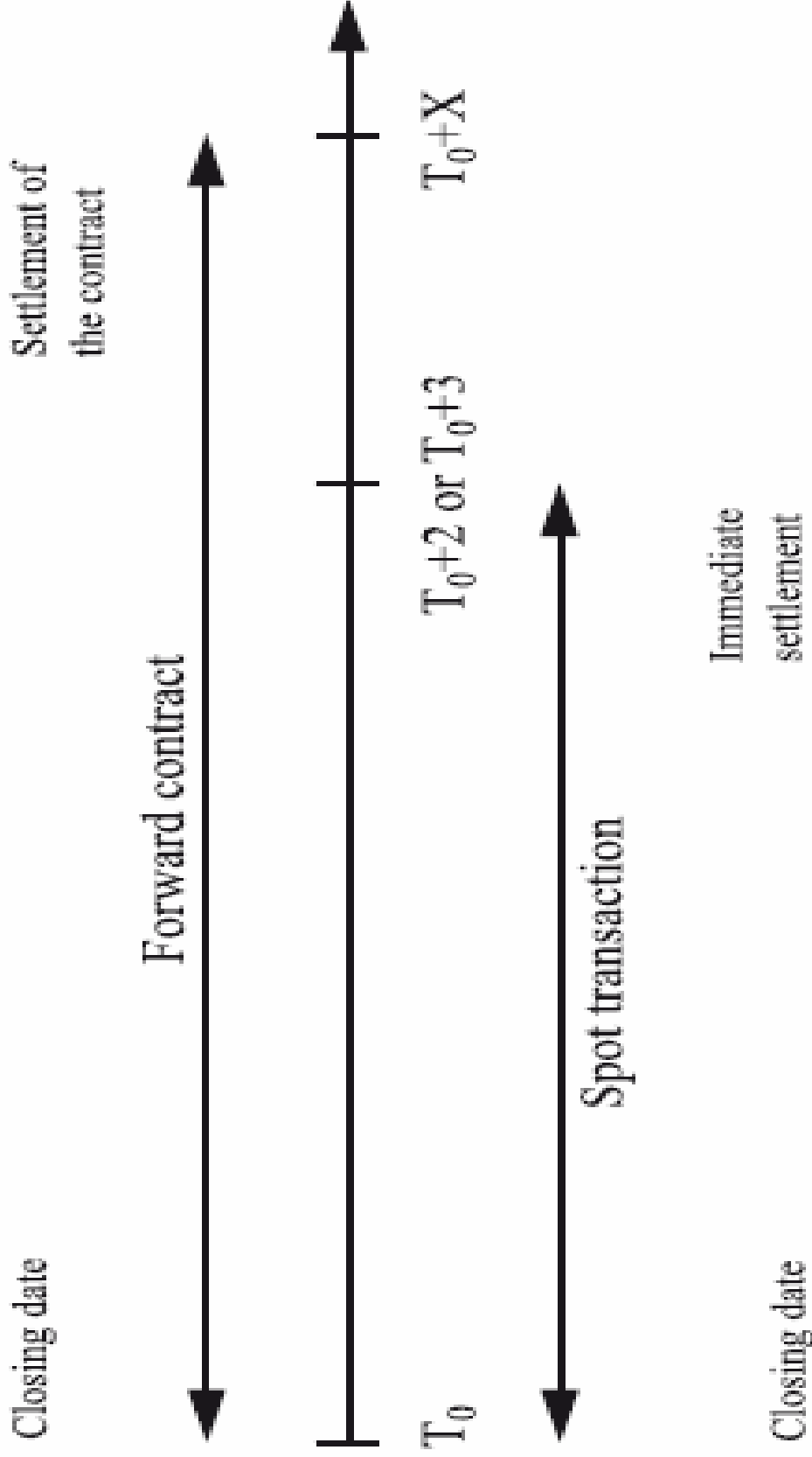


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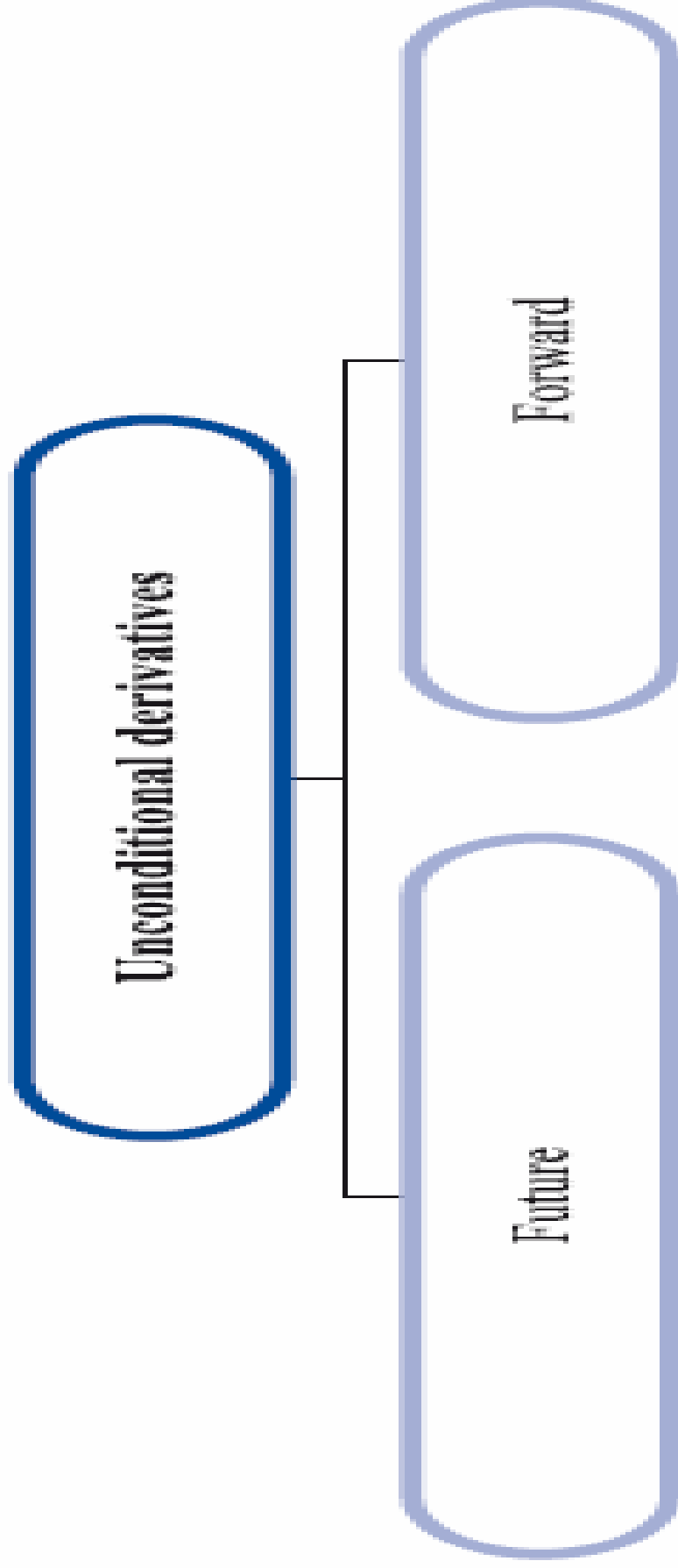
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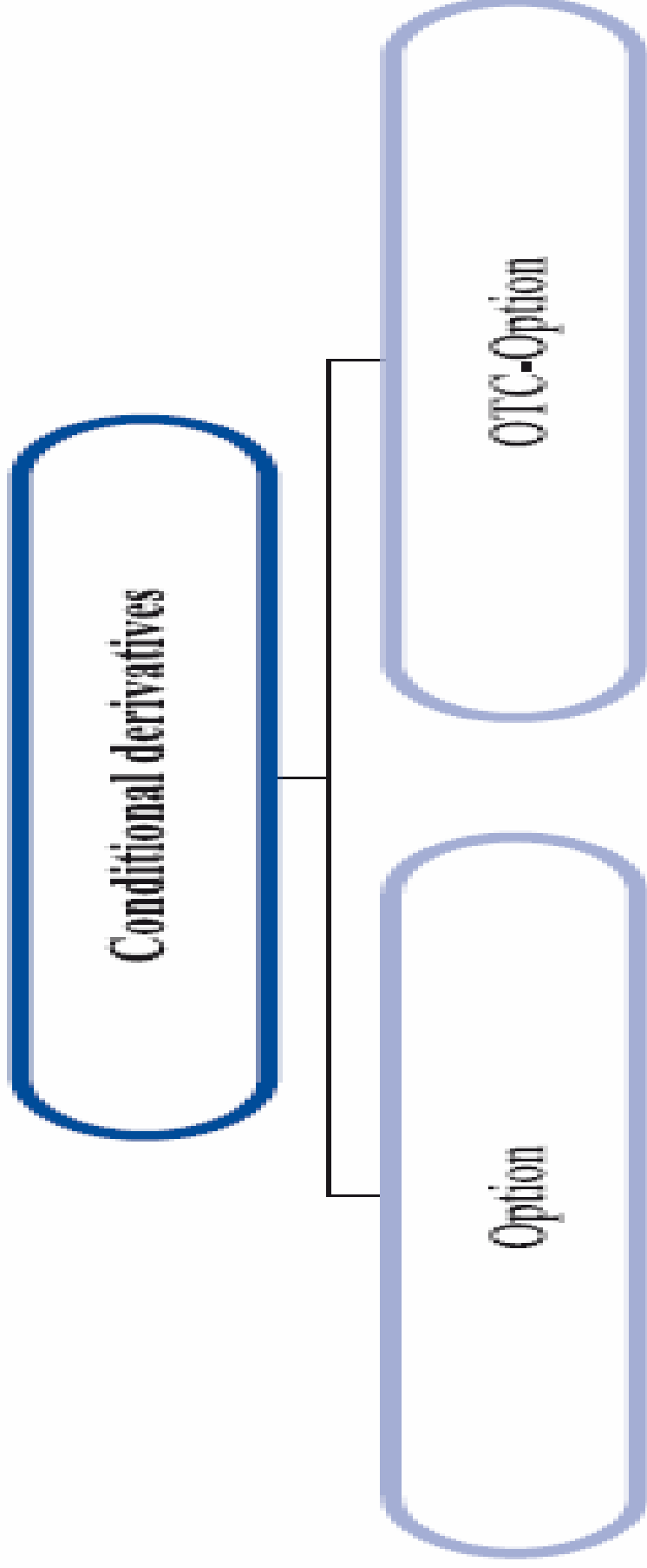
Point of fulfilment



Unconditional derivatives



Conditional derivatives

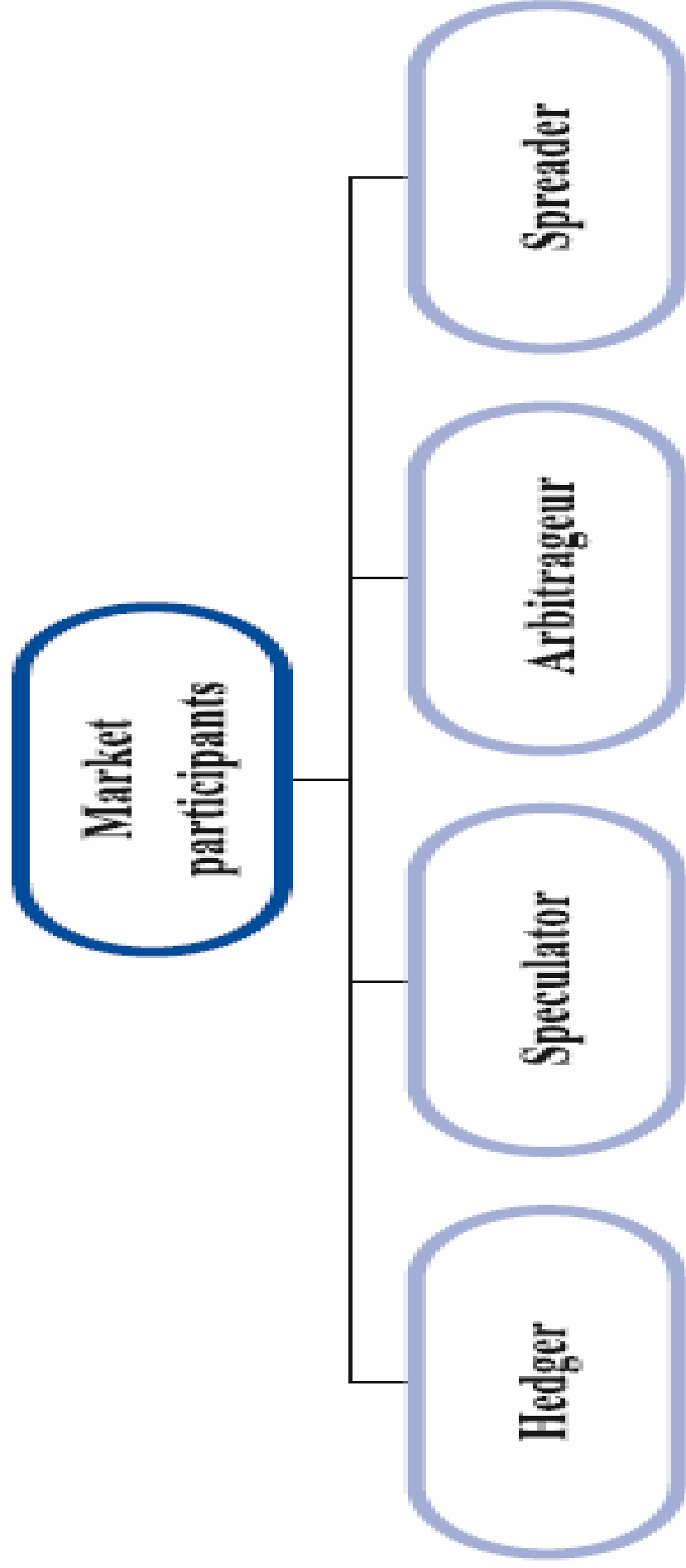


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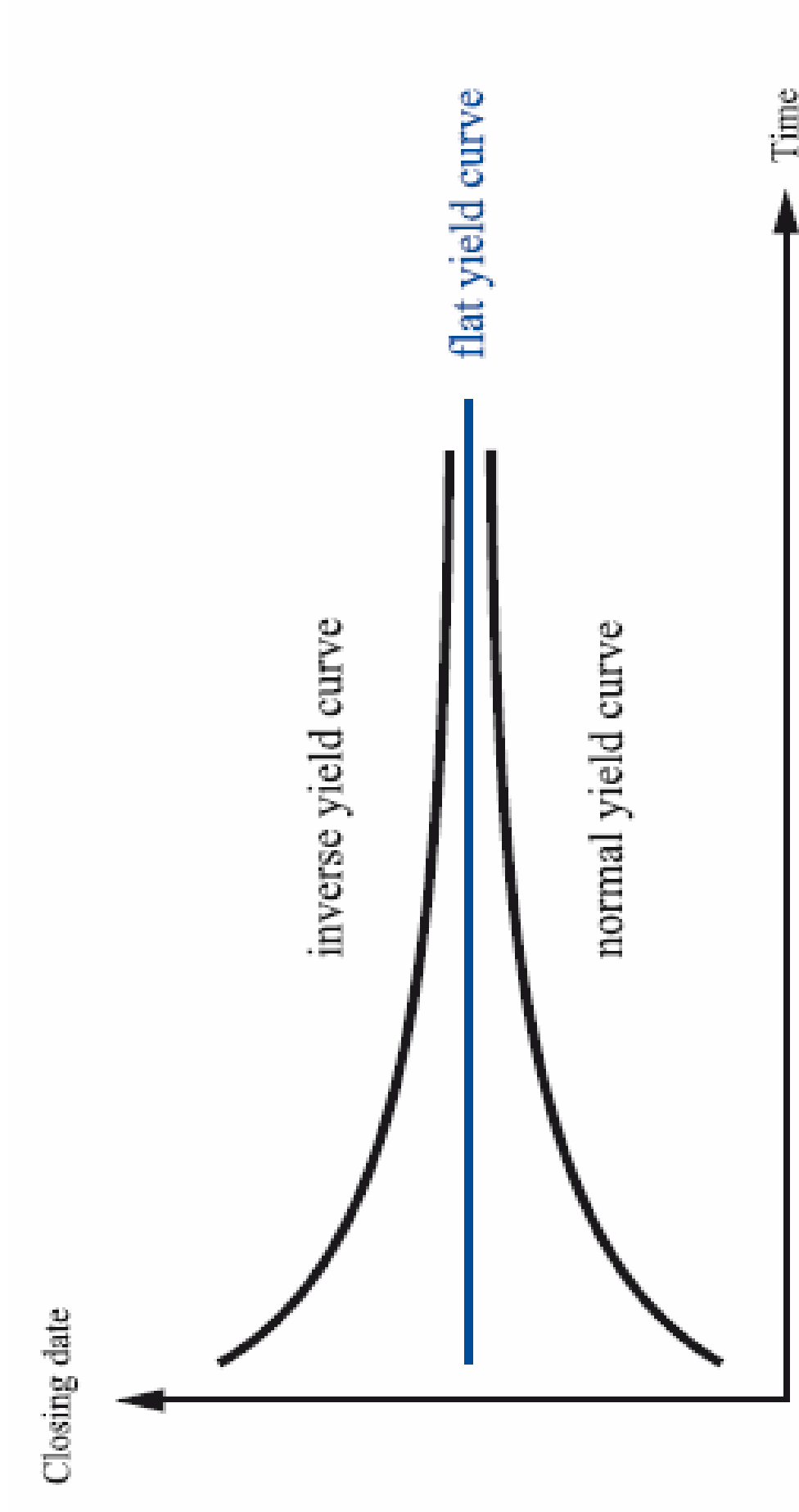
| Opening (Initial order) | Closing (counter-order) |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Long | Short |
| Short | Long |



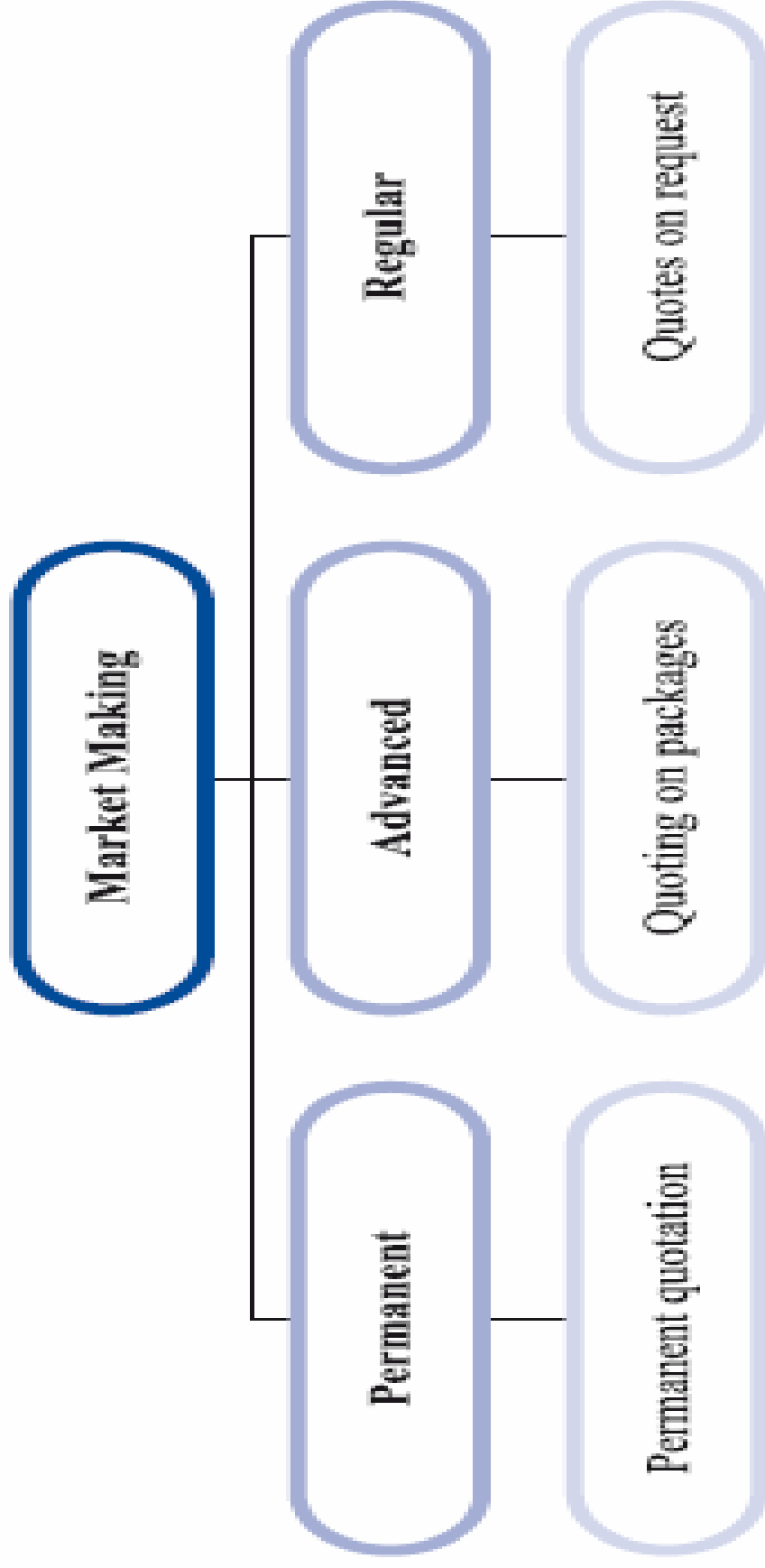
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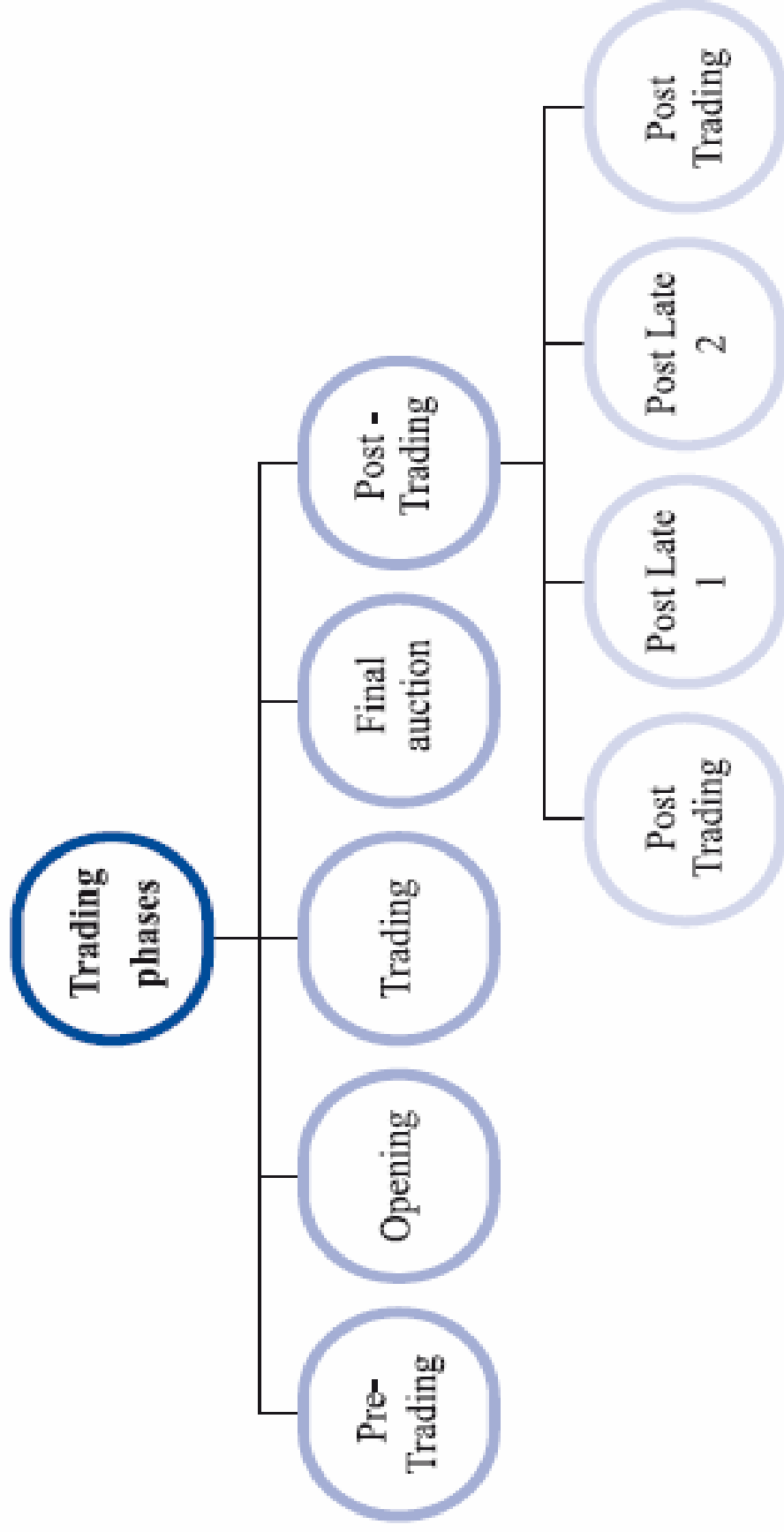
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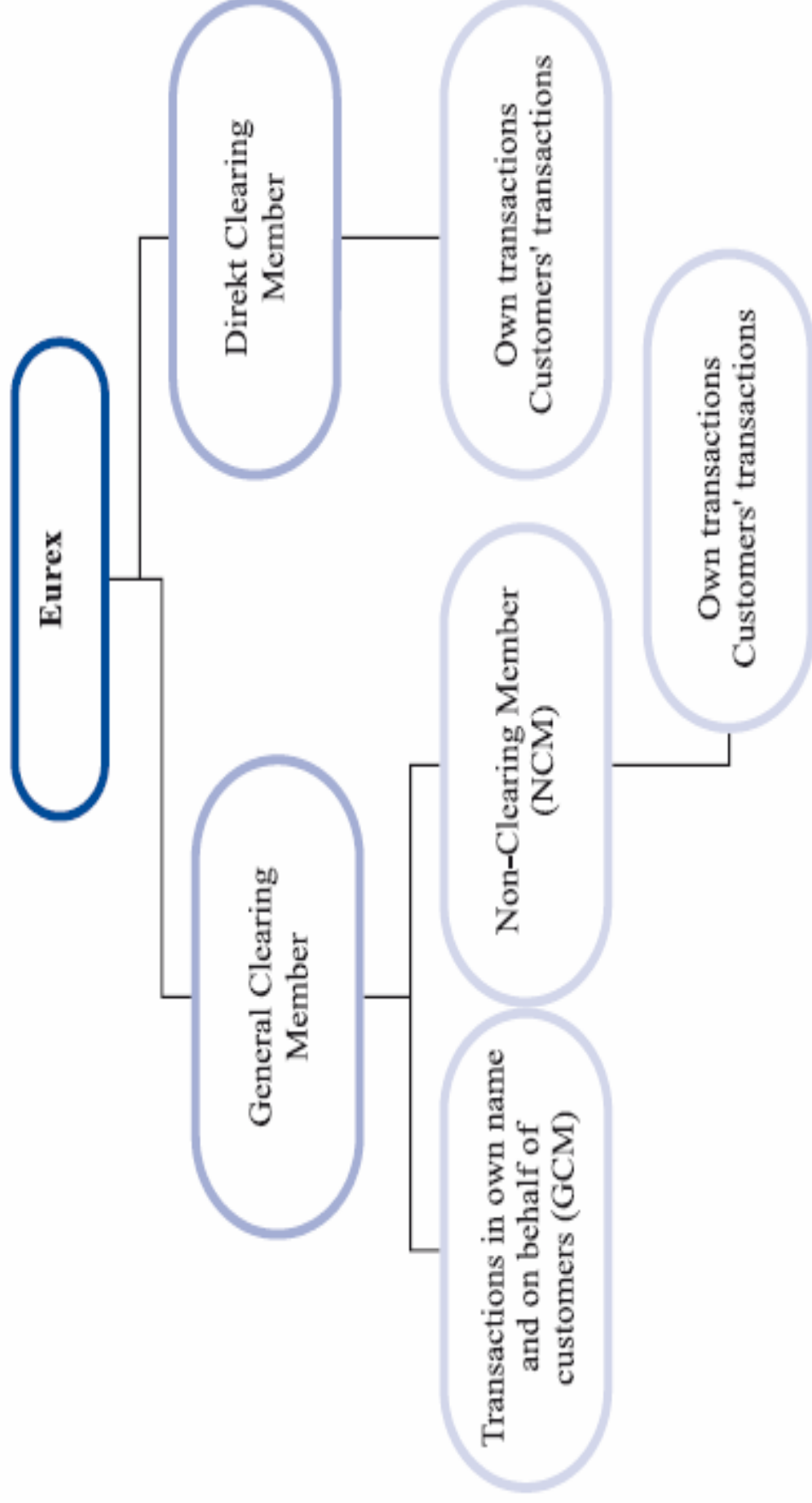
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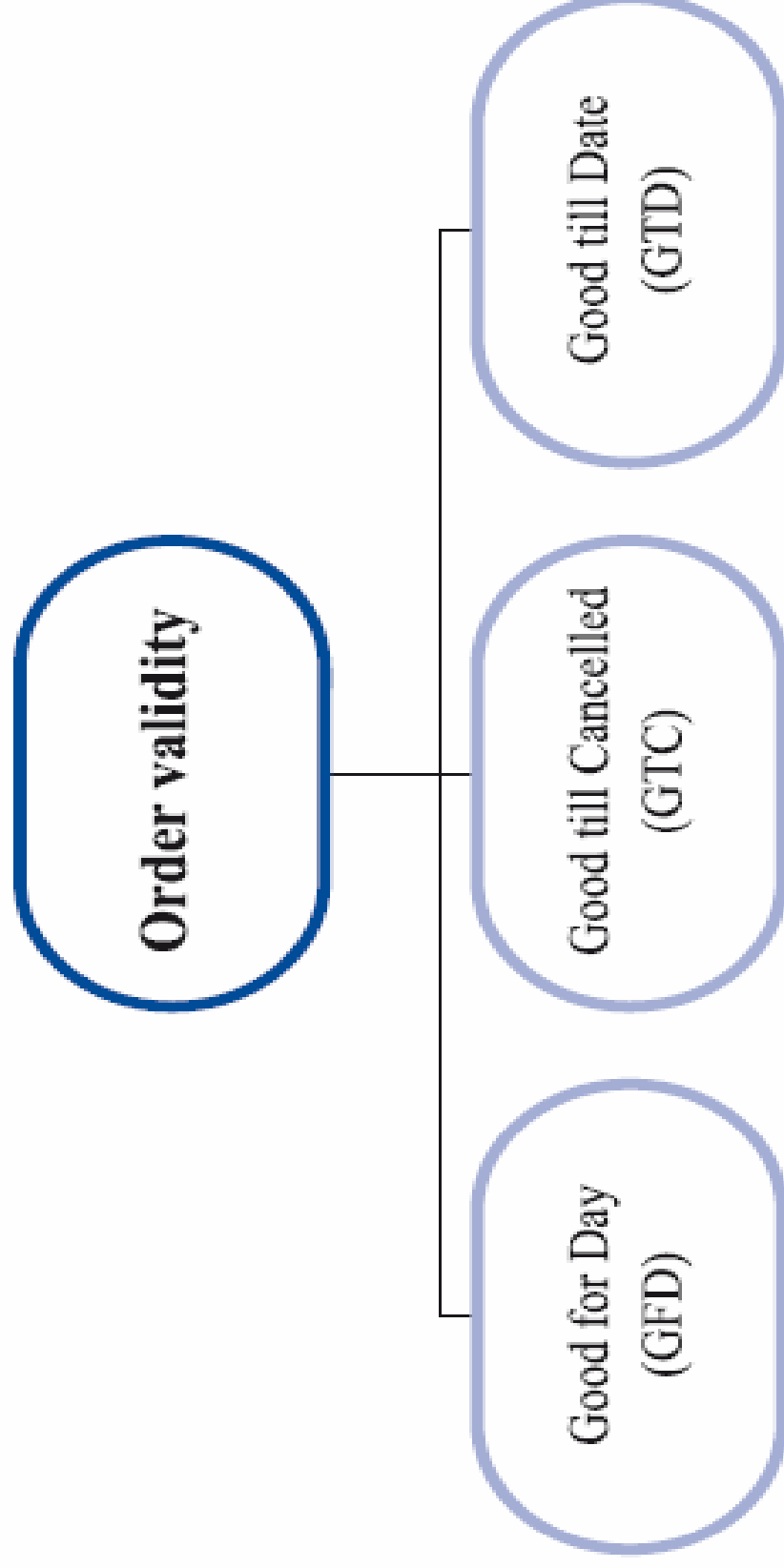
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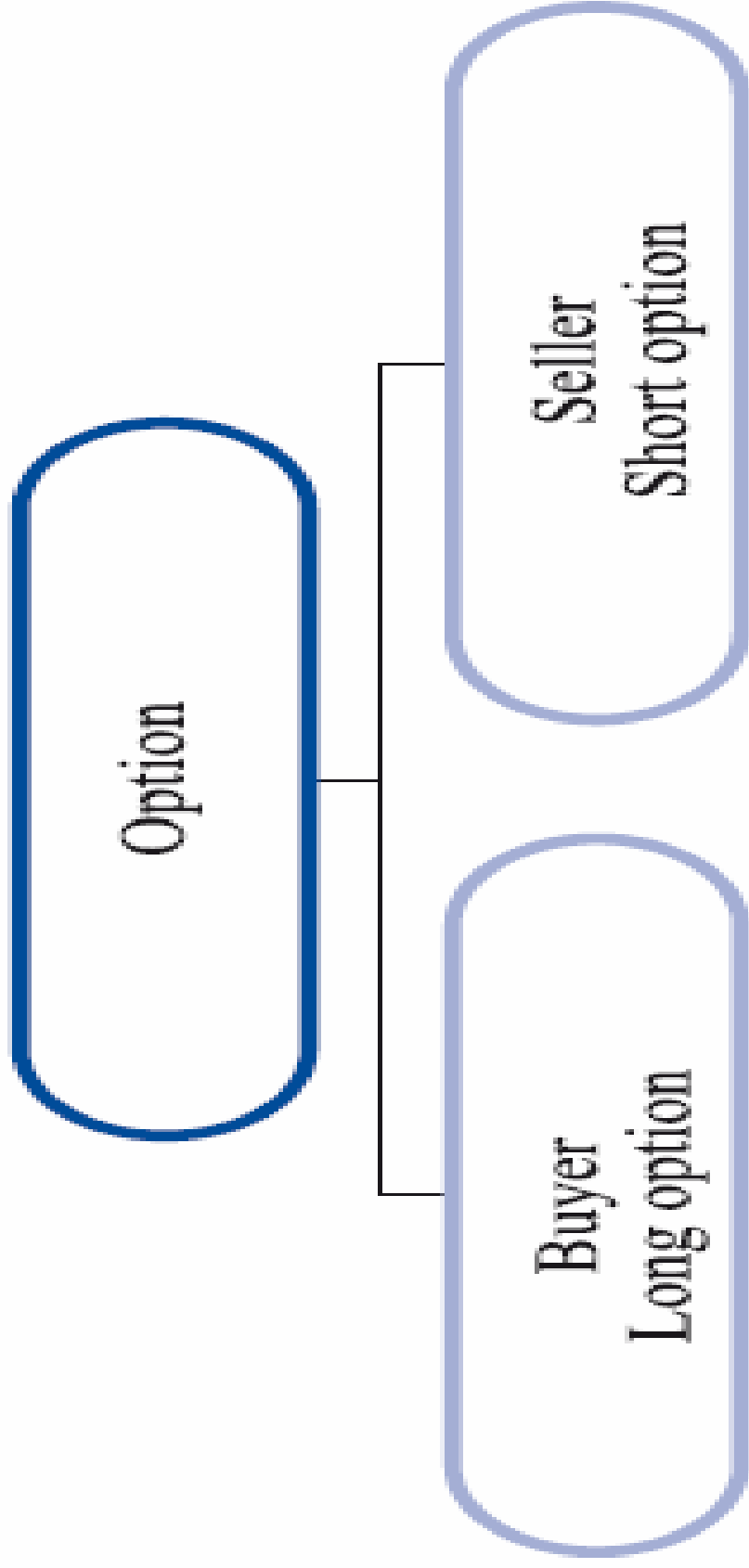
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Order validity



Options

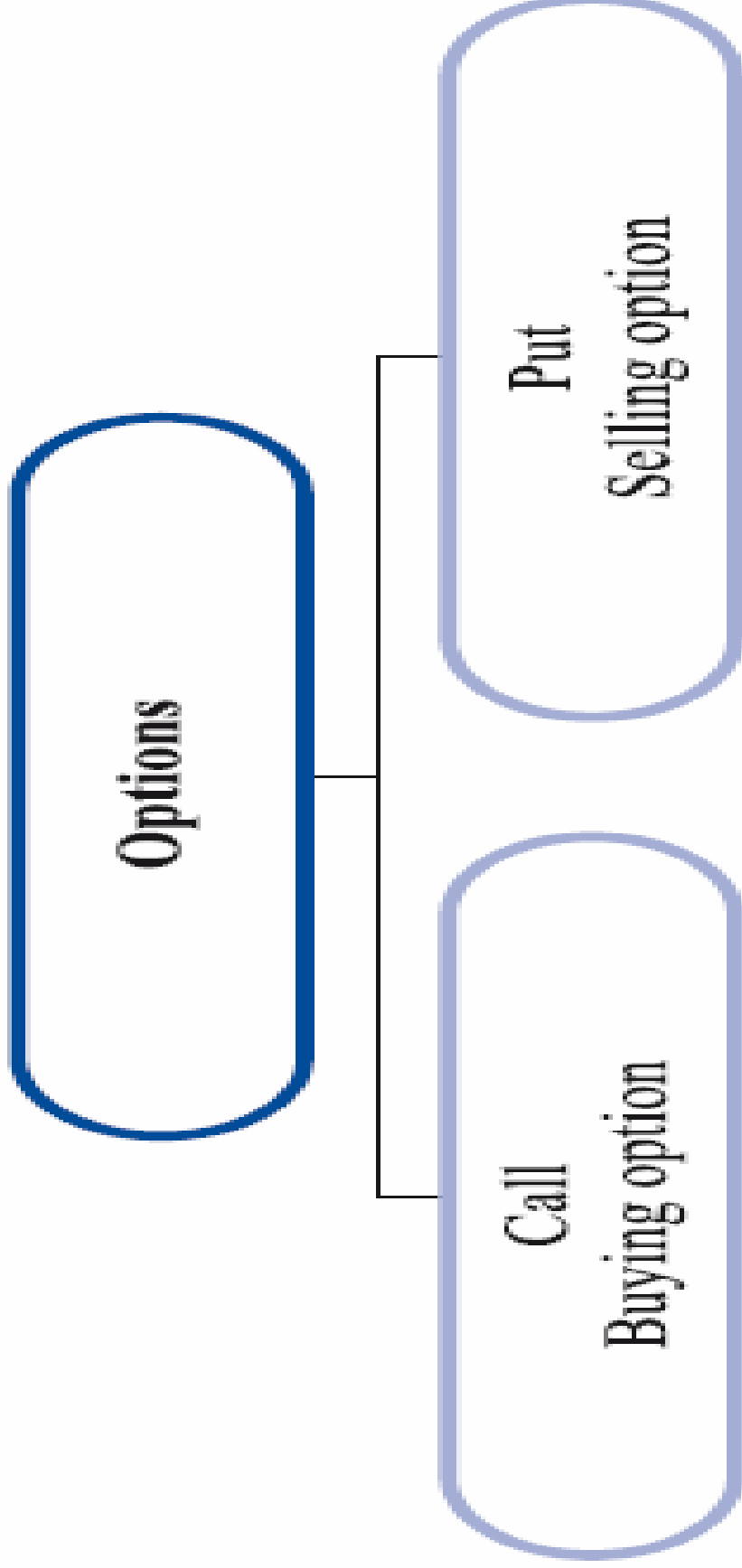


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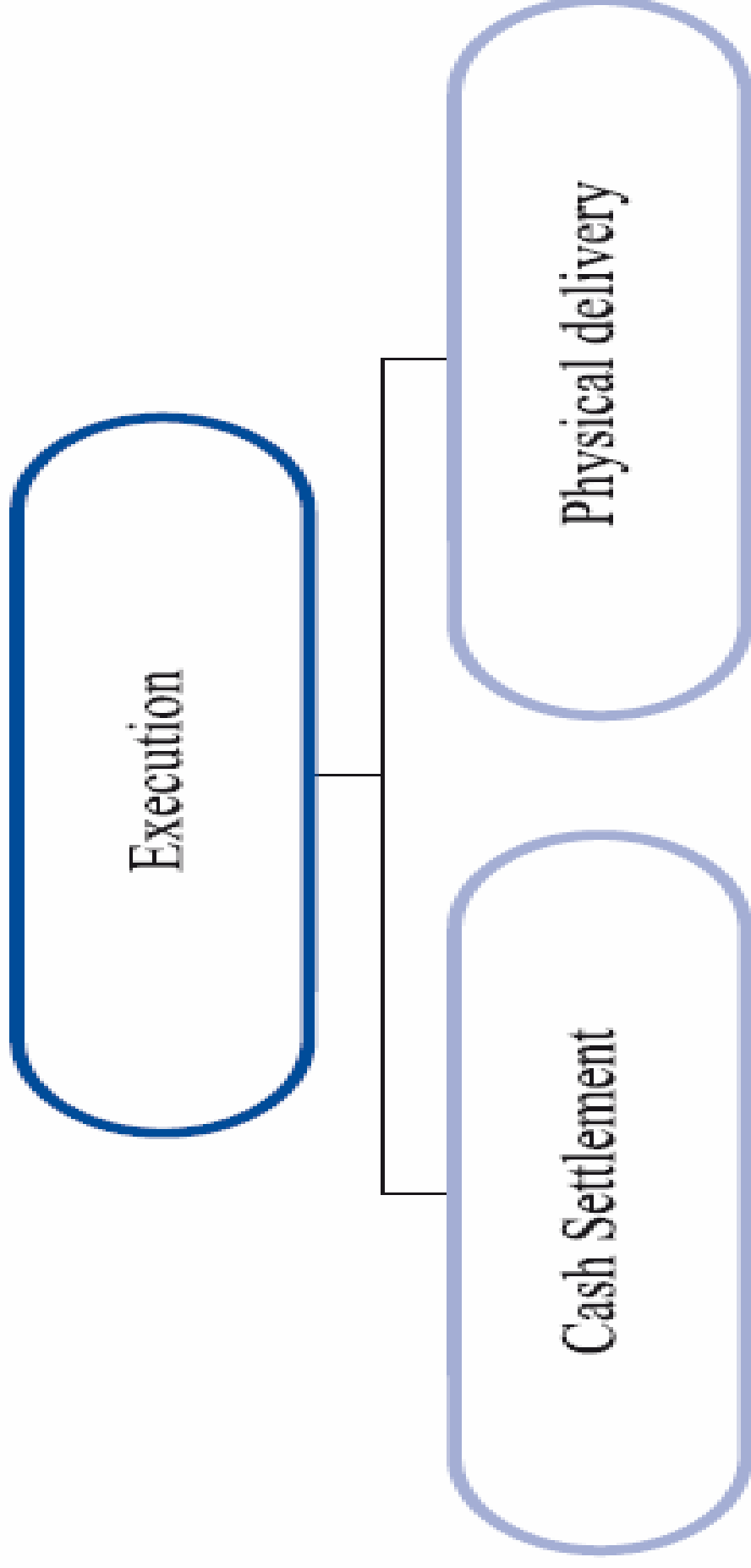
| | Right | Obligation |
|--------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Buyer | Exercise of option | Payment of premium |
| Seller | Receiving premium | Delivery or receipt |



Call and Put



Execution of an option



Opening vs. Closing

| Opening | Close-out |
|------------|------------|
| Long call | Short call |
| Short call | Long call |
| Long put | Short put |
| Short put | Long put |



Pricing of a option

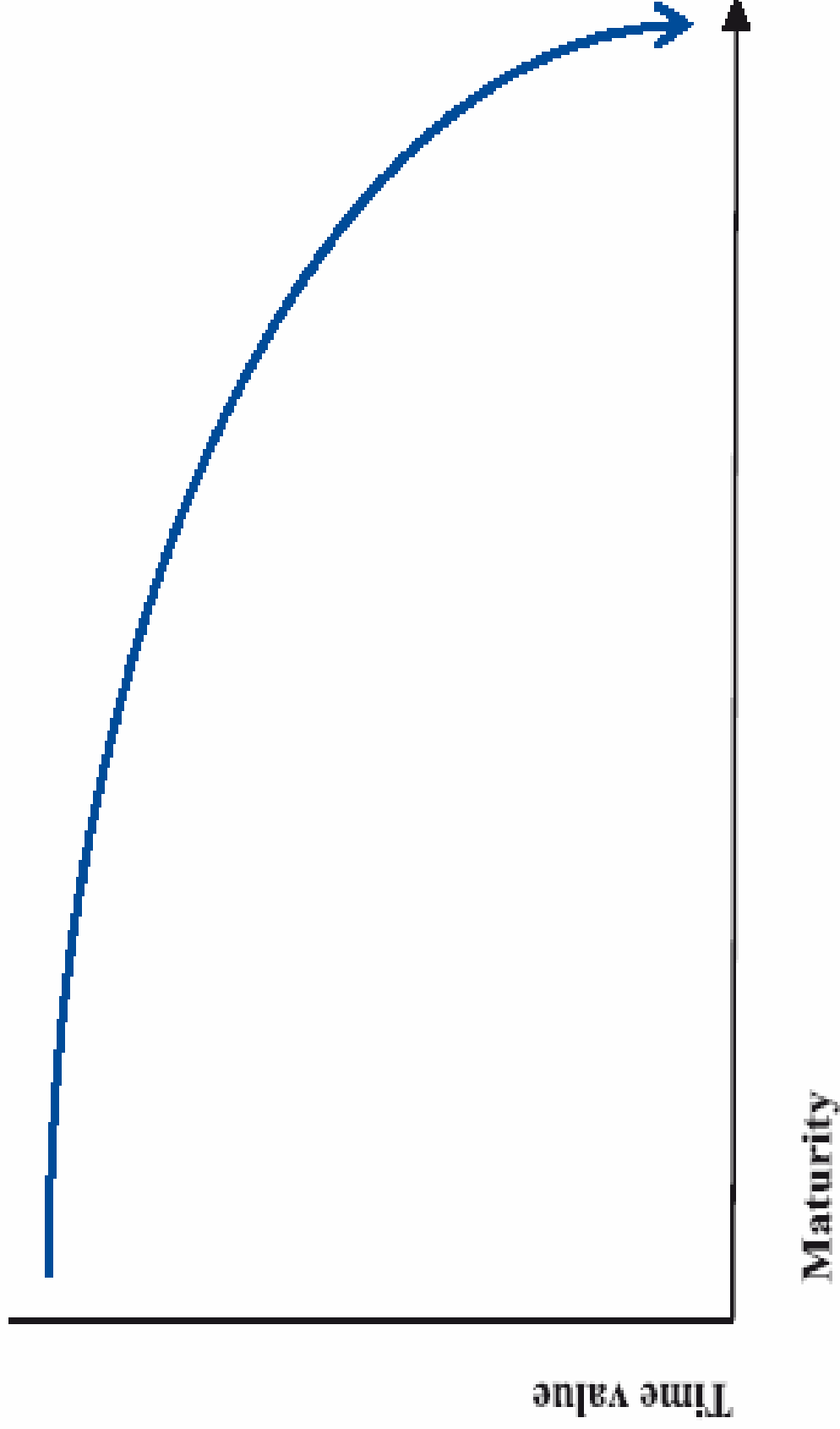
A call option has an intrinsic value if the price of the underlying is higher than the strike price of the option.

A put option has an intrinsic value if the price of the underlying is lower than the strike price of the option.

| | In the money | At the money | Out of the money |
|-------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Call | Price of underlying > strike price | Price of underlying = strike price | Price of underlying < strike price |
| Put | Price of underlying < strike price | Price of underlying = strike price | Price of underlying > strike price |

The intrinsic value can be equal to zero, but can never be negative.

Time value

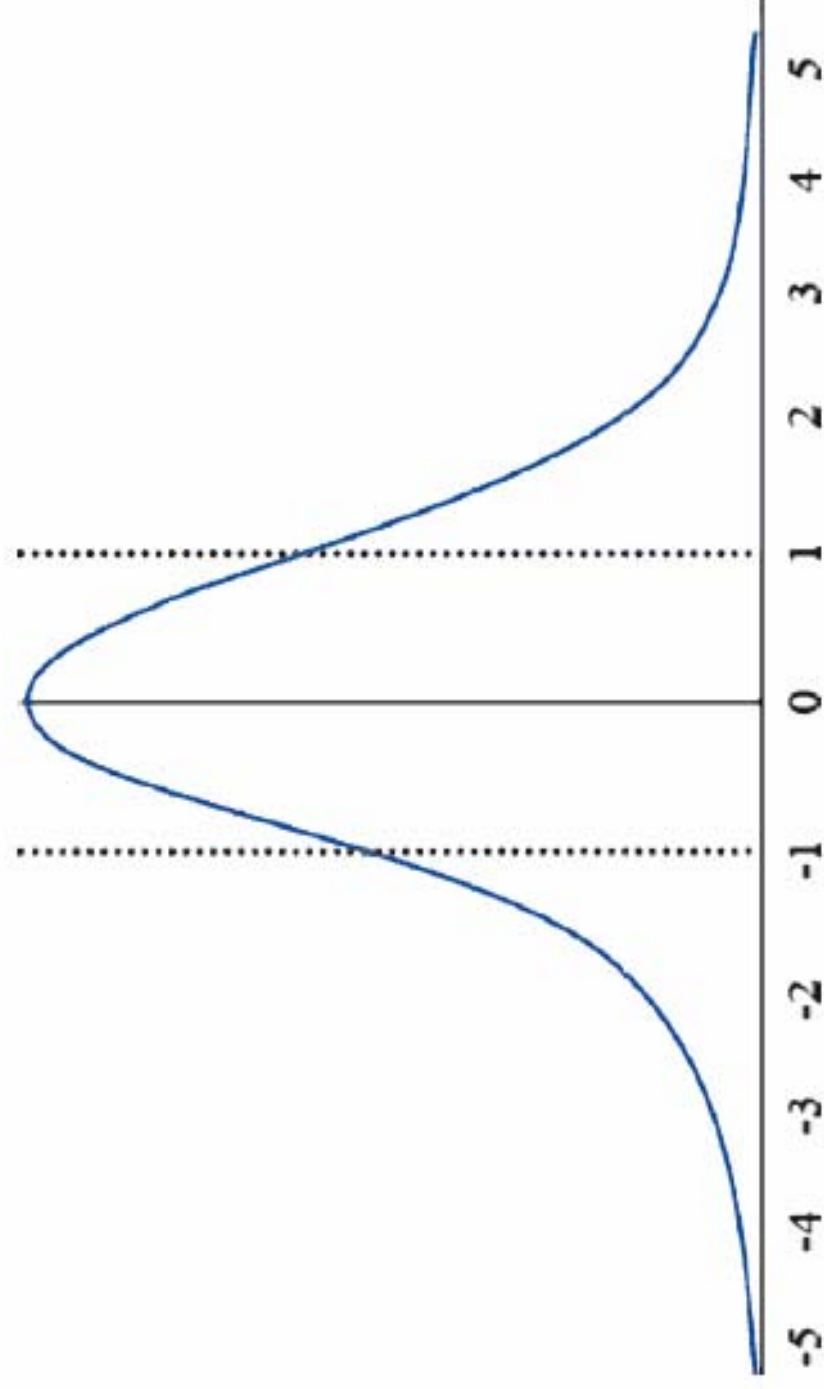


Time value

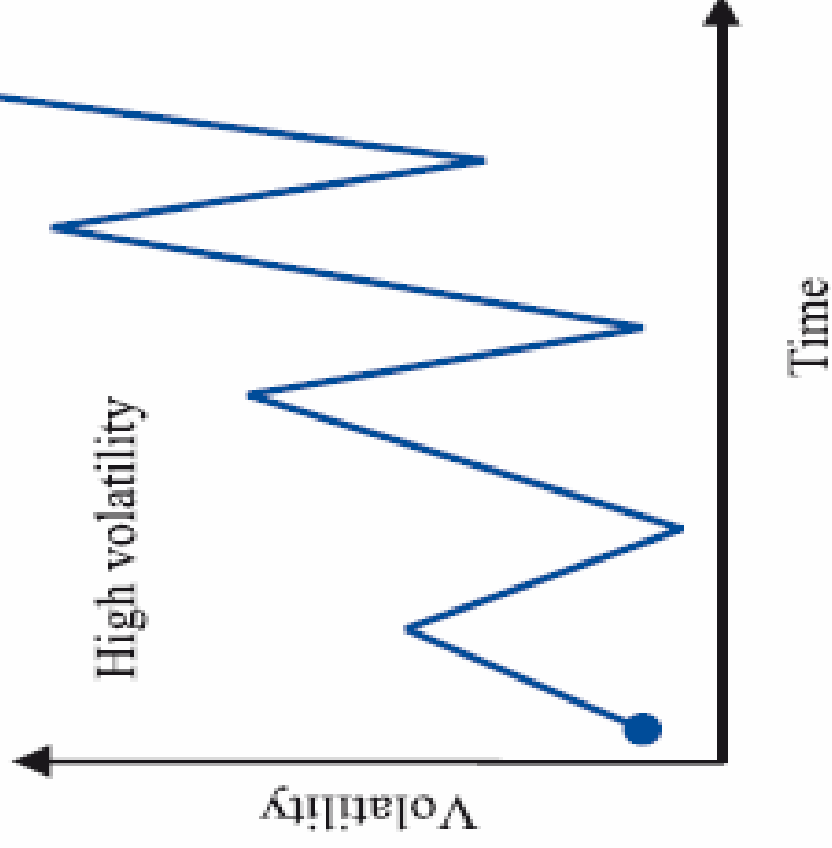
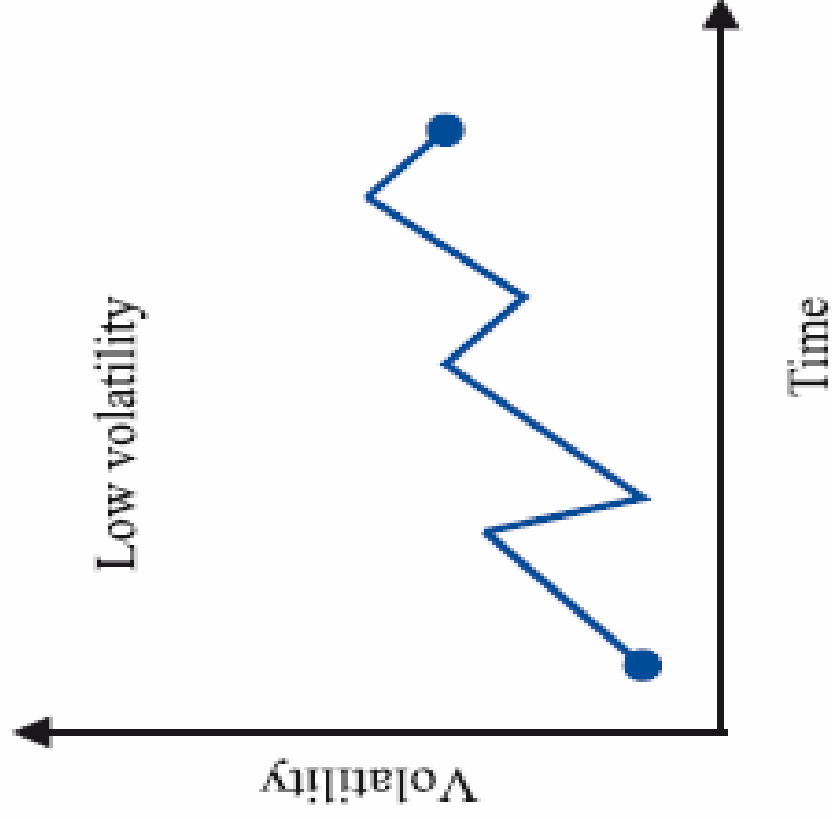
Options with a short remaining term should be sold because their time value is rapidly decreasing, and options with a long remaining term should be purchased.



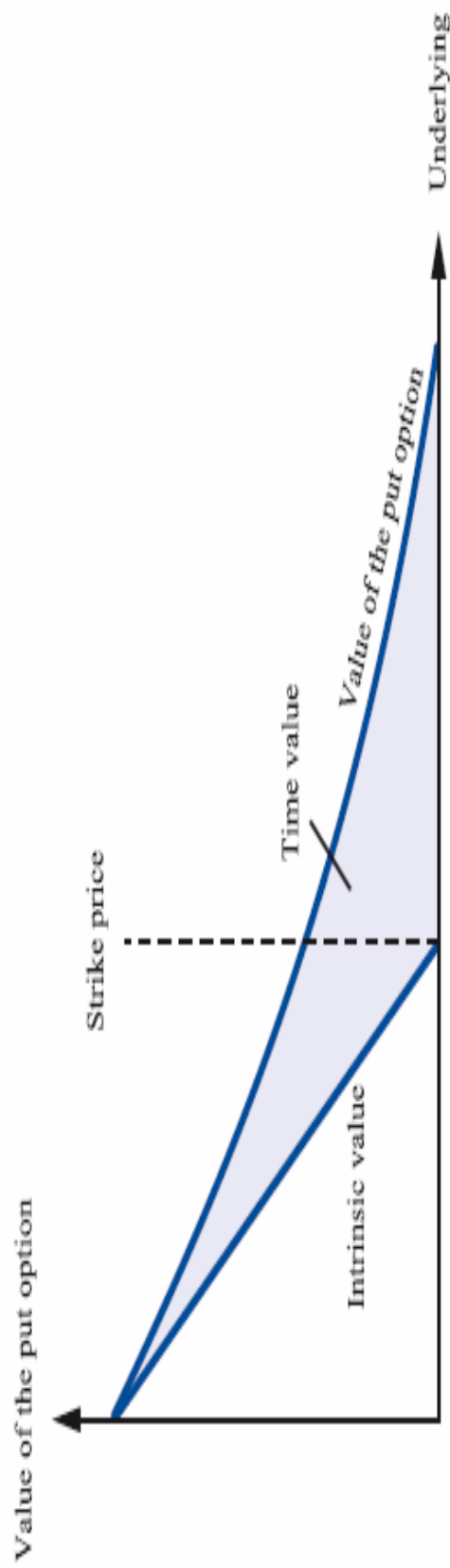
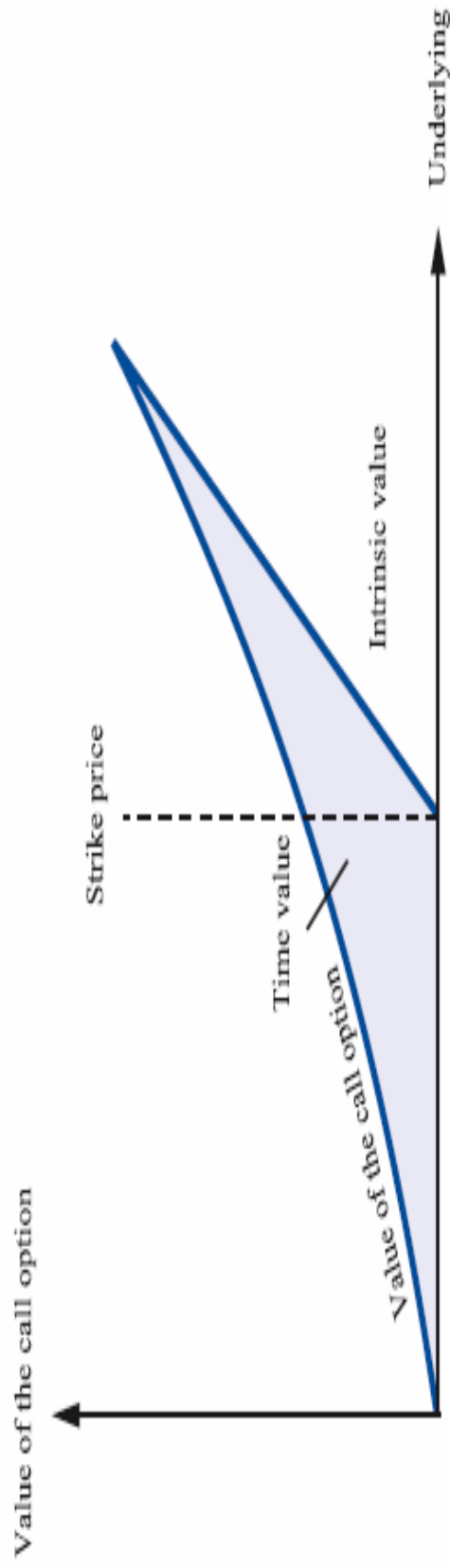
Gaussian bell curve



Volatility



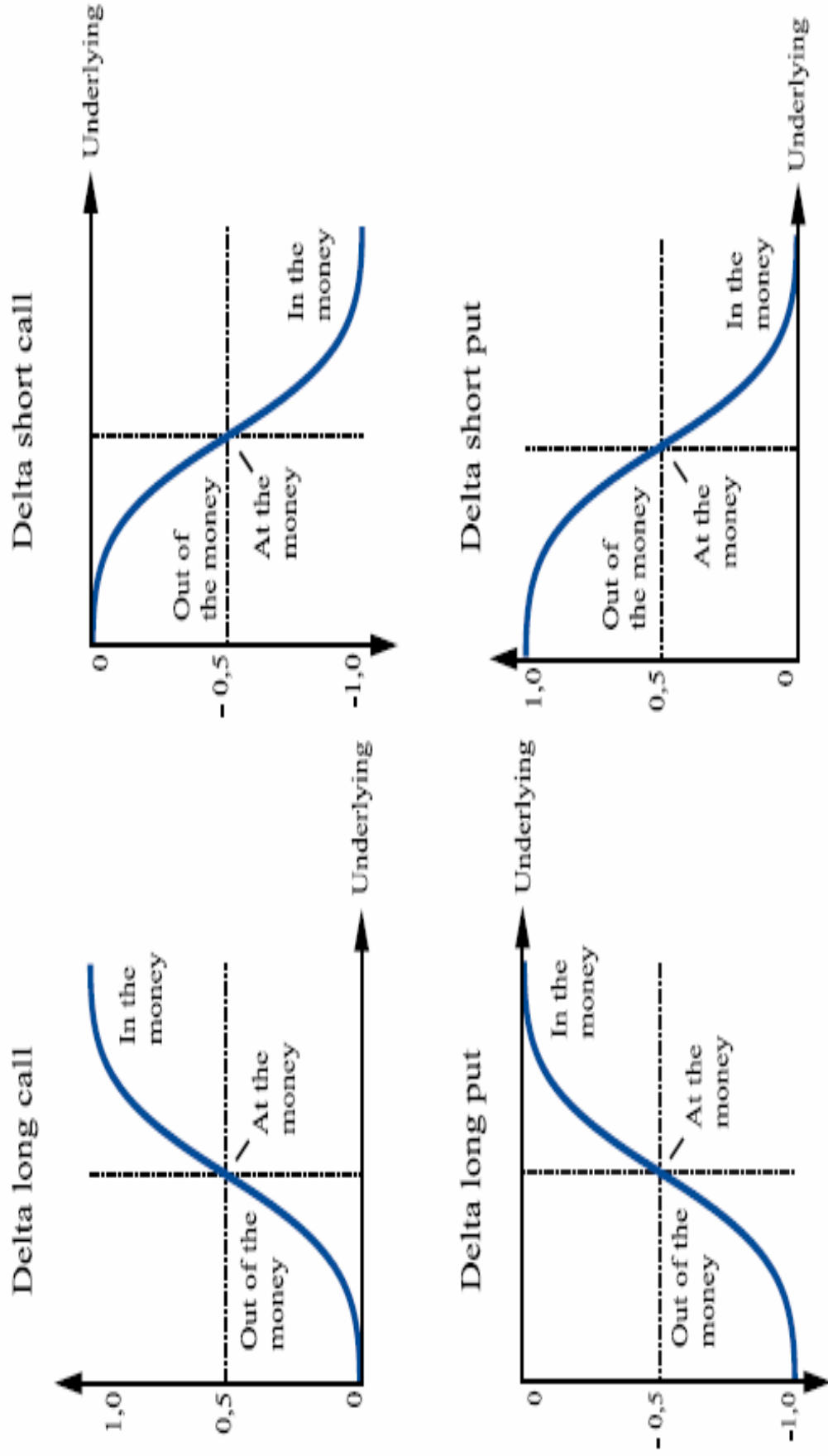
Time value



Parameters

| Parameter | Option price Call | Option price Put |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Underlying | increases | decreases |
| | decreases | increases |
| Volatility | increases | increases |
| | decreases | decreases |
| Parameter | Option price Call | Option price Put |
| Remaining maturity | decreases | decreases |
| Market interest rate | increases | decreases |
| | decreases | increases |
| Dividend payout | decreases | increases |
| | remains unchanged | remains unchanged |
| American-style | | |
| European-style | | |

Delta



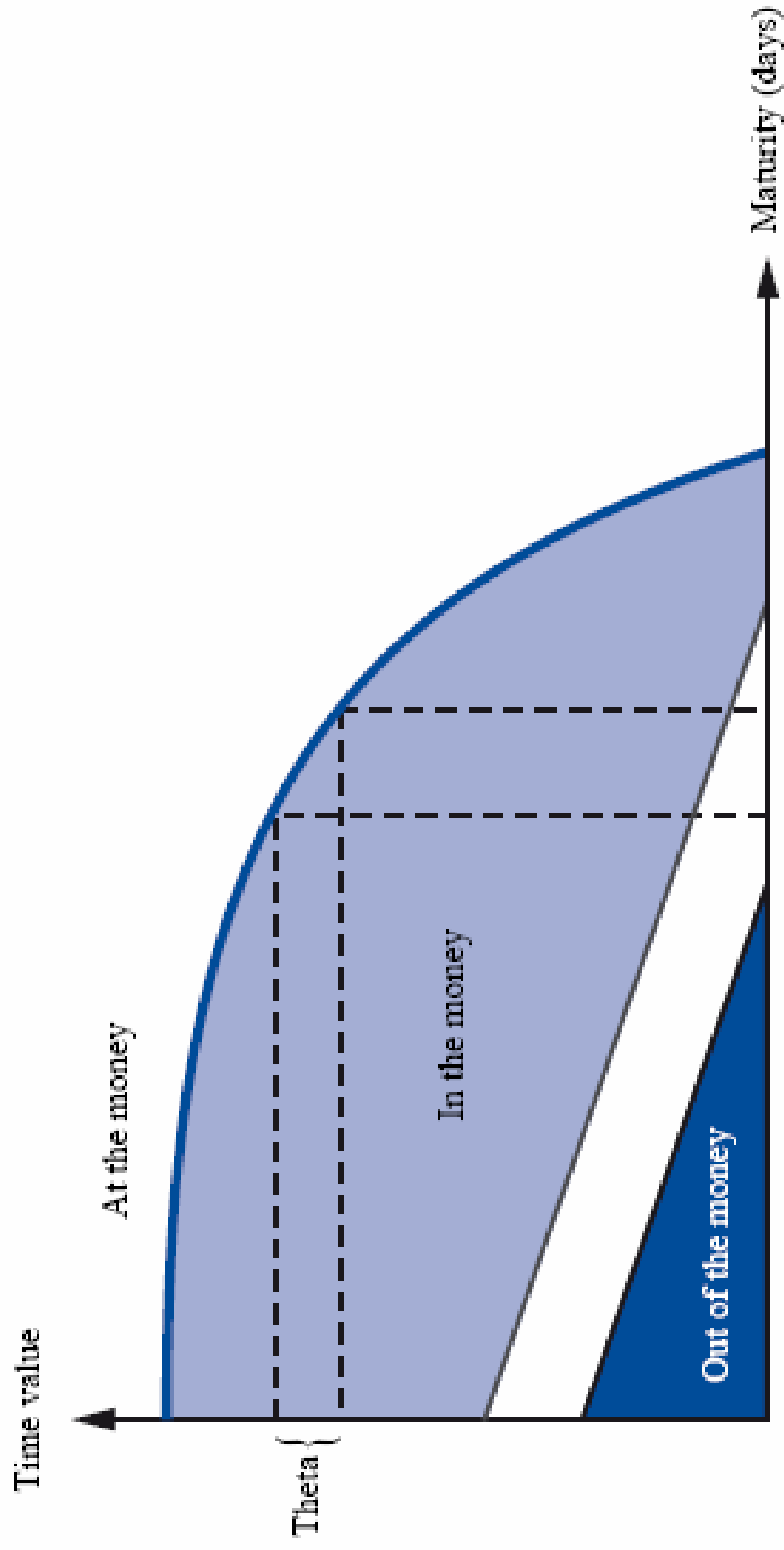
Delta

| | Long | Short |
|-------------|------|-------|
| Call | + | - |
| Put | - | + |

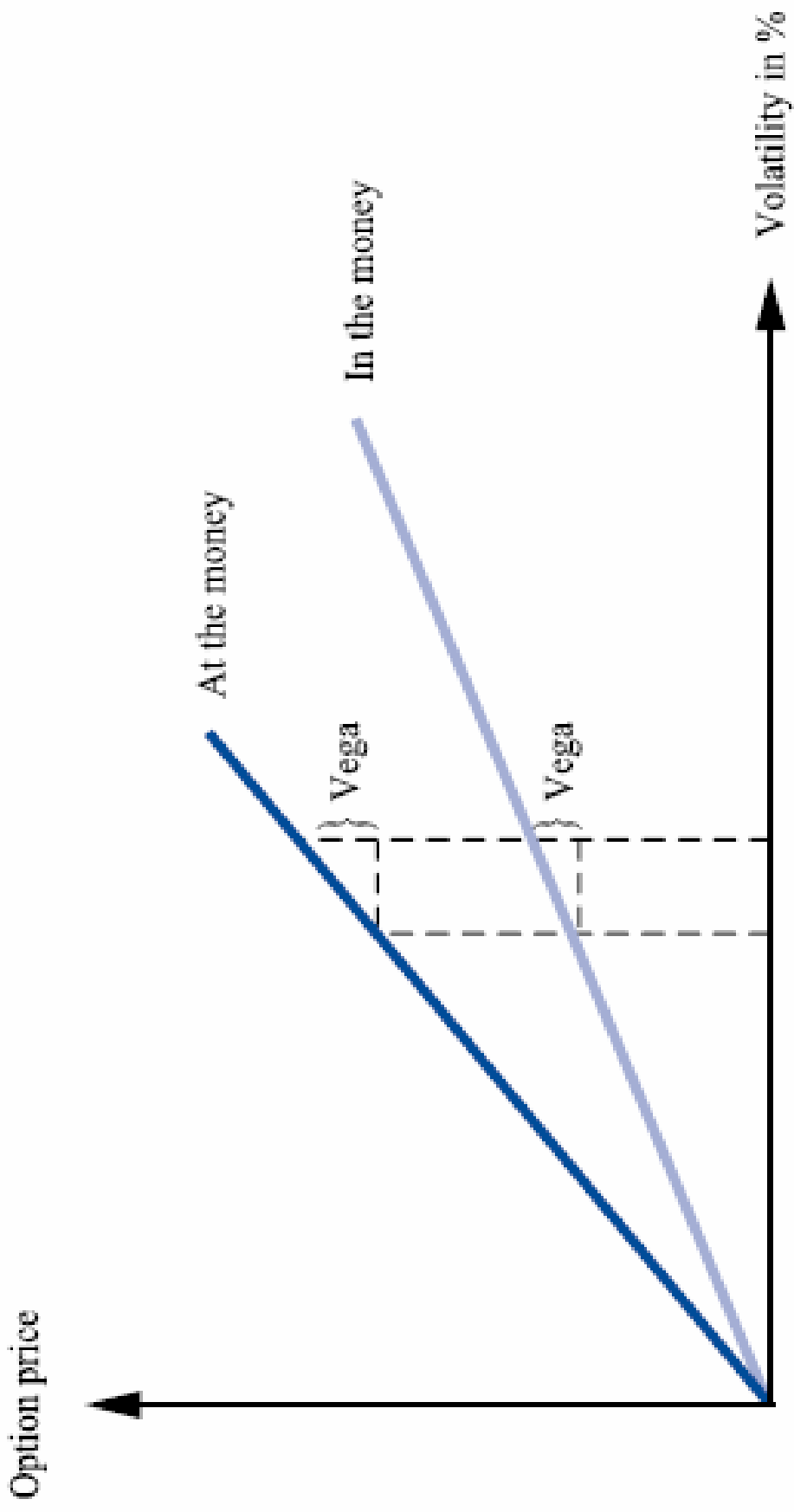
| Delta of a... | Out of the money | At the money | In the money |
|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Long call / short put | Approx. 0 to 0.5 | Approx. 0.5 | Approx. 0.5 to 1 |
| Long put / short call | Approx. 0 to -0.5 | Approx. -0.5 | Approx. 0.5 to -1 |



Theta



Vega



Overview of algebraic signs for Greeks

| | Delta | Gamma | Vega | Theta | Rho |
|-------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Long call | positive | positive | positive | negative | positive |
| Short call | negative | negative | negative | positive | negative |
| Long put | negative | positive | positive | negative | negative |
| Short put | positive | negative | negative | positive | positive |



Put Call Parity

$$C = (S - E) + \left(E \times \left(\frac{r}{1+r}\right)\right) + V$$

Where:

C = call price

$S - E$ = intrinsic value

$\left(E \times (r/(1+r))\right)$ = opportunity cost of the writer

V = insurance premium

E = strike price

$$C = S - E \times \frac{1}{(1+r)^t} + P$$

Where:

t = annualized remaining maturity

P = put price

Black-Scholes option pricing model

$$c = S_0 N(d_1) - Ke^{-rT} N(d_2)$$

$$p = Ke^{-rT} N(-d_2) - S_0 N(-d_1)$$

$$d_1 = \frac{\ln(S_0 / K) + (r + \sigma^2 / 2)T}{\sigma \sqrt{T}}$$

$$d_2 = d_1 - \sigma \sqrt{T}$$

Where:

S_0 = price of the underlying share

K = strike price of the call option

\ln = natural logarithm

e = basis of natural logarithm = 2.7128

r = risk-free interest rate

$N(d)$ = cumulative normal distribution of d

ν = volatility

t = remaining maturity of call

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + rS \frac{\partial V}{\partial S} + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 S^2 \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial S^2} = rV$$



Cox, Ross & Rubinstein

Underlying increase: $S(T) = S * u$

Underlying S decrease: $S(T) = S * d$

Underlying = S

Where:

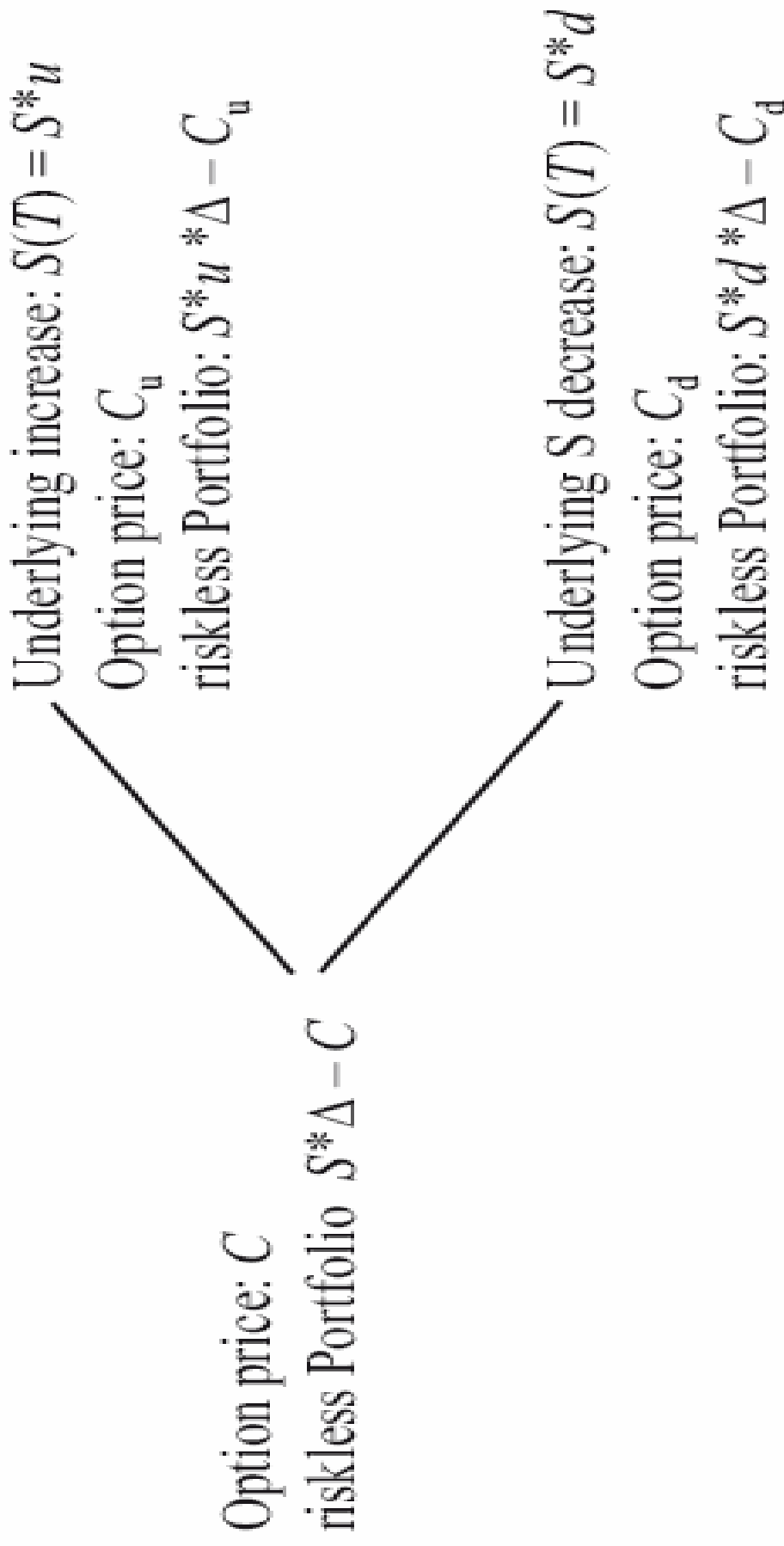
S = price of the underlying share

u = rate of increase

d = rate of decrease



Cox, Ross & Rubinstein



Cox, Ross & Rubinstein

$$S \cdot u \cdot \Delta - C_u = S \cdot d \cdot \Delta - C_d \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Delta = \frac{C_u - C_d}{S \cdot u - S \cdot d}$$

$$(S \cdot u \cdot \Delta - C_u) e^{-rT} \text{ with } \Delta = \frac{C_u - C_d}{S \cdot u - S \cdot d} \rightarrow$$

$$S \cdot \Delta - C = (S \cdot u \cdot \Delta - C_u) e^{-rT} \rightarrow$$

Call at time 0 =

$$C = S \cdot \Delta - (S \cdot u \cdot \Delta - C_u) e^{-rT} = S \cdot \frac{C_u - C_d}{S \cdot u - S \cdot d} - (S \cdot u \cdot \frac{C_u - C_d}{S \cdot u - S \cdot d} - C_u) e^{-rT}$$

Cox, Ross & Rubinstein

$$C = S \cdot \frac{C_u - C_d}{S \cdot u - S \cdot d} - (S \cdot u \cdot \frac{C_u - C_d}{S \cdot u - S \cdot d} - C_u) e^{-rT}$$

$$= \frac{pCu - (1-p)C_d}{e^{rT}} \quad \text{with} \quad p = \frac{e^{rT} - d}{u - d}$$

$$C = \frac{pC_u - (1-p)C_d}{e^{rT}} = \frac{E^P[C(T)]}{e^{rT}} \quad \text{with} \quad p = \frac{e^{rT} - d}{u - d}$$



Cox, Ross & Rubinstein

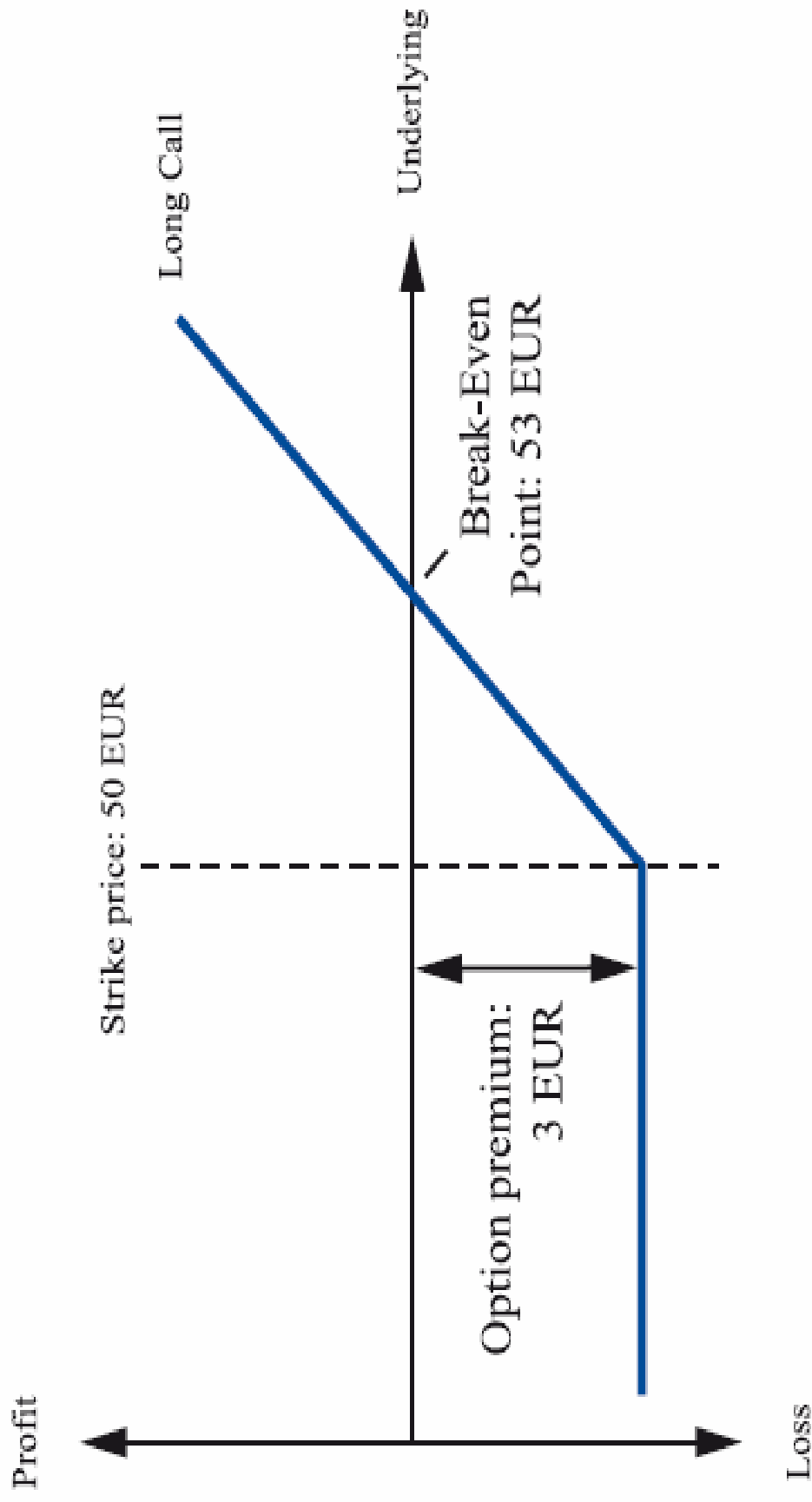
$$E[S_T] = p \cdot S \cdot u + (1-p) \cdot S \cdot d \quad \text{with} \quad p = \frac{e^{rT} - d}{u - d} \leftrightarrow$$

$$E[S_T] = p \cdot S \cdot (u - d) + S \cdot d = \frac{e^{rT} - d}{u - d} S \cdot (u - d) + S \cdot d$$

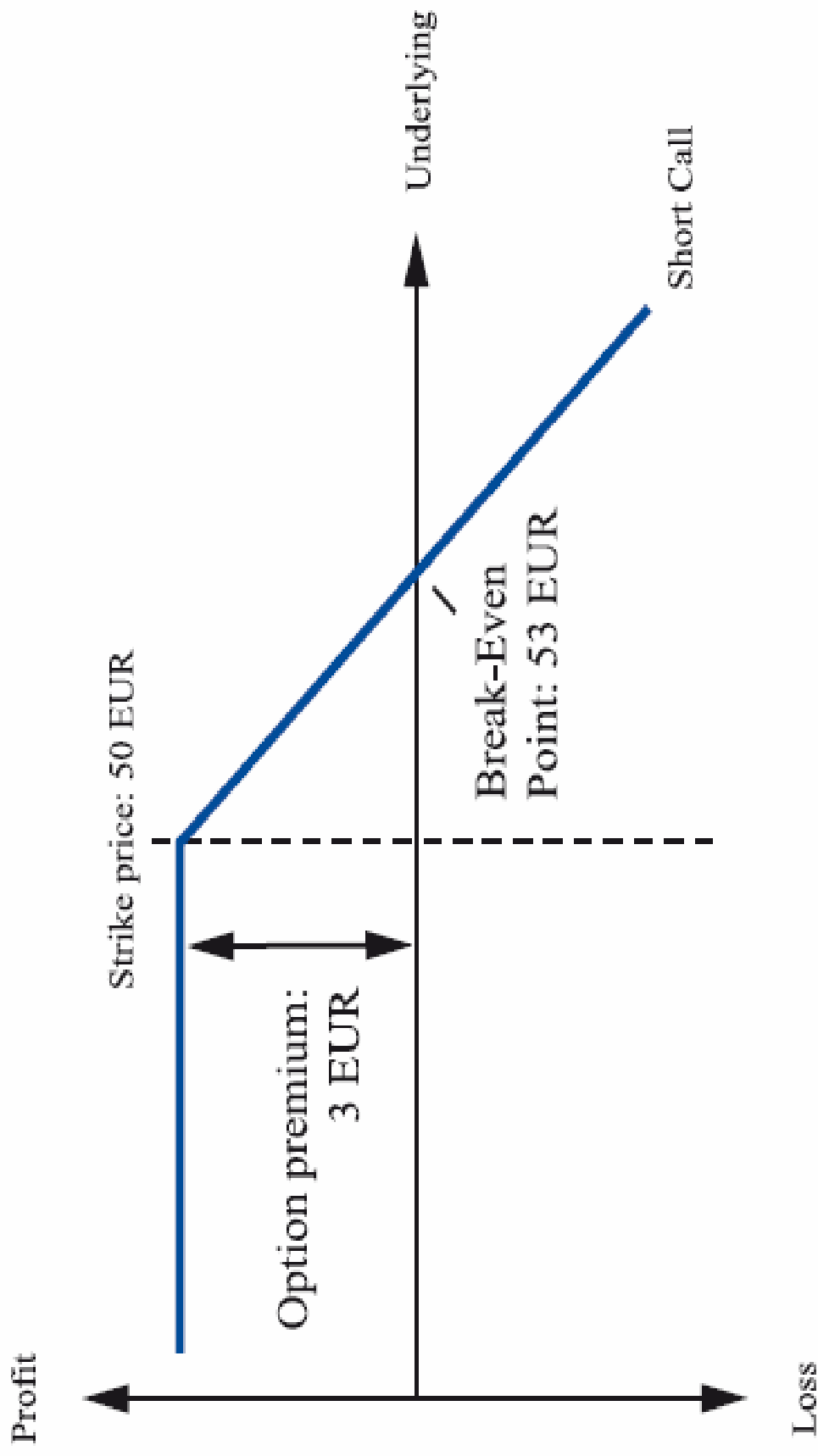
$$= e^{rT} \cdot S - d \cdot S + S \cdot d = S e^{rT}$$



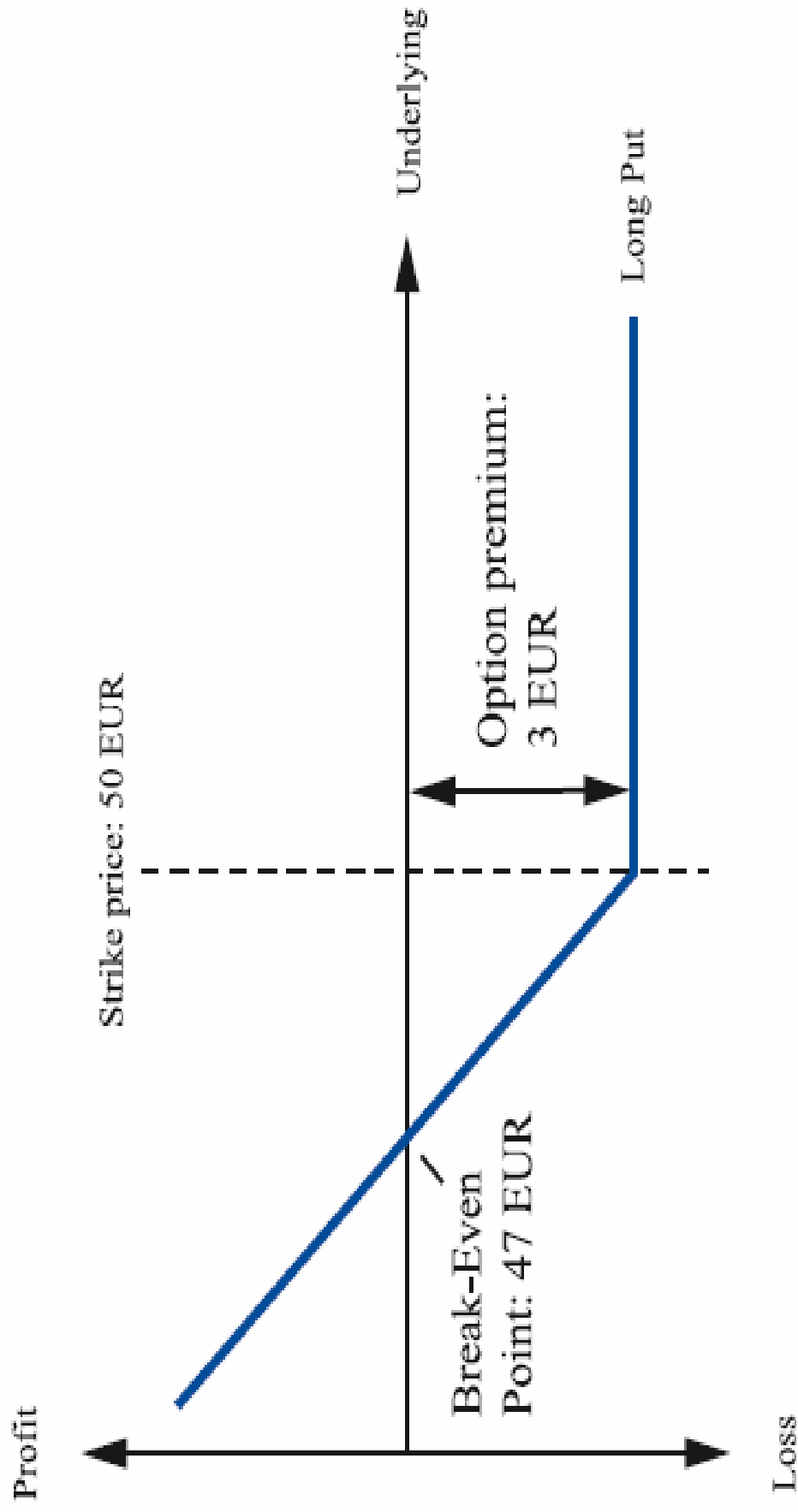
Long Call



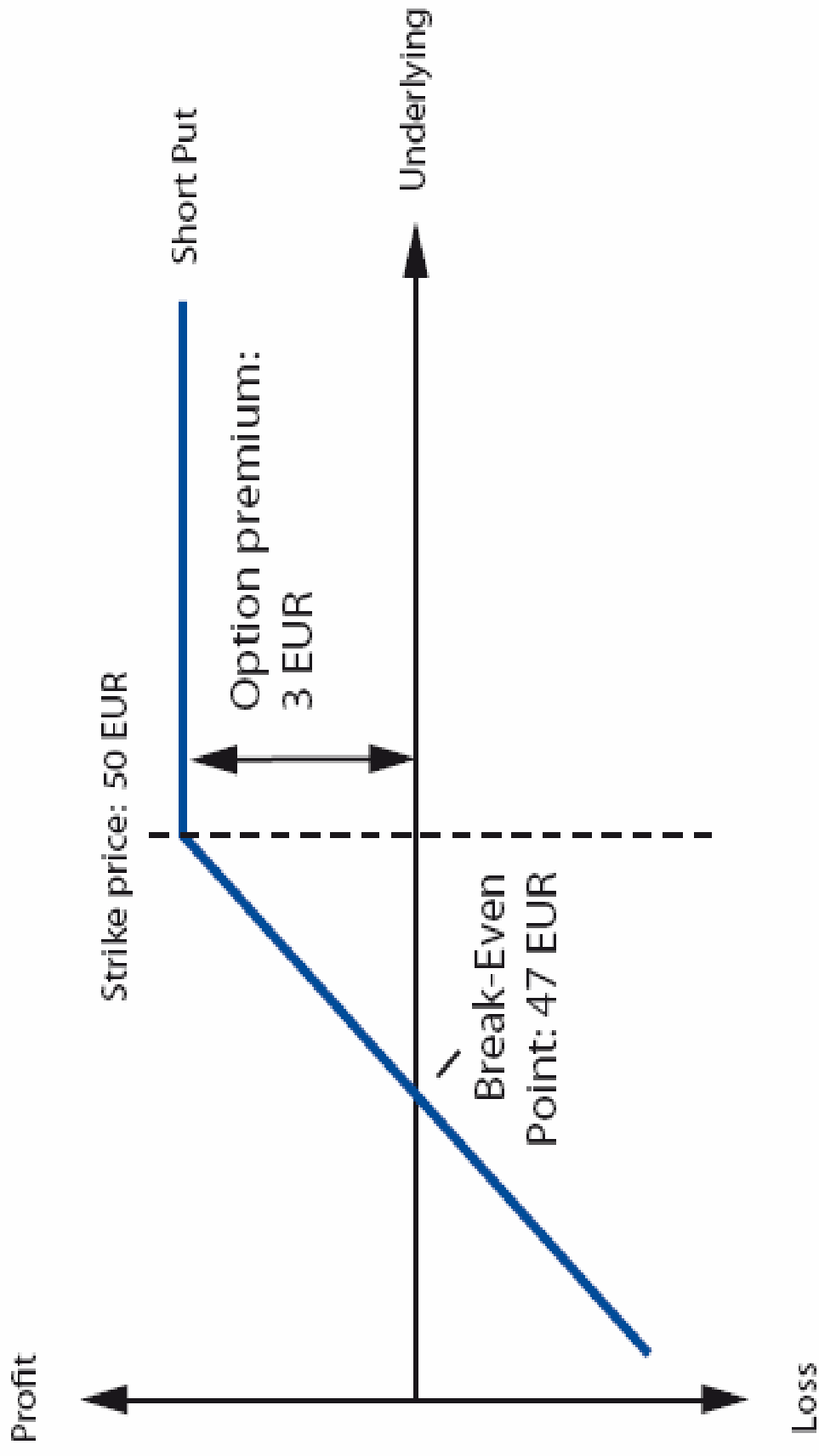
Short Call



Long Put



Short Put



Options

| | Basic assumption | Deal specifics |
|------------|--|--|
| Long call | Price of underlying will go up | Must pay premium, can possibly buy underlying asset |
| Short call | Price of underlying will remain constant or drop slightly | Receives writer's premium and must possibly deliver |
| Long put | Price of underlying will go down | Must pay premium, can possibly sell underlying asset |
| Short put | Price of underlying will remain constant or go up slightly | Receives writer's premium and must possibly buy underlying asset |



Options

| Position | Market price of underlying | Volatility | Effect on time value |
|------------|----------------------------|------------|----------------------|
| Long call | ↑ | ↑ | - |
| Short call | ↓ | ↓ | + |
| Long put | ↓ | ↑ | - |
| Short put | ↑ | ↓ | + |



Delta Hedge

Calculating the hedge ratio:

$$\# \text{ of contracts} = \frac{\text{Number of shares}}{\text{Contract size}} \times \frac{1}{\text{delta of option}}$$



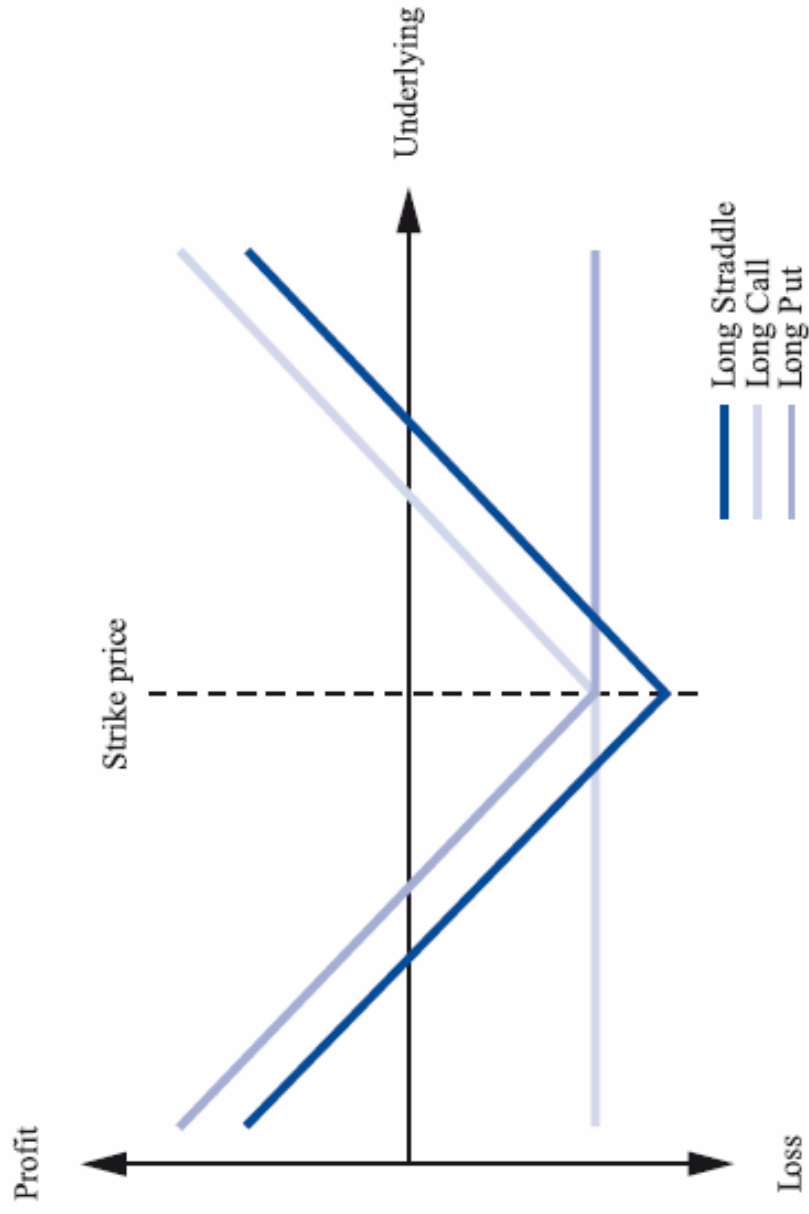
Beta Hedge

Hedge ratio for a β hedge: The number of contracts is determined using the following formula:

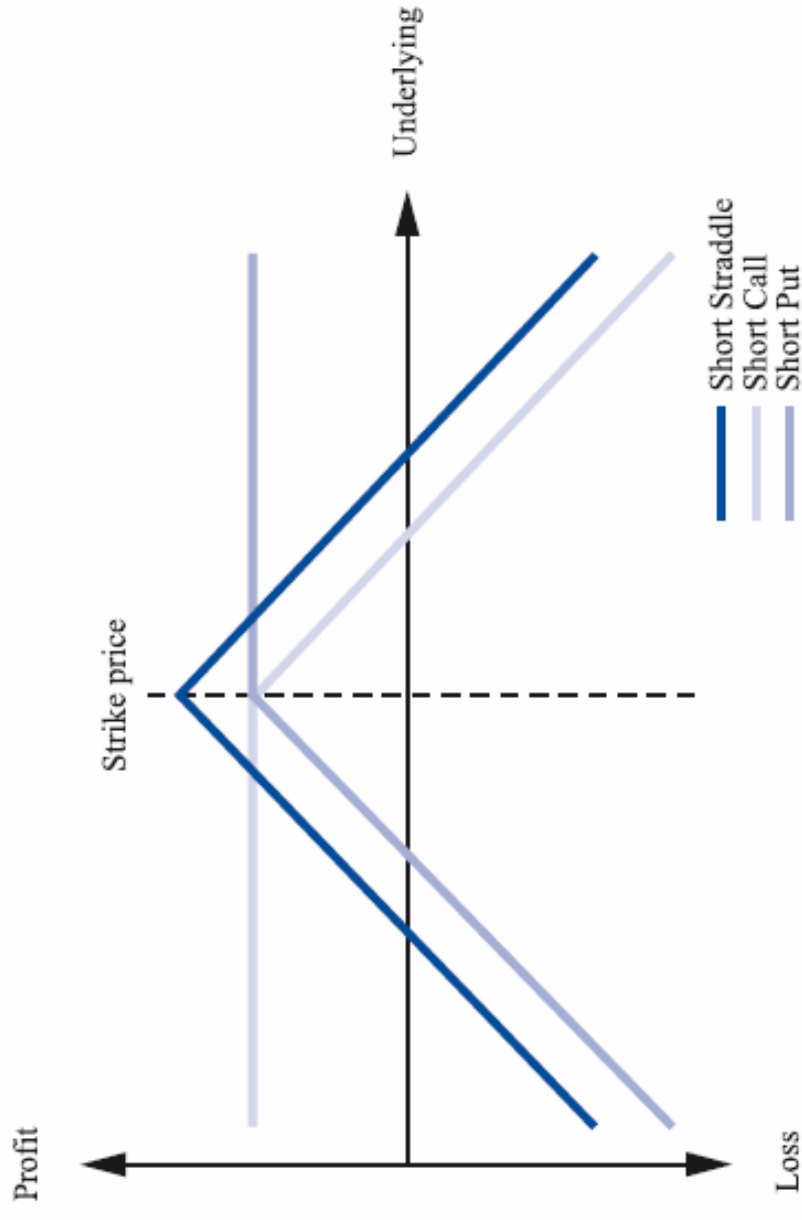
$$\# \text{ of contracts} = \frac{\text{Equivalent of the Portfolio}}{(\text{Index level} \times \text{contract size of indexoption})} \times \beta - \text{portfolio}$$



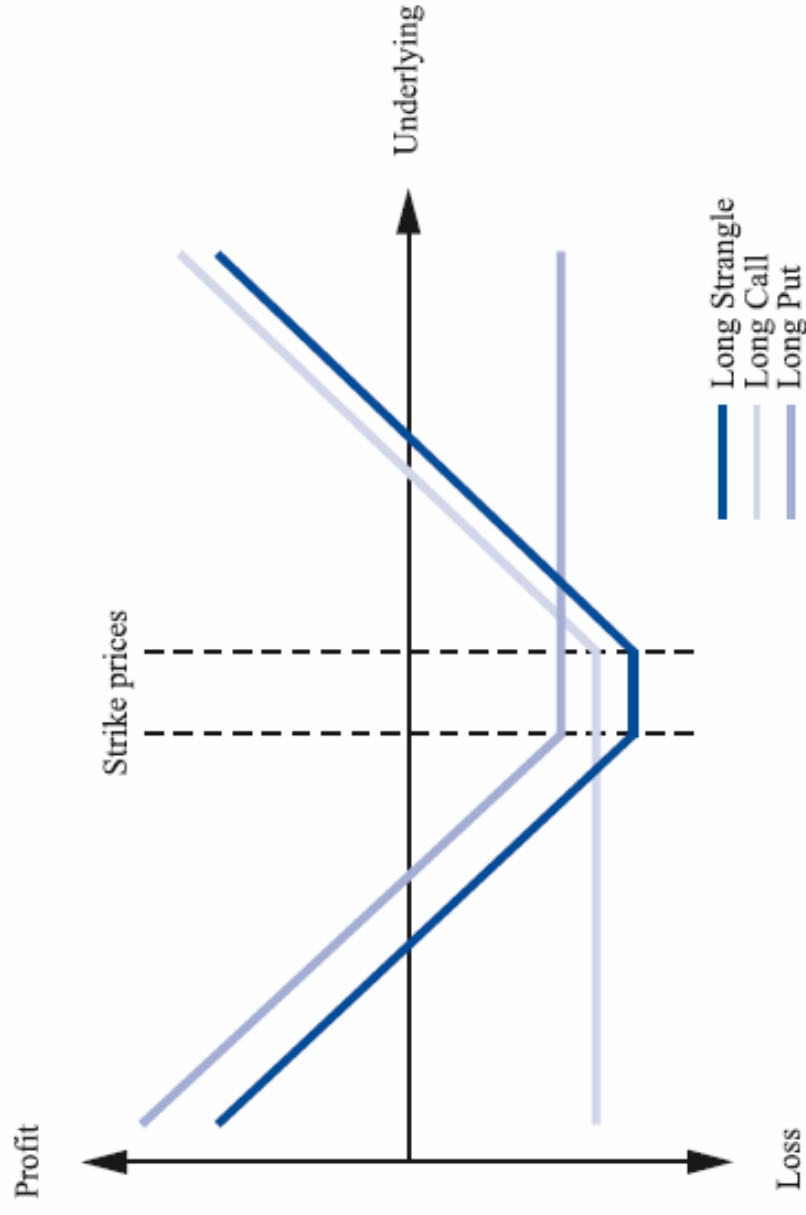
Long Straddle



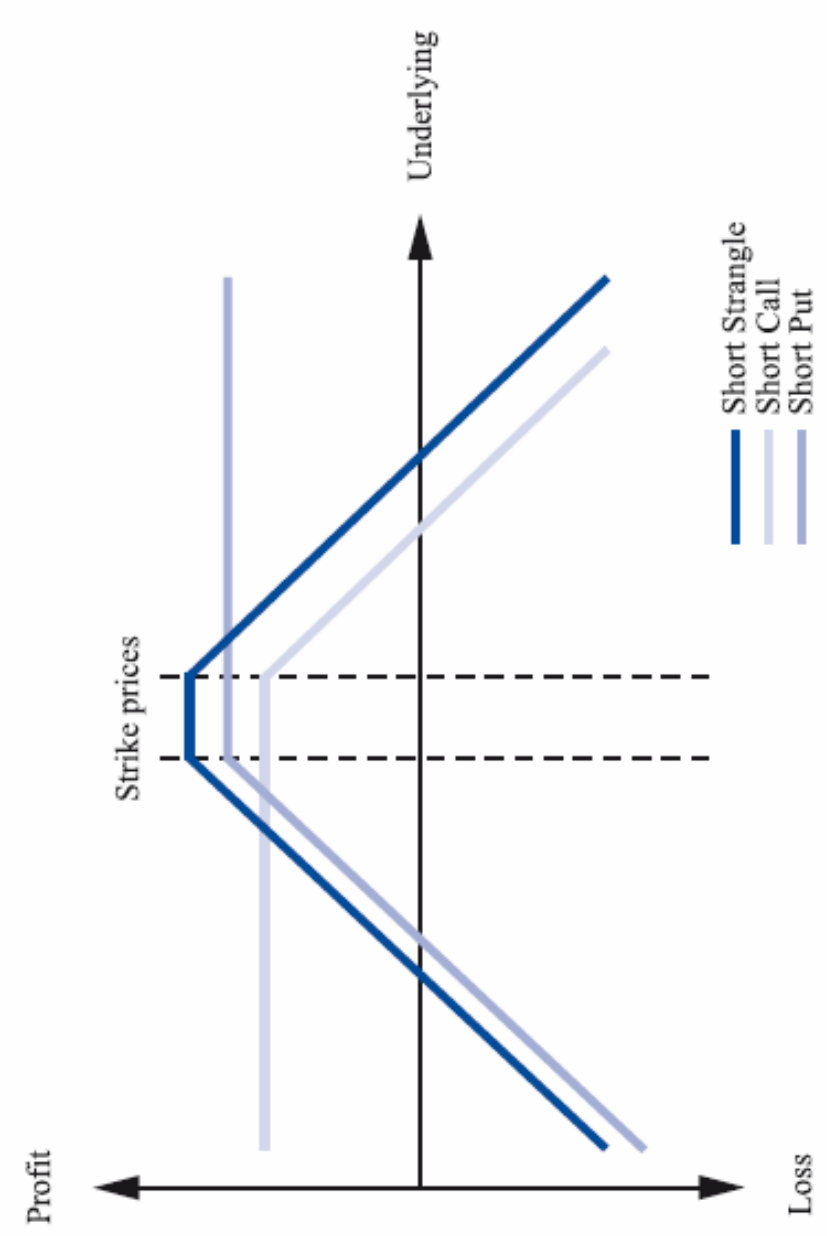
Short Straddle



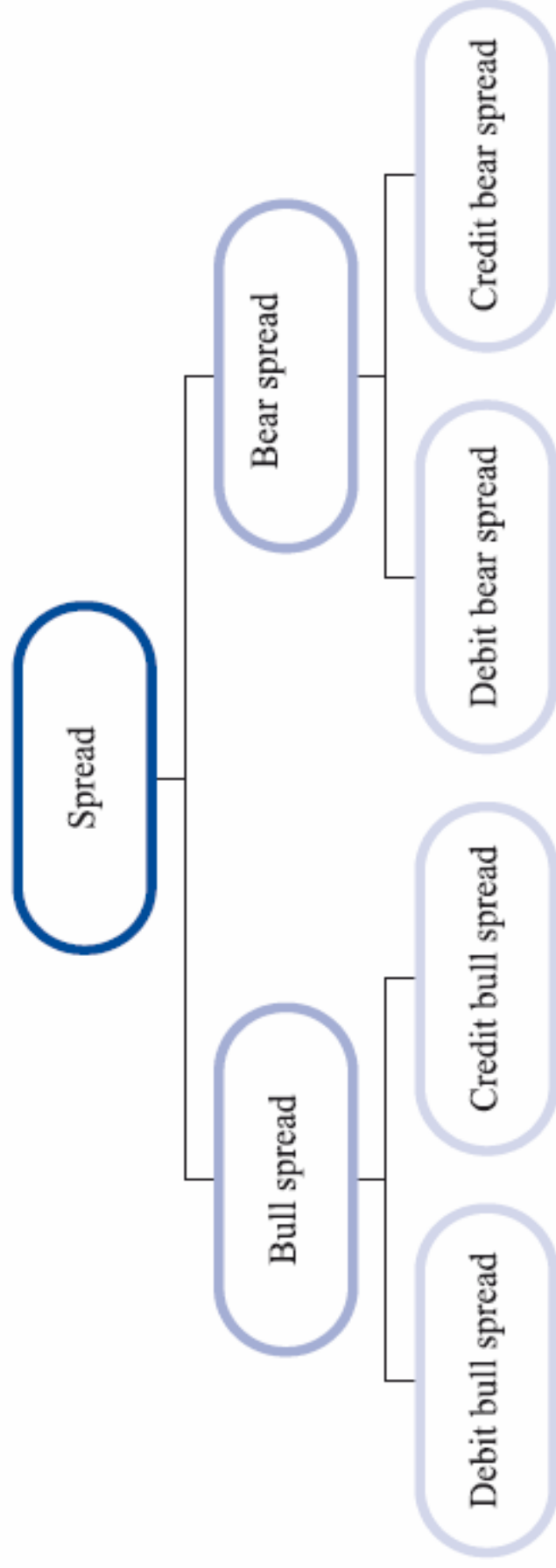
Long Strangle



Short Strangle



Spreads



Strategy

| Market expectation | Option position | Potential profit | Potential loss |
|--------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|
| Strong increase | Long call + Call 30 | unlimited | Maximum: Premium paid |
| Slight increase | Purchase bull spread + call 30 - call 35 | Maximum: Difference in strike prices minus net premium expenditure | Maximum: Net premium expenditure |
| Slight increase | Short put - put 30 | Maximum: premium paid | Almost unlimited |



Strategy

| Market expectation | Option position | Potential profit | Potential loss |
|--------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|
| Sideways move | Sale of bear spread + put 36 – put 40 | Maximum: Net premium proceeds | Maximum: Difference in strike prices minus net premium proceeds |
| Sideways move | Sale of bull spread + call 40 – call 36 | Maximum: Net premium proceeds | Maximum: Difference in strike prices minus net premium proceeds |



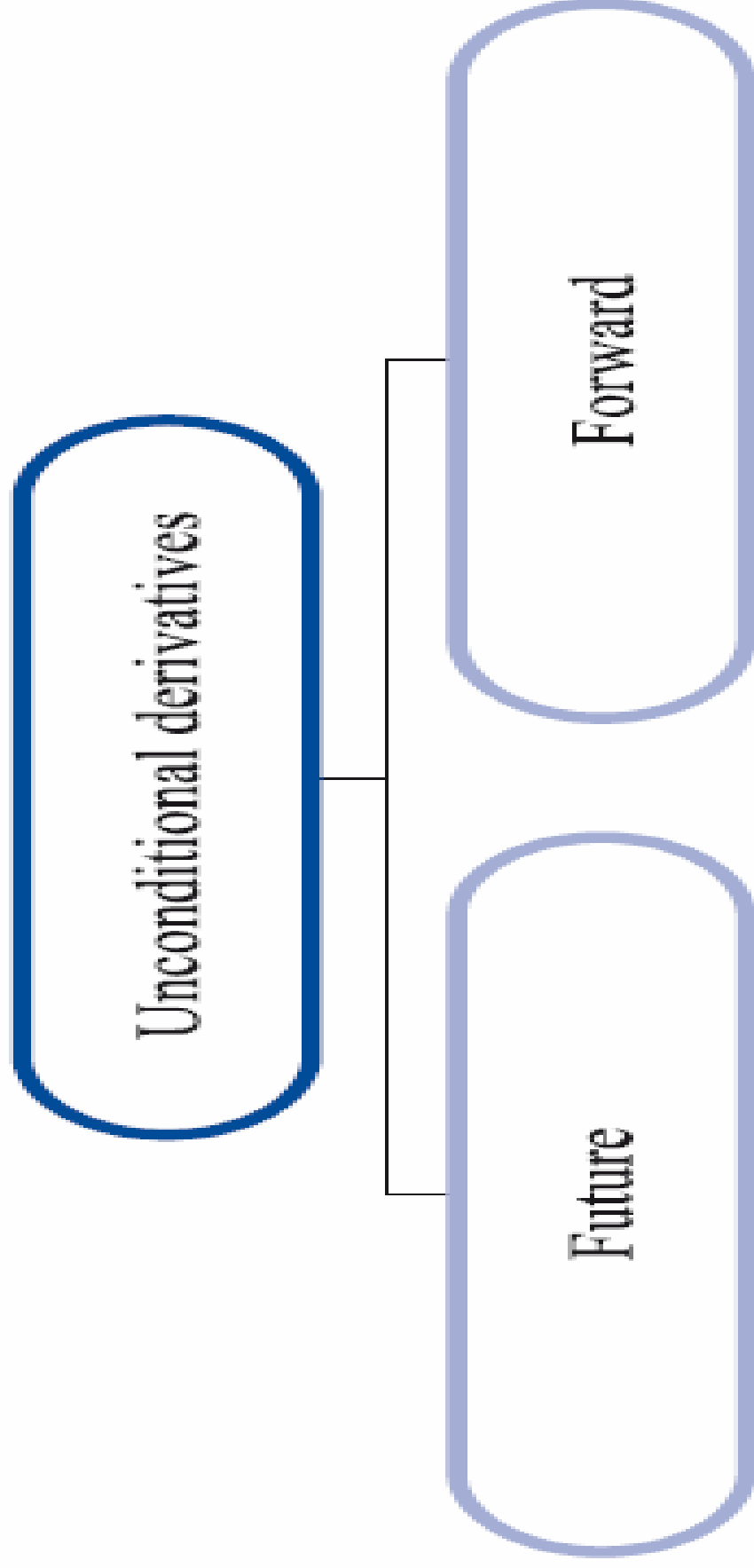
Strategy

| Market expectation | Option position | Potential profit | Potential loss |
|--------------------|---|--|----------------------------------|
| Slight decrease | Short call – Call 40 | Maximum: premium received | unlimited |
| Slight decrease | Purchase of bear spread + put 36 – put 32 | Maximum: Difference in strike prices minus net premium expenditure | Maximum: Net premium expenditure |
| Strong decrease | Long put + put 36 | Almost unlimited | Maximum: premium paid |

Strategy

| Market expectation | Option position | Maximum profit | Potential loss |
|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Strong fluctuation | Long straddle + put 36 + put 36 | Almost unlimited | Limited to premium paid |
| Very high fluctuation | Long strangle + call 38 + put 34 | Almost unlimited | Limited to premium paid |
| Fluctuating around strike prices | Short straddle – Call 36 – put 36 | Maximum: premium received | Almost unlimited |
| Fluctuating between strike prices | Short strangle – Call 38 – put 34 | Maximum: premium received | Almost unlimited |

Future

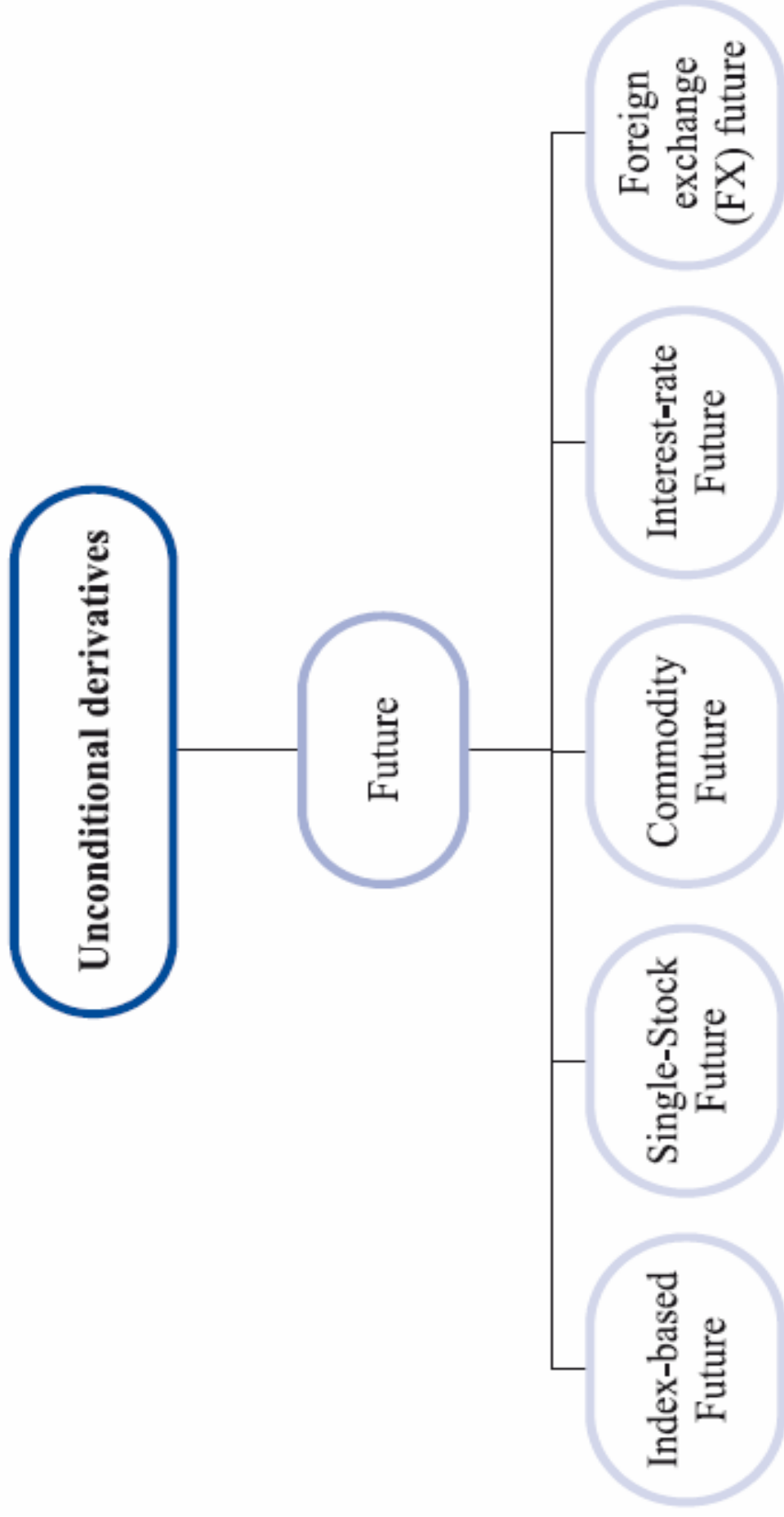


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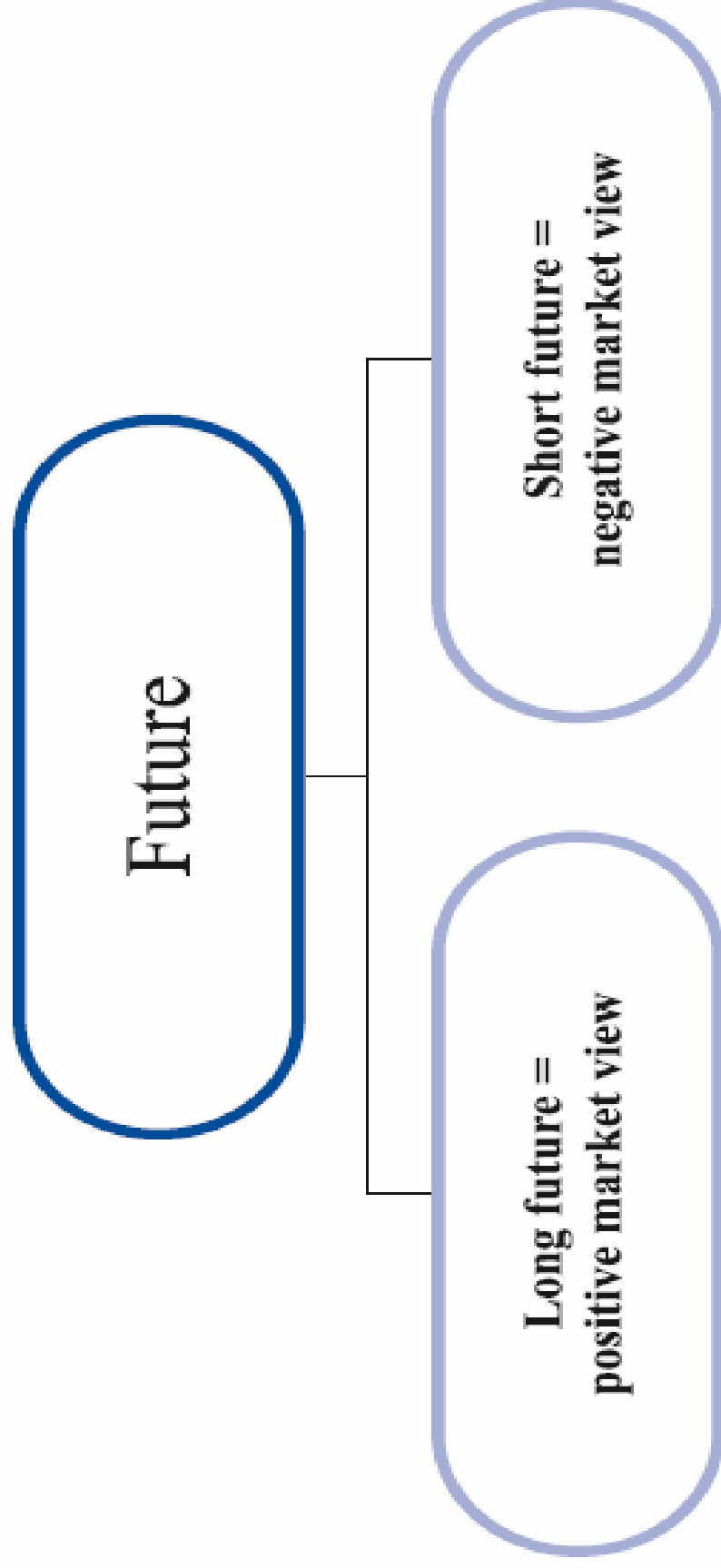
By definition, a future is a derivative instrument comprising an obligation to purchase (long) or deliver (short) a certain underlying at a predefined price, at a fixed date, and in a particular (also predefined) quality and quantity. There is no right of choice. The transaction must be completed.



Future



Future

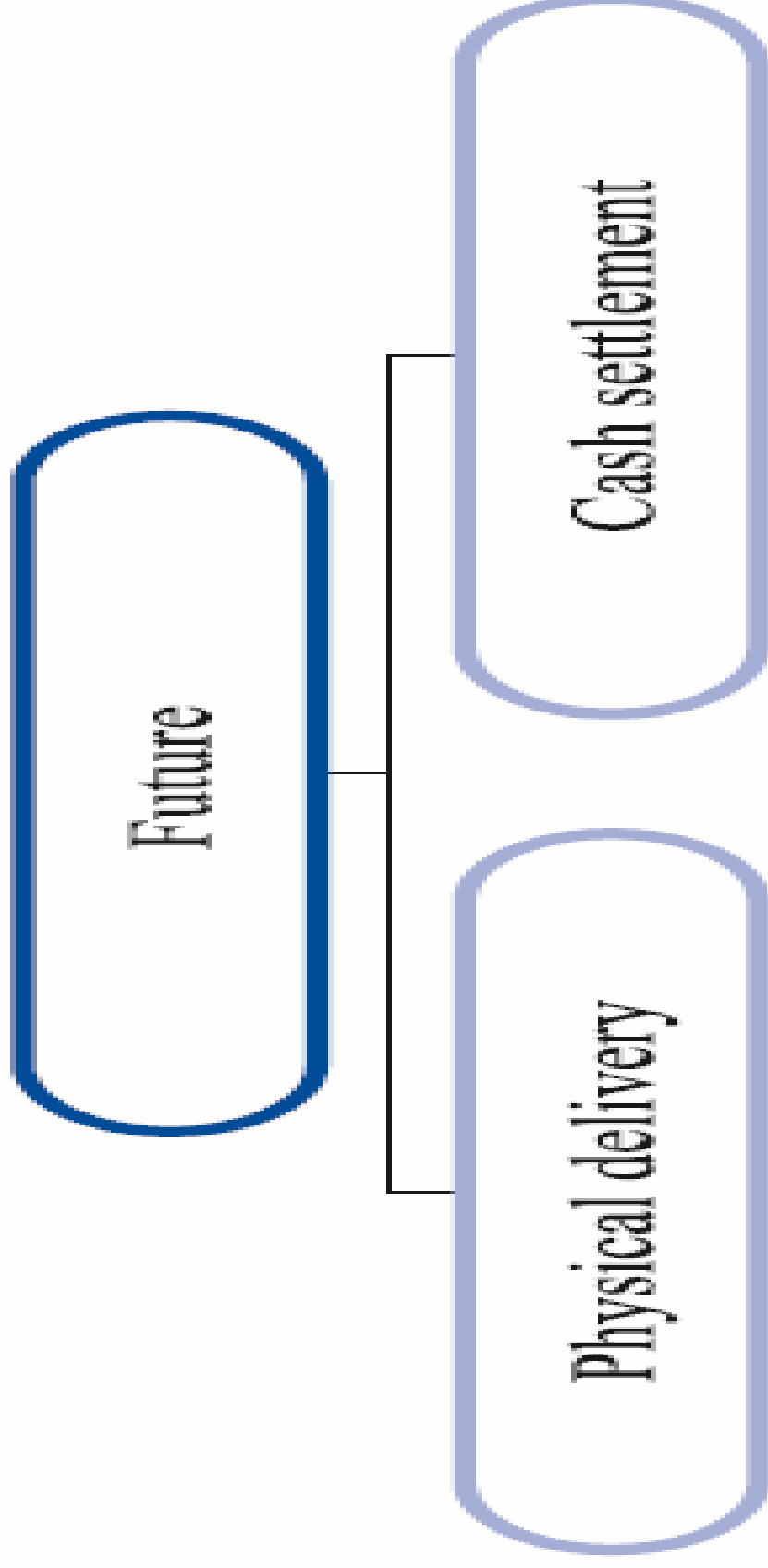


Opening vs. Closing

| | |
|---------|---------------------|
| Opening | BUY FUTURE (long) |
| Closing | SELL FUTURE (short) |
| Opening | SELL FUTURE (short) |
| Closing | BUY FUTURE (long) |



Settlement



Future position

| Futures position | Basic assumption |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Long future | Upward markets |
| Short future | Downward markets |



Futures

| Futures | Maturity of underlying instrument (years) |
|--|---|
| Euro Schatz Futures (€) | 1.75 – 2.25, federal bonds |
| Euro Bobl Futures (€) | 4.5 – 5.5, federal bonds |
| Euro Bund Futures (€) | 8.5 – 10.5, federal bonds |
| Euro Buxl® Futures (€) | 24.0 – 35.0, federal bonds |
| CONF Futures (CHF) | 8.0 – 13.0, Swiss Confederation |
| T-Bill Futures (USD) | Three-month U.S. treasury bills |
| 10 Year U.S. Treasury Note Futures (USD) | 10-year U.S. government bonds |
| 30 Year U.S. Treasury Note Futures (USD) | 30-year U.S. government bonds |

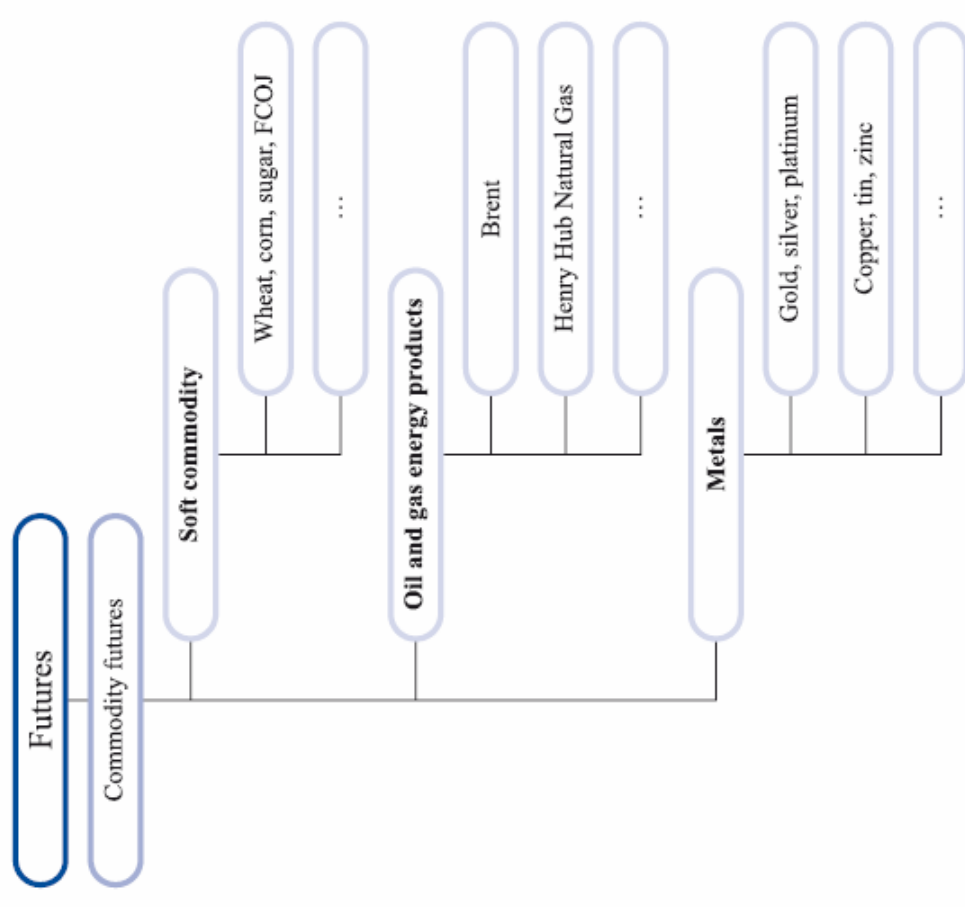
IR-futures

| Futures position | Basic assumption | Settlement |
|------------------|---|-----------------|
| Long future | Falling interest rates; rising bond prices | Must buy bonds |
| Short future | Rising interest rates; falling bond prices | Must sell bonds |

FX-futures

| | |
|-----|-----|
| € | USD |
| € | CHF |
| € | YEN |
| GBP | USD |
| AUD | USD |
| ... | ... |

Commodity futures



Single Stock Future

| Futures position | Basic assumption |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Long future | Rising share price |
| Short future | Falling share price |



State of the market

| Open interest | Prices | Sales | State of the market |
|---------------|--------|-------|---------------------|
| ↑ | ↑ | ↑ | ↑ |
| ↓ | ↑ | ↓ | ↓ |
| ↑ | ↓ | ↑ | ↓ |
| ↓ | ↓ | ↓ | ↑ |



Future price

Theoretical future price = underlying + (financing cost – lost yields)

$$\text{Future Preis} = C_t + \left(C_t \times r_c \times \left(\frac{T-t}{360} \right) - d_{t,T} \right)$$

Where:

C_t = Underlying instrument (e.g., index level)

r_c = Money market interest rate (percent, current/360)

t = Valuta of spot market positions

T = Fulfillment day of a future

$T - t$ = Remaining term of a future

$d_{t,T}$ = Dividend payment expected for the period t to T

Future price

Basis = future price – spot price



Future basis

| The spot price is... | The future price is... | The basis is... |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| ... lower than the future price | ... higher than the spot price | negative |
| ... higher than the future price | ... lower than the spot price | positive |



Pricing IR - future

$$F = \left(\frac{U}{P} \right) - Z + C$$

Where:

F = future price

U = cash position

P = price factor

Z = coupon yield

C = financing cost of cash position

$$\left(\frac{U}{P} \right) - F = Z - C$$

Where:

F = future price

U = cash position

P = price factor

Z = coupon yields

C = financing cost of cash position

IR- Future

Final settlement price = Settlement price of future \times nominal \times price factor + interests accrued

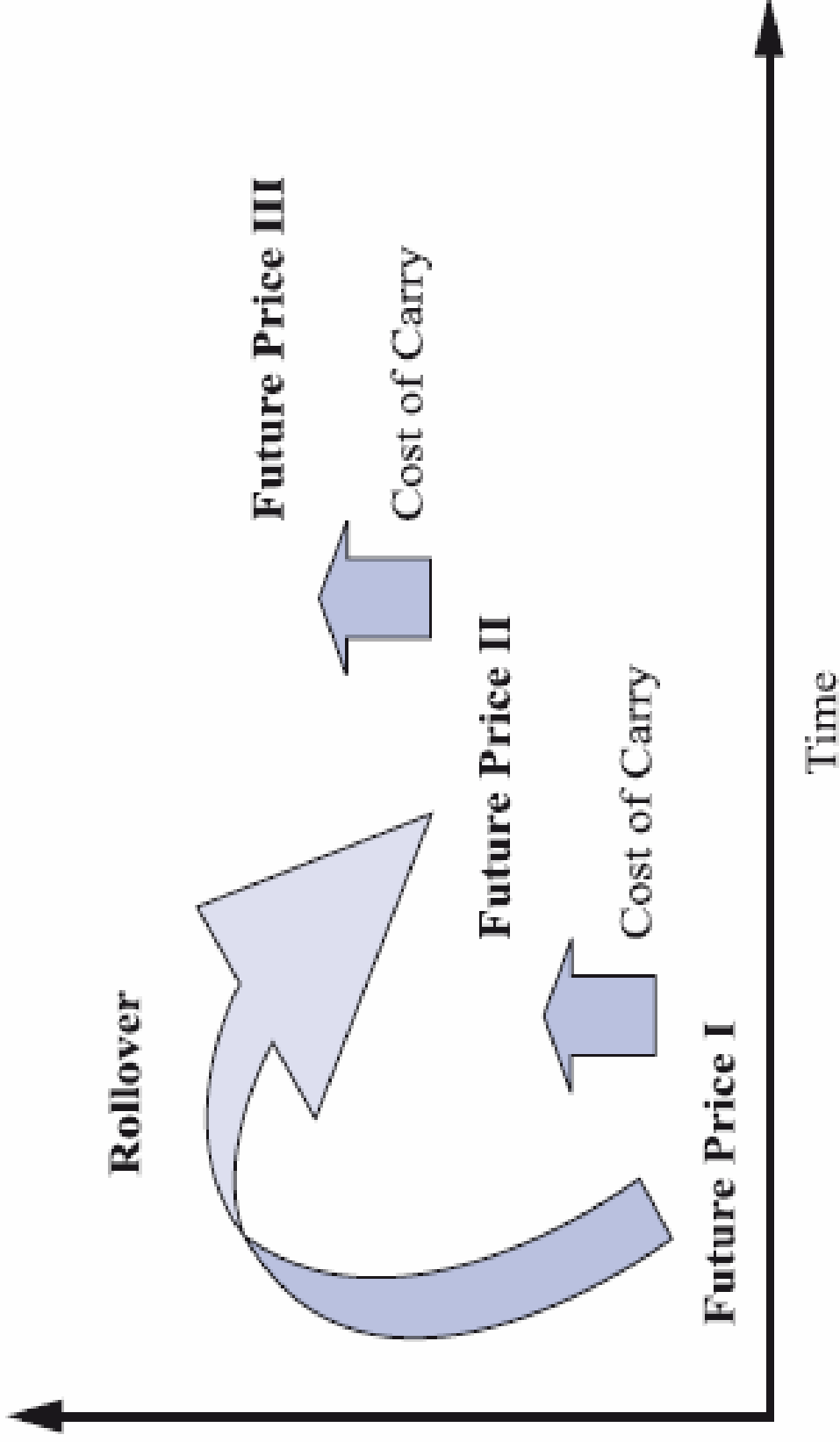


Maturity

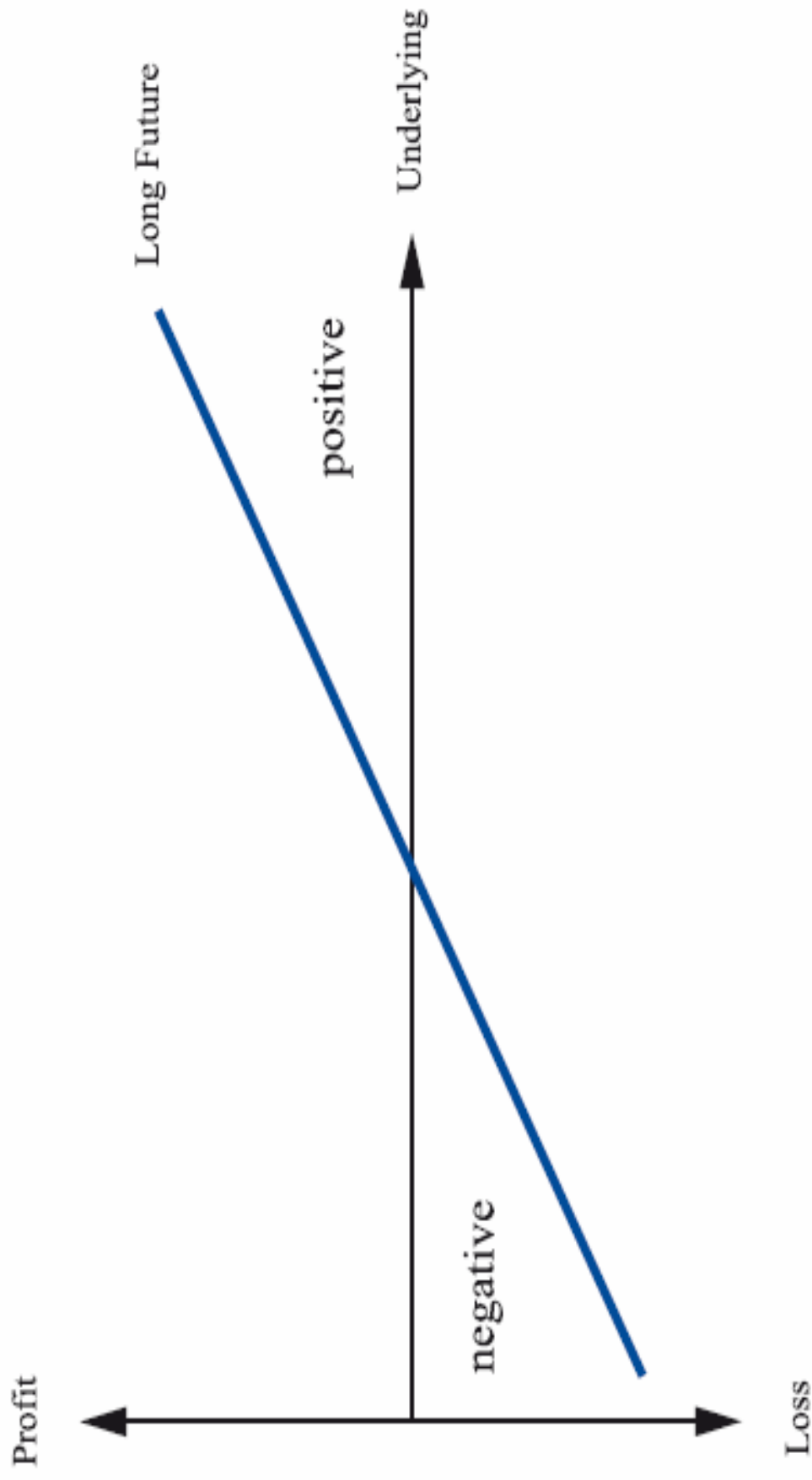
| | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 st possibility | March | June | September |
| 2 nd possibility | June | September | December |
| 3 rd possibility | September | December | March |
| 4 th possibility | December | March | June |



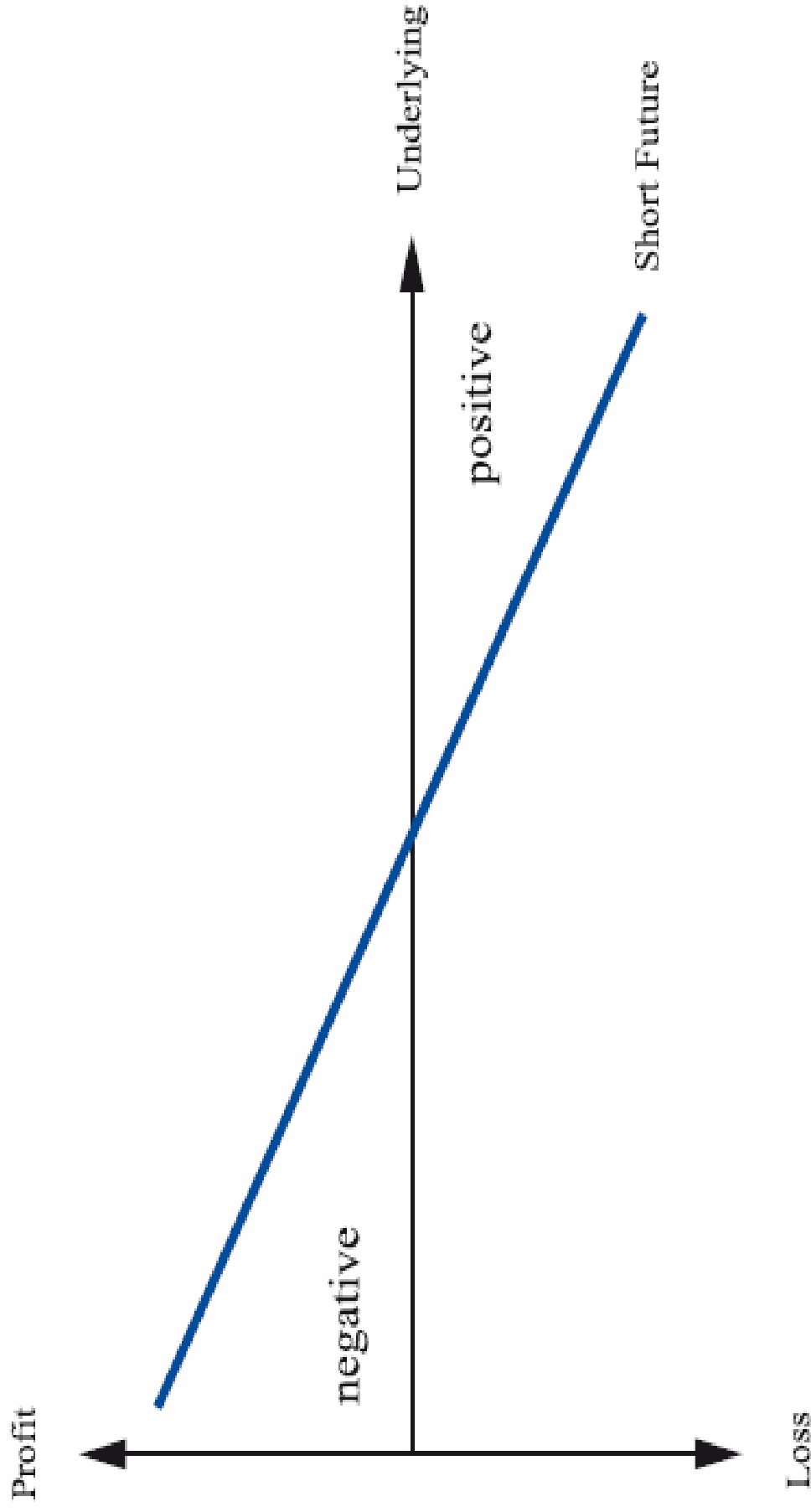
Rollover



Long Future



Short Future



Hedges

$$\text{Hedge Ratio} = \frac{\text{Portfolio}}{\text{Index} - \text{future} - \text{points}} \times \frac{1}{\text{index multiplier}}$$

Spreads

| Type of index | Rising prices | Falling prices |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Performance index | Sale of a spread | Purchase of a spread |
| Price index cost of carry > 0 | Sale of a spread | Purchase of a spread |
| Price index cost of carry < 0 | Purchase of a spread | Sale of a spread |

Cash and Carry and Reverse

Cash and carry → sale of futures and purchase of spot market product
Reverse cash and carry → purchase of futures and sale
of spot market product



Beta

| Value | Meaning |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Beta (β) = 1 | Stock behaves like market 1:1 |
| Beta (β) > 1 | Stock moves more than market |
| Beta (β) < 1 | Stock moves less than market |



Correlation

| Value | Meaning |
|--|---|
| $r = +1$ Maximum positive correlation | There is a positive correlation (synchronism) |
| $r = 0$ Correlation is neutral | There is no (or a random) correlation |
| $r = -1$ Maximum negative correlation | Developments run (absolutely) contrary |



Beta Hedge

$$\# \text{ of futures contracts} = -1 \times \left(\frac{\text{value of portfolio}}{(\text{index level} \times \text{contract size})} \right) \times \beta \text{ portfolio}$$



IR Hedge

$$\text{hedge ratio} = \frac{\text{nominal value}_{\text{Cash}}}{\text{nominal value}_{\text{Future}}}$$

$$\text{hedge ratio} = \left(\frac{\text{nominal value}_{\text{spot}}}{\text{nominal value}_{\text{future}}} \right) \times \left(\frac{\text{duration}_{\text{spot}}}{\text{duration}_{\text{future}}} \right) \times PF_{\text{CTD}}$$

PF_{CTD} = Price Factor of CTD

$$\text{hedge ratio} = \left(\frac{\text{nominal value}_{\text{spot}}}{\text{nominal value}_{\text{future}}} \right) \times \left(\frac{\Delta_{\text{spot, BP}}}{\Delta_{\text{CTD, BP}}} \right) \times PF_{\text{CTD}}$$

The changes in value can be derived from the rate-of-return calculation

IR Hedge

$$\text{hedge ratio} = \frac{\text{nominal value}_{\text{spot}}}{\text{nominal value}_{\text{future}}} \times RK$$

RK = Regression coefficient

Options on futures

| Options contract | Future |
|------------------|--------------|
| Long call | Long future |
| Short call | Short future |
| Long put | Short future |
| Short put | Long future |



Synthetic Combinations

| Synthetic form of... | Combination of... | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|------------|--------|
| | Call option | Put option | Future |
| Long call | | Long | Long |
| Short call | | Short | Short |
| Long put | Long | | Short |
| Short put | Short | | Long |

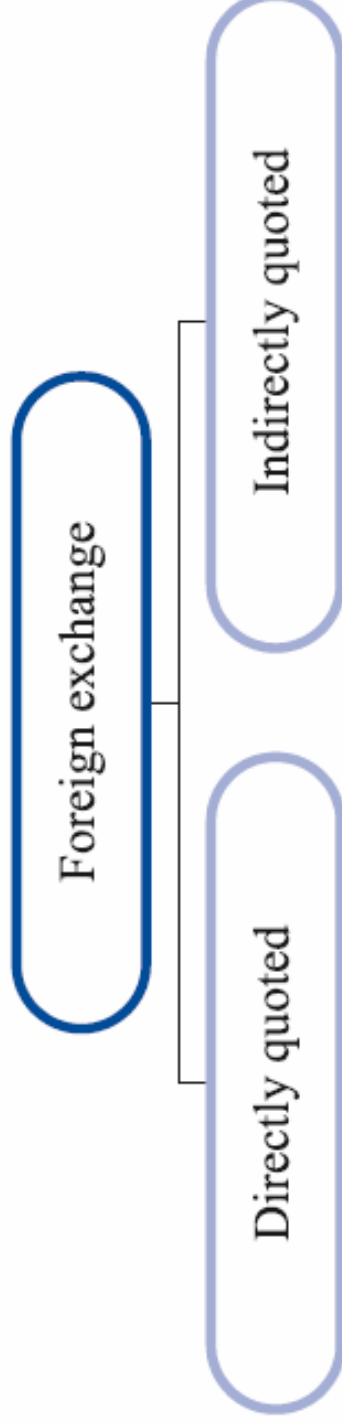


Synthetic Combinations

| Synthetic form of... | Combination of... | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|------------|--------|
| | Call option | Put option | Future |
| Long future | Long | Short | |
| Short future | Short | Long | |



FX



FX

$$\text{Forward rate} = \text{spot rate} \times \frac{1 + \left(r_G \times \frac{T}{B_G} \right)}{1 + \left(r_Q \times \frac{T}{B_Q} \right)}$$

Where:

T = number of days

r_G = interest rate p.a. in decimals, base currency

r_Q = interest rate p.a. in decimals, target currency

B_G = Calculation basis for base currency (360 or 365)

B_Q = Calculation basis for target currency (360 or 365)



FX

$$\text{Forward rate}_{bid} = \text{spot rate}_{bid} \times \frac{1 + \left(r_{bid,G} \times \frac{T}{B_G} \right)}{1 + \left(r_{ask,Q} \times \frac{T}{B_Q} \right)}$$

$$\text{Forward rate}_{ask} = \text{spot rate}_{ask} \times \frac{1 + \left(r_{ask,G} \times \frac{T}{B_G} \right)}{1 + \left(r_{bid,Q} \times \frac{T}{B_Q} \right)}$$

Where:

T = number of days

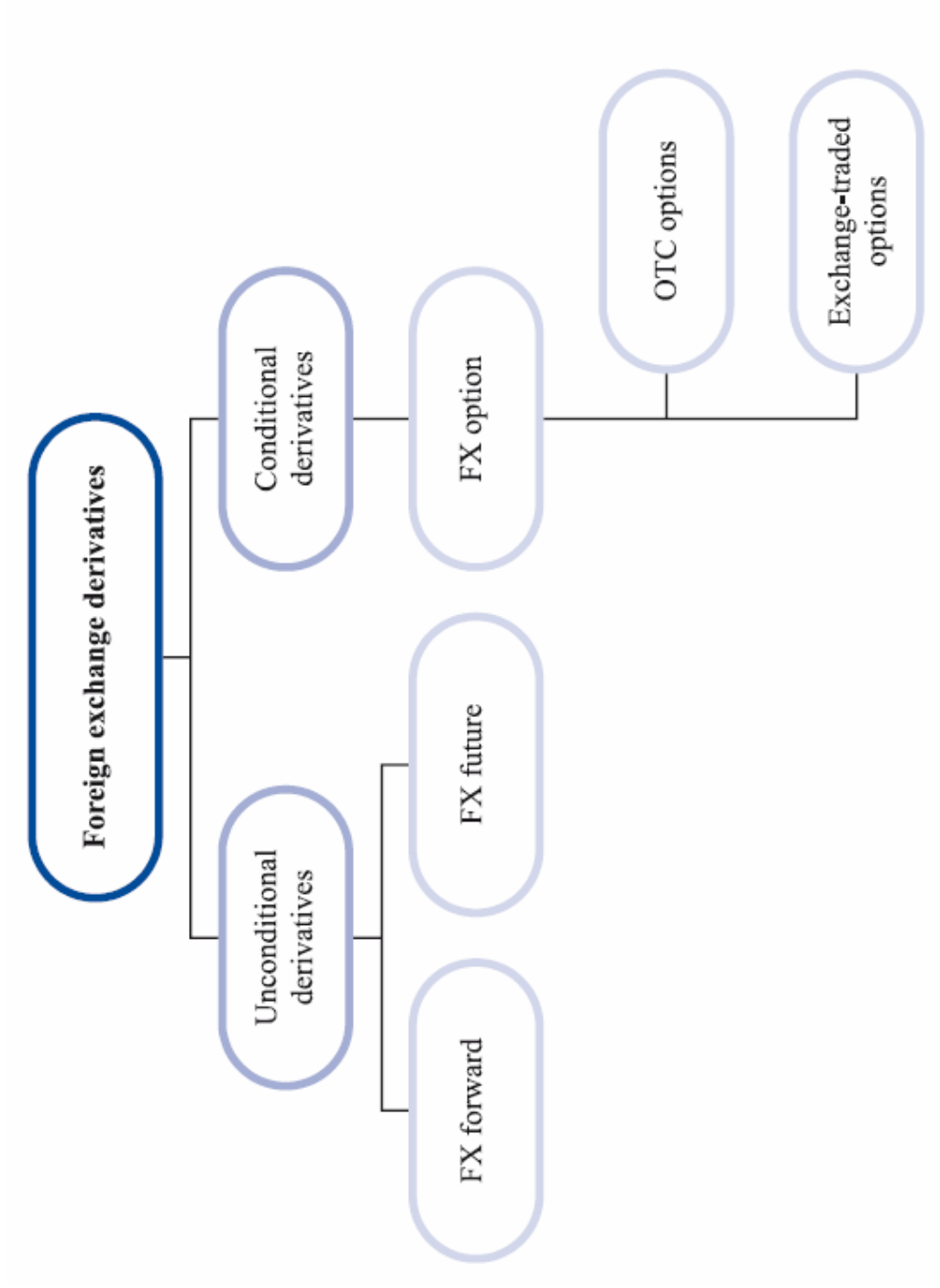
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B_Q = Calculation basis for target currency (360 or 365)

FX futures



SWAP rate

$$\text{domestic interest rate activity} = \left(1 + r \times \left(\frac{\text{Duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right)$$

Where r = Domestic interest rate

$$\text{Foreign interest rate activity} = \frac{1}{K_1} \times \left(1 + r_1 \times \left(\frac{\text{duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right) \times \text{Forward rate}$$

Where:

K_1 = spot rate

r_1 = Foreign interest rate

$$\text{Foreign interest rate activity} = \frac{1}{K_1} \times \left(1 + r_1 \times \left(\frac{\text{duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right) \times \text{Forward rate}$$

Where:

K_1 = spot rate

R = domestic interest rate

R_1 = foreign interest rate

Forward rate

$$\left(1 + r \times \left(\frac{\text{Duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right) = \frac{1}{K_1} \times \left(1 + r_1 \times \left(\frac{\text{Duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right) \times \text{Forward rate}$$

$$\text{Forward rate} = K_1 \times \left[\frac{\left(1 + r \times \left(\frac{\text{Duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right)}{\left(1 + r_1 \times \left(\frac{\text{Duration (days)}}{360} \right) \right)} \right]$$

Where:

K_1 = spot rate

R = domestic interest rate

R_1 = foreign interest rate

SWAP rate

$$\text{Swaprate} = \frac{K_1 \times Z \times \text{Duration (days)}}{360}$$

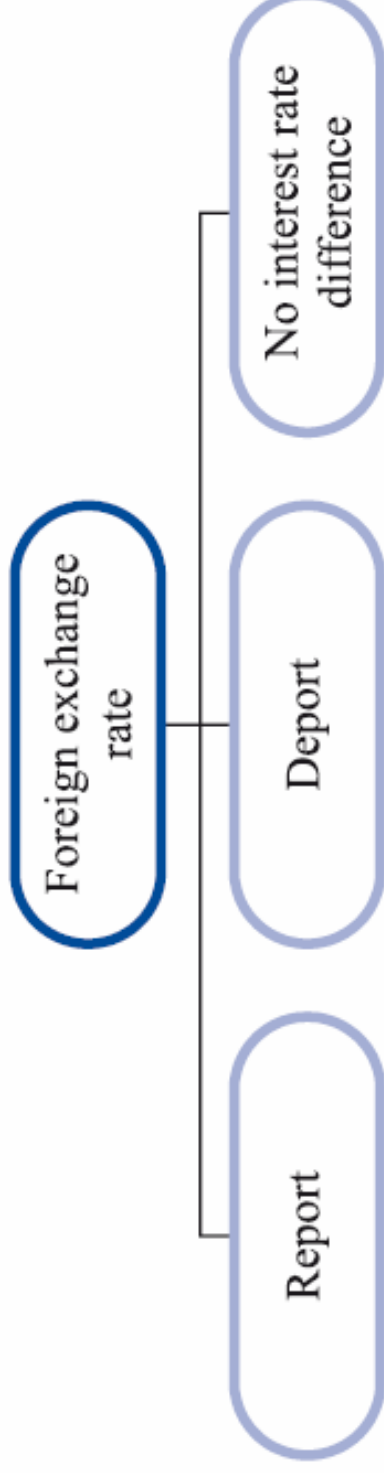
Where:

K_1 = spot rate

Z = interest rate difference between currencies



Deport and Report

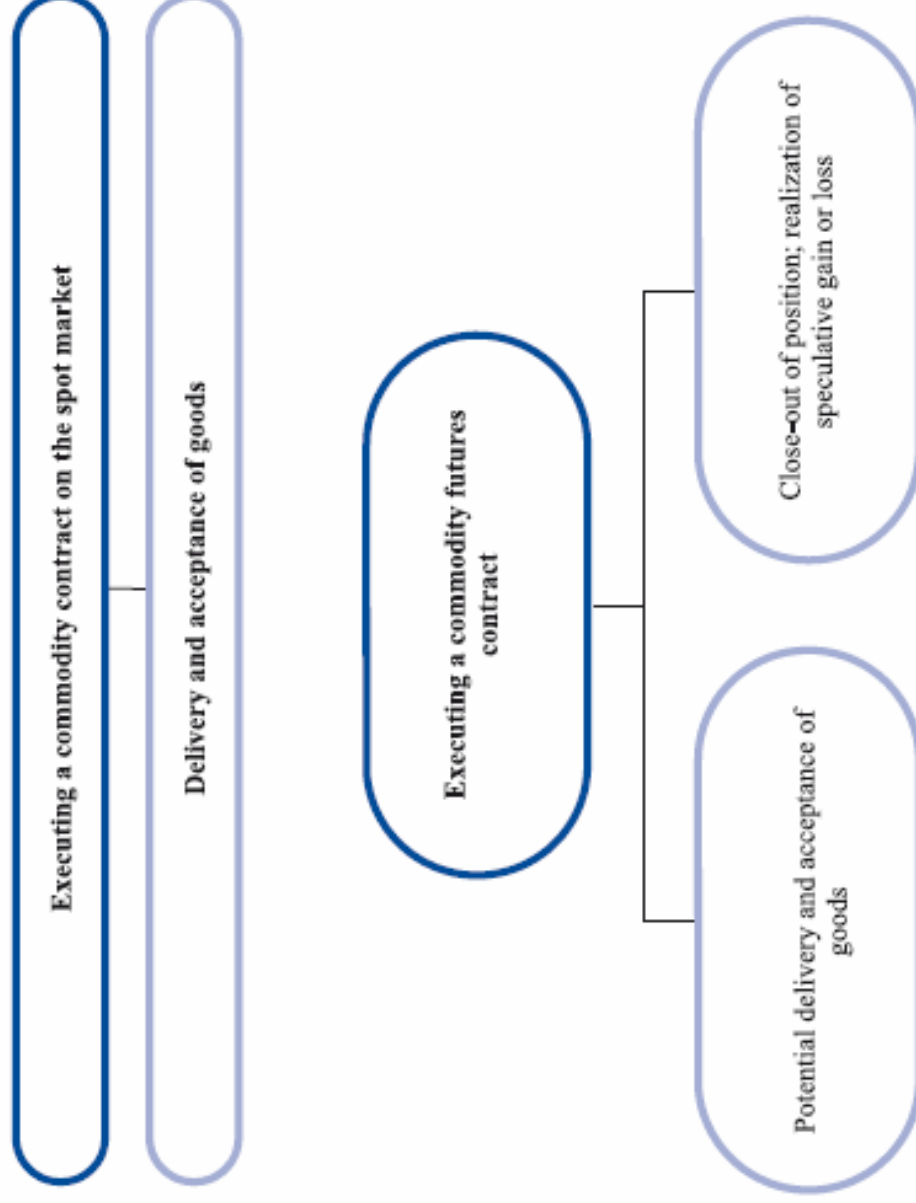


fx-options

The buyer of a currency option acquires the right but not the obligation to buy or sell a certain amount in a foreign currency on a predefined date and at a predefined price. For this right he pays an option premium to the Writer (short).



Commodity futures

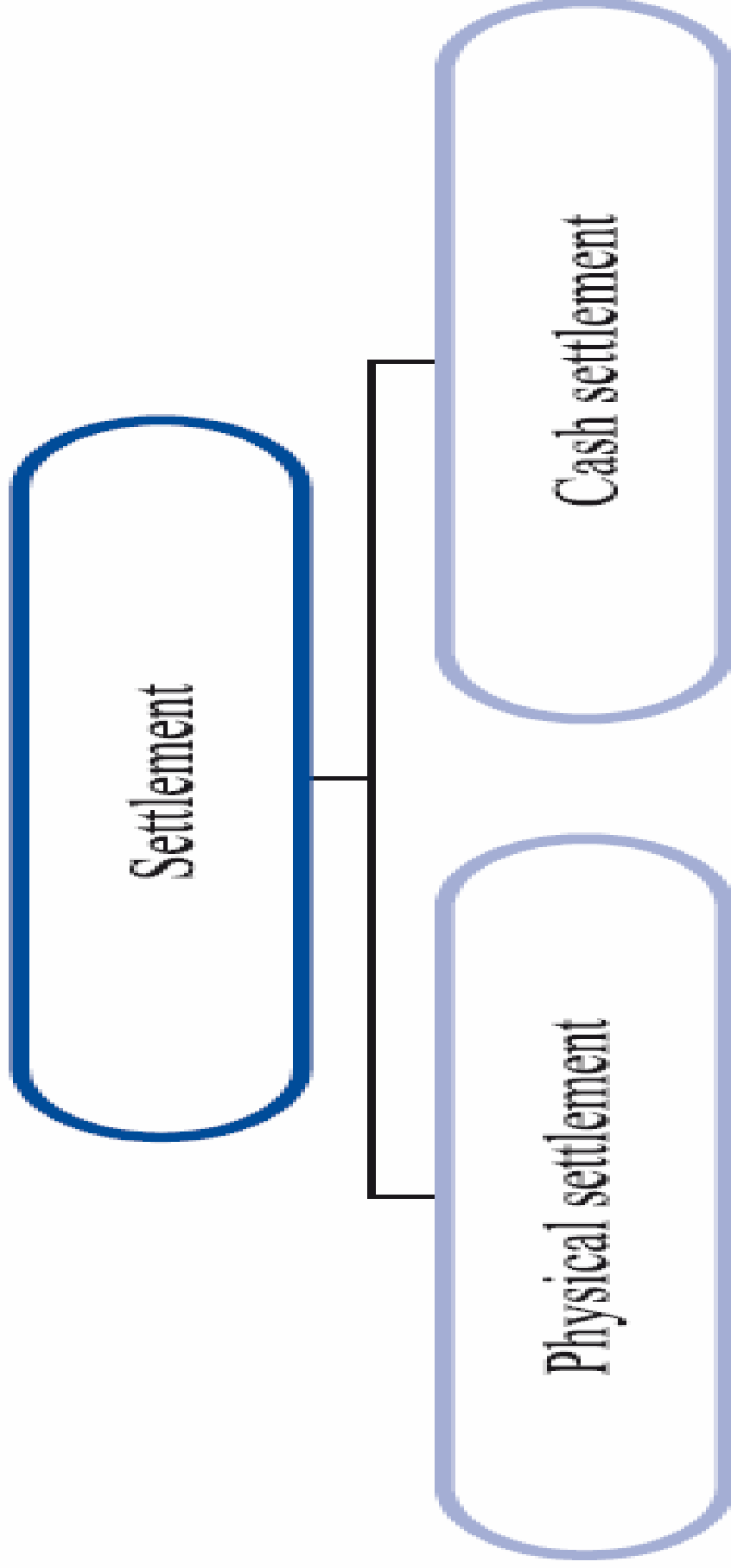


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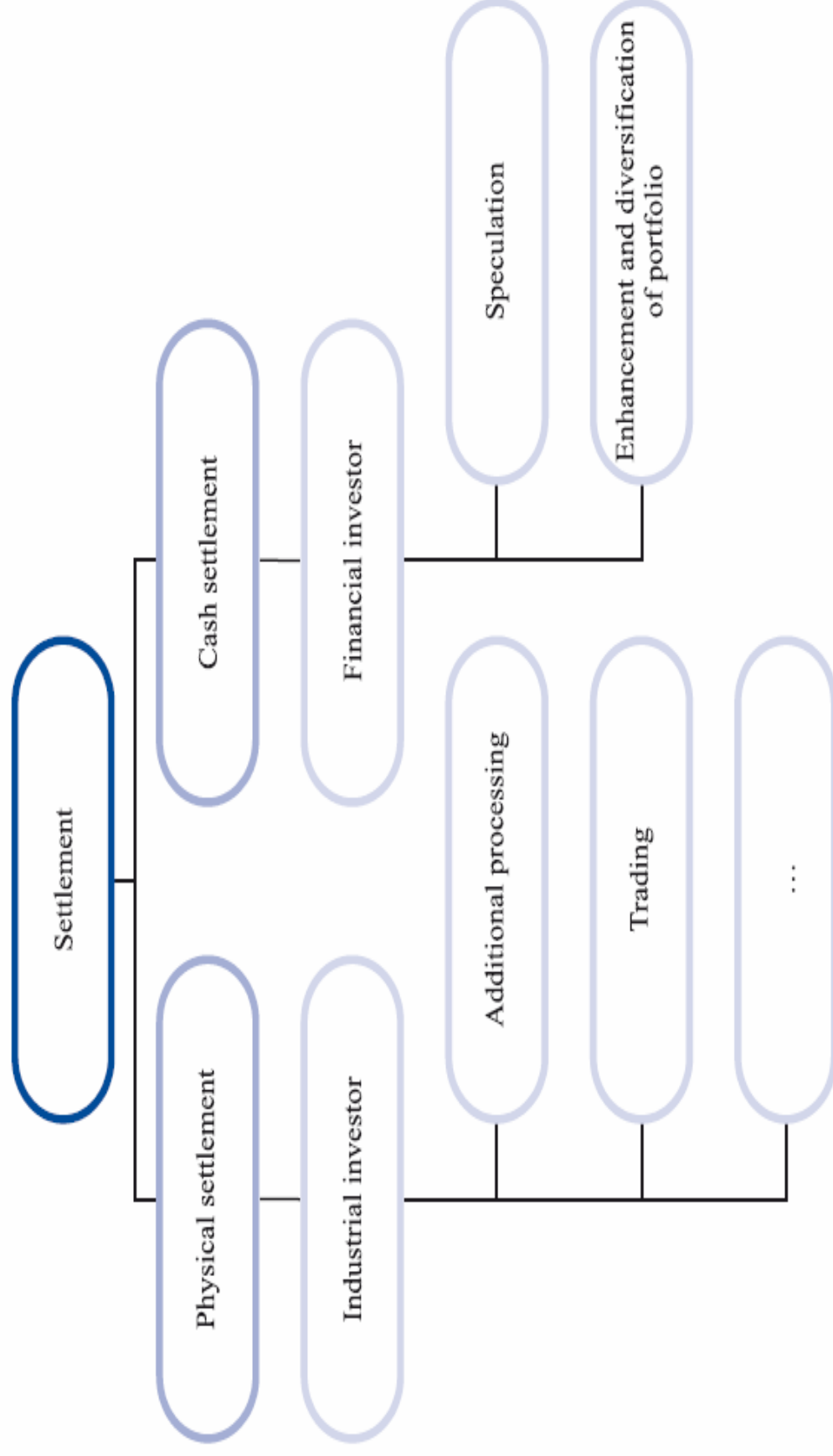
| | |
|--------------|--------------|
| Opening | Close-out |
| Long future | Short future |
| Short future | Long future |



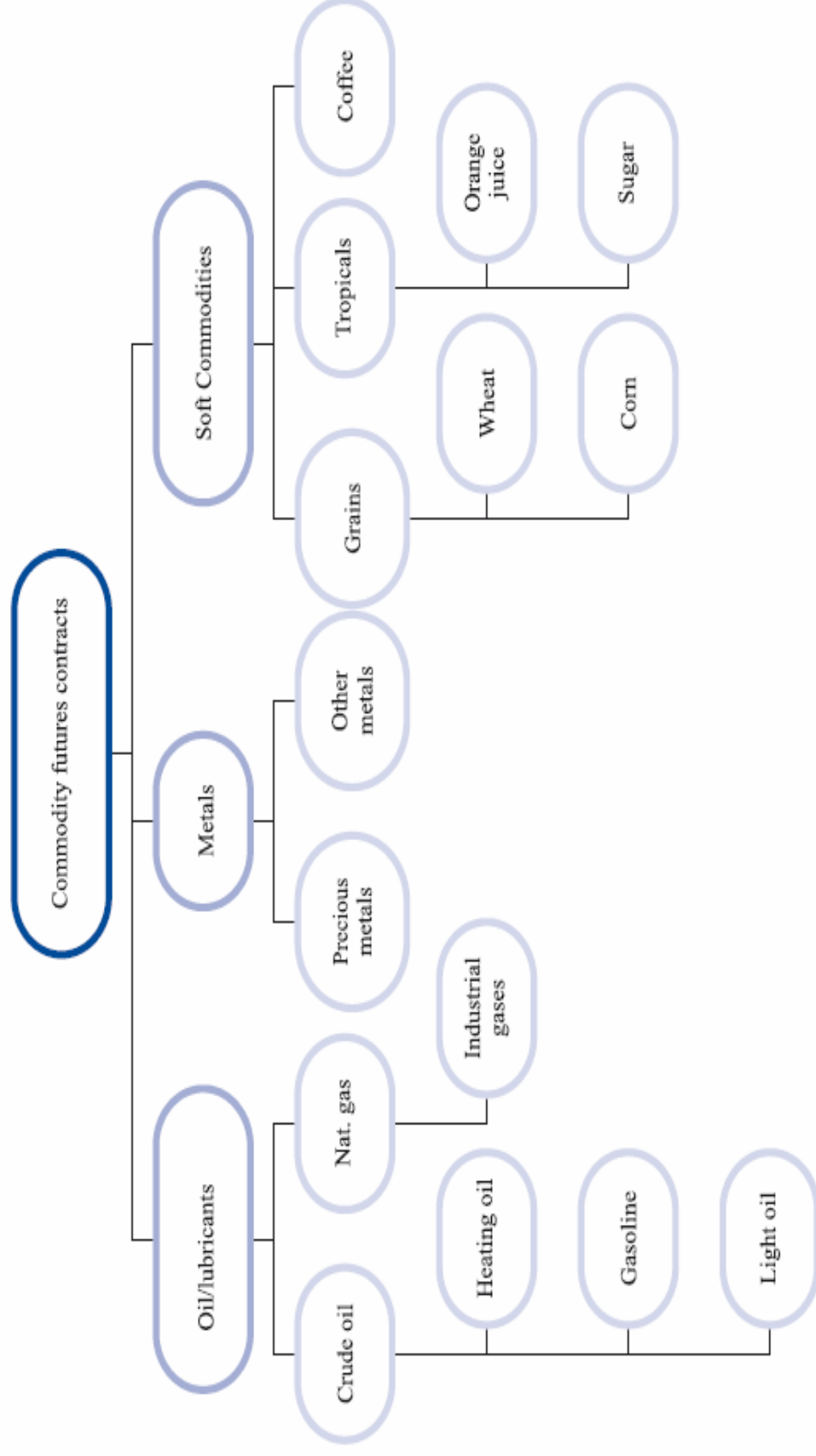
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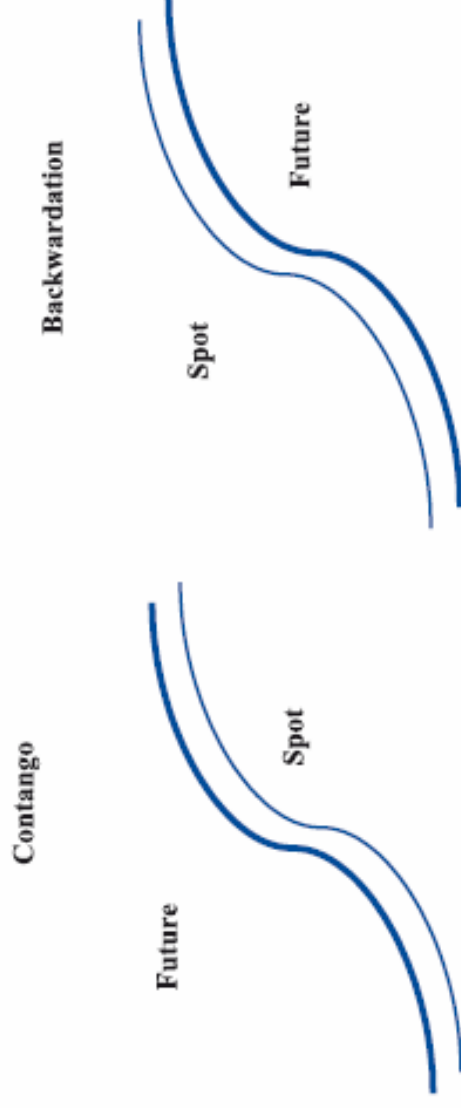


Commodity futures



Pricing of commodity futures

| Commodity futures | | | |
|-------------------|---|--------------|---------------|
| Spot price | < | Future price | Contango |
| Spot price | > | Future price | Backwardation |



Pricing of commodity futures

$$F_0 = K_0 \times \frac{(1+i+L)^t}{(1+y)^t}$$

Where:

F_0 = Fair value

K_0 = Spot price

I = Cost of storage (net)

i = Risk-free rate of interest

y = Convenience yield

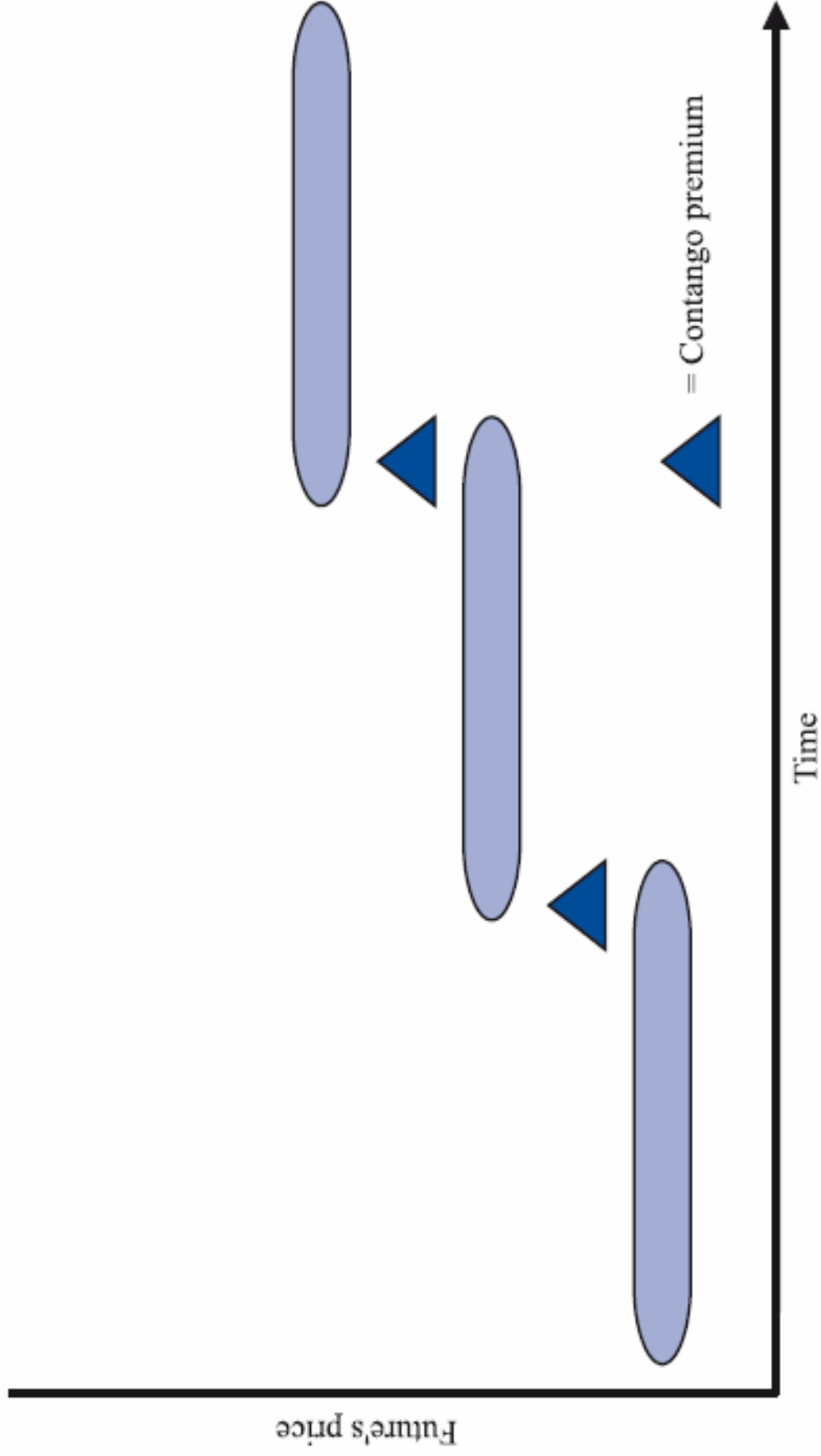
t = Maturity over years

$$F_0 \times (1+y)^t = (K_0 + L_0) \times (1+i)^t$$

$$F_0 \times (1+y)^t = K_0 \times (1+i+L)^t$$

*Price of future =
price of commodity + (financing cost + warehousing cost) – convenience yield*

Contango



SWAP

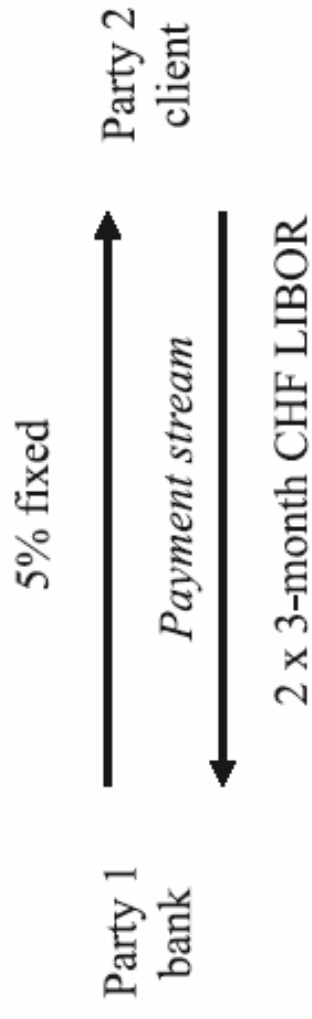


IR - Swap

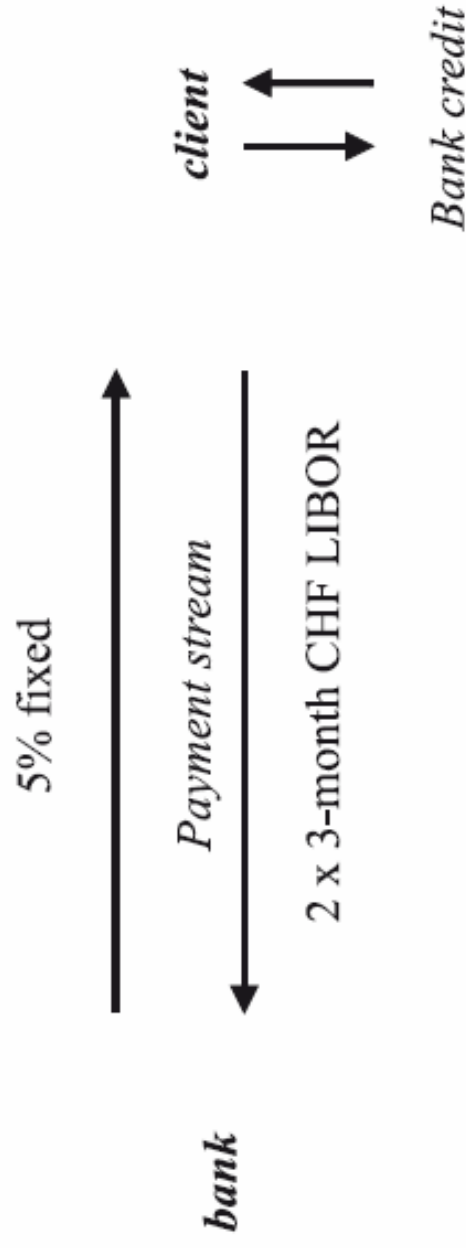
| Interest rate side | Designation |
|------------------------|---------------|
| Fixed interest rate | Payor swap |
| Variable interest rate | Receiver swap |



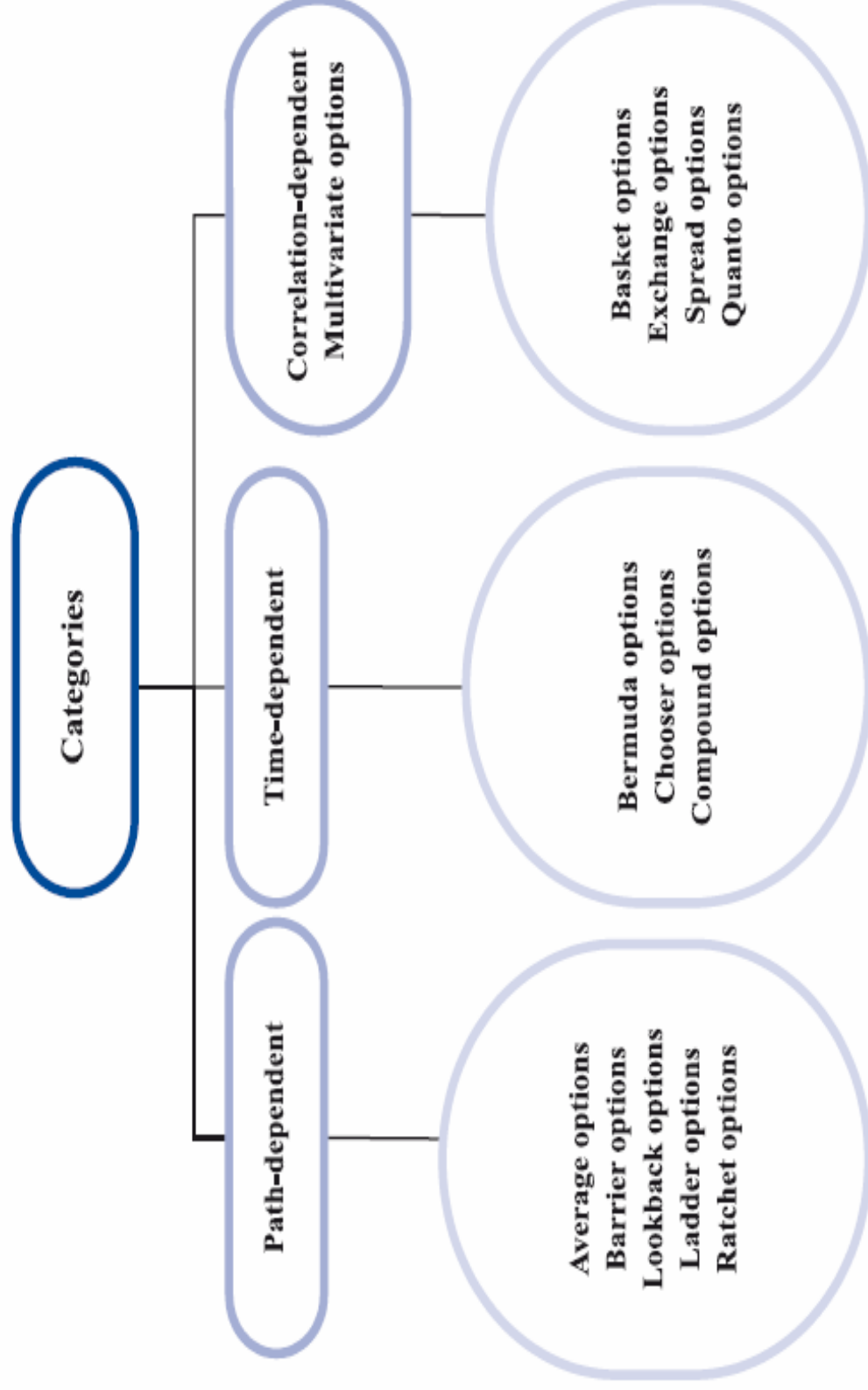
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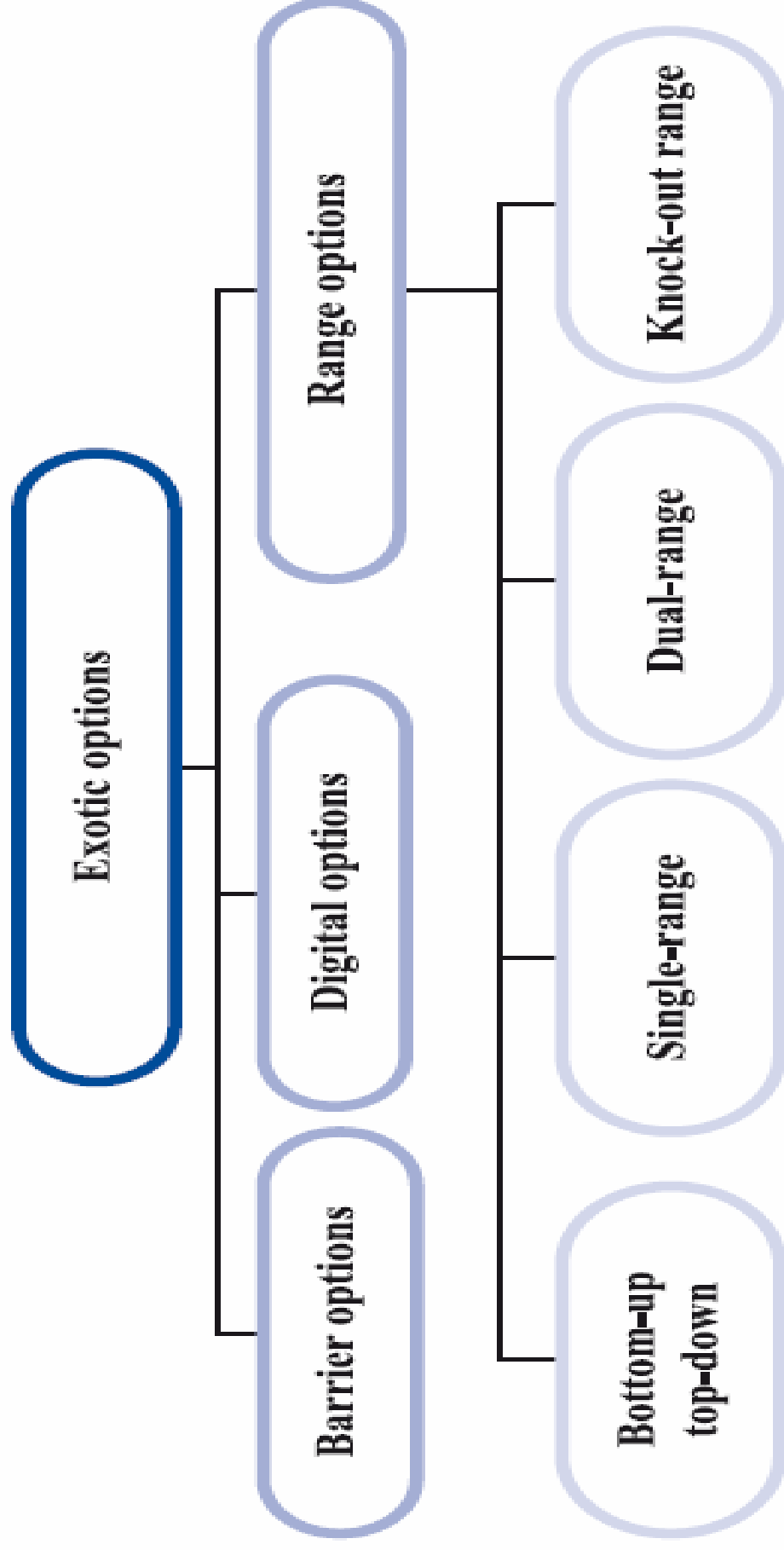
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Exotic options



Exotic options

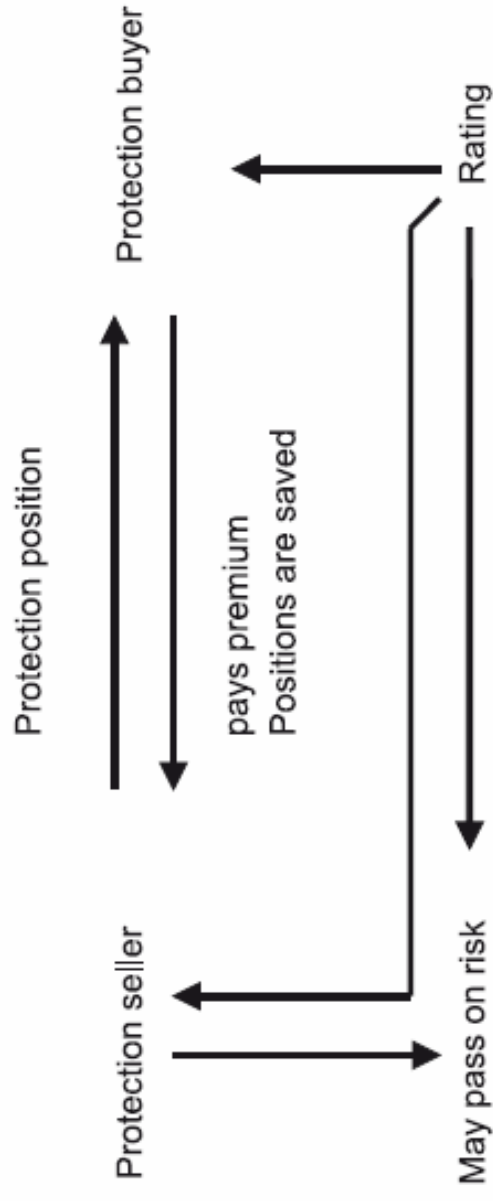


Knock In / Out

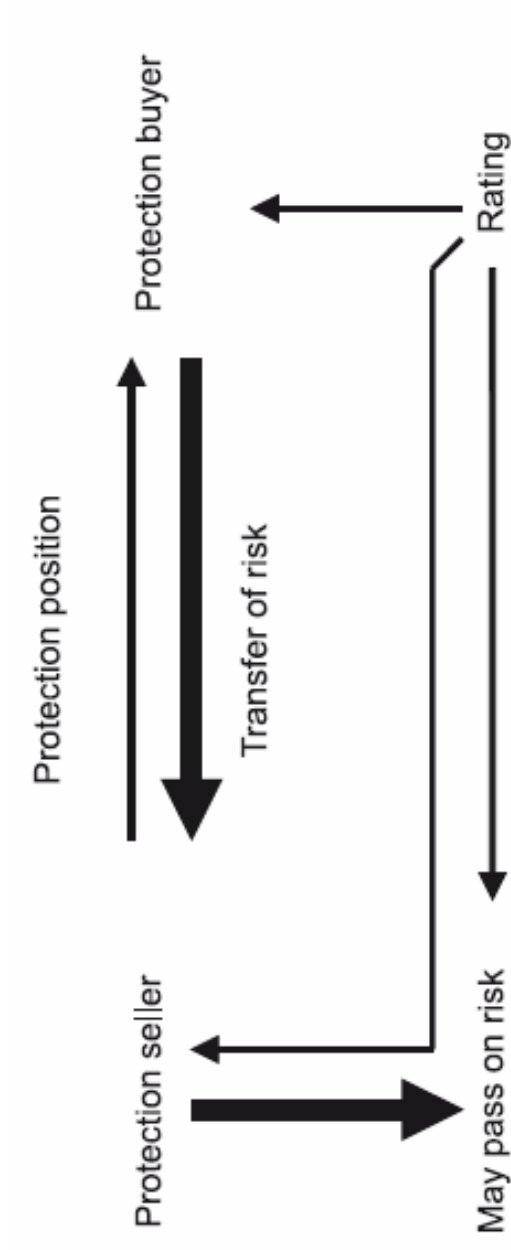
| Event | Knock-in (option is activated) | Knock-out (option expires) |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Underlying up | Up-and-in call / put | Up-and-out call / put |
| Underlying down | Down-and-in call / put | Down-and-out call / put |



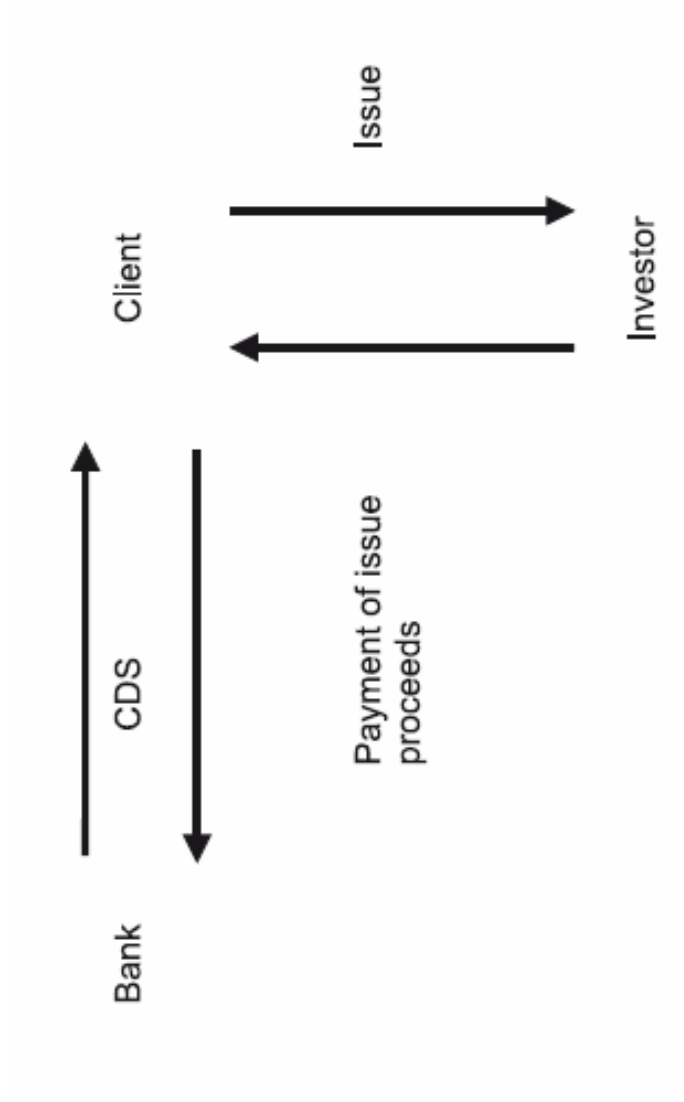
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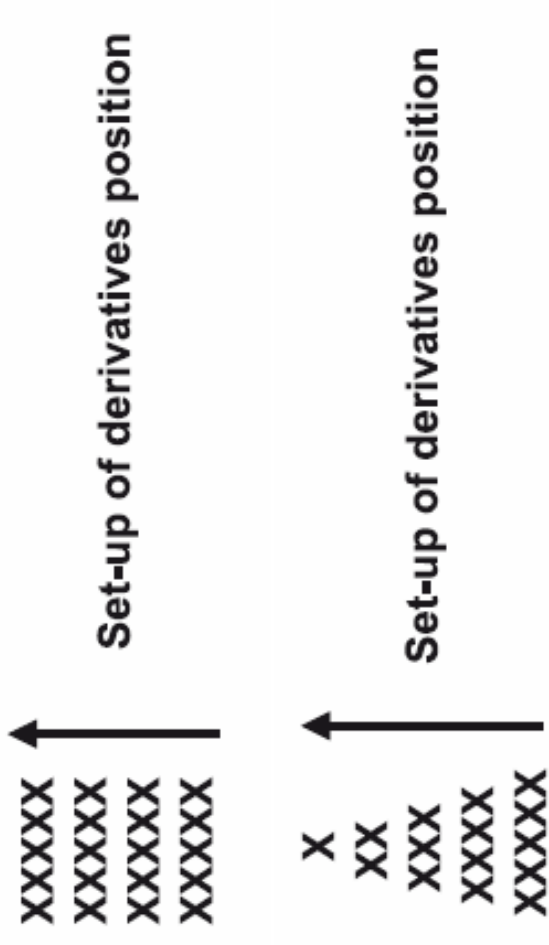
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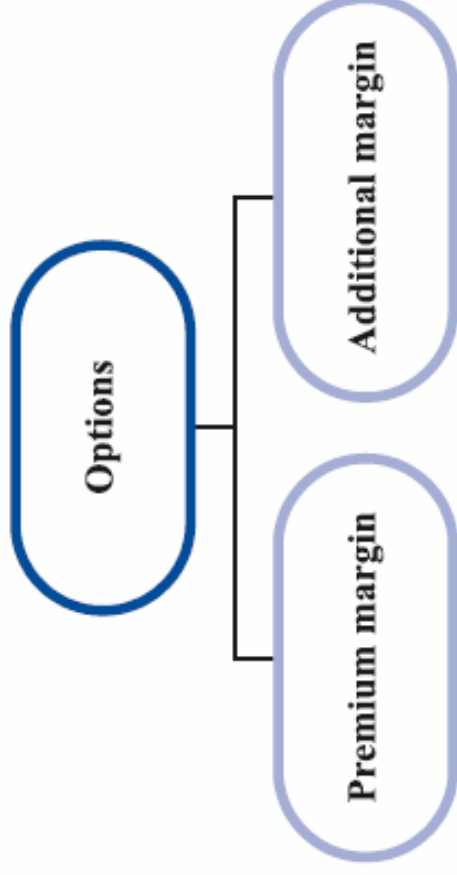


Set-up of derivatives position

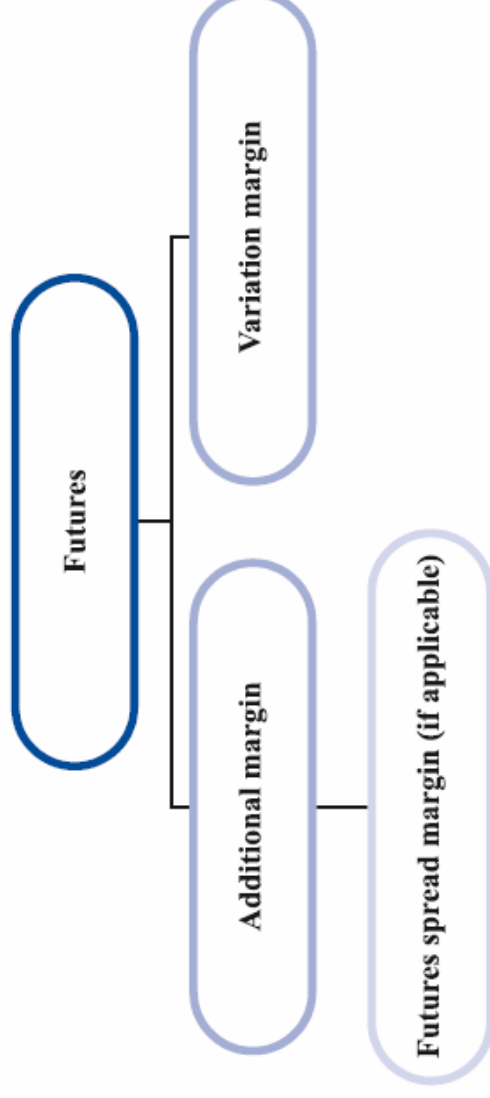


Margin

Options on stocks, ETF, and indices

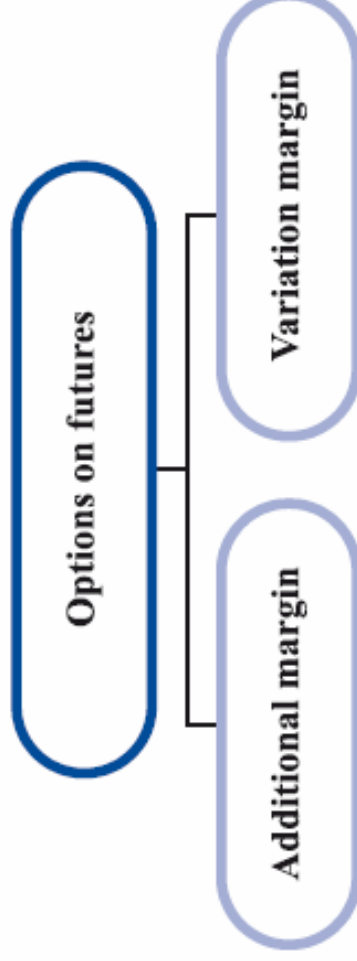


Futures



Margin

Options on futures

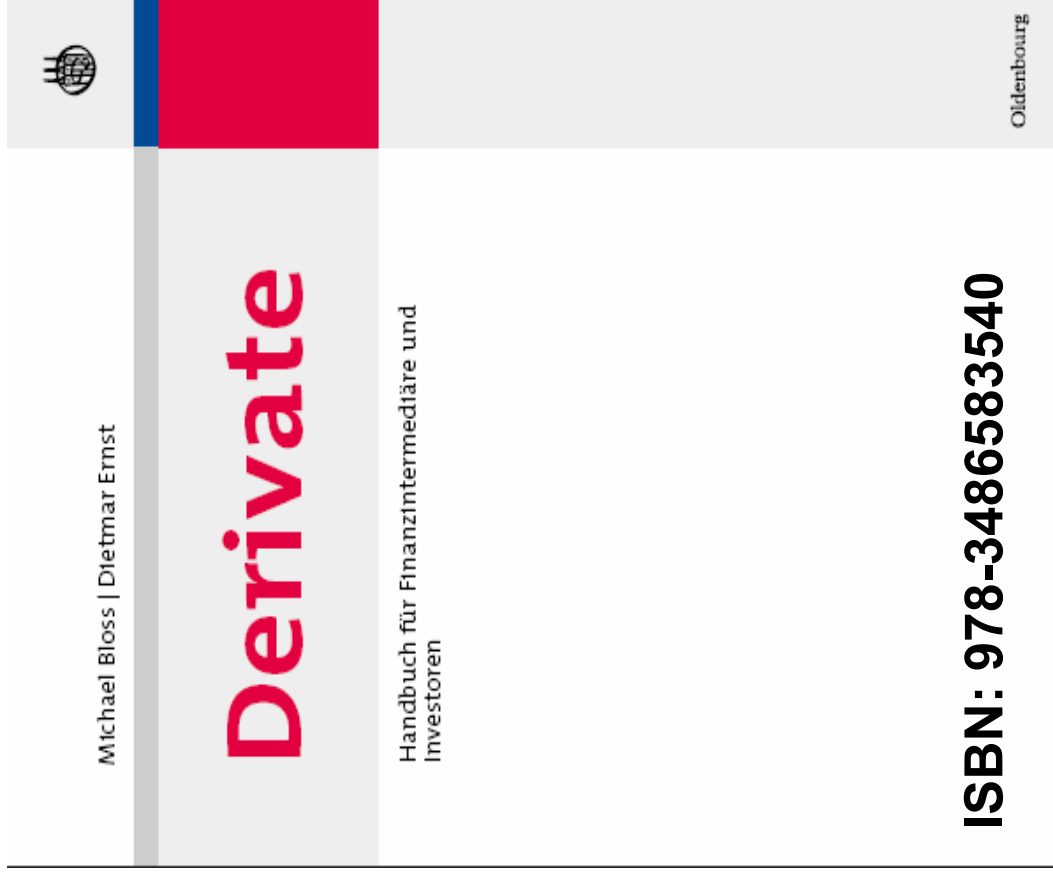


Short option adjustment

**Short option adjustment =
Margin parameter x out-of-the-money minimum + daily settlement price**



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