

COMM 377

HOMEWORK 3

This is a trading game. Here are the instructions for setting up your trading account.

Instructions for registering your FOREX Trading Account for COMM 377

- 1) Go to <http://fxtrade.oanda.com/trade-forex/demo/> and register for a free FOREX practice trading account.
 - a. Use CAD as base currency.
- 2) Go to <http://www.myfxbook.com>.
 - a. Input information into "Quick Signup" panel on right hand side of landing page.
 - b. Click email link to activate your account.
 - c. Login.
 - d. On main page under "Portfolio", click Add Account.
 - e. Click Add Account button.
 - f. Under "My platform is" select Oanda fxTrade.
 - g. Under "Account type" select Demo.
 - h. You'll be directed back to OANDA to authorize Third Party Access Permission.
 - i. Authorize Third Party Access after logging in by clicking "Allow".
 - i. Give your myfxbook account a name.
 - j. Click Add.
- 3) Open and close a trade in your OANDA account.
- 4) Go to <http://www.myfxbook.com> and login.
 - a. Under portfolio select the account you've added (may have to wait a few minutes for trade in step 3 to register).
 - b. In top right corner, click "share" button.
 - c. Beside where it says "Private Account", click "settings".
 - d. Click Edit button beside your account.
 - e. Click Public for everything in radio buttons.
 - f. Go back to your portfolio page.
 - g. Click share.
 - h. Copy URL under "System URL".
- 5) Go to https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1NNrR_IM2ybdeIX7Vvseu_l4joa2fFoPntHKqzHRqUis/viewform and register your trading account.

In case of problems, please contact seanbmcnulty@gmail.com

Marking: You start of with 50 pts. Your final grade will be determined by your gross return on 10pm on the last day of class. If your gross return is $(1+x)$, then your final mark will be $\max(\min((1+x)*50,100),0)$

There is a cap to discourage excessive risk taking. Also, if you lose money, you lose marks, but you cannot get negative marks.