



Investment Strategies on Different Financial Markets.d

- 1 Markets in which funds are transferred from those who have excess funds available to those who have a shortage of available funds are called
- 2 The price paid for the rental of borrowed funds (usually expressed as a percentage of the rental of \$100 per year) is commonly referred to as the
- 3 The bond markets are important because
- 4 Interest rates are important to financial institutions since an interest rate increase _____ the cost of acquiring funds and _____ the income from assets.
- 5 Typically, increasing interest rates
- 6 Compared to interest rates on long-term U.S. government bonds, interest rates on _____ fluctuate more and are lower on average.
- 7 Compared to interest rates on long-term U.S. government bonds, interest rates on three-month Treasury bills fluctuate _____ and are _____ on average.
- 8 Stock prices since the 1980s have been
- 9 The largest one-day drop in the history of the American stock markets occurred in
- 10 The price of one country's currency in terms of another's is called
- 11 A stronger dollar benefits _____ and hurts _____.
- 12 A weaker dollar benefits _____ and hurts _____.
- 13 Every financial market performs the following function:
- 14 Securities are _____ for the person who buys them, but _____ for the individual/firm that sells them.
- 15 Which of the following can be described as involving direct finance?





- 16) A country whose financial markets function poorly is likely to
- 17) Wealth, either financial or physical, that is employed to produce more wealth is referred to as
- 18) The money market is the market in which _____ are traded.
- 19) A debt instrument is called _____ if its maturity is less than a year.
- 20) A debt instrument is called _____ if its maturity is greater than 10 years.
- 21) Security _____ link buyers and sellers by buying and selling securities at stated prices, while _____ are agents of investors who match buyers with sellers of securities.
- 22) Which of the following statements about financial markets and securities are true?
- 23) At the end of 2012, the value of debt instruments in the U.S. was around _____ trillion, and the value of equities was around _____ trillion.
- 24) Bonds that are sold in a foreign country and are denominated in a currency other than that of the country in which they are sold are known as
- 25) A loan that requires the borrower to make the same payment every period until the maturity date is called a
- 26) A bond's future payments are called its
- 27) A credit market instrument that pays the owner the face value of the security at the maturity date and nothing prior to then is called a
- 28) If a \$5,000 coupon bond has a coupon rate of 13 percent, then the coupon payment every year is
- 29) An \$8,000 coupon bond with a \$400 annual coupon payment has a coupon rate of
- 30) The concept of _____ is based on the notion that a dollar paid to you in the future is less valuable to you than a dollar today.
- 31) Dollars received in the future are worth _____ than dollars received today. The process of calculating what dollars received in the future are worth today is called _____.
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- 33) With an interest rate of 5 percent, the present value of \$100 received one year from now is approximately
- 34) With an interest rate of 10 percent, the present value of a security that pays \$1,100 next year and \$1,460 four years from now is approximately
- 35) With an interest rate of 8 percent, the present value of \$100 received one year from now is approximately
- 36) As the price of a bond _____ and the expected return _____, bonds become more attractive to investors and the quantity demanded rises.
- 37) _____ is the total resources owned by an individual, including all assets.
- 38) A _____ prefers stock in a less risky asset than in a riskier asset.
- 39) The demand for an asset rises if _____ falls.
- 40) The higher the standard deviation of returns on an asset, the _____ the asset's _____.
- 41) In a recession when income and wealth are falling, the demand for bonds _____ and the demand curve shifts to the _____.
- 42) During business cycle expansions when income and wealth are rising, the demand for bonds _____ and the demand curve shifts to the _____.
- 43) Higher expected interest rates in the future _____ the demand for long-term bonds and shift the demand curve to the _____.
- 44) Lower expected interest rates in the future _____ the demand for long-term bonds and shift the demand curve to the _____.
- 45) The supply curve for bonds has the usual upward slope, indicating that as the price _____, ceteris paribus, the _____ increases.
- 46) When the price of a bond is above the equilibrium price, there is excess _____ in the bond market and the price will _____.
- 47) When the price of a bond is below the equilibrium price, there is excess _____ in the bond market and the price will _____.
- 48) The risk structure of interest rates is
- 49) Which of the following long-term bonds should have the lowest interest rate?
- 50) Which of the following long-term bonds should have the highest interest rate?





- 51 Bonds with relatively low risk of default are called
- 52 Bonds with relatively high risk of default are called
- 53 Between 1919 and 2016, when did long-term bond yields peak?
- 54 Between 1919 and 1990, when did long-term bond yields reach a low point?
- 55 A corporation suffering big losses might be more likely to suspend interest payments on its bonds, thereby
- 56 Holding everything else constant, if a corporation begins to suffer large losses, then the default risk on its bonds will _____ and the expected return on those bonds will _____.
- 57 Holding everything else the same, if a corporation's earnings rise, then the default risk on its bonds will _____ and the expected return on those bonds will _____.
- 58 If a corporation begins to suffer large losses, then the default risk on its bonds will _____ and the equilibrium interest rate on these bonds will _____
- 59 If a corporation's earnings rise, then the default risk on its bonds will _____ and the equilibrium interest rate on these bonds will _____
- 60 According to the efficient market hypothesis, the current price of a financial security
- 61 Current prices in a financial market will be set so that the optimal forecast of a security's return using all available information _____ the security's equilibrium return.
- 62 New information reveals that a stock's price will be \$150 in one year. If the stock pays no dividends, and the required return is 10%, what does the efficient market hypothesis indicate the price will be today?
- 63 Another way to state the efficient market condition is that in an efficient market,
- 64 Another way to state the efficient market hypothesis is that in an efficient market,
- 65 The elimination of a riskless profit opportunity in a market is called
- 66 A situation in which the price of an asset differs from its fundamental market value is called





- 67) A situation in which the price of an asset differs from its fundamental market value
- 68) Studies of mutual fund performance indicate that mutual funds that outperformed the market in one time period
- 69) The efficient market hypothesis suggests that allocating your funds in the financial markets on the advice of a financial analyst
- 70) Raj Rajaratnam, a successful investor in the 2000s who consistently beat the market, was able to outperform the market on a consistent basis, indicating that
- 71) Which of the following does not weaken the efficient markets hypothesis?
- 72) Of the following sources of external finance for American nonfinancial businesses, the least important is
- 73) Of the following sources of external finance for American nonfinancial businesses, the most important is
- 74) Of the sources of external funds for nonfinancial businesses in the United States, bonds account for approximately _____ of the total.
- 75) Of the sources of external funds for nonfinancial businesses in the United States, stocks account for approximately _____ of the total.
- 76) Which of the following is not one of the eight basic facts about financial structure?
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- 78) The majority of household debt in the United States consists of
- 79) Commercial and farm mortgages, in which property is pledged as collateral, account for
- 80) Which of the following best explains the recent decline in the role of financial intermediaries?
- 81) Liquidity services are services that
- 82) A financial institution can achieve cost savings by engaging in multiple activities. These are called economies of
- 83) A financial institution can achieve cost savings in its credit card operations if it increases the number of cardholders. This is an example of economies of





- 84) What is a credit boom?
- 85) During the 1800s, many U.S. financial crises were precipitated by an increase in _____, often originating in London.
- 86) Stage Two of a financial crisis in an advanced economy usually involves a _____ crisis.
- 87) Stage Three of a financial crisis in an advanced economy features
- 88) Debt deflation refers to
- 89) In 1928 and the first half of 1929, prices _____ in the U.S. stock market.
- 90) From its peak in 1929 to the trough in December 1932, the Dow Jones Industrial Average fell how much?
- 91) The Baa-U.S. Treasury spread was about 2% at the beginning of 1929. By December 1932, the Dow Jones Industrial Average reached a low, and the spread had increased to how much?
- 92) In addition to having a direct effect on increasing adverse selection problems, increases in interest rates also promote financial crises by _____ firms' and households' interest payments, thereby _____ their cash flow.
- 93) What is a collateralized debt obligation?
- 94) Approximately how large was the U.S. subprime mortgage market in 2007?
- 95) Leading up to the 2007-2009 Financial Crisis, the _____ process, along with computer technology, enabled the bundling of smaller loans (like mortgages) into standard debt securities.

