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*Problem 4-24*

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| You purchased 2,500 shares of the New Fund at a price of $20 per share at the beginning of the year. You paid a front-end load of 4%. The securities in which the fund invests increase in value by 11% during the year. The fund's expense ratio is 2.7%. What is your rate of return on the fund if you sell your shares at the end of the year? (Do not round intermediate calculations. Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |

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|   Rate of return | %   |

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*Problem 4-16*

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| Corporate Fund started the year with a net asset value of $12.90. By year-end, its NAV equaled $12.30. The fund paid year-end distributions of income and capital gains of $1.40. |

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| What was the rate of return to an investor in the fund? (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Rate of return | %   |

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*Problem 3-24*

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| On January 1, you sold short one round lot (that is, 100 shares) of Lowe's stock at $24.70 per share. On March 1, a dividend of $1.50 per share was paid. On April 1, you covered the short sale by buying the stock at a price of $20.50 per share. You paid 20 cents per share in commissions for each transaction. |

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| a. | What is the proceeds from the short sale (net of commission)? |
|   Proceeds from the short sale | $2470.00   |
| b. | What is the dividend payment? |
|   Dividend payment | $150.00   |

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| c. | What is the total cost, including commission, if you have to cover the short sale by buying the stock at a price of $20.50 per share? |
|   Total cost including commission | $   |
| d. | What is the value of your account on April 1? |
|   Value of account | $   |

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| 100 | 24.7 | 2470 |  |  |
| 100 | 1.5 | 150 |  |  |
| 100 | 20.5 | 2050 | 2070 |  |
|  |  | 150 | 2070 | -1920 |

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*Problem 3-15*

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| Dée Trader opens a brokerage account and purchases 100 shares of Internet Dreams at $60 per share. She borrows $2,000 from her broker to help pay for the purchase. The interest rate on the loan is 10%. |

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| a. | What is the margin in Dée’s account when she first purchases the stock? |
|   Margin | $   |
| b-1. | If the share price falls to $50 per share by the end of the year, what is the remaining margin in her account? (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Remaining margin | %   |
| b-2. | If the maintenance margin requirement is 30%, will she receive a margin call? **yes** |
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| c. | What is the rate of return on her investment? (Negative value should be indicated by a minus sign. Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Rate of return | %   |

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*Problem 3-19*

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| You are bearish on Telecom and decide to sell short 100 shares at the current market price of $38 per share. |

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| a. | How much in cash or securities must you put into your brokerage account if the broker’s initial margin requirement is 50% of the value of the short position? |
|   Initial margin  | $1900.00   |
| b. | How high can the price of the stock go before you get a margin call if the maintenance margin is 30% of the value of the short position? (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Stock price reaches | $   |

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*Problem 3-16*

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| Old Economy Traders opened an account to short-sell 1,000 shares of Internet Dreams at $130 per share. The initial margin requirement was 50%. (The margin account pays no interest.) A year later, the price of Internet Dreams has risen from $130 to $144.00, and the stock has paid a dividend of $22.00 per share. |

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| a. | What is the remaining margin in the account? |
|   Remaining margin | $   |
| b-1. | What is the margin on the short position? (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Short margin | %   |
| b-2. | If the maintenance margin requirement is 30%, will Old Economy receive a margin call? |
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|   | Yes |
| c. | What is the rate of return on the investment? (Negative value should be indicated by a minus sign. Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Rate of return | %   |

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*Problem 2-23*

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| A T-bill with face value $10,000 and 97 days to maturity is selling at a bank discount ask yield of 4.4%. |

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| a. | What is the price of the bill? (Use 360 days a year. Do not round intermediate calculations. Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Price of the bill | $   |
| b. | What is its bond equivalent yield? (Use 365 days a year. Do not round intermediate calculations. Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Bond equivalent yield | %   |

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*Problem 2-13*

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| A municipal bond carries a coupon rate of 7.50% and is trading at par. |

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| What would be the equivalent taxable yield of this bond to a taxpayer in a 35% tax bracket? (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Equivalent taxable yield | %   |

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*Problem 4-18*

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| Loaded-Up Fund charges a 12b-1 fee of 1% and maintains an expense ratio of 0.60%. Economy Fund charges a front-end load of 2%, but has no 12b-1 fee and an expense ratio of 0.40%. Assume the rate of return on both funds’ portfolios (before any fees) is 6% per year. |

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| a. | How much will an investment of $100 in each fund grow to after 1 year? (Do not round intermediate calculations. Round your answers to 2 decimal places.) |
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|   Loaded-Up Fund | $   |
|   Economy Fund | $   |
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| b. | How much will an investment of $100 in each fund grow to after 3 years? (Do not round intermediate calculations. Round your answers to 2 decimal places.) |
|   |   |
|   Loaded-Up Fund | $   |
|   Economy Fund | $   |
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| c. | How much will an investment of $100 in each fund grow to after 10 years? (Do not round intermediate calculations. Round your answers to 2 decimal places.) |
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|   Loaded-Up Fund | $   |
|   Economy Fund | $   |
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*Problem 3-18*

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| You are bullish on Telecom stock. The current market price is $70 per share, and you have $21,000 of your own to invest. You borrow an additional $21,000 from your broker at an interest rate of 8.8% per year and invest $42,000 in the stock. |

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| a. | What will be your rate of return if the price of Telecom stock goes up by 10% during the next year? (Ignore the expected dividend.) (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Rate of return | %   |
| b. | How far does the price of Telecom stock have to fall for you to get a margin call if the maintenance margin is 30%? Assume the price fall happens immediately. (Round your answer to 2 decimal places.) |
|   Stock price falls below | $   |