

SPRING 2018 - GENERAL MATH - QUIZ 4

Closed book, one page of notes OK, calculators OK. All problems equal value. Write your answers on the blanks provided.

- 1) Shares of common stock represent ownership, or equity, in a company (T/F) **true**
- 2) The P/E ratio is the ratio of stock price to dividend amount (T/F) **false...annual per share earnings amount**
- 3) Selling a stock for more than you paid for it results in a capital gain (T/F) **true**
- 4) What is the yield for a stock costing \$35 per share with a dividend of \$3.00?
 $\frac{35}{3} = .0857$ **or** 8.57%
- 5) If a stock pays out half of its per share earnings as a dividend, the P/E ratio is 20, and the dividend is \$1.50, what is the share price? **earnings = 2 · (1.50), or \$3 per share, so 3 · 20 = \$60**
- 6) A bond is a form of loan to a company (or government entity, including FGCU) (T/F)
true
- 7) If a bond is redeemed at \$1000 face value after one year, and you bought it for \$925, what interest rate did you earn? **you received** $\$1000 - \$925 = \$75$, **so** $\frac{75}{925} = .081$ **or** 8.1%
- 8) If you want an annuity worth \$10,000 available in 20 years and you can get 4% annually compounded interest, what would you need to pay at the end of each year?
solve for "P"...\$335.85
- 9) If you pay \$100 at the end of each quarter for an annuity earning 6% APR, what is the balance after 15 years? **n = 4 in formula, so** \$9621.47
- 10) If you pay \$800 per year into an annuity at the *beginning* of each year for 10 years and earn 5%, what is the value at the end of year 10? \$10,565.43
This is the same as paying \$800 at the end of each year (ordinary annuity) for 11 years, then deducting the payment made at the end of the eleventh year (which earns no interest)