

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2013 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: BHM 745 CREDIT UNIT: 2

COURSE TITLE: SECURITY ANALYSIS AND PORTFOLIO

MANAGEMENT

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: 1. Attempt question number one (1) and any

other two (2).

2. Question number 1 is compulsory and

carries 30 marks while the other 2

questions carry 20 marks each.

3. Present all your points in coherent and orderly

manner

QUESTION 1

- A. Discuss the following with respect to Bonds:
 - (i) Junior Issues
 - (ii) Pledge of Specific Securities
- **B.** Differentiate between Convertible Bonds and Income Bonds
- C. List and briefly highlight three (3) types of Investment risk,

OUESTION 2

- A. Outline the interacting factors that determine the growth of earnings.
- B. How are the following determined?
 - i. Rate of return on equity
 - ii. Return on operating assets

Support your answer with relevant formula.

C. What are the two principal sources of Equity growth?

OUESTION 3

- A. Discuss the two components of returns.
- B. What do you understand by the concept of time value of money? Use relevant illustrations to support back-up your discussion.
- C. Describe the concept of compound interest.

QUESTION 4

- A. Write short notes on the following:
 - I. Business Risk
 - II. Financial Risk
 - **III.** Interest Rate Risk
 - IV. Liquidity Risk
 - V. Market Risk
- B. Identify and explain the components of risk

QUESTION 5

- A. Differentiate between the Book and Par value of common stocks.
- B. Assuming a corporation has N20 million assets, owes N10 million in various forms of

Short- and long-term debt, and has N2 million worth of preferred stock outstanding. Assume also, that firm has 100,000 shares of common stock outstanding.

- i. What is the book value of the corporation?
- ii. What is the Firm's Book value per share? GOOD LUCK

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