

History of Stock Markets

Stock Markets · Answer Key · 8 Questions

1. Which city is home to the world's first modern stock exchange, established in 1602?

- A) London
- B) New York
- C) Amsterdam**
- D) Tokyo

2. The New York Stock Exchange was founded after the signing of which agreement in 1792?

- A) The Manhattan Treaty
- B) The Wall Street Accord
- C) The Buttonwood Agreement**
- D) The Liberty Pact

3. What was the first company in history to issue shares and bonds to the general public?

- A) British East India Company
- B) Dutch East India Company**
- C) South Sea Company
- D) Standard Oil

4. What name is commonly given to the major stock market crash that occurred in October 1929?

- A) The Great Recession
- B) The Wall Street Crash**
- C) Black Monday
- D) The Dot-com Bubble

5. What animal is traditionally used to represent a stock market where prices are rising?

- A) Bear
- B) Bull**
- C) Eagle
- D) Wolf

6. Which famous stock index was first published in 1896 by Charles Dow?

- A) S&P 500
- B) Nasdaq Composite
- C) Dow Jones Industrial Average**
- D) FTSE 100

7. On which street in New York City is the New York Stock Exchange physically located?

- A) Broadway
- B) Wall Street**
- C) Madison Avenue
- D) Fifth Avenue

8. In which Australian city is the primary headquarters of the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) located?

- A) Melbourne
- B) Brisbane
- C) Perth
- D) Sydney**