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Total Possible Marks: 8



Economics New Quiz - 19 September 2010

1. The Office of Fair Trading this week launched an investigation into alleged price fixing in which industry?
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- A. Answer
 - B. Truck makers
 - C. Glue makers
 - D. Music downloads
 - E. Aircraft manufacturers
2. Legitimate music downloads have grown quickly in the last six years. So far in 2010 what is the top selling album download?
- 1
- A. Sigh no more - Mumford & Sons
 - B. The Fame - Lady Gaga
 - C. Lungs - Florence and the Machine
 - D. Glee - The Music Season 1
 - E. Plastic Beach - Gorillaz
3. Mutual businesses have enjoyed good profits during the recession - which one of the following is NOT a mutual (i.e. owned by their employees or savers?)
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- A. John Lewis Partnership
 - B. The Co-Operative Society
 - C. The Nationwide Building Society
 - D. Marks and Spencer
 - E. LV Insurance
4. Which central bank intervened in the currency markets this week in an attempt to lower the value of their currency against the US dollar?
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- A. Bank of Japan
 - B. Bank of England
 - C. European Central Bank
 - D. Swiss Central bank
 - E. Bank of Korea
5. The number of the week is 78 this number is
- 1
- A. The number of new breweries that have opened in Britain in the past year
 - B. The number of professional soccer clubs that made a loss last season
 - C. The number of Subway stores opened in London in 2010
 - D. The number of economists employed by the Bank of England
 - E. The number of new council homes built in the UK in 2009