CFA® SAMPLE QUESTION - LEVEL I

Corporate Finance

Q: What happens to a company's weighted average cost of capital (WACC) if the firm's corporate tax rate increases and if the Federal Reserve cause an increase in the riskfree rate, respectively?

(Consider the events independently, and assume a beta of less than one.)

The firm's WACC will:

	Tax rate increase	Increase in risk-free rate
a	Decrease	Increase
b	Decrease	Decrease
C	Increase	Increase



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