



Complete the sentences below with the following words (you are not going to use all of them):

wholesale interest invoice turnover profit currency refund retail  
shareholder expenditure loss receipt consumer salary capital discount  
assets loan liabilities taxes

- a) The company has \$70 billion in \_\_\_\_\_.
- b) Our annual \_\_\_\_\_ is \$300m.
- c) It's very hard for a new business to make a \_\_\_\_\_ in its first year.
- d) They're putting up the \_\_\_\_\_ on cigarettes.
- e) A large amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is invested in all these branches.
- f) That bank charges lower \_\_\_\_\_ rates.
- g) The \_\_\_\_\_ are meeting with the directors to know about the company's numbers.
- h) There was a decrease in production last year. Both companies suffered considerable \_\_\_\_\_.
- i) They offer a 10% \_\_\_\_\_ on train travel for students.
- j) The store apologized and gave us a full \_\_\_\_\_.
- k) More people today favor a single European \_\_\_\_\_ - Euro.
- l) They should cut their \_\_\_\_\_ on defense.
- m) The president wants to make it easier for small businesses to get bank \_\_\_\_\_.
- n) We will send you an \_\_\_\_\_ for the total course fees.

- o) \_\_\_\_\_ stores usually count on the Christmas season to increase their sales.
- p) The company had assets of \$368m and \_\_\_\_\_ of \$120m.
- q) \_\_\_\_\_ businesses sell goods in large quantities to shops and supermarkets.
- r) The government has decided to increase \_\_\_\_\_ for all civil servants.
- s) I wrote her a \_\_\_\_\_ for the money she paid me.