

## Sample Test Questions BUS 346

1. Which of the following is **not** the name of a court in the federal court system?
  - a. Supreme Court
  - b. Circuit Court of Appeal
  - c. Superior Court
  - d. District Court
  
2. Which of the following courts has at least some original jurisdiction?
  - a. United States District Court
  - b. United States Circuit Courts of Appeal
  - c. United States Supreme Court
  - d. a. and c.
  
3. Which of the following is **true** about the burden of proof in a criminal case?
  - a. The prosecutor must prove the guilt of the defendant beyond a shadow of a doubt.
  - b. The prosecutor must prove the guilt of the defendant beyond a reasonable doubt.
  - c. The prosecutor must prove the guilt of the defendant by a preponderance of the evidence.
  - d. The defendant must prove his innocence by a preponderance of the evidence.
  
4. What are the two main types of jurisdiction that a federal district court can have in a civil case? Explain each fully.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. John (a citizen of Georgia) buys a Holstein breeding cow from Mary (a citizen of Alabama) for \$100,000. The cow turns out to be barren. If John were to sue Mary in a federal district court, would the court have jurisdiction to decide the case? Why or why not? Explain fully.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
6. What are the two most important lessons to be learned from the *McDonald's and the Hot Cup of Coffee* case that we discussed in class (besides not putting a cup of hot coffee between your legs)? Explain.