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| **Stocks and shares** |  |
| assets | Vermögen / Aktivposten |
| bull / bear | Someone who thinks the stock market will rise is bullish. Someone who thinks it will fall is bearish. |
| blue chip | A (stock in a) large, safe company |
| bonus issue | Ausgabe von Gratisaktien |
| dividend | Dividende |
| liabilities | Verbindlichkeiten |
| mutual fund | Investmentfonds |
| pension fund | Rentenversicherung / Pensionsfonds |
| portfolio | Wertpapierbestand |
| retirement | Ruhestand |
| stock / share / equity | Aktie |
| stockbroker | Aktienmakler(in), Börsenmakler |
| The Footsie | FTSE 100 stock Index (London) |
| to float a company  IPO (initial public offering) | Börsengang (to have a company listed on the stock market for the first time) |
| to invest | investieren |
| to liquidate | eine Wertpapierposition verwerten |
| to underwrite | versichern (Aktienausgabe) |
| venture capital | Risikokapital (capital for new firms/projects) |