## Solutions

5. a. Time-weighted average returns are based on year-by-year rates of return:
Year $\quad$ Return $=($ capital gains + dividend $) /$ price
$2005-2006 \quad[(\$ 120-\$ 100)+\$ 4] / \$ 100=24.00 \%$
$2006-2007 \quad[(\$ 90-\$ 120)+\$ 4] / \$ 120=-21.67 \%$
$2007-2008 \quad[(\$ 100-\$ 90)+\$ 4] / \$ 90=15.56 \%$
Arithmetic mean: $(24 \%-21.67 \%+15.56 \%) / 3=5.96 \%$
Geometric mean: $(1.24 \times 0.7833 \times 1.1556)^{1 / 3}-1=0.0392=3.92 \%$
b.

|  | Cash <br> Dlow | Explanation |
| :---: | ---: | :--- |
| $1 / 1 / 05$ | $-\$ 300$ | Purchase of three shares at $\$ 100$ each |
| $1 / 1 / 06$ | $-\$ 228$ | Purchase of two shares at $\$ 120$ less dividend income on three shares held |
| $1 / 1 / 07$ | $\$ 110$ | Dividends on five shares plus sale of one share at $\$ 90$ |
| $1 / 1 / 08$ | $\$ 416$ | Dividends on four shares plus sale of four shares at $\$ 100$ each |



Dollar-weighted return $=$ Internal rate of return $=-0.1607 \%$
8.
a.

| Stock A | Stock B |
| :---: | :---: |
| $1.0 \%$ | $2.0 \%$ |


| (i) | Alpha $=$ regression intercept | $1.0 \%$ | $2.0 \%$ |
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| (ii) | Information ratio $=\alpha_{\mathrm{P}} / \sigma\left(\mathrm{e}_{\mathrm{P}}\right)$ | 0.0971 | 0.1047 |
| (iii) | $*$ Sharpe measure $=\left(\mathrm{r}_{\mathrm{P}}-\mathrm{r}_{\mathrm{f}}\right) / \sigma_{\mathrm{P}}$ | 0.4907 | 0.3373 |
| (iv) | $* *$ Treynor measure $=\left(\mathrm{r}_{\mathrm{P}}-\mathrm{r}_{\mathrm{f}}\right) / \beta_{\mathrm{P}}$ | 8.833 | 10.500 |

* To compute the Sharpe measure, note that for each stock, $\left(r_{P}-r_{f}\right)$ can be computed from the right-hand side of the regression equation, using the assumed parameters $r_{M}=14 \%$ and $r_{f}=6 \%$. The standard deviation of each stock's returns is given in the problem.
** The beta to use for the Treynor measure is the slope coefficient of the regression equation presented in the problem.
b. (i) If this is the only risky asset held by the investor, then Sharpe's measure is the appropriate measure. Since the Sharpe measure is higher for Stock A, then A is the best choice.
(ii) If the stock is mixed with the market index fund, then the contribution to the overall Sharpe measure is determined by the appraisal ratio; therefore, Stock B is preferred.
(iii) If the stock is one of many stocks, then Treynor's measure is the appropriate measure, and Stock B is preferred.

11. a. Manager return: $(0.30 \times 20)+(0.10 \times 15)+(0.40 \times 10)+(0.20 \times 5)=12.50 \%$

Benchmark (bogey): $(0.15 \times 12)+(0.30 \times 15)+(0.45 \times 14)+(0.10 \times 12)=\frac{13.80 \%}{-1.30 \%}$
b. Added value from country allocation:

| Country | $(1)$ <br> Excess weight <br> (Manager - benchmark) | $(2)$ <br> Index Return <br> minus bogey | $(3)=(1) \times(2)$ <br> Contribution to <br> performance |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| U.K. | $0.15 \%$ | $-1.8 \%$ | $-0.27 \%$ |
| Japan | $-0.20 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | $-0.24 \%$ |
| U.S. | $-0.05 \%$ | $0.2 \%$ | $-0.01 \%$ |
| Germany | $0.10 \%$ | $-1.8 \%$ | $-0.18 \%$ |

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\text { Contribution of country allocation: }-0.70 \%
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c. Added value from stock selection:

| Country | Differential return <br> within country <br> (Manager - Index) | $(2)$ <br> Manager's <br> country weight | $(3)=(1) \times(2)$ <br> Contribution to <br> performance |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| U.K. | $8 \%$ | $0.30 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ |
| Japan | $0 \%$ | $0.10 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ |
| U.S. | $-4 \%$ | $0.40 \%$ | $-1.6 \%$ |
| Germany | $-7 \%$ | $0.20 \%$ | $-1.4 \%$ |
| Contribution of stock selection: |  |  |  |
|  |  | $-0.6 \%$ |  |

Summary:
Country allocation $-0.70 \%$
Stock selection $\quad-0.60 \%$
Excess performance $-1.30 \%$

