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1. *To make a mortgage riskless the lenders needs to know*
 - A. A lot about the borrower's income
 - B. The expected value of the collateral on during the life of the loan
 - C. The minimum value the collateral might take on during the life of the loan**
 - D. The maximum value the collateral might take on during the life of the loan

2. *The difference between mortgage backed securities and collateralized debt obligations is*
 - A. The interest on MBSs is tax deductible but not on CDOs
 - B. CDOs are derivatives of MBS which are derivatives of mortgages**
 - C. Fannie Mae insures CDOs but not MBSs
 - D. All of the above

3. *High Loan to Value Ratio make collateralized debt risky for the lender because*
 - A. Collateralized debt is a put option on the value of the collateral
 - B. High LTV selects borrowers who are marginal
 - C. High LTV creates more volatility in housing prices
 - D. All of the above**

4. *When the Federal Reserve's raises interest rates mortgage lending declines, why?*

Mortgage interest rates rises, that makes mortgages more expensive and some people cannot afford the flow costs of mortgages so they drop out of the market.
