To do well on the nine Comp-XM questions you should be conversant and capable in:

1. recognizing whether a bond was trading at a premium or a discount
2. calculating segment demand in the future from the Comp-XM booklet & Inquirer (equivalent to the Capstone Courier)
3. Recognizing a correct policy on adding production capacity
4. Using the Inquirer’s Financial Statements (practice on a Capstone Courier) page to identify the causes of an increase in equity for one of the competitor firms
5. Using the Inquirer to identify a competitor’s strategy (again, practice on the Capstone Courier)
6. recognize the financial effects of issuing stock
7. calculate the cash needed to retire a bond
8. Identifying probable tactics that will be used by a competitor (of which you’ve identified their strategy from the Inquirer)
9. recognize the financial statement effects (seen in the Inquirer) of increasing the firm’s PP&E with a mix of bonds and stock sales.

There are no fill-ins, no definitions. The questions are posed with several-to-many choices available. One or many choices are variously correct.