



Midterm #1 Review - Marks:

- Marks are a required output for both the students and the professor
- Weighting:

– 5 Assignments @ 4% each	20%
– 1 st In Class Mid Term	20%
– 2 nd In Class Mid Term	20%
– <u>Final exam</u>	<u>40%</u>
– Total	100%

So far, with 3 assignments,
you have earned
129% ← Coming on Friday

Note:

- Carry out your assignments and exams independently!!

- Resulting % marks will NOT be scaled
- Grades will be assigned to fit into a 12+ baskets.

**University of Alberta
Faculty of Engineering
ENGM 401 Section B1**

First Mid-Term Exam:

Date: Friday Feb. 5, 2021

Time: 11:00 AM – 11:50 AM

Venue: eClass on-line session

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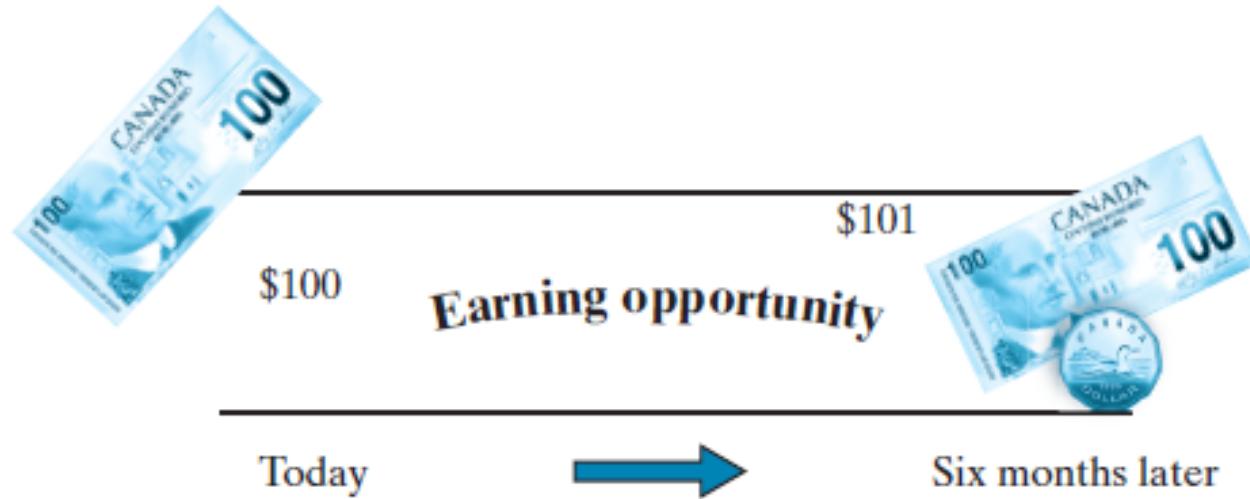
**Format: 10 randomized, calculative, multiple choice
questions with varying levels of difficulties**

*Exam time
45 minutes*

5 minutes

** Only one attempt*

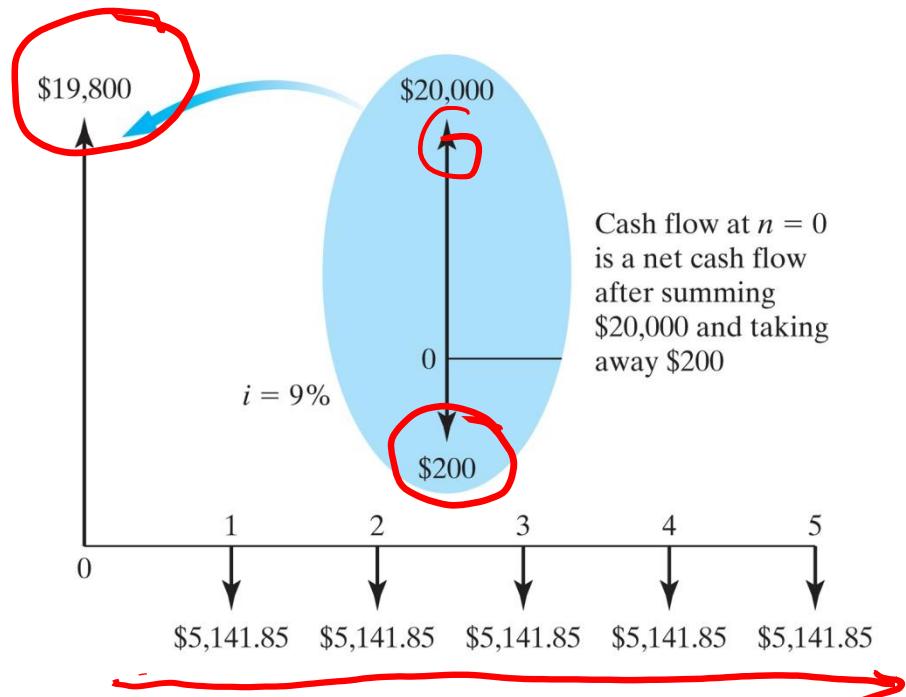
Principle 1: A nearby penny is worth a distant dollar



- A fundamental concept in engineering economics is that money has a time value associated with it because we can earn interest on money invested today.

Cash Flow Diagram

- A **cash flow diagram** is a graphical summary of the timing and magnitude of a set of cash flows. **Upward arrows** represent positive flows (receipts) and **downward arrows** represent negative flows (disbursements).



Cash flow diagram for Plan 1

Methods of Calculating Interest

- **Simple interest:** the practice of charging an interest rate only to an initial sum (principal amount)
- **Compound interest:** the practice of charging an interest rate to an initial sum and to any previously accumulated interest that has not been paid

default

Simple Interest

- Simple interest is interest earned on only the principal amount during each interest period. With simple interest, the interest earned during each interest period does not earn additional interest in the remaining periods, even though you do not withdraw it.

$$F = P + I = P(1 + iN)$$

where

P = Principal amount

$I = (iP)N$ = Total Interest

i = simple interest rate

N = number of interest periods

F = total amount accumulated at the end of period N

Compound Interest

- With compound interest, the interest earned in each period is calculated on the basis of the total amount at the end of the previous period. This total amount includes the original principal plus the accumulated interest that has been left in the account.
- Then, P dollars now is equivalent to:
 - $P(1+i)$ dollars at the end of 1 period
 - $P(1+i)^2$ dollars at the end of 2 periods
 - $P(1+i)^3$ dollars at the end of 3 periods
- At the end of N periods, the total accumulated value will be
$$F = P(1+i)^N.$$

Example 3.3: Equivalence

At an 8% interest, what is the equivalent worth now of \$3,000 in five years?

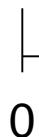
P



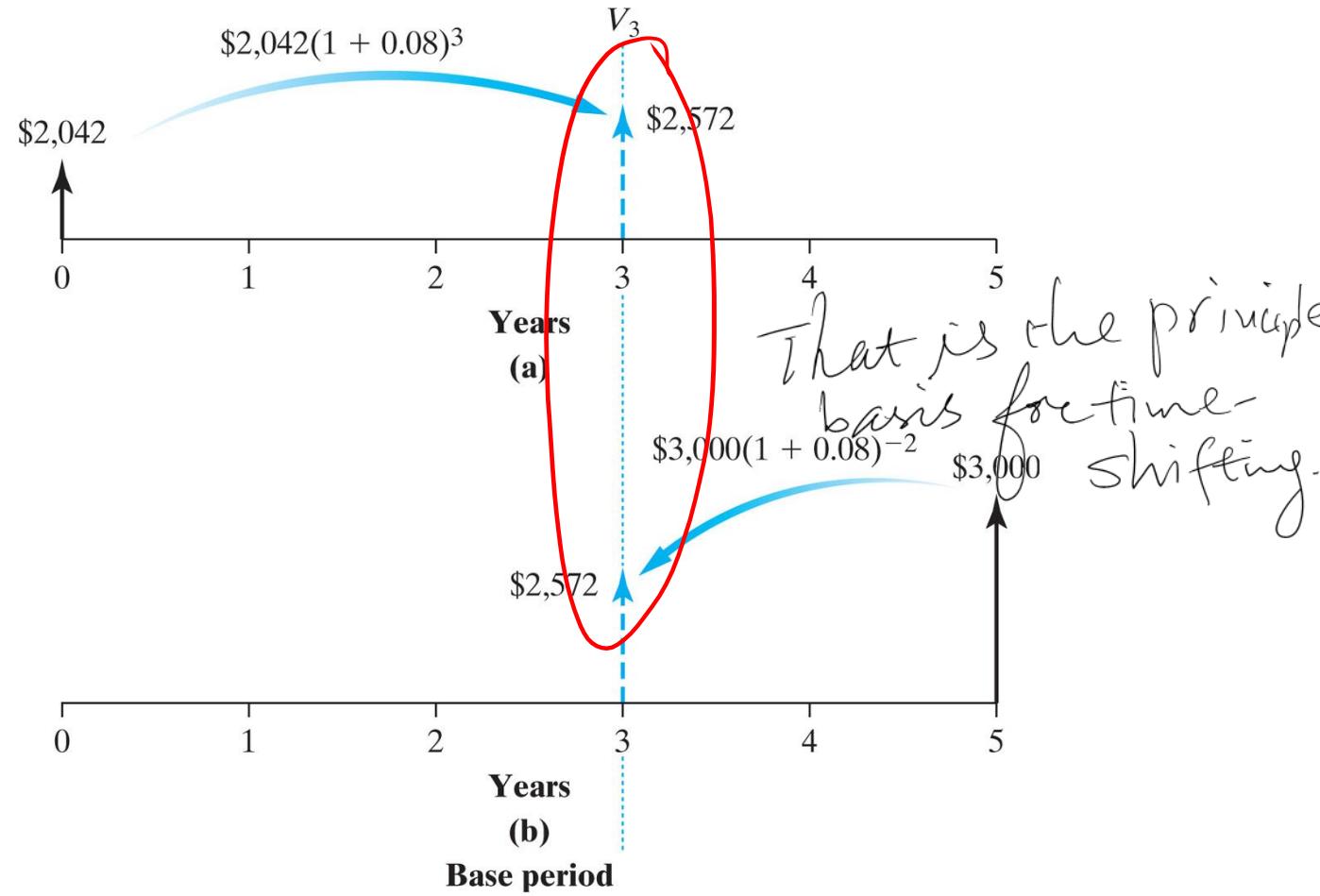
You are offered the alternative of receiving \$3,000 at the end of five years or P dollars today and you have access to an account that pays an 8% interest. What value of P would make you indifferent between P today and \$3,000 in five years?



\$3,000



Example 3.4: Equivalent Cash Flows Are Equivalent at Any Common Point in Time

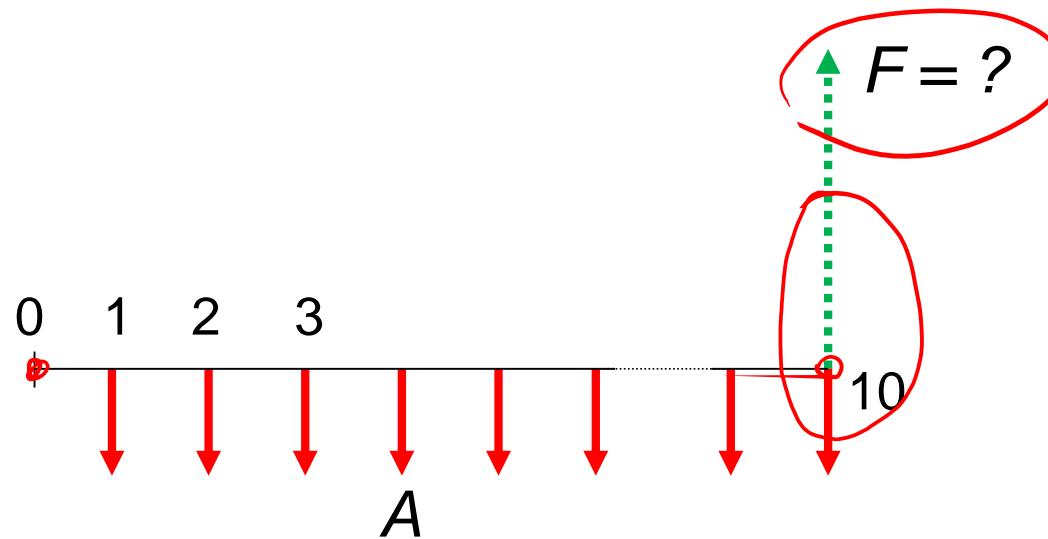


Equal Payment Series

- We often encounter transactions in which a uniform series of payments exists. Rental payments, bond interest payments, and commercial installment plans are based on uniform payment series. Relevant factors are:
 1. Compound-Amount Factor: $(F/A, i, N)$
 2. Sinking-Fund Factor: $(A/F, i, N)$
 3. Capital Recovery Factor: $(A/P, i, N)$
 4. Present-Worth Factor: $(P/A, i, N)$

Example 3.13: Uniform Series: Find F , Given i , A , and N

- Suppose you make an annual contribution of \$3,000 to your savings account at the end of each year for 10 years. If the account earns 7% interest annually, how much can be withdrawn at the end of 10 years?



Uniform Series Compound Amount Factor: $(F/A, i, N)$

- Find F , given A , i , and N
- is used to compute the total amount F that can be withdrawn at the end of the N periods if an amount A is invested at the end of each period

$$F = A \left[\frac{(1+i)^N - 1}{i} \right] = A(F/A, i, N)$$

- Limiting case when $N \rightarrow \infty$: infinity

The Sinking Fund Factor: $(A/F, i, N)$

- Find A , given F , i , and N
- A sinking fund is an interest-bearing account into which a fixed sum is deposited each interest period; it is commonly established for the purpose of replacing fixed assets or retiring corporate bonds.

$$A = F \left[\frac{i}{(1+i)^N - 1} \right] = F(A/F, i, N)$$

Capital Recovery Factor: $(A/P, i, N)$

- Find A , given P , i , and N
- commonly used to determine the revenue requirements needed to address the upfront capital costs for projects
- The A/P factor is referred to as the annuity factor and indicates a series of payments of a fixed, or constant, amount for a specified number of periods.

$$A = P \left[\frac{i(1+i)^N}{(1+i)^N - 1} \right] = P(A/P, i, N)$$

- Limiting case when $N \rightarrow \infty$: i

Present-Worth Factor: $(P/A, i, N)$

- Finds P , given A , i , and N
- Answers the question “What would you have to invest now in order to withdraw A dollars at the end of each of the next N periods?”

$$P = A \left[\frac{(1+i)^N - 1}{i(1+i)^N} \right] = A(P/A, i, N)$$

Effective Annual Interest Rate Formula

$$i_a = \left(1 + \frac{r}{M}\right)^M - 1$$

APR

$$i_a = e^r - 1,$$

when $M \rightarrow \infty$

r = nominal interest rate per year

M = number of compounding periods per year

i_a = effective annual interest rate

Effective Interest Rates per Payment Period

- We can generalize the **effective annual interest rate formula** to compute the effective interest rate for periods of any duration.

$$i = \left(1 + \frac{r}{M}\right)^c - 1 = \left(1 + \frac{r}{CK}\right)^c - 1 = \left(1 + \frac{r}{M}\right)^{\frac{c}{K}} - 1$$

special case

$$\begin{aligned} M &= K \\ C &= 1 \\ i &= \frac{r}{m} \\ M &= C \cdot K \end{aligned}$$

- M = number of compounding periods per year
- C = number of compounding periods per payment period
- K = number of payment periods per year
- $M = CK$

A Decision Flow Chart on How to Compute the Effective Interest Rate per Payment Period

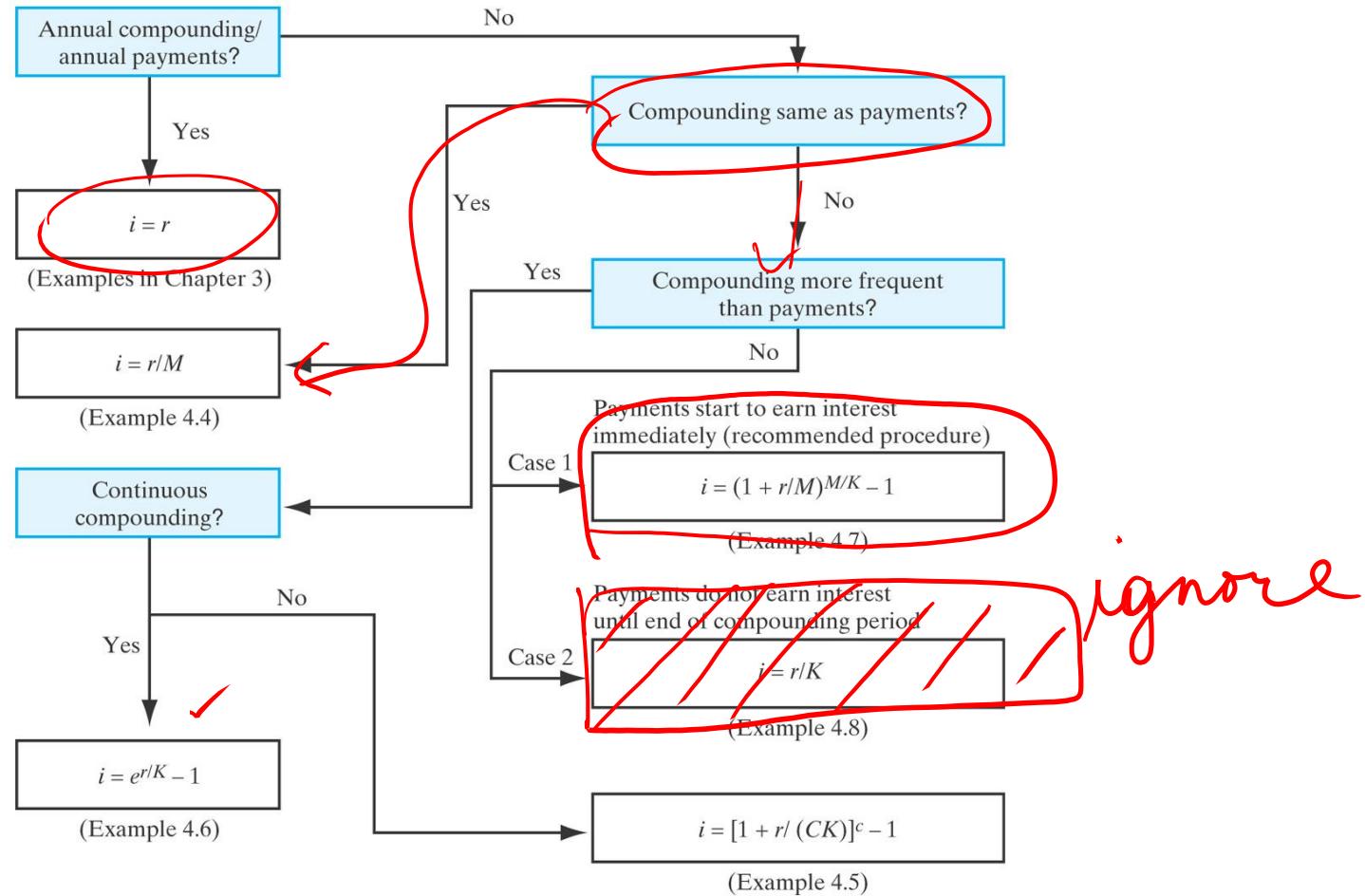
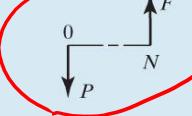
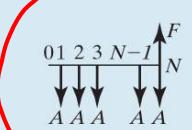
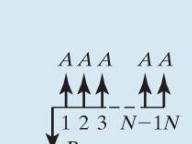
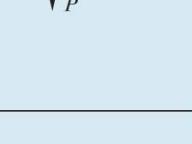
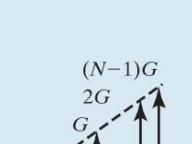
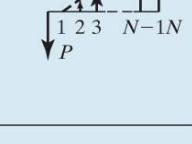


TABLE 3.4 Summary of Discrete Compounding Formulas With Discrete Payments

Flow Type	Factor Notation	Formula	Excel Command	Cash Flow Diagram
S I N G L E	Compound amount ($F/P, i, N$) Present worth ($P/F, i, N$)	$F = P(1 + i)^N$	=FV(i, N, 0, P)	
E Q U A L	Compound amount ($F/A, i, N$)	$F = A \left[\frac{(1 + i)^N - 1}{i} \right]$	=FV(i, N, A)	
P A Y M E N T S E R I E S	Sinking fund ($A/F, i, N$)	$A = F \left[\frac{i}{(1 + i)^N - 1} \right]$	=PMT(i, N, 0, F)	
G R A D I E N T S E R I E S	Present worth ($P/A, i, N$)	$P = A \left[\frac{(1 + i)^N - 1}{i(1 + i)^N} \right]$	=PV(i, N, A)	
G R A D I E N T S E R I E S	Capital recovery ($A/P, i, N$)	$A = P \left[\frac{i(1 + i)^N}{(1 + i)^N - 1} \right]$	=PMT(i, N, P)	
G R A D I E N T S E R I E S	Linear gradient Present worth ($P/G, i, N$)	$P = G \left[\frac{(1 + i)^N - iN - 1}{i^2(1 + i)^N} \right]$		
G R A D I E N T S E R I E S	Annual worth ($A/G, i, N$)	$A = G \left[\frac{(1 + i)^N - iN - 1}{i[(1 + i)^N - 1]} \right]$		
G R A D I E N T S E R I E S	Geometric gradient Present worth ($P/A_1, g, i, N$)	$P = \left[A_1 \left[\frac{1 - (1 + g)^N(1 + i)^{-N}}{i - g} \right] \right]$ $A_1 \left(\frac{N}{1 + i} \right), (\text{if } i = g)$	$A_1(1+g)^{N-1}$ A_2 A_3	

Additional Formula List

Effective Annual Interest Rates

$$i_a = \left(1 + \frac{r}{M}\right)^M - 1 \quad (4.1)$$

Effective Interest Rates per Payment Period

$$i = \left(1 + \frac{r}{M}\right)^C - 1 = \left(1 + \frac{r}{CK}\right)^C - 1 \quad (4.2)$$

Additional Formula List

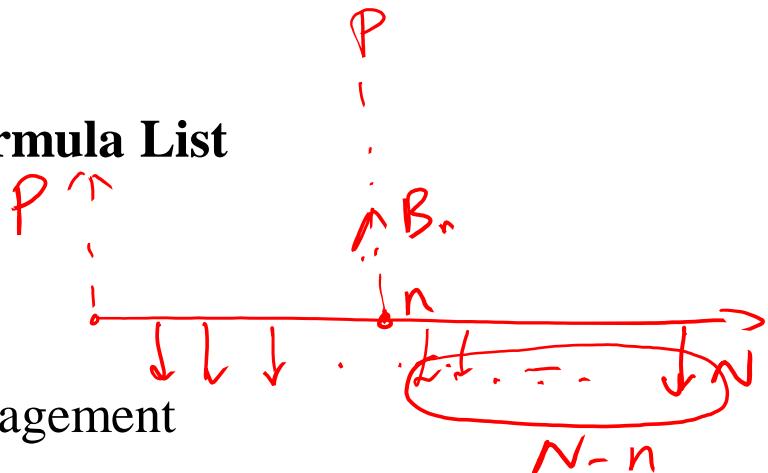
Continuous compounding effective interest rate per payment period

$$i = e^{r/K} - 1 \quad (4.3)$$

Continuous compounding annual effective interest

$$\underline{i_a = e^r - 1} \quad (4.4) \quad \checkmark$$

Additional Formula List



Remaining Balance Method for Debt Management

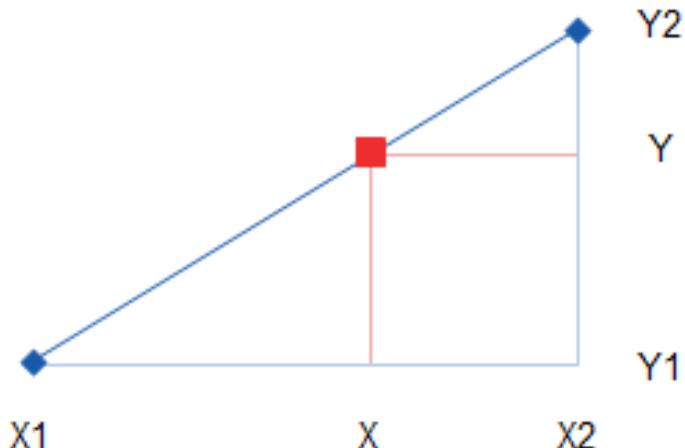
$$B_n = A \left(\frac{P}{A}, i, N - n \right) \quad (4.13)$$

$$I_n = (B_{n-1}) i = A \left(P / A, i, N - n + 1 \right) i \quad (4.14)$$

$$\underline{PP_n} = A \left(P / F, i, N - n + 1 \right) \quad (4.15)$$

$$= A_n - I_n$$

Linear Interpolation



$$\frac{(X - X_1)}{(X_2 - X_1)} = \frac{(Y - Y_1)}{(Y_2 - Y_1)}$$

$$Y = Y_1 + (X - X_1) \frac{(Y_2 - Y_1)}{(X_2 - X_1)}$$

Summary of Useful Excel Financial Functions (Part A)

Description		Excel Function	Example	Solution																		
Single-Payment	Find: F Given: P	=FV(i, N, 0, -P)	Find the future worth of \$500 in 5 years at 8%.	=FV(8%, 5, 0, -500) =\$734.66																		
Cash Flows	Find: P Given: F	=PV(i, N, 0, F)	Find the present worth of \$1300 due in 10 years at a 16% interest rate.	=PV(16%, 10, 0, 1300) =(\$294.69)																		
	Find: F Given: A	=FV(i, N, A)	Find the future worth of a payment series of \$200 per year for 12 years at 6%.	=FV(6%, 12, -200) =\$3373.99																		
Equal-Payment-Series	Find: P Given: A	=PV(i, N, A)	Find the present worth of a payment series of \$900 per year for 5 years at 8% interest rate.	=PV(8%, 5, 900) =(\$3593.44)																		
	Find: A Given: P	=PMT(i, N, -P)	What equal-annual-payment series is required to repay \$25,000 in 5 years at 9% interest rate?	=PMT(9%, 5, -25000) =\$6427.31																		
	Find: A Given: F	=PMT(i, N, 0, F)	What is the required annual savings to accumulate \$50,000 in 3 years at 7% interest rate?	=PMT(7%, 3, 0, 50000) =(\$15,552.58)																		
	Find: NPW Given: Cash flow series	=NPV(i, series)	Consider a project with the following cash flow series at 12% ($n = 0, -\$200; n = 1, \$150; n = 2, \$300; n = 3, \250)?	=NPV(12%, B3:B5)+B2 =\$351.03																		
Measures of Investment Worth	Find: IRR Given: Cash flow series	=IRR(values, guess)																				
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2	0	-200																				
3	1	150																				
4	2	300																				
5	3	250																				
	Find: AW Given: Cash flow series	=PMT(i, N, -NPW)																				
				=PMT(12%, 3, -351.03) =\$146.15																		

Commercial Loans

- **Amortized loan:** loans that are paid off in equal installments over time, and most of these loans have interest that is compounded monthly. Examples of installment loans include automobile loans, loans for appliances, home mortgage loans, and the majority of business debts other than very short-term loans.
- **Payment split:** An additional aspect of amortized loans is calculating the amount of interest versus the portion of the principal that is paid off in each installment. In calculating the size of a monthly installment, two types of schemes are common:
 1. Conventional amortized loan, based on the compound interest method
 2. Add-on loan, based on the simple-interest concept.

Amortized Installment Loans

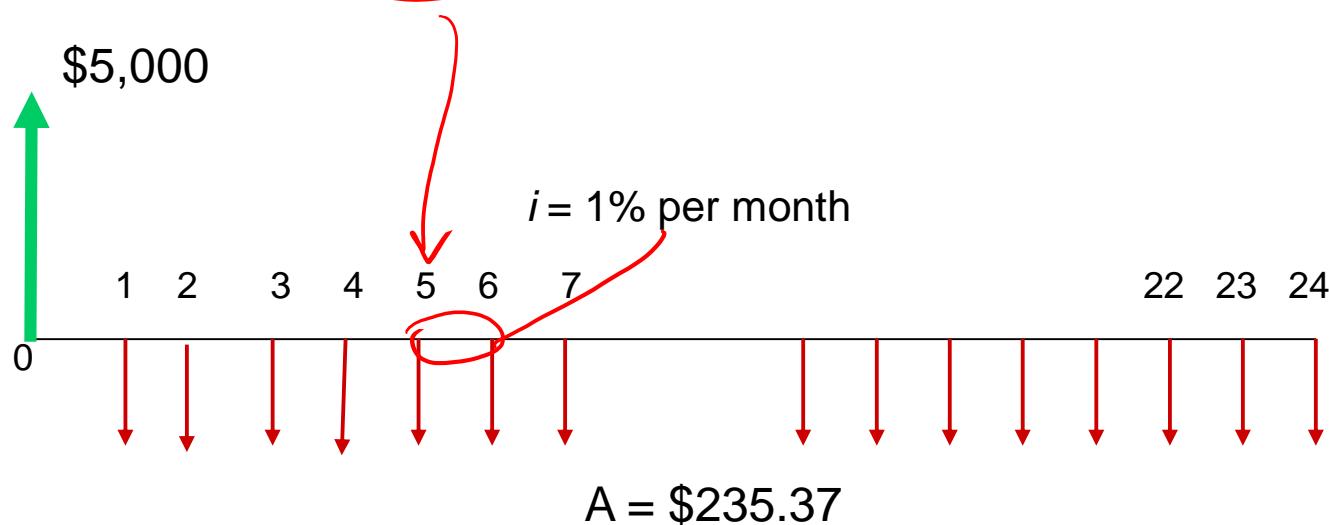
- In a typical amortized loan, the amount of interest owed for a specified period is calculated on the basis of the remaining balance on the loan at the beginning of the period.
- Formulas compute the remaining loan balance, interest payment, and principal payment for a specified period.
- Given: P = principal of loan, i = interest rate, A = equal loan payments, and N = term of the loan

Amortized Installment Loans (continued)

- Given: P = principal of loan, i = interest rate, A = equal loan payments, and N = term of the loan
 - $A = P(A/P, i, N)$
 - B_n = Remaining balance at the end of period n , with $B_0 = P$
 - I_n = Interest payment in period n , where $I_n = B_{n-1}i$,
 - PP_n = Principal payment in period n
- Then each payment can be defined as
 - $A = PP_n + I_n$

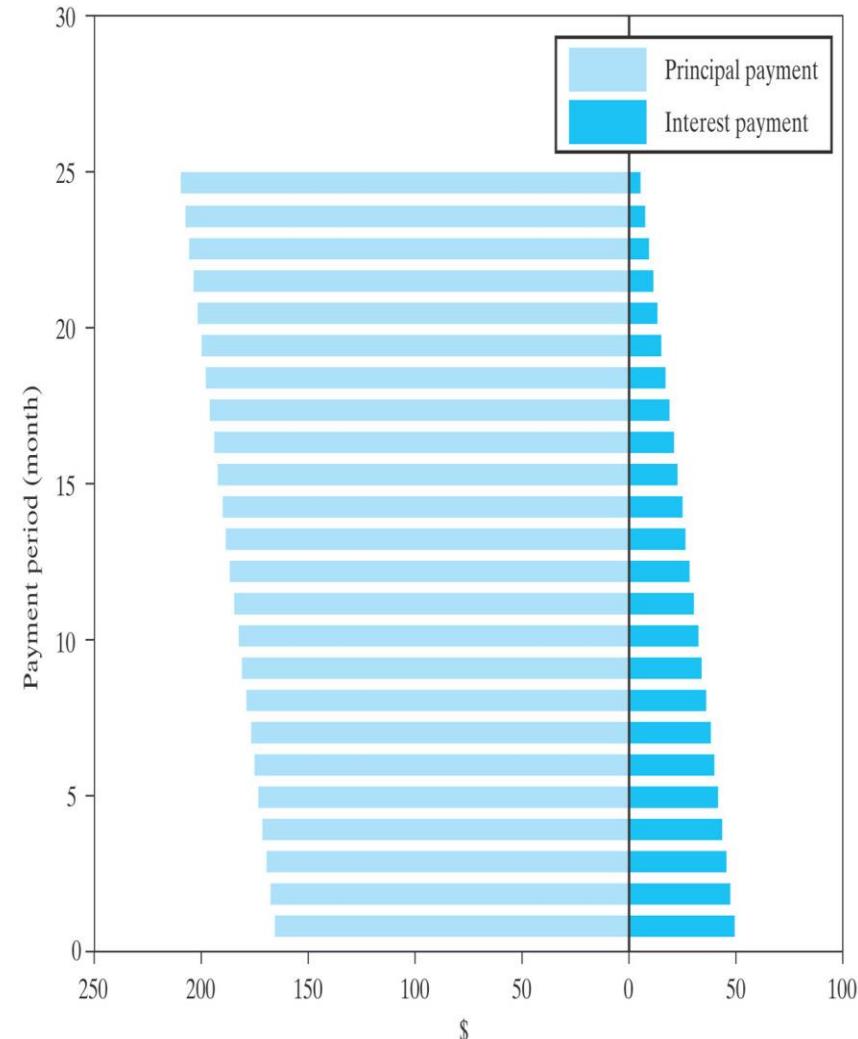
Example 4.12: Loan Balance, Principal, and Interest: Tabular Method

- Suppose you secure a home improvement loan in the amount of \$5,000 from a local bank. The loan officer computes your monthly payment as follows:
 - Contract amount = \$5,000 , contract period = 24 months, annual percentage rate = 12%, and monthly installments = \$235.37



Loan Repayment Schedule

Payment No.	Size of Payment	Principal Payment	Interest Payment	Loan Balance
1	\$235.37	\$185.37	\$50.00	\$4,814.63
2	235.37	187.22	48.15	4,627.41
3	235.37	189.09	46.27	4,438.32
4	235.37	190.98	44.38	4,247.33
5	235.37	192.89	42.47	4,054.44
6	235.37	194.83	40.54	3,859.62
7	235.37	196.77	38.60	3,662.85
8	235.37	198.74	36.63	3,464.11
9	235.37	200.73	34.64	3,263.38
10	235.37	202.73	32.63	3,060.65
11	235.37	204.76	30.61	2,855.89
12	235.37	206.81	28.56	2,649.08
13	235.37	208.88	26.49	2,440.20
14	235.37	210.97	24.40	2,229.24
15	235.37	213.08	22.29	2,016.16
16	235.37	215.21	20.16	1,800.96
17	235.37	217.36	18.01	1,583.60
18	235.37	219.53	15.84	1,364.07
19	235.37	221.73	13.64	1,142.34
20	235.37	223.94	11.42	918.40
21	235.37	226.18	9.18	692.21
22	235.37	228.45	6.92	463.77
23	235.37	230.73	4.64	233.04
24	235.37	233.04	2.33	0.00



Remaining-Balance Calculation

- B_n can be derived by computing the equivalent payments remaining after the n th payment. Thus, the balance with $N - n$ payments remaining is

$$B_n = A(P/A, i, N - n)$$

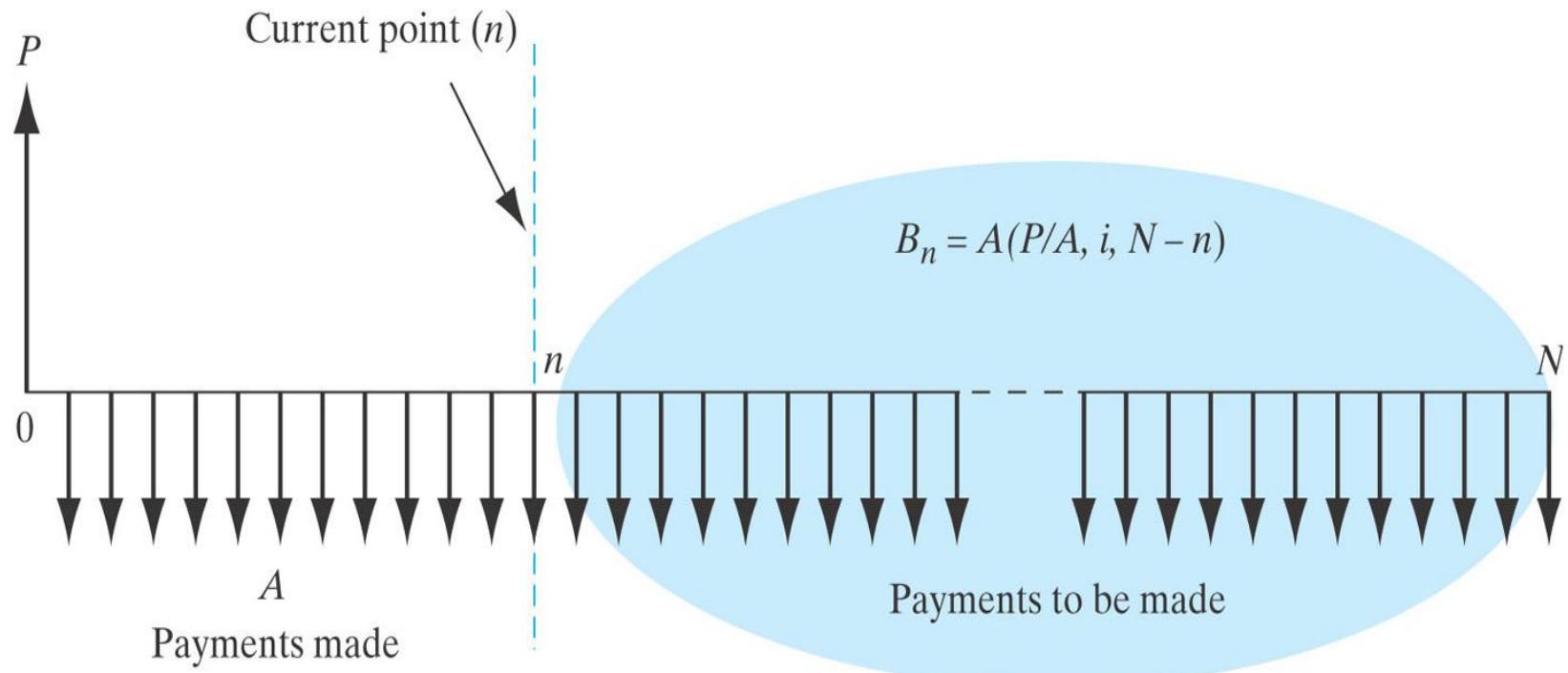
- The interest payment during period n is

$$I_n = (B_{n-1})i = A(P/A, i, N - n + 1)i$$

- The principal repayment in period n is

$$PP_n = A[1 - (P/A, i, N - n + 1)i] = A(P/F, i, N - n + 1)$$

Calculating the Remaining Loan Balance after Making the n th Payment



Bond Terminology

- **Par value:** the stated **face value** on the individual bond
- **Maturity date:** a specified date on which the par value is to be repaid.
 - Bonds can be classified into the following categories: **short-term bonds** (maturing within three years), **medium-term bonds** (maturing from three to 10 years), and **long-term bonds** (maturing in more than 10 years).
- **Coupon rate:** the interest rate on the par value of a bond
- **Discount or premium bond:** A bond that sells below its par value is called a discount bond. When a bond sells above its par value, it is called a premium bond.

Bond Valuation

- Bond prices change over time because of the risk of nonpayment of interest or par value, supply and demand, and the economic outlook. These factors affect the yield to maturity (or return on investment) of the bond
- **Yield to Maturity:** the interest rate that establishes the equivalence between all future interest and face-value receipts and the market price of the bond
- **Current Yield:** the annual interest earned as a percentage of the current market price

$$CY = \frac{ia(\text{effective})}{\text{Price}}$$

Annotations for Current Yield formula:

- $ia(\text{effective})$ is circled in red.
- A handwritten note above the formula says "convert annual interest period".
- A handwritten note to the right of the formula says "Interest/par".

Payback Period – Simple/conventional

- **Principle:**

How fast can I recover my initial investment?

- **Method:**

based on the cumulative cash flow (also called project balance or accounting profit)

- **Screening Guideline:**

If the payback period is shorter than a maximum acceptable specified payback period, the project would be considered for further analysis.

- **Weakness:**

does not consider the time value of money

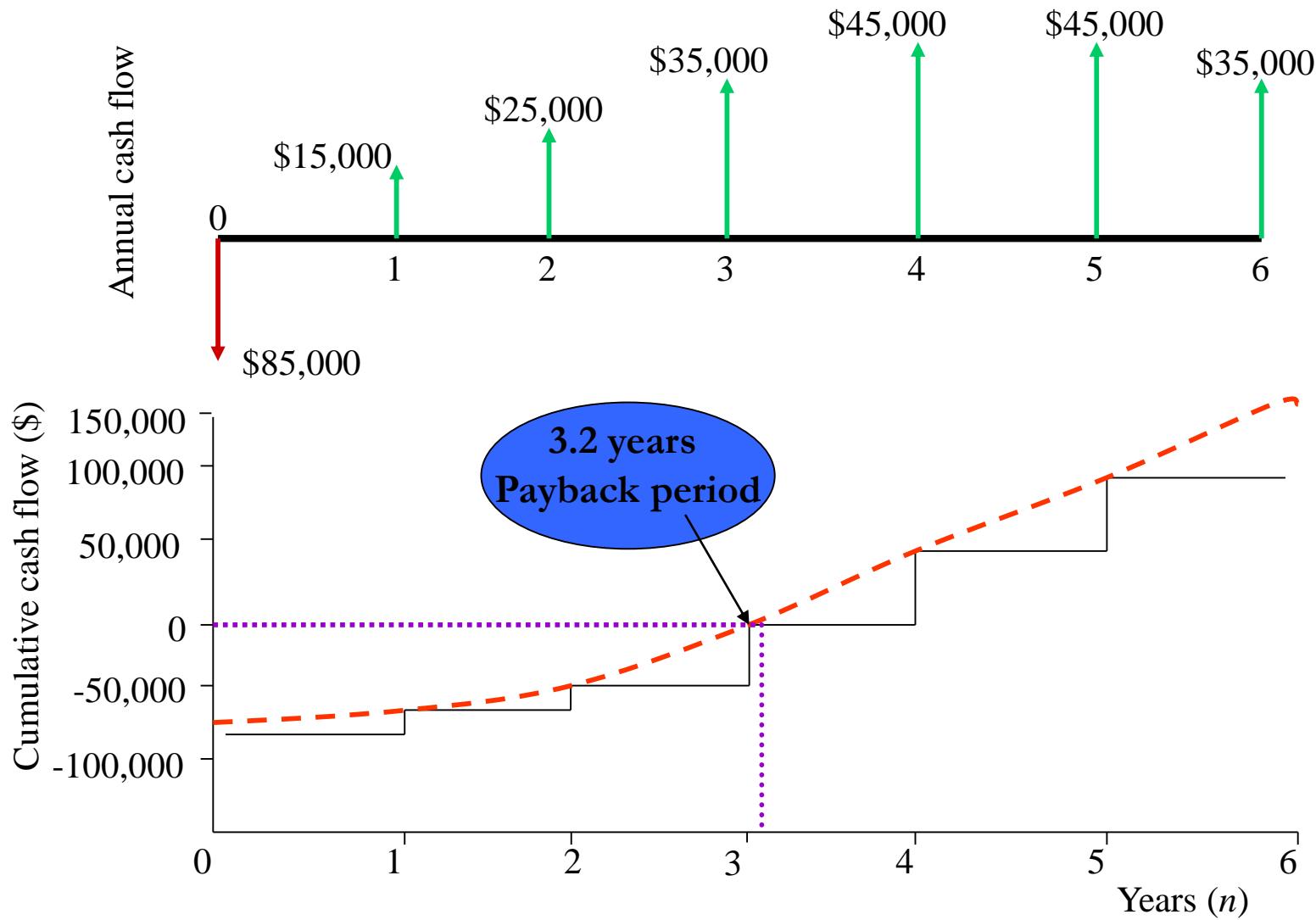
Example 5.3: Conventional Payback Period With Salvage Value

<u>N</u>	<u>Cash Flow</u>	<u>Cum. Cash Flow</u>
0	-\$105,000	-\$85,000
1	+\$20,000 \$15,000	-\$70,000
2	\$25,000	-\$45,000
3	\$35,000	-\$10,000
4	\$45,000	\$35,000
5	\$45,000	\$80,000
6	\$35,000	\$115,000

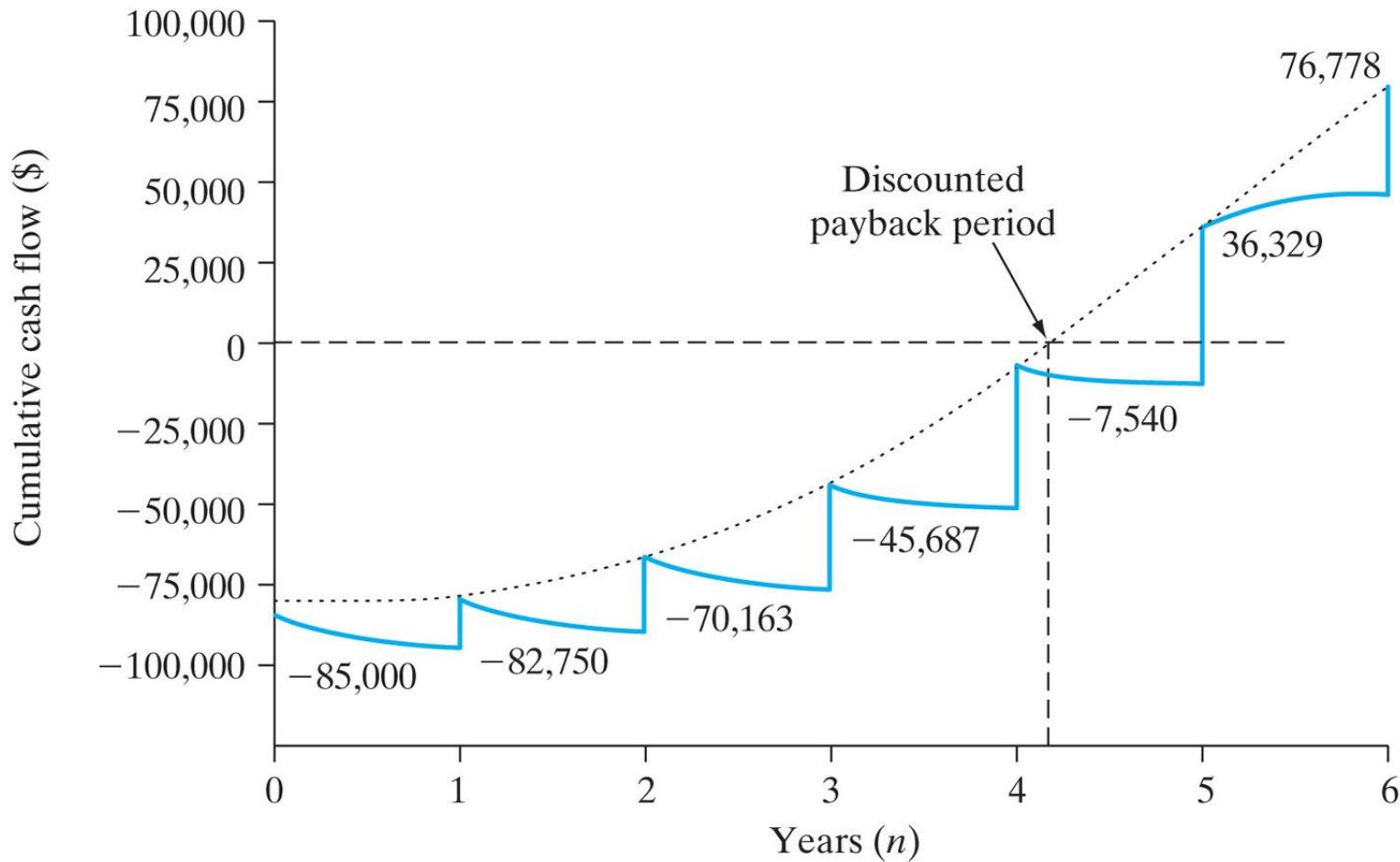


Payback period occurs somewhere between $N = 3$ and $N = 4$.
We say it is 4 years if the end-of-period convention is followed.

Example 5.3: Conventional Payback Period Calculation



Example 5.3: Discounted Payback Period Calculation

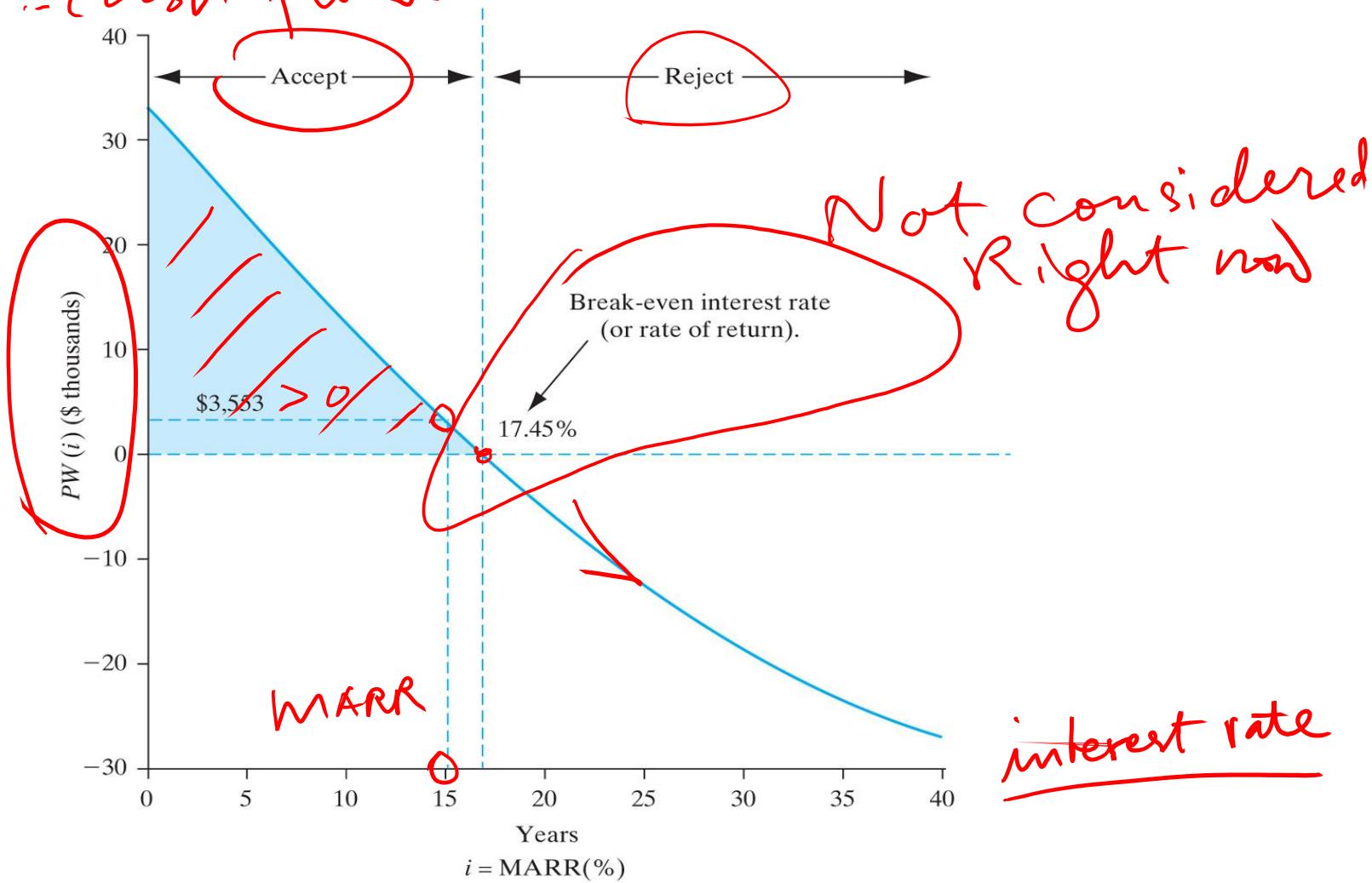


Net-Present-Worth Criterion

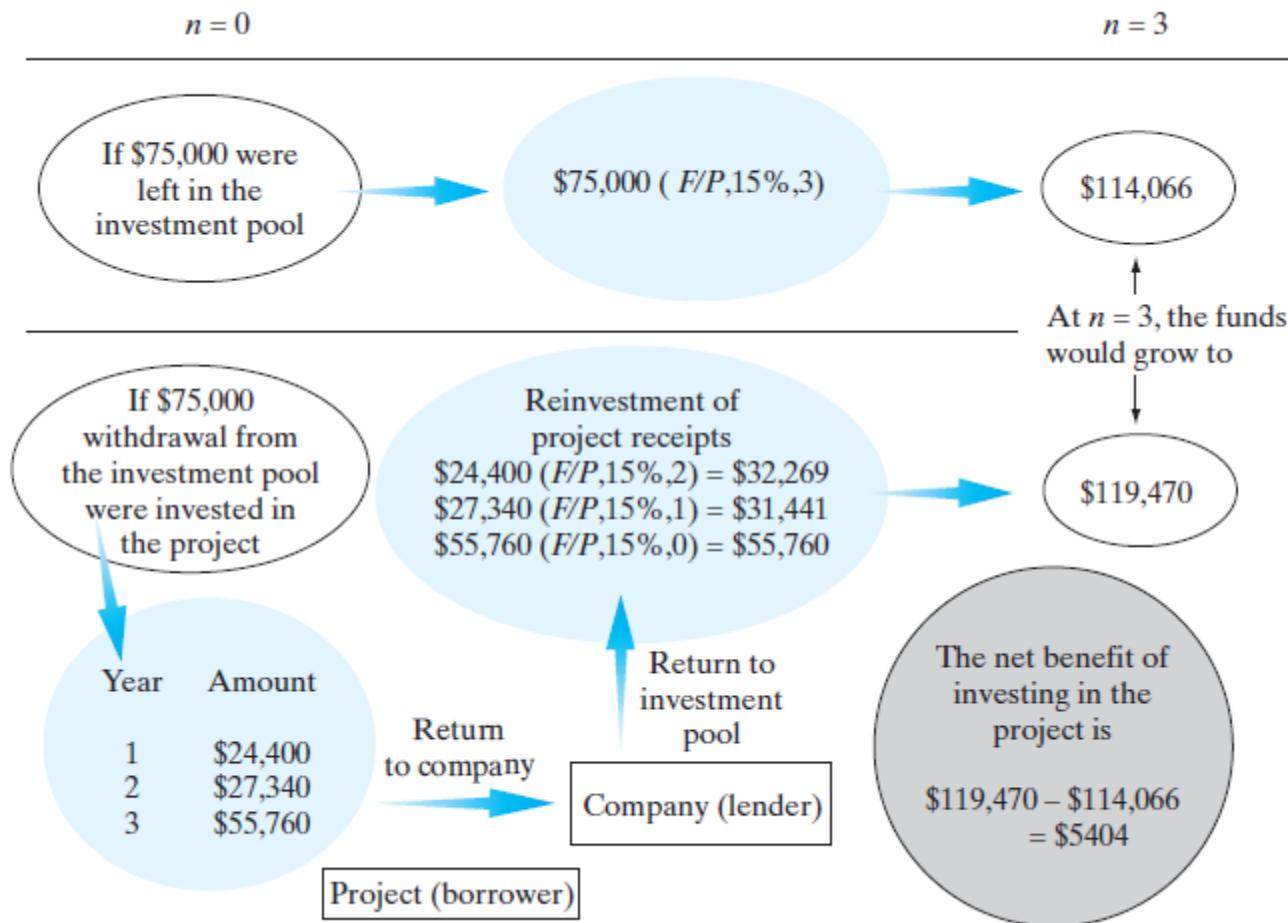
- A firm's interest rate it wants to earn on its investment is referred to as **minimum acceptable rate of return (MARR)**: $+ i_{\text{risk}}$
- Decision Rule:
 - If $\text{PW}(i) > 0$, accept the investment
 - If $\text{PW}(i) = 0$, remain indifferent to the investment
 - If $\text{PW}(i) < 0$, reject the investment

Present-Worth Profile (Example 5.5)

Net-cash flows



Investment Pool Concept



$$PW(15\%) = \$5,404(P/F, 15\%, 3) = \$3,553$$

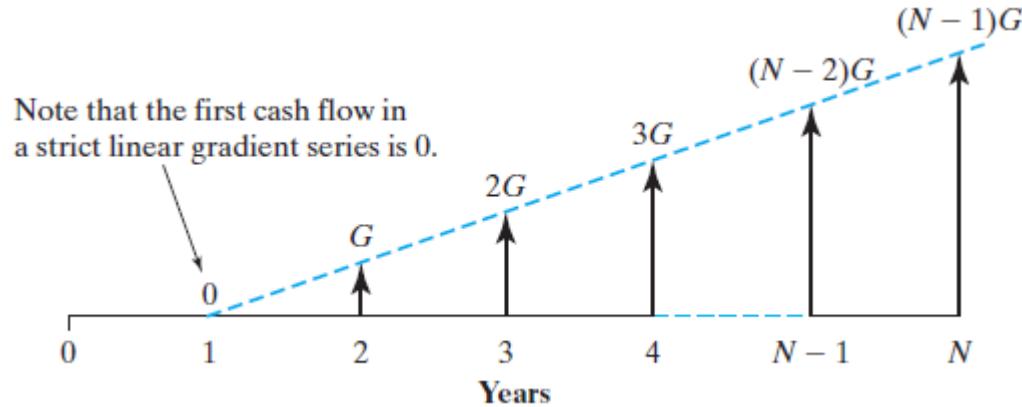
Summary of Useful Excel Financial Functions (Part B)

Description	Excel Function	Example	Solution
Loan Analysis Functions	Loan payment size =PMT(i , N , P)	Suppose you borrow \$10,000 at 9% APR to be paid in 48 equal monthly payments. Find the loan payment size.	=PMT(9%/12, 48, 10000) =(\$248.85)
	Interest payment =IMPT(i , n , N , P)	Find the portion of interest payment for the 10 th payment.	=IPMT(9%/12, 10, 48, 10000) =(\$62.91)
	Principal payment =PPMT(i , n , N , P)	Find the portion of principal payment for the 10 th payment.	=PPMT(9%/12, 10, 48, 10000) =(\$185.94)
	Cumulative interest payment =CUMIMPT(i , N , P , start_period, end_period,type)	Find the total interest payment over 48 months.	=CUMIMPT(9%/12, 48, 10000, 1, 48, 0) =\$1944.82
Interest rate =RATE(N , A , P)	What nominal interest rate is being paid on the following financing arrangement? Loan amount:\$10,000, loan period: 60 months, and monthly payment: \$207.58.	arrangement? Loan amount:\$10,000, loan period: 60 months, and monthly payment: \$207.58.	=RATE(60, 207.58, -10000) =0.7499% APR = 0.7499% × 12 = 9%
Number of payments =NPER(i , A , P)	Find the number of months required to pay off a loan of \$10,000 with 12% APR where you can afford a monthly payment of \$200.	Find the number of months required to pay off a loan of \$10,000 with 12% APR where you can afford a monthly payment of \$200.	=NPER(12%/12, 200, -10000) =69.66 months
Depreciation functions	Straight-line =SLN(cost, salvage, life)	Cost = \$100,000, S = \$20,000, life = 5 years	=SLN(100000, 20000, 5) =\$16,000
	Declining balance =DB(cost, salvage, life, period)	Find the depreciation amount in period 3.	=DB(100000, 20000, 5, 3) =\$14,455
	Double declining balance =DDB(cost, salvage, life, period, factor)	Find the depreciation amount in period 3 with $\alpha = 150\%$,	=DDB(100000, 20000, 5, 3, 1.5) =\$14,700
	Declining balance with switching to straight-line =VDB(cost, salvage, life, start_period, end_period, factor)	Find the depreciation amount in period 3 with $\alpha = 150\%$, with switching allowed.	=VDB(100000, 20000, 5, 3, 4, 1.5) =\$10,290

Linear Gradient Series

Important Characteristics:

1. *The **cash flow in period 1 is zero**.*
2. *The cash flows in periods 2 through N increase at a constant amount.*



Present-Worth Factor: Linear Gradient ($P/G,i,N$)

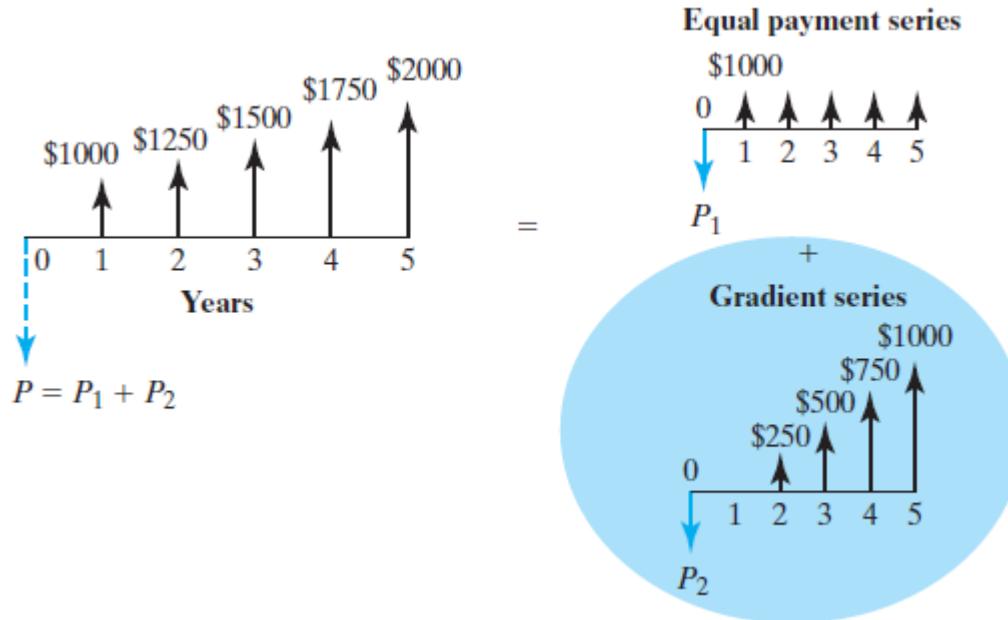
- Find P , given G , i , and N
- is used when it is necessary to convert a gradient series into a present value cash flow

$$P = G \left[\frac{(1+i)^N - iN - 1}{i^2(1+i)^N} \right] = G(P/G,i,N)$$

- Limiting case when N goes to infinity: $1/i^2$

Example 3.20: Solution

- Given: $A_1 = \$1000$, $G = \$250$, $i = 12\%$, and $N = 5$ years
- Find: P



$$\begin{aligned}P &= P_1 + P_2 = A_1(P/A, 12\%, 5) + G(P/G, 12\%, 5) \\&= \$1000(3.6048) + \$250(6.397) = \$5204\end{aligned}$$

Gradient-to-Equal-Payment Series Conversion Factor ($A/G, i, N$)

- Find $\textcolor{red}{A}$, given G , i , and N
- This is used when it is necessary to convert a gradient series into a uniform series of equal cash flows

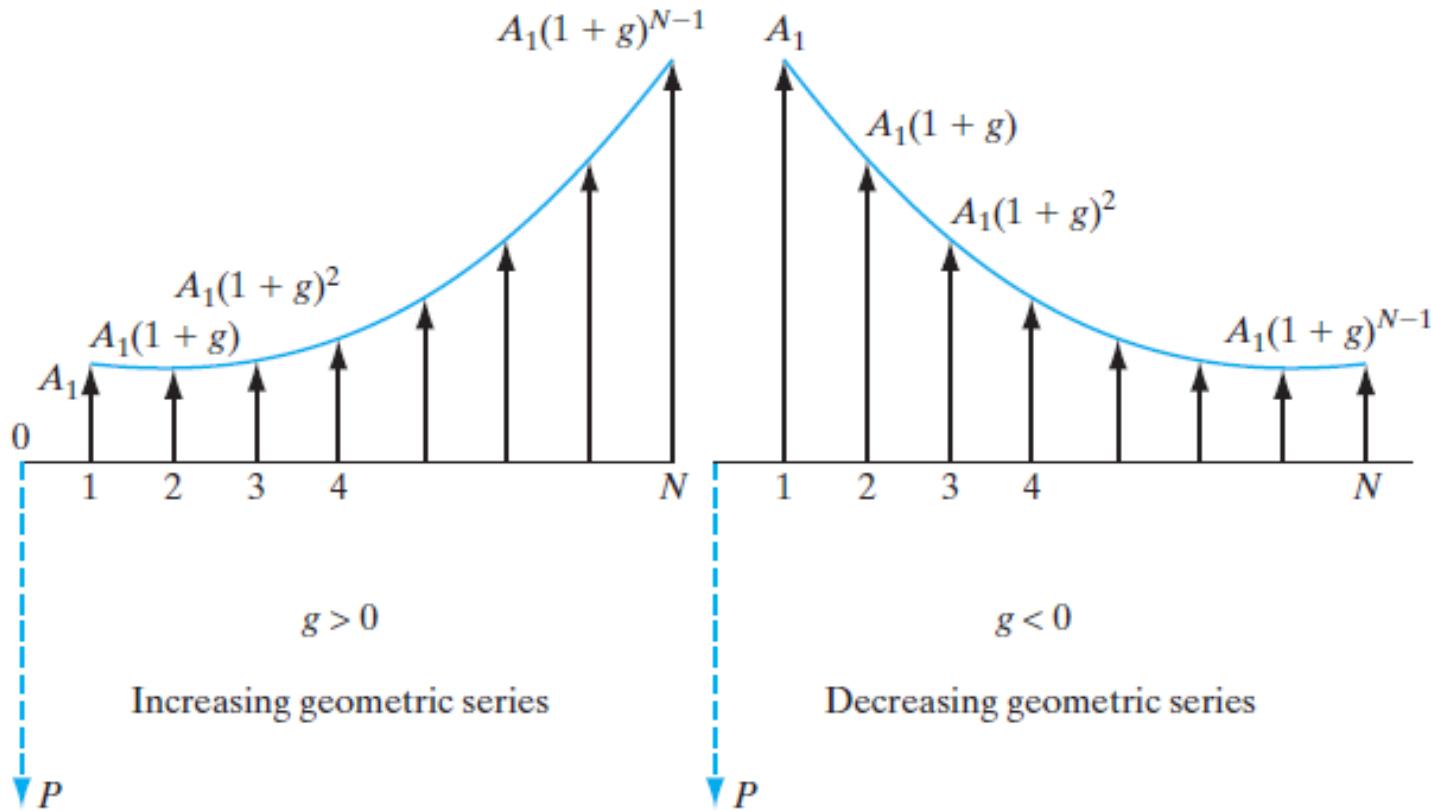
$$A = G \left[\frac{(1+i)^N - iN - 1}{i[(1+i)^N - 1]} \right] = G(A/G, i, N)$$

Geometric Gradient Series

- A series of cash flows that increase or decrease by a constant percentage each period
- Price changes caused by inflation are a good example of a geometric gradient series. We use g to designate the percentage change in a payment from one period to the next.
- Geometric gradient series are:

1. Present-Worth Factor: $(P/A_1, g, i, N)$

Types of Geometric Gradient Series



Geometric Gradient Series: Present-Worth Factor (P/A_1 , g , i , N)

- The present worth of a geometric series is:

$$P = \begin{cases} A_1 \left[\frac{1 - (1 + g)^N (1 + i)^{-N}}{i - g} \right], & \text{if } i \neq g \\ NA_1 / (1 + i), & \text{if } i = g \end{cases}$$

- Where A_1 is the cash flow value in year 1 and g is the growth rate.