

# Engineering Economic Analysis

FOURTEENTH EDITION

## Chapter 3 Interest & Equivalence

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# Chapter Outline

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- Computing Cash Flows ✓
- Time Value of Money ✓
- Equivalence ✓
- Single Payment Compound Interest Formulas
- Nominal & Effective Interest Rates

# Learning Objectives

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- Understand time value of money
- Distinguish between simple & compound interest
- Understand cash flow equivalence
- Solve problems using single payment compound interest formulas
- Solve problems using spreadsheet factors

# Vignette: A Prescription for Success

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- Complex tablet press operation
- Significant scrap & tablet press downtime
- Equipment modification to 3 presses cost \$90,000
- Impact of modifications:
  - Each batch finished in 16 hrs ( $\leftrightarrow$  24 hrs)
  - Product yield increased to 96.6% ( $\leftrightarrow$  92.4%)
  - Production was reduced to 2 shifts ( $\leftrightarrow$  3)
  - 240 batches processed in one year
  - First year savings of \$10 million



# Vignette: A Prescription for Success

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- Product value = \$240 M /yr; what is value of one batch?
- How many batches for breakeven on initial \$27 K investment? (assume 4.2% yield improvement)
- What is project's present value?
  - Assume interest rate is 15%,
  - Savings are a single end-of-year cash flow, &
  - \$90,000 investment is at time 0.
- If 1 batch produced per day, how often are savings actually compounded?

# Computing Cash Flows

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- Would you rather
  - Receive \$1000 today; or
  - Receive \$1000 10 years from today?
- Answer: Today!
- Why?
  - I could invest \$1000 today to make more money
  - I could buy a lot of stuff today with \$1000
  - Who knows what will happen in 10 years

# Computing Cash Flows

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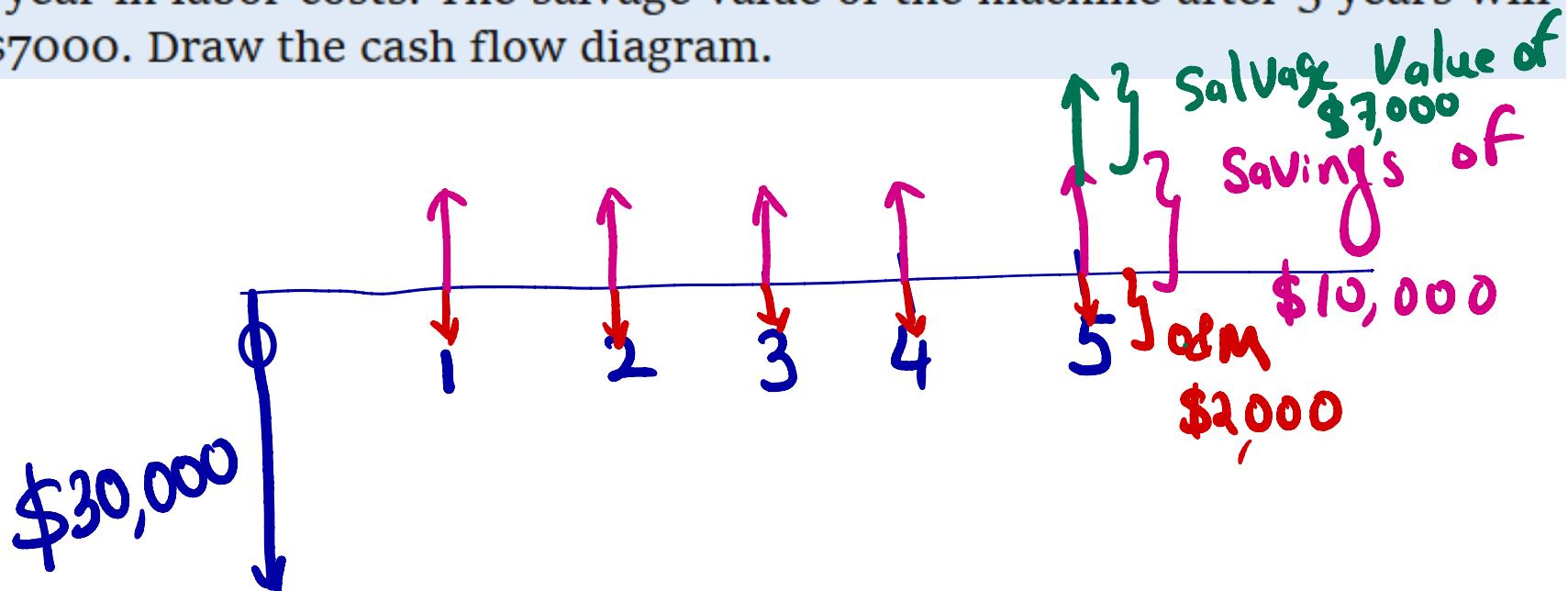
- Cash flows are
  - Costs (disbursements) = a negative number ✓✓
  - Benefits (receipts) = a positive number ✓
- Because money is more valuable today than in the future, we need to describe cash receipts & disbursements at time they occur.

# Example 3-1

## Cash flows of 2 payment options

### EXAMPLE 3-1

A machine will cost \$30,000 to purchase. Annual operating and maintenance costs (O&M) will be \$2000. The machine will save \$10,000 per year in labor costs. The salvage value of the machine after 5 years will be \$7000. Draw the cash flow diagram.



# Example 3-1

## Cash flows of 2 payment options

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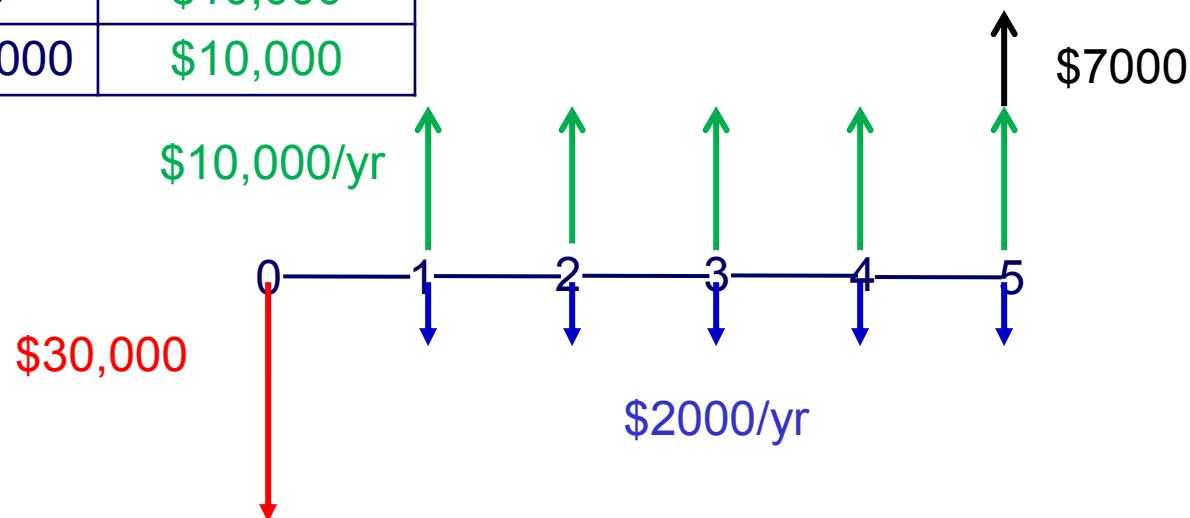
Purchase a new \$30,000 machine,

- O&M costs = \$2000/yr
- Savings = \$10,000/yr
- Salvage value at Yr 5 = \$7000

Draw the cash flow diagram

# Example 3-1, Cash flows

End of Year	Costs & SV	Savings
0 (now)	-\$30,000	\$10,000
1	-2000	\$10,000
2	-2000	\$10,000
3	-2000	\$10,000
4	-2000	\$10,000
5	-2000+7000	\$10,000



# Example 3-2

## Cash flow for repayment of a loan

### EXAMPLE 3-2

A man borrowed \$1000 from a bank at 8% interest. He agreed to repay the loan in two end-of-year payments. At the end of each year, he will repay half of the \$1000 principal amount plus the interest that is due. Compute the borrower's cash flow.

Year	Principal	Interest	Payment
0	\$1000		
1	\$1000	$\frac{8}{100} \times 1000 = 80$	$\frac{1000}{2} + 80 = 500 + 80 = \$580$
2	\$500	$\frac{8}{100} \times 500 = 40$	$500 + 40 = \$540$

Diagram illustrating the cash flow timeline:

The timeline shows the cash flows at three points:

- Year 0: Initial investment of \$1000 (indicated by an upward arrow).
- Year 1: Payment of \$580.
- Year 2: Payment of \$540.

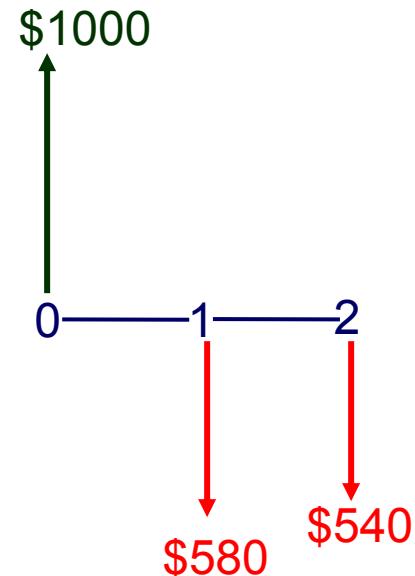
# Example 3-2

## Cash flow for repayment of a loan

To repay a loan of \$1000 at 8% interest in 2 years

- Repay half of \$1000 plus interest at the end of each year

Yr	Interest	Balance	Repayment	Cash Flow
0		1000		1000
1	80	500	500	-580
2	40	0	500	-540



# Time Value of Money

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## Money has value

- Money can be leased or rented
- Payment is called interest
- If you put \$1000 in a bank at 4% interest for one time period you will receive back your original \$1000 plus \$40

$$1000 \times \frac{4}{100} = \$40$$

Original amount to be returned = \$1000

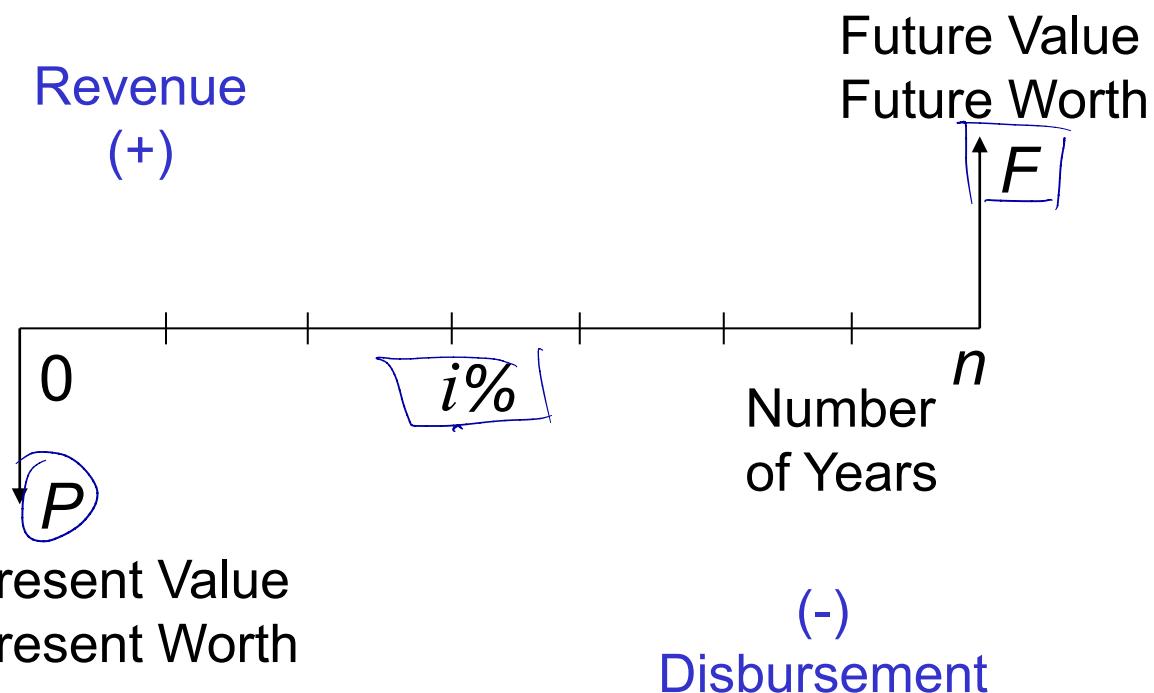
Interest to be returned =  $\$1000 \times .04 = \$40$

# Cash Flow Diagram

Invest  $P$  dollars at  $i\%$  interest & receive  $F$  dollars after  $n$  years

$$F = f(P, i\%, n)$$

$$P = f(F, i\%, n)$$



# Simple Interest on Loan

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Is computed only on original sum—does not include interest earned or owed

$P$  borrowed for  $n$  years

Total interest owed =  $P \times i \times n$

- $P$  = present sum of money
- $i$  = interest rate
- $n$  = number of periods (years)

Simple interest =  $\$1000 \times .04/\text{period} \times 2 \text{ periods} = \$80$

# Example 3-3

## Simple Interest Calculation

### EXAMPLE 3-3

You have agreed to loan a friend \$5000 for 5 years at a simple interest rate of 8% per year. How much interest will you receive from the loan? How much will your friend pay you at the end of 5 years?

$$P = \$5,000$$

$$n = 5 \text{ years}$$

$$i = 8\% \text{ Per year}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total interest} &= P \times n \times i \\ &= 5000 \times 5 \times \frac{8}{100} \\ \text{Total interest} &= \$2,000\end{aligned}$$

Total money received after 5 years

$$= \$5,000 + \$2,000 = \underline{\underline{\$7,000}}$$

## Example 3-3

### Simple Interest Calculation

Loan of \$5000 for 5 yrs at simple interest rate of 8%

Total interest owed =  $\$5000(8\%)(5) = \$2000$

Amount due at end of loan =  $\$5000 + 2000 = \$7000$

# Compound Interest

\$100 at an interest rate of 10%.

Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1	\$100	$10/100 \times 100 = 10$	$100 + 10 = \$\underline{\underline{110}}$
2	\$110	$\frac{10}{100} \times 110 = 11$	$100 + 11 = \$\underline{\underline{121}}$

interest using Simple interest

$$P \times n \times i = 100 \times 2 \times 10\% = 20$$

$$\text{Total} = 100 + 20 = \$\underline{\underline{120}}$$

P = Present Worth     $i\%$   $\Rightarrow$  interest rate  
 n  $\Rightarrow$  Total number of Period

Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1	P	$P \times i$	$P + P \cdot i = \underline{\underline{P(1+i)}}$
2	$P(1+i)$	$P(1+i) \cdot i$	$P(1+i) + P(1+i) \cdot i$ $P(1+i)(1+i)$ $= \underline{\underline{P(1+i)^2}}$

$$\underline{3} \quad P(1+i)^2 \quad P(1+i)^2 i \quad P(1+i)^2 + P(1+i)^2 i$$

$$\frac{P(1+i)^2(1+i)}{P(1+i)^3}$$

$$\pi \quad P(1+i)^{n-1} \quad P(1+i)^{n-1} i \quad \underline{\underline{P(1+i)^n}}$$

↑  
Future Value

# Compound Interest

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- Interest computed on unpaid balance,
  - includes the principal
  - any unpaid interest from the preceding period

$$P = \frac{F}{(1 + i)^n}$$

$$F = P(1 + i)^n$$

# Compound Interest on Loan

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- Compound interest is computed on unpaid debt & unpaid interest
- Total interest earned =  $P(1 + i)^n - P$ 
  - Where
    - $P$  = present sum of money
    - $i$  = interest rate
    - $n$  = number of periods (years)

$$\text{Interest} = \$1000 \times (1+.04)^2 - \$1000 = \$81.60$$

# Compound Interest

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For compound interest

$$F_1 = 5000(1 + 0.04)^1 = \$5200$$

$$F_2 = 5200(1 + 0.04)^1 = \$5408$$

$$F_3 = 5408(1 + 0.04)^1 = \$5624$$



Differences from simple interest magnify as # of periods & interest rates increase

# Compound Interest

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For compound interest

$$F_1 = P(1 + i)$$

$$F_2 = F_1(1 + i) = P(1 + i)(1 + i) = P(1 + i)^2$$

$$F_3 = F_2(1 + i) = P(1 + i)^2(1 + i) = P(1 + i)^3$$

After n periods

$$F = P(1 + i)^n$$

# Which is true?

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A.  $P = F(1 + i)^n$

B.  $P = F(1 + n)^i$

C.  $P = F / (1 + i)^n$

D.  $P = F / (1 + n)^i$

E. I don't know



# Which is true?

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- A.  $P = F(1 + i)^n$
- B.  $P = F(1 + n)^i$
- C.  $P = F/(1 + i)^n$
- D.  $P = F/(1 + n)^i$
- E. I don't know

# Example 3-4

## Compound Interest Calculation

### EXAMPLE 3-4

To highlight the difference between simple and compound interest, rework Example 3-3 using an interest rate of 8% per year compound interest. How will this change affect the amount that your friend pays you at the end of 5 years?

Original loan amount (original principal) = \$5000 =  $P$

Loan term = 5 years =  $n$

Interest rate charged = 8% per year compound interest =  $i$

$$F = P(1+i)^n = 5000 \times (1+8\%)^5$$

$$\boxed{F \approx \$7347}$$

# Example 3-4

## Compound Interest Calculation

Loan of \$5000 for 5 yrs at 8%

Year	Balance at the Beginning of the year	Interest	Balance at the end of the year
1	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00
2	\$5,400.00	\$432.00	\$5,832.00
3	\$5,832.00	\$466.56	\$6,298.56
4	\$6,298.56	\$503.88	\$6,802.44
5	\$6,802.44	\$544.20	\$7,346.64

# Repaying a Debt

## Plan #1: Constant Principal

Répay of a loan of \$5000 in 5 yrs at interest rate of 8%

Plan #1: Constant principal payment plus interest due

Yr	Balance at the Beginning of year	Interest	Balance at the end of year	Interest Payment	Principal Payment	Total Payment
1	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,400.00
2	\$4,000.00	\$320.00	\$4,320.00	\$320.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,320.00
3	\$3,000.00	\$240.00	\$3,240.00	\$240.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,240.00
4	\$2,000.00	\$160.00	\$2,160.00	\$160.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,160.00
5	\$1,000.00	\$80.00	\$1,080.00	\$80.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,080.00
	Subtotal			\$1,200.00	\$5,000.00	\$6,200.00

# Repaying a Debt

## Plan #2: Interest Only

Répaly of a loan of \$5000 in 5 yrs at interest rate of 8%

Plan #2: Annual interest payment & principal payment at end of 5 yrs

Yr	Balance at the Beginning of year	Interest	Balance at the end of year	Interest Payment	Principal Payment	Total Payment
1	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$400.00
2	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$400.00
3	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$400.00
4	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$400.00
5	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,400.00
	Subtotal			\$2,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$7,000.00

# Repaying a Debt

## Plan #3: Constant Payment

Répay of a loan of \$5000 in 5 yrs at interest rate of 8%

Plan #3: Constant annual payments

Yr	Balance at the Beginning of year	Interest	Balance at the end of year	Interest Payment	Principal Payment	Total Payment
1	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$400.00	\$852.28	\$1,252.28
2	\$4,147.72	\$331.82	\$4,479.54	\$331.82	\$920.46	\$1,252.28
3	\$3,227.25	\$258.18	\$3,485.43	\$258.18	\$994.10	\$1,252.28
4	\$2,233.15	\$178.65	\$2,411.80	\$178.65	\$1,073.63	\$1,252.28
5	\$1,159.52	\$92.76	\$1,252.28	\$92.76	\$1,159.52	\$1,252.28
	Subtotal			\$1,261.41	\$5,000.00	\$6,261.41

# Repaying a Debt

## Plan #4: All at Maturity

Répay of a loan of \$5000 in 5 yrs at interest rate of 8%

Plan #4: All payment at end of 5 years

Yr	Balance at the Beginning of year	Interest	Balance at the end of year	Interest Payment	Principal Payment	Total Payment
1	\$5,000.00	\$400.00	\$5,400.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2	\$5,400.00	\$432.00	\$5,832.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3	\$5,832.00	\$466.56	\$6,298.56	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
4	\$6,298.56	\$503.88	\$6,802.44	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5	\$6,802.44	\$544.20	\$7,346.64	\$2,346.64	\$5,000.00	\$7,346.64
	Subtotal			\$2,346.64	\$5,000.00	\$7,346.64

# 4 Repayment Plans

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- Differences:
  - Repayment structure (repayment amounts at different times)
  - Total payment amount
- Similarities:
  - All interest charges were calculated at 8%
  - All repaid a \$5000 loan in 5 years

# Equivalence

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- If a firm believes 8% was reasonable, it would have no preference about whether it received \$5000 now or was paid by any of the 4 repayment plans.
- The 4 repayment plans are equivalent to one another & to \$5000 now at 8% interest

# Use of Equivalence in Engineering Economic Studies

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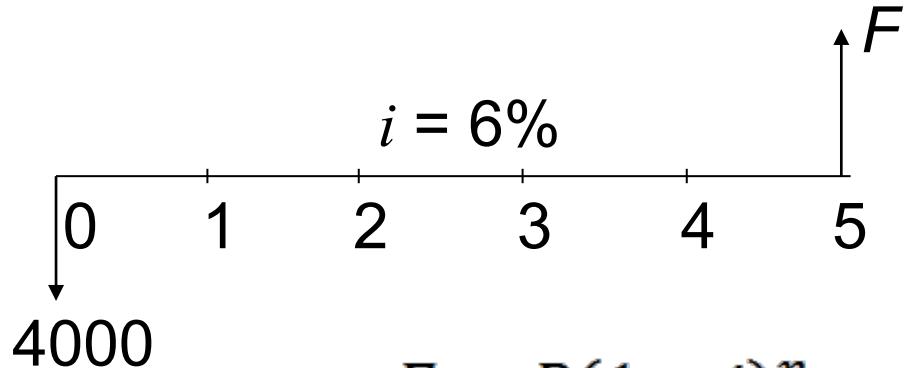
- Using **equivalence**, one can convert different types of cash flows at different points of time to an equivalent value at a common reference point
- Equivalence depends on interest rate

# Example

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If you were to receive \$4000 today to invest at 6% interest, what would this be equivalent to in 5 years?

Given:  $P = 4000$ ,  $i = 6\%$ ,  $n = 5$



$$F = P(1 + i)^n$$

$$F = 4000(1 + 0.06)^5 = \$5352.90$$

You deposit \$100 in account  
earning 5%

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After 4 years the value in account is

- A. -\$121.55
- B. \$121.55
- C. \$121.67
- D. \$431.01
- E. None of the above

$$F = P(1 + i)^n$$

You deposit \$100 in account earning 5%.

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After 4 years the value in account is

- A. -\$121.55
- B. **\$121.55**  $F = 100(1.05)^4$
- C. \$121.67
- D. \$431.01
- E. None of the above

# Interest Formulas

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Notation:

$i$  = Interest rate per interest period

$n$  = Number of interest periods

$P$  = Present sum of money (Present worth)

$F$  = Future sum of money (Future worth)

# Basic factors

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Equation:	$P = F/(1 + i)^n$
Factor:	$P = F(P/F, i, n)$
Function:	=PV(rate, nper, pmt, [FV], [type])

Equation:	$F = P(1 + i)^n$
Factor:	$F = P(F/P, i, n)$
Function:	=FV(rate, nper, pmt, [PV], [type])

# Factors & Functions

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<u>Variable</u>	<u>Engineering Economy</u>	<u>Spreadsheets</u>
Present value	$P$	PV
Future value	$F$	FV
Uniform series	$A$	PMT
Interest rate	$i$	RATE
Number of periods	$n$	NPER

# Notation for Calculating a Future Value

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Formula:

$F = P(1 + i)^n$  is the  
*single payment compound amount factor*

Functional notation:

$$F = P(F/P, i, n) \quad F = 5000(F/P, 6\%, 10)$$

$F = \cancel{P}(F/\cancel{P})$  is dimensionally correct

In Excel,

=FV(rate,nper,pmt,[pv],[type])

# Notation for Calculating a Present Value

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$$P = F \left( \frac{1}{1+i} \right)^n = \frac{F}{(1+i)^n}$$

is the  
Single payment present worth factor

Functional notation:

$$P = F(P/F, i, n) \quad P = 5000(P/F, 6\%, 10)$$

In Excel,

=PV(rate,nper,pmt,[fv],[type])

# Excel financial functions

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=PV(rate, nper, pmt, [fv], [type])

=FV(rate, nper, pmt, [pv],[type])

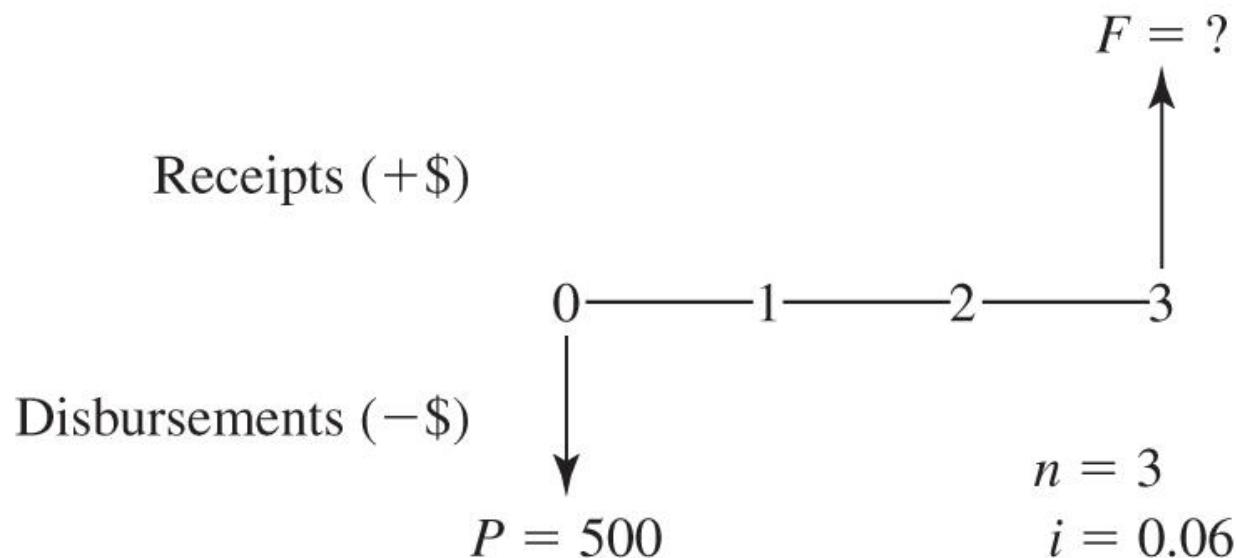
=PMT(rate, nper, pv,[fv],[type])

=NPER(rate, pmt, pv, [fv], [type])

=RATE(nper, pmt, pv, [fv], [type],[guess])

## Example 3-5

\$500 is deposited today. What is it worth in 3 years at 6% interest?



# Example 3-5

- $F = P(1 + i)^n$   
 $= 500(1+.06)^3 = 500(1.191) = \$595.51$
- $F = P(F/P)$   
 $= 500(F/P, 6\%, 3) = 500(1.191) = \$595.50$

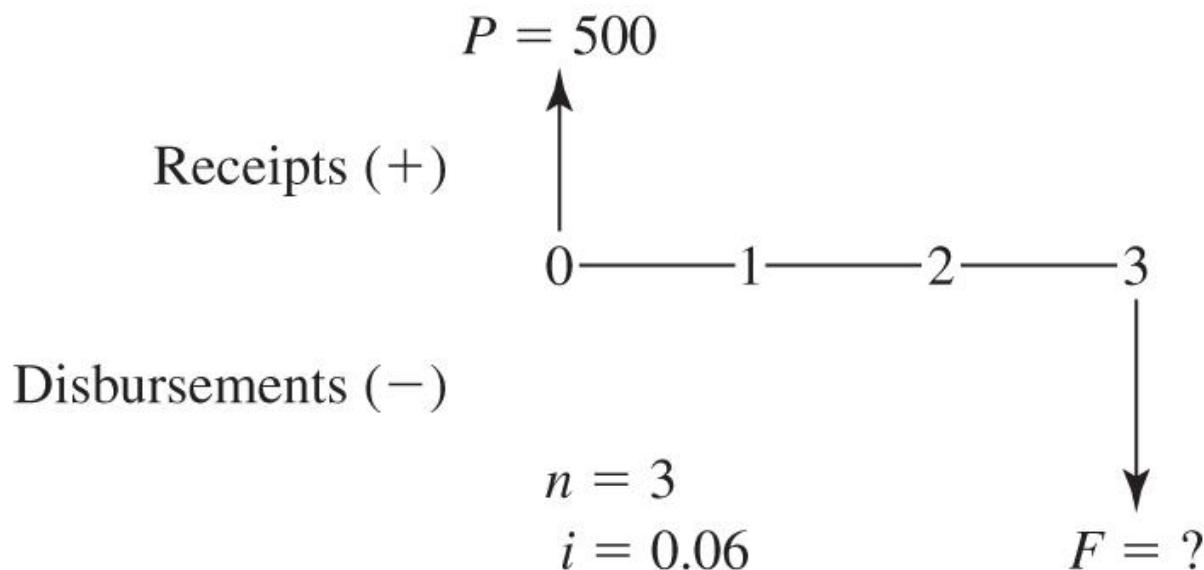
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	ID	$i$	$n$	PMT	PV	FV	Answer	Formula
2	3-5	6%	3	0	-500		\$595.51	=FV(B2,C2,D2,E2)

$=FV(rate, nper, pmt, [pv], [type])$

# Example 3-5

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From the bank's point of view, are the numbers different?  
No—only the sign changes.



# How Excel computes this

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=FV(rate,nper,pmt,pv)

$i = 6\%$     $nper = 3$     $pmt = 0$     $pv = 500$

$FV = -595.508$

Excel uses the following equation:

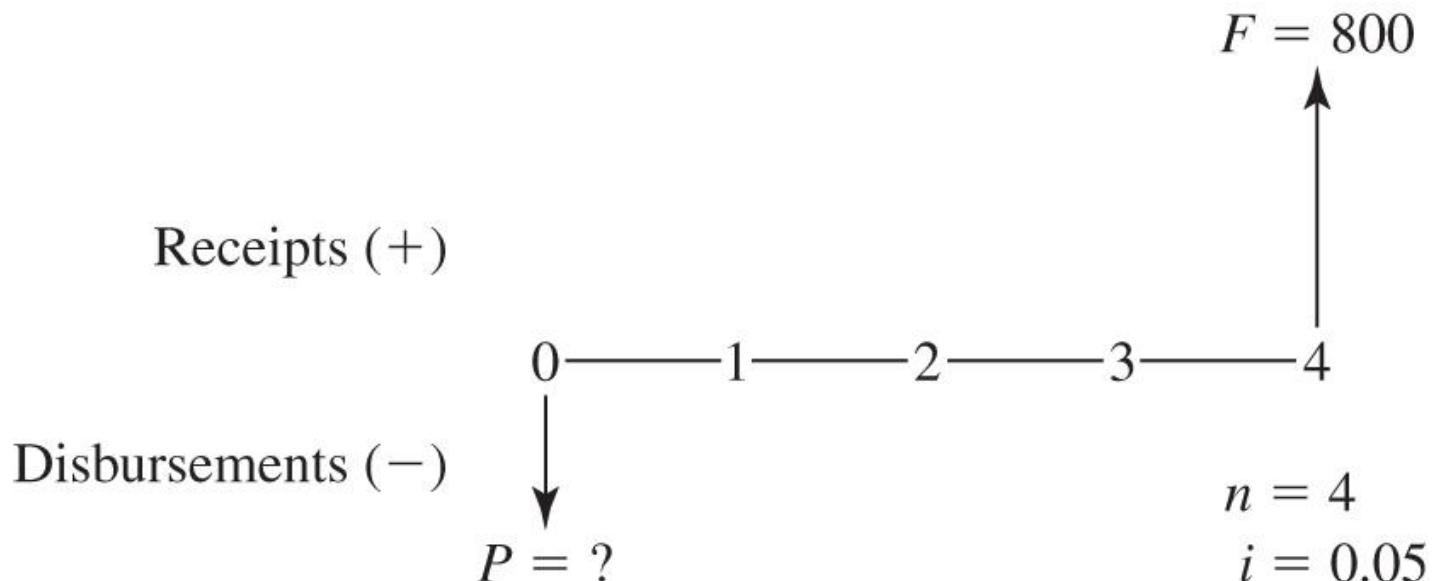
$$PMT \left[ \frac{1 - (1 + i)^{-n}}{i} \right] + FV(1 + i)^{-n} + PV = 0$$

So PMT, FV, & PV cannot be the same sign

# Example 3-6

## EXAMPLE 3-6

If you wish to have \$800 in a savings account at the end of 4 years, and 5% interest will be paid annually, how much should you put into the savings account now?



# Example 3-6

$$P = F / (1+i)^n = 800/(1+0.05)^{-4} = \$658.16$$

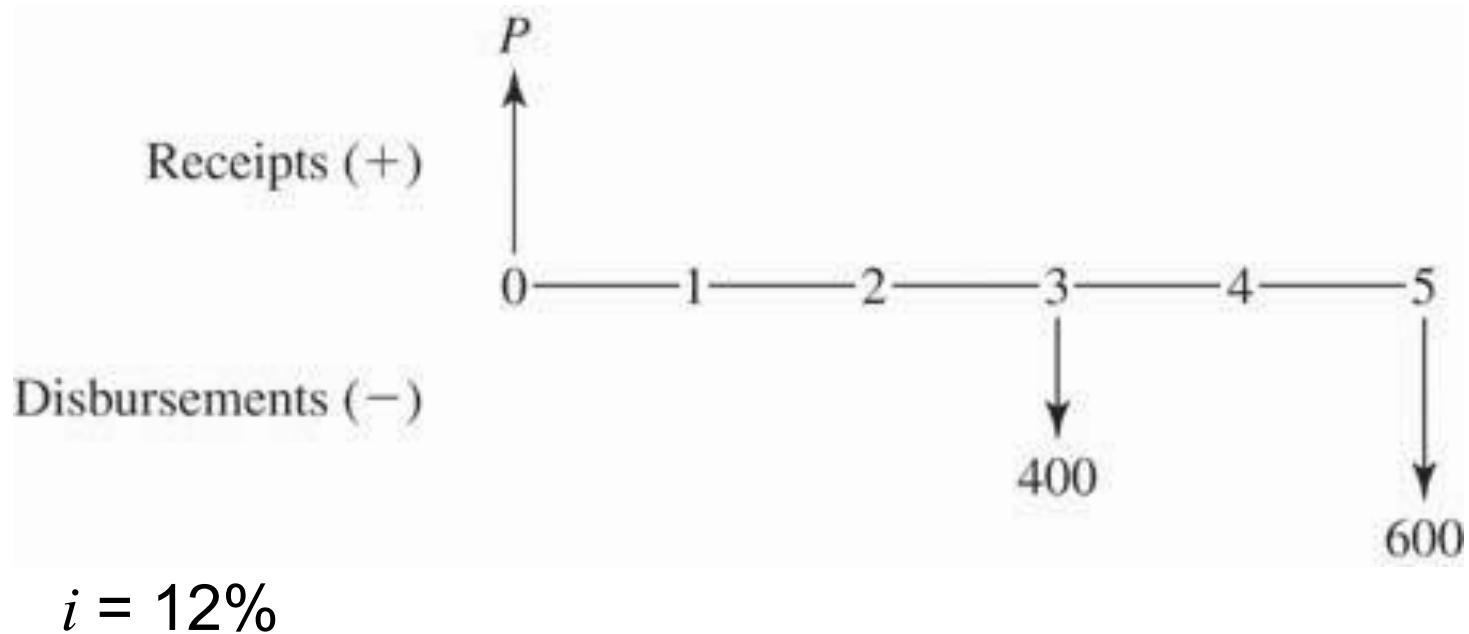
$$P = F(P/F, i, n) = 800(P/F, 5\%, 4) = 800(0.8227) = 658.16$$

or

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	ID	<i>i</i>	<i>n</i>	PMT	PV	FV	Answer	Formula
2	3-6	5%	4	0		800	-\$658.16	=PV(B2,C2,D2,F2)
3								=PV(rate,nper,pmt,[fv],[type])

# 2 Cash Outflows

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## 2 Cash Outflows

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$$\begin{aligned}P &= 400(P/F, 12\%, 3) + 600(P/F, 12\%, 5) \\&= 400(0.7118) + 600(0.5674) = \$625.16\end{aligned}$$

or

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	ID	<i>i</i>	<i>n</i>	PMT	PV	FV	Answer	Formula
2	2 CF	12%	3	0		-400	\$284.71	=PV(B2,C2,D2,F2)
3		12%	5	0		-600	\$340.46	=PV(B3,C3,D3,F3)
4							\$625.17	=G2+G3

You deposit \$100 in an account  
earning 5%

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After 4 years the value in the account is:

- A. -121.55
  - B. 121.55
  - C. 121.66
  - D. -121.66
- A. Something else or I don't know

# You deposit \$100 in an account earning 5%

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After 4 years the value in the account is:

- A. -121.55
- B. 121.55  $= 100(F/P, 5\%, 4) = 100(1.216)$   
 $= FV(5\%, 4, 0, -100)$
- C. 121.66
- D. -121.66
- E. Something else or I don't know

# You need \$6000 in 3 years as a down payment on a car.

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If your savings earn 0.25% interest per month, how much do you need to deposit today to have \$6000 in 3 years?

- A. 5955.22
- B. 5490.85
- C. 5484.20
- D. 2070.19
- E. I don't know

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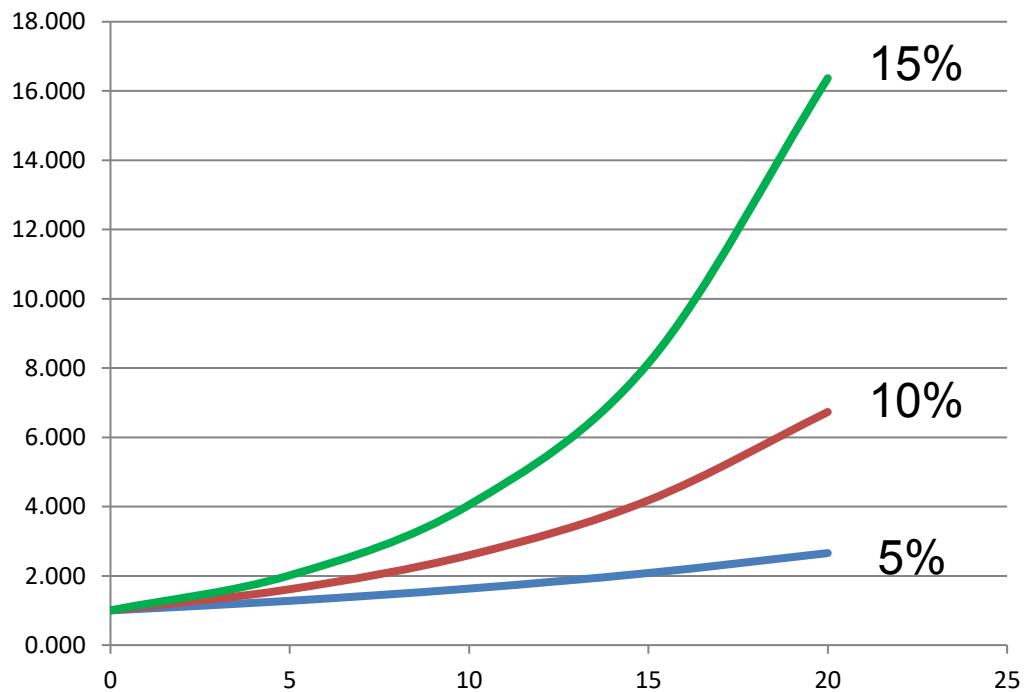
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- E. I don't know

$$\begin{aligned} &= 6000(P/F, 0.25\%, 36) = 6000(0.9140) \\ &= PV(0.25\%, 36, 0, -6000) \end{aligned}$$

# Example 3-7 Single Payment Compound Interest Formulas

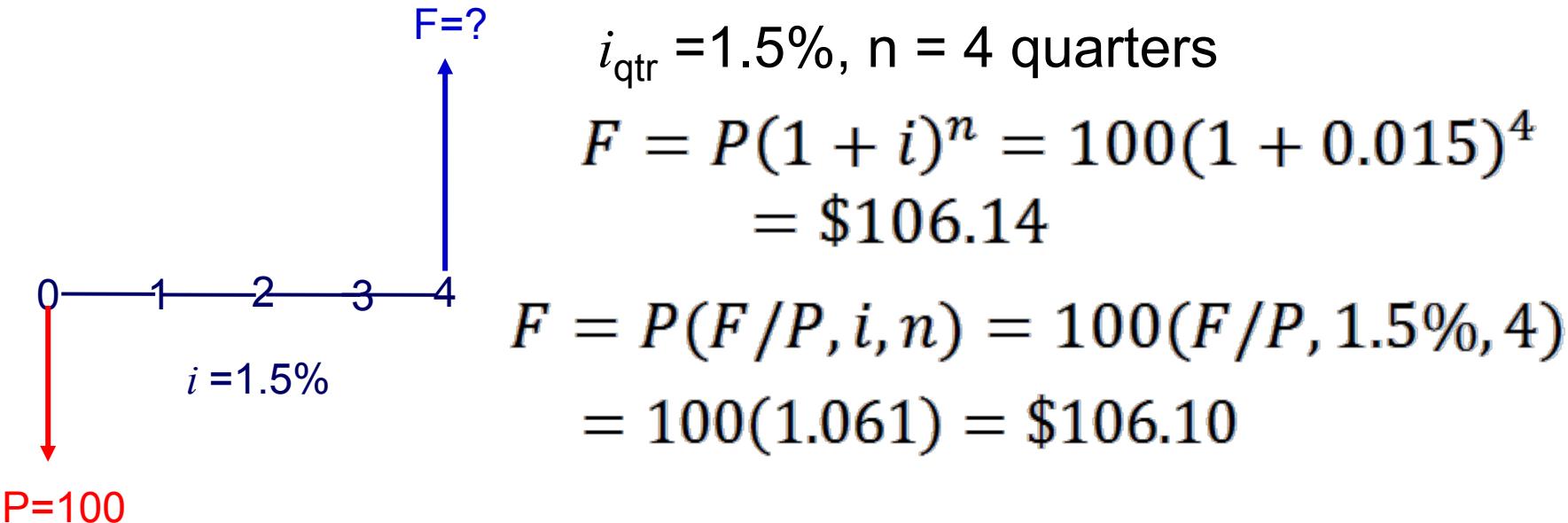
Tabulate the future value factor for interest rates of 5%, 10%, & 15% for n's from 0 to 20 (in 5's).

$n$	5%	10%	15%
0	1.000	1.000	1.000
5	1.276	1.611	2.011
10	1.629	2.594	4.046
15	2.079	4.177	8.137
20	2.653	6.727	16.367



# Example 3-8 Single Payment Compound Interest Formulas

\$100 were deposited in a saving account (pays 6% compounded quarterly) for 1 year



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	ID	$i$	$n$	$PMT$	$PV$	$FV$	Answer	Formula
2	3-8	1.5%	4	0	-100		\$106.14	=FV(B2,C2,D2,E2)

# Nominal & Effective Interest

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- Nominal interest rate/year: the annual interest rate w/o considering the effect of any compounding.
  - 12%/year
- Interest rate/period: the nominal interest rate/year divided by the number of interest compounding periods.
  - $(12\%/\text{year})/(12 \text{ months/year}) = 1\%/\text{month}$

# Effective Interest Rate

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The *effective interest rate* is given by the formula:

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

where  $r$  = nominal annual interest rate

$m$  = number of compounding periods per year

# Example 3-9 Nominal & Effective Interest Rates

If a credit card charges 1.5% interest every month, what are the nominal & effective interest rates per year?

$$r = 12 \times 1.5\% = 18\%$$

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

$$i_a = \left(1 + \frac{0.18}{12}\right)^{12} - 1 = 0.1956 = 19.56\%$$

	A	B	C	D	E
1	Nominal annual rate, $r$	Periods per year, $m$	Effective rate, $i_a$	Answer	Spreadsheet Function
2	18.0%	12		19.56%	=EFFECT(A2,B2)

## Example 3-10 Application of Nominal & Effective Interest Rates

"If I give you \$100 today, you will write me a check for \$120, which you will redeem or I will cash on your next payday in 2 weeks."

$$\text{Bi-weekly interest rate} = (\$120 - 100)/100 = 20\%$$

$$\text{Nominal annual rate} = 20\% * 26 = 520\%$$

$$i_a = \left(1 + \frac{5.20}{26}\right)^{26} - 1 = 113.48 = 11,348\%$$

End of year balance owed = \$100 principal + \$11,348 interest

$$F = P(1 + i)^n = 100(1 + 0.20)^{26} = \$11,448$$

# A credit card's APR is 12% with monthly compounding

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What is the effective interest rate?

- A. 12.00%
- B. 14.4%
- C. 4.095%
- D. 12.68%
- E. None of the above

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$$= \left(1 + \frac{0.12}{12}\right)^{12} - 1$$

# Example 3-11 Application of Continuous Compounding

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6% interest compounded continuously.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Effective interest rate} &= e^r - 1 \\ &= e^{0.06} - 1 = 0.0618 \\ &= 6.18\%\end{aligned}$$