

Task 1

Principal : \$ 20 000

Period : 60 months

Fixed interest : 10%

Monthly rate : 0,1 / 12

$$PV = \frac{M}{(1+r)}$$

This is only for a single period, I need the entire period,

$$PV = M \left(\frac{1}{(1+r)^1} + \frac{1}{(1+r)^2} \dots \frac{1}{(1+r)^n} \right)$$

This is a geometric series

$$S_n = \left(\frac{1}{(1+r)^1} + \frac{1}{(1+r)^2} \dots \frac{1}{(1+r)^n} \right) = a \frac{1-x^n}{1-x} \quad \text{where } a = \frac{1}{1+r}, \quad x = \frac{1}{1+r}$$

$$PV = M S_n = M a \cdot \frac{1-x^n}{1-x} = M \left(\frac{1}{1+r} \cdot \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{1+r}\right)^n}{1 - \frac{1}{1+r}} \right) = M \frac{1 - (1+r)^{-n}}{r}$$

$$PV = \frac{M (1 - (1+r)^{-n})}{r}$$

$$M = \frac{PV \cdot r}{(1 - (1+r)^{-n})}$$

$$= \frac{20\,000 \cdot 0,1/12}{1 - \left(1 + \frac{0,1}{12}\right)^{-60}} = 424,94$$

The monthly payment is \$ 424,94