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The following short list of symbols are used throughout the document. The symbols represent quantities that I tried to use consistently.

π	3.1415926...
E	mc^2
F	ma
R_e	Mean Radius of the Earth ≈ 6367.65 km
e	Base of Natural Logarithms $\approx 2.71828...$
P	The principal borrowed
N	The number of payments
i	The fractional (periodic) interest rate
P_j	The principal part of payment j
I_j	The interest part of payment j
B	A final balloon payment
x	The regular payment
R	The principal remaining after r payments
r	Some number of payments such that $0 < r < N$
R_j	The principal remaining after j payments
A_j	The total interest paid out after j payments

ABSTRACT

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