

# Loan Calculator

Your assignment: Create a simple loan calculator system. You are free to use any IDE you like.

Here are the requirements:

- The user should be prompted to enter the following fields:
  - Loan amount
  - Interest rate
  - Number of years
- The program should output:
  - The monthly payment amount
  - The total amount paid back
  - The compound interest
- The user should have the option to display a table of all payments with the following headers:
  - Payment no.
  - Amount
  - Interest
  - Principal
  - Remaining Balance

This project is worth **50%** of your overall grade.

**Table 1: Marking Scheme**

	UNSATISFACTORY [-100%] NOTE: ANY UNSATISFACTORY CRITERIA WILL RESULT IN A ZERO GRADE FOR THAT SECTION OF THE ASSIGNMENT	SATISFACTORY NOTE: MUST NOT INCLUDE ANY "UNSATISFACTORY" CRITERIA	GOOD NOTE: MUST ALSO INCLUDE ALL "SATISFACTORY" CRITERIA, AND NO "UNSATISFACTORY" CRITERIA	EXCELLENT NOTE: MUST ALSO INCLUDE ALL "GOOD" CRITERIA, AND NO "UNSATISFACTORY" CRITERIA
<b>DELIVERY</b> [WEIGHT: 21%]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>COMPLETED LESS THAN 75% OF THE REQUIREMENTS.</li> <li>NOT DELIVERED ON TIME OR NOT IN CORRECT FORMAT (DISK, EMAIL, CANVAS, PRINTOUT ETC.)</li> <li>DOES NOT COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS (DOES SOMETHING OTHER THAN REQUIREMENTS).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>COMPLETED AT LEAST 75% OF THE REQUIREMENTS.</li> <li>DELIVERED ON TIME, AND IN CORRECT FORMAT.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>COMPLETED BETWEEN 80-99% OF THE REQUIREMENTS.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>COMPLETED 100% OF REQUIREMENTS</li> </ul>
<b>CODING STANDARDS</b> [WEIGHT: 21%]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NO PROGRAMMER NAME INCLUDED</li> <li>POOR USE OF WHITE SPACE (INDENTATION, BLANK LINES) MAKING CODE HARD TO READ.</li> <li>DISORGANIZED AND MESSY AMBIGUOUS IDENTIFIERS.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>INCLUDES NAME, AND ASSIGNMENT TITLE.</li> <li>WHITE SPACE MAKES PROGRAM FAIRLY EASY TO READ.</li> <li>ORGANIZED WORK.</li> <li>GOOD USE OF VARIABLES.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GOOD USE OF WHITE SPACE.</li> <li>ORGANIZED WORK.</li> <li>GOOD USE OF VARIABLES AND CONSTANTS</li> <li>MINIMUM LINE-WRAP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EXCELLENT USE OF WHITE SPACE.</li> <li>CREATIVELY ORGANIZED WORK.</li> <li>EXCELLENT USE OF VARIABLES AND CONSTANTS.</li> <li>NO LINE-WRAP</li> </ul>
<b>DOCUMENTATION</b> [WEIGHT: 7%]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NO DOCUMENTATION INCLUDED.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BASIC DOCUMENTATION HAS BEEN COMPLETED INCLUDING A SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS.</li> <li>PURPOSE IS NOTED FOR EACH FUNCTION.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PURPOSE IS NOTED FOR EACH FUNCTION AND CONTROL STRUCTURE.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SPECIFIC PURPOSE IS NOTED FOR EACH FUNCTION, CONTROL STRUCTURE, INPUT REQUIREMENTS, AND OUTPUT RESULTS.</li> </ul>
<b>RUNTIME</b> [WEIGHT: 14%]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DOES NOT EXECUTE DUE TO SYNTAX ERRORS.</li> <li>DOES NOT EXECUTE DUE TO RUNTIME ERRORS (ENDLESS LOOP, CRASHES ETC.)</li> <li>USER PROMPTS ARE MISLEADING OR NON-EXISTENT.</li> <li>NO TESTING HAS BEEN COMPLETED.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EXECUTES WITHOUT ERRORS.</li> <li>USER PROMPTS CONTAIN LITTLE INFORMATION, POOR DESIGN.</li> <li>SOME TESTING HAS BEEN COMPLETED.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EXECUTES WITHOUT ERRORS.</li> <li>USER PROMPTS ARE UNDERSTANDABLE, MINIMUM USE OF SYMBOLS OR SPACING IN OUTPUT.</li> <li>THOROUGH TESTING HAS BEEN COMPLETED</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EXECUTES WITHOUT ERRORS</li> <li>EXCELLENT USER PROMPTS, GOOD USE OF SYMBOLS, SPACING IN OUTPUT.</li> <li>THOROUGH AND ORGANIZED TESTING HAS BEEN COMPLETED AND OUTPUT FROM TEST CASES IS INCLUDED.</li> </ul>
<b>EFFICIENCY</b> [WEIGHT: 7%]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A DIFFICULT AND INEFFICIENT SOLUTION.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A LOGICAL SOLUTION THAT IS EASY TO FOLLOW BUT IT IS NOT THE MOST EFFICIENT.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SOLUTION IS EFFICIENT AND EASY TO FOLLOW (I.E. NO CONFUSING TRICKS).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SOLUTION IS EFFICIENT, EASY TO UNDERSTAND, AND MAINTAIN.</li> </ul>
<b>PROJECT REPORT</b> [WEIGHT: 30%]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NOT DELIVERED ON TIME</li> <li>DOES NOT FOLLOW STATED FORMAT</li> <li>NO COVER PAGE</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>FOLLOWS STATED FORMAT</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HAS COVER PAGE WITH PROJECT TITLE, LECTURER &amp; STUDENT NAMES</li> <li>HAS TABLE OF CONTENTS</li> <li>CONTENT IS COHERENT</li> <li>CONSISTENT FONT SIZE AND STYLE</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CONTENT IS DESCRIPTIVE, COHERENT &amp; GRAMMATICALLY CORRECT</li> <li>REFERENCES IN APA FORMAT</li> </ul>

**A project report must be included adhering to the following format:**

- Cover Page
- Table of Content
- Abstract
- General Terms
- Keywords
  1. Introduction
  2. Designing Functions
    - State the use of each function present in your code
  3. Algorithm
    - Describe step-by-step how the program cycle executes
      - Pseudocode
      - Flowchart
  4. Output from test cases
    - Include screenshots of output from test cases with brief description
  5. Conclusion & Future Scope
  6. References

**Breakdown of total grade:**

**Code – 70%**

**Report – 30%**