

B0684

Economic Engineering Analysis

Time Value of Money



Learning Objective

- Cash Flow Diagram (CFD)
- Single cash flow calculation
 - Future worth
 - Present worth
- Multiple cash flow calculation
 - Irregular cash flow
 - Uniform series
 - Gradient series
 - Geometric series
- Compounding frequency
 - Period interest rate
 - Effective annual interest rate

This chapter is **very important!!**

It serves as a foundation for the remainder of the module.

CASH FLOW DIAGRAMS

- A diagram depicting the **magnitude** and **timing** of cash **flowing in** and **out** of the investment alternative.

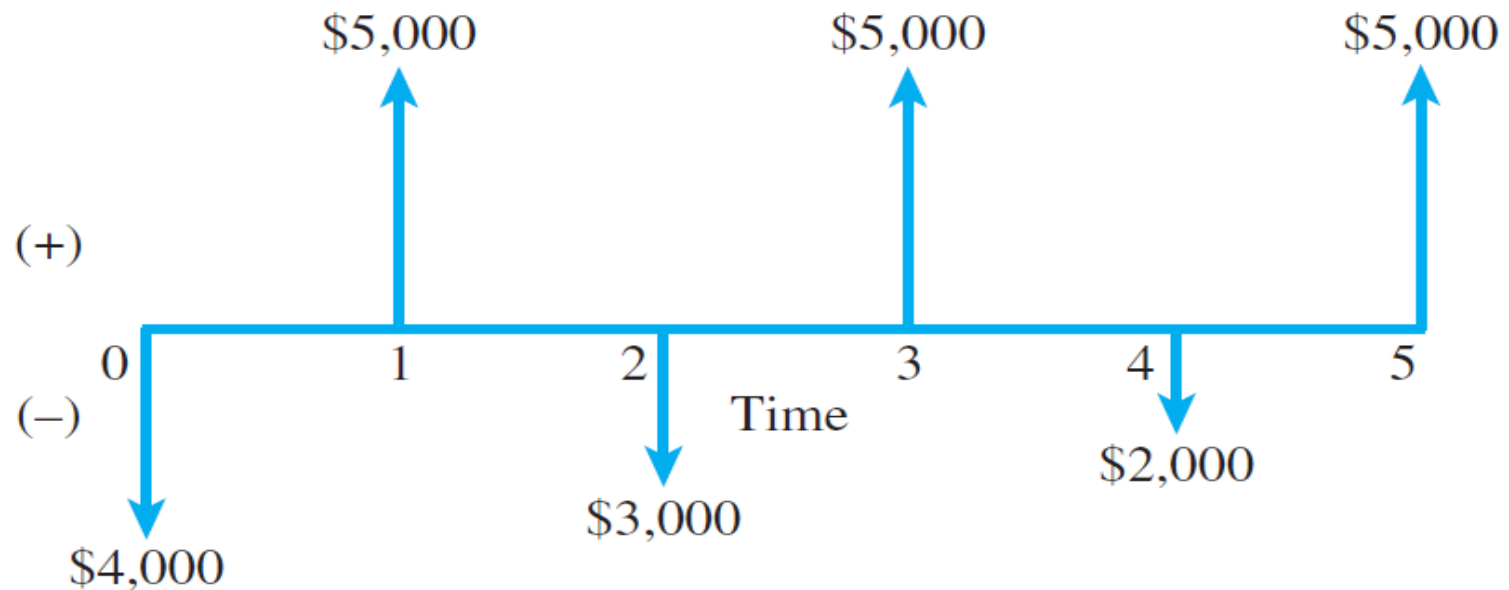
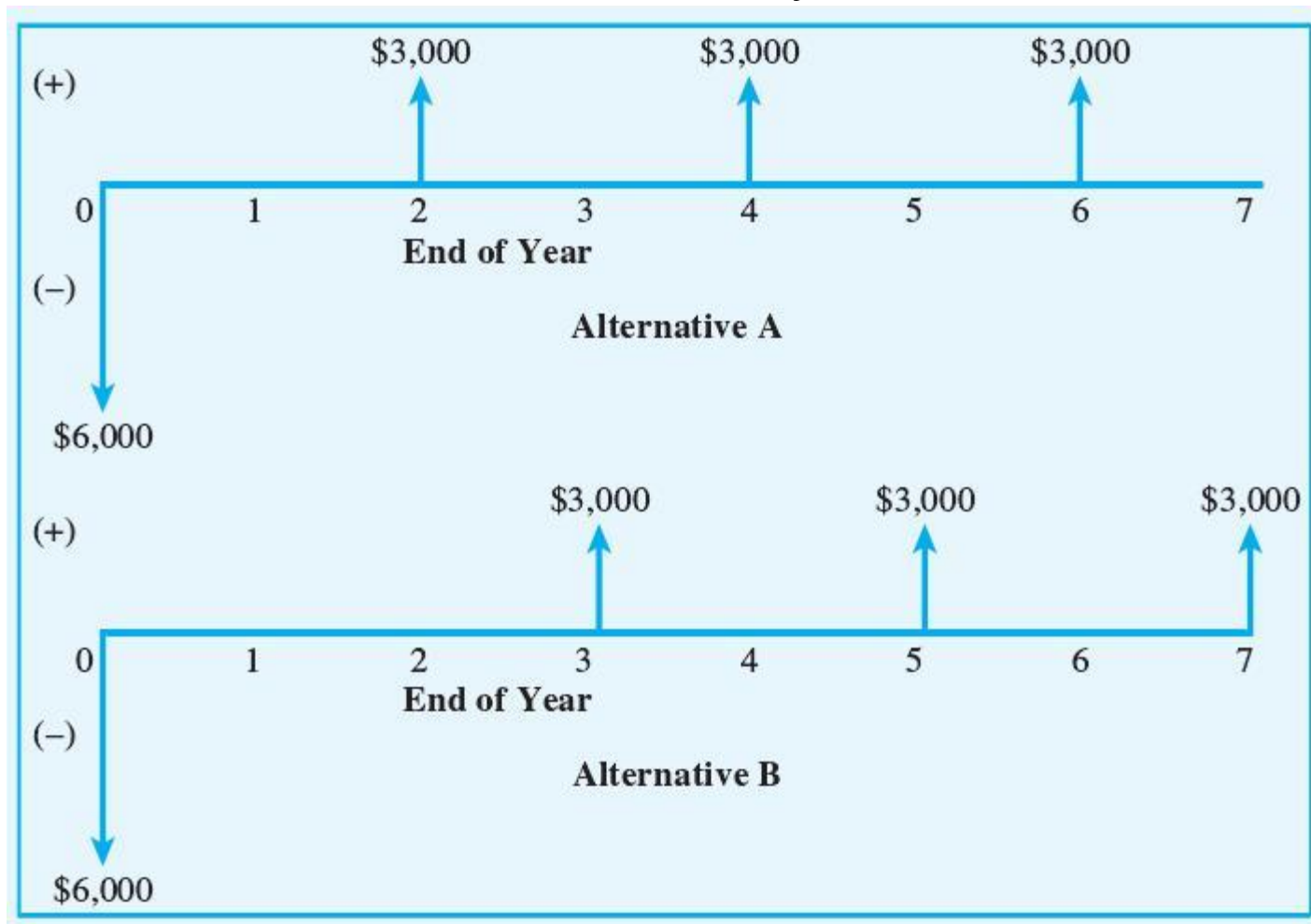


FIGURE 2.1 A Cash Flow Diagram (CFD)

- A horizontal line as a time scale
- Vertical arrows indicating cash flows
 - An upward arrow indicates a cash inflow or positive-valued cash flow (receipts)
 - A downward arrow indicates a cash outflow or negative-valued cash flow (expenditures)
- The lengths of the arrows suggest the magnitudes of cash flows (but not precisely)

Which investment alternative will you choose?



Recall TVOM, when receiving a given sum of money, we prefer to receive it **sooner!**

Alternative A is preferred to Alternative B

- **End-of-period** cash flows, end-of-year cash flows, end-of-period compounding, are assumed unless otherwise noted
- The end of period t is the beginning of period $t+1$
- The role of CFDs:
 - Clearly communicate cash flows (than words do)
 - Identify cash flow patterns (e.g., a uniform/gradient/geometric series)

SINGLE CASH FLOWS

The simplest scenario: there is only one cash flow in the planning horizon.

Compound interest is used in almost all business and lending situations:

Interest should be charged (or earned) against both the principal and accumulated interest to date.

Future Worth

$$F_n = F_{n-1}(1+i)$$

$F_0 = P$, where P is the **present value** of a single sum of money; F_n is the accumulated value of P over n years; i – interest rate

$$I_n = \sum_{t=1}^n iF_{t-1}$$

I_n – the accumulated (total) interest over n years

Illustration

Suppose you loan \$10,000 for 1 year to an individual who agrees to pay you interest at a compound rate of 10 percent/year. At the end of 1 year, the individual asks to extend the loan period an additional year. The borrower repeats the process several more times. Five years after loaning the person the \$10,000, how much would the individual owe you?

Year	Unpaid Balance at the Beginning of the Year	Annual Interest	Payment	Unpaid Balance at the End of the Year
1	\$10,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$11,000.00
2	\$11,000.00	\$1,100.00	\$0.00	\$12,100.00
3	\$12,100.00	\$1,210.00	\$0.00	\$13,310.00
4	\$13,310.00	\$1,331.00	\$0.00	\$14,641.00
5	\$14,641.00	\$1,464.10	\$16,105.10	\$0.00

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

P = present worth.

F = future worth. F occurs n periods after P.

i = the interest rate, expressed as a decimal or percentage.

n = the number of interest periods.

- $(1+i)^n$ is referred to as *the single sum, future worth factor*.
- It is denoted $(F|P\ i\%,\ n)$, and reads “**the F, given P factor at i% for n periods**” Thus,

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

Excel financial function **FV**

- Parameters in order: **interest rate (i)**, **number of periods (n)**, **equal-sized cash flow per period (A)**, **present amount (P)**, and type [either end-of-period cash flows (0 or omitted) or beginning-of-period cash flows (1)].
- Entering the following in any cell in an Excel spreadsheet:
=FV(i,n,,-P).
- A negative value is entered for P**, since the sign of the value obtained for F by using the FV function will be opposite the sign used for P.
- The FV function was developed for a loan situation where \$P are loaned (negative cash flow) in order to receive \$F (positive cash flow)
- If you enter P rather than -P, F comes out negative. Remember to change the sign!

Use the Excel function **FV** to calculate the illustration example.

`=FV(0.1,5,, -10000)`

	C12		<i>fx</i>
	A	B	C
1			
2		\$16,105.10 ←	=FV(10%,5,, -10000)
3			
4		\$16,105.10 ←	=FV(0.1,5,, -10000)
5			
6		-\$16,105.10 ←	=FV(10%,5,, 10000)
7			
8		-\$16,105.10 ←	=FV(0.1,5,, 10000)

Example

Dia St. John borrows \$1,000 at 12 percent compounded annually. The loan is to be paid back after 5 years. How much should she repay?

- Solution 1: Using the compound interest tables in Appendix A for 12% and 5 periods, the value of *the single sum, future worth factor* ($F|P\ 12\%,5$) is shown to be 1.76234. Thus, $F = P(F|P\ 12\%,5) = \$1,000 * 1.76234 = \$1,762.34$
- Solution 2*: Using the Excel **FV** worksheet function, $F = FV(12\%,5,, -1000) = 1762.34$

Question: how long does it take for an investment to double?

if it earns (a) 2 percent, (b) 4 percent, or (c) 12 percent annual compound interest?

- Solution 1: Rule of 72

The quotient of 72 and the interest rate provides a reasonably good approximation of the number of interest periods required to double the value of an investment.

a. $n \approx 72/2 = 36$ yrs

b. $n \approx 72/4 = 18$ yrs

c. $n \approx 72/12 = 6$ yrs

Question: how long does it take for an investment to double?

if it earns (a) 2 percent, (b) 4 percent, or (c) 12 percent annual compound interest?

- Solution 2: mathematics

solve mathematically for n such that $(1 + i)^n = 2$
gives $n = \log 2 / \log(1 + i)$. Therefore,

a. $n = \log 2 / \log 1.02 = 35.003$ yrs;

b. $n = \log 2 / \log 1.04 = 17.673$ yrs;

c. $n = \log 2 / \log 1.12 = 6.116$ yrs.

Question: how long does it take for an investment to double?

if it earns (a) 2 percent, (b) 4 percent, or (c) 12 percent annual compound interest?

- Solution 3*: Excel **NPER** (Number of periods) function parameters in order: interest rate, equal-sized cash flow per period, present amount, future amount, and type. Letting F equal 2 and P equal -1, the **NPER** function yields
 - a. $n = \text{NPER}(2\%,, -1,2) = 35.003$ yrs
 - b. $n = \text{NPER}(4\%,, -1,2) = 17.673$ yrs
 - c. $n = \text{NPER}(12\%,, -1,2) = 6.116$ yrs

Present Worth

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

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

or, $P = F(P|F \ i\%, n)$

- $(1+i)^{-n}$ and $(P|F \ i\%, n)$ are referred to as *the single sum, present worth factor*.
- Using Excel financial function **PV** (present value).
- The parameters in order: interest rate (i), number of periods (n), equal-sized cash flow per period (A), future amount (F), and type.
- To solve for P when given i, n, and F, the following can be entered in any cell in an Excel spreadsheet:

=PV(i,n,,-F)

Illustration

Suppose you wish to accumulate \$10,000 in a savings account 4 years from now, and the account pays interest at a rate of 5 percent compounded annually. How much must be deposited today?

- using the Excel **PV** worksheet function,
- $P = PV(5\%, 4, , -10000) = \8227.02

MULTIPLE CASH FLOWS

- We have considered single cash flow.
- We will extend our analysis to multiple cash flows.
- Begin with multiple cash flows that do not exhibit a pattern.
- Follow with cash flow series that form a pattern(the uniform/gradient /geometric series), allowing the use of shortcuts in determining PV and FV.

Irregular Cash Flows

- When there're more than one cash flow,
 - the present worth can be determined by adding the present worth of the individual cash flows.
 - the future worth can be determined by adding the future worth of the individual cash flows.
- let A_t denote a cash flow at the end of time period t , the present worth,

$$P = A_1(1+i)^{-1} + A_2(1+i)^{-2} + A_3(1+i)^{-3} + \cdots + A_{n-1}(1+i)^{-(n-1)} + A_n(1+i)^{-n} \quad (2.8)$$

- or, $P = \sum_{t=1}^n A_t(1+i)^{-t}$
- or, $P = \sum_{t=1}^n A_t(P|F \ i\%, t)$

Illustration

Consider the following CFD. Using an interest rate of 6 percent per interest period, what is the present worth equivalent of cash flows?

