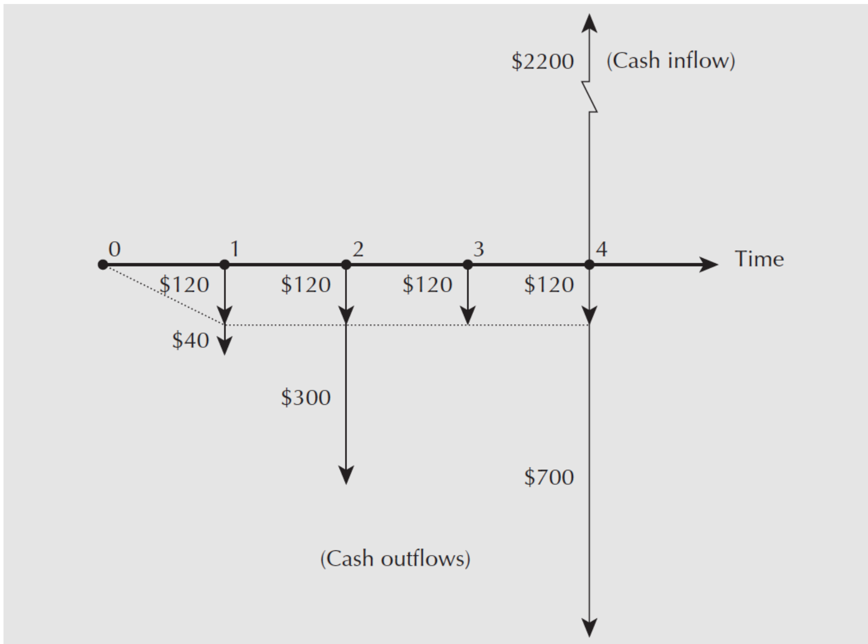
MSCI 261 Midterm Review (Chpt. 2-5)

Cash Flow Diagrams



- Cash inflows and outflows are represented by arrows
- Each "year" point represents the *beginning* of that year

Interest

- **Compound interest**: $F = P(1+i)^N$
  - F = future value (value at the end of year N)
  - P = present value (value at the beginning of year 0)
  - i = interest rate (per period)
  - N = number of compounding periods
- **Simple interest**: $F = PN(1+i)$
- **Nominal interest rate**: i_s
  - "Normal" way of stating interest rate
  - If annual nominal rate = 12%/year, then monthly nominal rate = 1%/month
- **Effective interest rate**: i_e
  - "Actual" interest rate
  - Suppose i_s is stated over a "small" period

- Then i_e over a "large" period, which consists of m small periods, is

$$i_e = (1 + i_s)^m - 1$$

- i.e. effective interest is the rate such that $P(1 + i_s)^m = P(1 + i_e)$

- **Converting nominal annual to effective annual rate**:

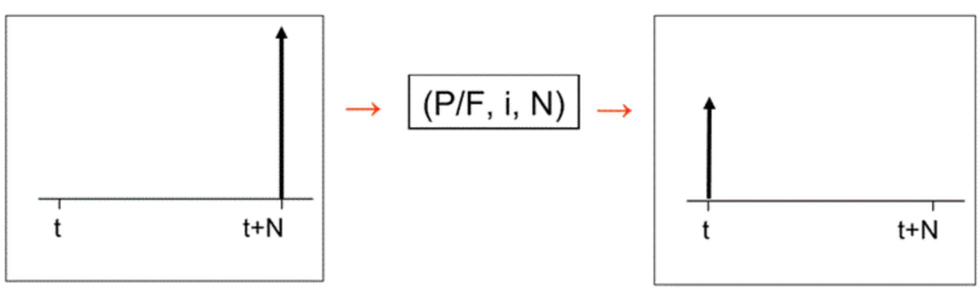
$$i_e = (1 + \frac{i_s}{m})^m - 1 \qquad \text{where } m = \text{number of compounding periods in a year}$$

- Continuous compounding – compounding period is infinitesimally small

$$\begin{aligned} i_e &= \lim_{m\to\infty} \left(1 + \frac{i_s}{m}\right)^m - 1 \\ &= e^{i_s} - 1 \end{aligned}$$

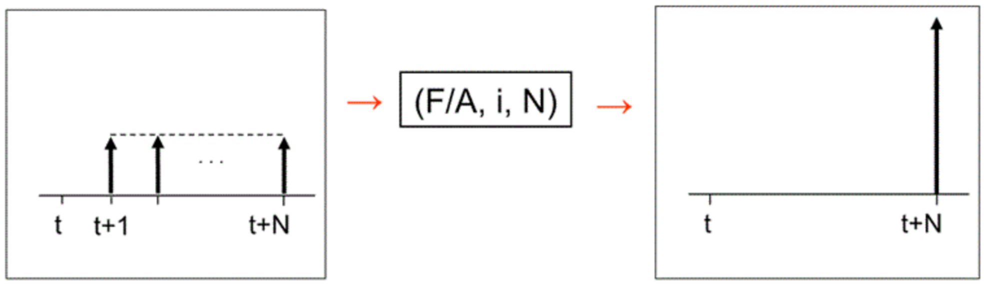
Compound Interest Factors

- Compound interest factors are just notations to represent formulas used to calculate F (future value), P (present value), or A (annuity).
- e.g. $(F/P, i, N) \rightarrow$ returns F, given P, i, and N
- **Compound amount factor** $= (F/P, i, N) = (1 + i)^N$
  - Given how much a payment is worth now, how much is it worth in N years?
  - $F = P(F/P, i, N)$
- **Present worth factor** $= (P/F, i, N) = \dfrac{1}{(1 + i)^N}$
  - Given how much a payment will be worth in N years, how much is it worth now?
  - $P = F(P/F, i, N)$

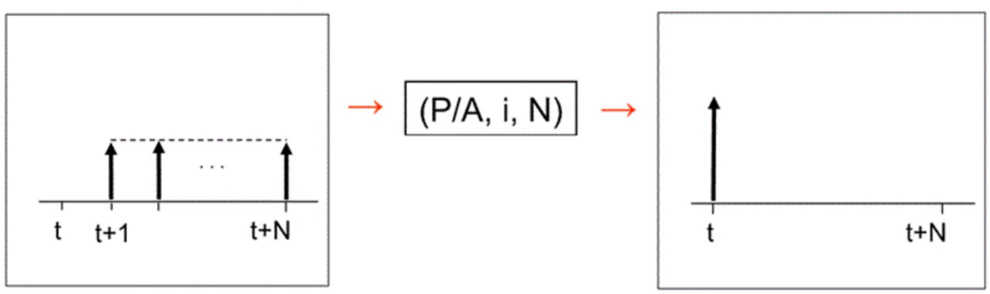


- **Sinking fund factor** $= (A/F, i, N) = \dfrac{i}{(1 + i)^N - 1}$
  - Given how much an amount should be worth in N years, how much should I deposit/pay each year (i.e. annuity) ?
  - $A = F(A/F, i, N)$
- **Uniform series compound amount factor** $= (F/A, i, N) = \dfrac{(1 + i)^N - 1}{i}$

  - If I deposit/pay A each year, how much will it be worth in N years?
  - $F = A(F/A, i, N)$



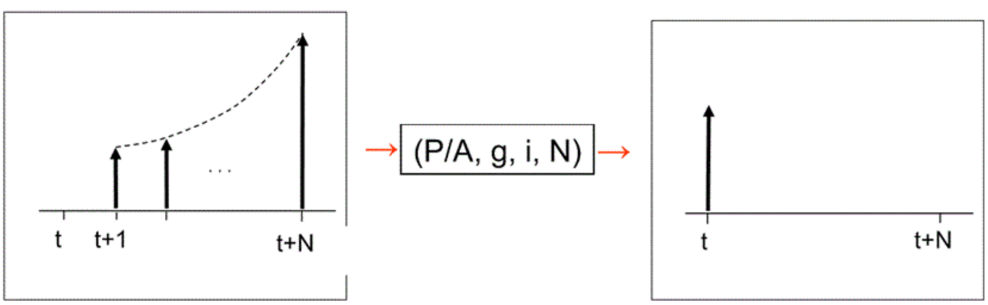
- **Capital recovery factor** $= (A/P, i, N) = \dfrac{i(1+i)^N}{(1+i)^N - 1}$
  - Given how much a payment is worth now, how much should I deposit/pay each year in order to recover this payment in N years?
  - $A = P(A/P, i, N)$
- **Series present worth factor** $= (P/A, i, N) = \dfrac{(1+i)^N - 1}{i(1+i)^N}$
  - If I despoit/pay A each year for N years, how much is it all worth today?
  - $P = A(P/A, i, N)$



Conversion Factors

- **Arithmetic gradient to annuity conversion factor** $= (A/G, i, N) = \dfrac{1}{i} - \dfrac{N}{(1+i)^N - 1}$
  - Returns an annuity value, **not** the present worth
  - Annuity increases/decreases by an amount G each year
    - Year 1: $A = A'$
    - Year 2: $A = A' + G$
    - Year 3: $A = A' + 2G$
    - Year N: $A = A' + (N-1)G$
  - $A_{total} = A_{base} + G(A/G, i, N)$, then $P = A_{total}(P/A, i, N)$, etc.

- **Geometric gradient to present worth conversion factor** $= (P/A, g, i, N) = \dfrac{(P/A, i^o, N)}{1+g}$
  - Annuity grows by a rate g each year
    - Year 1: $A = A'$
    - Year 2: $A = A'(1+g)$
    - Year 3: $A = A'(1+g)^2$
    - Year N: $A = A'(1+g)^{N-1}$
  - **Growth-adjusted interest rate** $= i^o = \dfrac{1+i}{1+g} - 1$
  - If $g = i > 0$, the growth rate cancels the interest rate so $i^o = 0$, and $P = \dfrac{NA}{1+g}$



Calculating Present and Future Worth

- Present worth can also be calculated as = sum of revenue − cost in each year, divided by the discount in that year $(1+i)^k$
  - $PW = -C_{initial} + \dfrac{R_1 - C_1}{(1+i)^1} + \dfrac{R_2 - C_2}{(1+i)^2} + \ldots + \dfrac{R_N - C_N}{(1+i)^N}$
- If payment period $\neq$ compound period for annuities,