

**IE2111 ISE Principles & Practice II**  
**Solutions to Assignment #1**

(a) Effective monthly rate =  $0.06 / 12$   
= 0.005 or **0.5% per month**

(b) Effective annual rate =  $\left(1 + \frac{0.06}{12}\right)^{12} - 1$   
= 0.061678 or **6.1678%** per year

(c) End-of-Month payment amount =  $100,000 [A/P, 0.5\%, 60]$   
=  $100,000 (0.0193328)$   
= **\$ 1,933.28**

- (d) Immediately after the 36<sup>th</sup> payment, there are 24 more monthly payments of \$1,933.28 each to go. The balance still owe to the bank is the present equivalent value at the end of the 36<sup>th</sup> month, of the 24 more outstanding monthly payments.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Balance owed} &= 1,933.28 [P/A, 0.5\%, 24] \\ &= 1,933.28 (22.562866) \\ &= \mathbf{\$ 43,620.34}\end{aligned}$$

- (e) If Jane now pays this outstanding balance over the next 12 months, new monthly payment amount is

$$\begin{aligned}&= 43,620.34 [A/P, 0.5\%, 12] \\ &= 43,620.34 (0.086066430) \\ &= \mathbf{\$ 3,754.25}\end{aligned}$$

- (f) Donald can afford to pay only \$1,609 per month for a \$100,000 loan at 9% per year compounded monthly. Let  $N$  be the number of months needed to repay the loan.

$$100,000 [A/P, 9\%/12, N] = 1,609$$

$$100,000 \left( \frac{0.0075(1 + 0.0075)^N}{(1 + 0.0075)^N - 1} \right) = 1,609$$

Using any equation solver:  $N = 83.9933$  months

Hence Donald will require **84 months** to pay back the loan.