Problem 1

Let's first get the interest for the sub-period (i_s) ,

$$i_s = \frac{4\%}{12} = \frac{1}{300}$$

Given the future, F, of \$1,000,000, we can the monthly saving A as,

$$\$1000000 \cdot \frac{i_s}{(1+i_s)^{500}-1} = \$778.846$$

Therefore, \$779/month.

Problem 2

Let's convert the initial cost of \$35000 and the salvage value of \$40000 to an annual cost-benefit,

$$-\$35000 \cdot \frac{0.08 \cdot 1.08^8}{1.08^8 - 1} = -\$6090.5166$$
$$\$40000 \cdot \frac{0.08}{1.08^8 - 1} = \$3760.59$$

Given the annual net saving of \$2,000, per year the equivalent annual(A) is

$$-\$6090.5166 + \$3760.59 + \$2000 = -\$329.926$$

So roughly -\$330 a year, this is not desirable.

Problem 3

(a) The nominal interest rate is 4.2%, thus the sub-period interest becomes $i_s = 4.2\%/12$. 25 years becomes $N = 25 \cdot 12 = 300$ months.

$$A = \$445000 \cdot \frac{i_s(1+i_s)^{300}}{(1+i_s)^{300}-1} = \$2398.293/\text{month}$$

Thus, \$2398 /month.

(b)

$$$445000 \cdot \frac{i_s(1+i_s)^n}{(1+i_s)^n - 1} = $3000/\text{month}$$

$$(1+i_s)^n = \frac{1200}{577} = (1.0035)^n$$

$$n = \log_{1.0035} \frac{1200}{577} = 209.575781$$

Rounded up, it would take 210 months.

(c)

The monthly payment being 40% more than (a) would be

$$2398.293/month \cdot 1.4 = 3357.6102/month$$

$$$445000 \cdot \frac{i_s(1+i_s)^n}{(1+i_s)^n - 1} = $3357.6102/\text{month}$$

$$(1+i_s)^n = (1.0035)^n = 1.865225$$

$$n = \log_{1.0035} 1.865225 = 178.421$$

Rounded up, it would take 179 months.

Problem 4

Let's first convert all the costs to present value with $i_s=\frac{0.12}{12}=0.01$ and N=240.

The initial cost, -\$6,000,000.

Salvage value,

$$(\$2.2M + \$4M \cdot 0.4) \cdot \frac{1}{(1+i_s)^{240}} = \$348862.1788$$

Annual operating and maintenance,

$$-\$640000/12 = -\$53333.333$$

Annual property taxes and insurance,

$$-\$6.2 \cdot 10^6 \cdot 0.04/12 = -\$20666.66667$$

(a)

In order to have a 12% internal rate of return, let's say the monthly lease is x. We need to satisfy,

$$-\$6.2 \cdot 10^6 + \$348862.1788 + (-\$53333.333 - \$20666.6667 + x) \cdot \frac{(1+i_s)^{240} - 1}{i_s(1+i_s)^{240}} = 0$$

$$$5851137.821 = (x - $73999.99967) \cdot 90.81942$$

$$\therefore x = $138426$$

The x we solved for indicates the total lease for 10,000 ft², thus the monthly lease per square foot is \$13.84.

(b)

We just need to divide x from above by 9,500 ft², therefore \$14.57.

Problem 5

$$7500 = 2000 \cdot \frac{(1+i_s)^5 - 1}{i_s(1+i_s)^5}$$

Solving for i_s we get $i_s=10.4\%$

Problem 6

If we use option (1), we pay \$40,000 immediately and we pay annually,

$$A = \$60000 \cdot \frac{0.06(1.06)^4}{1.06^4 - 1} = \$17315.48954$$

If we use option (2), we pay immediately $$100000 \cdot 0.95 = 95000 .

Year	Option 2	Option 1	Option 2 - Option 1
0	-95000	-40000	-55000
1		-17315	17315
2		-17315	17315
3		-17315	17315
4		-17315	17315

The IRR becomes,

$$-55000 + \frac{17315}{1+i} + \frac{17315}{(1+i)^2} + \frac{17315}{(1+i)^3} + \frac{17315}{(1+i)^4} = 0$$

Solving for i we get, i=0.099044=9.9% which is the effective annual interest rate.

Problem 7

For X, using IRR analysis,

$$-2500 + 900 \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{1+i_x} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+i_x}^4\right)}{1 - \frac{1}{1+i_x}} = 0$$
$$i_x = 16.37\%$$

For Y, using IRR analysis,

$$-1500 + 600 \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{1+i_y} \cdot (1 - \frac{1}{1+i_y}^4)}{1 - \frac{1}{1+i_y}} = 0$$
$$i_y = 24.54\%$$

Considering, that Y has a higher internal rate of return we should choose Y.

Problem 8

Let's use IRR analysis to compare the IRR for each project.

A,

$$-50000 + 12500 \cdot \frac{(1+i_a)^5 - 1}{i_a(1+i_a)^5} + 5000 \cdot \frac{1}{(1+i_a)^5} = 0$$
$$i_a = 10.36\%$$

B,
$$-50000 + 8300 \cdot \frac{(1+i_b)^{10} - 1}{i_b(1+i_b)^{10}} + 3000 \cdot \frac{1}{(1+i_b)^{10}} = 0$$

$$i_b = 10.97\%$$

C,
$$-50000 + 10500 \cdot \frac{(1+i_c)^7 - 1}{i_c(1+i_c)^7} + 3000 \cdot \frac{1}{(1+i_c)^7} = 0$$

$$i_c = 11.55\%$$

D,
$$-50000 + 9500 \cdot \frac{(1+i_d)^8 - 1}{i_d(1+i_d)^8} + 6000 \cdot \frac{1}{(1+i_d)^8} = 0$$

$$i_d = 11.79\%$$

(a)

Given the capital budget of \$100,000, we can fund two projects, thus from the internal rate of return solved from above we should fund projects C and D.

(b)

The next best option would be funding B and D. Thus, the opportunity cost is the IRR forgone by not choosing B. 10.97%