Allgemeine Klausurtipps

Definitionen ziemlich direkt auswendig lernen. - Supply Chain - Supply Chain Management - Focal Company Net-Present-Value: Zu einfach, um in der Klasur dran zukommen

Vorwort

Im Folgenden aufgabenweise die Übungen, zum Bearbeitenden nützliche Informationen und Lösungen.

Produktion

Investition / Finanzierung

Exercise 1 (1-A2)

What are the three main types of decision a financial manager can make? For each decision, give a relevant example.

Joint Venture between Chrysler and Fiat:

• Investment: to assess the viability of the joint venture

• Finance: How to fund the joint venture

• Liquidity: management (?)

Exercise 2 (1-A3)

Evaluate the following statement: "Managers should not focus on the current share price because doing so will lead to an overemphasis on short-term profits at the expense of long-term profits."

- this has always been a critisicm of company managers have focused on maximizing share prices because it was linked to their persoanl remuneration example crunch of 2008
- Some of the banks which where hardest hit had the best share price returns in the years

Exercise 3 (1A6)

Many companies view a stock market listing as an important objective.

- a) Why do you think this is the case?
- b) Why do you think Google listed on a stock exchange?

a)

- the financicial markets are one of serveral avenues through which companies can access funding
- the financial markets are massive
- · cheap source of captial

b)

• Google listed on the stock market because it needed extensive funding at an acceptable price level

Exercise 4 (1-A7)

The 2007 annual report for Anglo American plc, the world's leading global mining company, shows that the firm had \in 34.042 billion in non-current assets and \in 9.962 billion in current assets. It reported \in 11.480 billion in current liabilities and \in 8.665 billion in non-current liabilities. How much has the equity of Anglo American plc worth?

Equity = Total Assets - Total Liabilities = (9.662 + 34.0442) - (11.480 + 8.665) = 23.859 billion

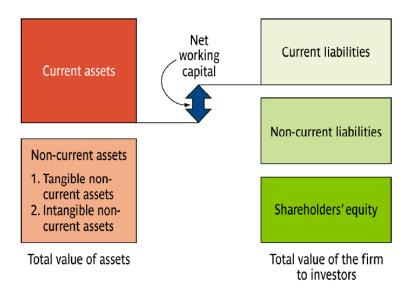


Abbildung 1: Bilanzübersicht

Exercise 5 (1-A8)

Anlgo American plc announces that it plans to increase its non-current assets by € 10 billion. If the company whishes to maintain its ratio of total liabilities to quity, how much long-term debt should it use?

Step 1: Determine liability/equity ratio:
 Liability / Equity = 20.145/23.856 = 0.844

2/17

• Step 2: To find the current weightings of debt and quity in the new funding, you must actually calculate a new ratio, liability/assets:

Liability/total assets = 20.145/44.004 = 0,457799

- Step 3: The debt raised is thus:
 4.5779 billion and equity is 5.4200 billion = 10 billion
- Step 4: Check the new liability/equity ratio
 new level of liabilites = 24.7229 billion new level of equity = € 29.2810 biollion
- The new ratio is: € 24.7229 billion/29.2810 billion = 0,844 the same as before

Exercise 6 (1-A10)

Your company has just purchased a forklift truck, and has two payment options:

- (a) pay 10,00 Swedish kroner every meonth for 12 months
- (b) pay 1.200.000 swedish kroner at the end of the year

Which option would you choose? Why?

	Annuity	PV(CF)	One Payment	PV(CF)
1	100000	99009.9		
2	100000	98029.6		
3	100000	97059.01		
4	100000	96098.03		
5	100000	95146.57		
6	100000	94204.52		
7	100000	93271.81		
8	100000	92348.32		
9	100000	91433.98		
10	100000	90528.70		
11	100000	89632.37		
12	100000	88744.92	1200000	1064939.07
PV		1125508	PV	1064939.07

Abbildung 2: Payment options

The payment of SEK 1,200.000 in 12 months is less because the cash flow is after the mayority of SEK 100,000 monthly payments (Assume the monthly interes rate is 1 percent)

Exercise 7 - assessing the viability of two projects (1-A11)

ProjectA Has

- a 25 % chance of loosing 1,000,000,
- a 50 % chance of break even and

• a 25 % chance of making 1,0000,000 profit

ProjectB Has

- a 25 % chance of loosing 2,000,000,
- a 50 % chance of breaking even and
- a 25 % chance of making 2,000,000 profit

Which project should you choose? Why?

ZWEIFELHAFT, da Projekte in der Zukunft liegen.

You would choose the less risky project because both have the same expected value. In this case you would choose projectA because the risk of losing and gaining money is less that in project b.

Exercise 8 (1-A14)

You suddenly own a company that is losing € 100.000 per week. At the rate things are going the company won't have any cash left in six months to pay creditors.

What are your goals as a financial manager? Is this consistent with what you habe read in this chapter? Explain!

Goals:

- Balance between the short and long term objectives.
- When the company is in trouble short term liquidity becomes more important.
- the objective of the firm will change from maximizing shareholders value to firm survival and bankrupty avoidance
- other options such as asset sell-off can also be undertaken

Exercise 9 (1-A21)

You have the following information for the British mining firm Antofagasta plc. All figures are in € millions.

Give a brief interpretation of what you think Antofagasta plc did over the period 2003–2007. Do you think it is in a better position now than in 2003?

- A lot of current assets is relation to it's current liabilits and nun current assess
- furthg investigation would be needed to dertermine what is driving the increade in current asstes
- · it loos as if the firm is less rsky
- · Current assets could compromise of cash

	Dec 31 2007	Dec 31 2006	Dec 31 2005	Dec 31 2004	Dec 31 2003
Total Current Assets (Betriebsmittel)	2,911	2,451	1,849	1,302	452
Total Non-Current Assets (Sachanlagen)	2,945	2,634	1,931	1,897	1,954
Total Assets	5,856	5,085	3,780	3,199	2,406
Total Current Liabilities (kurzfristige Verbl.)	367	514	389	405	309
Total Non-Current Liabilities (langfr. Verbl.)	1,424	1,416	1,349	1,328	1,191
Total Liabilities	1,791	1,930	1,738	1,733	1,500
Total Equity	4,065	3,155	2,042	1,466	906
Total Liabilities & Shareholders' Equity	5,856	5,085	3,780	3,199	2,406
Total Assets/Total Liabilities Total Current Assets/Total Non-Current	3.269682	2.634715	2.174914	1.845932	1.604
Assets Total Current Liabilities/Total Non-Current	0.988455	0.930524	0.957535	0.686347	0.23132
Liabilities Total Current Assets/Total Current	0.257725	0.362994	0.288362	0.30497	0.259446
Liabilities	7.93188	4.768482	4.753213	3.214815	1.462783

Abbildung 3: Liabilities

Exercise 10 (2-A5)

Explain why the corporate governance of a firm sole propietorship should be differend from that for a partnership, which in turn should be different from a limited corporation.

- A sole propietorship does not need formal governanace structures since all
 - busineess activities are concentrated on one induvitual
 - in partnershiip semiformal corp gov structs are present such as a partnership agreement or deed
 - a limite corporation is a separate lele entity and needs corporate gov structs

Exercise 11 (2-A6)

What are the differences between a general partnership and a limited partnership? Why do firms choose to be partnerships instead of limited liability corporations?

- In a general partnership all partners agree to provide some fraction of the work and cash and to share the profits and losses.
- Each partner is liable for all of the debts of the partnership. Limited partnerships permit some of the partners to have limited liability (liable only to the amount of cash one has contributed to the partnership).
- · Limited partnerships usually require that
 - (1) at least one partner be a general partner and
 - (2) the limited partners do not participate in managing the business.

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Why would we expect managers of a corporation to pursue the objectives of shareholders? What about bondholders?

- In agency theory, the underlying contract between the principal (shareholders) and agent (management) is based on maximising the principal's wealth.
- We would expect managers to pursue the objectives of shareholders only if their interests are the same as that
 of the shareholders.
- This can be done through appropriate executive compensation contracts. In most situations, the shareholder and bondholder objectives will be the same.
- However, when a firm is in financial distress, these may differ and then shareholder objectives will naturally take precedence. This is why we have bond indentures.

Exercise 13 - Valuation: The One-Period Case (4-A1)

Would you be willing to pay \in 500 today in exchange for \in 525 in one year? What would be the key considerations in answering yes or no? Would your answer depend on who is making the promise to repay?

Exercise 14 - Compounding Periods (4-A3)

As you increase the length of time involved, what happens to future values? What happens to present values? What happens to the future value of an annuity if you increase the rate r? What happens to the present value?

Exercise 15 - Calculating Future Values (4-A7)

In the UK, every child born after 1 September 2002 receives a \in 250 voucher from the government that they cannot touch until they reach the age of 18. Assume that the growth rate o the funds is 3.5 per cent (this is what the British government suggests):

How much will your child have at the abe of 18?

Exercise 16 - Calculating present values (4-A8)

In 2008, British Airways had a pension liability of € 330 million.

Let's assume it must be paid in 30 years' time.

To assess the value of the firm's shares, financial analysts want to discount this liability back to the present.

If the relevant discount rate is 5.6 per cent, what is the present value of this liability?

Exercise 17 - Calculating Rates of Return (4-A9)

On 8 February 2009 John Majeski, chairman of Reading Football Club, sold the Edgar Degas bronze sculpture Petite Danseuse de Quatorze Ans at auction for a world record price of € 13.3 million.

He bought the statue in 2004 for € 5 million. What was his annual rate of return on this sculpture?

Exercise 18 - Interest (4-A6)

You work for a jewellers and have sourced a good goldsmith who is able to sell you 100 ounces of gold for one million rand. You approach your two main customers. Mr Martyn says he will buy the gold from you in six months for R 1,040,000, whereas Ms Kuchner tells you that she will be able to buy the gold from you in two years' time for R1,160,000. What is the annual percentage rate that Mr Martyn and Ms Kuchner are offering you? Which option should you go for?

Nachgereichte Ergebnisse:

0.008 bzw. 8 %

Exercise 19 - Perpetuities (4-A10)

An investor purchasing a British consol is entitled to receive annual payments from the British government for ever. What is the price of a consol that pays \in 4 annually if the next payment occurs one year from today? The market interest rate is 3 per cent.

Exercise 20 - Net Present Value / NPV (4-A12)

FIFA rules regarding players contracts are very interesting. If a player whishes to break his contract, the pruchasing club must pay the players's club four times the player's annual salary multiplied by the number of years left onb the contract.

The player must pay 10 per cent of this amount personally, and the agent must also pay 10 per cent of the amount from his own pocket.

Consider the footballer Cristiano Ronaldo, who was widely rumored to be leaving Manchester United for Real Madrid during the summer of 2008 (he acutally joined in the summer of 2009).

At the time Ronaldo was earning € 120,000 a week, and had four years of his contract with Manchester United left.

- a) Calculate how much Ronaldo would have personally had to pay Manchester United if he left with 4 years remaining, 3 years remaining, 2 years remaining and 1 year remaining!
- b) If the appropriate annulized discount rate is 8 per cent, what is the present value to Ronaldo of breaking his contract with 4, 3, 2, 1 and 0 years remaining?
- c) Assume you are Ronaldo's agent and can personally earn € 5 million today from getting Ronaldo to sign a pre-contract agreement to join Real Madrid in the future.
- d) Calculate the net present value to you if Ronaldo left with 4 years remaining, 3 years remaining, 2 years remaining and 1 year remaining.

Exercise 21 - Future Value (4-A16)

What is the future value in four years of € 1,000 invested in an account stated annual interest rate of 10 per cent:

- a) Compounded annually?
- b) Compounded semi-annually?
- c) Compounded monthly?
- d) Compounded continuously?
- e) Why does the future value increase as the compounding period shortens?

 $FP = PV (1 + r)^T$

- a) annualy FV = $1000 (1 + 0.1)^4 = 1,464.10 \in$
- b) semi-annually $FV = 1000 (1 + 0.1/2)^{4*2}$
- c) monthly $FV = 1000 (1 + 0.1/12)^4 (4 * 12)$
- d) continuusly

FV = PV (eT)

Exercise 22 - (4A18)

- a) What is the annualized interest rate, compounded daily, that is equivalent to 12 per cent interest compounded semi-annually?
- b) What is the daily compounded rate that is equivalent to 12 per cent compounded continuously?
- semi-annually twice a year
- quarterly 4 times a year
- monthly 12 times a year
- weekly 52 times a year
- daily 365 times a yeear
- continuous

FV = C (1 + (r / m))

a)

 $(1 + (r/365))^365 = (1 + (0.12/2))^2 (1 + (r/365))^365 = 1.1236 (1 + (r/365)) = (1.1236)^1/365 1 + r/365 = 1,000319 r = 1.000319 x 365 r = 11.6556\% (11,6435 % gerundet)$

 $(1 + (r/365))^365 = e^0.13 = 1.127497 (1 + (r/365)) = 1.12^1/365 1 + r/365 = 1.000329 r = 0.00329 + 365 r = 12.002$ %

Antwortsatz: "Der Zinsatz, der täglich gezahlt wird und dabei den kontinuierlichen Zinsatz (12%) entspricht müsste bei 12,002 % liegen." - Tutor

Exercise 23 - Growing Perpetuities (C4E19)

Marcus Boruc has been working on a new hands-free telephone that clips into your ear. The new gadget has now been cleared for manufacture and development. Marcus anticipates his first annual cash flow from the phone to be €200,000, received two years from today. Subsequent annual cash flows will grow at 5 per cent in perpetuity. What is the present value of the phone if the discount rate is 10 per cent?

Perpetuity: A constant stream of cash flows that never ends

PV of a growing perpetuitiy: PV = C/(r-g)
Where g is the *perpetual growth rate*

Exercise 24 - Calculating Interest Expense (4A21)

You receive a credit card application from Shady Banks plc offering an introductory rate of 1.90 per cent per year, compounded monthly for the first six months, increasing thereafter to 16 per cent per year compounded monthly.

Assuming you transfer the €4,000 balance from your existing credit card and make no subsequent payments, how much interest will you owe at the end of the first year?

Here we need to find the FV of lump sum, with a changing interest rate. We must solve this problem in two parts. After the first six months, the balance will be:

This is the blance in six months. The FV in another six months will be:

 $FV = 4038.15 [1 + (.16/12)]^6 = 4372,16 \in$

The problem asks fpor interest accured, so , to find the interes, we substract the beginning balance from the FV. The interst accured is:

Interest = $4372.16 \in -4000.00 \in = 372.16 \in$

Exercise 25 - Ballon Payments (A422)

Mario Guiglini has just sold his hotel and purchased a restaurant with the proceeds. The cost of the restaurant to Mario is €500,000 and the seller requires a 25 per cent up-front payment. Mario is able to pay the up-front payment from the proceeds of the hotel sale. He needs to take out a mortgage and has been able to arrange one with Unicredit Bank that charges a 9 per cent APR. Mario will make equal monthly payments over the next 30 years. His first payment will be due one month from now. However, the mortgage has an eight-year-balloon payment option, meaning that the balance of the loan could be paid off at the end of year 8. There were no other transaction costs or finance charges. How much will Mario's balloon payment be in eight years?

Anniuity: A level stream of cash flows that last for a fixed number periods

PV of an anninuity: $PV = C \left[\frac{1}{r} - \left(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r} \right) \right] = C \left[\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r} -$

The last term in the brackets is called the Anniuity factor, A^T p

(Anzahlung: 500,000 € * 25 % = 125,000 €)

The amount borrows is the value of the restaurant times one minus the down payment, or:

Amount borrowed = 500,000 € (1-.25) = 275.000 €

the mothly payments woth ballon payment loab are calculated assuming a longer amortisation schedule, in theis case, 30 years. The payments based on a 30-Year repayment schedule would be:

PVA = $375,000 \in C(\{1 - [1/(1 + 0.09/12)]^360\}/(0.09/12))$

C = 2922.96 €

Now (at time = 8) we need to find the PV of the payments which have not been made. The ballon payment will be:

PVA = 2922.96 € * $((1 - (1 / (1 + 0.09/12))^2(22*12)) / (0.09/12))$ PVA = 344657,65 €

Alpha: 335500 €

Nachgereichte Ergebnisse:

 $C = 2.017,3348 \in PVA = 346.352.59 \in$

Exercise 26 - Annuities (4A26)

Today, you have become a new mother and the British government has given you €250 for your child's trust fund. You think it would be a great idea to use this as the basis for saving for your child's future. You believe in private schooling and so you want to put aside a certain amount each year to pay for your child's

- primary schooling (ages 5-11),
- secondary schooling (ages 12-17) and
- university tuition (ages 18-22).

Private primary schooling costs €7,000 per year and private secondary schooling costs €8,000 per year.

If your child gets into university, the fees and maintenance will be in the region of € 15,000 per year.

Your child will start school five years from now, and you plan to deposit money every year in the trust fund, starting one year from now. The annual percentage rate you've been quoted by the government is 6.5 per cent. How much money must your deposit in an account each year to fund your child's education? You will make your last deposit when your child enters university.

250 € once annualy deposit sar	ting one year from now

private schooling costs: primary school (5 - 11) 7000 €/year secondary school (12 - 17) 8000 €/year university tuitition (18 - 22) 15000€/year

Step 1 Calculate the present calue of primary schopoliing, seconary schooling and university tuition the year before the actitiey starts.

- a) Primary schooling (7 years) PV = C x A^7_0.065 = 7000 € * A^7_0.065 = 38391.64 €
- b) Secondary schooling (6 years) PV = C * A^6 0.065 =
- c) university tuition ()

Step 2 Calculate the present valuze of t primary schooling, secondary schooling and university tuitiopn.

- a) Primary Schooling PV = 38391,64 / (1.065)^4 = 29842,71 €
- b) Secpndary schooling PV = 38728,11 / (1.065)^11 = 19372,27 €
- c) University schooling PV = 51386.98 / (1.065)^17 = 17616.10 €

Present value of all payments = 29842,71 € + 19372.27 + 17616.10 = 66831.08

Since you already have $350 \in$ from the government, the amount you need to inest is $66831.08 - 250 \in$ = 66581.08 PV = C ((1/r) - (1 / (r * (1 + r) ^ T))) = $66581.08 \in$ = C (1 / 0.065 - 1 / (0.065 * (1.065^18))) C = $6382.10 \in$

Exercise 27 - Definition of a bond (5A1)

What are the main characteristics of a bond? Provide examples of different types of bond in terms of coupons, maturity and face value.

- The face value or principal
- · The term to maturity
- The coupon rate and
- The frequency of coupon payments.

A zero coupon bond has no coupon and only pays the face vale at expiry.

A coupon bind can have a fixed coupon where coupon payments are fixed for the life if a bond or a floating coupon where payments are based on some benchmark such as LIBOR or EURIBOR.

Exercise 28 - ?!

ist gestrichen => Generaltutorium? Übung?

Exercise 29 - Valuing Bond (5A10)

In March 2009 the German freight company Deutsche Bahn issued a 10-year bond with face value of € 1,000 and paying an annual coupon of 4.875 per cent. What is the price of the bond if the yield to maturity (YTM) is

- a) 4 per cent?
- b) 5 per cent?
- c) 10 per cent?

Yield to maturity = Rückzahlungsrendite

If the yield to maturity for a bond is less than the bond's coupon rate, then the (clean) market value of the bond is greater than the par value (and vice versa). If a bond's coupon rate is less than its YTM, then the bond is selling at a discount. If a bond's coupon rate is more than its YTM, then the bond is selling at a premium. If a bond's coupon rate is equal to its YTM, then the bond is selling at par.

 $PV = C * A^T_r + F / (1 + r)^T$

Where A^T r is the annuity factor for an annuitiy of 1 € per period for T periods at an interest rate per period of r.

$$A^T_r = C * [(1 - (1 / (1 + r)^T) / r)]$$

 $PV = C * A^T r + (F)/(1+r)^T$

where A^T_r is the annuity factor for an annuity of 1 € per period for T periods at an interest rate per period of r.

 $A^T_r = C[(1 - (1)/(1+r)^T)/(r)]$

 $P = 48.75 * [(1 - (1)/(1 + 0.04)^10)/(0.04)] + (1000)/(1.04)^10 = 1070.97$

a)

b)

c)

Exercise 30 - Share Values (5A12)

In 2009 DaimlerChrysler had just paid a dividend of \le 2 per share on its equity. The dividends are expected to grow at a constant rate of 5 per cent per year indefinitely. If investors require a 11 per cent return on DaimlerChrysler's equity, what is the current price? What will the price be in three years? In 15 years?

Zero growth: P 0 = D 1/r

Constant grwoth: P = D = D = 1 / (r - g)

Zero growth: $P_0 = (D_1)/(r)$ Constant growth: $P_0 = (D_1)/(r - g)$

Current price at a constant growth of 5 percent per year indefinitely:

$$P = Div_1 / (r - g)$$
, whereas $Div_1 = D_0 (1 + g)$ i.e. $Div_1 = 2 (1.05) = 2.1$

$$P =$$
 $\in 2.1 / (0.11 - 0.05) = 35 $\in$$

P_0 -> Div_1

Price in 3 years: P 3 = P $0(1 + g)3 = 35 \in * (1.05)^3 = 6 + 40.52$

Price in 15 years: $P_15 = P_0 (1 + g)^15 = 0.35 * (1.05)^15 = 72.76 €$

Exercise 31 - Share Values (5A13)

The next dividend payment from French health food firm Danone will be € 1.12 per share. The dividends are anticipated to maintain a 5 per cent growth rate for ever. If Danone shares currently sell for €35.00, what is the required return?

Zero growth: $P_0 = D_1 / r$

Constant grwoth: $P_0 = D_1 / (r - g)$

Zero growth: P = (D - 1)/(r) Constant growth: P = (D - 1)/(r - g)

Äquivalenzumformung:

$$P_0 = (D_1)/(r - g) + (r - g) P_0 + (r - g) = (D_1) + P_0 + g = (D_1)/P_0 +$$

$$Div_1 = D_1, R = r$$

=> R = 1,12 / 35 + 0,05 = 8,2 %

Exercise 33 - Bond Return (5A18)

A six-year government bond makes annual coupon payments of 5 per cent and offers a yield of 3 per cent annually compounded. Suppose that one year later the bond still yields 3 per cent.

What return has the bondholder earned over the 12-month period?

Now suppose that the bond yields 2 per cent at the end of the year. What return would the bondholder earn in this case?

 $PV = C * A^T r + F / (1 + r)^T$

Where A^T r is the annuity factor for an annuitiy of 1 € per period for T periods at an interest rate per period of r.

$$A^T_r = C * [(1 - (1 / (1 + r)^T) / r)]$$

The return on the bond is $[(P_1 + C) / P_0] - 1$

 $PV = C * A^T_r + (F)/(1+r)^T$

where A[↑]T r is the annuity factor for an annuity of 1 € per period for T periods at an interest rate per period of r.

 $A^T_r = C[(1 - (1)/(1+r)^T)/(r)]$

a)

 $P = 50 * [(1 - (1)/(1 + 0.03)^{6}))/(0.03)] + 1000 / 1.03^{6} = 1.108,34 P_{1} = 50 * [(1 - (1)/(1 + 0.03)^{5}))/(0.03)] + 1000 / 1.03^{5} = 1.091,59 ... P 2 = 4 4$

If yields fall to 2 %:

 $P = 50 * A^5_0.03 + 1000 / 1 + R^5 ???$

The return on the bond is $[(P_1 + C)/(P_0)] - 1$

After one year, the return is: [(1,091.59 + 50) / 1,108.34] - 1 = 3 %

In the second example, the return is: [(1,141.40 + 50) / 1,108.34] - 1 = 7.49 %

b)

analog

Exercise 34 - Non-Constant Growth (5A19)

Dylan Bearings is a young start-up company. No dividends will be paid on the shares over the next nine years because the firm needs to plough back its earnings to fuel growth. The company will pay an \in 8 per share dividend in 10 years and will increase the dividend by 6 per cent per year thereafter. If the required return is 13 per cent, what is the current share price?

Here we have an equity that pays no dividends for 10 years Once tit begins paying dividends it will have a constant growth rate of dividends.

We can use the constant growth model at that point. It is important to remember that general form of the constant dividend growth formula is:

$$P t = [D t^* (1 + g)]/(R - g)$$

This means that since we will use the dividend in Year 10, we will be finding the share price in Year 9. The dividend growth model is similar to the PVA and the PV of a perpetuity:

The equation gives you the PV one period before the first payment. So, the price of the equity in year 9 will be:

$$P 9 = D 10 / (R - g) =$$
 $\in 8.00 / (0.13 - 0.06) =$ $\in 114.29$

The price of the share today is simply the PV of the share price in the future. We simply discound the future share price at the required return.

The price of the share today will be: $P_0 = \text{€}114.29 / 1.13 ^9 = \text{€}38.04$

Exercise 35 - Calculating Payback Period and NPV (6A9)

Hideoshi Software has the following mutually exclusive projects.

a) Suppose Hideoshi's payback period cut-off is two years. Which of these two projects should be chosen?

Year	Project A (¥)	Project B (¥)
0	- 5.500	- 4.000
1	4.000	2.500
2	5.500	1.200
3	500	3.000

Abbildung 4: mutually exclusive projects

- b) Suppose Hideoshi uses the NPV rule to rank these two projects. Which project should be chosen if the appropriate discount rate is 10 per cent?
- a) The paybay period is the time that it takes for the cumlative undiscounted sach inflows to equual the initel incest ment.

ProiectA

Cumulative cash flows year 1: €4000 = €4000 Cumulative cash flows year 2: €4000 + 5500€ = 9500 € > 5500€ The payback period is les than the 2 year cut-off and so project a would be accepted.

ProjectB

Cumulative cash flows year 1: €2500 = €2500 Cumulative cash flows year 2: €2500 + 1200€ = 3700 € Cumulative cash flows year 2: €2500 + 1200€ + 3000€ = 3700 € > 4000€ The payback period is greater than the 2 year cut-off and so project B would not be accepted.

b) Discount each project's cash flows at 10 percent. Choose the project with the highest NPV.

ProjectA: NPV = -€5500 + €4000/1.10 + 5500€/1.10^2 + 500€/1.10^3 NPV = 3057.48 €

ProjectB: NPV = -4000€ + 2500€/1.10 + 1200/1.10² + 3000/1.10³ NPV = 1518,407 €

The firm should choose Project A since it has a higher NPV than Project B has.

Klausurtipp: Bei weiterer Ein-/Auszahlung Werte für Nenner ausrechnen!

Interpolation zur Bestimmung des Amotisierungszeitraum

Companies can calculate a more precise value using fractional years. To calculate the fractional payback period, find the fraction of year 2's cash flows that is needed for the company to have cumulative undiscounted cash flows of €5,000. Divide the difference between the initial investment and the cumulative undiscounted cash flows as of year 2 by the undiscounted cash flow of year 2.

Payback period = 1 + (€5,500 - €4,000) / €5,500 Payback period = 1.27

Exercise 36 - Calculating discounted Payback (6A11)

An Investment project has annual cash inflows of \in 7.000, \in 7.500, \in 8.000 and \in 8.500 and a discount rate of 10 per cent. What is the discounted payback period for these cash flows if the initial cost is \in 8.000? What if it is \in 18.000?

Idee: (8000 + 7000) / 1.10 + etc.

When we use the discounted payback, we need to find the value of all cash flows today.

The value today of the project cash flows for the first 4 years is:

Value today of year 1 cash flow = $7000/1.10^{\circ}1 = 6363,64 \in Value$ today of year 1 cash flow = $7500/1.10^{\circ}2 = 6198,35 \in Value$ today of year 1 cash flow = $8000/1.10^{\circ}3 = 6010,52 \in Value$ today of year 1 cash flow = $8500/1.10^{\circ}4 = 5805,61 \in Value$

Payback period = $1 + (8000 - 6363,64)/6198,35 \in = 1,?$

To find the discounted payback, we use these values to find the payback period.

The discounted first year cash flow is $6363,64 \in$, so the discounted payback for an $8000 \in$ initial cost is: Discounted payback = 1 + (€8000 - 6363,64)/6198,35 = 1.26 years

for an initial cost of 13000€ initial cost of 13000 the discounted payback is:

Discounted payback = 2 + (18000 - 6363.64 - 6198,35) / 6010,52 € = 2.90 years

We know the initial /* Text fehlt */

Tipp: Erste Aufgabe noch mal dynamisch machen. Dabei müsste ungefähr das selbe rauskommen.

Exercise 37 - Average Accounting Return (AAR) (6A13)

Bluerock Group has invested € 8000 in a high-tech project lasting 3 years.

Deprecation (= Abschreibung) is \in 4000, \in 2500 and \in 1500 in year 1,2 and 3 respectively. The project generate pre-tax income of \in 2000 each year.

The pre-tax income already includes the deprecation expense. If the tax rate is 25 % what is the projects average accounting return (AAR)?

First, we need to determine the average book value of the project. The book value is the gross investment minus accumulated depreciation.

	Purchase date	Year I Year II Yea	r III	
Gross Investment	8000	8000	8000	8000 \eu
Less accumulated depreciation	<pre>0 </pre>	4000	6500	8000 \eu
= net investment	8000	4000	1500	0

Second, Now we can calculate the average book value as:

Average book value = (8000 € + 4000 € + 1500 € + 0 €) / 4 (years) = 3,375 €

Tipp: Selber noch mal googlen, wenig informationen zu dieser angelsächsischen Variante vorhanden,

To calculate the average accounting return, we must remember to use the aftertax average net oncome when calculating the aerage accounting return. So the aerage aftertay income is:

Average aftertax net income = (1 - t_c) Annual pretay net income Average aftertax net income = (1 - 0.25) € 2000 Average aftertax net income = 1500 €

The average accounting return is the average after-tax net income divided by the average book value, which is:

Average accounting return = 1500 € / 3,375 € Average accounting return = 0.4444 or 44.44 %

Exercise 38 - Calculating IRR (6A14)

Calculate the NPV of the following project for discount rates of 0, 50 and 100 per cent. What is the IRR of the project?

/* Einzelarbeit */

$$NpV = -7000 + 5000/(1 + 0) + 20000/(1 + 0)^2 = 18000 \in NpV = -7000 + 5000/(1 + 0.5) + 20000/(1 + 0.5)^2 = 5222,22 \in NpV = -7000 + 5000/(1 + 1) + 20000/(1 + 1)^2 = 500 \in$$

The IRR is equal to:

$$NPV = 0 = -7000 + 5000 \in /(1 + IRR)^1 + 20000/(1 + IRR)^2$$

Thorough trial and error or solver in an excel spreadsheet, IRR is equal to 108.48 %.

Exercise 39 - Problems with the IRR (6A6)

Review the main problems that arise when one uses only IRR to evaluate potential projects.

There are several issues the analyst must consider when using IRR to value investments:

- First they must consider whether a collection of candidate projects are mutually exclusive ad/or independent.
- Secondly, it is not possible to compare projects if the scale of their investments are different. Therefore a small scale project may have a high IRR but increase the wealtg by very little ind absolute terms.
- Thirdly, one must be careful when using IRR for projects that require investment or borrowing.
- Fourthly, if the cash flows from the project change sind more than once the it is very likely that the project will have more than one IRR value.