

Please be sure to take detailed notes. The same rules apply as always.

Perhaps a good question: how can **the next year of your life be the most successful and amazing ever**?

Please **put your cameras on so I can be sure you're in class**.

Section 6.2/Compound Interest:

$$A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt} \leftarrow \text{discrete compounding formula}$$

$$A = P e^{rt} \leftarrow \text{continuous compounding formula}$$

$$A = P(1 + r/n)^{nt}, P = \text{principal now}$$

divide both sides by $(1 + r/n)^{nt}$

$$\frac{A}{(1 + r/n)^{nt}} = P \frac{(1 + r/n)^{nt}}{(1 + r/n)^{nt}}$$

$$\frac{A}{(1 + r/n)^{nt}} = P$$

recall that $a^{-n} = \frac{1}{a^n}$

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$$a^{-n} \xrightarrow{\text{go to}} \frac{1}{a^n}$$

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$$A(1 + r/n)^{-nt} = P$$

present value formula

Present Value: "time value of money" refers to the present value of money. **the present value** of A dollars to be received at a future date is the principal that you would need to invest now so as to have A dollars in the future at time t.

cont. compound interest:

$$A = P e^{rt}$$

divide by e^{rt}

$$\frac{A}{e^{rt}} = P \frac{e^{rt}}{e^{rt}}$$

$$\frac{A}{e^{rt}} = P$$

$$A e^{-rt} = P$$

present value

example 6/book: present value of 10,000:

to get 10,000 in 2 years at 4% per annum, how much to invest

(a) annual compounding: $n=1$:

$$P = 10000 \left(1 + \frac{0.04}{1}\right)^{-2 \cdot 1} = 10000(1 + 0.04)^{-2} = 10000(1.04)^{-2} = \$9245.56$$

To get 10,000 in 2 years at 4% with annual compounding, invest \$9245.56 today.

(c) daily compounding: $n = 365$ (calculate interest at end of each day)

$$P = 10000(1 + 0.04 / 365)^{-365 \cdot 2} = 10000(1 + 0.04 / 365)^{-730} = \$9231.20$$

Invest \$9231.20 today to get 10,000 in 2 years using the values above!

(d) conti. compounding:

$$P = A e^{-rt} = 10,000 e^{-0.04 \cdot 2} = \$9231.16$$

We're going backwards in values...now $A e^{-rt}$ gives us the SMALLEST amount to be invested today.

$9231.16 < 9231.20 < 9245.56$ (best investing option is cont. compounding)

Example 7: Computing the value of a zero-coupon bond:

A zero-coupon(non-interest bearing) bond can be redeemed in 10 years for \$1000. How much should you be willing to pay for it now if you want a return of

(a) 5% compounding monthly:

what is the present value of \$1000?

$$r = 5\% = 0.05, t = 10, n = 12$$

$$P = A \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{-nt} = 1000 \left(1 + \frac{0.05}{12}\right)^{-10 \cdot 12} = 1000 \left(1 + \frac{0.05}{12}\right)^{-120} = \$607.16$$

You should be willing to pay \$607.16 for the bond. (company bonds and government bonds)

BOND= fancy for "I owe you".

$$(c) P = 1000 e^{-0.05 \cdot 10} = 606.53$$

(b) cont. case: $A = \$1000, r = 0.04, t = 10$: (book says use 4%)

$$P = 1000 e^{-0.04 \cdot 10} = \$670.32$$

Comparing (a) and (c) says (c) is better in that it's slightly less we have to invest today. Comparing (a) and (c) b/c they have the same values.

example 8: Rate of interest required to double an investment:

What annual rate of interest compounded annually should you seek if you want to double your investment in 5 years?

$$A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt} \quad (\text{not using } -nt \text{ here})$$

$n=1, t=5$, double your investment means P becomes $2P=A$

$$2P = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{1} \right)^{1 \cdot 5} \quad (\text{replace } A \text{ with } 2P, n \text{ with } 1, t \text{ with } 5)$$

divide P away:

$$2 \frac{P}{P} = \frac{P}{P} (1+r)^5$$

$$2 = (1+r)^5$$

opposite of raising to the 5th is to take the fifth root: $\sqrt[5]{2} = \sqrt[5]{(1+r)^5}$ $\sqrt[a]{\text{expression}^a} = \text{expression}$

$$\sqrt[5]{2} = 1+r$$

$$\sqrt[5]{2} - 1 = r$$

$$r = 1.148698 - 1 = 0.148698$$

So $r \approx 14.87\%$ (high rate in real terms..hard in real life)

Example 9: Time required to double an investment:

How long will it take for an investment to double in value if it earns 5% compounded annually?

math 111 review: logs... $x = y^t$ and we want t: (t is in the exponent)

use logs: take natural log of both sides:

$$\ln(x) = \ln(y^t)$$

recall power rule for logs: $\ln(\text{expression}^a) = a \ln(\text{expression})$

$$\ln(x) = t \cdot \ln(y) \quad (\text{bring } t \text{ down})$$

$$\frac{\ln(x)}{\ln(y)} = t \quad \text{divide by } \ln y$$

$$A = P(1+r/n)^{nt} \quad (\text{not } -nt) \quad \text{"how long..." means use } t \text{ as the variable}$$

double means $A=2P$

$$2P = P = \left(1 + \frac{0.05}{1} \right)^{t \cdot 1}$$

$$2 \frac{P}{P} = \frac{P}{P} (1+0.05)^t \quad \leftarrow t \text{ in exponent!}$$

18/19..start investing today b/c things take a very long time!

$$2 = (1.05)^t$$

take the natural log of both sides(math 111 or 113...)

$$\ln 2 = \ln(1.05^t)$$

$$\text{bring } t \text{ down: } \ln 2 = t \cdot \ln(1.05)$$

$$\text{divide by } \ln 1.05: \frac{\ln 2}{\ln(1.05)} = t \quad \xrightarrow{\text{calculator work}} t = 14.207 \text{ years.}$$

(b) If P is the initial investment and we want P to double using conti. compounding, we get..

$$A = P e^{rt}$$

$$A = 2P \text{ (double } P)$$

$$r = 0.05, t = ?$$

plug in:

$$2P = P e^{0.05 \cdot t}$$

$$2 \frac{P}{P} = \frac{P}{P} e^{0.05 \cdot t}$$

$$2 = e^{0.05 \cdot t}$$

natural log of both sides, $\ln(2) = \ln(e^{0.05 \cdot t})$

$$\ln(2) = 0.05 \cdot t \quad (\text{power rule for logs and recall } \ln(e) = 1)$$

$$\frac{\ln(2)}{0.05} = t \Rightarrow \text{so } t = 13.86 \text{ years!!}$$

most advanced math exercise today:

$$A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt} \quad nt = \text{number of times we compound, } r/n = \text{tax rate at end of each period}$$

solve for r:

r is inside parenthesis..

$$\frac{A}{P} = \frac{P}{P} \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt} \quad (\text{divide by } P)$$

$$\frac{A}{P} = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt} \quad (\text{we have } nt \text{ in the top...})$$

to simplify things..set t=1 (for no reason..but to simplify)

$$\frac{A}{P} = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^n \quad (\text{set } t=1 \text{ to simplify..})$$

both sides are raised to the n..opposite of raising to the n is raising to the 1/n:

$$\left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{n(1/n)}$$

$$\left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{n/n}$$

$$\left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} = \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^1$$

pick up here

drop 1 and parenthesis on RHS:

$$\left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} = 1 + \frac{r}{n}$$

$$\text{subtract 1: } \left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} - 1 = \frac{r}{n}$$

multiply by n and on LHS two terms, so brackets:

$$n \left[\left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} - 1 \right] = \frac{r}{n} \cdot n$$

$$n \left[\left(\frac{A}{P} \right)^{1/n} - 1 \right] = r$$

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Using simplest $A = P + Prt = P(1 + rt)$

compound interest formula: $A = P(1 + r/n)^{nt}$

$$A = P(1 + r) \quad (\text{b/c } t=1)$$

$$A = P(1 + r/4)^{4 \cdot 1} \quad (n=4, t=1)$$

quarterly means $n=4$

$t=1$

$P =$ not given..so it has to vanish

effective interest = 6.25% = 0.0625

$$A = P(1 + 0.0625), \quad A = P(1 + r/4)^4$$

"..interest rate compounded quarterly...keep the r in $(1 + r/4)^4$..r=?

divide equations:

$$\frac{A}{A} = \frac{P(1 + 0.0625)}{P(1 + r/4)^4}$$

$$1 = \frac{1.0625}{(1 + r/4)^4}$$

example..dividing equation:

$$2 + 4 = 6$$

$$3 + 4 = 7$$

divide them:

$$\frac{2+4}{3+4} = \frac{6}{7} \quad \text{true!}$$

$$\text{cross multiply: } 1(1 + r/4)^4 = 1.0625$$

$$\text{take the 4th root: } \sqrt[4]{(1 + r/4)^4} = \sqrt[4]{1.0625}$$

$$1 + r/4 = \sqrt[4]{1.0625}$$

$$\frac{r}{4} = \sqrt[4]{1.0625} - 1$$

$$4 \cdot \frac{r}{4} = 4[\sqrt[4]{1.0625} - 1]$$

$$r = 4[\sqrt[4]{1.0625} - 1]$$

= 6.109% to get P to become A after $n=4$, we have to use 6.109% rate.

To get the same using quarterly compounding, we use $r=6.109\%$.