

MAP 4170
Test 1

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Show sufficient work and clearly mark your answers. Each problem is worth 10 points.

1. Eli owes Archie payments of 2000 in 1 year and 1000 in 2 years. Eli offers to make a single payment of 2610, immediately, claiming that the total present value of the 2 future payments is 2610. Determine the nominal interest rate compounded monthly that would make Eli's claim true.
 - (A) 0.88%
 - (B) 0.93%
 - (C) 5.55%
 - (D) 10.58%
 - (E) 11.1%

2. At time 0, Peyton deposits an amount into an account that credits interest using a simple discount rate d . There were no other deposits made into the account. At the end of year 3 there is 1000 in the account and at the end of year 12 there is 1500 in the account. Determine d .
 - (A) 3.33%
 - (B) 3.57%
 - (C) 3.71%
 - (D) 3.92%
 - (E) 4.07%

3. Betty deposits an amount at time 0 into a fund which credits interest using a simple interest rate i . The force of interest in the account at time 10 is equal to 0.05.

Charlie deposits 1000 into a separate account in which interest is credited using a nominal interest rate of i , compounded quarterly. Determine the amount in Charlie's account at the end of 10 years.

- (A) 1645
- (B) 2685
- (C) 4065
- (D) 5830
- (E) 7040

4. Determine which of the following equations represents the correct relationship between a nominal interest rate compounded monthly and a nominal interest rate compounded quarterly.

(A) $i^{(4)} = 4 \left[\left(1 + \frac{i^{(12)}}{12} \right)^4 - 1 \right]$

(B) $i^{(4)} = 4 \left[\left(1 + \frac{i^{(12)}}{12} \right)^{12} + 1 \right]$

(C) $i^{(4)} = 4 \left[\left(1 + \frac{i^{(12)}}{12} \right)^4 + 1 \right]$

(D) $i^{(4)} = 4 \left[\left(1 + \frac{i^{(12)}}{12} \right)^3 - 1 \right]$

(E) $i^{(4)} = 4 \left[\left(1 + \frac{i^{(12)}}{12} \right)^{12} - 1 \right]$

5. A fund credits interest using an interest rate of 10% compounded every other year for the first four years, and a nominal discount rate of 12% compounded monthly thereafter. Determine the accumulated value after 8 years of a deposit of 1000.

(A) 2320

(B) 2330

(C) 2340

(D) 2350

(E) 2360

6. At time 0, Jason deposits 500 into an account in which the force of interest is $\delta_t = \frac{0.5t}{2+t^2}$, for $t > 0$. At the end of year 4, Jason makes an additional deposit of X into the account. The amount of interest earned between years 3 and 5 is 200. Determine X .

(A) 30

(B) 50

(C) 70

(D) 90

(E) 110

7. Determine $\frac{d}{dd}(v)$, the derivative of v with respect to d , where d denotes a periodic effective discount rate and v is the corresponding periodic discount factor.
- (A) $-v^{-2}$
 - (B) $-v^{-1}$
 - (C) -1
 - (D) $-v$
 - (E) $-v^2$
8. The force of interest at time t for a certain account is $\delta_t = 0.02t$, $t > 0$. Determine the corresponding annual effective discount rate for year 2 for this account.
- (A) 2.96%
 - (B) 2.99%
 - (C) 3.02%
 - (D) 3.05%
 - (E) 3.08%

9. Willie deposits 500 into an account that credits interest using a simple discount rate d for the first year and then a semiannual effective discount rate of d thereafter. At the end of 2 years, the account balance is 1000. Determine d .

(A) 0.10

(B) 0.15

(C) 0.20

(D) 0.25

(E) 0.30

10. Determine the constant force of interest that is equivalent to an interest rate of 10% compounded quarterly.

(A) 2.38%

(B) 2.47%

(C) 9.35%

(D) 9.53%

(E) 9.88%