

MAP 4170
Test 1

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

1. A deposit of 500 accumulates to 625 after 2.5 years using a simple interest rate i . Determine the accumulated value after 2.5 years if 500 is deposited into an account that earns an annual effective interest rate of i .

(A) 615

(B) 620

(C) 625

(D) 630

(E) 635

$$625 = 500(1 + 2.5i) \Rightarrow i = .10$$

If $i = .10 = \text{aeir}$, then

$$AV = 500(1.1)^{2.5} = 634.529 \dots$$

2. A deposit of X accumulates to 1000 after 6 years. During the first two years, interest is credited using a simple discount rate of 6%. During the second two-year period, interest is credited using a nominal interest rate of 6% compounded bi-annually. During the third two-year period, interest is credited using a force of interest $\delta = 6\%$. Determine X .

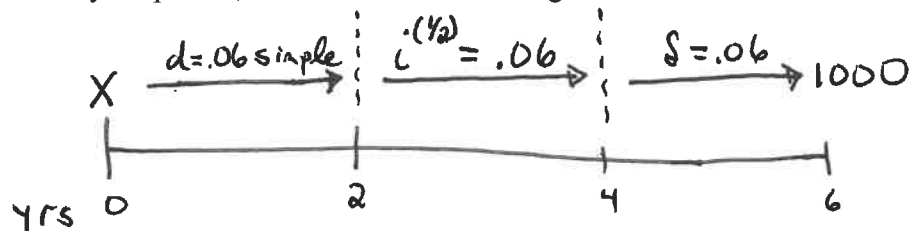
(A) 697

(B) 700

(C) 702

(D) 705

(E) 707



$$\therefore X \cdot (1 - 2(0.06))^{-1} \cdot \left(1 + \frac{0.06}{2}\right)^1 \cdot e^{0.06(2)} = 1000$$

$$\Rightarrow X = 696.866 \dots$$

3. Given a simple interest rate of 5%, determine the equivalent nominal discount rate, compounded semi-annually, for the second half of the first year.

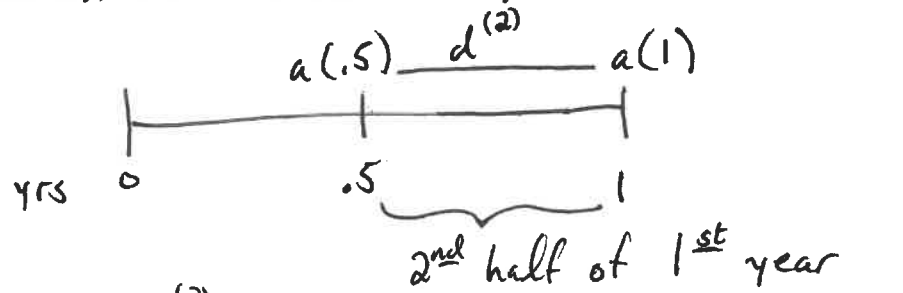
(A) 1.8%

(B) 2.4%

(C) 3.6%

(D) 4.8%

(E) 7.2%



$$\frac{d^{(2)}}{2} = \text{sedr} \Rightarrow v = 1 - \frac{d^{(2)}}{2} = \text{sdf}$$

$$a(t) = 1 + 0.05t$$

$$\therefore a(.5) = 1.025$$

$$a(1) = 1.05$$

$$a(.5) = a(1) \cdot v$$

$$\therefore 1.025 = 1.05 \left(1 - \frac{d^{(2)}}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow d^{(2)} = .0476 \dots$$

4. Using an interest rate of i compounded monthly, a payment of 5000 at the end of two years together with a payment of 10,000 at the end of four years have a total present value of 9375. Using the same interest rate, a deposit of 27,000 accumulates to Y after six years. Determine Y .

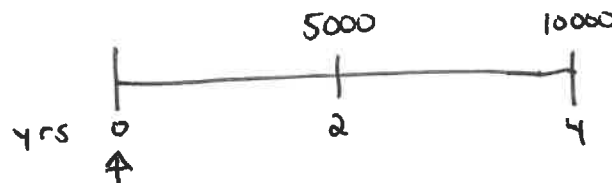
(A) 36,000

(B) 48,000

(C) 64,000

(D) 72,000

(E) 81,000



$$PV = 9375$$

Let $v = 2\text{-year discount factor}$

$$\therefore 9375 = 5000v + 10000v^2 \quad (\text{quadratic in } v)$$

$$a = 10000$$

$$b = 5000$$

$$c = -9375$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{-5000 \pm \sqrt{5000^2 - 4(10000)(-9375)}}{2(10000)} = .75$$

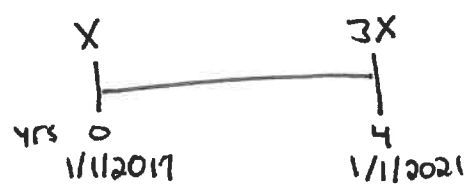


$$Y = 27000 \cdot v^{-3} = 27000(.75)^{-3}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y = 64000$$

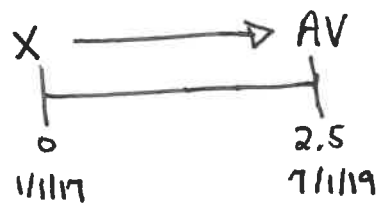
5. An account credits interest using $\delta_t = k \cdot \frac{t}{t^2+2}$ where t is the number of years after January 1, 2017. A deposit of X made on January 1, 2017, accumulates to $3X$ on January 1, 2021. Determine the accumulated value of this deposit on July 1, 2019.

(A) $2.01X$ (B) $2.03X$ (C) $2.05X$ (D) $2.07X$ (E) $2.09X$

$$\delta_t = \frac{k}{2} \cdot \frac{2t}{t^2+2} \Rightarrow a(t) = \left(\frac{t^2+2}{2}\right)^{k/2}$$


Timeline diagram showing a deposit of X at $t=0$ (1/1/2017) and an accumulation of $3X$ at $t=4$ (1/1/2021).

$$\therefore 3X = X \cdot a(4) \Rightarrow 3 = \left(\frac{4^2+2}{2}\right)^{k/2} \Rightarrow k=1$$



Timeline diagram showing a deposit of X at $t=0$ (1/1/17) and an accumulation of AV at $t=2.5$ (7/1/19).

$$AV = X \cdot a(2.5) = X \cdot \left(\frac{2.5^2+2}{2}\right)^{1/2} = X \cdot 2.031\dots$$

6. An account credits interest using a simple interest rate of 5%. Determine i_5 , the annual effective interest rate for year 5.

(A) 4.2%

(B) 4.3%

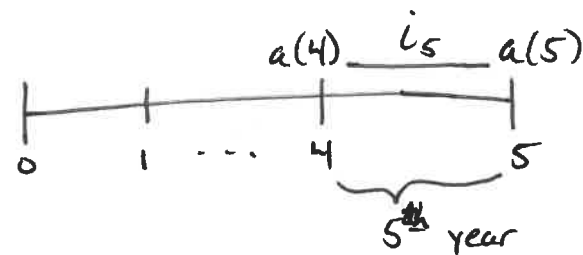
(C) 4.4%

(D) 4.5%

(E) 4.6%

$$a(t) = 1 + .05t$$

i_5 :



Timeline diagram showing accumulation values $a(4)$ at $t=4$ and $a(5)$ at $t=5$, with a bracket indicating the 5th year.

$$a(5) = a(4) \cdot (1 + i_5)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a(5) = 1.25 \\ a(4) = 1.2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow 1.25 = 1.2 (1 + i_5)$$

$$\Rightarrow i_5 = .0416\dots$$

7. A single deposit of X is made into an account that credits interest using a simple discount rate of d over a 10-year period. At the end of 3 years, the amount in the account is 1000, whereas at the end of 5 years, the amount in the account is 1100. Calculate d .

(A) 2%

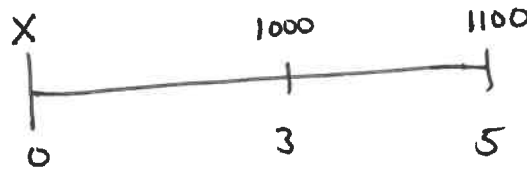
(B) 3%

(C) 4%

(D) 5%

(E) 6%

$$a(t) = (1 - dt)^{-1}$$



$$1100 = 1000 \cdot \frac{a(5)}{a(3)} = 1000 \frac{(1 - 5d)^{-1}}{(1 - 3d)^{-1}} = 1000 \frac{1 - 3d}{1 - 5d}$$

$$\therefore 1.1(1 - 5d) = 1 - 3d \Rightarrow d = .04$$

8. A deposit of 1000 is made into account A, which credits interest using a simple interest rate of 12%. At the same time, a deposit of 1000 is made into account B, which credits interest using a quarterly effective discount rate of 2%. Let T denote the time at which the forces of interest in the two accounts are equal. If α and β denote the amounts in accounts A and B, respectively, at time T , determine $\alpha - \beta$.

(A) -100

(B) -50

(C) 0

(D) 50

(E) 100

$$\alpha = 1000(1 + .12T)$$

$$\beta = 1000(.98)^{-4T}$$

$$A: \delta_t = \frac{.12}{1 + .12T} \quad B: \delta_t = \delta \Rightarrow e^{\delta} = (.98)^{-4} \\ \Rightarrow \delta = -4 \ln(.98)$$

$$\therefore \frac{.12}{1 + .12T} = -4 \ln(.98)$$

$$\Rightarrow T = 4.041 \dots$$

$$\therefore \left. \begin{array}{l} \alpha = 1484.949 \dots \\ \beta = 1386.214 \dots \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta = 98.735 \dots$$

9. Determine $\frac{d}{dd}(v^2)$.

(A) $2v$

(B) $-2v$

(C) $2v^3$

(D) $-2v^3$

(E) none of the above

$$v^2 = (1-d)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dd}(v^2) &= 2(1-d)' \cdot (-1) \\ &= -2(1-d) = -2v\end{aligned}$$

10. Given a nominal interest rate of i , converted semiannually, let d denote the equivalent nominal discount rate, converted semiannually. Determine d in terms of i .

(A) $d = \frac{i}{1+i}$

(B) $d = \frac{2i}{1+i}$

(C) $d = \frac{2i}{1+2i}$

(D) $d = \frac{2i}{2+i}$

(E) none of the above

$$\frac{i}{2} = seir \quad \frac{d}{2} = sedr$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{2} = \frac{i/2}{1+i/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{i}{1+i/2} = \frac{2i}{2+i}$$