

Chapter 02

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39. Using mathematical formulas, financial tables, or a financial calculator, you can find the

- A. Future value of an amount invested today
- B. Present value of an amount you will receive in the future
- C. Future value of an amount you deposit annually
- D. Present value of an amount if you make annual payments
- E. All of these

40. What is the difference between an annuity and an annuity due?

- A. There are no payments in an annuity due.
- B. Payments are at the beginning of the month for an annuity and at the end of the month for an annuity due.
- C. Payments are at the beginning of the month for an annuity due and at the end of the month for an annuity.
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- A. A single, one-time payment
- B. All of your money is put together in a pile
- C. A series of equal payments that are made at equal intervals over time
- D. The value of an amount based on the interest rate

42. Which of the following correctly defines future value?

- A. The current value of a said future amount based on the interest rate and time in the account.
- B. The value of an amount at a future date based on the interest rate and time in the account.
- C. A single, one-time payment.
- D. A series of equal payments that are made at equal intervals over time.

43. If you put \$1,000 into an account earning 5% interest annually, how much will you have in five years?

- A. \$5,000.00
- B. \$1,276.28
- C. \$1,050.50
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44. If you are investing a stream of equal payments that occur at the beginning of each month, what type of investing is this called?

- A. Lump sum
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45. Calculate the future value when $PV = \$1,600$, the interest rate is 8%, and there are 10 periods.

A. \$7,030.26

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C. \$3,370.60

D. \$3,454.28

46. Using the present value long-hand method, how much money would need to be deposited to earn \$5,000 in five years with a 5% interest rate compounded annually?

A. \$3,917.63

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True / False Questions

47. The government has an unlimited supply of money.

True False

48. Each dollar bill has a serial number starting with the letter or the district in which it was printed.

True False

49. Paper money is backed by the full faith of the U.S. government and the Federal Reserve Bank.

True False

50. You put your \$100 in a savings account and earn 12% APR. At the end of one year, you earned \$12.00 in interest. This is an example of simple interest.

True False

51. The annual percentage yield (APY) is the effective monthly rate of return taking into account the effect of compounding interest.

True False

52. The APY earned on \$10,000 at 12% interest compounded monthly over the course of one year is the same rate as if compounded daily.

True False

53. The secret to becoming a millionaire is to pay all your bills on time.

True False

54. The time value of money is most commonly applied to two types of cash flows:
lump sum and annuity.

True False

55. You can use the future value interest factor (FVIF) table to calculate the future amount of a lump sum.

True False

56. The process of discounting involves knowing how much money you would have had to deposit yesterday in order to have a specific amount today.

True False

Essay Questions

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58. If you had the choice of choosing \$3,000 now or \$5,000 in five years, which one would you choose if the APY were 12%?

59. Christina plans to contribute \$1,200 a year to her niece's college education. Her niece will graduate from high school in 10 years. If the interest rate is 6%, how much money does Christina need to save for her by the time she graduates from high school?

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- C. Stream of equal payments that occurs at the beginning of a period
- D. Stream of unequal payments that occurs at the beginning of a period

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Remember

Difficulty: 1 Easy

Learning Objective: 02-03 Calculate the future and present value of lump sums and annuities in order to know what amount to put aside to meet financial goals.

Topic: The Time Value of Money

39. Using mathematical formulas, financial tables, or a financial calculator, you can find the

- A. Future value of an amount invested today
- B. Present value of an amount you will receive in the future
- C. Future value of an amount you deposit annually
- D. Present value of an amount if you make annual payments
- E. All of these

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Remember

Difficulty: 1 Easy

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

40. What is the difference between an annuity and an annuity due?

- A. There are no payments in an annuity due.
- B. Payments are at the beginning of the month for an annuity and at the end of the month for an annuity due.
- C. Payments are at the beginning of the month for an annuity due and at the end of the month for an annuity.
- D. There is no difference.

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

41. What is a lump sum?

- A. A single, one-time payment
- B. All of your money is put together in a pile
- C. A series of equal payments that are made at equal intervals over time
- D. The value of an amount based on the interest rate

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

42. Which of the following correctly defines future value?

- A. The current value of a said future amount based on the interest rate and time in the account.
- B. The value of an amount at a future date based on the interest rate and time in the account.
- C. A single, one-time payment.
- D. A series of equal payments that are made at equal intervals over time.

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

43. If you put \$1,000 into an account earning 5% interest annually, how much will you have in five years?

A. \$5,000.00

B. \$1,276.28

C. \$1,050.50

D. \$1,500.00

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Apply

Difficulty: 3 Hard

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

44. If you are investing a stream of equal payments that occur at the beginning of each month, what type of investing is this called?

A. Lump sum

B. Annuity due

C. Discounting

D. Ordinary annuity

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

45. Calculate the future value when $PV = \$1,600$, the interest rate is 8%, and there are 10 periods.

A. \$7,030.26

B. \$3,620.37

C. \$3,370.60

D. \$3,454.28

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Apply

Difficulty: 3 Hard

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

46. Using the present value long-hand method, how much money would need to be deposited to earn \$5,000 in five years with a 5% interest rate compounded annually?

A. \$3,917.63

B. \$3,917.00

C. \$3,918.63

D. \$3,918.00

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Apply

Difficulty: 3 Hard

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

True / False Questions

47. The government has an unlimited supply of money.

FALSE

AACSB: Analytic
Blooms: Understand
Difficulty: 2 Medium

Learning Objective: 02-01 Explain what gives paper currency value and how the Federal Reserve Bank manages its distribution.
Topic: What Gives Money Value

48. Each dollar bill has a serial number starting with the letter or the district in which it was printed.

TRUE

AACSB: Analytic
Blooms: Remember
Difficulty: 1 Easy

Learning Objective: 02-01 Explain what gives paper currency value and how the Federal Reserve Bank manages its distribution.
Topic: What Gives Money Value

49. Paper money is backed by the full faith of the U.S. government and the Federal Reserve Bank.

TRUE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Remember

Difficulty: 1 Easy

Learning Objective: 02-01 Explain what gives paper currency value and how the Federal Reserve Bank manages its distribution.

Topic: What Gives Money Value

50. You put your \$100 in a savings account and earn 12% APR. At the end of one year, you earned \$12.00 in interest. This is an example of simple interest.

TRUE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Evaluate

Difficulty: 3 Hard

Learning Objective: 02-02 Differentiate between simple and compound interest rates and calculate annual percentage yields and the value of paying yourself first.

Topic: Power of Compounding

51. The annual percentage yield (APY) is the effective monthly rate of return taking into account the effect of compounding interest.

FALSE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

Learning Objective: 02-02 Differentiate between simple and compound interest rates and calculate annual percentage yields and the value of paying yourself first.

Topic: Power of Compounding

52. The APY earned on \$10,000 at 12% interest compounded monthly over the course of one year is the same rate as if compounded daily.

FALSE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Evaluate

Difficulty: 3 Hard

Learning Objective: 02-02 Differentiate between simple and compound interest rates and calculate annual percentage yields and the value of paying yourself first.

Topic: Power of Compounding

53. The secret to becoming a millionaire is to pay all your bills on time.

FALSE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

Learning Objective: 02-02 Differentiate between simple and compound interest rates and calculate annual percentage yields and the value of paying yourself first.

Topic: Power of Compounding

54. The time value of money is most commonly applied to two types of cash flows: lump sum and annuity.

TRUE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

Learning Objective: 02-03 Calculate the future and present value of lump sums and annuities in order to know what amount to put aside to meet financial goals.

55. You can use the future value interest factor (FVIF) table to calculate the future amount of a lump sum.

TRUE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Understand

Difficulty: 2 Medium

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

56. The process of discounting involves knowing how much money you would have had to deposit yesterday in order to have a specific amount today.

FALSE

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Evaluate

Difficulty: 3 Hard

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

Essay Questions

57. What is the difference between compound interest and simple interest?

Compound interest is when you gain interest from the interest that you have already earned. So your deposit just keeps building and you gain interest on top of interest. Simple interest is when you have interest only on the initial deposit. You will have the same amount of interest added each year.

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Evaluate

Difficulty: 3 Hard

Learning Objective: 02-02 Differentiate between simple and compound interest rates and calculate annual percentage yields and the value of paying yourself first.

Topic: Power of Compounding

58. If you had the choice of choosing \$3,000 now or \$5,000 in five years, which one would you choose if the APY were 12%?

Choose the \$3,000 now. $\$3,000(1 + .12)^5 = 5,287.03$

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Evaluate

Difficulty: 3 Hard

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Topic: The Time Value of Money

59. Christina plans to contribute \$1,200 a year to her niece's college education. Her niece will graduate from high school in 10 years. If the interest rate is 6%, how much money does Christina need to save for her by the time she graduates from high school?

$$FV = \$1,200(FVIFA 6,10) = 1,200 * 13.181 = 15,817.20$$

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Apply

Difficulty: 3 Hard

Learning Objective: 02-03 Calculate the future and present value of lump sums and annuities in order to know what amount to put aside to meet financial goals.

Topic: The Time Value of Money

60. If Amelia deposits \$7,000 of her high school graduation gift money into a savings account, how much will she have for graduate school in four years if interest rates are 3%?

$$\$7,878.56$$

AACSB: Analytic

Blooms: Apply

Difficulty: 3 Hard

Learning Objective: 02-03 Calculate the future and present value of lump sums and annuities in order to know what amount to put aside to meet financial goals.

Topic: The Time Value of Money