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* 12.

Jeff deposits 10 into a fund today and 20 fifteen years later. Interest for the first 10 years is credited at a nominal discount rate of d compounded quarterly, and thereafter at a nominal interest rate of 6% compounded semiannually. The accumulated balance in the fund at the end of 30 years is 100.

Calculate d .

- (A) 4.33%
- (B) 4.43%
- (C) 4.53%
- (D) 4.63%
- (E) 4.73%

13.

Ernie makes deposits of 100 at time 0, and X at time 3. The fund grows at a force of interest

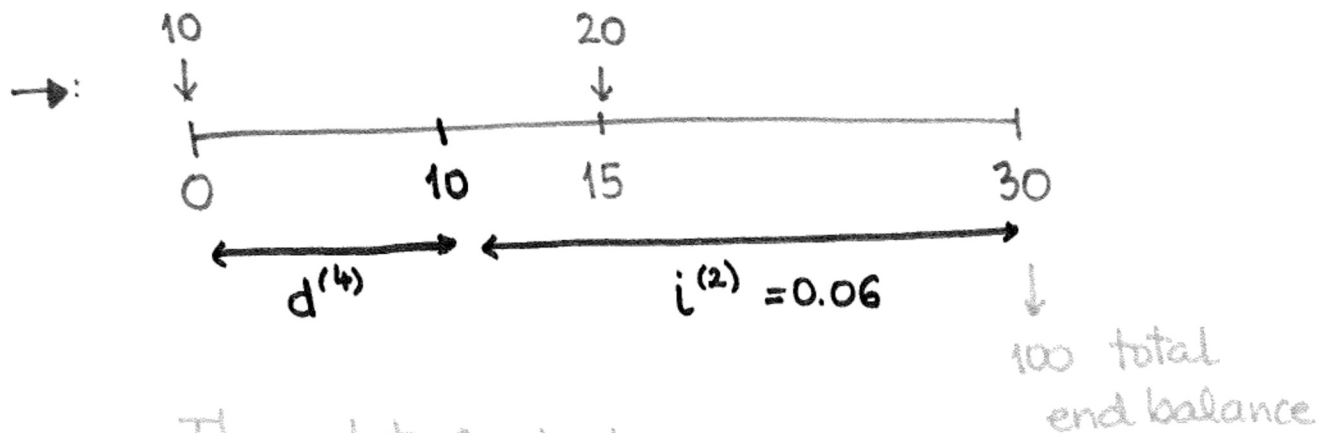
$$\delta_t = \frac{t^2}{100}, t > 0.$$

The amount of interest earned from time 3 to time 6 is also X .

Calculate X .

- (A) 385
- (B) 485
- (C) 585
- (D) 685
- (E) 785

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The total balance is the result of the accumulation of:

- the 10 deposited @ time 0
- and
- the 20 deposited @ time 15

The accumulated value of the 10 deposited @ time 0 is:

$$10 \left(1 - \frac{d^{(4)}}{4}\right)^{-10(4)} \left(1 + \frac{i^{(2)}}{2}\right)^{20(2)}$$

The accumulated value of the 20 deposited @ time 15 is:

$$20 \left(1 + \frac{i^{(2)}}{2}\right)^{15(2)} =$$

$$= 20(1.03)^{30}$$

$$10 \left(1 - \frac{d^{(4)}}{4}\right)^{-40} (1.03)^{40} + 20(1.03)^{30} = 100$$

$$10 \left(1 - \frac{d^{(4)}}{4}\right)^{-40} = \frac{100 - 20(1.03)^{30}}{(1.03)^{40}} \approx 15.77$$

$$1 - \frac{d^{(4)}}{4} = (1.577)^{-\frac{1}{40}} \approx 0.989$$

$$\Rightarrow d^{(4)} = (1 - 0.989) \cdot 4 \approx 0.0453$$

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94.

A couple decides to save money for their child's first year college tuition.

The parents will deposit 1700 n months from today and another 3400 $2n$ months from today.

All deposits earn interest at a nominal annual rate of 7.2%, compounded monthly.

Calculate the maximum integral value of n such that the parents will have accumulated at least 6500 five years from today.

- (A) 11
- (B) 12
- (C) 18
- (D) 24
- (E) 25

* 95.

Let S be the accumulated value of 1000 invested for two years at a nominal annual rate of discount d convertible semiannually, which is equivalent to an annual effective interest rate of i .

Let T be the accumulated value of 1000 invested for one year at a nominal annual rate of discount d convertible quarterly.

$$S/T = (39/38)^4.$$

Calculate i .

- (A) 10.0%
- (B) 10.3%
- (C) 10.8%
- (D) 10.9%
- (E) 11.1%

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→: First, we figure out d :

$$\left. \begin{aligned} S &= 1000 \left(1 - \frac{d}{2}\right)^{-2 \cdot 2} = 1000 \left(1 - \frac{d}{2}\right)^{-4} \\ T &= 1000 \left(1 - \frac{d}{4}\right)^{-1 \cdot 4} = 1000 \left(1 - \frac{d}{4}\right)^{-4} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\text{Given: } \frac{S}{T} = \left(\frac{39}{38}\right)^{\cancel{4}} = \frac{1000 \left(1 - \frac{d}{2}\right)^{\cancel{-4}}}{1000 \left(1 - \frac{d}{4}\right)^{\cancel{-4}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{39}{38} = \frac{1 - \frac{d}{4}}{1 - \frac{d}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39 - 39 \cdot \frac{d}{2} = 38 - 38 \cdot \frac{d}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow d \left(\frac{39}{2} - \frac{38}{4} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 0.10$$

Solve for i in:

$$1+i = \left(1 - \frac{0.10}{2}\right)^{-2} = (1 - 0.05)^{-2} = 0.95^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow i = 0.108 \Rightarrow (c)$$

* Bruce deposits 100 into a bank account. His account is credited interest at an annual nominal rate of interest of 4% convertible semiannually.

At the same time, Peter deposits 100 into a separate account. Peter's account is credited interest at an annual force of interest of δ .

After 7.25 years, the value of each account is the same.

Calculate δ .

$$(1 + 0.02)^{14.5} = e^{\delta \cdot 7.25}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + 0.02)^2 = e^{\delta}$$

(A) 0.0388

(B) 0.0392

(C) 0.0396

(D) 0.0404

(E) 0.0414

$$\Rightarrow \delta = 2 \ln(1.02) = 0.0396 \Rightarrow (C)$$

2.

Kathryn deposits 100 into an account at the beginning of each 4-year period for 40 years. The account credits interest at an annual effective interest rate of i .

The accumulated amount in the account at the end of 40 years is X , which is 5 times the accumulated amount in the account at the end of 20 years.

Calculate X .

(A) 4695

(B) 5070

(C) 5445

(D) 5820

(E) 6195

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Review: FORCE OF INTEREST

b_0 ... the initial balance

$b(t)$... time t balance

Assume: $b'(t) = \delta b(t)$

↑
force of interest

$$\Rightarrow b(t) = b_0 e^{\delta \cdot t}$$

The TIME-VARYING FORCE OF INTEREST

b_0 ... the initial balance

$b(t)$... time t balance

Assume: the rate of change is

$$b'(t) = \delta_t \cdot b(t)$$

↑
the time-varying force of interest

$$\rightarrow: \frac{db(t)}{dt} = \delta_t b(t)$$

$$\frac{db(t)}{b(t)} = \delta_t dt$$

$$\ln(b(t)) = \int_0^t \delta_u du + c$$

$$\Rightarrow b(t) = b_0 \cdot e^{\int_0^t \delta_u du}$$

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If the initial balance is 1,
then we get the accumulation f'n

$$a(t) = e^{\int_0^t \delta_u du}$$

We can reverse the process:

At time t , the force of interest is:

$$\ln(a(t)) = \int_0^t \delta_u du$$

$$\delta_t = \frac{d}{dt} [\ln(a(t))] = \frac{a'(t)}{a(t)}$$

Example. [FINDING δ_t from $a(t)$]

I. $a(t) = (1+0.05)^t (1+0.02)^{t/2}$

Then,

$$\delta_t = \frac{d}{dt} [\ln(a(t))]$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left[t \cdot \ln(1.05) + \frac{t}{2} \ln(1.02) \right]$$

$$= \ln(1.05) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(1.02)$$

II. $a(t) = (1+0.05)^{t^2}$

then,

$$\delta_t = \frac{d}{dt} [\ln(a(t))]$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} [t^2 \cdot \ln(1.05)]$$

$$= 2t \ln(1.05) \quad \underline{\text{NOT}} \text{ a constant}$$