# AS289- Final

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#### Exercise 1

Calculate the Macaulay duration of a common stock that pays dividends at the end of each year into perpetuity. Assume that the dividend is constant, and that the effective rate of interest is 5%

- 1. 18
- $2.\ 19$
- 3. 20
- 4. 21
- $5.\ 22$

Let K be the dividend received each year. Then,  $P = \frac{K}{i}$ , where is the interest rate.  $\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{di} = -\frac{K}{i^2}$  $\Rightarrow D_{max} = -(1+i)\frac{dP}{di} = \frac{1+i}{i} = \frac{1+0.05}{0.05} = 21$ 

John purchased three bonds to form a portfolio as follows

- Bond A has semi-annual coupons at 4%, a duration of 21.46 years, and was purchased for 980.
- Bond B is a 15-year bond with a duration of 12.35 years and was purchased for 1015.
- $\bullet\,$  Bond C has a duration of 16.67 years and was purchased for 1000.

Calculate the Macaulay duration of the portfolio at the time of purchase.

- $1. \ 16.62 \ {\rm years}$
- $2.\ 16.67 \text{ years}$
- $3. \ 16.72 \ {\rm years}$
- 4. 16.77 years
- $5. \ 16.82 \ years$

The present value of the portfolio is = 2995  

$$D_{mac} = w_A D_{mac}^A + w_B D_{mac}^B + w_C D_{mac}^C$$
  
 $= \frac{980}{2995} \times 21.46 + \frac{1015}{2995} \times 12.35 + \frac{1000}{2995} \times 16.67$   
 $= 16.77$ 

A company must pay liabilities of 1000 and 2000 at the end of years 1 and 2, respectively. The only investments available to the company are the following two zero-coupon bonds

Maturity (years)	Effective annual yield	Par
1	10%	1000
2	12%	1000

Determine the cost to the company today to match its liabilities exactly.

- $1.\ 2007$
- 2.2259
- 3. 2503
- $4.\ 2756$
- $5. \ 3001$



An annuity provides the following payments:

- X at the beginning of each year for 20 years, starting today
- 4X at the beginning of ech year for 30 years, starting 20 years from today

Calculate the Macaulay duration of this annuity using an annual effective interest rate of 2%.

 $1.\ 27.32$ 

2. 27.87

- 3.28.30
- $4. \ 33.53$
- $5. \ 35.41$



Aakash has a liability of 6,000 due in four years. This liability will be met with payments A in two years and B in six years. Aakash is employing a Redington immunization strategy using an annual effective interest rate of 5%.



Yield rates to maturity for zero coupon bonds are currently quoted at 8.5% for one-year maturity, 9.5% for two-year maturity, and 10.5% for three-year maturity. Let *i* be the one-year forward rate for year two implied by current yields of these bonds.

Calculate  $\boldsymbol{i}$ 

- $1. \ 8.5\%$
- 2. 9.5%
- 3. 10.5%
- 4. 11.5%
- $5.\ 12.5\%$

$$\dot{L}_{1,2} = \frac{(1+b_2)^2}{1+b_1} - 1$$
$$= \frac{1.095^2}{1.085} - 1$$
$$\simeq 10.51\%$$

You are given the following information with respect to a bond:

- $\bullet\,$  par value: 1000
- term to maturity: 3 years
- annual coupon rate: 6% payable annually

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You are also given that the one, two, and three year annual spot interest rates are 7%, 8%, and 9% respectively. Calculate the value of the bond.

1. 906

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2. 926

- 3. 930
- 4.950
- $5.\ 1000$



A 20-year bond priced to have an annual effective yield of 10% has a Macaulay duration of 11. Immediately after the bond is priced, the market yield rate increases by 0.25%. The bond's approximate percentage price change, using a first-order modified approximation, is X.

Calculate X.

- $1.\ -2.22\%$
- 2. -2.47%
- $\begin{array}{r} 3. \ -2.5\% \\ 4. \ -2.62\% \end{array}$
- ...
- 5. -2.75%

$$h = 0.0025; \quad i_0 = 0.10; \quad D_{mac} = 11$$

$$P(i) \simeq P(i_0) \left[ 1 - h_* \frac{D_{mac}}{1 + i_0} \right]$$

$$\simeq 0.975 P(i_0)$$

$$\implies \frac{P(i)}{P(i_0)} \simeq 0.975$$

Term (in years)	Spot interest rate
1	5.00%
2	5.75%
3	6.25%
4	6.50%

You are given the following term structure of spot interest rates:

A three year **annuity-immediate** will be issued **a year from now** with annual payments of 5000. Using the forward rates, calculate the present value of this annuity **a year from now**;

- 1. 13,094
- $2.\ 13,153$
- 3. 13,296
- 4. 13, 321
- 5. 13,401





A 30-year bond with a par value of 1000 and 12% coupons payable quarterly is selling at 850. Calculate the annual yield rate convertible quarterly.

- $1. \ 3.5\%$
- $2.\ 7.1\%$
- 3. 14.2%
- $4.\ \ 14.9\%$
- $5.\ 15.4\%$

$$r = \frac{12\%}{4} = 3\% ; n = 30 \times 4 = 120 ; F = 1000$$
  
P = 850  
Using the financial calculator, we get  
 $\dot{J}_{4}^{(4)} = 3.5392\%$   
 $\Rightarrow \dot{J}_{4}^{(4)} = 14.1568\%$ 

A ten-year 100 par value bond pays 8% coupons semiannually. The bond is priced at 118.20 to yield an annual nominal rate of 6% convertible semiannually.

Calculate the redemption value of the bond.

- 1.97
- 2. 100
- 3. 103
- 4. 106
- 5. 109

 $n = 10 \times 2 = 20; \quad F = 100; \quad r = \frac{8\%}{2} = 4\%$   $P = 118.20; \quad \dot{d} = \frac{6\%}{2} = 3\%$   $P = C \cdot v^{n} + Fr \cdot a_{n} \dot{d}$   $\implies C = (1 + d)^{n} \left[ P - Fr \cdot a_{n} \dot{d} \right]$   $= 1.03^{20} \left[ 118.20 - 4 \cdot a_{\overline{20}0.03} \right]$   $\approx 106$ 

You are given the following information with respect to a bond

- par value: 1000
- term to maturity: 3 years
- annual coupon rate: 6% payable annually

You are given that the one, two, and three year annual spot interest rates are 7%, 8%, and 9% respectively. The bond is sold at a price equal to its value.

Calculate the annual effective yield rate for the bond.

- $1. \ 8.1\%$
- 2. 8.3%
- 3. 8.5%
- 4. 8.7%
- 5. 8.9%



A 40-year bond is purchased at a discount. The bond pays annual coupons. The amount for accumulation of discount in the 15th coupon is 194.82. The amount for accumulation of discount in the 20th coupon is 306.69.

Calculate the amount of discount in the purchase price of this bond



Toby purchased a 20-year par value bond with semiannual coupons at a nominal annual rate of 8% convertible semiannually at a price of 1722.25. The bond can be called at par value 1100 on any coupon date starting at the end if year 15.

What is the minimum yield that Toby could receive, expressed as a nominal annual rate of interest convertible semiannually?



A 20-year of 1000 is repaid with payments at the end of each year. Each of the first ten payments equals 150% of the amount of interest due. Each of the last ten payments is X. The lender charges interest at an annual effective rate of 10%.

Calculate  $\boldsymbol{X}$ 

 $1.\ 32$ 

2. 57

3. 70

4. 97

 $5.\ 117$ 

For 
$$k = 4_{1} 2_{1} \dots 10_{1}$$
 we have  
 $I_{t} = 0B_{t-1} \times i \Rightarrow PR_{t} = 0.5I_{t} = 0.050B_{t-1}$   
 $\Rightarrow 0B_{t} = 0B_{t-1} - 0.050B_{t-1} = 0.950B_{t-1}$   
 $\Rightarrow 0B_{10} = (0.95)^{10}0B_{0} = 598.737$   
 $t = 40 44 42 20$   
 $X X X X$   
 $X X X X$   
 $OB_{10} = Xa_{10}i_{3} \Rightarrow X = \frac{0B_{10}}{a_{10}i_{3}} = 97.44$ 

Seth borrows X for four year at an annual effective interest rate of 8%, to be repaid with equal payments at the end of each year. The outstanding loan balance at the end of the first year is 559.12.

Calculate the principal repaid in the first payment.

- 1. 444

   2. 454
- 3. 464
- $4.\ 474$
- $5.\ 484$



 $i = 8\%; \quad n = 4$   $0B_3 = Kv \implies K = (1+i)0B_3 = 603.85$  $\implies PR_4 = Kv^4 = 443.847$ 

A loan is repaid with level annual payments based on annual effective interest rate of 7%. The 8-th payment consists of 789 of interest and 211 of principal.

Calculate the amount of interest paid in the 18th payment.

- $1. \ 415$
- 2. 444
- 3.556
- 4. 585
- $5.\ 612$

$$i = \frac{7\%}{18} ; I_8 = \frac{789}{18} = K(1 - v^{n-7}) (4)$$

$$PR_8 = 241 = Kv^{n-7} (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow I_8 + PR_8 = K = 1000$$

$$(1 + i)^{n-7} = \frac{K}{PR_8} \Rightarrow n = 7 + \frac{\ln(\frac{K}{PR_8})}{\ln(4 + i)}$$

$$= 30$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{18} = K(1 - v^{n-17}) = 585.035$$

Bruce and Robbie each open up new bank accounts at time 0. Bruce deposits 100 into his bank account, and Robbie deposits 50 into his. Each account earns the same annual effective interest rate.

The amount of interest earned in Bruce's account during the 11th year is equal to X. The amount of interest earned in Robbie's account during the 17th year is equal to X.

Calculate  $\boldsymbol{X}$ 

- 1. 28.00
- 2. 31.30
- 3. 34.60
- $4.\ 36.70$
- 5. 38.90

The amount of interest in Bruce's account during 11.th year  

$$= 100 * (1 + i)^{11} - 100 * (1 + i)^{10}$$

$$= 100 i (1 + i)^{10} = X \quad (1)$$

The amount of interest in Robbie's account during 14-th year  
= 
$$50 \times (1+i)^{17} - 50 \times (1+i)^{16}$$
  
=  $50 \times (1+i)^{16} = X$  (2)  
(1) / (2)  $\Rightarrow$   $(1+i)^{6} = 2 \Rightarrow i = \sqrt[6]{2} - 1 \approx 12.25\%$   
 $\Rightarrow X = 100i(1+i)^{10} = 38.90\%$ 

At an annual interest rate of i, i > 0%, the present value of a perpetuity paying 10 at the end of each 3-year period, with the first payment at the end of year 3, is 32.

At the same annual effective rate of i, the present value of a perpetuity paying 1 at the end of each 4-month period, with first payment at the end of 4 months, is X.



You are given the following information about a loan of L that is to be repaid with a series of 16 annual payments:

- The first payment of 2000 is due one year from now.
- The next seven payments are each 3% larger than the preceding payment.
- From the 9th to the 16th payment, each payment will be 3% less than the preceding payment.
- The loan has an annual effective interest rate of 7%.

Calculate L.



= 20,688.63