Present Value (PV) & Future Value (FV)

NOTATION

- t = time
- T = number of time periods
- C = cash-flow
- r = interest rate per period
- RA = regular annuity (at the end of t, loan payments)
- AD = annuity due (at the beginning of t, rent)
- g = growth rate

Relationship between Present Value (PV) & Future Value (FV)

$$FV = PV(1+r)^T \iff PV = \frac{FV}{(1+r)^T}$$

FV calculates C at the end of T PV discounts all C at the beginning of T

Example 1:

A player was offered 2 options on his 3-year contract. (a) SEK 2 m. at the end of every year (i.e. year 0, year 1 and year 2). (b) SEK 1.5 m. at the end of year 0 and SEK 5 m. at the end of year 2. Which option is best if r = 10 %?

(a)
$$FV = 2(1,1)^2 + 2(1,1) + 2 = 2,42 + 2,2 + 2 = 6,62 \text{ m}.$$

(b)
$$FV = 1.5(1.1)^2 + 5 = 1.815 + 5 = 6.815 m$$
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(b) is best because FV is higher.

Present Value (PV) & Future Value (FV) of Annuity

Example 2:

Triss highest profit one can earn is SEK 25,000 / month, over 25 years (i.e. 300,000 per year). If r = 8 %, what is the value of that cash-flow today?

$$PV = \frac{C}{(1+r)^{2}} + \frac{C}{(1+r)^{2}} + \dots + \frac{C}{(1+r)^{T}}$$
 (1)

Rewrite (1) as:

$$PV = \frac{C}{(1+r)} [1 + \frac{1}{(1+r)^{2}} + \frac{1}{(1+r)^{2}} + \dots + \frac{1}{(1+r)^{T-1}}]$$
 (2)

Set
$$\alpha = \frac{C}{(1+r)}$$
 and $x = \frac{1}{(1+r)}$ i (2)

$$PV = \alpha [1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^{T-1}]$$
 (3)

Multiply (3) by x

$$xPV = \alpha [x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^T]$$
 (4)

Subtract (4) from (3)

$$PV - xPV = \alpha [1 - x^T] \implies PV (1 - x) = \alpha [1 - x^T] \implies$$

$$PV = \alpha \left\lceil \frac{1 - x^T}{1 - x} \right\rceil \tag{5}$$

Substitute α and x by their simplifications in (2)

$$PV = \frac{C}{(1+r)} \left[\frac{1 - 1/(1+r)^{T}}{1 - 1/(1+r)} \right] = \frac{C}{(1+r)} \left[\frac{1 - (1+r)^{-T}}{1 - (1+r)^{-1}} \right] =$$

$$C\left[\frac{1-(1+r)^{-T}}{(1+r)-(1+r)^{l}(1+r)^{-l}}\right] = C\left[\frac{1-(1+r)^{-T}}{(1+r)-1}\right] =$$

$$C\left[\frac{1-(1+r)^{-T}}{r}\right] \Rightarrow PV = C\left[\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r(1+r)^{T}}\right]$$
(6)

Example 2:
$$PV = 300000 \left[\frac{1}{0.08} - \frac{1}{0.08(1.08)^{25}} \right] = 3202432$$

If
$$T \to \infty \implies PV = \frac{C}{r}$$
; it is called "**Perpetuity**"

If payments take place at the beginning of the period, we multiply (6) by (1 + r); it is called "Annuity Due".

From (6) and relationship $FV = PV(1+r)^T$, we can estimate FV.

$$FV = C \left[\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r(1+r)^T} \right] (1+r)^T = C \left[\frac{(1+r)^T}{r} - \frac{(1+r)^T}{r(1+r)^T} \right] \Rightarrow$$

$$FV = C \left[\frac{(1+r)^T}{r} - \frac{1}{r} \right] \tag{7}$$

Example 3:

An options trader plans to buy a Ferrari in 5 years. The future price of Ferrari in 5 years is estimated to cost SEK 1.2 m. How much must be save per year if r = 10 %?

$$1200000 = C \left[\frac{(1,1)^5}{0,1} - \frac{1}{0,1} \right] \Rightarrow C = 196557 \, kr.$$

Present Value (PV) and Future Value (FV) of growing Annuity

Example 4: A player was offered 2 options on his 10-year contract. (a) SEK 1 m. which will grow by 5 % every year. (b) cash of SEK 7 m. now. Which option is best if r = 10 %?

$$PV = \frac{C}{(1+r)} + \frac{C(1+g)}{(1+r)^2} + \dots + \frac{C(1+g)^{T-1}}{(1+r)^T}$$
(1)

Rewrite (1) as:

$$PV = \frac{C}{(1+r)} [1 + \frac{(1+g)}{(1+r)} + \dots + \frac{(1+g)^{T-1}}{(1+r)^{T-1}}]$$
 (2)

Set
$$\alpha = \frac{C}{(1+r)}$$
 and $x = \frac{1+g}{1+r}$ i (2)

$$PV = \alpha [1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^{T-1}]$$
 (3)

Multiply (3) by x

$$xPV = \alpha [x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots + x^T]$$
 (4)

Subtract (4) from (3)

$$PV - xPV = \alpha[1 - x^T] \Longrightarrow PV(1 - x) = \alpha[1 - x^T] \Longrightarrow$$

$$PV = \alpha \left[\frac{1 - x^T}{1 - x} \right] \tag{5}$$

Substitute α and x by their simplifications in (2)

$$PV = \frac{C}{(1+r)} \left[\frac{1 - \left[(1+g)/(1+r) \right]^T}{1 - (1+g)/(1+r)} \right] = C \left[\frac{1 - (1+g)^T/(1+r)^T}{(1+r) - (1+g)} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow PV = C \left[\frac{1}{(r-g)} - \frac{1}{(r-g)} \frac{(1+g)^T}{(1+r)^T} \right], \text{ for } r > g$$
 (6)

Example 4:

$$PV = 1000000 \left[\frac{1}{(0.1 - 0.05)} - \frac{1}{(0.1 - 0.05)} \frac{(1.05)^{10}}{(1.1)^{10}} \right] = SEK 7.44 m.$$

(a) is best, because PV is higher than 7 m.

If
$$T \to \infty \implies PV = \frac{C}{r-g}$$
; it is called "Growing perpetuity"

From (6) and relationship $FV = PV(1+r)^T$, we can estimate FV.

$$FV = C \left[\frac{1}{(r-g)} - \frac{1}{(r-g)} \frac{(1+g)^T}{(1+r)^T} \right] (1+r)^T \Rightarrow$$

$$FV = C \left[\frac{(1+r)^T}{r-g} - \frac{(1+g)^T}{r-g} \right]$$
(7)

Compounding and Effective interest rate

Example 5:

Estimate FV of $C = SEK\ 1000$ (just one cash-flow), after 10 years if the annual interest rate is r = 8%.

(i) If the interest rate is calculated once per year

$$FV = PV(1 + r)^T = 1000(1,08)^{10} = SEK 2,158.9$$

(ii) If the interest rate is calculated once per month

$$FV = PV\left(1 + \frac{r}{12}\right)^{12T} = 1000\left(1 + \frac{0.08}{12}\right)^{120} = \text{SEK } 2,219.6$$

(iii) If the interest rate is calculated continuously

$$FV = PVe^{rT} = 1000(2,71828)^{0,8} = 2,225.5$$

$$e = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left[1 + \frac{1}{n} \right]^n = 2,71828...$$
 (the base of natural logarithms)

Effective interest rate = e^r -1

For instance, for an annual interest rate of 8 %, the effective interest rate is:

$$2,71828^{0,08} - 1 = 8,329 \%$$