

ENG 110 Winter 2021 Final - Closed Notes/Book

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1. (30 points) In the City of Springfield, Silver Gate Bridge is painted every two years at a cost of \$3 million. A startup company came up with a new paint that has the same quality but lasts for 5 years. The City uses a discount rate of 10%.

a) (5 points) Today (year 0), the City is about to pay \$3m (not paid yet) when the new paint is offered at a cost of \$x million to be paid today and every five years. What should be the maximum x for the City to switch to the new paint?

b) (7 points) Assume that the price of the new paint is set at \$x million that you found in part (a) and the City switched to the new paint. Assume that five years passed since the switch. Today (year 5), the City pays \$x million but it turns out that the startup company is out of business. Money is paid but the bridge is not painted. Then the City goes back to the original paint and pays \$3 million today (year 5) and every two years subsequently. What is the EUAC (Equivalent Uniform Annual Cost) that is paid by the City for having the bridge painted from year 0 to year 9 (excluding the price that is paid exactly at year 9) ?

c) (10 points) The City decides to hire chemical engineers and invest on developing its own paint. Today is year 9 and the total investment required to be paid today is \$5 million. This endeavor is expected to produce a paint that will cost \$1 million every 3 years, beginning year 13 with 70% chance. With 30% chance the investment will not produce any usable paint (in which case the City will continue to use the original paint). Also, until year 13, the City will use the original paint.

Should the City go ahead with this investment today (year 9)?

d)(8 points) What is the Internal Rate of Return of the investment given that the this investment will produce a usable paint with certainty (100%)?

2. (20 points) A monopolistically competitive company has a Demand given by $P = 22,000 - 6Q$, Total Cost given by $TC(Q) = 500,000 + 5Q^2$.

a) (5 points) What is the profit maximizing price and quantity? What is the profit? Calculate the total consumer surplus amount.

b) (10 points) Due to entry of competitors, firm's demand shifts to a new position that is given by $P=22,000-8Q$. What is the new profit? How much is the new total consumer surplus ?

c) (5 points) How much would the firm spend on lobby efforts to prevent entry into the industry? How much would the consumer advocacy groups spend to counter these efforts?

3. (20 points) You get a loan of \$10,000 today and in each of the following 3 years with an adjustable APR according to which you are charged a 2%, 3%, and 4% interest rate in the first, second and third years respectively. Interest rate will stay at 4% thereafter. You will pay back your debt with 6 equal annual payments beginning 5 years after you get your first loan. How much is your last payment and what portion of it is "the interest payment" and what portion of it is "the principal payment"?

4. (10 points) A company is funded by \$50 million debt with an annual cost is 5% and \$50 million by equity with an annual cost of 11%. Tax rate is 10%. What is the after-tax WACC (Weighted Average Cost of Capital) of this company?

5. (20 points) MARR is 10%. A perfectly competitive firm gets all production orders and is paid the price upfront (\$P per unit) for a production process that takes one year. Assume that all costs are due when the production process ends. We know the following about this company:

$$TC(Q) = 400,000 + 50Q^3$$

If the company makes zero economic profit at the optimum production level (i.e. at the profit maximizing quantity), what is P? (Setting up the equation that will solve for P is enough to get full points. You do not have to solve the equation.)

10%

Compound Interest Factors

10%

<i>n</i>	Single Payment		Uniform Payment Series				Arithmetic Gradient		<i>n</i>
	Compound Amount Factor Find <i>F</i> Given <i>P</i> <i>F/P</i>	Present Worth Factor Find <i>P</i> Given <i>F</i> <i>P/F</i>	Sinking Fund Factor Find <i>A</i> Given <i>F</i> <i>A/F</i>	Capital Recovery Factor Find <i>A</i> Given <i>P</i> <i>A/P</i>	Compound Amount Factor Find <i>F</i> Given <i>A</i> <i>F/A</i>	Present Worth Factor Find <i>P</i> Given <i>A</i> <i>P/A</i>	Gradient Uniform Series Find <i>A</i> Given <i>G</i> <i>A/G</i>	Gradient Present Worth Find <i>P</i> Given <i>G</i> <i>P/G</i>	
1	1.100	.9091	1.0000	1.1000	1.000	0.909	0	0	1
2	1.210	.8264	.4762	.5762	2.100	1.736	0.476	0.826	2
3	1.331	.7513	.3021	.4021	3.310	2.487	0.937	2.329	3
4	1.464	.6830	.2155	.3155	4.641	3.170	1.381	4.378	4
5	1.611	.6209	.1638	.2638	6.105	3.791	1.810	6.862	5
6	1.772	.5645	.1296	.2296	7.716	4.355	2.224	9.684	6
7	1.949	.5132	.1054	.2054	9.487	4.868	2.622	12.763	7
8	2.144	.4665	.0874	.1874	11.436	5.335	3.004	16.029	8
9	2.358	.4241	.0736	.1736	13.579	5.759	3.372	19.421	9
10	2.594	.3855	.0627	.1627	15.937	6.145	3.725	22.891	10
11	2.853	.3505	.0540	.1540	18.531	6.495	4.064	26.396	11
12	3.138	.3186	.0468	.1468	21.384	6.814	4.388	29.901	12
13	3.452	.2897	.0408	.1408	24.523	7.103	4.699	33.377	13
14	3.797	.2633	.0357	.1357	27.975	7.367	4.996	36.801	14
15	4.177	.2394	.0315	.1315	31.772	7.606	5.279	40.152	15
16	4.595	.2176	.0278	.1278	35.950	7.824	5.549	43.416	16
17	5.054	.1978	.0247	.1247	40.545	8.022	5.807	46.582	17
18	5.560	.1799	.0219	.1219	45.599	8.201	6.053	49.640	18
19	6.116	.1635	.0195	.1195	51.159	8.365	6.286	52.583	19
20	6.728	.1486	.0175	.1175	57.275	8.514	6.508	55.407	20
21	7.400	.1351	.0156	.1156	64.003	8.649	6.719	58.110	21
22	8.140	.1228	.0140	.1140	71.403	8.772	6.919	60.689	22
23	8.954	.1117	.0126	.1126	79.543	8.883	7.108	63.146	23
24	9.850	.1015	.0113	.1113	88.497	8.985	7.288	65.481	24
25	10.835	.0923	.0102	.1102	98.347	9.077	7.458	67.696	25
26	11.918	.0839	.00916	.1092	109.182	9.161	7.619	69.794	26
27	13.110	.0763	.00826	.1083	121.100	9.237	7.770	71.777	27
28	14.421	.0693	.00745	.1075	134.210	9.307	7.914	73.650	28
29	15.863	.0630	.00673	.1067	148.631	9.370	8.049	75.415	29
30	17.449	.0573	.00608	.1061	164.494	9.427	8.176	77.077	30
31	19.194	.0521	.00550	.1055	181.944	9.479	8.296	78.640	31
32	21.114	.0474	.00497	.1050	201.138	9.526	8.409	80.108	32
33	23.225	.0431	.00450	.1045	222.252	9.569	8.515	81.486	33
34	25.548	.0391	.00407	.1041	245.477	9.609	8.615	82.777	34
35	28.102	.0356	.00369	.1037	271.025	9.644	8.709	83.987	35
40	45.259	.0221	.00226	.1023	442.593	9.779	9.096	88.953	40
45	72.891	.0137	.00139	.1014	718.905	9.863	9.374	92.454	45
50	117.391	.00852	.00086	.1009	1 163.9	9.915	9.570	94.889	50
55	189.059	.00529	.00053	.1005	1 880.6	9.947	9.708	96.562	55
60	304.482	.00328	.00033	.1003	3 034.8	9.967	9.802	97.701	60
65	490.371	.00204	.00020	.1002	4 893.7	9.980	9.867	98.471	65
70	789.748	.00127	.00013	.1001	7 887.5	9.987	9.911	98.987	70
75	1 271.9	.00079	.00008	.1001	12 709.0	9.992	9.941	99.332	75
80	2 048.4	.00049	.00005	.1000	20 474.0	9.995	9.961	99.561	80
85	3 299.0	.00030	.00003	.1000	32 979.7	9.997	9.974	99.712	85
90	5 313.0	.00019	.00002	.1000	53 120.3	9.998	9.983	99.812	90
95	8 556.7	.00012	.00001	.1000	85 556.9	9.999	9.989	99.877	95
100	13 780.6	.00007	.00001	.1000	137 796.3	9.999	9.993	99.920	100

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1	1.040	.9615	1.0000	1.0400	1.000	0.962	0	0	1
2	1.082	.9246	.4902	.5302	2.040	1.886	0.490	0.925	2
3	1.125	.8890	.3203	.3603	3.122	2.775	0.974	2.702	3
4	1.170	.8548	.2355	.2755	4.246	3.630	1.451	5.267	4
5	1.217	.8219	.1846	.2246	5.416	4.452	1.922	8.555	5
6	1.265	.7903	.1508	.1908	6.633	5.242	2.386	12.506	6
7	1.316	.7599	.1266	.1666	7.898	6.002	2.843	17.066	7
8	1.369	.7307	.1085	.1485	9.214	6.733	3.294	22.180	8
9	1.423	.7026	.0945	.1345	10.583	7.435	3.739	27.801	9
10	1.480	.6756	.0833	.1233	12.006	8.111	4.177	33.881	10
11	1.539	.6496	.0741	.1141	13.486	8.760	4.609	40.377	11
12	1.601	.6246	.0666	.1066	15.026	9.385	5.034	47.248	12
13	1.665	.6006	.0601	.1001	16.627	9.986	5.453	54.454	13
14	1.732	.5775	.0547	.0947	18.292	10.563	5.866	61.962	14
15	1.801	.5553	.0499	.0899	20.024	11.118	6.272	69.735	15
16	1.873	.5339	.0458	.0858	21.825	11.652	6.672	77.744	16
17	1.948	.5134	.0422	.0822	23.697	12.166	7.066	85.958	17
18	2.026	.4936	.0390	.0790	25.645	12.659	7.453	94.350	18
19	2.107	.4746	.0361	.0761	27.671	13.134	7.834	102.893	19
20	2.191	.4564	.0336	.0736	29.778	13.590	8.209	111.564	20
21	2.279	.4388	.0313	.0713	31.969	14.029	8.578	120.341	21
22	2.370	.4220	.0292	.0692	34.248	14.451	8.941	129.202	22
23	2.465	.4057	.0273	.0673	36.618	14.857	9.297	138.128	23
24	2.563	.3901	.0256	.0656	39.083	15.247	9.648	147.101	24
25	2.666	.3751	.0240	.0640	41.646	15.622	9.993	156.104	25
26	2.772	.3607	.0226	.0626	44.312	15.983	10.331	165.121	26
27	2.883	.3468	.0212	.0612	47.084	16.330	10.664	174.138	27
28	2.999	.3335	.0200	.0600	49.968	16.663	10.991	183.142	28
29	3.119	.3207	.0189	.0589	52.966	16.984	11.312	192.120	29
30	3.243	.3083	.0178	.0578	56.085	17.292	11.627	201.062	30
31	3.373	.2965	.0169	.0569	59.328	17.588	11.937	209.955	31
32	3.508	.2851	.0159	.0559	62.701	17.874	12.241	218.792	32
33	3.648	.2741	.0151	.0551	66.209	18.148	12.540	227.563	33
34	3.794	.2636	.0143	.0543	69.858	18.411	12.832	236.260	34
35	3.946	.2534	.0136	.0536	73.652	18.665	13.120	244.876	35
40	4.801	.2083	.0105	.0505	95.025	19.793	14.476	286.530	40
45	5.841	.1712	.00826	.0483	121.029	20.720	15.705	325.402	45
50	7.107	.1407	.00655	.0466	152.667	21.482	16.812	361.163	50
55	8.646	.1157	.00523	.0452	191.159	22.109	17.807	393.689	55
60	10.520	.0951	.00420	.0442	237.990	22.623	18.697	422.996	60
65	12.799	.0781	.00339	.0434	294.968	23.047	19.491	449.201	65
70	15.572	.0642	.00275	.0427	364.290	23.395	20.196	472.479	70
75	18.945	.0528	.00223	.0422	448.630	23.680	20.821	493.041	75
80	23.050	.0434	.00181	.0418	551.244	23.915	21.372	511.116	80
85	28.044	.0357	.00148	.0415	676.089	24.109	21.857	526.938	85
90	34.119	.0293	.00121	.0412	827.981	24.267	22.283	540.737	90
95	41.511	.0241	.00099	.0410	1012.8	24.398	22.655	552.730	95
100	50.505	.0198	.00081	.0408	1237.6	24.505	22.980	563.125	100