

Amortization Schedule Computation

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One aspect of MLAB is that it is a spreadsheet for the mathematically literate. For example, the MLAB statement sequence to construct a level payment schedule for a loan of a dollars at r percent interest, to be repaid over n months is given below in a do-file called `pay.do`. For example, to compute the level payment schedule for \$9,000 to be repaid over 16 months at 9.5% annual interest, we type: `do pay`, and enter the values 9000,16, and 9.5 in response to the corresponding prompts. The payment schedule shown below is produced. This do-file can also be used to compute any of either the loan amount, the number of months of the loan, the annual percentage interest rate, or the monthly payment, where the other three values are known.

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"filename:pay.do = computation of amortization schedule."
reset
echodo=0; namesw=0

type "You will be requested to enter 4 quantities:"
type "a=loan amount,"
type "n=number of months of the loan,"
type "r=annual percentage interest rate, and"
type "q=monthly payment amount."
type "If any one of these input-values is specified to be -1,"
type "then MLAB will compute that value based on the other values."
a=kread("enter loan amount a=");
n=kread("enter number of months n=");
r=kread("enter annual percentage interest rate r=")/1200;
q=kread("enter monthly payment amount q=");

function p(j)=a*(1+r)^j+q*(1-(1+r)^j)/r; "total principal due at month j";
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function av()=q*((1+r)^n-1)/(r*(1+r)^n); "loan amount";
function nv()=log(q/(q-r*a),1+r); "number of months of the loan"
function rv()=root(r,1e-6,100,p(n)); "monthly interest rate";
function qv()=a*(1+r)^n/((1+r)^n-1)*r; "monthly payment amount";

if a<0 then a=av(); /*compute the loan amount*/
if n<0 then n=nv(); /*compute the number of months of the loan*/
if r<0 then r=rv(); /*compute the monthly interest rate*/
if q<0 then q=qv(); /*compute the monthly payment amount*/

type " "
type "the loan amount:"+a
type "the number of months of the loan:"+n
type "the annual percentage interest rate:"+(r*1200)
type "the monthly payment amount:"+q

d=p on 0:(n-1); /*compute the principal due */
i=r*d; /*compute the interest payment*/
nl=1:n
m=nl&'d&'i&'(q-i)&'q
type " "; type "Do you want to print out the payment schedule?"
y=kread("type 1 for YES, 0 for NO:");
if y=1 then \
{type " [prin. due | int. paid | prin. paid | monthly pay.]",m}

type "Total interest paid:"+(n*q-a)
type "Total amount paid:"+(n*q)

draw nl&'d
top title "Total Principal remaining vs Month"
left title "total principal remaining"
bottom title "Month"
yaxis w.yaxis format (-3,6,0,0,2,0)
view
w1=w; blank w1

draw nl&'i lt dashed
draw nl&'(q-i)
top title "interest & principal paid monthly"
left title "dollar amount"

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bottom title "Month"
title "[dashed=interest per month, solid=principal per month]" \
  at (0,1.018) ifract size .14 inches
view

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Here is an example of running pay.do

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* do pay
  You will be requested to enter 4 quantities:
  a=loan amount,
  n=number of months of the loan,
  r=annual percentage interest rate, and
  q=monthly payment amount.
  If any one of these input-values is specified to be -1,
  then MLAB will compute that value based on the other values.
  enter loan amount a= 9000
  enter number of months n= 16
  enter annual percentage interest rate r= 9.5
  enter monthly payment amount q= -1

  the loan amount: 9000
  the number of months of the loan: 16
  the annual percentage interest rate: 9.5
  the monthly payment amount: 601.09756

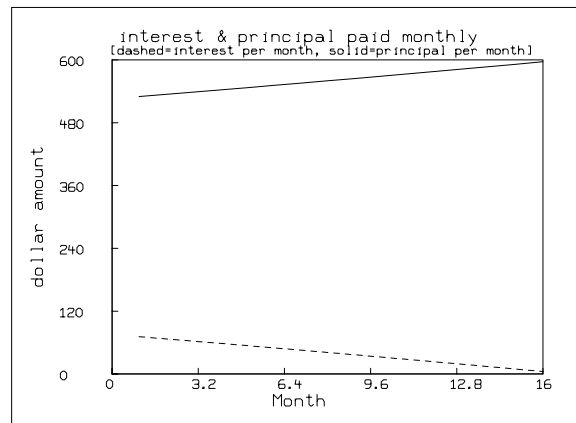
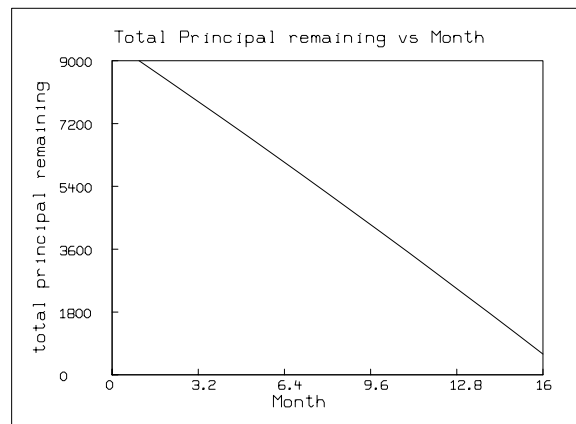
  Do you want to print out the payment schedule?
type 1 for YES, 0 for NO 1
      [prin. due | int. paid | prin. paid | monthly pay.]
1    9000        71.25        529.84756    601.09756
2    8470.15244  67.0553735    534.042186    601.09756
3    7936.11025  62.8275395    538.27002     601.09756
4    7397.84023  58.5662352    542.531324    601.09756
5    6855.30891  54.2711955    546.826364    601.09756
6    6308.48255  49.9421535    551.155406    601.09756
7    5757.32714  45.5788399    555.51872     601.09756
8    5201.80842  41.1809833    559.916576    601.09756
9    4641.89184  36.7483104    564.349249    601.09756
10   4077.5426   32.2805455    568.817014    601.09756
11   3508.72558  27.7774109    573.320149    601.09756
12   2935.40543  23.2386263    577.858933    601.09756

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13 2357.5465 18.6639098 582.43365 601.09756
14 1775.11285 14.0529767 587.044583 601.09756
15 1188.06827 9.40554044 591.692019 601.09756
16 596.376248 4.72131196 596.376248 601.09756
    Total interest paid: 617.560952
    Total amount paid: 9617.56095
* exit

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Here is another example of running pay.do

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* do pay
    You will be requested to enter 4 quantities:
    a=loan amount,
    n=number of months of the loan,
    r=annual percentage interest rate, and

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q=monthly payment amount.
If any one of these input-values is specified to be -1,
then MLAB will compute that value based on the other values.
enter loan amount a= 200000
enter number of months n= 180
enter annual percentage interest rate r= 9
enter monthly payment amount q= -1

the loan amount: 200000
the number of months of the loan: 180
the annual percentage interest rate: 9
the monthly payment amount: 2028.53317

Do you want to print out the payment schedule?
type 1 for YES, 0 for NO 0
Total interest paid: 165135.97
Total amount paid: 365135.97
* exit

