

LIFE ANNUITIES PAID MORE THAN ONCE PER YEAR

WHOLE LIFE ANNUITY DUE paid m times per year

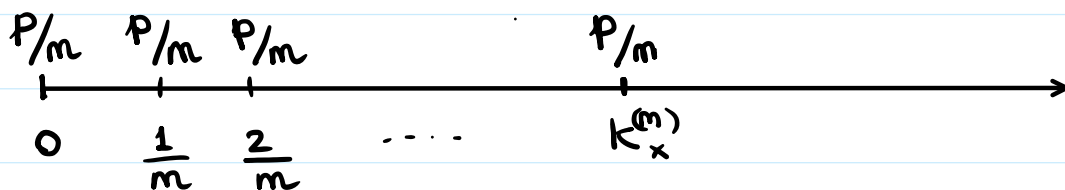
CHARACTERISTICS

- times of payments $0, \frac{1}{m}, \frac{2}{m}, \dots, K_x^{(m)}$

where $K_x^{(m)} = \frac{[m T_x]}{m}$

- total number of payments $m \cdot K_x^{(m)} + 1$

- amount paid in 1 year p
amount paid in each installment $\frac{p}{m}$



PRESENT VALUE OF THE FLOW

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y &= \frac{p}{m} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{m \cdot K_x^{(m)}} v^{\frac{k}{m}} = p \cdot \frac{1}{m} \frac{1 - v^{K_x^{(m)} + \frac{1}{m}}}{1 - v^{1/m}} \\
 &= p \cdot \frac{1 - v^{K_x^{(m)} + \frac{1}{m}}}{d^{(m)}}
 \end{aligned}$$

ACTUARIAL VALUE OF THE LIFE annuity

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = p \cdot \frac{1 - \mathbb{E}\left[v^{K_x^{(m)} + \frac{1}{m}}\right]}{d^{(m)}}$$

$$E[Y] = p \cdot$$

$$\frac{1 - v^{K_x + \frac{1}{m}}}{d^{(m)}}$$

$$=: \ddot{a}_x^{(m)}$$

Actuarial value of
a UNIT whole life
annuity due paid
m times per year.

If the WHOLE LIFE ANNUITY IS IMMEDIATE

$$Y = p \cdot \left(\frac{1 + v^{K_x + \frac{1}{m}}}{d^{(m)}} - \frac{1}{m} \right)$$

$$\text{ACTUARIAL VALUE} = E[Y] = p \cdot a_x^{(m)}$$

$$\text{where } a_x^{(m)} = \ddot{a}_x^{(m)} - \frac{1}{m}$$

It is in general complicated to evaluate $\ddot{a}_x^{(m)}$
because that would need to know periodic
survival probabilities which are not provided
by life tables.

However, it can be approximated using
WHOLHOUSE'S FORMULAS

2 TERMS WHOLHOUSE'S FORMULA

$$\ddot{a}_x^{(m)} \sim \ddot{a}_x - \frac{m-1}{2m}$$

3 TERMS WHOLHOUSE'S FORMULA

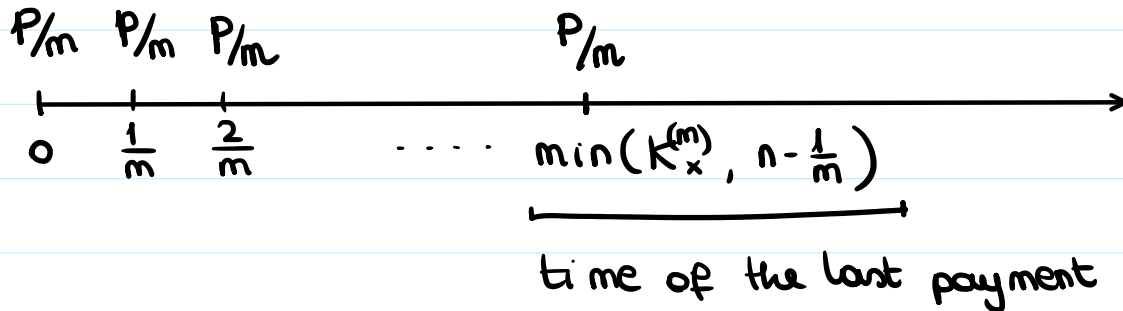
3 TERMS WHOOHOUSE'S FORMULA

$$\ddot{a}_x^{(m)} \sim \ddot{a}_x - \frac{m-1}{2m} - \frac{m^2-1}{12m^2} (\delta - \mu_x)$$

where $\delta = \log(1+i)$ FORCE OF INTEREST

$$\mu_x = -\frac{1}{2} \log({}_2P_x)$$

TERM ANNUITY DUE PAID m times per year
with yearly amount p (each time $\frac{p}{m}$ is paid)



If $k_x^{(m)} \leq n - \frac{1}{m} \Rightarrow k_x^{(m)}$ is the time of the last payment

If $k_x^{(m)} > n \Rightarrow n - \frac{1}{m}$ is the time of the last payment

PRESENT VALUE

$$Y = \frac{p}{m} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\min(k_x^{(m)} \cdot m, nm-1)} v^{\frac{k}{m}} = p \cdot \frac{1}{m} \cdot \frac{1 - v^{\min(k_x^{(m)} + \frac{1}{m}, n)}}{1 - v^{1/m}}$$

ACTUARIAL VALUE

$$E[Y] = p \cdot \ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)}$$

$$\text{where } \ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)} = \frac{1}{m} \cdot \frac{1 - E\left[v^{\min(K_x^{(m)} + \frac{1}{m}, n)}\right]}{1 - v^{1/m}}$$

ACTUARIAL VALUE of a UNIT
term annuity due paid m times
per year

If the term annuity is immediate

$$a_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)} = \ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)} - \frac{1}{m}$$

the problem of computing $\ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)}$ is the same as before : we need periodic survival probabilities that are usually not available

Hence we approximate $\ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)}$ with a suitable
WHOLEHOUSE'S FORMULA for TERM ANNUITIES

2 TERMS

$$\ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)} \sim \ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|} - \frac{m-1}{12m} (1 - {}_nE_x)$$

3 TERMS

$$\ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|}^{(m)} \sim \ddot{a}_{x:\overline{n}|} - \frac{m-1}{12m} (1 - {}_nE_x) - \frac{m^2-1}{12m^2} (\delta + \mu_x)(1 - {}_nE_x)$$

LIFE INSURANCE CASHFLOW

Life insurance cashflow is generated by

BENEFITS paid by the insurer

EXPENSES of the insurer

PREMIUMS paid by the policy holder

FROM THE POINT OF
VIEW OF THE
INSURER

Cash outflow

Cash inflow

PREMIUMS

can be paid in different modes.

- SINGULAR PREMIUM: at the issue of the contract. it can be NET or GROSS depending whether expenses are excluded or included in the calculation
- PERIODIC PREMIUMS: the first of which at the issue of the contract, there can be NET or GROSS
- NON PERIODIC PREMIUMS, again NET or GROSS

To evaluate premiums a premium calculation principle must be applied. We use the
EQUIVALENCE PRINCIPLE

EXPENSES of the insurer, are typically divided

in 3 families :

- INITIAL EXPENSES paid at $t=0$
Usually quantified as a large percentage of the first premium
- MAINTENANCE / RENEWAL EXPENSES
fixed small percentage of periodic premiums
- TERMINATION EXPENSES
Small amount paid with the benefit

PREMIUMS EVALUATION

We introduce the Loss & profit at issue L_0 with the property that

$$L_0 = \begin{cases} \text{loss} & \text{if } L_0 > 0 \\ \text{profit} & \text{if } L_0 < 0 \end{cases}$$

More commonly L_0 is called the **LOSS AT ISSUE** and it is defined as follows:

$$L_0 = PV(\text{cash outflow}) - PV(\text{cash inflow})$$

Depending whether expenses are excluded or included we can distinguish between :

NET LOSS AT ISSUE

$$L_0^{\text{net}} = PV(\text{benefit}) - PV(\text{net premiums})$$

GROSS LOSS AT ISSUE

$$L_0^{\text{gross}} = PV(\text{benefit}) + PV(\text{expenses}) - PV(\text{gross premiums})$$

L_0^{net} , L_0^{gross} are random variables that depend on the remaining lifetime of the insured life

Under the **EQUIVALENCE PRINCIPLE** it holds that the EXPECTED LOSS AT ISSUE is zero

In mathematical terms $E[L_0^*] = 0$
(where * means either net or gross)

Equivalently:

$$E[PV(\text{cash outflow})] = E[PV(\text{cash inflow})]$$

Since cash inflow in our setup is made only of premiums we can rephrase the equivalence principle as:
on average premiums allow the insurance company to repay all liabilities

the EQUIVALENCE PRINCIPLE provides the recipe to evaluate premiums

EXAMPLE

Consider the case of NET SINGLE PREMIUM

P_0 is paid at $t=0$

According to the EQUIVALENCE PRINCIPLE

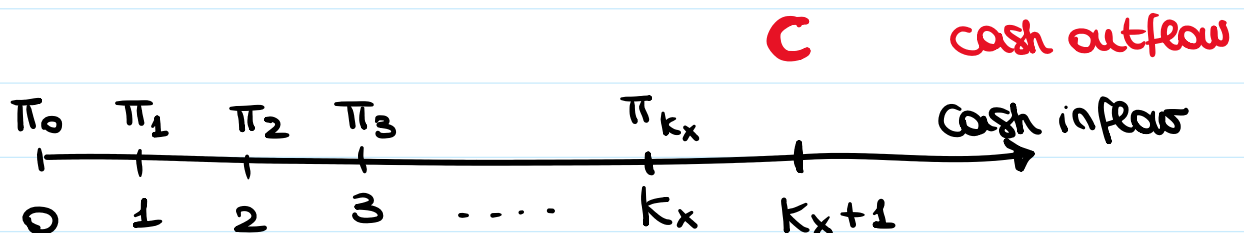
$$E[PV(\text{benefit})] = E[\underbrace{PV(\text{net single Prem})}_{P_0}]$$

$$E[PV(\text{benefit})] = P_0$$

NET SINGLE PREMIUM is equal to the actuarial value of the contract

PERIODIC PAYMENTS

Consider a whole life insurance with sum insured C , paid at the end of the year of death. Suppose that premiums are paid once per year of amounts $\pi_0, \pi_1, \pi_2, \dots$ as far as the insured life is alive.



GOAL: Quantify the premiums

we need to solve the equation $E[L_0^{\text{net}}] = 0$

$$L_0^{\text{net}} = PV(\text{benefit}) - PV(\text{net premiums})$$

$$L_0^{\text{net}} = \text{PV}(\text{benefit}) - \text{PV}(\text{net premiums})$$

BENEFIT

$$Z = C \cdot v^{K_x+1}$$

NET PREMIUMS

$$\begin{aligned} Y &= \pi_0 + \pi_1 \cdot v + \pi_2 v^2 + \dots + \pi_{K_x} v^{K_x} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{K_x} \pi_k \cdot v^k \end{aligned}$$

$$L_0^{\text{net}} = Z - Y = C v^{K_x+1} - \sum_{k=0}^{K_x} \pi_k \cdot v^k$$

$$\mathbb{E}[L_0^{\text{net}}] = 0 \Leftrightarrow C \underbrace{\mathbb{E}[v^{K_x+1}]}_{A_x} - \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{k=0}^{K_x} \pi_k v^k\right] = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow C A_x = \mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{k=0}^{K_x} \pi_k v^k\right]$$

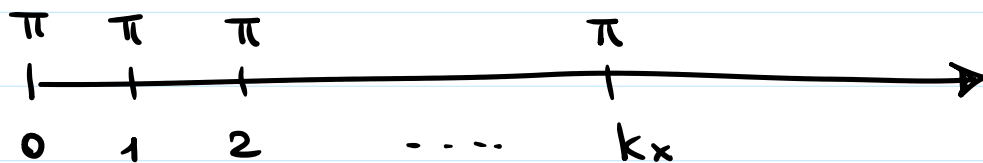
Typical arrangements

or

$$\pi_k = \pi \quad \forall k$$

π_k deterministic function of k

We now focus on the 1st case: Constant periodic premiums



We can interpret the flow of premiums as a whole life annuity

$$Y = \pi \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{k_x} v^k = \pi \cdot \frac{1 - v^{k_x+1}}{d}$$

$$L_0^{\text{net}} = C v^{k_x+1} - \pi \cdot \frac{1 - v^{k_x+1}}{d}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[L_0^{\text{net}}] = 0 \Leftrightarrow c \cdot \underbrace{\mathbb{E}[v^{k_x+1}]}_{A_x} = \pi \cdot \underbrace{\frac{1 - \mathbb{E}[v^{k_x+1}]}{d}}_{\ddot{a}_x}$$

$$\pi = \frac{C \cdot A_x}{\ddot{a}_x}$$

$$C = 100,000 \quad x = 50$$

$$\pi = \frac{100,000 \cdot 0.18931}{17.0245}$$

\uparrow
 net
 annual premium

NET PREMIUMS should satisfy

$$E [PV (benefit)] = E [PV (Premiums)^{net}]$$

GROSS PREMIUMS should satisfy

$$E [L_0^{gross}] = 0$$

$$E [PV (benefit)] + E [PV (expenses)] - E [PV (premium)^{gross}] = 0$$