

Annuities

An annuity is a sequence of regular payments into an account where each payment earns compound interest.

payment period - time between payments. We'll stick to monthly payments

term - time from beginning of first payment until the end of the last payment.

ordinary annuity - payment due at the end of the month.

Formula

$$FV = \text{pymt} \cdot \frac{(1+i)^n - 1}{i}$$

future value

pymt = payment

i = periodic interest rate

n = # of payments in term

TDA is a tax-deferred annuity

\$200 monthly

$r = 8\frac{3}{4}\%$

30 \rightarrow 65

35 years

pymt = 200

$n = 420$

$i = \frac{.0875}{12}$

$n = 35 \times 12 = 420$

payments

$$FV = 200 \cdot \frac{\left(1 + \frac{.0875}{12}\right)^{420} - 1}{\left(\frac{.0875}{12}\right)} = \$552,539.96$$

on calculator $200 \left(\left(1 + \frac{.0875}{12}\right)^{420} - 1 \right) / \left(\frac{.0875}{12} \right)$
enter

How much interest did Jim earn?

$$\begin{aligned} FV - \text{total amt of his payments} &= 552,539.96 - 200 \cdot 420 \\ &= \$468,539.96 \end{aligned}$$

Worksheet

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