

Derive

Amortisation:  $A = \frac{P i (1+i)^t}{(1+i)^t - 1}$   
 Formula

$P$  = loan amount  
 $A$  = each repayment  
 $t$  = time units of the loan  
 $i$  = interest rate

$$F = P(1+i)^t$$

let  $L$  = amount still outstanding

\* After time  $t$  the loan will be fully repayed

after  $t=1$

$$F_1 = P(1+i)$$

We then repay  $A$

$$L_1 = P(1+i) - A$$

after  $t=2$

$$F_2 = L_1(1+i) = [P(1+i) - A](1+i)$$

$$F_2 = P(1+i)^2 - A(1+i)$$

We then repay  $A$

$$L_2 = P(1+i)^2 - A(1+i) - A$$

after  $t=3$

$$F_3 = L_2(1+i) = [P(1+i)^2 - A(1+i) - A](1+i)$$

$$F_3 = P(1+i)^3 - A(1+i)^2 - A(1+i)$$

We then repay  $A$

$$L_3 = P(1+i)^3 - A(1+i)^2 - A(1+i) - A$$

after time  $t=t$

$$L_t = P(1+i)^t - A(1+i)^{t-1} - \dots - A(1+i) - A = 0^*$$

$A$  is HCF, notice geometric series

Sum the geometric series

$$S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$$

Geometric Series

$$P(1+i)^t - A[(1+i)^{t-1} + \dots + (1+i)^1 + 1] = 0$$

$$a = 1 \quad r = (1+i) \quad n = t$$

$$S_t = \frac{1 - (1+i)^t}{1 - (1+i)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - (1+i)^t}{1 - 1 - i}$$

$$= \frac{(1+i)^t - 1}{i}$$

$$P(1+i)^t - A \left( \frac{(1+i)^t - 1}{i} \right) = 0$$

$$P(1+i)^t = A \left( \frac{(1+i)^t - 1}{i} \right)$$

$$\frac{P i (1+i)^t}{(1+i)^t - 1} = A$$

QED