

6 METHODS USED TO COMPUTE 1½ PERCENT MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGES ON REVOLVING CREDIT ACCOUNTS (STANDARDIZED 6-MONTH ACCOUNT)

Method	Month	Previous balance	Credits		Charges	Balance before service charge	Service charge	Closing balance
			Payments	Returns				
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f) = b - c - d + e	(g)	(h) = f + g
Method I: No option. Service charge, 1½ percent of current balance at end of month. (g) = 1½ percent (f)	January	\$20.30		\$10	\$30	\$20.00	\$0.30	\$20.30
	February	91.65	20	30	120	90.30	1.35	91.65
	March		80	40	90	61.65	.93	62.58
	April	62.58	10		10	62.58	.94	63.52
	May	63.52	10		10	63.52	.95	64.47
	June	64.47	10		10	64.47	.97	65.44
Total							5.44	
Method II: 30-day option. Service charge, 1½ percent of previous month's ending balance less payments and returns. (g) = 1½ percent (b - c - d) if (b) > (c + d)	January	20.00	20	10	30	20.00		20.00
	February	90.00	80	30	120	90.00		90.00
	March	60.00	10	40	90	60.00		60.00
	April	60.75	10		10	60.00	.75	60.75
	May	61.51	10		10	60.75	.76	61.51
	June		10		10	61.51	.77	62.28
Total							2.28	
Method III: No option. Service charge, 1½ percent of previous month's ending balance. (g) = 1½ percent (b).	January	20.00		10	30	20.00		20.00
	February	90.30	20	30	120	90.00	.30	90.30
	March	61.65	80	40	90	60.30	1.35	61.65
	April	62.58	10		10	61.65	.93	62.58
	May	63.52	10		10	62.58	.94	63.52
	June		10		10	63.52	.95	64.47
Total							4.47	