

Divide total of column F by total of column D and round to the nearest integer. This is the equivalent number of payments. (=26)

Step 3—Read down left hand column of the Defense Department Rate Table to number of payments found in Step 2. Read across to locate finance charge per \$100 (step 1) and read up to find rate. (=11%)

Example 7a—Skipped payments with odd payments.

A farmer and his wife (who is a schoolteacher) in purchasing an automobile borrow \$2786 for which the finance charge is \$444.21, and the payment schedule is as follows:

Contract date—7/12/67
 9 monthly payments of \$50 each starting 10/3/67
 1 monthly payment of \$50 on 10/3/68
 1 monthly payment of \$550 on 11/3/68
 7 monthly payments of \$50 each starting 12/3/68
 1 monthly payment of \$50 on 10/3/69
 1 monthly payment of \$550 on 11/3/69
 7 monthly payments of \$50 each starting 12/3/69
 1 monthly payment of \$880.21 on 7/3/70

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Step 1—Move decimal 2 places to the left in the amount to be financed and divide it into the finance charge. This gives the finance charge per \$100 of amount to be financed. (= \$15.94)

Step 2—For each sub-schedule within the main schedule fill in the following:

(A) Initial period doubled, to nearest month	(B) Number of payments	(C) Amount of each payment	(D) Total amount of payments (B×C)	(E) Equivalent payments (A+B-2)	(F) (D×E)
5.....	9	\$50	\$450	12	\$5,400
29.....	1	50	50	28	1,400
31.....	1	550	550	30	16,500
33.....	7	50	350	38	13,300
53.....	1	50	50	52	2,600
55.....	1	550	550	54	29,700
57.....	7	50	350	62	21,700
71.....	1	880	880	70	61,600
Total.....			\$3,230		152,200

Divide total of column F by total of column D and round to the nearest integer. This is the equivalent number of payments. (=47)

Step 3—Read down left hand column of the Defense Department Rate Table to number of payments found in Step 2. Read across to locate finance charge per \$100 (Step 1) and read up to find rate. (=7½%)

Example 8—Irregular single payments

An item priced at \$400 is paid for by the following single payments, each payment due at the indicated time from contract date.

- 1 payment of \$100.00 at 1 month 9 days.
- 1 payment of \$100.00 at 2 months 1 day.
- 1 payment of \$75.00 at 4 months 10 days.
- 1 payment of \$65.00 at 5 months 9 days.
- 1 payment of \$25.00 at 8 months 6 days.
- 1 payment of \$51.83 at 10 months 8 days.

The total finance charge is \$16.83. Find the annual rate.

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