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Accumulation Function under Compound Interest

$$a(t) = (1+i)^t$$

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Accumulation Function under Simple Interest

$$a(t) = 1 + it$$

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Definition of Effective Rate of Interest for n^{th} Period

$$i_n = \frac{A(n) - A(n-1)}{A(n-1)}$$

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Discount (or present value) Factor under Compound Interest

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

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Discount (or present value) Factor under Simple Interest

$$\frac{1}{1+it}$$

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Generalized Discount Factor from Time t_2 Back to Time t_1

$$\frac{A(t_1)}{A(t_2)}$$

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Generalized Discount Factor under Compound Interest

$$\frac{A(t_1)}{A(t_2)} = \frac{(1+i)^{t_1}}{(1+i)^{t_2}} = v^{t_2-t_1}$$

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Generalized Discount Factor under Simple Interest

$$\frac{A(t_1)}{A(t_2)} = \frac{1+i \cdot t_1}{1+i \cdot t_2} \neq 1+i(t_2-t_1)$$

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**Effective Rate, over $1/m$ of a Year, Equivalent to Nominal
Annual Rate of $i^{(m)}$, Compounded m Times per Year**

$$j = \frac{i^{(m)}}{m}$$

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Definition of Effective Rate of Discount for n^{th} Period

$$d_n = \frac{A(n) - A(n-1)}{A(n)} = \frac{a(n) - a(n-1)}{a(n)}$$

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