

# ANNUAL PERCENTAGE RATE (APR) [PIRNOT 8.6]

TABLE OF FINANCE CHARGES PER \$100 (FCPH):

NUMBER OF PAYMENTS	APR						
	10%	11%	12%	13%	14%	15%	16%
6	\$2.94	\$3.23	\$3.53	\$3.83	\$4.12	\$4.42	\$4.72
12	\$5.50	\$6.06	\$6.62	\$7.18	\$7.74	\$8.31	\$8.88
24	\$10.75	\$11.86	\$12.98	\$14.10	\$15.23	\$16.37	\$17.51
36	\$16.16	\$17.86	\$19.57	\$21.30	\$23.04	\$24.80	\$26.57
48	\$21.74	\$24.06	\$26.40	\$28.77	\$31.17	\$33.59	\$36.03

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**EX 8.6.1:** Anne pays a finance charge of \$300 on a 12-month, \$3500 computer loan.

- (a) Find the finance charge per \$100 financed.
- (b) Find the APR using the above table.

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**EX 8.6.2:** Nathan has agreed to pay off a \$5000 loan for remodeling his house by making 36 payments of \$165.

- (a) Find the finance charge per \$100 financed.
- (b) Find the APR using the above table.

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**EX 8.6.3:** Alice took out a 48-month, \$6000 add-on loan at an annual (simple) interest rate of 8% for a vacation trip.

- (a) Find the APR using the above table.
- (b) Estimate the APR using the formula:  $APR \approx \frac{2nr}{n+1}$