

# In che senso l'ammortamento francese (e non solo esso) dia luogo ad anatocismo

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*Do fixed instalment repayment plans give rise to "anatocism"?*

*Abstract:* We illustrate an aspect of the loan repayments theory which, although elementary, is not so evident at first sight, and (at least, in Italy) takes on some importance for legal reasons. Almost always, the loan contract calls for some interest to be periodically paid before the balance is repaid: this has as a consequence that compound interest is, implicitly, applied.

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