



Terminal Value Equations

Overview:

I. The Fundamental Equation: $TEV_n = \frac{ECF_{n+1}}{Ke - g}$

$$A. TEV_n = ECF_{n+1} \left[\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} \right]$$

$$B. \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} = \frac{1}{Ke - g}$$

II. Forecasting Incremental ROE

$$TEV_n = \frac{NI_n(1+g) \left[1 - \frac{g}{dROE} \right]}{Ke - g}$$

III. Forecasting Average ROE

$$TEV_n = B_n \cdot \frac{ROE_{n+1} - g}{Ke - g}$$

IV. The Relationship between the Average and Incremental Methods

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Step I. $TEV_n = \frac{ECF_{n+1}}{Ke - g}$ (continued)

B. $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} = \frac{1}{Ke - g}$

1. $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j}$

2. $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} = \frac{1}{1+Ke} + \frac{(1+g)}{(1+Ke)^2} + \frac{(1+g)^2}{(1+Ke)^3} + \dots + \frac{(1+g)^j}{(1+Ke)^{j+1}}$

3. $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} = \frac{1+g}{1+Ke} \left(\frac{1}{1+g} + \frac{1}{1+Ke} + \frac{1+g}{(1+Ke)^2} + \dots + \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} \right)$

4. Let $x = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j}$

5. $x = \frac{1+g}{1+Ke} \left(\frac{1}{1+g} + x \right)$

6. $x = \frac{1}{1+Ke} + \frac{x(1+g)}{1+Ke}$

7. $x - \frac{x(1+g)}{1+Ke} = \frac{1}{1+Ke}$

8. $x \left(1 - \frac{1+g}{1+Ke} \right) = \frac{1}{1+Ke}$

9. $x \left(\frac{1+Ke}{1+Ke} - \frac{1+g}{1+Ke} \right) = \frac{1}{1+Ke}$

10. $x \left(\frac{(1+Ke) - (1+g)}{1+Ke} \right) = \frac{1}{1+Ke}$

11. $x \left(\frac{Ke - g}{1+Ke} \right) = \frac{1}{1+Ke}$

12. $x = \frac{1}{1+Ke} \left(\frac{1+Ke}{Ke - g} \right)$

13. $x = \frac{1}{Ke - g}$

14. $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1+g)^{j-1}}{(1+Ke)^j} = \frac{1}{Ke - g}$

Step II. Forecasting ECF using Net Income: Incremental Spread

$$TEV_n = \frac{NI_n(1+g)\left[1 - \frac{g}{dROE}\right]}{Ke - g}$$

$$1. TEV_n = \frac{ECF_{n+1}}{Ke - g}$$

$$2. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} - \Delta B$$

$$3. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} - \Delta B \left[\frac{NI_{n+1}}{NI_{n+1}} \right]$$

$$4. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} \left[1 - \frac{\Delta B}{NI_{n+1}} \right]$$

Note that $\frac{\Delta B}{NI_{n+1}}$ is the
reinvestment ratio

$$5. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} \left[1 - \left[\frac{\Delta B}{NI_{n+1}} \times \frac{\Delta NI}{\Delta NI} \right] \right]$$

$$6. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} \left[1 - \left[\frac{\Delta NI}{NI_{n+1}} \times \frac{\Delta B}{\Delta NI} \right] \right]$$

$$7. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} \left[1 - \left[\frac{\Delta NI}{NI_{n+1}} \times \frac{\Delta B}{\Delta NI} \right] \right]$$

$$8. ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} \left[1 - \left[\frac{g}{dROE} \right] \right]$$

$$9. ECF_{n+1} = NI_n(1+g) \left[1 - \frac{g}{dROE} \right]$$

$$10. TEV_n = \frac{NI_n(1+g)\left[1 - \frac{g}{dROE}\right]}{Ke - g}$$

III. Forecasting Average ROE

$$TEV_n = B_n \cdot \frac{ROE_{n+1} - g}{Ke - g}$$

1. $TEV_n = \frac{ECF_{n+1}}{Ke - g}$

2. $ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} - \Delta B$

3. $ECF_{n+1} = NI_{n+1} - (B_{n+1} - B_n)$

4. $ECF_{n+1} = (B_n \cdot ROE_{n+1}) - [B_n(1 + g) - B_n]$

5. $ECF_{n+1} = (B_n \cdot ROE_{n+1}) - B_n[(1 + g) - 1]$

6. $ECF_{n+1} = (B_n \cdot ROE_{n+1}) - B_n[g]$

7. $ECF_{n+1} = B_n(ROE_{n+1} - g)$

8. $TEV_n = B_n \cdot \frac{ROE_{n+1} - g}{Ke - g}$

IV. The Relationship between the Average and Incremental Methods

$$1. TEV_n = \frac{NI_n(1+g) \left[1 - \frac{g}{dROE} \right]}{Ke - g}$$

$$2. TEV_n = \frac{B_n \cdot ROE_{n+1} \left[\frac{dROE - g}{dROE} \right]}{Ke - g}$$

$$3. TEV_n = \frac{B_n \left[\frac{ROE_{n+1}}{dROE} \right] (dROE - g)}{Ke - g}$$

$$4. TEV_n = B_n \cdot \frac{ROE_{n+1} - g}{Ke - g} \quad (\text{If } ROE_{n+1} = dROE)$$