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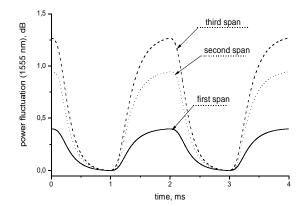


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{Assuming annual inflation rates of 7%, 8%, and
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const MaxYears = 10;
var Year: 0..MaxYears;
Factor1, Factor2, Factor3: Real;
begin
Year := 0;
Factor1 := 1.0; Factor2 := 1.0; Factor3 := 1.0;
WriteLn('Year 7% 8% 10%'); WriteLn;
repeat
Year := Year + 1;
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