

Financial Services and Decisions



Seminar 10 Leasing

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The concept of leasing

Lease

= a contractual agreement between a lessee and a lessor

Lessee

= one who has obtained the right to use the asset (=user)

Lessee promises to make a series of payments to the lessor.

Lessor

= The owner of the asset



The concept of leasing

- The property covered in a lease
- Lease is a special rental agreement

The lease agreement often gives the user the option to purchase the equipment or take out a new lease.

Special services are provided to the lessee.

Lease payment:

First payment usually is due as soon as the contract signed

Time pattern of payments can be tailored to the user's needs

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The concept of leasing

Sensible reasons for leasing

- ➤ Short-term leases are convenient
- Standardization leads to low administration and transaction costs.
- Tax shields can be used
- Extra services are provided



The many different kinds of leasing

Classification of leasing:

- 1) Services
- 2) Stakeholders
- 3) Financing
- 4) Maturity



The many different kinds of leasing

■1, Services provided:

Full service lease:

The lessor is promises to maintain the asset and insure it and to pay any property taxes due on it

*>*Net lease



The many different kinds of leasing

- 2, Stakeholders:
 - Direct lease
 - Sale and lease-back arrangement:

The firm sells an assets it already owns and

leases it back from the buyer



The many different kinds of leasing

- •3, Financing:
- Leveraged lease

The lessor borrows part of the purchase price of the leased asset

The lease contract is used as security for the loan

4, Maturity

- >Operating lease
- Financial lease



Operating versus financial lease

Operating lease:

- >Short-term
- **Cancellable**
- The lessor bears the risk of ownership
- The decision centers on "lease versus buy"



Operating versus financial lease

Financial lease:

⊁ong-term

>t extend over most of the economic estimated life of

the asset

Non-cancellable

>t is a source of financing

The decision amounts to "lease versus borrow"

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Thank you for your attention