Adjustments to Compensatory Damages
Tabb and Shoben, Chapter 12

1) Reduction to present value (and inflation)
   a) What is the purpose? See Budge, page 590.
   b) How do the mathematics work? Examples.
   c) What is the impact of inflation?
   d) What are the alternative approaches to the relationship? See Pfeifer, page 593; and notes following:
      1)
      2)
      3)
      4)
   e) Project

2) What is the impact of income taxes?
   #6, page 599

3) Structured settlements
   #10, page 600; #2, page 533

4) Interest
   a) Post Judgment interest; see ACA 16-65-114.

   b) Pre-judgment interest:
      What is the rationale? See pages 613-615.
      What is the traditional test?
      What is the rate? How is it calculated? See pages 614, 620.
      When does it begin?

   c) What are reasons to deny prejudgment interest?
      See pages 620-623, 626-628.

   d) Complete worksheet #22

5) Court costs; see ARCP 54(d).
   a) When are costs awarded?
   b) What costs are included? Filing fees, service fees, depositions costs, exhibits, experts?

6) Attorney fees - tomorrow's class

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