Duration and Convexity Problems

- 1. A 6 year annuity pays \$1,000 at the end of each year.
 - a. Compute the price of the annuity at an effective annual interest rate of 2%.
 - b. Compute the modified duration at an effective annual interest rate of 2%.
 - c. Compute the (Macaulay) duration at an effective annual interest rate of 2%.
 - d. Compute the modified convexity at an effective annual interest rate of 2%.
 - e. Compute the Macaulay convexity at an effective annual interest rate of 2%.
 - f. Estimate the new price of the annuity if the interest rate changes to 1.9% using the firstorder modified approximation.
 - g. Estimate the new price of the annuity if the interest rate changes to 1.9% using the firstorder Macaulay approximation.