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Section 7.5 Achievement Check Rubric

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Categories	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Knowledge and Understanding Determine the present value of an annuity using a timeline Determine the present value of an annuity using the formula	Demonstrates limited understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using a timeline Demonstrates limited understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using the formula	Demonstrates some understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using a timeline Demonstrates some understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using the formula	Demonstrates considerable understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using a timeline Demonstrates considerable understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using the formula	Demonstrates thorough understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using a timeline Demonstrates thorough understanding of how to determine the present value of an annuity using the formula
Thinking • Prepares a plan to solve the problem • Carries out the plan	Needs extensive assistance to begin organizing a plan and needs some steps to follow	Needs some assistance to organize and implement an effective strategy	Needs minimal assistance to organize and implement an effective strategy	Needs no assistance to organize and implement an effective strategy
Communication Clear explanations and justifications Correct use of mathematical language Timeline diagram is labeled	 Does not clearly explain or justify solution Uses limited mathematical form Timeline diagram has limited information 	 Explains or justifies the solution somewhat Uses minimal mathematical form Timeline diagram is somewhat labeled 	 Explains or justifies the solution fully Uses good mathematical form Timeline diagram is very well labeled 	 Explains, justifies and shows insight into the complexities of the solution Uses excellent mathematical form Timeline diagram is thoroughly labeled
• Connects between the real-life situation and the present value of an annuity	Has limited understanding of the connection between the reallife situation and the present value of an annuity	Has some understanding of the connection between the reallife situation and the present value of an annuity	Has considerable understanding of the connection between the reallife situation and the present value of an annuity	Has thorough understanding of the connection between the reallife situation and the present value of an annuity