



# **MASTER AMORTIZER for WINDOWS™**

**Version 2.9**

The Multi-faceted Amortizing Program

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### **INSTALLATION>**

Copy *AMORTW.EXE*, *AMORTC.EXE* and *AMORTW.HLP* into the directory you intend to use. *AMORTW.INI* saves certain variable data so you won't have to reload it. It is preloaded with defaults. It should be copied to the Windows™ directory. *SPIN.DLL*, *BWCC.DLL* and *WORKLIB2.DLL* should be copied to either the Windows™ directory or the Windows™ system directory. If you have already registered and received a registration number from **APS**, enter it in the registration dialog and the nag box will no longer appear.

### **HELP FILES>**

*AMORTW.HLP* was created using WinHelp 3.10, the current release of WinHelp. WinHelp 3.0 that came with Windows 3.0™ will not read the file, but WinHelp 3.1 will. The distribution disk that is sent with your registration contains WinHelp 3.10 and will read previous version files.

### **OPERATION>**

*AMORTW.EXE* allows you to create amortization and payment

comparison windows (MDI). You can change all the data elements that affect the calculations as well as options that affect the appearance of the amortization. The Windows™ Help file includes context sensitive help, so you should have no problem following the flow. *AMORTC.EXE* is a calculator program for solving for any unknown loan variable if you know the other three. It can be run from a menu or button selection in **MASTER AMORTIZER** or as a stand alone program.

#### **ENHANCEMENTS>**

**Enhancements since the original release include:**

spreadsheet file export, PC Status, additional help, odd-month loans, a command bar, multiple printer selection and support, remaining balance and extra payment calculations, multiple payment frequencies, and an unknown variable calculator.

**Future enhancements will include :**

- Any suggested enhancements that merit consideration

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