College Mathematics spreadsheet project

Create *one* Excel workbook containing three worksheets as described below. E-mail the workbook to me as *one* attachment by <u>Monday, April 2, 2012</u>. Include your <u>full name</u> in the subject line. If everything looks reasonably accurate, we'll set a time for a short meeting during which

you will explain and demonstrate how to build a similar worksheet.

(1) For the annuity, follow the form shown below:

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payment		payment	
number	interest earned	amount	balance
1	-		
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

The user should be able to change the <u>interest rate</u> and the <u>monthly payment</u> at the top of the spreadsheet, and everything else should *update automatically*.

Build the worksheet to show the step-by-step accumulation in an annuity over a 40-year period.

(2) For the loan, follow the form shown below:

payment number	payment amount	part to interest	part to balance	balance
(0)	-	-	-	
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				

Your worksheets should work like the example (<u>http://www.austincc.edu/herbling/amortize.xls</u>). In particular, the user should be able to change the <u>interest rate</u>, the <u>monthly payment</u>, and the amount of the loan (<u>starting balance</u>) in one location, and everything should *automatically adjust*.

- (a) Build one worksheet to show a loan being paid, step-by-step, over a 3-year period.
- (b) Build another worksheet to show a loan being paid, step-by-step, over a 30-year period.