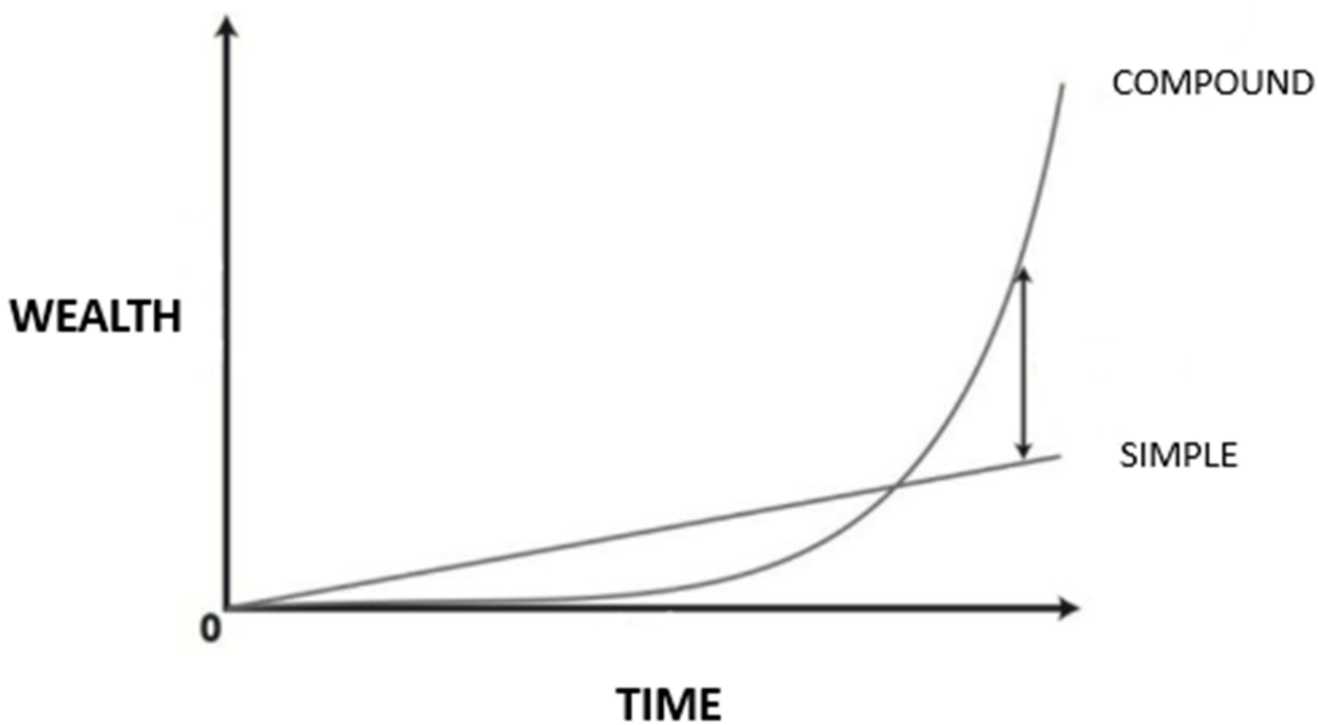
# COMPOUNDING

*A definitive guide to lines, curves, waste, and wealth creation*

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## LINES

Wages are a line. You cash your paycheck and that's that. You are only one worker. You can only work one job at one time. You only get paid once for the work. You may get a raise, but that is just a steeper line. There is no "money making money" involved. It amounts to share prices changing.

## CURVES

Compounding causes a line to curve. You compound a line by using your paycheck to clone yourself. First you are being paid, then 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, $2^N$ clones of you are all being paid for the same hours. To compound you must ratchet up how much capital is working as it grows. It amounts to owning more shares.

## WASTE

**Asylum Trading™** developed **Zero Waste Investing™** to prove we are the smartest, highest quality, apex value-added portfolio managers on the planet. It all boils down to obsessing over every basis point of return and viewing any form of waste as an unforgivable sin.

We actually paid attention while becoming bona fide experts in trading and portfolio management. Everybody from Warren Buffett to the folks who award Nobel Prizes to Main Street investors know it is a waste of time to invest in any portfolio other than the S&P500, so we don't. As a result, there will be no "we had a bad year" apologies from **Asylum Trading™**. We will always deliver exactly what we promise: a compounding S&P500 portfolio that imposes minimum waste.

## WEALTH CREATION

Wealth comes from two sources – whatever you save and returns on it. If what you save is not enough to count as "wealth" it needs to become more. Financial markets offer any number of opportunities to make a return. As far as stocks and bonds go, it is understood bonds do not offer rates of return that create wealth.

That leaves stocks. Nobody on Main Street builds wealth with a planner or advisor portfolio. If you hire a planner or advisor and do what they recommend you will be lucky to double, maybe triple what you put in during your investment lifetime. Unless you put in a very large sum, it won't be what you hoped for.

To create wealth you MUST compound.

If you compound you don't need to save nearly as much.

To compound you MUST **Seek Asylum™**.

## OUR SELF-PURCHASE PROMISE

Because we recognize fees you pay us are devastating over time we will teach you how to DIY manage your portfolio for a one-time fee. We understand what we do is very sophisticated, but we believe if you can bake a batch of Toll House cookies, with our help you can DIY invest and create much more wealth.