

SaaS Financial Model — Assumptions

Base Scenario (P50) · All figures in USD · Monthly model Jan – Dec

1 · Pricing Tiers

Tier	Monthly Price (USD)	% of New Customers	Annual Price (USD)	Annual Discount	
Starter	\$49	50%	\$470	20%	
Growth	\$149	35%	\$1,430	20%	
Enterprise	\$399	15%	\$3,830	20%	
Blended Monthly ARPU (weighted avg)			\$136.50		

2 · Growth & Churn Parameters

Starting Customers (Month 0)	25	
Monthly New Customer Growth Rate	8%	new customers acquired grow 8% MoM
New Customers in Month 1	10	base; subsequent months use growth rate
Monthly Gross Churn Rate	2.5%	2.5% of customers lost per month
Net Revenue Retention	105%	5% expansion MRR from upsells

3 · CAC & Unit Economics

Customer Acquisition Cost (CAC)	\$250	fully loaded S&M cost per new customer
S&M Spend as % of Revenue	45%	typical early-stage SaaS: 40-60%
LTV Multiple Target (LTV/CAC)	3.0	healthy unit economics benchmark
Gross Margin %	78%	infrastructure + support costs ~22%
CAC Payback Target (months)	12	< 12 months is strong
Average Contract Length (months)	12	mix of monthly/annual

4 · Derived Metrics (formula-driven)

LTV (ARPU × GM × Avg Contract Length)	\$1,277.64	lifetime value per customer
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LTV/CAC Ratio	5.1x	should be > 3.0
CAC Payback (months)	2.3	months to recoup CAC from gross profit

SaaS Monthly MRR Build — Year 1

Cohort-based MRR model: New MRR + Expansion MRR – Churned MRR = Net New MRR

Metric	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Full Year
CUSTOMERS													
Starting Customers	25	34	44	55	67	79	92	106	120	135	151	168	25
New Customers Acquired	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	21	23	189
Churned Customers	-1	-1	-1	-1	-2	-2	-2	-3	-3	-3	-4	-4	-27
Ending Customers	34	44	55	67	79	92	106	120	135	151	168	187	187
MRR (USD)													
Starting MRR	\$3,413	\$4,863	\$6,486	\$8,286	\$10,268	\$12,435	\$14,794	\$17,348	\$20,102	\$23,061	\$26,231	\$29,754	\$3,413
New MRR	\$1,365	\$1,502	\$1,638	\$1,775	\$1,911	\$2,048	\$2,184	\$2,321	\$2,457	\$2,594	\$2,867	\$3,140	\$25,799
Expansion MRR	\$171	\$243	\$324	\$414	\$513	\$622	\$740	\$867	\$1,005	\$1,153	\$1,312	\$1,488	\$8,852
Churned MRR	-\$85	-\$122	-\$162	-\$207	-\$257	-\$311	-\$370	-\$434	-\$503	-\$577	-\$656	-\$744	-\$4,426
Ending MRR	\$4,863	\$6,486	\$8,286	\$10,268	\$12,435	\$14,794	\$17,348	\$20,102	\$23,061	\$26,231	\$29,754	\$33,637	\$33,637
UNIT ECONOMICS													
Blended ARPU	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50	\$136.50
CAC Spend (est.)	\$2,500	\$2,750	\$3,000	\$3,250	\$3,500	\$3,750	\$4,000	\$4,250	\$4,500	\$4,750	\$5,250	\$5,750	\$47,250
MoM MRR Growth %		33.4%	27.8%	23.9%	21.1%	19.0%	17.3%	15.9%	14.7%	13.7%	13.4%	13.1%	N/A
Cumulative New Customers	10	21	33	46	60	75	91	108	126	145	166	189	189

SaaS Financial Model — Year 1 Summary

All formulas reference Assumptions and Monthly_Model sheets · Base Scenario

ARR (Annualised)	Ending MRR (Dec)	Total Customers (Dec)	Blended ARPU
###	\$33,637	187	\$136.50
Dec MRR × 12	Monthly recurring revenue	Active subscribers	Weighted avg monthly price

CAC Payback Period	Total CAC Spend (FY)	New Customers Added (FY)	MRR Growth (Jan→Dec)
###	\$47,250	189	592%
Months to recoup CAC	Full year S&M investment	Gross new in Year 1	Full-year MRR growth

Monthly MRR Bridge — Chart Data							
Month	Starting MRR	New MRR	Expansion MRR	Churned MRR	Ending MRR	Customers	MoM Growth %
Jan	\$3,413	\$1,365	\$171	-\$85	\$4,863	34	
Feb	\$4,863	\$1,502	\$243	-\$122	\$6,486	44	33.4%
Mar	\$6,486	\$1,638	\$324	-\$162	\$8,286	55	27.8%
Apr	\$8,286	\$1,775	\$414	-\$207	\$10,268	67	23.9%
May	\$10,268	\$1,911	\$513	-\$257	\$12,435	79	21.1%
Jun	\$12,435	\$2,048	\$622	-\$311	\$14,794	92	19.0%
Jul	\$14,794	\$2,184	\$740	-\$370	\$17,348	106	17.3%
Aug	\$17,348	\$2,321	\$867	-\$434	\$20,102	120	15.9%
Sep	\$20,102	\$2,457	\$1,005	-\$503	\$23,061	135	14.7%
Oct	\$23,061	\$2,594	\$1,153	-\$577	\$26,231	151	13.7%

Nov	\$26,231	\$2,867	\$1,312	-\$656	\$29,754	168	13.4%
Dec	\$29,754	\$3,140	\$1,488	-\$744	\$33,637	187	13.1%

