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# **Simple Interest**

# What is Interest?

**Amount charged for  
\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ money**





# What is Balance?

The total amount of \_\_\_\_\_.



# Vocabulary

## Principle

The amount that is \_\_\_\_\_

## Rate

The percent that you are \_\_\_\_\_ for interest

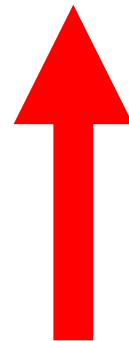
## Time

Time in Simple Interest is always done in \_\_\_\_\_



# ***Interest Formula***

$$***I*** = ***Prt***$$



# Getting to know the vocabulary

Josh borrowed \$2000 from Jason. Jason is charging 10% for every year that Josh borrows it. How much interest will Josh have to pay in 4 years? How much is his total balance?

**Find the amount of interest and the balance.**

**1)     $P = \$600$   
       $r = 5\%$   
       $t = 5 \text{ years}$**

$$***I = Prt***$$

**Find the amount of interest and the balance.**

**2)  $P = \$4500$**

**$r = 10\%$**

**$t = 6 \text{ years}$**



# **How many months are there in a year?**

**How do you convert months to fractions/decimals of a year?**

**Write the following as parts of a year:**

**3) 6 months**

**7) 18 months**

**4) 3 months**

**5) 9 months**

**6) 6 months**

**Find the amount of interest and the balance.**

**8)  $P = \$1200$**

**$r = 5\%$**

**$t = 3 \text{ months}$**

***$I = Prt$***

**Find the amount of interest and the balance.**

**9)  $P = \$7000$**

**$r = 5.5\%$**

**$t = 18 \text{ months}$**

***$I = Prt$***

**Find the amount of borrowed (principle).**

**10)**

$$I = \$68$$

$$P = ?$$

$$r = 4\%$$

$$t = 2 \text{ years}$$

$$*I = Prt*$$

**Find the interest rate.**

**11)**

$$I = \$6.75$$

$$P = \$90$$

$$r = ?$$

$$t = 3 \text{ years}$$

$$*I = Prt*$$

**12. You deposit \$2000 in a savings account for 3 months. If the annual simple interest rate is 4.1%, how much interest will you earn?**

**13. You borrow \$4500 for 9 months. If the annual simple interest rate is 8%, how much interest will you owe?**

**13. You borrow \$120. After 9 months, you pay back the \$120 plus interest of \$5.40. What is the annual simple interest rate?**

**14. You deposit \$800 at 7.5%. How long will it take to earn \$15 interest?**

- 15. A bank offers 3.5% annual simple interest on a special savings account. How much should you deposit to have \$1000 at the end of 5 years?**