

Simple & Compound Interest

1. **Principal:**

The money borrowed or lent out for a certain period is called the **principal** or the **sum**.

2. **Interest:**

Extra money paid for using other's money is called **interest**.

3. **Simple Interest (S.I.):**

If the interest on a sum borrowed for certain period is reckoned uniformly, then it is called **simple interest**.

Let Principal = P, Rate = R% per annum (p.a.) and Time = T years. Then

$$(i). \text{ Simple Interest} = \left(\frac{P \times T \times R}{100} \right)$$

$$(ii). \quad P = \left(\frac{100 \times \text{S.I.}}{R \times T} \right); R = \left(\frac{100 \times \text{S.I.}}{P \times T} \right) \text{ and } T = \left(\frac{100 \times \text{S.I.}}{P \times R} \right).$$

Simple Interest questions:

1. Find SI on Rs 1600 for 3 years at 5% per annum.
2. On what sum of money will the simple interest for 3 years at 5%p.a is Rs 450 ?
3. In what time will the simple interest on Rs 1600 at 4% be Rs 256.
4. At what rate percent per annum will the SI on Rs 8000 for 2 years is 960?
5. Anand borrowed a sum of Rs 6000 at the rate of 6 percent per annum. Find the amount to be paid by Anand at the end of 6 years?
6. Ramesh borrowed a certain sum from a financing company at 10.5 percent per annum. At the end of 4 years, Ramesh returned the sum along with the interest. He paid Rs 5680 in all. Find the sum borrowed by Ramesh initially?
7. At what rate% per annum a sum of money become double in 5 years?
8. In how many years will a sum of money becomes triple at 10% per annum simple interest?
9. A sum of money becomes double itself in 10 years. In how many years will it become 4 times at the same rate?
10. A certain sum amounts Rs 10400 in 3 years and 12800 in 6 years. Find the sum?
11. A part of sum of Rs 8000 is invested at 4% and remaining at 6% per annum. The whole annual received was Rs 380. Find the money invested at 4%?

Compound Interest

1. **When interest is compound Annually:**

$$\text{Amount} = P \left(1 + \frac{R}{100} \right)^n$$

2. When interest is compounded Half-yearly:

$$\text{Amount} = P \left[1 + \frac{(R/2)}{100} \right]^{2n}$$

3. When interest is compounded Quarterly:

$$\text{Amount} = P \left[1 + \frac{(R/4)}{100} \right]^{4n}$$

4. When interest is compounded Annually but time is in fraction, say $3\frac{2}{5}$ years.

$$\text{Amount} = P \left(1 + \frac{R}{100} \right)^3 \times \left(1 + \frac{\frac{2}{5}R}{100} \right)$$

5. When Rates are different for different years, say $R_1\%$, $R_2\%$, $R_3\%$ for 1st, 2nd and 3rd year respectively.

$$\text{Then, Amount} = P \left(1 + \frac{R_1}{100} \right) \left(1 + \frac{R_2}{100} \right) \left(1 + \frac{R_3}{100} \right).$$

Compound Interest Questions

12. Find the compound interest on Rs 5000 for 2 years at 10% per annum.
13. A sum of Rs 2500 is lent at compound interest at 4% per one year. Find the CI.
14. Find the amount on Rs 7500 at 10% pa interest compounded annually for 2 years, 6 months.
15. What sum of money will amounts to Rs 12100 in two years at 10% compound interest?
16. At what time will the compound interest on Rs 4000 at 10% to be Rs 840?
17. Find the compound interest on Rs 10000 at 10 pa for 1 year six months, the interest being compounded half yearly?
18. Find the compound interest on 3000 at 30% per annum for one year, the interest being compounded in 4 months period.
19. Find the compound interest on 10000 at 20 percent pa for 9 months, the interest being compounded quarterly?
20. The difference between simple interest and compound interest on a sum of money for 2 years at 15% is Rs 495. Find the sum?