Simple 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

$$\begin{split} \text{(i). Simple Intereest} &= \begin{pmatrix} P \ x \ R \ x \ T \\ 100 \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{(ii). } P &= \begin{pmatrix} 100 \ x \ S.I. \\ R \ x \ T \end{pmatrix}; \ R = \begin{pmatrix} 100 \ x \ S.I. \\ P \ x \ T \end{pmatrix} \text{and } T = \begin{pmatrix} 100 \ x \ S.I. \\ P \ x \ R \end{pmatrix}. \end{split}$$