

A Loan of \$5,000 generates a Simple Interest of \$1,350 for 7 years, find the rate Percent?

$$I = \frac{P \times T \times R}{100} \quad [\text{Make } R \text{ the Subject of the formula}]$$

$$100I = PTR \quad [\text{Divide both sides by } PT] \quad \frac{100I}{PT} = \frac{PTR}{PT}$$

$$R = \frac{100I}{PT}$$

$$[P = \$5,000, I = \$1,350, T = 7 \text{ years}]$$

$$\therefore R = \frac{100 \times 1350}{5,000 \times 7} = \frac{135,000}{35,000} = 3.85\%$$

$$R = 3.9\%$$