LESSON 9.8b Simple Interest

For an account that earns simple annual interest, find the interest and the balance of the account.

1. \$375 at 4% for 5 years	2. \$2300 at 2.2% for 6 months	3. \$4880 at 3.8% for 3 months
Interest:	Interest:	Interest:
Balance: balance = principal + interest	Balance:	Balance:

Use the simple interest formula to find the unknown quantity.

4. <i>I</i> = <u>?</u>	5.	<i>I</i> = \$3621.20
<i>P</i> = \$4000		<i>P</i> = \$8230
<i>r</i> = 4.5%		<i>r</i> = 5.5%
t = 5 years		<i>t</i> = <u>?</u>

Interest:	
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Time: _____

6. You deposit \$425 into a money market account for three months. The account earns 2.5% simple interest. How much money is in the account after three months?

Total money in the account: _____