

# Exchange Rates

LO: To be able to exchange Pounds Sterling into foreign currency.

1) What is Simple and Compound Interest?

2) How is Simple and Compound Interest Calculated?

3) Practise finding Simple and Compound Interest.

4) Thinking Question......

5) Follow up work.

## WHAT IS AN EXCHANGE RATE?

Rate at which one currency may be converted into another. The exchange rate is used when simply converting one currency to another.

## CHANGING TO A FOREIGN CURRENCY FOREIGN = HOME × EXCHANGE CURRENCY CURRENCY RATE

Ann is going to Spain on holiday and changes  $\pm 200$  to euros. How many euros does she get?

STEP 1: FIND THE EXCHANGE RATE IN THE TABLE €1.58

STEP 2: INSERT AMOUNTS INTO THE FORMULA

FOREIGN =  $\pounds 200 \times \pounds 1.58$ CURRENCY

**= €**316

CHANGING TO A FOREIGN CURRENCY

FOREIGN = HOME × EXCHANGE CURRENCY <u>CURRENCY</u> RATE

Country	Exchange rate for £s sterling
Australia	2.82 Australian dollars
European countries	1.58 euros
Switzerland	2.32 Swiss francs
South Africa	16.34 rand
Turkey	2520000 New Turkish lira
U.S.A.	1.55 US dollars

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STEP 1: FIND THE EXCHANGE RATE IN THE TABLE STEP 2: INSERT AMOUNTS INTO THE FORMULA

FOREIGN CURRENCY= BRITISH CURRENCY x EXCHANGE RATE

**AMOUNT OF EUROS = £200 x 1.58** 

AMOUNT OF EUROS = € 316 £200 = €316

				for £s sterling	
			Australia	2.82 Australian dollars	
Change the following amounts in to			European countries	1.58 euros	
the given foreign currencies.			Switzerland	2.32 Swiss francs	
			South Africa	16.34 rand	
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1) Change £150 into Australian Dollars	£150	x 2.82	:	\$ 423	
2) Change £390 into US Dollars	£390 × 1.55		:	\$ 604.50	
3) Change £250 into Euros	£250 × 1.58			€ 395	
4) Change £1500 into rand	£1500 × 16.34		34	24510 rand	
5) Change £500 into Swiss Francs	£500 × 2.32		:	160 Swiss Francs	

Ann saves £15 per week for 18 weeks for spending money for her holiday. She exchanges pounds for US dollars. How many US dollars does she get? \$410.40

Tim is going to Florida for his holidays. He saves £250 of his pocket money. How many dollars will he get?

Who gets more dollars? How much more? Ann \$410.40 - \$380 = \$30.40

Exchange Rates (£1 = )

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Australia	1.57 Dollars	India	57.23 Rupees	
USA	1.52 Dollars	S.Africa	10.63 Rand	

Jane had £250 to spend on her trip to South Africa. She buys souvenirs costing 950 Rand, clothes costing 635 Rand and she spends 500 Rand on entertainment.

How much Rand does she have left?

How much will she have left when she changes back to Pounds?

How many Rand does she get for her £250

How much does she spend?

How much will she have left?

How will you change back to Pounds?

572.50 ÷ 10.63 = £53.86

250 × 10.63 = 2657.50 Rand

950 + 635 + 500 = 2085 Rand

2657.50 - 2085 = 572.50

Divide by the exchange rate

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### CHANGING TO HOME CURRENCY

HOME = CURRENCY

### FOREIGN ÷ EXCHANGE CURRENCY RATE

Dave returns from Switzerland with 55 Euros. He changes th	1e 55 ÷ 1.15 =
Euros back to British money. How much does he get back?	£47.83
Heather returns from Australia with 200 Australian dollars. She changes them back to pounds. How much does she get back?	200 ÷ 1.57 = £127.39
A car costs £8500 in the UK. The same car costs 12798 Euros in Holland.	12798 ÷ 15 = £11128.70 Cheaper in UK
Where is the car cheapest?	111.28.70 - 8500
How much Cheaper is it?	2626.70

CHANGING TO HOME CURRENCY		Europe	1.15 euros	Japan	125.97 yen
HOME = FOREIGN ÷ EXCHANGE CURRENCY <u>CURRENCY</u> RATE	Australia	1.57 Dollars	India	57.23 Rupees	
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LO: To be able to calculate Simple and Compound Interest.

Follow up work

1) 2 x Exchange rates worksheets