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## **Basics of Money Markets**



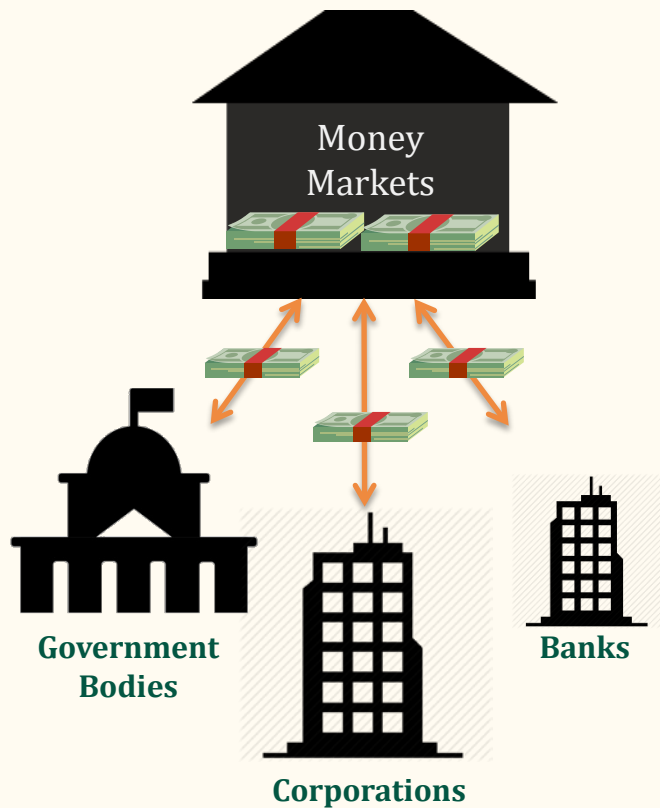


## **In this session, you will learn about:**

- Basics of Money Markets
- The purpose of money markets
- Money markets segments and participants
- Money market instruments
- Advantages and Disadvantages of Money Market

# Introduction of Money Markets

Money market is a part of the **global financial market** that deals with **short-term lending and borrowing**.



## Mode of Transaction

The transactions may take place between different persons by telephone, fax without personal meeting.

## Period of Funding

Funds are available in this market for periods ranging from a single day up to a year.



Who do Money Markets Cater to?

# Money Market Segments

## InterBank Market

- Interbank market is referred mainly as the market for very short deposits and loans, e.g. overnight or up to two weeks

- Primary market, which is absorbing the issues and enabling borrowers to raise new funds.

## Primary market

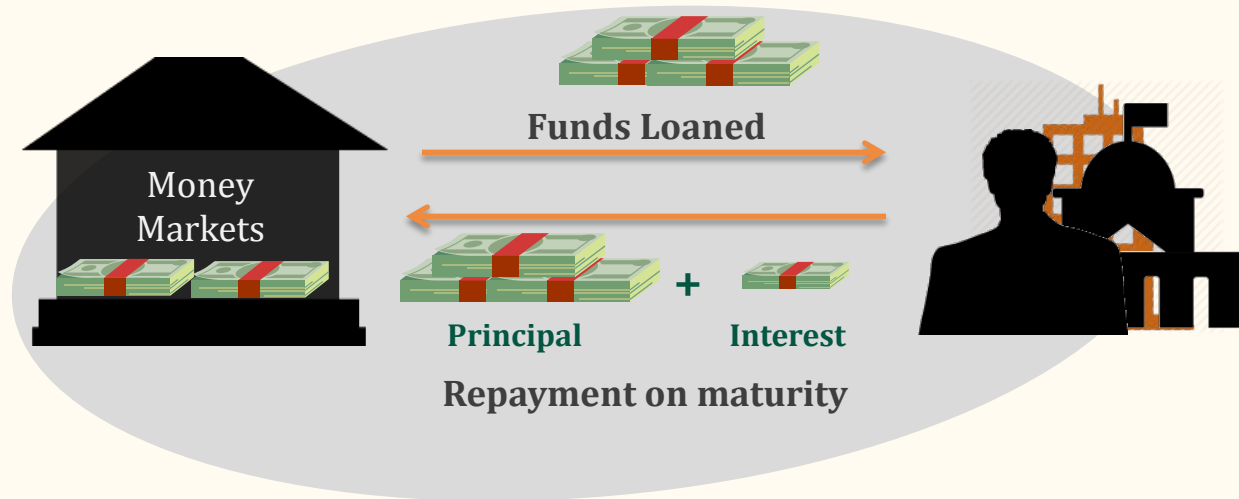
## Secondary market

Secondary Markets provide trading of Short-term securities, ensuring liquidity and price discovery

- Market for financial contracts whose values are derived from the underlying money market instruments.

## Derivatives Market

# Interest Calculation



- For Interbank lending and some Money market instruments , interest is payable on the principal value of the instrument.
- Interest is paid at the end of the loan period, along with repayment of principal to the investor.

# Interest Calculation

## Key Assumption

Interest on most currencies, including U.S. dollar and euro, is calculated with assumption that year has 360 days and is based on ACT/360 day count convention.

## Formula

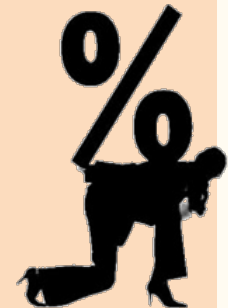
$$\text{Interest payable} = P * (R/100) * (T/360)$$

Where:

P = Principal

R = Interest rate

T = no. of days for which money is borrowed



# Numerical Example of Interest Calculation



A bank makes loan of  
EUR 10mn



Duration of loan is 15<sup>th</sup>  
July – 15<sup>th</sup> October



Interest rate is 5.75  
per annum

Interest  
Payable

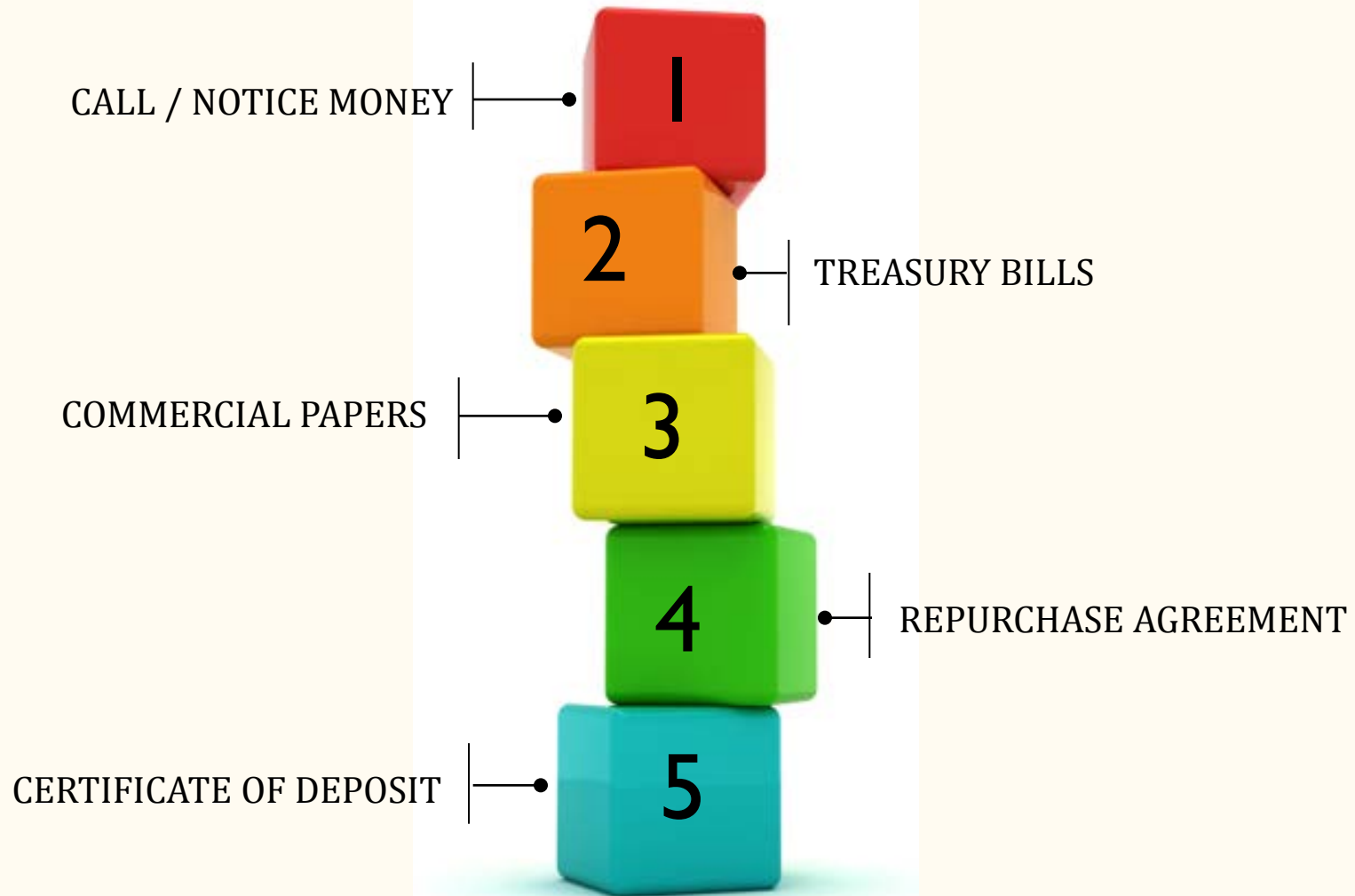
$$= 10,000,000 * (5.75/100) * (92/360)$$

$$= \text{EUR } 146,945$$



For certain currencies such as sterling, however, interest is calculated on the assumption of 365 days a year and is based on ACT/365 day count convention.

# Instruments of Money Markets



The Main instruments of Money Markets are Short Term in Nature.



# Instruments of Money Market

Call money is the money borrowed or lent on demand for a very short period. When money is borrowed or lent for a day, it is known as Call (Overnight).

**Call  
Money**

When money is borrowed or lent for more than a day and up to 14 days, it is **"Notice Money"**.

**Notice  
Money**

**Certificate  
of Deposit**

A certificate of deposit (CD) is a relatively low-risk debt instrument purchased directly through a commercial bank or savings and loan institution.

# Interbank Lending

## CALL MONEY

- Refers to deposits for a unspecified term on a day to day basis. Lender can call back the funds at any time, and they are repaid on the same day.

- Refers to money borrowed or loaned on a given banking day and is scheduled to be repaid on the next banking day.

## OVERNIGHT MONEY

## WEEKEND MONEY

- Refers to overnite money borrowed on last day of the week with repayment being scheduled for following Monday is called Weekend Money.

- Refers to money loaned or termed for a fixed period such as a week or a month.

## TERM MONEY

## INTRADAY MONEY

- Refers to money loaned and repaid on same day.
- Borrowing takes place in the morning of the business day, and repayment is scheduled for the same afternoon.

## Treasury Bills

- T-bills are short-term securities that mature in one year or less from their issue date.
- They are issued with three-month, six-month and one-year maturities.
- They are issued at a discount to the face value, and on maturity the face value is paid to the holder.

## Bills of Exchange

- Bills of exchange are similar to checks and promissory notes.
- They can be drawn by individuals or banks and are generally transferable by endorsements.
- It is written order used primarily in international trade that binds one party to pay a fixed sum of money to another party at a predetermined future date.

- Commercial paper is an unsecured and discounted promissory note issued to finance the short-term credit needs of large institutional buyers.
- Banks, corporations and foreign governments commonly use this type of funding.

## Commercial Papers

## Repurchase Agreement

- A repurchase agreement (Repo) is the sale of a security combined with an agreement to repurchase the same security at a higher price at a future date.
- For the party selling the security it is a repo.
- For the party on the other end of the transaction, it is a reverse repurchase agreement.