

# **Money Supply**

 Money Supply – all the money available in the United States (not just dollars and coins)

- Easy money (liquidity).
  - Dollars
  - Coins
  - Checking Accounts (Demand Deposits)
  - Travelers Checks can be replaced if lost or stolen



#### What do banks do?

- 1. Store Money (Hold Money)
- 2. 2. Provide Bank Accounts (ways to save money)
- Savings Accounts put money in bank to save for later, interest than checking account
- Checking Account put money in bank and later write check.
  Money is taken out when a person cashes check. Safer than carrying around cash. Pays a very small interest rate.
- Money Market Account save for a certain period of time at a higher interest rate, downfall – interest rates can go higher or lower. Can write checks from this account if needed
- Certificate of Deposit (CD) A savings account that pays a higher interest rate but you have to keep your money in the account for a certain period of time.

### What do Banks do?

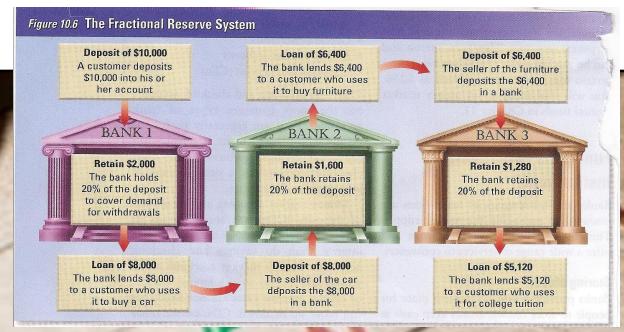
- Give Loans -
  - Provide money to people to buy things. People pay the bank back the same amount of money plus interest
  - Loans for houses, college, etc.
  - Loans allow the economy to grow new businesses created
  - Banks make most of their money from loans
  - Principle = the amount of money borrowed
  - Interest = the price paid for borrowing the money
- Banks worry about default
  - When a person does not pay back their loan

# Fractional Reserve System

 Banks know that everyone is not going to ask for all their money at once so they only keep a certain amount of money in the bank

- We have seen this can be a problem - Run on the

**Banks** 



### **Loans Continued**

- Mortgage A loan that is used to buy real estate (land, building, house, etc.)
  - Usually have a down payment
  - The longer amount of time you agree to pay back the loan, the more interest you will pay
    - Fixed Rate
    - Adjustable Rate



- Credit Card Like a loan
  - Bank gives you card and can spend their money
  - You have to pay back the money by a certain date plus interest



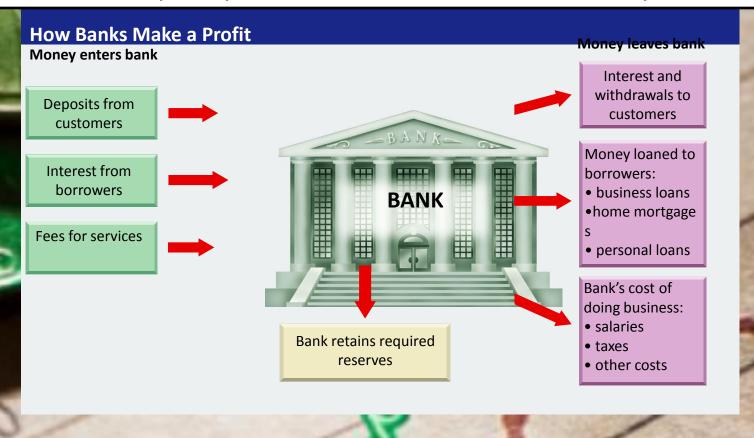
#### Interest

- Simple Interest The interest rate is always applied to the Principle
  - Principle = 100 Interest is 5 % Each year you get \$5

- Compound Interest The Interest Rate is applied to the current balance in your account
  - Principal = 100 Interest is 5 % First year you get \$5,
    next year you get more

#### How Banks Make a Profit

- The largest source of income for banks is the interest they receive from customers who have taken loans.
- Interest is the price paid for the use of borrowed money.



## Types of Financial Institutions

- Commercial Banks
  - Biggest Banks
  - Usually provide services to businesses
  - Have the most services of all banks



- Savings and Loan Associations
  - Originally to give people money to build houses
  - Now have many services
  - Also called thrifts

# Types of Financial Institutions

#### Savings Banks

A bank whose main goal is to accept savings deposits (deposit = put in).



#### Credit Unions

- Lending (loaning) business for a certain group of people
  - Ex: Teacher's Credit Union
- Usually small and give car loans and mortgages
- Members of the bank usually get better interest rates



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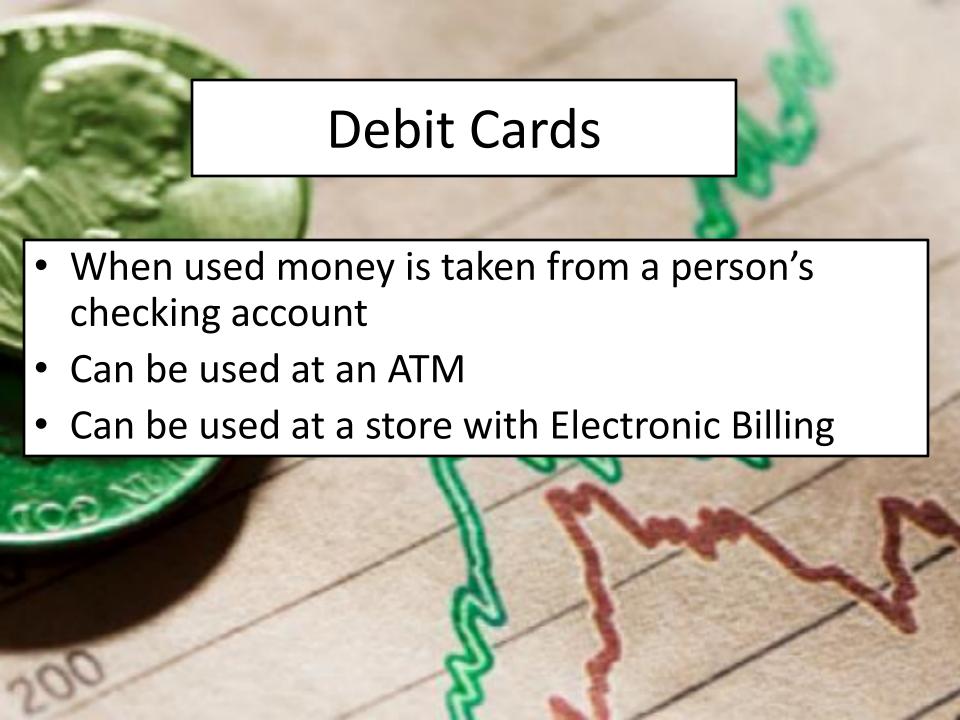
- Finance Companies
  - Give Installment Loans
    - They give you a certain amount of money and you pay back a certain amount of money each month
  - People who get installment loans often can't get a loan from a bank
  - People have to pay higher interest



# **Electronic Banking**

- ATM- Automated Teller Machine
  - Convenient can use
    when bank is closed
  - Deposit Money
  - Withdraw (take-out) money
  - Get account information (balance, etc.)





### **Stored Value Cards**

- Like a debit card
- Has a magnetic strip that can be swiped
  - People put money on the card and it can be used to buy things
  - Benefit: People don't have to carry cash
  - Examples: a gift card

