

Aspreadsheet usually has a quick way to do some basic calculations. Right clicking on the word sum (if it is not shown then this section of the spreadsheet) brings up a menu of quick commands: Average, CountA, Count, Sum,... Select the information that you want.(I selected sum)

Now highlighting the cells(shown below) will give the sum. For this sheet, this represents the interest earned in the first year of the account.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1			m =	12	years =	2			
2	rates =	1.00%	5.00%	10.00%					
3	Period	interest earned	deposit	balance					
4	0	---	---	800					
5	1	0.67	112	912.67					
6	2	0.76	124	1037.43					
7	3	4.32	114	1155.75					
8	4	4.82	106	1266.57					
9	5	5.28	113	1384.85					
10	6	5.77	103	1493.62					
11	7	6.22	124	1623.84					
12	8	6.77	144	1774.61					
13	9	7.39	148	1930					
14	10	8.04	149	2087.04					
15	11	17.39	109	2213.43					
16	12	18.45	140	2371.88					
17	13	19.77	130	2521.65					
18	14	21.01	121	2663.66					
19	15	22.2	115	2800.86					
20	16	23.34	109	2933.2					
21	17	24.44	127	3084.64					
22	18	25.71	103	3213.35					
23	19	26.78	110	3350.13					
24	20	27.92	119	3497.05					
25	21	29.14	135	3661.19					
26	22	30.51	128	3819.7					
27	23	31.83	146	3997.53					
28	24	33.31	105	4135.84					
29									
30									
31									
32									
33									

Sheet 1 of 1 | 12 rows, 1 columns selected | Default | Sum=85.88 | 100%