

## EXPRESSIONS OF QUANTITY

### Exercise 1: Choose the correct word in each bank to complete the following sentences.

- 1 Jane is going to school late. There is too \_\_\_\_\_ (much / many) traffic.
- 2 Can you bring coca cola to the birthday party? I don't have \_\_\_\_\_ (some/any).
- 3 There aren't \_\_\_\_\_ (much/ many) car parks in the mountainous and remote countryside of Vietnam.
- 4 New York has \_\_\_\_\_ (a lot of/ plenty of) great fashion shops.
- 5 Hurry up! We only have \_\_\_\_\_ (a little / a few) time before the plane takes off.
- 6 When I went to England, I saw \_\_\_\_\_ (some / any) beautiful scenery.
- 7 (Many a/Many) \_\_\_\_\_ singer will be chosen to perform in the special event.
- 8 She doesn't have \_\_\_\_\_ (few /any) patience when learning English.
- 9 The problem with (both/all) \_\_\_\_\_ of these two proposals is that they are hopelessly impractical.
- 10 \_\_\_\_\_ (A large number/the number) of issues still need to be addressed.

### Exercise 2: Choose the best answer to complete each of the following sentences.

- 1 Could you lend me \_\_\_\_\_ more? I've spent \_\_\_\_\_ money you gave me yesterday.  
A. any - some      B. some - the      C. the - the      D. some - Ø
- 2 I had to pay \_\_\_\_\_ for these shoes than I expected to.  
A. far more      B. the most      C. very much      D. too many
- 3 I can remember the main plot of the novel but almost \_\_\_\_\_ of the details.  
A. little      B. anything      C. none      D. all
- 4 He turned down the offer on grounds of health, but I think there were \_\_\_\_\_ reasons behind his decision.  
A. some other      B. another      C. such      D. any other
5. \_\_\_\_\_ of the great libraries of ancient times survived; \_\_\_\_\_ were destroyed in fires, or by volcanoes, others in wars and invasions.  
A. None - some      B. Neither - many      C. Many - much      D. Some - a little
6. They are worried that if the decline in the number of the Siberian tigers continues at this high rate, \_\_\_\_\_ of the species will be left in a few years.  
A. none      B. many      C. most      D. any
7. The new student is a real snob: he refuses to mix with \_\_\_\_\_ in his class.  
A. no one else      B. some other      C. many other      D. the others
8. We can go by \_\_\_\_\_ road, because \_\_\_\_\_ are normally free from heavy traffic at this time of day.  
A. any - either      B. either - both      C. neither - some      D. both - all
9. You may deliver the desk at \_\_\_\_\_ time from 9 to 6, during which hours there will be someone in the office.  
A. most      B. any      C. each      D. every
10. \_\_\_\_\_ of you is going to be questioned by the police about your whereabouts at the time of the crime.  
A. All      B. Each      C. Every      D. Some
11. The new personnel manager told us that he had visited \_\_\_\_\_ countries in Europe.  
A. a great deal of      B. much      C. a number of      D. as many
12. Unless humans stop destroying natural habitats \_\_\_\_\_ of the world's wildlife will become extinct.  
A. many      B. few      C. a few      D. much
13. \_\_\_\_\_ the furniture \_\_\_\_\_ delivered, except for one of the chairs.  
A. A lot of - are      B. All - has been      C. Most - will be      D. Both - is
14. The contract does not mean anything legally without the signatures of \_\_\_\_\_ sides.

A. both

B. either

C. each

D. every

15 In some shops around here, you can pay for your purchases with \_\_\_\_\_ currency you like.

A. all

B. any

C. some

D. every

16 Now children, be nice to \_\_\_\_\_ other, or I'll send you \_\_\_\_\_ to your rooms.

A. each - all

B. all - many

C. every - both

D. some - each

17 Because the performance day is drawing near, they are now rehearsing \_\_\_\_\_ other day, instead of once a week.

A. all

B. every

C. some

D. any

18 Although we are making good progress at the moment, it seems that we'll need \_\_\_\_\_ two weeks or so to complete the project properly.

A. another

B. more

C. much longer

D. many

19 His parents were \_\_\_\_\_ very unsupportive; otherwise, he would have been more successful in life.

A. either

B. all

C. both

D. neither

20 His parents have provided \_\_\_\_\_ opportunity for him to succeed, so

it's no wonder that he is now a well-to-do businessman.

A. many

B. every

C. all of

D. a few