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## QUANTIFIERS

A quantifier, as its name implies, expresses quantity.

Quantifiers can be a single word or a phrase and are used with nouns. They can be used with either a countable or an uncountable noun to express amount or quantity.

- some + plural nouns or uncountable singular forms. (
   has an affirmative meaning)
- any + plural nouns or uncountable singular forms. (is used with negative sentences and questions.
- much + plural nouns
- a lot of + uncountable or plural nouns( is more usual in affirmative sentences)
- a little + singular uncountable nouns ( has a positive meaning)
- a few + plurals ( has a positive meaning.)
- no + zero quantity ( no = not any)



• money • ponds		water – bread – lemons – chocolate – sugar – tea – milk – oranges- cheese – coffee – eggs		
cup of tea sugar bar of chocolate ice-cream rice glass of water coffee cake orange	Countable	Uncountable		
c) Ask questions using how much or how	d) Choose the correct word / sentences.	expression and complete the		
(eggs )		milk in the fridge? you need? fruit on the table?		
e) Use the words in the box and complete as the example  • bar • six-pack • tube • roll • head • bottle				
bunch     dozen     slice     cup     carton     jar	a carton of milk			

f) Fill in the gaps using any, some , a lot of, much, many, or no.

•	There is high school in Florence.
•	He hasn't got _ money.
	Would you like some tea?
•	Mark likes to read. He has got of books.
•	It cost money to travel round the world.
•	I haven't got V time to spend with you. I'm sorry.
•	Mrs. Milles went to the supermarket to buy some butter but they didn't have
	I'd like some cake too. Please, give me
•	Mr. Smith wants to buy a new car, but he can't because he doesn't earn that
•	Their party cost _ more than they expected.
•	Don't buy carrots!
	Get bread from the bakery , please.
•	There aren'tvegetables in the fridge. I'm going to buy
•	The shop has got clothes on the shelves.

Ask and	answer	questions as	the examp	ale
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flour / fridge / pantry				
Is there any flour in the fridge?- No	there isn't, but t	there is some in	the pantry.	
0				
Orange juice / pantry / fridge				
Jam / cupboard / fridge?				
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Fruit / cupboard / fridge				
	?			
Cheese / table / fridge				
	?			<u></u>
butter / cupboard / fridge				
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## **QUANTIFIERS / DETERMINERS EXERCISES**

A. Choose the	appropriate q	uantifier / det	erminer.		
1. Can I have <u>a</u>	few / some /	many butter p	lease?		
2. He has <u>a lot</u>	of / many / so	me money. He	e owns two lar	ge apartments.	
3. Do you want "Just <u>how muc</u>					
4. I have <u>a lot o</u>	of / much / a li	ttle DVDs.			
5. I'll be ready	in some / a fe	w / little minu	tes.		
6. How many	<b>/ how much</b> tir	ne do you nee	d to finish you	r homework?	
7. How many	<b>how much</b> bo	oks have you	read in the last	t two months?	
8. Do you want	much / any /	few cosmetics	from Avon?		
B. Complete th	e sentences w	ith the followi	ng quantifiers.		
Some	little	few	much	a lot of	several
Any	a little	a few	many	plenty of	no
1. Very		people fly just	because of ter	rorist activities.	
2. Tony is a kee	n golfer but un	fortunately he	has	abili	ty.
3. The capital to	own of this isla	nd is very sma	ll and doesn't l	nave	importan
buildings. The i	slanders don't	have	n	noney, and they	have
					d. There are lots of
bicycles but no	t	cars.	There are		_ shops, and there is
19	cultural	life.			
4. Unfortunate	ly, I haven't got		time f	or watching TV.	
5. You can buy	these maps at		station	n. They all have th	nem.
6. If you have _		questio	ns, I'm ready to	o answer.	
7. We haven't g	got	pot	atoes left. I'd b	etter go to the s	upermarket and get

\_\_\_\_\_ . We need bread too.