

S-V Agreement – A number of, The number of

Exercise 1: Give the correct form of the given verb in each sentence.

1. A number of cars (is/ are) parked outside the building.
2. A number of students (is/ are) participating in the science fair.
3. A number of issues (is/ are) being discussed in the meeting.
4. The number of people attending the event (is/ are) increasing steadily.
5. The number of accidents on this road (is/ are) alarming.
6. The number of applicants for the position (is/ are) higher than expected.
7. A number of apples (is/ are) ripe for picking in the orchard.
8. A number of students (is/ are) protesting against tuition fee hikes.
9. A number of cars (is/ are) parked illegally on the street.
10. A number of birds (is/ are) chirping loudly in the morning.
11. A number of employees (is/ are) attending the company's annual meeting.
12. A number of books (is/ are) missing from the library shelves.
13. A number of houses (is/ are) for sale in the neighborhood.
14. A number of volunteers (is/ are) helping to clean up the park.
15. A number of problems (is/ are) arising due to the recent policy changes.
16. The number of visitors to the museum (has/ have) increased significantly.
17. The number of students in the classroom (is/ are) limited due to social distancing measures.
18. The number of goals scored by the team (has/ have) improved this season.