

a lot much many



a lot of food
много еды



not much food
немного еды



a lot of books
много книг



not many books
немного книг

Much (много) используется с неисчисляемыми существительными
(**much food / much money** и т. д.):

- Did you buy **much food**?
- We don't have **much luggage**.
- A: Do you have any **money**?
B: I have some, but **not much**.

How much ... ? = Сколько ... ?

- How much money** do you want?

Many (много) используется с существительными во множественном числе
(**many books / many people** и т. д.):

- Did you buy **many books**?
- We don't know **many people**.
- A: Did you take any **photos**?
B: I took some, but **not many**.

How many ... ? = Сколько ... ?

- How many photos** did you take?

A lot of (= много) используется как с исчисляемыми, так и с неисчисляемыми существительными:

- We bought **a lot of food**.
- Paula doesn't have **a lot of free time**.
- We bought **a lot of books**.
- Did they ask **a lot of questions**?

Можно сказать:

- There **is** a lot of **food/money/water ...**
(глагол в единственном числе)
- There **are** a lot of **trees/shops/people ...**
(глагол во множественном числе)
- A lot of people speak English.**
(неверно **speaks**)

Much используется в вопросительных и отрицательных предложениях:

- Do you drink **much coffee**?
- I don't drink **much coffee**.

В утвердительных предложениях **much** обычно не используется:

- I drink **a lot of coffee**. (неверно I drink much coffee)
- A: Do you drink much coffee?
B: Yes, **a lot**. (неверно Yes, much)

Many и **a lot of** используются во всех типах предложений (утвердительных/отрицательных/вопросительных):

- We have **many friends / a lot of friends**.
- We don't have **many friends / a lot of friends**.
- Do you have **many friends / a lot of friends**?

Much и **a lot** можно использовать без существительного:

- Amy spoke to me, but she didn't say **much**.
... говорила со мной, но мало что сказала. (букв. не сказала много)
- A: Do you watch TV **much**? Вы часто (букв. много) смотрите телевизор?
B: No, **not much**. Нет, нечасто.
- We like films, so we go to the cinema **a lot**. (неверно go to the cinema much)
... поэтому мы часто (букв. много) ходим в кино.
- I don't like him very **much**. Он мне не особенно нравится.
- I don't have **much** money. У меня мало денег.

1 Вставьте **much** или **many**.

- 1 Did you buy much food?
- 2 There aren't _____ hotels in this town.
- 3 We don't have _____ petrol. We need to stop and get some.
- 4 Were there _____ people on the train?
- 5 Did _____ students fail the exam?
- 6 Paula doesn't have _____ money.
- 7 I wasn't hungry, so I didn't eat _____.
- 8 I don't know where Gary lives these days. I haven't seen him for _____ years.

Вставьте **How much** или **How many**.

- 9 _____ people are coming to the party?
- 10 _____ milk do you want in your coffee?
- 11 _____ bread did you buy?
- 12 _____ players are there in a football team?

2 Закончите предложения. Используйте **much** или **many** + слова из рамки:

books- countries luggage people time times

- 1 I don't read very much. I don't have many books _____.
- 2 Hurry up! We don't have _____.
- 3 Do you travel a lot? Have you been to _____?
- 4 Tina hasn't lived here very long, so she doesn't know _____.
- 5 'Do you have _____?' 'No, only this bag.'
- 6 I know Tokyo well. I've been there _____.

3 Закончите предложения. Используйте **a lot of** + слова из рамки:

accidents -books- fun interesting things traffic

- 1 I like reading. I have a lot of books _____.
- 2 We enjoyed our visit to the museum. We saw _____.
- 3 This road is very dangerous. There are _____.
- 4 We enjoyed our holiday. We had _____.
- 5 It took me a long time to drive here. There was _____.

4 В некоторых из этих предложений **much** использовано не совсем верно. Измените предложения или напишите **OK**.

- 1 Do you drink much coffee? OK _____
- 2 I drink much tea. a lot of tea _____
- 3 It was a cold winter. We had much snow. _____
- 4 There wasn't much snow last winter. _____
- 5 It costs much money to travel around the world. _____
- 6 We had a cheap holiday. It didn't cost much. _____
- 7 Do you know much about computers? _____
- 8 'Do you have any luggage?' 'Yes, much.' _____

5 Напишите предложения об этих людях. Используйте **much** и **a lot**.

- 1 James loves films. (go to the cinema) He goes to the cinema a lot. _____
- 2 Nicola thinks TV is boring. (watch TV) She doesn't watch TV much. _____
- 3 Tina is a good tennis player. (play tennis) She _____
- 4 Mark doesn't like driving. (use his car) He _____
- 5 Paul spends most of the time at home. (go out) _____
- 6 Sue has been all over the world. (travel) _____