



Much / Many / A lot of:

How Much and How Many: Asking About Quantity

Fill in the blank with the correct option.

1. ___ brothers and sisters do you have?
a) How many
b) How much
c) How lot
d) How
2. ___ water do you drink every day?
a) How many
b) How much
c) How lot
d) How
3. ___ languages can you speak?
a) How much
b) How
c) How lot
d) How many
4. ___ does this bag cost?
a) How many
b) How lot
c) How much
d) How
5. ___ rooms are there in your house?
a) How much
b) How many
c) How lot
d) How
6. ___ flour do we need for the cake?
a) How much
b) How
c) How many
d) How lot
7. ___ students passed the exam?
a) How much
b) How lot
c) How
d) How many
8. ___ homework did the teacher give you?
a) How many
b) How lot
c) How much
d) How
9. ___ countries have you visited?
a) How many
b) How much
c) How
d) How lot
10. ___ milk is there in the bottle?
a) How many
b) How lot
c) How
d) How much
11. ___ cups of coffee do you drink a day?
a) How much
b) How lot
c) How many
d) How

12. ___ free time do you have at the weekend?
a) How many
b) How much
c) How
d) How lot
13. ___ books did you read last year?
a) How many
b) How much
c) How lot
d) How
14. ___ luggage can I take on the plane?
a) How many
b) How
c) How lot
d) How much
15. ___ people were at the party?
a) How much
b) How
c) How many
d) How lot
16. ___ petrol does your car use?
a) How much
b) How many
c) How lot
d) How
17. ___ emails did you get today?
a) How much
b) How many
c) How
d) How lot
18. ___ traffic was there on the road?
a) How many
b) How much
c) How lot
d) How
19. ___ slices of pizza would you like?
a) How much
b) How lot
c) How
d) How many
20. ___ noise are the neighbours making?
a) How many
b) How lot
c) How much
d) How



Answers

1. a) How many
2. b) How much
3. d) How many
4. c) How much
5. b) How many
6. a) How much
7. d) How many
8. c) How much
9. a) How many
10. d) How much
11. c) How many
12. b) How much
13. a) How many
14. d) How much
15. c) How many
16. a) How much
17. b) How many
18. b) How much
19. d) How many
20. c) How much



Explanations

1. “How many” (a)

'Brothers and sisters' are countable nouns, so we use 'How many' to ask about their number.

2. “How much” (b)

'Water' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

3. “How many” (d)

'Languages' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

4. “How much” (c)

We use 'How much' to ask about price. Money/cost is treated as uncountable.

5. “How many” (b)

'Rooms' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

6. “How much” (a)

'Flour' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

7. “How many” (d)

'Students' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

8. “How much” (c)

'Homework' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

9. “How many” (a)

'Countries' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

10. “How much” (d)

'Milk' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

11. “How many” (c)

'Cups' is a countable noun. Even though coffee is uncountable, 'cups of coffee' makes it countable, so we use 'How many'.

12. “How much” (b)

'Free time' is uncountable, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

13. “How many” (a)

'Books' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

14. “How much” (d)

'Luggage' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

15. “How many” (c)

'People' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

16. “How much” (a)

'Petrol' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

17. “How many” (b)

'Emails' is a countable noun, so we use 'How many' to ask about the number.

18. “How much” (b)

'Traffic' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.

19. “How many” (d)

'Slices' is a countable noun. Even though pizza can be uncountable, 'slices of pizza' is countable, so we use 'How many'.

20. “How much” (c)

'Noise' is an uncountable noun, so we use 'How much' to ask about the amount.