

# Quantifiers examples | Correct use of Quantifiers

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## Quantifiers

Quantifiers are words that precede & modify nouns. Quantifiers can be used with both countable and uncountable nouns. Some quantifiers examples are given below with explanation.



### Quantifiers examples-1

**Incorrect:** North Korea will face **much** challenges in the future.

**Correct:** North Korea will face **many** challenges in the future.

**Explanation:-** much is used with Uncountable nouns whereas 'many' is used with countable nouns.

**Incorrect:** Ravi could not write a letter because there was **a little** ink in the pen.

**Correct:** Ravi could not write a letter because there was **little** ink in the pen.

**Explanation:- little:-** almost negligible, **a little:-** Very low (in quantity)

**Q.** I had **a few** eggs in the fridge, so we need to go to the market to buy them.

1) a little

2) few

3) little

4) No improvement

**Ans:** few

**Explanation:- few:-** almost negligible, **a few:-** Very few (in number)

**Note:-** few is used for countable nouns and little is used for uncountable nouns

**Ex:-**There is a few milks in the glass. (**incorrect**)

There is a **little** milk in the glass. (**correct**)

## Quantifiers examples-2

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**Incorrect:** I don't have **some** books to read.

**Correct:** I don't have **any** books to read.

**Explanation:-** '**some**' is a word that used in a positive sentence and '**any**' is used in a negative and interrogative sentence

**Q.** Do you have some sugar? [**SSC 2016**]

- 1) any sugar      2) little sugar  
3) small sugar    4) No improvement

**Ans:** any sugar

**Incorrect:** Every **student** is brilliant.

**Incorrect:** Every students **are** brilliant.

**Correct:** Every **student is** brilliant.

**Incorrect:** I need some advices.

**Correct:** I need some **advice**.

**Incorrect:** All of students passed the examination.

**Correct:** All of **the** students passed the examination.

**Incorrect:** All the money were spent.

**Correct:** All the money **was** spent.

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