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Los sustantivos pueden ser contables (contados individualmente) o no contables.

Fill the **container**  
with **water**.

We have four **kids**.

I want a cup of **coffee**.

| Contables   | No Contables   |
|---|--|
| <i>positivo</i>   | <i>positivo</i>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We need <b>a</b> pen.</li> <li>We need <b>four</b> pens.</li> <li>We need <b>a few</b> pens.</li> <li>We need <b>some</b> pens.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We need rice.</li> <li>We need <b>some</b> rice.</li> </ul> |
| <i>negativo</i>   | <i>negativo</i>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We <b>don't</b> need <b>any</b> pens.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We <b>don't</b> need <b>any</b> rice.</li> </ul>            |
| <i>interrogativo</i>  | <i>interrogativo</i>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Do</b> we need <b>any</b> pens?</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Do</b> we need <b>any</b> rice?</li> </ul>               |
| <i>preguntar de cantidad</i>  | <i>preguntar de cantidad</i>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>How many</b> pens do we need?</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>How much</b> rice do we need?</li> </ul>                 |

No Contable → Contable

Cantidad + Unidad de Medida + of + Sustantivo No Contable

### Reglas Generales

- Los sustantivos pueden ser contables o no contables.
- Los sustantivos contables se pueden contar individualmente.
- Se puede convertir un sustantivo no contable a un sustantivo contable. Hay que agregar una cantidad, unidad, y la palabra "of" antes.

### Ejemplos:

*I need a spoon for the sugar.*

*Fill the container with water.*

*I have **two** cars. We have **four** kids.*

*We need **some** rice. We need **two bags of** rice.*

*I want **some** coffee. I want **a cup of** coffee.*

*I'm eating soup. I'm eating **a bowl of** soup.*

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**A.** Elige la palabra correcta entre paréntesis para cumplir cada oración.

- We need some (a-) sugar.
- There is a ( window / windows ) open.
- They haven't done ( any / some ) research.
- There aren't any ( car / cars ).
- Are there ( some / any ) seats available?
- I didn't break ( some / any ) rules.
- There's not any ( water / waters ) left.
- How ( much / many ) snow is outside?
- How ( much / many ) oceans are there?
- How ( much / many ) gasoline do we need?

**B.** Para cada oración positiva, escribe la versión en la forma negativa e interrogativa.

- We need some sugar. / We don't need any sugar. / Do we need any sugar?
- You have three brothers. / \_\_\_\_\_
- Joe drinks (some) coffee. / \_\_\_\_\_
- There are five people here. / \_\_\_\_\_
- I want some toast. / \_\_\_\_\_
- Terry has some time. / \_\_\_\_\_
- The chef needs an egg. / \_\_\_\_\_
- There are two students. / \_\_\_\_\_
- They have homework. / \_\_\_\_\_
- Max has two toys. / \_\_\_\_\_

**C.** Cambia el sustantivo no contable a un sustantivo contable, usando la unidad entre paréntesis.

- Do you want **some** coffee? (a cup) Do you want a cup of coffee?
- Dillon plays **some** golf every week. (two rounds) \_\_\_\_\_
- There is **some** luggage in the trunk. (two pieces) \_\_\_\_\_
- I'm having **some** soup. (a bowl) \_\_\_\_\_
- There is **some** gold in the safe. (three bars) \_\_\_\_\_
- We have **some** gas left. (four gallons) \_\_\_\_\_
- Let me give you **some** advice. (a piece) \_\_\_\_\_
- We need **some** flour. (a bag) \_\_\_\_\_
- Can I have **some** water? (a bottle) \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you want **some** pizza? (a piece) \_\_\_\_\_

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## 10 A

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|-----------|----------|
| 1. some   | 6. any   |
| 2. window | 7. water |
| 3. any    | 8. much  |
| 4. cars   | 9. many  |
| 5. any    | 10. much |

## 10 B

2. You don't have any brothers. / Do you have any brothers?
3. Joe doesn't drink (any) coffee. / Does Joe drink (any) coffee?
4. There aren't any people here. / Are there any people here?
5. I don't want any toast. / Do I want any toast?
6. Terry doesn't have any time. / Does Terry have any time?
7. The chef doesn't need any eggs. / Does the chef need any eggs?
8. There aren't any students. / Are there any students?
9. They don't have any homework. / Do they have any homework?
10. Max doesn't have any toys. / Does Max have any toys?

## 10 C

2. Dillon plays two rounds of golf every week.
3. There are two pieces of luggage in the trunk.
4. I'm having a bowl of soup.
5. There are three bars of gold in the safe.
6. We have four gallons of gas left.
7. Let me give you a piece of advice.
8. We need a bag of flour.
9. Can I have a bottle of water?
10. Do you want a piece of pizza?