



## Much / Many

Listen to four short conversations using counters for nouns.

### Conversation #1

**Man:** Do you like cream with your coffee?

**Woman:** Yes, but not too **much**.

**Man:** What about **sugar**?

**Woman:** Yes, I like my coffee **sweet**.

**Man:** How many sugar cubes?

**Woman:** Two should be **enough**.

### Conversation #2

**Man:** Do we have any **lettuce**?

**Woman:** Just a little, but **not much**.

**Man:** How about tomatoes?

**Woman:** We have **a few**. Why?

**Man:** I want to make a salad.

**Woman:** Could do. We have **lots of** cucumber and a few onions.

### Conversation #3

**Man:** Let's make an omelet. How **many** eggs do we have?

**Woman:** A dozen. We do not have **much** oil though.

**Man:** It's OK, we have some cooking spray. Do we have any cheese or ham?

**Man:** We have some cheese but **not much** ham I'm afraid.

**Woman:** That's OK, I can use tomatoes.

**Man:** Great, we have **too** many and they will spoil soon.

### Conversation #4

**Man:** How **much** honey do we have?

**Woman:** **Not much**, but some.

**Man:** How **many** bananas?

**Woman:** We have **a few** I think. Why?

**Man:** I want to make a sandwich.

**Woman:** With bananas and honey?

## Quiz

1) In conversation 1, how much sugar does he want in his coffee? ✓

- a) A lot
- b) Not much

2) In conversation 2, how much lettuce do they have? ✓

- a) A lot
- b) Not much

3) In conversation 3, how many tomatoes do they have? ✓

- a) A lot
- b) Not much

4) In conversation 4, do they have many bananas? ✓

- a) Yes
- b) No

## Grammar Challenge

Fill in the blanks with the correct word.

Con #1	Con #2	Con #3	Con #4
sugar	not much	not much	How many
sweet	lots of	many	How much
enough	lettuce	too	a few
much	a few	much	Not much

## Speaking Challenge

Match the answers with the questions.

- 1) Do you have much free time?
- 2) Right now, how much money do you have?
- 3) Do you have many international friends?
- 4) Every night, how much sleep do you get?
- 5) How many rooms are in your house?

- [ 5 ] Just one. I live in a dorm room.
- [ 3 ] Yes, I know people from all over Asia.
- [ 2 ] Not much. Just a few bucks.
- [ 1 ] No, I am so busy these days.
- [ 4 ] Not much, about six hours.

**What about you?** Share your answers to the questions.