

Food - countable and uncountable

What can you see in each picture? List the items below.



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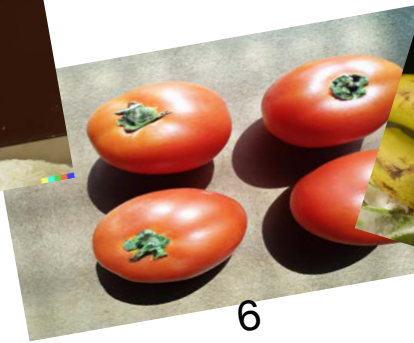
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Useful vocabulary.

“a bag of....” “a kilo of”
 “a bunch of.....” “running real low”

Complete the sentences with the words below.

“a few” any “a kilo”
 “how many” some
 “how much” “a bag of”
 “shopping list”

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____

1. I need to make a _____ to figure out how much food I need to buy.
2. _____ money do I need to spend on groceries this week?
3. _____ items should I put on my shopping list?
4. I should buy _____ fresh vegetables for dinner tonight.
5. I'll buy _____ of potatoes to make mashed potatoes.
6. I will take _____ of apples because they are easy to carry.
7. I only need a _____ cans of soup for lunch this week.
8. Do I need to buy _____ other ingredients for dinner?

Countable and uncountable for food

Label the following words or phrases as countable or uncountable.

1 water _____ 2 oranges _____ 3 rice _____ 4 tomatoes _____ 5 bananas _____
 6 how much _____ 7 some _____ 8 how many _____ 9 a few _____ 10 a bunch _____

Listen to the audio and complete the conversation.

Oscar: Hey Lily, what's on your 1 _____ for today?
 Lily: Oscar, we really need 2 _____, oranges, rice, tomatoes, and bananas.
 Oscar: OK! We're running 3 _____ on some things. 4 _____ water do we need?
 Lily: Just 5 _____ will do.
 Oscar: Okay, and 6 _____ oranges are you getting?
 Lily: I think I'll get 7 _____ of oranges.
 Oscar: Great, and 8 _____?
 Lily: We need about 9 _____.
 Oscar: Sounds good. How about tomatoes?
 Lily: I guess I'll get 10 _____ tomatoes, maybe 3 or 4.
 Oscar: That's 11 _____. And are you getting 12 _____?
 Lily: I'll get some bananas, but 13 _____. We never eat them all. Maybe I'll just get one bunch of bananas.
 Oscar: Is that everything on your list?
 Lily: 14 _____

Complete the conversation with your own ideas.

A: Hey _____, what's on your shopping list for today?
 B: I need to get some _____.
 A: How much _____?
 B: _____.
 A: And how many _____?
 B: _____.
 A: And do we need _____?
 B: _____.
 A: _____
 B: _____.

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1. a bunch of bananas
2. an empty refrigerator/ running really low
3. 3 bottles of water
4. a bag of oranges
5. a kilo of rice
6. 4 tomatoes
7. 2 bananas, 3 tomatoes, a bottle of water and some rice
8. a shopping list

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1. I need to make a shopping list to figure out how much food I need to buy.
2. How much money do I need to spend on groceries this week?
3. How many items should I put on my shopping list?
4. I should buy some fresh vegetables for dinner tonight.
5. I'll buy a kilo of potatoes to make mashed potatoes.
6. I will take a bag of apples because they are easy to carry.
7. I only need a few cans of soup for lunch this week.
8. Do I need to buy any other ingredients for dinner?

Label the following words or phrases as countable or uncountable.

1 water - Uncountable 2 oranges - Countable 3 rice - Uncountable 4 tomatoes - Countable
5 bananas - Countable 6 how much - Uncountable 7 some - Uncountable 8 how many -
Countable 9 a few - Countable 10 a bunch - Countable

Listen to the audio and complete the conversation.

1. shopping list 2. some water 3. really low 4. How much 5. three bottles 6. how many 7. a bag 8. how
much rice 9. a kilo 10. a few 11. enough 12. any bananas 13. not too many 14. I think so

Oscar: Hey Lily, what's on your shopping list for today?

Lily: Oscar, we really need some water, oranges, rice, tomatoes, and bananas.

Oscar: OK! We're running really low on some things. How much water do we need?

Lily: Just three bottles will do.

Oscar: Okay, and, how many oranges are you getting?

Lily: I think I'll get a bag of oranges.

Oscar: Great! and how much rice?

Lily: We need about a kilo of rice.

Oscar: Sounds good. How about tomatoes?

Lily: I guess I'll get a few tomatoes, maybe 3 or 4.

Oscar: That's enough. And are you getting any bananas?

Lily: I'll get some bananas, but not too many. We never eat them all. Maybe I'll just get one bunch of bananas.

Oscar: Is that everything on your list?

Lily: I think so.

Complete the conversation with your own ideas. (example)

A: Hey Frank, what's on your shopping list for today?

B: I need to get some milk, eggs, and bread.

A: How much milk do you need?

B: I think about a gallon should be enough for the week.

A: And how many eggs do you need?

B: I usually get a dozen eggs.

A: And do you need anything else?

B: No, I think that's everything on my list.

A: Okay, sounds good. Let's grab those items and then head home.

B: Sounds good to me. Thanks for coming with me to the store.