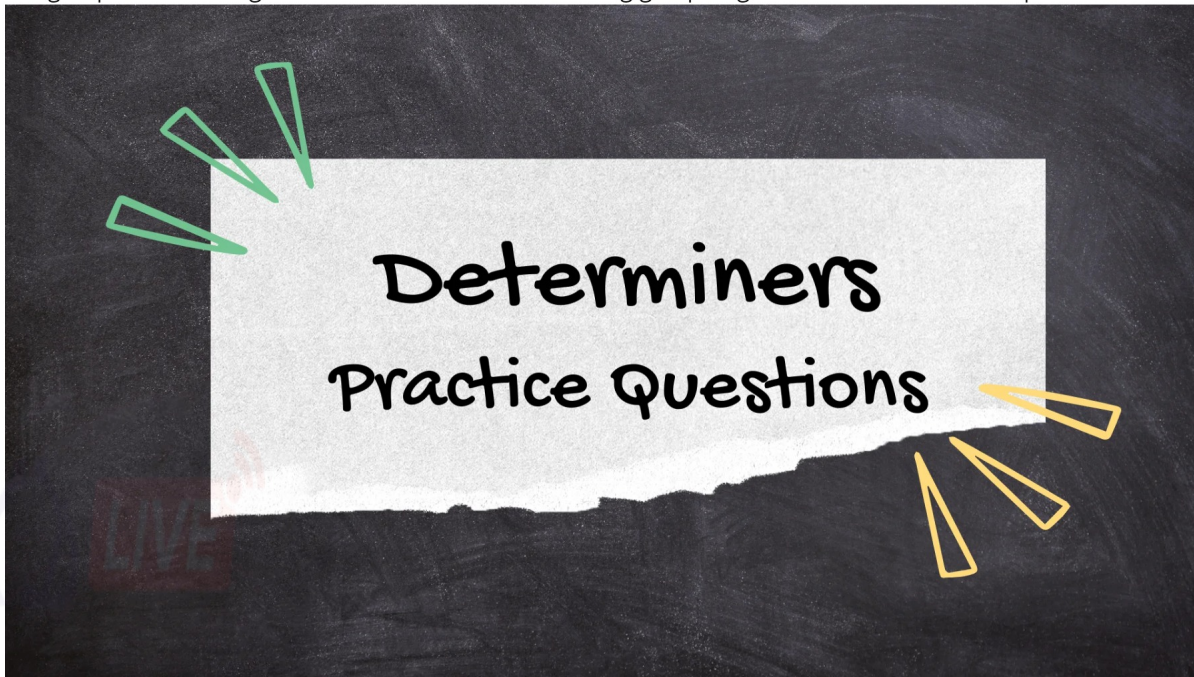Determiners Questions - 30 Difficulty Wise MCQs with Solutions

In today's segment, we will be focusing on Determiners, a significant topic of English Language section that holds substantial weightage in all competitive exams. Almost 3 - 4 questions surely come from this chapter in almost all exams. Determiners questions are an integral part of the english section and demand a strong grasp of grammar rules and concepts.

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Practice Questions on Determiners - Easy Level

Q:1 The given sentence has been broken up into four different parts. The error, if any, will be in one or more than one part of the sentence. Select the option which contains the part of the sentence which has an error. If there is no error, choose the option 'No error'.

The third building (A)/ from the left (B)/ is the tallest (C)/ in the street.(D)/

1.A
2.B
3.C
4.D

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5.no error

Direction (2 to 10): A sentence has been provided below with one blank which needs to be filled with an appropriate determiners. Choose the answer from the options provided.

Q:2 Ishita said she had gone for a trek last week but she didn't take _____ photos there.

1.much of

2.many

3.many of

4.much

Q:3 One of _____ found a rare antique vase from the 19th Century made up of Stone and Brass.

1.people

2.friend

3.my friend

4.my friends

Q:4 We stayed in Gulmarg for _____ days and went to Auli for a mini-trek.

1.few

2.a few

3.much

4.most

Q:5 After all the chaos and misinterpretations, Josi dared to confess _____ about the happenings in the middle of our journey.

1.few

2.a few

3.little

4.a little

Q:6 Ploughs, wagons, threshing sleds, harrows, baskets, hurdles, and winnowing fans are _____ farmer's implements.

1.the
2.a
3.an
4.No filler required

Q:7 The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People by Stephen Covey is _____ classic that helps with mental issues.
1.great
2.another
3.above-all
4.cult

Q:8 It is paramount for struggling individuals to be proactive and attempt to conquer _____ obstacles or learn to accept their failures as a fact that does not impinge on the wonderful esteem they possess.
1.his
2.him
3.their
4.there

Q:9 We already produce _____ enough food to feed the planet.
1.good
2.more than
3.greater than
4.more

Q:10 _____ of the plant saplings had been planted the day before.
1.Many
2.More
3.Much
4.Most

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Practice Questions on Determiners - Moderate Level

Direction (1 to 10): A sentence has been provided below with one blank which needs to be filled with an appropriate determiners. Choose the answer from the options provided.

Q:1 Not _____ is known about the mysterious events of the Bermuda Triangle

1. many
2. much
3. little
4. any

Q:2 Thankfully, I have got _____ friends with whom I can spend my weekend.

1. a few
2. few
3. little
4. a little

Q:3 Tanya has _____ toys for kids at her home.

1. a lot of
2. lots of
3. a lots of
4. lot of

Q:4 I have _____ task to complete before my presentation to the clients.

1. lots of
2. a lot of
3. many
4. much

Q:5 _____ English is my favourite language.

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1. a
2. an
3. the
4. Not Required

Q:6 This newly constructed dam near the sea can hold _____ water.

1. several
2. a large amount of
3. so much of
4. plenty of

Q:7 Despite searching for it _____, the Police could not find the Jewellery that was hidden by the thieves.

1. anywhere
2. everywhere
3. nowhere
4. somewhere

Q:8 Mr. Mathur is _____ a smart Professor.

1. such
2. each
3. quite
4. rather

Q:9 I would _____ not make a fool out of myself.

1. never
2. ever
3. rather
4. quite

Q:10 _____ my new Car that I bought last month?

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1. Do you see
2. Did you see
3. Did you saw
4. Do you saw

Practice Questions on Determiners - Hard Level

Direction (1 to 7): The given sentence has been broken up into four different parts. The error, if any, will be in one or more than one part of the sentence. Select the option which contains the part of the sentence which has an error. If there is no error, choose the option 'No error'.

Q:1 My cousin is an /(A) actor and she has been/(B) in the several movies /(C) and TV shows which /(D) aired last year.

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. No Error

Q:2 She had just bought /(1) a wooden antique beautiful /(2) French chair /(3) at /(4) the auction.

1. 1
2. 2
3. 3
4. 4

Q:3 /(1) Every employee must wear /(2) the ID card at all times while they are /(3) in the office, and they should /(4) return it when they leave.

1. 1
2. 3
3. 2
4. 4

5.No error

Q:4 There are too many / (A) errors in / (B) the report, we need to make / (C) some corrections before submitting it. / (D)

1.A
2.B
3.C
4.D
5.No error

Q:5 I need to buy /(1) new pair of /(2) running shoes because /(3) my old ones are worn out./(4)

1.1
2.2
3.3
4.4
5.No error

Q:6 (A) Some students must bring / (B) their textbooks to class every day, and they should / (C) make sure / (D) they are in good condition./

1.A
2.B
3.C
4.D

Q:7 I have /(A) many experience /(B) in handling difficult customers /(C) but this one is the worst. /(D)

1.A
2.B
3.C
4.D
5.No error

Direction (8 to 9): A sentence has been provided below with one blank which needs to be filled with appropriate determiners. Choose the answer from the options provided.

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Q:8 There are ___ people who believe in ghosts, but ___ of them are willing to admit it.
1.few, most
2.many, few
3.some, none
4.all, few

Q:9 The company has _____ employees who can speak Mandarin.
1.few
2.a few
3.little
4.a little

Q:10 The given sentence has been broken up into four different parts. The error, if any, will be in one or more than one part of the sentence. Select the option which contains the part of the sentence which has an error. If there is no error, choose the option 'No error'. She won the first prize for /(1) the singing competition, and / (2) her younger sister won /(3) a third prize for painting./(4)
1.1
2.2
3.3
4.4
5.No error

Solutions of Easy Level Determiners Questions

Q:1 (5) The sentence is correct as written. The ordinal number "third" is used to indicate the specific building being referred to in relation to the other buildings in the street. There is no error in the use of this quantifier.

Q:2 (2) Much is used to describe mass nouns or uncountable nouns like juice, rice, patience, and happiness. When using **much**, the noun will always be singular; it cannot be plural. **Many** is used to describe count nouns or nouns that can be counted like books, ideas, leaves, and shoes. Since the above sentence talks about 'photos' which can be counted, the correct filler is **'many'**

Q:3 (4) In sentences where we are differentiating one from a group, we use the plural form i.e. **'One of my friends'.** So, the correct answer is **'my friends'.**

Q:4 (2) Few means "not many (people or things)." It is used to say that there are not a lot of people or things. **A few** means "some (people or things)." It is used to say that there are a small number of people or things.

Q:5 (4) Few means "not many (people or things)." **A few** means "some (people or things)." **'Little'** means not much/almost nothing. **'A little'** means some or very less.

Q:6 (1) As the sentence talks about the list of things a farmer does, **the** best suitable article is **'the'.** Article The is used to refer to specific or particular nouns; **a/an** is used to modify non-specific or non-particular nouns.

Q:7 (2) The determiners **another** refers to something different, remaining, or additional. The sentence talks about one of the Books written by 'Stephen Covey'. The best suitable filler is **'another'** because it talks about one of the classic books out of all others written by him.

Q:8 (2) The determiners that has been filled in the blank is the **"Possessive determiners".** As the sentence talks about a set of people as a whole, then we need to use plural pronoun, which is **'their'.**

Q:9 (2) Much refers to a matter of quantity, while **more** refers to a matter of quantity in comparison with other objects. Since **food** cannot be counted, the best suitable filler is 'more than'.

Q:10 (4) Much means a lot of. It is used with singular nouns. **Many** is used with plural nouns. **More** is the comparative of much and many. It indicates a greater number or quantity of something. **Most** is the superlative of much and many. We use the quantifier **most** to talk about quantities, amounts and degree.

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Q:1 (2) Since we use much with 'uncountable nouns'. So, it fits best as per sentence context.

Q:2 (1) As the sentence talks about friends (Plural) which is countable and in a positive tone. The best filler is **'a few'.**

Q:3 (2) 'Lots of' is used for informal sentences and **'a lot of'** is used in formal sentences. As the above sentence is an informal one, the correct filler will be **'lots of'.**

Q:4 (2) 'Lots of' is used for informal sentences ands **'a lot of'** i used in formal sentences. As the above sentence is a formal one, the correct filler will be 'a lot of'.

Q:5 (4) The above sentence is based on articles (a/an/the). With language, we do not use article **'the'** or any.

Q:6 (4) We use **plenty of** as a quantifier before both countable and uncountable nouns to mean 'a lot', 'a large quantity'.

Q:7 (2) The sentence is based on the concept of distributives. The best suitable filler is **'everywhere'** as it fits best in the sentence context.

Q:8 (1) The above sentence is based on the grammatical concept of **'Pre-Determiners'. 'Such'** is also a pre-determiners that fits best in the sentence as per its context.

Q:9 (3) Rather is a pre-determiners that fits best in the sentence as per its context. It is used to indicate what you want or prefer to do, have, etc

Q:10 (2) The above sentence is based on a grammatical concept called **'Possessive Determiners'.** The best suitable filler is **'Did you see'.**

Solutions of Hard Level Determiners Questions

Q:1 (3) "The several movies" should be "several movies" without "the." "The" is an article that is used before a noun to specify the noun as a definite noun. In this case, "the several movies" is incorrect as "several" itself is an indefinite determiners. Therefore, using "the" before "several movies" is redundant and incorrect.

Q:2 (2) The correct order of determiners for adjectives in English is "opinion - size - age - shape - color - origin - material." Therefore, the correct order of determiners in this sentence should be "a beautiful antique wooden French chair."

Q:3 (1) In this case, we are referring to individual employees, so the determiners "each" should be used instead of "every".

Q:4 (4) "Some" should be replaced with "several". The word "some" is an indefinite quantifier, which refers to an unspecified quantity or number. In this sentence, it does not convey the extent of the corrections needed in the report. The use of "several" is more appropriate as it indicates a specific number of corrections that need to be made, conveying a more precise meaning.

Q:5 (2) The correct phrase would be "I need to buy a new pair of running shoes". In this case, we are referring to a singular item, so the indefinite article "a" should be used.

Q:6 (1) The use of "some" implies that not all students are required to bring their textbooks to class, which could be incorrect. The sentence should indicate that all students are required to bring their textbooks.

Q:7 (2) The correct word should be "much" instead of "many". **"Many"** is used with countable nouns while "much" is used with uncountable nouns. In this case, "experience" is an uncountable noun, so "much" should be used instead of "many".

Q:8 (2) The correct answer is "many, few." "Many" is used to indicate a large number of people who believe in ghosts, while "few" is used to indicate a small number of people who are willing to admit it. Therefore, option (b) is the correct answer.

Q:9 (2) The quantifier "a few" is used to express a small number, but it implies that it is enough or sufficient for the purpose. In this sentence, it implies that there are some employees who can speak Mandarin, and it is enough for the company's needs. The quantifier "few" without "a" has a negative connotation and means "not many" or "scarcely any". The quantifiers "little" and "a little" are used for non-countable nouns, such as "time", "money", or "experience", and express a small amount or quantity.

Q:10 (4) The correct form of the ordinal number quantifier is 'third prize' instead of 'a third prize'

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This article has provided you with a valuable resource for honing your grasp over the Determiners chapter. You have now practiced a carefully categorized collection of practice questions, ranging from easy to moderate to hard difficulty levels. The categorization of questions by difficulty enables strategic preparation, offering you a chance to build a strong foundation and gradually progress towards more challenging problems.

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