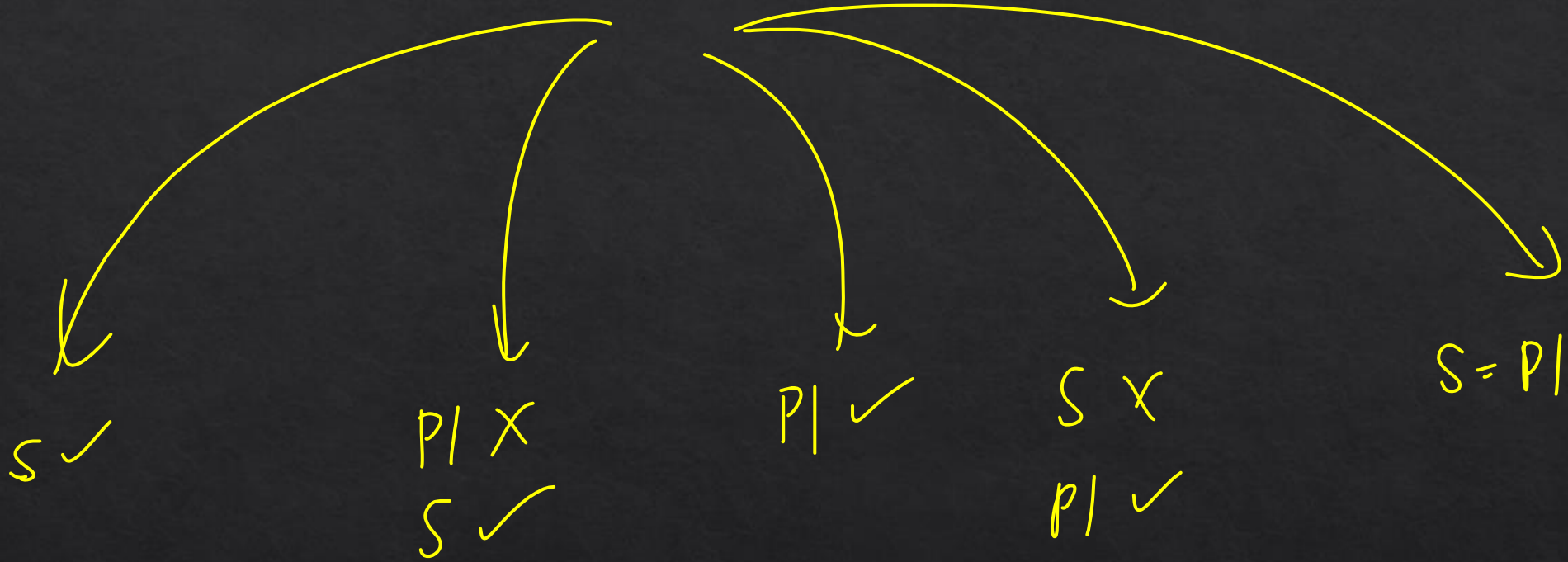


NOUN AND NUMBER



Q1. All our (a)/ furnitures ^x were ^{was} (b)/ spoiled in the recent (c)/ rains and floods.(d)

Your piece of advice were / Your advice was
Q2. Your advices were timely (a)/ and guided me (b)/ to take the right decisions.(c)/ no error (d)

Q3. He loses (a)/ his tempers ^x s on (b)/ the slightest (c)/ provocation.(d)

Q4. They had to wait (a)/ for the luggages^x (b)/ to be put into the cab (c)/ before they themselves got into it.(d)

cakes of soap ✓
bars of soap ✓

Q5. Would you please (a)/ tell me how many (b)/ soaps do you (c)/ use in a month.(d)

✓
x

Q6. I've got a lot of homeworks this weekend.

(a) a lot of homework ✓

(b) No substitution x

(c) a lots of homework x

(d) much homework x

Q7. You shall get (a)/ all the informations^x (b)/ if you read this book carefully.(c)/ no error (d)

Q8. The karkarduama court has issued (a)/ five ^{Summons}summons^x against him (b)/ so far, but he (c)/ has attended to none of them.(d)

Q9. The balance in his saving^s (a)/ account is not enough for him to (b)/ avail himself of these facilities.(c)/ no error (d)

Q10. Some required measures (a)/ have to be taken to increase (b)/
the proceed of the annual sale.(c)/ no error(d)
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Q11. Last evening, I went to an optician and bought spectacles
(a) a spectacle (b) two spectacle
(c) no improvement (d) a pair of spectacles ✓✓

Q12. ‘I have never seen (a)/ such a lovely spectacles⁺ (b)/ in my
life’, said (c)/ the passer-by.(d)
✓

Q13. The man played (a)/ the flute and led (b)/ all the mouse (c)/
out of the town.(d)
mice

Q14. A large swarm of dogs was blocking the way.

- (a) pack of ✓
- (b) herd of
- (c) No substitution required
- (d) school of

Q15. In the jungle, I saw a group of lions.

- (a) a pride of lions ✓
- (b) a flock of lions
- (c) a herd of lions
- (d) a school of lions

Q16. Tons of sheep were grazing in the field.

- (a) A flock of sheep ✓
- (b) Many sheeps
- (c) Numerous sheeps
- (d) No improvement.

- 1. Ans (b) Explanation:- use 'furniture was' instead of 'furnitures were'**
- 2. Ans (a) use 'pieces of advice / Bits of advice'**
- 3. Ans (b) use 'temper' instead of 'tempers'**
- 4. Ans (b) use 'luggage' instead of 'luggages'**
- 5. Ans (c) Use 'bars of soap' in place of 'soaps' '**
- 6. Ans (a)**
- 7. Ans (b) Use 'information' in place of 'informations.'**
- 8. Ans (b) Use 'summonses' in place of 'summons.'**
- 9. Ans (a) Use 'savings' in place of 'saving'**
- 10. Ans (c) Use 'proceeds' in place of 'proceed'.**

11. Ans (d)

12. Ans (b) Use 'spectacle' in place of 'spectacles.'

13. Ans (c) use 'mice' instead of 'mouse'

14. Ans (a)

15. Ans (a)

16. Ans (a)

sands / Irons / Papers / woods / works / Moneys

➤ **These nouns are used as singular noun:-**

s/es / Plural verb / one, 2, 3 / Many, few / a, an } X

[Bread, Soap, Shampoo, Sand, Iron, Paper, Stone, Hair,
Brick, Food, Grass, Garbage, Filth, Scenery, Machinery,
Jewellery, Cutlery, Crockery, Stationery, Luggage,
Furniture, Baggage, Money, Evidence, Equipment, Advice,
Work, Music, Information, Knowledge, Wealth, Business,
Research, Abuse, Percentage, Alphabet etc.]

scenery is
The sceneries of Kashmir are very beautiful and eye catching.

2 slices of bread

loaf

He had eaten only 2 bread before he went to office.

machinery
Indian farmers needs new and advanced agricultural machineries.

x a piece of
Mrs. Anjali gave me a very useful advice regarding my career.

She said that she had sent all the furnitures^x_u to Chennai .

This old building is made of special bricks^x_u and stones^x_u.

They have submitted some new evidences^x_u before the judge.

I am trying to teach him alphabets^x_u of English.

➤ **These nouns look plural but are singular:-**

Physics, Mathematics, Economics, Politics,

Billiards, Darts, Athletics, Dominoes, Rickets,

Measles, Mumps, Diabetes, Rabies, Shingles,

Innings, News, Summons etc

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summonses

pl

^{This}
These news ^{is} are completely baseless so you should not worry.

^{is}
Rickets are a curable disease if ^{it is} they are detected early.

^{is}
Mathematics are a very difficult subject.

^{are}
His mathematics is very weak so his teacher scolded him.

Diabetes ^{has} have become a very common disease these days.

A great innings ^{was} were played by Virat Kohli in the last match.

Physics ^{is} are a very interesting subject.

Many ^{summons} summons ^{have} has been issued to A.K. so far.

Some nouns that are used as plural nouns:-

Scissors, tongs, Pliers, Pincers, Bellows, Trousers,
Pants, Pyjamas, shorts, Fangs, Spectacles, Glasses,
Opticals, Binoculars, Scales, Gallows, Fetters, Shackles,
Congratulatory, Regards, Compliments, Thanks,
Valuables, Eatables, Belongings, Goods, Surroundings,
Movables, Ashes, Embers, Remains, Ruins, Proceedings,
Clothes, Outskirts, Arrears, Dues, Sweets, Alms, Riches,
Archives, Earnings, Savings, Proceeds, Odds etc.

I want to know whose spectacle is lying on my table.

Surroundings *P.O* *are*
The surrounding of New Delhi railway station is very filthy.

My earnings are not enough to afford higher study.

gallows were
In ancient times, gallow was used to execute the criminals.

This pair of scissors doesn't

This scissors doesn't cut well as they are old and rusty.

Take all your belonging^s and leave my home right now.

I don't have any saving^s account in SBI bank.

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