

# **Countable and uncountable nouns**

Countable  
(can count)

an apple  
(*singular*)–  
three apples  
(*plural*)

Uncountable  
(can't count)

Butter (~~two~~  
~~butters~~) -  
singular



**Some / any / a / an**



	<b>Countable</b>	<b>Uncountable</b>
<b>+</b>	<b>There's <u>an</u> apple. There are <u>some</u> apples.</b>	<b>There's <u>some</u> butter.</b>
<b>-</b>	<b>There isn't <u>an</u> apple. There aren't <u>any</u> apples.</b>	<b>There isn't <u>any</u> butter</b>
<b>?</b>	<b>Is there <u>an</u> apple? Are there <u>any</u> apples?</b>	<b>Is there <u>any</u> butter?</b>

***Some in questions – to ask  
for and offer things.***

***Would you like some coffee?***

***Can I have some apples,  
please?***