



SPANISH TABLE

Indefinite pronouns

Indefinite pronouns and quantifiers followed by "de" to express a part of a whole



pronoun + de	Translation	Example	Translation	
<i>algo de</i> (uncountable nouns)	some	<i>Estoy buscando algo de harina para hacer un pastel.</i>	I am looking for some flour to bake a cake.	IMPORTANT: Notice that <i>algo de</i> [something] and <i>nada de</i> [none of] are used with uncountable nouns. In contrast, <i>alguno/a de</i> [some of] and <i>ninguno/a de</i> [none of] are used with count nouns.
<i>nada de</i> (uncountable nouns)	none of	<i>No queda nada de pan.</i>	There is no bread left.	
<i>alguno / alguna / algunos / algunas de</i> (count nouns)	some of	<i>Algunas de mis amigas son más divertidas que otras. Algunos de ellos fueron a la charla sobre el medioambiente.</i>	Some of my friends are more fun than others. Some of them went to the talk on the environment.	
<i>ninguno / ninguna de</i> (count nouns)	none of	<i>Ninguna de estas opciones me gusta. Ninguno de nosotros entiende.</i>	I don't like any of these options. None of us understand.	
<i>uno de / una de</i>	one of	<i>Uno de nosotros tiene algo que decir.</i>	One of us has something to say.	
<i>cada uno / cada una de</i>	each of	<i>Cada uno de nosotros tiene un don especial.</i>	Each of us has a special gift.	
<i>cualquiera de</i>	anyone of	<i>Cualquiera de ellos es apto para el trabajo.</i>	Anyone of them is good for the job.	
<i>alguien de</i>	one of	<i>Hablamos con alguien de la familia.</i>	We spoke with someone in the family.	IMPORTANT: <i>alguien de</i> and <i>nadie de</i> are not used very frequently; the preferred choice is <i>alguno de</i> and <i>ninguno de</i> .
<i>nadie de</i>	none of	<i>Nadie de los están aquí pagaron la cuota.</i>	None of the ones here paid the fee.	
<i>un poco de</i>	a little/few of	<i>Un poco de diversión es bueno para cualquiera.</i>	A little fun is good for anybody.	
<i>muchos de</i>	a lot of many of	<i>Muchos de nosotros hablamos español.</i>	Many of us speak Spanish.	
<i>varios de</i>	several of	<i>Varios de ellos saben la respuesta correcta.</i>	Several of them know the correct answer.	
<i>bastante de</i>	plenty of a lot of	<i>Entendí bastante de lo que dijiste.</i>	I understood a lot of what you said.	

IMPORTANT: When a personal pronoun is used after an indefinite pronoun + *de* that refers to people, it must be a plural prepositional pronoun: *nosotros, nosotras, ustedes, vosotros, vosotras, ellos, ellas*.

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