
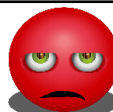









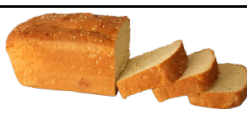



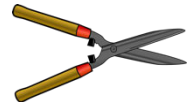
















## Partitives (Upper Intermediate Level)

Partitive	Phonetic Transcription	Definition	Example Sentence	Image
A bale of <b>cloth, hay</b>	ə beɪl ðv	A large packet of material tied together.	<i>We received a new bale of cloth this morning, so we can start producing more clothes.</i>	
A bellow of <b>rage</b>	ə <u>bɛl</u> əv ðv	A loud and deep sound, normally said in anger.	<i>My father had a bellow of rage when he found out my brother lied.</i>	
A blade of <b>grass</b>	ə bleɪd ðv	A very thin, flat piece of something.	<i>You have a blade of grass stuck to your leg!</i>	
A bout of <b>flu, the measles</b>	ə baʊt ðv	A period of time where somebody is ill.	<i>My mother has a bout of the flu at the moment.</i>	

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A clap of <b>thunder</b>	ə klæp ðv	A loud noise made by two surfaces hitting each other.	<i>Did you hear that clap of thunder?</i>	
A cluster of <b>stars, trees</b>	ə <b>kl</b> astər ðv	A group of the same thing all in a very small space together.	<i>What is the name of that cluster of stars?</i>	
A dab of <b>aftershave, perfume</b>	ə dəb ðv	A very light touch onto a surface, leaving a very small quantity of something behind.	<i>Only put a small dab of perfume on her. She is too young to be wearing perfume!</i>	
An ear of <b>corn, wheat</b>	ən iər ðv	The part of a plant where all the seeds are stored and then grow.	<i>Look at that field full of ears of corn!</i>	
A furlong of	ə <b>f</b> ɜ:lɒŋ ðv	A partitive measure of distance. Equivalent to 201 metres.	<i>The horses ran three furlongs of the course.</i>	
A goblet of <b>wine</b>	ə <b>g</b> ɒblɪt ðv	Similar to a glass, but normally a metal material.	<i>The man is holding a goblet of wine in this painting.</i>	
A hip flask of <b>brandy, whiskey</b>	ə <b>h</b> ɪp flɑ:sk ðv	A metal container usually used to store alcoholic drinks. It is rectangular and thin.	<i>Make sure you fill up that hip flask of whiskey!</i>	
A hunk of <b>bread, meat</b>	ə hʌŋk ðv	A very large and thick piece of something, normally food.	<i>Give me a hunk of that bread.</i>	

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A keg of <b>beer, lager</b>	ə kɛɡ ɒv	A small barrel that is wooden and stores liquids, normally alcohol. The quantity it can hold is approximately 10 gallons.	<i>Can you bring in that keg of beer?</i>	
A morsel of <b>cake, food</b>	ə mɔːsəl ɒv	A small piece of something, normally food. This piece is the right size to fit into your mouth in one bite.	<i>I only want a morsel of that watermelon.</i>	
A nugget of <b>information</b>	ə nʌɡɪt ɒv	A very small quantity.	<i>I only have a nugget of information for you. You'll have to do the rest of the research.</i>	
A pair of <b>pliers, shears</b>	ə peər ɒv	Two things normally used together.	<i>Could you pass me that pair of shears, please?</i>	
A pang of <b>guilt, hunger</b>	ə pæŋ ɒv	A sudden feeling, normally negative or painful.	<i>I felt a pang of hunger.</i>	
A peal of <b>laughter, thunder</b>	ə pi:l ɒv	A noise that lasts for a long time and is constant.	<i>The audience were in peals of laughter.</i>	
A ripple of <b>applause</b>	ə rɪpl ɒv	A noise or visible effect that starts in one area, then moves to another and constantly moves.	<i>After his joke, there was a ripple of applause from the audience.</i>	

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A rush of <b>dizziness, emotions</b>	ə rʌʃ ðv	A sudden and quick feeling.	<i>I stood up and felt a rush of dizziness.</i>	
A scrap of <b>evidence</b>	ə skræp ðv	A very small quantity.	<i>There wasn't a scrap of evidence to get him out of prison.</i>	
A shaft of <b>light</b>	ə ʃɑ:ft ðv	A visible and straight line of light in one direction.	<i>When they opened the door, there was a shaft of light.</i>	
A sheaf of <b>barley, wheat</b>	ə ʃi:f ðv	A collection of food, usually grains, tied together.	<i>We need a sheaf of wheat to put into our truck.</i>	
A torrent of <b>abuse</b>	ə tɒrənt ðv	A continuous and intensive action being repeated, usually a negative action.	<i>She received a torrent of abuse for years before she left him.</i>	
A tot of <b>brandy, whiskey</b>	ə tɒt ðv	Slang word for measure. A small quantity, usually 25 ml of an alcoholic drink.	<i>Let's have a tot of brandy before bed.</i>	
A trickle of <b>blood, water</b>	ə trɪkl ðv	A very slow and steady stream of liquid.	<i>The chocolate had hardened, so only a trickle came out of the pan.</i>	

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A tuft of  <b>fur, hair</b>	ə tʌft ðv	A group of hairs together that have been separated from their original source.	<i>There is a funny bird that has a little tuft of hair on its head.</i>	
A twinge of  <b>envy, sadness</b>	ə twɪndʒ ðv	A very sudden and intense feeling, but it doesn't last very long.	<i>I felt a twinge of envy when my brother received the award.</i>	
A wad of  <b>banknotes, gum</b>	ə wɒd ðv	A large collection of flat objects packaged close together.	<i>She stole a wad of banknotes from the shop.</i>	