

The plurals of adjectives (p. 156)

- Adjectives, just like definite articles, must match the noun they accompany. Singular adjectives go with singular nouns, and plural adjectives go with plural nouns.
- Adjectives that end in **-o** or **-a** must also match the noun. Masculine (**-o**) adjectives go with masculine nouns and feminine (**-a**) adjectives go with feminine nouns.
- Adjectives that end in **-e** do not change to match masculine or feminine nouns. They still change to match singular and plural nouns: **el libro interesante, las clases interesantes.**

	Definite article	Noun	Adjective
masculine singular	el	pan	sabroso
feminine singular	la	sopa	sabrosa
masculine plural	los	jamones	sabrosos
feminine plural	las	galletas	sabrosas

A. Look at each noun. Write **M** if it is masculine or **F** if it is feminine.

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| 1. _____ pan | 6. _____ jamón |
| 2. _____ sopas | 7. _____ huevos |
| 3. _____ yogur | 8. _____ quesos |
| 4. _____ salchichas | 9. _____ galletas |
| 5. _____ pizza | 10. _____ hamburguesa |

B. Now, go back to **part A**. Next to the **M** or **F** you wrote next to each noun, write **S** if the noun is singular and **P** if it is plural.

C. Here are the nouns from **part A**. Now there are adjectives with them. Circle the correct adjective form for each noun.

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| 1. pan (sabroso / sabrosos) | 6. jamón (sabroso / sabrosa) |
| 2. sopas (sabrosos / sabrosas) | 7. huevos (sabrosa / sabrosos) |
| 3. yogur (sabrosos / sabroso) | 8. quesos (sabrosos / sabrosas) |
| 4. salchichas (sabrosas / sabrosa) | 9. galletas (sabrosa / sabrosas) |
| 5. pizza (sabrosos / sabrosa) | 10. hamburguesas (sabrosos / sabrosas) |

The plurals of adjectives (continued)

D. Fill in the missing singular or plural form of each masculine adjective in the chart.

Masculine	
singular	plural
divertido	
simpático	
	atrevidos
	serios
artístico	

E. Now, fill in the missing singular or plural form of each feminine adjective in the chart.

Feminine	
singular	plural
	divertidas
simpática	
	atrevidas
seria	
	artísticas

F. Choose an adjective from the group of words. Write its correct form in the space provided.

serio	seria	serios	serias
atrevido	atrevida	atrevidos	atrevidas
artístico	artística	artísticos	artísticas

- Laura y Elena estudian mucho. Son _____.
- Sandra monta en monopatín. Es _____.
- Mario dibuja. Es _____.
- Tomás y Beatriz trabajan mucho. Son _____.
- Lorenzo y Fernando esquían. Son _____.