We use most before a noun without a determiner. We use most of before a pronoun and a noun with a
determiner (e.g. articles, demonstratives and possessives). Most of is also used before personal or
geographical names.

Complete the following sentences.

1 cheese is made from milk.
Most
Most of
Either could be used here
2 England was under water.
Most
Most of
Either could be here
3 people like movies.
Most

Most of
4 people in Switzerland can speak French.
Most
Most of
Either could be used here
5. She has eaten that cake.
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most of
Either could be used here
6. She wasn't as intelligent as her sisters, but she was beautiful.

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9. Which country produces the milk?
most
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Either could be used here
10 them were uneducated.
Most
Most of
Either could be used here

# **Answers**

- 1. Most cheese is made from milk.
- 2. Most of England was under water.
- 3. Most people like movies.

- 4. Most people in Switzerland can speak French.
- 5. She has eaten most of that cake.
- 6. She wasn't as intelligent as her sisters, but she was the most beautiful.
- 7. Most of my friends are non-smokers.
- 8. Most of us were impressed with the plan.
- 9. Which country produces the most milk?
- 10. Most of them were uneducated.