

# Adverbs: Very

**FORM:**

**VERY + adjective**  
**+ adverbs**  
**+ quantity words**

**USE:**

“**Very**” is an adverb of degree. It is placed immediately **BEFORE** the adjectives or adverbs or quantity words which it modifies to make them stronger, but not so strong that the action doesn’t stop.

**EXAMPLES:**

*The coffee is very hot, but I can drink it. (very + adjective)*  
*He speaks very fast, but I can understand him. (very + adverb)*  
*I love him very much, so we will get married soon. (very + quantity words)*

*Put each sentence in order, and place VERY in each one.*

1. a – is – day – nice – it – so – have – picnic – a  
– can – we

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3. Sally – old – Rita – friends – are – and  
– so – know – well – each other – they

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2. now – am – I – tired – but – party – am – I –  
to – go – the-to-going

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4. he – bad – is – driver – a – so – drives  
– he – carelessly

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5. exercise – this – good – a – is - because – us  
– it – helps

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9. Mr. Jones – tall – is – a – man – but – an –  
gymnast – he – excellent - is

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6. hair – badly – is – her – but – is – beautiful –  
she-cut-it

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10. fast – dog – is – the – but – will – it/him –  
I – catch –

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7. now – busy – are – they – but – eat – are –  
they-to-going

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11. movie – is – a – this – long – but – will – I  
– awake – stay

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8. difficult – is – lesson – it – the – but – do –  
can – it – we

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12. is – stereo – his – new – loud – but – his –  
we –music – like

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