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| **Adverbs: Very or Too** |
| **VERY** is an adverb which makes the other adverbs or adjectives which follow it more intense. With very + adjective or adverb, the quality described by the adjective or adverb is stronger, but it is NOT SO STRONG that it stops someone from doing something or causes serious trouble. Ex. *That coffee is very hot, but I can drink it.***TOO** can be an adverb that indicates that there is too much of the adverb or adjective which follows it. With too + adjective or adverb, the strength of the adjective or adverb is SO GREAT that it stops someone from doing something. Ex. *That coffee is too hot. I* ***CAN’T*** *drink it.* |
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|  *Fill in the blanks with TOO or VERY.* |

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| 1. | John studies English \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hard. He doesn’t have time to eat lunch. |
| 2. | This wine is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sour to drink. |
| 3. | It was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cold, but we all went for a walk. |
| 4. | The secretary types\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ slowly, but she always gets her work done. |
| 5. | I cannot go on the trip. I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sick. |
| 6. | That problem is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ difficult for Jerry. He cannot solve it. |
| 7. | It is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ late, but if we hurry we can still catch the plane. |
| 8. | This package is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ heavy, but I can carry it. |
| 9. | These boots are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ small for me. They hurt my feet. |
| 10. | These files are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ large, but they will still fit in the cabinet. |
| 11. | The boxer says that he is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hurt to continue the fight. |
| 12. | I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ tired to do a good job.  |
| 13. | The weather in Mexico is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hot in summer, but Mr. Jones enjoys it very much. |
| 14. | The roads are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ icy, but I’m still going to drive to the mall. |
| 15. | This steak is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ raw. I cannot eat it*.*  |