



Difference between So, Very, and Too ¹

Practice 1

Instructions. Based on [this lesson](#) and [the video](#), complete each blank in the sentences below using **so**, **very**, or **too**.

When you are done, see "Answer Key" to check your answers.

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1. *Rings* is a _____ good movie, but it's a little _____ scary for me.
 2. Indian food is _____ tasty, but this dish is _____ spicy! I cannot eat it.
 3. I wanted to go for a run in the park, but it's _____ cold today.
 4. It gets _____ cold here in the winter. Sometimes it's _____ cold to be outside longer than 10 minutes.
 5. This box is _____ heavy, but John is a _____ strong man, so he can carry it.
 6. Oh, wow! Look at those shoes. They're _____ expensive.
 7. A thousand dollars for that suit is not _____ much, but it's _____ expensive for me. I don't have that much money!
 8. I can't believe you bought me a new computer for my birthday. Thank you! You're _____ kind.
 9. John was driving _____ fast for that road and had a _____ serious accident.
 10. Karen speaks _____ softly! It's _____ difficult to hear what she's saying.

Answer Key

1. Rings is a **very** good movie, but it's a little **too** scary for me.
2. Indian food is **very** tasty, but this dish is **too** spicy! I cannot eat it.
3. I wanted to go for a run in the park, but it's **too** cold today.
4. It gets **very** cold here in the winter. Sometimes it's **too** cold to be outside longer than 10 minutes.
5. This box is **very** heavy, but John is a **very** strong man, so he can carry it.
6. Oh, wow! Look at those shoes. They're **very** expensive.
7. A thousand dollars for that suit is not **very** much, but it's **too** expensive for me. I don't have that much money!
(Also possible: ... is not **too** expensive...)
8. I can't believe you bought me a new computer for my birthday. Thank you! You're **too** kind.
(This is a special use of "too." You can also say, "... You're **very** kind.")
9. John was driving **too** fast for that road and had a **very** serious accident.
10. Karen speaks **very** softly! It's **very** difficult to hear what she's saying.
(Informal English: "Karen speaks **so** softly!")

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