

Elementary grammar exercise: comparative adjectives (bigger, older, better, worse) ex. 1

In this exercise you will practise the comparative forms of adjectives (*bigger, older, better, etc.*).

Exercise instructions

Fill each gap with the comparative form of the adjective in brackets:

1. Our house is (big) _____ than theirs.
2. I'm (tall) _____ than my brother.
3. Tortoises live (long) _____ than cats.
4. Electrical goods are usually (cheap) _____ in America than in Britain.
5. Electrical goods are usually (expensive) _____ in Britain than in America.
6. Adele is a (good) _____ singer than Madonna.
7. I think studying mathematics is (difficult) _____ than learning English.
8. Switzerland is much (small) _____ than Germany.
9. My brother is thirty and I am twenty-five – I am (young) _____ than him.
10. Oxford is quite near to London, but Liverpool is (far) _____ .

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Key

1. Our house is (big) **bigger** than theirs.
2. I'm (tall) **tall** than my brother.
3. Tortoises live (long) **longer** than cats.
4. Electrical goods are usually (cheap) **cheaper** in America than in Britain.
5. Electrical goods are usually (expensive) **more expensive** in Britain than in America.
6. Adele is a (good) **better** singer than Madonna.
7. I think studying mathematics is (difficult) **more difficult** than learning English.
8. Switzerland is much (small) **smaller** than Germany.
9. My brother is thirty and I am twenty-five – I am (young) **younger** than him.
10. Oxford is quite near to London, but Liverpool is (far) **further/farther** .

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