

What's the difference?

1

- a Our car has been robbed
- b Our car has been stolen

2

- a Angela tried pushing the car to start it, but couldn't manage it
- b Angela tried to push the car to start it, but couldn't manage it

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- a The climbers, who reached the top, had a wonderful view
- b The climbers who reached the top had a wonderful view

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- a Good heavens Pip! You must have your shoe polished!
- b Good heavens Pip! You must have polished your shoes!

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- a They will arrive in time I think
- b They will arrive on time I think

6

- a We walked all the way to their house only to find they had left
- b We walked all the way to their house only to find whether they had left

7

- a The news of Adrian's is a bit worrying isn't it?
- b The news of Adrian is a bit worrying isn't it?

8

- a Besides John there was a man in black
- b Beside John there was a man in black

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- a Crawling across the road I saw a snake
- b I saw a snake crawling across the road

10

- a Mr Brown stopped to pick up litter
- b Mr Brown stopped picking up litter

11

- a My son has grown a lot this year
- b My son has grown up a lot this year

12

- a He spent the evening in the hospital with his wife
- b He spent the evening in hospital with his wife

13

- a I really don't like fish
- b I don't really like fish

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- a I work in an office
- b I'm working in an office

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- a The security guard controlled his dogs
- b The security guard checked his dogs

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