

Pronunciation

wasn't and *weren't*

CD 2-27 ▶ Task 1

Listen and repeat.

1. The pie *was* delicious.
2. The French fries *were* really salty.
3. The steak *wasn't* cooked enough.
4. The vegetables *weren't* very fresh.

▶ Task 2

Read the sentences to a partner. Be sure to pronounce *wasn't* and *weren't* correctly.

Dictation

CD 2-28 ▶ Task 1

Listen. Write the missing words.

A: How was your dinner, Evan?

B: It _____ delicious! How about yours?

A: Actually, it _____. My vegetables were overcooked.

B: Really?

A: Yeah, and the potatoes weren't _____ enough.

B: Oh, that's too bad. And you know, the service _____ fast as it usually is here.

A: Yeah, I guess you're right. Let's eat somewhere else next time.

▶ Task 2

Practice the conversation with a partner. Be sure to pronounce *wasn't* and *weren't* correctly.

Conversation

Work in pairs. Think about a memorable meal you had recently. Talk about it with your partner.

Pronunciation Help

How we spell it

How we say it

wasn't

wuznt

weren't

wernt