

Book: Guess How Much I Love You by Sam McBratney.

Ex. 1. Fill in the missing verbs and complete the story:

Love, hop, reach, make sure, don't think, can,	wanted, looked, touched, closed, leaned, stretched, whispered,	was, held on, put.
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Little Nutbrown Hare _____ to go to bed.
He _____ tight to Big Nutbrown Hare's ears.
He wanted to _____ that Big Nutbrown Hare was listening.

- Guess how much I _____ you!
- Oh, I _____ I could guess that.
- This much!

Little Nutbrown Hare _____ his arms.

- But I love you this much.

Big Nutbrown Hare stretched his arms.

- That is a lot. I love you as high as I can _____.
- I love you as high as I _____ reach.
- That is quite high. I love you as much as I can _____.
- I love you as much as I can hop.

Big Nutbrown Hare hopped so high that his ears _____ the branches of the tree.

- That is a good hopping. I wish I could hop like that. I love you all the way down the lane as far as the river.
- I love you across the river and over the hill.
- That is very far.

Little Nutbrown Hare _____ too sleepy to think any more. He _____ at the sky and said:

- I love you right up to the moon!

Little Nutbrown Hare _____ his eyes.

- Oh, that is far. That is very, very far!

Big Nutbrown Hare _____ Little Nutbrown Hare into his bed.

He _____ over and kissed him goodnight.

Then he lay down close by and _____ with a smile:

- I love you right up to the moon and back!