Using the suffix -ive

Match up the root words with their adjective forms

action	extensive
attract	active
destroy	corrosive
extend	creative
effect	attractive
create	effective
corrode	destructive
mass	explosive
expense	expensive
explode	disruptive
support	massive
detect	abusive
disrupt	detective
abuse	supportive
defend	decisive
repeat	repetitive
imagine	oppressive
decide	imaginative
oppress	defensive
obsess	obsessive
decorate	deceptive
compete	decorative
deceive	addictive
addiction	protective
talk	competitive
protect	persuasive
persuade	talkative

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What -ive words might describe a WAR?

What -ive words might describe a SPORTS PERSON?

What -ive words might describe a PIECE OF ART?

What -ive words would you like someone to use to describe YOU?

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Now make your own sentences using these words:

destructive
effective
creative
massive
supportive
repetitive
decisive
protective
persuasive

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