

LANGUAGE PRACTICE



Superlative adjectives

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Which ocean is larger, the Atlantic or the Pacific?

The Pacific is larger than the Atlantic.

What is **the biggest** desert in the world?

The Pacific is **the largest** ocean in the world.

Which city is the **most** beautiful: Venice, Florence, or Rome?

The Sahara is **the biggest** desert in the world.

NOTE: good → better → **the best**
bad → worse → **the worst**

I think Venice is **the most** beautiful city!

1 Complete the sentences with superlative adjectives. Use the words in the box.

cold deep dry large

1. Lake Baikal is the deepest lake in Russia.

2. Is Australia island in the world, or is it a continent?

3. Is the Arctic place on Earth?

4. I think the Atacama Desert is place on the planet.

2 Complete the conversations. Use the adjectives in parentheses.

1. A What's city in China? (big)

B I think it's Chongqing, isn't it?

2. A Is the Grand Prismatic spring in Yellowstone? (hot)

B I really don't know, but it's certainly . (colorful)

3. A Is the Andes mountain range in the world? (long)

B I think so, but mountains are in the Himalayas. (tall)

4. A What are forests on the planet? (important)

B The rainforests, right?

5. A Is Lake Titicaca lake in the world? (clear)

B I don't think so. But it's definitely . (high)

SUPERLATIVES: Complete the sentences. Use the words in the brackets.

Example: An elephant is **the biggest** animal. (big)

1. Mt. Everest is mountain in the world. (high)

2. Baikal is lake in the world. (deep)

3. The Pacific Ocean is ocean. (large)

4. The Amazon River is river. (long)

5. Tokyo is city in Japan. (crowded)

6. Death Valley is place in the world. (hot)

7. Atacama Desert is place in the world. (dry)

8. Egypt is country in the world. (old)

