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Adjectives and Adverbs

Identify the italicized words as either adjectives or adverbs.

1. I called upon my friend, Mr. Sherlock Holmes, and found him in *deep* conversation with an *elderly* gentleman with *fiery red* hair.
2. “You could *not possibly* have come at a *better* time, my *dear* Watson,” he said *cordially*.
3. Perhaps, Mr. Wilson, you would *kindly* begin your narrative *again*.
4. He was *obese, pompous, and slow*.
5. A *frayed* top hat, and a *faded brown* overcoat with a *wrinkled velvet* collar lay on a chair beside him.
6. We live *very quietly*.
7. Then *suddenly the whole* business came to an end.
8. It is *most refreshingly unusual*.
9. My limbs were *weary* and *stiff*.
10. Then I made inquiries as to *this mysterious* assistant, and found that I had to deal with one of the *coolest* and *most daring* criminals in London.