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- 2.) \_\_\_\_\_ cat across the street has a striped tail. (That, Those)
- 3.) Whose skates are \_\_\_\_\_ by the stairs? (this, those)
- 4.) I don't know why I'm wearing my hair \_\_\_\_\_ way. (this, those)
- 5.) Did you eat \_\_\_\_\_ cookies on the table? (those, that)
- 6.) \_\_\_\_\_ tests on my desk don't have names on them. (these, this)
- 7.) Remember \_\_\_\_\_ movie we watched yesterday? (that, those)
- 8.) \_\_\_\_\_ trees are going to grow very tall. (These, This)
- 9.) \_\_\_\_\_ storm we had last night kept me awake. (Those, That)
- 10.) Did you buy \_\_\_\_\_ grapes at the market? (that, those)
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