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Reduced in strength.

attenuate The first live vaccine was insufficiently attenuated and produced a significant

disease.

counteract Oppose or check by a counteraction.

This will **counteract** the foolish actions of my colleagues.

dampen Smother or suppress.

Nothing could **dampen** her enthusiasm.

deadenBecome lifeless, less lively, intense, or active; lose life, force, or vigor.

Ether was used to **deaden** the pain.

debilitate Make weak.

Hard drugs destroy families and **debilitate** communities.

declineDiminish in strength or quality; deteriorate.

This Evening from the Sun s **decline** arriv d.

destabilize Make unstable.

The economy **destabilize**d rapidly.

Make (something) weaker in force, content, or value by modification or the

dilute addition of other elements.

Bleach can be **dilute**d with cold water.

diminish Decrease in size, extent, or range.

The trial has aged and **diminish**ed him.

Of an organ or body part diminished in size or strength as a result of disease

diminished or injury or lack of use.

A diminished role for local government.

emasculate Castrate (a man or male animal).

The refusal to allow them to testify effectively **emasculate**d the committee.

Weaken mentally or morally.

The enervate slightness of his frail form.



enfeeble Make weak.

Sickness had **enfeeble**d me.

fading Weakening in force or intensity.

fatigued Drained of energy or effectiveness; extremely tired; completely exhausted.

Flagstones collectively.

flaggingThere was a pile of **flagging** waiting to be laid in place.

fragileLacking substance or significance.

She has the **fragile** beauty of youth.

Lacking power or ability- Freeman J.Dyson.

impotent Felt impotent rage.

Become feeble.

languish Kelso languish near the bottom of the Scottish First Division.

Reduce in scope while retaining essential elements.

He **reduce**d his grandees to due obedience.

reduced Made less in size or amount or degree.

rickety

Affected with, suffering from, or characteristic of rickets.

Poverty was evident in undernourished faces or rickety legs.

sabotage A deliberate act of destruction or disruption in which equipment is damaged.

A coordinated campaign of **sabotage**.

slowly Without speed slow is sometimes used informally for slowly.

He spoke **slowly**.

subvert Undermine the power and authority of (an established system or institution.

We must not let our civil liberties be ${\it subvert}{\it ed}$ by the current crisis.

A volatile solvent used to make paint or other solutions less viscous.

thinner Dampen a clean rag with **thinner**s and carefully wipe any remaining dust

from the timber.

unsettle Disturb the composure of.

The crisis has **unsettle**d financial markets.

viability (of living things) capable of normal growth and development.

An interest in the long term **viability** of British companies.

wane (of a state or feeling) decrease in vigour or extent; become weaker.

Interest in his novels waned.

Lessen in force or effect.

weaken

The fever weakened his body.



