



PINK TAX

Comparatives - Rewrite the sentences using comparative adjectives to show the Pink Tax effect.

Example: A basic blue razor costs \$5, and a similarly designed pink razor costs \$7.

Rewritten: A pink razor is two dollars more expensive than a blue razor.

1. A bottle of men's cologne is 100 ml and costs \$40. A bottle of women's perfume is 50 ml and costs \$50.
Rewritten: Women's perfume is _____, even though the bottle is half the size.
2. A unisex backpack costs \$35. A purse with a similar design and size costs \$45.
Rewritten: A purse is ten dollars _____, even though they are very similar.
3. A toy truck costs \$15. A doll with similar features costs \$20.
Rewritten: A doll can be _____, even though they are both toys.
4. A pack of disposable razors for men contains 10 blades and costs \$8. A pack of disposable razors for women with the same number of blades costs \$10.
Rewritten: Women's razors are two dollars _____ than men's razors, even though they have _____ of blades.
5. A plain white T-shirt for men costs \$5. A plain white T-shirt for women with a slightly different neckline costs \$7.
Rewritten: A women's T-shirt _____ T-shirt, even for a basic style with a minor design difference.
6. A unisex bottle of body wash costs \$12. A bottle of body wash marketed specifically for women with a flowery scent costs \$15.
Rewritten: _____ for women can be three dollars more expensive than a unisex option, even though the product itself might be the same.
7. A pack of disposable razors for men contains 10 blades and costs \$8. A pack of disposable razors for women with the same number of blades costs \$10.
Rewritten: Women's _____ more expensive than men's razors, even though they have the same number of blades.
8. A plain white T-shirt for men costs \$5. A plain white T-shirt for women with a slightly different neckline costs \$7.
Rewritten: A _____ than a men's T-shirt, even for a basic style with a minor design difference.

Teacher's Key

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