

## Oxymoron - Examples

act naturally	advanced beginner
alone in a crowd	alone together
awfully good	awfully pretty
bigger half	bittersweet
civil disobedience	civil war
clearly ambiguous	clearly confused
clearly misleading	constant variable
controlled chaos	dark light
deafening silence	definitely maybe
definitely uncertain	deliberate mistake
deliberately accidental	detailed summary
dry lake	dull roar
dull shine	dynamic stability
exact approximation	exact estimate
expected surprise	extremely average
falsely true	fast slowdown
foolish wisdom	found missing
freezer burn	friendly enemy
friendly fire	friendly takeover
full vacuum	genuine fake
genuine imitation	genuine replica
good grief	great depression
growing smaller	happy accident
happy sadness	harmless offense
heavy lightness	Hell's Angels
helpful hindrance	high ground
honest thief	hopeless optimism
horrible beauty	hot chill
icy hot	idle run
ill health	imitation original
impartial bias	important trivia
inaccurate precision	increasing declines
incredibly normal	independent dependency
indifferently passionate	inescapable freedom
insignificant impact	intense apathy

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intentional accident	interestingly dull
invincible weakness	joyful mourning
jumbo shrimp	larger half
last initial	lead balloon
lesser of two equals	liquid gas
liquid solid	lively stillness
living dead	living end
living history	living sacrifice
loose tights	loud whisper
low summit	mad wisdom
mandatory option	married bachelor
mean smile	mild extreme
minor crisis	minor miracle
modern tradition	modest boast
mournful optimist	moving target
necessarily optional	negative asset
negative gain	never again
new classic	noisy silence
non-alcoholic beer	non-stick glue
old boy	old news
only choice	open secret
openly covert	organized chaos
original copy	original remake
outgoing introvert	overwhelming subtlety
painful pleasure	painfully beautiful
pale darkness	partly complete
passive aggressive	passive confrontation
peace force	peaceful conquest
peaceful revolution	perfect imperfection
permanent substitute	pessimistic optimist
plastic glasses	plastic silverware
pleasant hell	poor millionaire
poorly rich	positive criticism
practically theoretical	precious junk
predictable chaos	pretty cruel

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pretty fierce	pretty ugly
productive laziness	progressive conservative
quiet explosion	quiet roar
random order	rapid slowdown
realistic fantasy	regular guest
rough smoothness	same difference
seriously casual	seriously funny
seriously joking	sharp blunt
silent alarm	silent scream
silent shout	simple complexity
small crowd	smart fool
soft rock	soft thunder
stationary orbit	student teacher
sweet agony	sweet sorrow
terribly good	terribly pleased
thunderous silence	tight slacks
tragic comedy	true fiction
true myth	unbiased opinion
uncommonly common	unfriendly smile
unpaid bonus	unusual routine
vegetarian meatball	virtual reality
walking dead	wise fool
working holiday	working vacation
youthful age	zero tolerance